



Results for the Royal Turf Club race meeting on Sunday 10th April 2016 on Nuwara Eliya racecourse

Weather: Fine

Track: Firm

Race 1 Dashmesh Stud Farm Cup (2nd Div) Class 3 and Class 4 Stakes 1200M for horses rated 21 to 60
Horses rated 21-30 54kgs, 31-40 56kgs, 41-50 58kgs, 51-60 60kgs. Fillies and mares allowed 1kg.

| Finish | Horse | dr | rider | wt | ow | margin |
|--------|---|----|---------------|----|------|--------|
| 1. | ICELANDIC | 2 | S. Suganathan | 58 | | |
| 2. | SUPREME | 3 | Irvan Singh | 57 | | .5 |
| 3. | PERFECT | 1 | A. Vishwanath | 53 | 53.5 | 5 |
| 4. | BEAUTIFUL LANKAN | 5 | Ashok Kumar | 55 | | 6 |
| 5. | SUPER SADDLERSWELLS (late Flash Dance) | 4 | Dhinesh | 56 | | D |

Margins: ½ lgth x 4 1/2 lgths Time: 1-13.82 Nos: 1,2,5,4,3

Race 2 Sporting Times Cup (1st Div) Class 3 and Class 4 Stakes 1200M For horses rated 21 to 60
Horses rated 21-30 54kgs, 31-40 56kgs, 41-50 58kgs, 51-60 60kgs. Fillies and mares allowed 1kg.

| Finish | Horse | dr | rider | wt | ow | margin |
|--------|---------------|----|---------------|----|------|----------|
| 1. | INDIAN EPIC | 5 | S.D. Mahesh | 60 | | |
| 2. | DON HASA | 2 | A. Imran Khan | 54 | | 12 lgths |
| 3. | CRIMSON QUEST | 1 | S. Suganathan | 53 | 55.5 | 12.1 |
| 4. | ROYAL OAK | 4 | Sumith Kumar | 54 | | 13.6 |
| 5. | JOANNA | 3 | Dinesh Kumar | 57 | | D |

Margins: 12 lgths x short head Time: 1.14.25 Nos: 1,3,5,4,2

Race 3 The Blackpool Hotel Trophy Class 5 Handicap 1200M For horses rated 00 to 20 Lowest Handicap weight 52kgs

| Finish | Horse | dr | rider | wt | ow | margin |
|--------|----------------|---|---------------|------|----|--------|
| 1. | CHRISTMAS CAKE | 4 | M. Mohanraj | 58.5 | | |
| 2. | STOCK WELL | 2 | Ashok Kumar | 57 | | 1 |
| 3. | COSMOPOLITAN | 6 | Dhinesh | 57 | | 3 |
| 4. | CAPTIVE HEART | 3 | S.D. Mahesh | 55.5 | | 7 |
| 5. | ADMIRAL | 1 | A. Imran Khan | 58 | | D |
| 6. | THE CARDINAL | withdrawn at the barrier at 11-37am - refused to enter the stalls | | | | |

Margin: 1 lgth x 2 lgths Time: 1-14.56 Nos: 1,4,3,6,2

Race 4 R.T.C. Prestige Cup Class 1 Handicap 1400M For horses rated 80 and above. Lowest Handicap weight 52kgs

| Finish | Horse | dr | rider | wt | ow | margin |
|--------|--------------|--|---------------|------|----|--------|
| 1. | ALCAZABA | 4 | S.D. Mahesh | 57 | | |
| 2. | SPEAR HEAD | 5 | Irvan Singh | 56.5 | | .1 |
| 3. | ATLANTUS | 1 | A. Imran Khan | 60 | | 5.1 |
| 4. | SUN KINGDOM | 6 | A. Vishwanath | 60.5 | | 13.1 |
| 5. | AUGUSTUS | 8 | Ashok Kumar | 56 | | D |
| 6. | MR. MAJESTIC | 2 | Dhinesh | 55.5 | | D |
| 7. | CAMORRA | 3 | L. Ravi Kumar | 57 | 59 | D |
| 8. | CHARLEMAGNE | withdrawn at the barrier at 12-08pm on veterinary advice | | | | |

Margin: Nose x 5 lgths Time: 1-29-81 Nos: 3,6,2,1,7,8,4

Race 5 Ministry of Plantation Industries Cup Class 2 Handicap 1600M For horses rated 61 to 80. Lowest Handicap weight 52kgs

| Finish | Horse | dr | rider | wt | ow | margin |
|--------|-------------|----|-------------|------|------|--------|
| 1. | SANDSTORM | 3 | S.D. Mahesh | 56.5 | | |
| 2. | SUSSEX DOWN | 4 | Irvan Singh | 55 | | 1.75 |
| 3. | ICE MINT | 2 | Ashok Kumar | 57.5 | | 1.75 |
| 4. | STORM AHEAD | 1 | Dhinesh | 52.5 | 55.5 | D |

Margin: 1 ¼ Lgths x Dead Heat Time: 1-41.75 Nos: 2,3,1,4

Race 6 (14) R.T.C. Festival Cup ¾ bred Thoroughbred Handicap 1200M Lowest Handicap weight 52kgs

| Finish | Horse | dr | rider | wt | ow | margin |
|--------|-------------------|----|--------------|------|----|--------|
| 1. | LEGASI | 3 | S. Dasaradan | 57.5 | | |
| 2. | AIRBORNE II | 2 | Sumith Kumar | 59 | | D |
| 3. | QUEEN OF THE HILL | 5 | M. Ishan | 54.5 | | D |
| 4. | SCOOBYDOO | 1 | Ashok Kumar | 57 | | D |
| 5. | MILLENIUM QUEEN | 4 | Madhan Kumar | 52 | 59 | D |

