

INTERIM REPORT
RACE MEETING 12 – SATURDAY 8TH AUGUST 2026

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Weather:	Sunny
Track:	2.8 Normal
Rail Position:	True

GENERAL

The following Trainers, Jockeys and Apprentices appeared before the Stipendiary Stewards to confirm their instructions and discuss their intentions in their respective races:

Race 1: **DANCE TO THE SUN** (Trainer Nagadoo and Apprentice Taka)-

AMANDLA (Trainer Mootien and Jockey Sooful)

RAINWATER (Trainer Allet and Jockey Bheekary)

MALINOIS (Trainer Allet and Jockey Chumum)

Race 2: **MASTER OF MYSTERY** (Trainer Ruhee and Jockey Schwarz)

ALL ABOUT LOVE (Trainer S.Gujadhur and Jockey Joorawon)

Race 3: **HOLY STAR** (Trainer Nagadoo and Apprentice Taka)

Race 4: **WILLIAM RUFUS** (Trainer Ruhee and Jockey Schwarz)

Race 6: **SELUKWE** (Trainer Hewitson and Jockey Ramsamy)

TAMRAISK TREE (Trainer Hewitson and Jockey Nunes)

Race 7: **PORT LOUIS** (Trainer Gujadhur and Jockey Sooful)

CRESCENT (Trainer Gujadhur and Jockey Danielson)

GIMMEANOTHERCHANCE (Trainer Nagadoo and Jockey Taka)

BETATHANTHEREST (Trainer Nagadoo and Apprentice Ecoignard)

Race 8: **CAPE CANNERY** (Trainer Hewitson and Jockey Nunes)
KRIM (Trainer Hewitson and Jockey Juglall)

Prior to the race meeting, it was reported that Jockey Mudhoo was medically indisposed. The Stipendiary Stewards approved Jockey Rama as the replacement rider for **Celestial Magma** (Race 1) at 08h00.

Prior to the race meeting, it was reported that Jockey Mansour was medically indisposed. The Stipendiary Stewards approved the following riding replacements at 09h30:

Race 1: **TRICK OR TEQUILA** – M.Nunes

Race 2: **ALL ABOUT LOVE** – R.Joorawon

Race 6: **RAPIDASH** – R.Joorawon

RACE 1: THE DAY TO REMEMBER CUP – 1650M – [0-26]

Dance To The Sun – Jumped awkwardly and shifted ground outwards.

Trick Or Tequila – Bumped passing the 1300m. Passing the 450m, was taken out from behind **Amandla** to improve its position and in doing so, carried **Rainwater** wider on the track.

Amandla – Jumped awkwardly and shifted ground outwards, brushed the left side of its gate and made contact with **Rainwater**.

Rainwater – Leaving the 1300m, shifted ground inwards and bumped **Trick Or Tequila**. Raced wide throughout. Passing the 450m, was carried outwards when **Trick Or Tequila** was taken out from behind **Amandla** to improve its position.

Malinois – Slow to begin. Approaching the 400m, was switched to the outside of **Celestial Magma**, which was not improving despite being urged forward. Approaching the 200m, was switched to the inside of **Amandla** to continue going forward. Was hanging inwards in the home straight.

Celestial Magma – Slow to begin and shortly thereafter, was inconvenienced when awkwardly placed close to the heels of **Dance To The Sun**.

Vet Report:

Amandla: Lamé off-fore

Celestial Magma: Cast near hind shoe

Results			Closing Odds	Distance
1 st	1	Royal Port Louis	290	Win
2 nd	3	Trick Or Tequila	165	-3.10L
3 rd	2	Dance To The Sun	800	-3.65L

4 th	6	Malinois	4000	-9.70L
Favourite				
2 nd	3	Trick Or Tequila	290	

RACE 2: THE SUPERTOTE 35TH ANNIVERSARY TROPHY – LOW DIVISION STAKES – 1850M

Princeofgreen – Fractious in its stall prior to the start being effected. Slow to begin.

View Of The World – Contacted shortly after the start.

Palermo – Fly-jumped. Brushed leaving the 450m.

Master Of Mystery – Leaving the 450m, when being urged forward, shifted ground inwards and brushed **Palermo**.

All About Love – Jumped awkwardly, shifted ground inwards and made contact with **View Of The World**. Passing the 1600m, was momentarily awkwardly placed close to the heels of **Master Of Mystery** and had to be eased. Passing the 600m, when **Backpacker** improved on its outside, commenced to race fiercely and had to be eased when awkwardly placed close to the heels of **Master Of Mystery**. Leaving the 250m, was switched to the outside of runners to improve its position and raced wide into the home straight. Leaving the 200m, commenced to shift ground inwards and passing the 150m, raced tight onto **Backpacker**, which had shifted ground outwards away from the whip.

