



The RTC Governor's Cup Race Day Declarations for the Royal Turf Club race meeting on Saturday, 30th April, 2016 on Nuwara Eliya racecourse

Race 1 CWC Cup Class 3 Handicap 1400M For horses rated 41 to 60. Lowest Handicap Weight 52kgs

Finish	horse	dr	Rider	wt	ow	margin
1.	SUPREME	2	Irvan Singh	57		
2.	ICELANDIC	1	S Suganthan	61		.1
3.	INDIAN EPIC	3	N S Parmar	62		2.1

Margins: Nose, 2 lgths
Nos: 3,2,1
Time: 1-28.43

Race 2 Sir Henry McCallum Cup Class 4 Handicap 1200M For horses rated 21 to 40. Lowest Handicap Weight 52kgs.

Finish	horse	dr	Rider	wt	ow	margin
1.	BEAUTIFUL LANKAN	6	N S Parmar	59.5		
2.	DON HASA	4	S Selvaratnam	56.5		D
3.	CRIMSON QUEST	5	S Suganthan	57.5		D
4.	ROYAL OAK	1	K.Sanjeevan	53		D
5.	JOANNA	2	S D Mahesh	59		D
6.	SUPER SADLERSWELLS3		M Mohanraj	54.5		D

Margins: Dist, 1lgth
Time: 1-12-02
Nos: 1,4,3,6,2,5

Race 3 Mayors Cup Class 5 Handicap 1600M For horses rated 00 to 20. Lowest Handicap Weight 52kgs

Finish	horse	dr	Rider	wt	ow	margin
1.	STOCKWELL	6	N S Parmar	60		
2.	STORMY PETREL	3	S D Mahesh	57		6
3.	CHRISTMAS CAKE	4	M Mohanraj	61		6.75
4.	COSMOPOLITAN	2	Dhinesh	59		12.75
5.	ADMIRAL	1	S Suganthan	57		13.75
6.	CAPTIVE HEART	5	Kishore Kadam	55		17.25

Margins: 6,3/4lgth
Time: 1-39.52
Nos: 2,5,1,3,4,6

Race 4 Usha Stud Farm Class 1 & 2 Quality Handicap 1400M

Finish	horse	dr	Rider	wt	ow	margin
1.	SPEARHEAD	2	Irvan Singh	62.5		
2.	ARRABIAN GOLD	3	N S Parmar	52		3.5
3.	SANDSTORM	6	M Mohanraj	52		4.5
4.	SUSSEX DOWNS	1	K Sanjeevan	52		7.5
5.	GAZAKI	5	S D Mahesh	52	53	9.5
6.	MR MAJESTIC	4	Kishore Kadam	54.5		D

Margins: 3 ½ lgths, 1 lgth
Time 1-25.52
Nos: 1,3,5,6,4,2

Race 5 RTC Governors' Cup Open Handicap 2000M A quality handicap for all thoroughbred horses rated 00 and above. Highest Handicap Weight 62.5kgs Lowest Handicap Weight 52kgs

Finish	horse	dr	Rider	wt	ow	margin
1.	ROSWALD	5	Dhinesh	59		
2.	ALCAZABA	6	S D Mahesh	62		.5
3.	AUGUSTUS	1	N S Parmar	54		1.5
4.	SUN KINGDOM	2	S Suganthan	59.5		D
5.	CAMORRA	3	S Selvaratnam	53.5		D
Fell	CHARLATAN	4	Irvan Singh	62.5		

Margins: ½ lgth, 1 lgth
Time: 2-07.41
Nos: 4,2,5,3,6, 1 fell

Race 6 Sunday Times Challenge Cup ¾ bred Handicap 1400M

Finish	horse	dr	Rider	wt	ow	margin
1.	QUEEN OF THE HILL	2	K Lingeswaran	57		
2.	LEGASI	4	M Mohanraj	60.5		.3
3.	AIRBORNE II	1	Dhinesh	61.5		5.3
4.	CARBRESE	5	K Sanjeevan	59		5.8
5.	SCOOBYDOO	3	Sumith Kumar	52		D

Margins: Neck, 5 lgths
Time: 1-37.51
Nos: 4,2,1,3,5 objection 3rd against 2nd – over ruled

Race 7 The Alpine Cup ½ bred Handicap 1000M

Finish	horse	dr	Rider	wt	ow	margin
1.	ARUNDATHI	3	K Sanjeevan	57		
2.	JOHNEY	5	M Mohanraj	53.5		5
3.	CITY SHOT	1	L Logandran	62		D
4.	REABATH	6	Madhan Kumar	61		D
5.	MILLENIUM BABY	2	Sumith Kumar	55		D
6.	FLASH	4	M Ishan	56		D

