



FINAL REPORT

RACE MEETING 36 – MTC SPORTS AND LEISURE LTD

DATE:	Sunday, 27 th November 2022
TRACK:	Good
PENETROMETER:	2.8
WEATHER:	Sunny
FALSE RAIL:	Nil
STEWARDS PANEL:	<p>MR. D. MOODLEY (<i>Chairperson</i>)</p> <p>MR. R. M. KHAN</p> <p>MR. T.S. MAHENDHER</p> <p>MR. S. THAKAN</p> <p>MR. D. LABELLE (Trainee)</p>
RACEDAY OFFICIALS:	<p>Starter on duty: Mr. P. Aumaitre</p> <p>Clerk of Scales on duty: Mr. A. Bandhoa</p> <p>Judges on duty: Mr. J. Smith and Mr. K. Lingen</p> <p>Inquiry Reporter on duty: Mrs. D. Bhookhun-Dhoomon</p> <p>Betting Analyst: Ms K. Hurboseea</p> <p>Farriers on duty: Mr. A. Rabaude, Mr. R. Pilot and Mr. R. Halbwachs</p> <p>Specimen Collectors on duty: Mr. K. Ramcalawon and Mr. V. Seeburnah</p> <p>Course Medical Doctors on duty: Dr. N. Fookeerah and Dr. H. K. Lalljee</p> <p>Veterinary Surgeon: Dr. M. C. Domaingue</p>



Race 1 - (12h30) - THE COCA-COLA 70YRS - SOUVENIR TROPHY - Benchmark 31 - 1600M (7 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	12hr31.02

Starting Reports

1. HAPPY AND GLORIOUS (N S Batchameah) and INAUGURATION (B Bhaugeerothee) lost two lengths, respectively.

Stewards Reports

1. Prior to this race, Assistant Trainer H K Gujadhur advised the Stipendiary Stewards that LIT (J Sophie) will be ridden aggressively and will test for the lead.
2. LIT (J Sophie) raced wide in the early stages.
3. Between the 400m and 300m, INAUGURATION (B Bhaugeerothee) was held up for a clear run. Thereafter, this gelding switched in to obtain a clear run at the 200m and finished its race off strongly.
4. OVERDOSE (M Sonaram) raced wide at the 300m and into the straight.
5. HAPPY AND GLORIOUS (N S Batchameah) shifted out away from the whip in the concluding stages.
6. Apprentice J Sophie (LIT) appeared before the Stipendiary Stewards, was shown the patrol films of the race and advised to ride his mounts out to the end of the race to the satisfaction of the Stipendiary Stewards so as to leave no room for query. In assessing what sanction to give to this matter, the Stipendiary Stewards noted that Apprentice J Sophie had fortuitously held his position at the finish and therefore a reprimand was issued.

Scratching

1. None

Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. The Veterinary Surgeon had no report.

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
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1 ST	HAPPY AND GLORIOUS	R Maingard	N S Batchameah	-
2 ND	INAUGURATION	V Ruhee	B Bhaugeerothee	1.20
3 RD	LIT	Gujadhur	J Sophie	2.70
4 TH	INTOTHEMYSTIC	S Narang	K Ramsamy	2.80
5 TH	SECRET CIRCLE	P Merven	B Sooful	3.70
	TIME OF RACE:	1.38.75s		

Race 2 - (13h05) - THE AWANAM TROPHY - Benchmark 41 - 1400M (5 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	13hr05.53

Starting Reports

1. TULLAMORE DEW (N Teeha) lost one length and was slow into stride.

Stewards Reports

2. ALAMEERY (R K Chumum) was hanging in between the 400m and the 100m.
3. At the 600m, TULLAMORE DEW (N Teeha) was carried in by LIQUID (B Sooful), which raced awkwardly and rolled in. Thereafter, at the 250m, Jockey N Teeha (TULLAMORE DEW) briefly dropped his right-side rein.
4. ALAMEERY (R K Chumun) raced wide into the straight.
5. Between the 250m and the finish, LIQUID (B Sooful) shifted out away from the whip on at least two occasions.
6. Jockey B Sooful signed an admission of guilt for a contravention of Rule 147(6)(a)(i) in that he struck the horse LIQUID with his whip more than once on consecutive strides in the running. Accordingly, a penalty of a fine of Rs 2500 was imposed.