Margin: Distance x 1 ¾ lgths Time: 1.23.06 Nos: 2,1,4,3,5

Race 7 R.T.C. Alpine Hotel Cup ½ bred Thoroughbred Handicap 1000M Lowest Handicap weight 52kgs

| Finish | Horse | dr | rider | wt | ow | margin |
|--------|----------------|----|--------------|------|------|--------|
| 1. | CITY SHOT | 3 | K. Sanjeevan | 57 | | |
| 2. | REABATH | 1 | Dhinesh | 59.5 | | 8 |
| 3. | ARUNDATHI | 2 | M. Ishan | 57.5 | | 9 |
| 4. | MILLENIUM BABY | 5 | Madhan Kumar | 57 | 58.5 | D |
| 5. | JOHNEY | 4 | S. Dasaradan | 56 | 56.5 | D |

Margin: 8 Lgths x 1 Lgth Time: 1-09.78 Nos: 3,1,2,4,5



Stipendiary Stewards Incident Report Royal Turf Club race meeting on Sunday 10th April, 2016 on Nuwara Eliya racecourse

Stipendiary Stewards: W.J. Wood (Chairman) S.A. Marshall
Judges: R. Dassanayake, C. Madan
Starter: Rohit Chandra
Veterinarians: Dr. N. De Silva, Dr. Mahesh
Sampling: Sri Lanka Anti-doping Agency

Weather: Fine
Track: Firm

Race 1 Specimens were taken from the winner ICELANDIC.
SUPREME (Irvan Singh) pulled hard in the early stages of the race.

Race 2 Specimens were taken from the winner INDIAN EPIC.
ROYAL OAK (Sumith Kumar) threw its head in the air near the 1100m. Near the 600m ROYAL OAK ran wide carrying CRIMSON QUEST (S. Sukanathan) wider on the track. Jockey Sumith Kumar who was having his first ride under RTC Rules of Racing was reprimanded and told to keep his mounts straighter. He was further severely cautioned for his excessive use of the whip on ROYAL OAK and told that a repetition would lead to action being taken against him. Making the home turn JOANNA (Dhinesh) shifted out forcing ROYAL OAK wider on the track. Jockey Dhinesh was told to keep his mount straighter. CRIMSON QUEST lost her left hind plate during the race.

Race 3 THE CARDINAL (S. Sukanathan) refused to enter the starting gates and was withdrawn by order of the Stewards at 11-37am. Trainer S.V. Madialagan was informed to rectify this trait in the stallion before starting him again. On jumping away COSMOPOLITAN (Dhinesh) brushed the outside gate. At the 700m CHRISTMAS CAKE (M. Mohanraj) eased when STOCK WELL (Ashok Kumar) shifted inwards. Near the 300m STOCK WELL clipped the heels of CHRISTMAS CAKE and dipped. CAPTIVE HEART (S.D. Mahesh) raced wide making the home turn. Following an inquiry jockey S.D. Mahesh (CAPTIVE HEART) pleaded guilty to a charge under 166(a) of excessive use of the whip on his mount and was fined SLRs 2,000. Jockey Mahesh had been warned for excessive use of the whip on 20th March, 2016. Trainer S.D. Lalith was reprimanded for racing STOCK WELL in woolen cheekers without permission.

Race 4 Specimens were taken from the second placegetter SPEARHEAD. CHARLEMAGNE (S. Selvaratnam) was withdrawn at the barrier at 12-08pm on Veterinary advice when it was found to be lame in the left hind. Trainer Sridher Selvaratnam was informed to have the gelding passed before accepting with it again. SUN KINGDOM (A. Vishwanath) and MR MAJESTIC (Dhinesh) were slow to move when the gates were released. MR MAJESTIC raced wide for the major part of the journey. Following an inquiry jockey S.D. Mahesh (ALCAZABA) pleaded guilty to a charge under 166(a) of excessive use of the whip on his mount and was fined SLRs 4,000. Following its poor performance the club's Veterinarian inspected CAMORRA (L. Ravi Kumar) post race but no abnormality was detected.

Race 5 Specimens were taken from the winner SANDSTORM. Trainer S.D. Lalith was censured for starting STORM AHEAD (Dhinesh) in a tongue tie without permission. Trainer Lalith was informed that should he present a horse to race in equipment other than which is declared action would be taken against him. The club's Veterinarian reported that STORM AHEAD pulled lame in the right fore leg. Trainer S.D. Lalith was informed to have the gelding passed before starting it again. Following an inquiry jockey S.D. Mahesh (SANDSTORM) pleaded guilty to a charge under 166(a) of excessive use of the whip on his mount and was fined SLRs 8,000. He was further informed that should he appear before the Stewards again on a whip offence he would not be permitted to carry a whip until 1st of January, 2017.

Race 6 Jockey Madhan Kumar (MILLENIUM QUEEN) was informed not to accept a ride under 58kgs until he can show the Stewards that he can make a lighter weight or action will be taken against him. Jockey Sumith Kumar (AIR-BORNE II) was censured for excessive use of the whip.

Race 7 Jockey K. Sanjeevan (CITY SHOT) was censured for gesticulating before the winning post.

Wayne J Wood
Chairman of Stipendiary Stewards