

KEMPTON PARK STEWARDS' REPORT**Monday 10 August 2026**

Stewards: Sophie Candy (Chief Steward), Mark Elgar (Stewards' Panel Chair), Joseph Chan (Steward), Annabelle Johnson (Assistant Steward), Michael Walton (Raceday Assistant).

Going: STANDARD TO SLOW

Stalls: All: Inside

Race 1 - 2:30pm .**THE UNIBET/EBF NEWCOMERS' "CONFINED" RESTRICTED MAIDEN FILLIES' STAKES (CLASS 4) (Bands C & D - horses have never run) (EBF Restricted Qualifier) (GBB RACE)**

Permission was given for SINGING BLUES (IRE) to wear a red hood to post.

Following the race, Jason Watson reported that HIDDEN BEYOND (AUS), placed third, ran too free.

Race 2 - 3:00pm .**THE UNIBET/EBF NEWCOMERS' "CONFINED" RESTRICTED MAIDEN STAKES (CLASS 4) (for horses in Bands C and D, which have never run) (EBF Qual) (GBB RACE)**

Permission was given for WITHOUT FAIL (IRE) to wear a red hood to post.

An enquiry was held to consider interference shortly after the start involving, FIND YOUR FIRE (IRE), unplaced, ridden by Sean Levey and PLAYFULL WARRIOR (IRE), unplaced, ridden by Georgia Dobie. David Egan the rider of REICHENBACH FALLS, placed third, was interviewed but found not to have been involved. The interference was found to be accidental in that as FIND YOUR FIRE (IRE) improved into a tight but legitimate gap, PLAYFULL WARRIOR (IRE) moved quickly right-handed away from FIND YOUR FIRE (IRE), making contact with the rail and becoming unbalanced.

Rounding the bend into the home straight, WITHOUT FAIL (IRE), unplaced, switched left-handed to avoid becoming caught on the heels of TOJOANNIE, unplaced, resulting in STORM FORCE TEN (IRE), unplaced, being taken of its intended line, but after viewing a recording of the incident, it was found that no riding offence was involved.

Race 3 - 3:30pm .**THE BET £20 GET £20 WITH UNIBET NURSERY HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 6)**

Nothing to report

Race 4 - 4:00pm .**THE UNIBET SUPPORTING SAFER GAMBLING HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 5)**

Permission was given for SOMETHING COMING and BERKSHIRE BOOM (IRE) to wear a red hood to post.

Following the race, Harry Vigors reported that SANTIAGO BOY, placed second, was slowly away. Lewis Edmunds reported COXY'S STAR, unplaced, ran too free. Neil Callan reported SHADOWMERE (IRE), unplaced, never travelled, the Veterinary Officer examined the colt post-race and had nothing to report.

Race 5 - 4:30pm .

THE UNIBET 3 UNIBOOSTS A DAY FILLIES' HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 5)

Permission was given for HOT SILK and CELESTIAL CEN to wear a red hood to post and for FLIGHTOFTHEPHOENIX (IRE) to go early to post wearing a red hood.

HOT SILK, trained by James Fanshawe, did not enter the parade ring due to Harry Vigors being late weighing out.

FLIGHTOFTHEPHOENIX (IRE), trained by Charles Hills spread a plate in the preliminaries. As the trainer had not indicated at declaration stage that the filly should be withdrawn in the event of losing a shoe, FLIGHTOFTHEPHOENIX (IRE) ran without its right-hind shoe.

Approximately 1 ½ furlongs out, HOT SILK, placed second, lugged left-handed before being corrected taking a weakening KURIOS LADY, unplaced, off its intended line, but after viewing a recording of the incident, it was found that no riding offence was involved and it had not improved the placing of HOT SILK.

Approaching 2 furlongs out, the winner, FLIGHTOFTHEPHOENIX (IRE), moved slightly left-handed at the same time as GHOST STORY (IRE), placed third, came for a run on the outside of FLIGHTOFTHEPHOENIX (IRE), as a result GHOST STORY (IRE) was moved slightly off its intended line which in turn resulted in MOHABB, unplaced, being moved off its intended line, but after viewing a recording of the incident, it was found that no riding offence was involved and it had not improved the placing of FLIGHTOFTHEPHOENIX (IRE) or GHOST STORY (IRE).

Race 6 - 5:00pm .

THE UNIBET MORE EXTRA PLACE RACES HANDICAP STAKES (CLASS 4) (London Stayers' Series Qualifier) (GBBPLUS RACE)

SCOTTISH ANTHEM, trained by Stuart Edmunds, ran without a tongue strap because it had come adrift and could not be re-fitted to the gelding prior to the race.

Following the race, the Veterinary Officer reported that DOUBLE MEANING, which was pulled up, had bled from the nose.