

SOUTHWELL STEWARDS' REPORT

Monday 19 October 2026

Stewards: Simon Connaway (Chief Steward), Christopher Bennett (Stewards' Panel Chair), Louise Moore (Steward), Milly Bersey (Assistant Steward), Charlotte Armitage (Raceday Assistant)

Going: STANDARD

Stalls: 5 furlong centre; remainder, inner

Non-Runners

Race	Horse and Trainer	Reason
6:30pm	KIGALI, trained by Ollie Sangster.	Vets Cert (Bruised Foot)
8:00pm	FLAGBEARER, trained by William Haggas.	Self Cert (Coughing)

Withdrawals

Race	Horse and Trainer	Reason
5:00pm	INFANTRY OFFICER, trained by Tony Carroll.	Vet advice Withdrawn by the Veterinary Surgeon at 5:01pm

Race 1 - 5:00pm .

THE [bettingsites.co.uk](https://www.bettingsites.co.uk) COMPARE BEFORE YOU BET APPRENTICE HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 6)

Permission was given for AGE OF BAROQUE (FR) to go early, wear a red hood to post; for CALL GLORY (IRE) and BURFORD BEAUTY (IRE) to wear a red hood to post.

Race 2 - 5:30pm .

THE [bettingsites.co.uk](https://www.bettingsites.co.uk) BEST BETTING OFFERS EBF NOVICE STAKES (CLASS 3) (GBB RACE)

Permission was given for AL SHAM, BLUE CORN (IRE) and NATIONAL PRIDE (IRE) to wear a red hood to post.

An enquiry was held to consider interference turning into the home-straight involving, LANCASTER TOWER, placed second, ridden by Billy Loughnane and MEETING POINT, unplaced, ridden by Sean Kirrane. Kirrane was cautioned for careless riding as he was slow to correct his mount from drifting right-handed, causing LANCASTER TOWER to become short of room and the rider to take a precautionary check.

Following the race, the Veterinary Officer reported that TIME TO PLAY (IRE), unplaced, finished lame on its right fore; Sean Kirrane reported that MEETING POINT, unplaced, hung both ways and Jason Hart reported that AL SHAM, unplaced, ran green; the Veterinary Officer examined the colt during

routine testing and had nothing to report.

Race 3 - 6:00pm .

THE [bettingsites.co.uk](https://www.bettingsites.co.uk) BEST ODDS GUARANTEED HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 5)

Permission was given for TAAKLAM (IRE) and PRINCE OF PILLO (IRE) to go early to post; for JENEVER to wear a red hood to post.

GO LOCKERS GO, trained by Michael Bell, did not enter the parade ring. Being satisfied that this was due to difficulties with the gelding being fractious in the preliminaries, no further action was taken.

The performance of GO LOCKERS GO, which finished seventh of ten, beaten 7 ½ lengths, was considered. The representative of Michael Bell could provide no explanation for the performance of the gelding. The Veterinary Officer examined GO LOCKERS GO during routine testing and had nothing to report.

Race 4 - 6:30pm .

THE [bettingsites.co.uk](https://www.bettingsites.co.uk) FREE BETS OFFERS NURSERY HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 5)

Permission was given for DONEGAL ROSE (IRE), LADY HENSHAW (IRE), DOWMAN (IRE), LOUIS THE FIFTH (IRE), MISS HAVISHAM (IRE) and WAIT GEORDIE to wear a red hood to post.

Leaving the stalls, GREY TAMAM (IRE), unplaced, jumped right-handed carrying CASINO STAR (IRE), unplaced, off its intended line. After viewing a recording of the incident, it was found that no riding offence was involved.

Leaving the stalls, HOLI SCARLETT (IRE), unplaced, jumped left-handed making contact with DOWMAN (IRE), placed third, which in turn gave a significant bump to BAHIA BONITA, unplaced. After viewing a recording of the incident, it was found that no riding offence was involved.

Following the race, Mason Paetel reported that DONEGAL ROSE (IRE), unplaced, ran too free and hung left-handed and the Veterinary Officer reported that LADY HENSHAW (IRE), unplaced, had bled from the nose.

Race 5 - 7:00pm .

THE [bettingsites.co.uk](https://www.bettingsites.co.uk) FIND YOUR NEW BOOKMAKER HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 4)

Permission was given for WESAM (IRE), YANKEE DUDE (IRE) and BREAKDANCER (IRE) to wear a red hood to post.

Approaching the bend leaving back-straight, SHIMMY JIMMY (IRE), placed third, hung right-handed moving BREAKDANCER (IRE), unplaced, and in turn WESAM (IRE), unplaced, slightly off their intended lines. 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 SHIMMY JIMMY (IRE).

The performance of BREAKDANCER (IRE), which finished eighth of eleven, beaten 11 ¼ lengths, was considered. The representative of Simon and Ed Crisford could provide no explanation for the performance of the gelding. The Veterinary Officer examined BREAKDANCER (IRE) post-race and had

nothing to report.

Race 6 - 7:30pm .

THE [bettingsites.co.uk](https://www.bettingsites.co.uk) NEW BETTING SITES HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 6)

Permission was given for CROWN INN TO WIN (IRE) to go early, wear a red hood to post; for MAYFLOWER BILLY and STARAKOVA to wear a red hood to post.

Following the race, Callum Shepherd reported that BALLYBUNION (IRE), placed third, was denied a clear run three furlongs out; Sam James reported that MAYFLOWER BILLY, unplaced, hung left-handed - the Veterinary Officer examined the gelding post-race and had nothing to report; Ryan Kavanagh reported that DARETOBEDIFFERENT, unplaced, stopped quickly - the Veterinary Officer examined the filly post-race and had nothing to report.

Race 7 - 8:00pm .

THE [bettingsites.co.uk](https://www.bettingsites.co.uk) FOR FAST WITHDRAWALS NOVICE STAKES (CLASS 3) (GBB/GBBPLUS RACE)

Permission was given for DONTELIMURNAMEPIKE, I'M THE ONE and TRAIN IN VAIN to wear a red hood to post.

An enquiry was held to consider the placings in this race after interference in the home-straight involving, the winner, AMAZONICA (IRE), ridden by Jason Hart and I'M THE ONE, placed second, ridden by Billy Loughnane. The Stewards considered that the interference had not improved the placing of AMAZONICA (IRE) as whilst racing in very close proximity from the top of the straight, AMAZONICA (IRE) lugged left-handed approaching the half furlong marker, before being quickly corrected, nudging I'M THE ONE marginally off its intended line. Thereafter on the run to the line, I'M THE ONE lugged marginally right-handed towards AMAZONICA (IRE) carrying the gelding out slightly and giving it two light bumps which caused both runners to become briefly unbalanced. The Stewards considered that initial interference had not improved the placing of AMAZONICA (IRE) as I'M THE ONE had suffered no discernible loss of momentum as a consequence, and although the filly had been moved slightly off its racing line, the loss of ground if any, was inadequate to overcome the winning margin of a short head and always appeared to be held by AMAZONICA (IRE). Therefore, the placings remained unaltered. The interference was found to be accidental as both riders were seen to take reasonable steps throughout to avoid causing interference.

Race 8 - 8:30pm .

THE [bettingsites.co.uk](https://www.bettingsites.co.uk) HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 6)

Permission was given for SYMPHONY'S SONG to wear a red hood to post and for WE'VE GOT THIS (IRE) to go early to post.