Scratching

7. None

Veterinary Surgeon Report

8. LIQUID - Lameness off fore.

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1 ST	DOUBLE GAMES	V Allet	D Schwarz	-
2 ND	CAPTAIN GARETT	S Mahadia	J De Souza	0.80



3RD	TULLAMORE DEW	V Ruhee	N Teeha	1.95
4TH	LIQUID	P Merven	B Sooful	1.98
5TH	ALAMEERY	P Merven	R K Chumun	11.10
	TIME OF RACE:	1.25.39s		

Race 3 - (13h40) - THE PHOENIX EARTH TROPHY - Benchmark 36 - 1500M (6 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	13hr41.01

Starting Reports

1. SAND PATH (M P De Oliveira) and COPENHAGEN (D Bheekary) bumped leaving the gates.
2. ZUM ZUM (I Taka) lost one length.

Stewards Reports

1. ZUM ZUM (I Taka) was held up for a clear run between the 400m and the 300m.
2. SKIP THE RED (N S Batchameah) was held up for a clear run between the 400m and the 300m. Thereafter, this gelding was switched in to continue its run.
3. SAND PATH (M P De Oliveira) hung out between the 250m and the 100m.
4. At the 250m, GIGGIN (J De Souza) and SOCKEROO (S Bussunt) came together and bumped after both horses raced wide around the turn and into the straight. As a consequence of this bumping, at the 200m, SOCKEROO (S Bussunt) was momentarily inconvenienced when awkwardly placed on the outside of ZUM ZUM (I Taka), which shifted out away from the whip and thereafter, was hanging in in the concluding stages.
5. SOCKEROO (S Bussunt) hung in from the 150m.
6. SKIP THE RED (N S Batchameah) shifted out away from the whip in the concluding stages.

Scratching

1. None.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. The Veterinary Surgeon had no report.

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1ST	ZUM ZUM	V Ruhee	I Taka	-
2ND	SKIP THE RED	R Maingard	N S Batchameah	1.20
3RD	SAND PATH	C Daby	M P De Oliveira	2.00
4TH	COPENHAGEN	V Allet	D Bheekary	3.25
5TH	GIGGIN	S Mahadia	J De Souza	4.25
	TIME OF RACE:	1.30.97s		

**Race 4 - (14h15) - THE ESKI KOULER NOU ZIL TROPHY - Benchmark 61 - 1450M
(6 Runners)**

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	14hr.16.02

Starting Reports

1. RED MARS (B Sooful) was slow into stride.

Stewards Reports

1. Prior to the running of this race, the instructions for all runners were taken by the Stipendiary Stewards. After considering the instructions given and the evidence of the race, which included the finishing time, the Stipendiary Stewards were satisfied with the running of this race.
2. At the jump, AFDEEK (N S Batchameah) was dropped into a rearward position from its draw.
3. TOWER OF WISDOM (J De Souza) was hanging in from the 250m.
4. GRAND VISION (S Bussunt) shifted out away from the whip in the concluding stages.

Scratching

1. None.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. The Veterinary Surgeon had no report.

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1ST	SEA DANCE	C Daby	M P De Oliveira	-
2ND	GRAND VISION	Gujadhur	S Bussunt	1.20



3RD	KING OF TARA	V Allet	D Schwarz	4.40
4TH	TOWER OF WISDOM	S Mahadia	J De Souza	4.60
5TH	RED MARS	P Merven	B Sooful	5.70
	TIME OF RACE:	1.27.16s		

Race 5 - (14h50) - THE LESPRI ZIL TROPHY - [50+] - 1600M (7 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	14hr50.49

