

MARKET RASEN STEWARDS' REPORT**Friday 12 June 2026**

- Stewards: Simon Connaway (Chief Steward), Christopher Bennett (Stewards' Panel Chair), Louise Moore (Steward), Daniel Andrews (Assistant Steward), Annabelle Johnson (Raceday Assistant)
- Going: **Chase Course**
(GSt 6.5)
Hurdle Course
(GSt 6.6)
- Rail: A minimum of 8yds opened up on the inside of last fixtures racing line. Wood bend is out 14yds. Stands Bend is out 22yds Chase and 17yds Hurdle.
- Fixture Note: Race 3 and 4: Following concerns raised by the riders at the start regarding the low sun obscuring their vision at the three fences in the home straight, the Stewards consulted with the Clerk of the Course and ordered that these obstacles should be by-passed for this race.
- Race 5 and 6: Following concerns raised by the riders at the start regarding the low sun obscuring their vision at the two hurdles in the home straight, the Stewards consulted with the Clerk of the Course and ordered that these obstacles should be by-passed for this race.

Race 1 - 5:41pm .**THE HAYLEY MIDDLETON JUVENILE HURDLE RACE (CLASS 4) (GBB RACE)**

Nothing to report

Race 2 - 6:16pm .**THE RASE VETS SUMMER PARTY NOVICES' LIMITED HANDICAP HURDLE RACE (CLASS 5)**

Nothing to report

Race 3 - 6:51pm .**THE REBECCA BROOKS HANDICAP STEEPLE CHASE (CLASS 5)**

Permission was given for ASK A SAINTE to wear a red hood to post.

Following the race, Paddy Hanlon reported that TSAVO PARK (IRE), placed fifth, was never travelling.

Race 4 - 7:26pm .**THE BOB AND BABS HANDICAP STEEPLE CHASE (CLASS 4) (GBB RACE)**

The performance of MAXIMUM OFFERS (IRE) which started favourite and finished unplaced, was considered. The representative of Jamie Snowden explained that the gelding was never travelling in the race. Her explanation was noted. The Veterinary Officer examined MAXIMUM OFFERS (IRE) post-race during routine testing and had nothing to report.



Race 5 - 8:01pm .

THE RASE VETERINARY SUMMER PARTY HANDICAP HURDLE RACE (CLASS 4)

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

Race 6 - 8:36pm .

THE RASE EQUINE CONDITIONAL JOCKEYS' HANDICAP HURDLE RACE (CLASS 5)

Luke Scott, the rider of ESTACAS (GER), placed third, beaten by ½ length, had appeared to ride less vigorously when on the run to the line. After being interviewed and shown recordings of the incident, Scott's explanation that having made the running, his mount had weakened significantly inside the final ½ furlong. He added, that in his opinion, he had never stopped riding and had obtained the best possible placing, having been beaten by a fast-finishing LITTLE LEDGEND (IRE) into second place. His explanation was noted.

Following the race, Ellis Collier reported that ZUUL, placed fifth, was unsuited by the paucity of hurdles in the race due to the omission of the two flights in the home straight as a result of the low sun. The Veterinary Officer reported that KNACKER TRAPPER (IRE), unplaced, bled from the nose.