Backpacker – Slow into stride and shortly thereafter, Jockey Sooful adjusted his right-side stirrup iron. Passing the 1600m, was inconvenienced and had to be taken out to avoid the heels of **All About Love**. Leaving the 800m, was switched to the outside of runners and urged forward to race closer to the lead, and raced wide from then onwards. Leaving the 200m, when being ridden with the whip in the right hand, commenced to shift ground outwards.

Vet Report:

Princeofgreen: Cardiac arrhythmia, suspended for 30 days

Results			Closing Odds	Distance
1 st	4	Master Of Mystery	400	Win
2 nd	2	View Of The World	230	-0.30L
3 rd	5	All About Love	1100	-0.40L
4 th	3	Palermo	290	-2.95L
Favourite				
2 nd	2	View Of The World	230	

RACE 3: THE SUPERTOTE OFF-COURSE TROPHY – LOW DIVISION STAKES – 990M

Ampersand – Slow to begin. Leaving the 400m, was carried wide by **Danilo Danilovitch** and raced wide from then onwards.

Danilo Danilovitch – Leaving the 450m, was switched to the outside of **Old Fashioned** to improve its position and in doing so, carried **Ampersand** wider on the track.

Grand Bay – Leaving the 200m, was switched to the outside of **Holy Star** to continue going forward. Over the concluding stages, was carried outwards by **Holy Star** and inconvenienced **Mind Map**.

Smith And Wesson – Slow to begin.

Old Fashioned – Jumped awkwardly and was slow to begin. Approaching the 700m, became inconvenienced when awkwardly placed close to the heels of **Mind Map**.

Military Force – Slow to begin.

Mind Map – Fly-jumped and shifted ground inwards. Leaving the 800m, was switched inwards to take a position on the rails. Approaching the 700m, **Old Fashioned**, which was following, became inconvenienced when awkwardly placed close to its heels. Inconvenienced over the concluding stages.

Holy Star – Apprentice Taka became severely unbalanced on jumping, nearly losing the use of his right-side stirrup. Leaving the 200m, commenced to shift ground inwards, which resulted in **Grand Bay**, which was following, having to be switched to its outside to continue going forward. Over the concluding stages, commenced to shift ground outwards, which resulted in **Grand Bay** being carried outwards, with **Grand Bay** inconveniencing **Mind Map**. Apprentice Taka was shown video footage of the home straight, issued with a warning, and advised that in future, he is to stop riding with the whip and straighten his mounts earlier than he did on this occasion.

Vet Report:

Holy Star: Lamé near-fore

Results			Closing Odds	Distance
1 st	8	Holy Star	280	Win
2 nd	3	Grand Bay	550	-1.20L
3 rd	4	Smith And Wesson	1000	-2.45L
4 th	7	Mind Map	500	-2.55L
Favourite				
1 st	8	Holy Star	280	

RACE 4: THE SUPERTOTE MOBILE APP TROPHY – 1400M – [B.56]

Spirit's Unite – Stood flat-footed and was slow to begin, losing considerable ground. Leaving the 1100m, commenced to race fiercely and leaving the 900m, was allowed to stride forward to secure a position closer to the lead.

Monumental – Fractious in its stall prior to the start being effected. Leaving the 400m, was switched to the outside of runners to improve its position and raced wide into the home straight.

William Rufus – Approaching the 1100m, for some distance, appeared to hesitate in the race and had to be urged forward to keep up with the leader.

Isikwishikwishi – Jumped awkwardly and was slow into stride. Approaching the 600m, became cramped for galloping room on the inside of **William Rufus** and had to be checked, brushing the running rail. An inquiry into this incident was adjourned till Tuesday morning.

Stated – Fractious in its stall prior to the start being effected.

Vet Report:

Monumental: Cast off-fore shoe

Results			Closing Odds	Distance
1 st	5	Stated	520	Win
2 nd	1	Spirit's Unite	200	-0.10L
3 rd	4	Isikwishikwishi	250	-1.05
4 th	2	Monumental	700	-1.20L
Favourite				
2 nd	1	Spirit's Unite	200	

RACE 5: THE HOLLYWOODBETS TROPHY – MIDDLE STAKES – 2050M

Bacchus – Raced fiercely in the early stages. Approaching the 1100m, when the pace slackened, continued to race fiercely. Passing the 900m, shifted ground outwards when being restrained and was pushed back behind **Transonic** by **Magnum P I**. Following this incident, **Bacchus** continued to race fiercely. Passing the 450m, for some distance, was baulked for a clear run when **Transonic** commenced to give ground. It was then switched to the outside of **Transonic** to continue going forward. Passing the 200m, was switched to the inside of **Join The Dots** to secure clear running.

Magnum P I – Raced fiercely in the early stages. Passing the 1100m, when the pace slackened, was switched to the outside of **Bacchus**.