Starting Reports

1. IDITAROD TRAIL (A Roy) lost two lengths.
2. ABSOLUTIST (J Da Silva) and HUBBLE (B Sooful) bumped and lost one length.

Stewards Reports

1. After jumping slowly, HUBBLE (B Sooful) which showed a tendency to lay in throughout the running, was ridden forward aggressively and obtained the lead at the 1300m.
2. ABSOLUTIST (J Da Silva) raced wide between the 1300m and the 1100m.
3. At the 1000m, BLACK CAT BACK (I Taka) was momentarily inconvenienced when awkwardly placed on the inside of MILLION DOLLAR MAN (J De Souza), which rolled in. Thereafter, at the 300m, BLACK CAT BACK which was under pressure to hold its position, had to ease briefly when awkwardly placed on the inside of FOOLS GOLD (L Goomany) which rolled in when racing onto the heels of the tiring ABSOLUTIST (J Da Silva).
4. FOOLS GOLD (L Goomany) switched in to continue its run at the 250m. Thereafter, approaching the 150m, this gelding was tightened for galloping room when awkwardly placed on the inside of HUBBLE (B Sooful).
5. In the concluding stages, HUBBLE (B Sooful) was momentarily inconvenienced when awkwardly placed on the outside of FOOLS GOLD (L Goomany), which shifted out to continue its run when awkwardly placed on the heels of STREAM AHEAD (M P De Oliveira) which was hanging in, in the straight.



Jockey L Goomany (FOOLS GOLD) appeared before the Stipendiary Stewards, was shown the patrol films of the race and advised to take more care when shifting ground in races.

Scratching

1. None.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. HUBBLE - Lost near hind shoe

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1ST	STREAM AHEAD	C Daby	M P De Oliveira	-
2ND	FOOLS GOLD	R Maingard	L Goomany	1.10
3RD	MILLION DOLLAR MAN	S Mahadia	J De Souza	2.10
4TH	IDITAROD TRAIL	S Narang	A Roy	2.20
5TH	HUBBLE	P Merven	B Sooful	2.95
	TIME OF RACE:	1.36.53s		

Race 6 - (15h25) - THE PHOENIXBEV DUKE OF YORK CUP - G1 - 1600M (WFA) (10 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	15hr35.58

Stewards Reports

1. Prior to this race, Assistant Trainer H K Gujadhur advised the Stipendiary Stewards that Jockey B Bhaugerothee (SHAH AKBAR) was to ride this colt forward but if challenged strongly, to obtain cover.
2. From draw 7, after jumping well, FROSTED GOLD (B Fayd'herbe) was allowed to stride forward in order to obtain a position one out and one back. Thereafter, at the 1450m, this gelding briefly over-raced and took an awkward stride, at the 1250m, took the turn awkwardly, became momentarily unbalanced and had to be ridden to maintain its position. Turning for home, FROSTED GOLD (B

- Fayd'herbe) was angled out to the outer part of the course in order to make its run and stayed on to the finish. Jockey B Fayd'herbe subsequently reported however, that his mount did not produce its customary finishing burst.
3. From draw 8, UNDERCOVER AGENT (L Goomany) was ridden in order to obtain a forward position and subsequently obtained the lead leaving the 1300m. Thereafter at the 1000m, this gelding elected to take cover behind THE GATEKEEPER (R Joorawon). Entering the straight, UNDERCOVER AGENT was directed in and stayed on to finish fourth.
 4. From draw 2, TWIST OF FATE (D Schwarz) was allowed to stride forward and obtained the position three back on the inside at the 1300m. Thereafter, this gelding was held up for a clear run between the 500m and the 300m behind SHAH AKBAR (B Bhaugeerothee). This gelding was only able to secure clear running between runners entering the straight, was directed to the middle of the course and finished its race off strongly to finish fifth.
 5. From draw 6, after jumping slowly, ALYAASAAT (J Allyhosain) was restrained to a one-off position in second last. At the 800m, this gelding was briefly carried out wide by ROYAL WULFF (J De Souza). Thereafter, ALYAASAAT (J Allyhosain) was directed into a three deep running line to make its run from the 500m and the middle of the course in the straight, however, this horse weakened in the straight and ran ninth.
 6. From draw 3, ROYAL WULFF (J De Souza) brushed with other runners out of the gates but was able to secure the position four back on the rail behind TWIST OF FATE (D Schwarz). Leaving the 1200m, this gelding had to ease momentarily when racing onto heels. Thereafter, at the 900m, ROYAL WULFF stumbled severely and shifted out after clipping the heels of TWIST OF FATE. Leaving the 500m, ROYAL WULFF was directed wide on the course in order to make its run, was positioned wide entering the straight and finished its race off fairly (sixth), despite shifting in away from the whip in the concluding stages.
 7. From draw 5, THE GATEKEEPER (R Joorawon) jumped only fairly and brushed with other runners which resulted in it becoming momentarily inconvenienced when awkwardly placed on the inside of FROSTED GOLD (B Fayd'herbe). At

