

SANDOWN PARK STEWARDS' REPORT

Saturday 09 December 2023

Stewards: Shaun Parker (Chief Steward), Sarah Ellison (Stewards' Panel Chair), Cody Watkins (Steward), Fergus Sweeney (Steward), Josie Brown-Smith (Assistant Steward), Kate Smith (Raceday Assistant)

Going: **Chase Course**
Chase Race: Heavy (Soft in places) (GSt 4.1)
Hurdle Course
Hurdle Race: Heavy (GSt 3.9)

Non-Runners

Race	Horse and Trainer	Reason
11:35am	WILLMOUNT, trained by Nicky Henderson.	Going (Changed Since Declaration)
12:05pm	FABLE (FR), trained by Nicky Henderson.	Going (Changed Since Declaration)
1:15pm	CONSTITUTION HILL, trained by Nicky Henderson.	Going (Changed Since Declaration)
1:15pm	SHISHKIN (IRE), trained by Nicky Henderson.	Going (Changed Since Declaration)
2:25pm	IMPOSE TOI (FR), trained by Nicky Henderson.	Going (Changed Since Declaration)
2:25pm	TOO FRIENDLY, trained by James Owen.	Going (Changed Since Declaration)
3:00pm	BOOTHILL (IRE), trained by Harry Fry.	Going (Changed Since Declaration)
3:35pm	CYCLOP (IRE), trained by David Dennis.	Running in 1st Preference Race
3:35pm	FORTESCUE, trained by Henry Daly.	Running in 1st Preference Race
3:35pm	RAPPER, trained by Henry Daly.	Going (Changed Since Declaration)

Race 1 - 11:35am.

THE BETFAIR CLAREMONT NOVICES' HURDLE RACE (CLASS 1) (Listed Race) (GBB RACE)

Nothing to report

Race 2 - 12:05pm

THE BETFAIR SUPPORTS RACING WITH PRIDE MARES' HANDICAP HURDLE RACE (CLASS 3) (Challenger Mares' Hurdle Series Qualifier)

Permission was given for ANOTHER DAY OUT (IRE) to wear a red hood to post.

Following the race, the Veterinary Officer reported that ELLE EST BEAU (IRE), placed third, had lost its right hind shoe.

Race 3 - 12:40pm.

THE PERTEMPS NETWORK HANDICAP HURDLE RACE (CLASS 2) (Pertemps Hurdle Series Qualifier) (GBB RACE)

Permission was given for BRINKLEY (FR) to wear a red hood to post.

Race 4 - 1:15pm.

THE BETFAIR FIGHTING FIFTH HURDLE RACE (CLASS 1) (Grade 1) (GBB RACE)

The raceday privilege request for LOVE ENVOI (IRE), trained by Harry Fry, to wear a red hood to post and be mounted on the chute was not submitted. Fry was warned as to his responsibility to ensure that all raceday privilege requests are submitted by 1pm on the day before racing.

Race 5 - 1:50pm.

THE BETFAIR HENRY VIII NOVICES' STEEPLE CHASE (CLASS 1) (Grade 1) (GBB RACE)

Permission was given for COLONEL HARRY (IRE) to wear a red hood to post and be mounted on the chute.

Race 6 - 2:25pm.

THE RACHAEL BLACKMORE SERIAL WINNERS FUND HANDICAP HURDLE RACE (CLASS 2) (GBB RACE)

JILAIJONE (FR) wore earplugs which were removed at the start and was given permission to go early to post wearing a red hood. Permission was also given for ARQOOB (IRE) to wear a hood in the Parade Ring.

Following the race, the representative of Lucy Wadham reported that ARQOOB (IRE), placed fifth, was unsuited by the going which was officially described as Heavy on this occasion and would prefer a quicker surface. The Veterinary Officer reported that the gelding had lost its left hind shoe.

Race 7 - 3:00pm.

THE BETFAIR TINGLE CREEK STEEPLE CHASE (CLASS 1) (Grade 1) (GBB RACE)

JONBON (FR) wore earplugs throughout the race.



Race 8 - 3:35pm.

THE BETFAIR EXCHANGE LONDON NATIONAL HANDICAP STEEPLE CHASE (CLASS 2) (GBB RACE)

Nothing to report