

## **PLUMPTON STEWARDS' REPORT**

**Sunday 20 April 2025**

Stewards: Sophie Candy (Chief Steward), Adam Barker (Stewards' Panel Chair), Joseph Chan (Steward), Ben Ford (Assistant Steward), Michael Walton (Raceday Assistant).

Going: **Chase Course**  
Chase Race: Good (GSt 7.2)  
**Hurdle Course**  
Hurdle Race: Good (Good to Soft in places) (GSt 6.7)

Rail: Shared bend in use. Chase bends: 6yds from innermost line. Hurdle bends: -4yds from innermost line.

### Non-Runners

Race	Horse and Trainer	Reason
1:50pm	CALLI BLACK (IRE), trained by David Weston.	Vets Cert (In Season)
1:50pm	CHIQUE ANGEL (IRE), trained by Paul Nicholls.	Self Cert (Not Eaten Up)
5:15pm	KING ALEXANDER (IRE), trained by W. P. Mullins.	Vets Cert (Not Eaten Up)
5:15pm	EMAILANDY (IRE), trained by Paul Nicholls.	Self Cert (Cast in Box)
5:15pm	MOSTLY SUNNY (IRE), trained by Dan Skelton.	Going Going not changed since declaration and horse not on course to be ID checked by the VO (Fixed penalty imposed £140)
5:15pm	ELECTRIC MASON (IRE), trained by Chris Gordon.	Going (Not changed since declaration but horse on course and ID checked by VO)

### Withdrawals

Race	Horse and Trainer	Reason
2:55pm	JOEBEL (FR), trained by Chris Gordon.	Going Withdrawn by the Trainer at 2:28pm (Not changed since declaration but horse on course and ID checked by VO)

### **Race 1 - 1:50pm**

**THE EXTECH CLOUD COMPUTING MARES' MAIDEN HURDLE RACE (CLASS 3) (GBB RACE)**

Permission was given for LADY D'ARBANVILLE to wear a red hood to post.

**Race 2 - 2:20pm.**

**THE MAYO WYNNE BAXTER NOVICES' HANDICAP STEEPLE CHASE (CLASS 4) (GBB RACE)**

Following the race, the Veterinary Officer reported that LE FAUVE (FR), which was pulled up, had bled from the nose, that TACTICAL AFFAIR (FR), which was pulled up, bled from the nose and that ALIEN STORM (IRE), placed fourth, lost its left-fore shoe.

**Race 3 - 2:55pm.**

**THE HARRY & BETTY SAVILL MEMORIAL NOVICES' HANDICAP HURDLE RACE (CLASS 4) (GBB RACE)**

Turning into the home straight, BARRABOOL, unplaced, moved left-handed and made brief contact with UGO BINGO (FR), placed fourth, but after viewing a recording of the incident, it was found that no riding offence was involved.

**Race 4 - 3:30pm.**

**THE BETGOODWIN MASTER TRAINER CHRIS GORDON HANDICAP STEEPLE CHASE (CLASS 3) (GBB RACE)**

Following the race, Freddie Gordon reported that UNANSWERED PRAYERS (IRE), unplaced, never travelled and hung left-handed throughout. The Veterinary Officer further reported that the gelding had knocked its right-fore fetlock joint.

**Race 5 - 4:05pm.**

**THE BETGOODWIN SUSSEX CHAMPION HURDLE HANDICAP HURDLE RACE (CLASS 2) (GBB RACE)**

Following the race, Niall Houlihan reported that HANSARD (IRE), unplaced, was hampered by the faller at the third last flight of hurdles and Freddie Gingell reported that AFADIL (FR), which was pulled up, was also hampered by the faller at the same flight.

**Race 6 - 4:40pm.**

**THE BETGOODWIN TOP UK ONLINE BOOKIE HANDICAP STEEPLE CHASE (CLASS 4) (GBB RACE)**

After an initial false start, the start was effected successfully on the second attempt. However, having reviewed recordings of the false start, the Starters were satisfied that no riders should be reported for contravening the starting procedures.

Following the race, Brendan Powell reported that SIAM PARK (IRE), placed second, jumped right-handed.



**Race 7 - 5:15pm.**

**THE PHOENIX CYCLES REMEMBER RAY PRIOR HANDICAP HURDLE RACE (CLASS 3)**

Permission was given for BUSY BEING BUSY (IRE) to go to post early and for TORRENT to be mounted on the course and to wear a red hood to post.