the 1400m, after being caught three deep, Jockey R Joorawon elected to race around the field and to the lead at the 1000m. Entering the straight, THE GATEKEEPER (R Joorawon) was directed to the inside of the course and finished its race off well to finish second.

8. From draw 9, WALLS OF DUBROVNIK (A L Da Silva) brushed FAVOUR (S Bussunt) leaving the stalls. Thereafter, this gelding was allowed to stride forward and obtain the position outside the leader, which it held throughout the running until entering the home straight, when directed to the middle/inside part of the track where it finished its race off powerfully to win.
9. From draw 4, CRANK IT UP (K Ramsamy) was brushed by other runners leaving the starting stalls and was able to secure the position in the one off running line, three back. Thereafter, this gelding was briefly inconvenienced on the heels of FROSTED GOLD (B Fayd'herbe) at the 1350m, tightened for galloping room at the 300m and after being directed in, in the straight, had nothing to come finishing tenth.
10. From draw 10, FAVOUR (S Bussunt) brushed with WALLS OF DUBROVNIK (A L Da Silva) and thereafter was restrained to last position on the rail. Subsequently, this gelding raced detached from the field between the 400m and 300m and after being directed in for its run in the straight, passed some runners to finish eighth.
11. From draw 1, SHAH AKBAR (B Bhaugeerothee) jumped best and led early before having to be steadied at the 1300m off the heels of UNDERCOVER AGENT (L Goomany). This resulted in SHAH AKBAR being positioned behind the leader on the rail. Thereafter, this colt came under pressure to keep pace with the leaders at the 400m and after being directed in, in the straight, gave ground to the placed runners and finished seventh.
12. An inquiry has been opened in order to establish why SHAH AKBAR (B Bhaugeerothee) had to ease at the 1300m.
13. An inquiry has been opened into Jockey A L Da Silva (WALLS OF DUBROVNIK) weighing back in after this race.

Scratching

1. None.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. TWIST OF FATE - Cut into off hind.

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1ST	WALLS OF DUBROVNIK	S Hurchund	A L Da Silva	-
2ND	THE GATEKEEPER	R Gujadhur	R Joorawon	0.60
3RD	FROSTED GOLD	R Maingard	B Fayd'herbe	1.70
4TH	UNDERCOVER AGENT	R Maingard	L Goomany	3.05
5TH	TWIST OF FATE	V Allet	D Schwarz	3.40
	TIME OF RACE:	1.36.29		

Race 7 - (16h00) - THE NOU DIFERANS TROPHY - (0-26) - 1365M (6 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	16hr11.45

Starting Reports

1. GONNABEALRIGHT (A L Da Silva) jumped out and lost a length.
2. LE QUARTIER (S Rama) lost one length.
3. FRENCH REBEL (N Teeha) jumped awkwardly and lost three lengths.

Stewards Reports

1. LE QUARTIER (S Rama) raced wide between the 1300m and 1100m when proving difficult to settle. Thereafter, LE QUARTIER (S Rama) shifted out away from the whip between the 200m and 100m.
2. Between the 1300m and the 1200m, FRENCH REBEL (N Teeha) had to be restrained off heels on a number of occasions whilst over-racing.
3. GONNABEALRIGHT (A L Da Silva) raced wide throughout.
4. AFRICAN FATE (L Goomany) hung in, in the straight.
5. An inquiry will be opened into the riding of Jockey S Bussunt on CAPTAIN FALCON in the concluding stages.

