

## **REDCAR STEWARDS' REPORT**

**Monday 29 May 2023**

Stewards: Alan Dempsey (Chief Steward), Neil Edminson (Stewards' Panel Chair), Robbie McCarthy (Steward), Philippa Hardy (Assistant Steward), Helen Kinsella (Raceday Assistant).

Going: GOOD TO FIRM, GOOD (IN PLACES)

Stalls: Straight - Centre; Round - Inside Rail

### Non-Runners

Race	Horse and Trainer	Reason
2:50pm	BLOW ME AWAY (IRE), trained by Stuart Williams.	Vets Cert (Cut Leg)
3:25pm	GRANDAD BOB (IRE), trained by Paul Midgley.	Self Cert (Other) (Over reached)

### Withdrawals

Race	Horse and Trainer	Reason
5:10pm	THOMAS CRANMER (USA), trained by Tina Jackson.	Vet advice (Withdrawn by Veterinary Officer at 17:13).

### Jockey Changes

Race	Horse	Declared Jockey	Replacement Jockey	Reason
3:25pm	CAVALIER APPROACH (IRE)	Paul Hanagan	James Sullivan	(Hanagan unable to make weight).

### **Race 1 - 1:45pm.**

#### **THE redcarracing.co.uk HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 6)**

Permission was given for KYBER CRYSTAL (IRE) to go early to post and to be mounted in the chute, for THRIVE to go early to post and for MUDDY LYNN to wear a red hood to post.

Prior to this race, a query was raised with Seb Spencer as to why he was running MUDDY LYNN, here at Redcar on going officially described as Good to Firm, Good in Places, having previously reported that the filly would prefer a softer surface, than the Good ground at Ayr on 8th May 2023. Spencer stated that he subsequently hadn't agreed with the representative's opinion at Ayr and that MUDDY LYNN had

previously run well at Redcar on Good to Firm ground and with the filly having only had five previous runs, he was happy to let MUDDY LYNN take her chance today. The Stewards noted his explanation.

Following the race, Jonny Peate reported that RUM RUNNER, unplaced, was slowly away. The Veterinary Officer reported that IRELAND'S EYE (IRE), unplaced, bled from the nose, LIL BIT OF MAGIC, unplaced, bled from the nose and DANDYS DERRIERE, unplaced, lost its right-fore shoe.

**Race 2 - 2:15pm.**

**THE RACING TV RESTRICTED MAIDEN STAKES (CLASS 5) (for horses in Bands C and D) (GBB RACE)**

Following the race, Harrison Shaw reported that NAUTICAL DREAM (IRE), unplaced, ran too free.

**Race 3 - 2:50pm.**

**THE CELEBRATION OF TOM HAMILTON'S LIFE EBF RESTRICTED NOVICE STAKES (CLASS 4) (for horses in Bands B, C and D) (EBF Restricted Race Qualifier) (GBB RACE)**

Permission was given for JUNGLE MAC (IRE) to wear a red hood to post.

Rowan Scott, the rider of DURAN (IRE), was unseated at the start. Having been checked by the Doctor, Scott was deemed fit to race.

Following the race, the Veterinary Officer reported that SEVEN QUESTIONS (IRE), placed fourth, lost its left-fore shoe.

**Race 4 - 3:25pm.**

**THE MARKET CROSS JEWELLERS HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 5)**

Permission was given for CUBAN ROCK to wear a red hood to post.

Tim Easterby had obtained prior permission from the BHA to run STORM FOX (IRE) partially shod.

The apparent improvement in form of the winner, SPARKLING RED (IRE), compared with its previous run at Thirsk on 22 April 2023 where the filly finished eleventh of thirteen runners, beaten by 14 lengths was considered. Michael Dods' explanation that the filly was suited by a return to better ground, officially described as Good to Firm, Good in Places and a drop in grade from Class 3 to a Class 5 was noted.

The performance of CAVALIER APPROACH (IRE) which finished unplaced, was considered. Ruth Carr could offer no explanation for the gelding's performance. The Veterinary Officer reported that a post-race examination of CAVALIER APPROACH (IRE) during routine testing failed to reveal any abnormalities.

Following the race, Alistair Rawlinson reported that the saddle slipped on TYKE (IRE), unplaced.

**Race 5 - 4:00pm.**

**THE RACING TV ZETLAND GOLD CUP HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 2)**

Permission was given for CAP FRANCAIS and OVIEDO (IRE) to both wear a red hood to post. PILLAR OF HOPE wore ear plugs which were removed at the start.

The Starter reported that Ray Dawson, the rider of KITSUNE POWER (IRE), drawn 9, had originally entered the wrong stall. Being satisfied that the rider was not at fault and that the stalls handler had originally put KITSUNE POWER (IRE) into the wrong stall before being corrected, no further action was taken.

**Race 6 - 4:36pm.**

**THE JACKS COACHES HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 4)**

An enquiry was held to consider interference approaching the final furlong, involving JEWEL MAKER (IRE), placed fourth, ridden by David Allan and THE MENSTONE GEM (IRE), unplaced, ridden by Sam James. The interference was found to be accidental as JEWEL MAKER (IRE) was pulled out to make his run, WOOTTON'SUN (FR), placed third, edged slightly right-handed causing JEWEL MAKER (IRE), to shy and edge further right-handed on to THE MENSTONE GEM (IRE), causing James, to take a minor check.

**Race 7 - 5:10pm.**

**THE RACING AGAIN TOMORROW ON RACING TV HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 6) (DIV I)**

Permission was given for BEARWITH to wear a red hood to post.

An enquiry was held to ascertain the circumstances around the withdrawal of THOMAS CRANMER (USA), trained by Tina Jackson. Having heard evidence from the Clerk of the Course and Joanna Mason, the rider, a report was forwarded to the Head Office of the British Horseracing Authority.

Approaching 2 furlongs out in a packing field, ALHABOR, placed fourth, edged marginally left-handed causing JUST HISS, unplaced, to take a precautionary check, but after viewing a recording of the incident, it was found that no riding offence was involved and that it had not improved the placing of ALHABOR.

Following the race, Brandon Wilkie reported that JUST HISS, unplaced, was denied a clear run. David Allan reported that CUSACK, unplaced, lost its action and the Veterinary Officer reported that a post-race examination found the gelding to be lame right fore.

**Race 8 - 5:40pm.**

**THE RACING AGAIN TOMORROW ON RACING TV HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 6) (DIV II)**

Approaching 1 1/2 furlongs out OUR DICKIE (IRE), unplaced, edged slightly left-handed which caused BOLLIN MARGARET, placed second, to be taken slightly off its intended line, which in turn caused RUMNOTRED, unplaced, to take a precautionary check but after viewing a recording of the incident, it was found that no riding offence was involved and that it had not improved the placing of BOLLIN MARGARET.