Superior Force – Approaching the 300m, was switched to the outside of runners to improve its position and raced wide into the home straight.

Transonic – Slow to begin. Raced wide in the early stages. Commenced to give ground passing the 450m, resulting in **Bacchus** being baulked for a clear run for some distance, with **Bacchus** being switched to its outside to continue going forward.

Join The Dots – Slow to begin.

Vet Report:

Magnum P I: Lamé off-fore

Results			Closing Odds	Distance
1 st	3	Superior Force	150	Win
2 nd	6	Join The Dots	1000	-1.75L
3 rd	1	Bacchus	550	-3.25L
4 th	2	Magnum P I	500	-6.85L
Favourite				
1 st	3	Superior Force	150	

RACE 6: THE SUPERTOTE GOLDEN TROPHY – GROUP 2 – PINNACLE – 2200M

Selukwe – Raced fiercely in the early stages. Leaving the 1000m, when the pace slackened, was switched to the outside of **Bugalugs** to improve its position. When questioned, Jockey Ramsamy explained that he was instructed to endeavor to lead, without using his mount as it might over-race. He added that from the start, **Good Council** and **Bugalugs** proved faster than his mount, and as such, he elected to settle **Selukwe** in the one-off position behind **Bugalugs**. He further stated that from leaving the 1500m, **Bugalugs** kept slowing the pace in front, with him having to steady his mount on a couple of occasions, and when the pace slackened leaving the 1100m, he decided to shift his mount to the outside of **Bugalugs** and let his mount improve in its stride, with **Bugalugs** also improving on his inside, with him having to do more than anticipated to secure the lead. He concluded that from then onwards, **Selukwe** raced relaxed on the outside of **Good Council**, and when asked for an effort leaving the 450m, failed to quicken and commenced to shift ground outwards, being very disappointing.

Rapidash – Jumped awkwardly and shifted ground outwards, inconveniencing **Prime Example**, and thereafter, was slow into stride.

Tamarisk Tree – Leaving the 300m, was switched to the outside of **Good Council** and in doing so, carried **Bugalugs** wider on the track.

Bugalugs – Carried wide leaving the 300m and raced wide into the home straight. When questioned, Jockey Danielson explained that he was instructed to endeavor to jump and if possible, lead without insisting too much, as it was racing over the 2200m for the first time in its career, and if not able to lead easily, to settle on the rails where comfortable. He further explained that after jumping well, he saw **Good Council** being urged forward in view to secure the lead, as such, he elected not to insist on his mount and rather settle it behind the leader. However, **Bugalugs** commenced to race fiercely, with him not being able to bring the latter back in order to secure a position behind **Good Council**. When further questioned, Jockey Danielson explained that passing the 1800m, it was running in a good rhythm and not pulling at this stage, and to be able to secure a position behind **Good Council**, he would have had to break the horse's stride to secure the position. As such, he elected to settle **Bugalugs** in the one-off position on the outside of the leader where it raced relaxed, and when asked for an effort passing the 400m, quickened and then plodded over the concluding states. In his opinion, **Bugalugs** failed to stay the distance.

Prime Example – Slow to begin and shortly thereafter, was inconvenienced when **Rapidash** shifted ground outwards onto it.

The Regulatory Veterinarian had no reports

Results			Closing Odds	Distance
1 st	4	Tamarisk Tree	210	Win
2 nd	3	Rapidash	370	-1.00L
3 rd	1	Good Council	400	-2.85L
4 th	5	Bugalugs	700	-4.45L
Favourite				
1 st	4	Tamarisk Tree	210	

RACE 7: THE SUPERScore TROPHY – 1400M – [B.71]

Formagear – Passing the 1200m, for some distance, commenced to race fiercely and had to be steadied when awkwardly placed close to the heels of **Crescent**. Leaving the 1000m, when the pace slackened, was eased when awkwardly placed close to the heels of **Crescent**, got its head up and shifted ground outwards onto **Gimmeanotherchance**. When questioned, Jockey Orffer explained that he was instructed to endeavor to get his mount in the race, without bustling it too much, as this horse has a tendency to pull hard in its races and has a soft mouth, and when restrained, grabs its bit to one side and proves difficult to control. He added that after jumping well, he managed to get in a forward position, however, seeing that **Crescent** was improving on its outside, he decided against pressing forward on his mount, being wary that it would start to

over-race. He further stated that leaving the 1000m, **Crescent** suddenly slowed down the pace, with him having to ease his mount when awkwardly placed close to **Crescent's** heels, when being eased, **Formagear** got its head up and shifted ground outwards and commenced to race fiercely, with him managing to get the gelding to drop the bit shortly thereafter.

Port Louis – Slow to begin.