Scratching

1. CHARLIE SQUADRON was scratched on 26 November 2022 at 12hr06. All bets on CHARLIE SQUADRON were ordered to be refunded and betting to be reopened.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. AFRICAN FATE - Small injury near hind foot.

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1ST	MASTER OF DISGUISE	V Allet	D Schwarz	-
2ND	GONNABEALRIGHT	S Hurchund	A L Da Silva	7.10
3RD	LE QUARTIER	C Daby	S Rama	8.10
4TH	CAPTAIN FALCON	Gujadhur	S Bussunt	8.15
5TH	AFRICAN FATE	R Maingard	L Goomany	8.70
	TIME OF RACE:	1.21.82s		

Race 8 - (16h35) - THE PEARONA TROPHY - Benchmark 51 - 1400M (8 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	16hr51.29

General

1. QUATRO FIVE SIX (J De Souza) raced in the stable colours of Trainer S Mahadia.

Starting Reports

1. VAR'S ELUSION (B Sooful) lost two lengths.
2. SEA AIR (A Roy), DONNAN (J Allyhosain) and ZIVA LA WINTER (B Bhaugeerothee) lost one length, respectively.

Stewards Reports

1. ROMAN DANCER (S Bussunt) over-raced in the early stages. Thereafter, this gelding switched in to continue its run in the straight.
2. CAPTAIN FLYNT (M P De Oliveira) was ridden aggressively to obtain the lead. Thereafter, CAPTAIN FLYNT (M P De Oliveira) hung in from the 200m.
3. SILVER HERITAGE (N S Batchameah) overraced in the early stages.



4. At the 1350m, Apprentice A Roy (SEA AIR) briefly lost his left side stirrup iron.
5. ZIVA LA WINTER (B Bhaugeerothee) raced wide at the 1250m after being carried out by SEA AIR (A Roy), which shifted out when overracing.
6. In the concluding stages, SEA AIR (A Roy) was carried in by VAR'S ELUSION (B Sooful), raced wide around the home turn and was hanging in, in the straight, and proved difficult to assist.

Scratching

1. None.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. VAR'S ELUSION - Not striding out

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1ST	CAPTAIN FLYNT	C Daby	M P De Oliveira	-
2ND	SILVER HERITAGE	R Maingard	N S Batchameah	2.95
3RD	ROMAN DANCER	Gujadhur	S Bussunt	3.10
4TH	SEA AIR	V Ruhee	A Roy	4.55
5TH	VAR'S ELUSION	P Merven	B Sooful	6.50
	TIME OF RACE:	1.23.66s		

Other comments/Explanations:

1. Pre-race blood specimens were taken from all starters and all returned negative.
2. In all races, all the riders were weighed in.
3. All the winners were selected for the taking of specimens for analysis.
4. All riders that rode today breathalyzed and cleared to race.



RACEDAY SUMMARY

	Race	Name		Rule
Horse Suspension:				
Rider Suspensions:				
Fines:	2	B Sooful (LIQUID)	Rs 2,500	147(6)(a)(i)
Reprimands:	1	J Sophie (LIT)	To ride his mounts out to the end of the race to the satisfaction of the Stipendiary Stewards so as to leave no room for query	
	5	L Goomany (FOOLS GOLD)	To be more careful when shifting ground in races	
Change of Tactics:	1	LIT (J Sophie)	Ridden aggressively and will test for the lead	
	6	SHAH AKBAR (B Bhaugeerothee)	Rider was given the option to not necessarily lead	
Riders To produce Medical Certificate prior to riding again:				
Inquiries:	6	L Goomany (UNDERCOVER AGENT)	To establish why SHAH AKBAR (B Bhaugeerothee)	



	6	A L Da Silva (WALLS OF DUBROVNIK)	had to ease at the 1300m. Into the Jockey's weighing back in after this race	
	7	S Bussunt (CAPTAIN FALCON)	Into his riding	