

**NEWMARKET STEWARDS' REPORT****Wednesday 16 April 2025**

Stewards: Anthony McGlone (Chief Steward), Henry Pelly (Stewards' Panel Chair), Louise Moore (Steward), Tomas O'Brien (Steward), Ali Galliers-Pratt (Assistant Steward), Ben Ford (Raceday Assistant).

Going: GOOD

Stalls: All Races - Centre

Fixture Note: Following Race 1: Going changed to Good (from Good to Soft).

**Non-Runners**

Race	Horse and Trainer	Reason
1:50pm	DILIGENTLY, trained by Clive Cox.	Going (Changed since declaration)
1:50pm	THE DRAGON KING (IRE), trained by Clive Cox.	Going (Changed since declaration)
1:50pm	DARK CLOUD RISING, trained by David O'Meara.	Going (Changed since declaration)
1:50pm	DEFENCE MINISTER, trained by Hamad Al Jehani.	Going (Changed since declaration)
4:10pm	LADY OF THE ISLES (IRE), trained by Heather Main.	Going (Changed since declaration)
5:20pm	GORAK (FR), trained by Charlie Fellowes.	Going (Changed since declaration)

**Race 1 - 1:50pm.****THE bet365 HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 2)**

Permission was given for BOB MALI (IRE) to go early to post, wearing a red hood; and for AL MISBAR (IRE), CAYMAN TAI (IRE) and GALLANT (FR) to all wear a red hood to post.

Cantering down to the start, LOOM (IRE) lightly breasted the railing causing it to give way and the gelding was able to cross onto the outside of the course. Having been checked by the Veterinary Surgeon at the start, the gelding was deemed fit to race.

Inside the final furlong, Neil Callan, the rider of INVICTUS GOLD (IRE), placed third, struck LOOM (IRE), placed fifth, once across the nose with his whip, but after viewing a recording of the incident, it was considered to be accidental.

Following the race, Joe Leavy reported that CAYMAN TAI (IRE), unplaced, ran flat.

#### **Race 2 - 2:25pm.**

##### **THE bet365 WOOD DITTON MAIDEN STAKES (CLASS 2) (GBB RACE)**

Following the race, William Buick reported that ALNAYAZEK (IRE), unplaced, lost its action and that he subsequently eased up on the gelding. The Veterinary Officer examined the ALNAYAZEK (IRE) post-race and had nothing to report.

#### **Race 3 - 3:00pm.**

##### **THE BLANDFORD BLOODSTOCK ABERNANT STAKES (CLASS 1) (Group 3)**

Permission was given for APOLLO ONE to be mounted in the chute; and for ROMANTIC STYLE (IRE) to wear a red hood to post.

#### **Race 4 - 3:35pm.**

##### **THE bet365 CRAVEN STAKES (CLASS 1) (Group 3)**

Permission was given for AOMORI CITY (FR) and OPERA BALLO (IRE) to wear a red hood to post.

#### **Race 5 - 4:10pm.**

##### **THE ROSSDALES MAIDEN FILLIES' STAKES (CLASS 2) (GBB RACE)**

Permission was given for ELIZABETH BAY and SWISS LIGHTNING to both wear a red hood to post.

#### **Race 6 - 4:45pm.**

##### **THE bet365 EBF "CONFINED" NOVICE STAKES (CLASS 2) (For horses which have run no more than ONCE) (GBB/GBBPLUS RACE)**

Permission was given for STARDROP to go early to post; and for BAHADUR, LEMURIAN, PLYMOUTH BRETHREN (IRE) and SPANISH VOICE to all wear a red hood to post.



**Race 7 - 5:20pm.**

**THE WATCH LIVE RACING AT bet365 HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 2)**

Permission was given for FIFTY NIFTY (IRE), MISS INFORMATION (IRE) and STANAGE to all wear a red hood to post.

Following the race, Joanna Mason reported that STANAGE, placed third, was denied a clear run approaching the final furlong marker and again inside the final furlong.