Margins: 5 lgths, Distance
Time: 1-15.42
Nos: 3,6,1,2,5,4



**Stipendiary Stewards Incident Report for the Royal Turf Club race meeting on
Saturday, 30th April, 2016 on Nuwara Eliya racecourse**

Stipendiary Stewards: W.J. Wood (Chairman) S.A. Marshall
Judges: Mr. Ranjit Dahanayake, Mr. Helmut Hendrichs
Starter: Mr. Jehangir Sayed
Veterinarians: Professor N. De Silva, Dr. Mahesh
Sampling: Sri Lanka Anti-doping Agency

Weather: Fine
Track: Good

Race 1 Specimens were taken from the winner SUPREME. ICELANDIC (S Suganthan) was inspected on the morning of the race and passed fit to start. Jockey N S Parmar (INDIAN EPIC) pleaded guilty to a charge under 166(a) of excessive use of the whip on his mount and was fined SLRs 2,000. INDIAN EPIC was inclined to lay out in the straight.

Race 2 Specimens were taken from the winner BEAUTIFUL LANKAN. Jockey Dhinesh was unable to ride at the allotted weight on ROYAL OAK and was replaced by K. Sanjeevan. Jockey Dhinesh was informed not to accept rides where he is unable to make the handicap weight or action will be taken against him. Shortly after the start JOANNA (S D Mahesh) eased from ROYAL OAK (K Sanjeevan). Near the 1000 jockey S Suganthan (CRIMSON QUEST) pulled his goggles down.

Race 3 Specimens were taken from the winner STOCKWELL which delayed the start 4 minutes being difficult to load into the barriers. CAPTIVE HEART (Kishore Kadam) was slow to move at the start. When the gates opened COSMOPOLITAN (Dhinesh) jumped awkwardly inwards bumping ADMIRAL (Suganthan), STORMY PETREL (S D Mahesh) also jumped in and tightened the aforementioned horses. When jockey Mahesh immediately attempted to straighten his mount the mare over reacted shifting in further. No blame could be attached to any rider. ADMIRAL raced wide making the 1100m turn. STORMY PETREL laid in under pressure in the straight.

Race 4 For horses rated 61 and above. Highest Handicap Weight 62.5kgs Lowest Handicap Weight 52kgs
Jockey Dhinesh was unable to ride at the allotted weight on ARRABIAN GOLD and was replaced by N S Parmar. Jockey S Suganthan was unable to ride at the allotted weight on SANDSTORM and was replaced by M Mohanraj. Jockey L Logandran was unable to ride at the allotted weight on SUSSEX DOWNS and was replaced by K. Sanjeevan. Jockeys Dhinesh, S Suganthan and L Logandran were informed not to accept rides where he is unable to make the handicap weight or action will be taken against him. As all three horses were trained by S P A Raju who was told to confirm that a rider can make the handicap weight before declaring same in future. Jockey S D Mahesh was censured for attempting to weigh out without his packing for the saddle. He was told that a repetition would lead to severe action being taken against him. GAZAKI was slow away at the start. MR MAJESTIC (Kishore Kadam) was slow to move at the start then raced wide making the 1100m turn.

Race 5 CHARLATAN (Irvan Singh) was inspected by the club veterinarian on the morning of the race and passed fit to start. CAMORRA (S Selvaratnam) was inspected by the club veterinarian at the start and passed fit to race. At the start CAMORRA was slowly away. After travelling about 100m jockey Suganthan (SUN KINGDOM) pulled his goggles down. Near the 700m CHARLATAN fell, an inquiry is being held into this incident. Jockey Irvan Singh was conveyed to hospital for x rays. CHARLATAN sustained an injury to his left shoulder; was taken to an outer section of the track and then conveyed to the stables for further treatment and observation. Jockey Dhinesh (ROSWALD) pleaded guilty to a charge under 166(a) of excessive use of the whip on his mount and was fined SLRs 2,000.

Race 6 At the start SCOOBYDOO (Sumith Kumar) stood flat footed losing considerable ground. An objection was lodged by Dhinesh, rider of the third placegetter AIRBORNE II against LEGASI (M Mohanraj) alleging interference near the 600m. After taking evidence, viewing the race film and from their own observations then taking into the consideration the margin between the two horses the objection was overruled. It was established that LEGASI shifted in slightly near the 600 causing AIRBORNE II to be eased.

Race 7 Nothing to report.

Wayne J Wood
Chairman of Stipendiary Stewards