Royal Wulff – Slow to begin. Leaving the 450m, was switched to the outside of runners to improve its position and raced wide from then onwards.

Crescent – Jockey Danielson reported that at the start, his saddle slipped backwards and sideways, putting him at a disadvantage on this gelding.

Gimmeanotherchance – Slow into stride. Over the concluding stages, attempted to savage **Crescent**, with Apprentice Taka hesitating and straightening his mount.

Betathanotherest – Passing the 600m, raced tight on the inside of **Port Louis**. Leaving the 250m, was switched to the inside of **Formagear** to continue going forward.

Vet Report:

Port Louis: Cast off-hind shoe

Betathanotherest: Lameness near-fore

Results			Closing Odds	Distance
1 st	4	Crescent	140	Win
2 nd	2	Port Louis	600	-1.30L
3 rd	3	Royal Wulff	900	-1.80L
4 th	1	Formagear	800	-1.90L
Favourite				
1 st	4	Crescent	140	

RACE 8: THE LINES OF POWER PLATE – 1400M – [0-25]

Acting on veterinary advice that **Captain Marsala** was suffering urticaria and was off-feed, it was withdrawn at 08h00. All bets placed on **Captain Marsala** were ordered to be refunded, and a deduction of 3 cents per rupee was applied to winning bets placed prior to the withdrawal of **Captain Marsala**.

Jockey Nunes was stood down by the Course Medical Officer following the running of Race 6. The Stipendiary Stewards approved Jockey Ramsamy as the replacement rider for **Cape Cannery**.

Jet Blackfire – Jumped awkwardly, with Jockey Schwarz becoming unbalanced and losing the use of his right-side stirrup iron, which he regained shortly thereafter. Leaving the 1200m

commenced to race fiercely and when being restrained, got its head up and raced ungenerously. Leaving the 900m, when still over-racing, had to be restrained when awkwardly placed close to the heels of **William Blake**, and when being restrained, got its head up and raced ungenerously. Leaving the 200m, when being ridden with the whip, commenced to shift ground outwards, inconveniencing **Krim**, which was racing on its outside.

Boom Town – Jumped outwards, crowding **Cape Cannery** onto **Krim**. Passing the 1200m, commenced to race fiercely and switched to the outside of **William Blake** and in doing so, carried **Krim** wider on the track. Leaving the 150m, when being ridden with the whip in the right hand, commenced to shift ground outwards, with Jockey Danielson switching his whip to his left hand.

Cape Cannery – Fractious in its stall prior to the start being effected. Jumped awkwardly, shifted ground outwards and bumped **Krim**. Shortly thereafter, was crowded onto **Krim** by **Boom Town**, which had jumped outwards. When questioned regarding its poor performance, Jockey Ramsamy explained that this gelding had improved following its last race and as such, expected an improved run today. He added that after jumping only fairly, he settled **Cape Cannery** at the back of the field where it raced in a relaxed manner. He further added that when asked for an effort leaving the 400m, **Cape Cannery** failed to quicken, being very disappointing.

Krim – Fractious in its stall prior to the start being effected. Bumped at the start. Leaving the 1200m, was carried out by **Boom Town**. Passing the 900m, commenced to race fiercely and when being restrained to avoid the heels of **Boom Town**, threw its head up and raced ungenerously for some distance. Passing the 450m, was switched to the outside of **Boom Town** and raced wide from then onwards. Inconvenienced leaving the 200m and passing the 150m, was switched to the inside of Jet Blackfire to continue going forward.

Vet Report:

Jet Blackfire: Cast off-fore shoe

Results			Closing Odds	Distance
1 st	2	Boom Town	550	Win
2 nd	1	Jet Blackfire	150	-1.05L
3 rd	5	Krim	1000	-4.15L
4 th	7	William Blake	3000	-5.45L
Favourite				
2 nd	1	Jet Blackfire	150	

GENERAL

- Pre-race blood specimens were taken from all runners.
- Routine post-race urine and blood specimens were taken for analysis from all winners.

- c) All Jockeys passed a breathalyzer test, and urine specimens were taken from Jockeys Bheekary, Orffer and Apprentice Ecroignard for analysis.

SUMMARY		
Suspension		
Fine		
Warning	3	Apprentice Taka (Holy Star)
Severe Warning		
Horse Suspension	2	Princeofgreen – 30 days
	8	Captain Marsala – 14 days
OVE	1	Amandla – lame off-fore
		Celestial Magma – cast near-hind shoe
	2	Princeofgreen – cardiac arrhythmia
	3	Holy Star – lame near-fore
	4	Monumental – cast off-fore shoe
	5	Magnum P I – lame off-fore
	7	Port Louis – cast off-hind shoe
		Betathanotherest – lame near-fore
	8	Captain Marsala – suffering urticaria and was off-feed
Barrier Trial		