

# **UTTOXETER STEWARDS' REPORT**

**Wednesday 07 September 2022**

Stewards: Louise Moore (Chief Steward), Jeremy Barlow (Stewards' Panel Chair), Jenny Swainson (Trainee Stewards' Panel Chair), Guy Upton (Trainee Steward), Dan Andrews (Assistant Steward), Ali Galliers-Pratt (Raceday Assistant)

Going: GOOD, GOOD TO FIRM (IN PLACES)

Rail: Hurdle course four yards out from inner most lines. Ground under repair protected from the racing line. Distances as follows

## Non-Runners

Race	Horse and Trainer	Reason
1:00pm	NUMERO UNO, trained by Tracey Barfoot-Saunt.	Self Cert (Cut Leg)
1:30pm	VICTORIAS PEAK (IRE), trained by Nigel Twiston-Davies.	Horse not Qualified
2:05pm	KOI DODVILLE (FR), trained by David Pipe.	Self Cert (Blood Analysis Not Normal)
2:40pm	MALANGEN (IRE), trained by Lisa Harrison.	Self Cert (Not Eaten Up)

## Withdrawals

Race	Horse and Trainer	Reason
3:45pm	BALEARIC (IRE), trained by Jonjo O'Neill.	Going (Withdrawn by the Trainer at 3:32pm - Going not changed since declaration but horse on course and ID checked by VO)

## **Race 1 - 1:00pm.**

### **THE CAZOO CONDITIONAL JOCKEYS' HANDICAP HURDLE RACE (CLASS 5)**

Following the race, Isabel Williams reported that PETERBOROUGH (FR), placed fifth, was unable to quicken when the pace of the race lifted in the final straight; the Veterinary Officer reported that a post-race examination of the gelding failed to reveal any abnormalities.

Following the race, Alexandra Dunn reported that NEVER A WORD (USA), which was pulled up, made a respiratory noise.

**Race 2 - 1:30pm.****THE HOMESERVE MAIDEN HURDLE RACE (CLASS 4) (GBB RACE)**

Simon Edwards was cautioned as THISTLE DO (IRE) had arrived in the Parade Ring without its declared hood, which was then located and fitted to the gelding before going to the start.

Following the race, Shane Quinlan reported that LOCKANDLOAD, unplaced, ran green, Page Fuller reported that CLAUDE ALMIGHTY (FR), unplaced, hung left-handed throughout and Max Kendrick reported that HARRY D'ALENE (FR), placed second, hung left-handed inside the final 2 furlongs.

**Race 3 - 2:05pm.****THE quinnbet.com HANDICAP STEEPLE CHASE (CLASS 4)**

Following the race, the Veterinary Officer reported that WASDELL DUNDALK (FR), placed seventh, bled from the nose.

**Race 4 - 2:40pm.****THE QUINNBET HANDICAP HURDLE RACE (CLASS 3)**

Nothing to report

**Race 5 - 3:15pm.****THE STANS SUPERSTORE 75TH ANNIVERSARY HANDICAP STEEPLE CHASE (CLASS 4)**

Nothing to report

**Race 6 - 3:45pm.****THE QUINNBET DAILY FREE BET NOVICES' HANDICAP HURDLE RACE (CLASS 5)**

Permission was given for LADYKILLER (GER) to wear a red hood to post.

The performance of CASTKITELLO (IRE) which started favourite and finished last of the six runners, was considered. Ben Clarke's explanation that the mare had ran flat was noted. The Veterinary Officer reported that a post-race examination of CASTKITELLO (IRE) failed to reveal any abnormalities.

**Race 7 - 4:20pm.****THE CAZOO NOVICES' HANDICAP STEEPLE CHASE (CLASS 5)**

Shane Quinlan was unseated by SPIRITUS MUNDI (IRE) when mounting the horse in the parade ring. Having been checked by a Doctor, Quinlan was declared fit to race.

An enquiry was held to consider interference on the bend leaving the backstraight involving TIME TO BITE (IRE), placed third, ridden by Bryan Carver and SPIRITUS MUNDI (IRE), placed fourth, ridden by Shane



Quinlan. Carver was cautioned for careless riding as he allowed his mount to drift left-handed when insufficiently clear of SPIRITUS MUNDI (IRE) which caused the gelding to become briefly unbalanced.