

**Lissangle Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2021 Stewards Report**

**Stewards: J. Levis, J. O'Sullivan, C. O'Sullivan, D. Sheehy, M. Duggan**

**Race 1:** 7 Entries; 1 Non Runner, No.1 IB McGregor; No Driver Changes;

On completion of the first lap, the driver of No.7 Pancam Income, Mr. W. Mc Inerney, did not give insufficient room to pass the then leading horse IB Felicity. On interviewing Mr Mc Inerney, the stewards cautioned him on this and any further similar rule breach will result in a fine.

**Race2:** 3 Runners; No Driver Changes

No issues reported in this race.

**Race3:** 5 Runners; 1 Driver Change, P. Hill drove No.1 American Rebel

No issues reported in this race.

**Race4:** 5 Runners; 1 Driver Change, S Quill drove No.2 Vallanzana

The stewards interviewed Mr S. Quill after the race regarding his horse's break within the first eighth of the race which caused the driver behind to check his horse. In addition, the stewards believed that Mr Quill had interfered with No.1 Devoument Absolu and upon interviewing Mr D. O'Mahony, the stewards were satisfied that none took place.

**Race 5:** 4 Runners; No Driver Changes

No issues reported in this race.

## Portmarnock Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2021 Stewards Report

Stewards: J. Levis, J. O'Sullivan, P. Clarke, D. Sheehy, M. Behan, A. Gosson

**Race 1:** 4 Runners; No Driver Changes

No.3 Harley lee broke in last 100 mtrs placed last

No other issues reported in this race

**Race 2:** 8 Runners; No Driver Changes

No.8 IB Notorious withdrawn on vet advice.

Lee Kelly's cart came in on top of O Quills horse at the top bend causing him to break and almost become unseated taking him out of the race. The stewards interviewed both drivers and Mr Kelly admitted his horse was running in and he couldn't hold him, he was giving a caution regarding this matter.

No other issues reported in this race

**Race 3:** 7 Runners; No Driver Changes

No 1 Frisson D'yvel withdrawn on vet advice

No other issues reported in this race

**Race 4:** 4 Runners; No Driver Changes

4 runners all go no driving changes

Delay to the start of this race due broken equipment on Harry knows.

No.1 Hot To Trot broke over the 15 strides and was placed last.

No other issues reported in this race.

**Race 5:** 7 Runners; No Driver Changes

No.3 Dynamite Brouets broke in last 100 mtrs placed last

J Richardson and B Roche very close driving at the start both drivers were interviewed afterwards and Mr. Roche was fined €50 under M4(c) & cautioned under M4(a).

No other issues reported in this race

**Race 6:** 6 Runners; 1 driving change P Kane drives No.6 Empereur Souverain

No.2 Boyardo withdrawn on vet advice

No.4 broke in within last 200m & placed last

No other issues reported in this race

**Race 7:** 3 Runners; No Driver Changes

No 3 Isabella Greggane broke within last 200m & was placed last

No other issues reported in this race

**Race 8:** 5 Runners; No Driver Changes

The driver of No.4 Llywns Delight, Mr Ryan Manning received a €100 fine & 2 demerit points for

whip misuse during the race. The driver of No.3 Newtown Rock, Mr A Wallace Snr received a €300 fine & 2 demerit points plus 2 days driving suspension for shoulder action and whip misuse during the race. Both drivers overuse of whip in last 200m of the race.

No other issues reported in this race

**Race 9:** 7 Runners; No Driver Changes

No.2 Epsom de corvees broke coming to the line disqualified and placed last.

The driver, Mr. D. Timlin 10 strikes of whip in a row not giving horse time to respond €50 fine and 1 demerit point.

No other issues reported in this race

**Race 10:** 10 Runners; No Driver Changes

No.4 Eliano love and No.3 Fortune De Ginai both broke over limit both placed behind field

No other issues reported in this race

**Race 11:** 7Runners; 1 driving change P Kane drove No.7 Oakwood Temptress

No.6 Oakwood Cosmo pulled up

No other issues reported in this race

**Additional Matters Discussed:**

The stewards have agreed that from Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> July there will only be three qualifiers before racing. There will be a trotter qualifier, a pacer qualifier & a juvenile qualifier. Qualifiers will be filled on a first come basis and trainers are advised to enter their horses for qualifiers along with their racehorses going forward. In addition, the stewards have sought legal advice on the retrospective stewarding in relation to mis judged race results and the use of H28 on this matter. Going forward H28 will only be enacted should a trainer lodge an official appeal to a result, by completing the official appeal's form & lodging €500 within the 48-hour window as per our rules on appeals. Under rule M.40 the stewards can only alter finishing positions following irregular gaits of trotters either in a race or before the official result is called. The IHRA stewards will act on this advice going forward from the next race meeting.