

Launceston 29th March 2015

RACE 1 : This is a C1 to kick off the nights racing. FATHER FRANK (6) started his career in Tasmania before been transferred to Victoria. He has been thereabouts of late in similar company to what he faces here. He will be hoping to get a good run into the race so will take holding out. ISLAND DISCO (5) is a handy mare who is well placed here. She has gate speed so may look for the top and if does will take running down. SMOKIN MUSTARD (9) won ok two runs back then was outclassed last start. He draws to get a good run through so has to be an each way chance. RAMPLING (3) was better last start so can run a place at odds as can RUBY DAWN (1) and RAINBOW PHOENIX (8).

TOP PICK : FATHER FRANK (6) is the one to beat here.

DANGERS : ISLAND DISCO (5) looks the danger along with SMOKIN MUSTARD (9).

ROUGHIE : RUBY DAWN (1) can improve here.

RATINGS : 6 – 5 9 – 1 3 8 – 2 4 7

RACE 2 : This is a very tough C1 or better stand. LITTLE JETHRO (8) has returned in great form since a break. He will be hoping to step safely as if does will be the toughest to beat. LUCKY DAVE (12) is odd the 20m back mark but with a safe beginning will take plenty of holding out after his latest effort. GAVRAIL (11) was well driven last start for a much deserved win. He will a bit of luck here but if he gets will be finishing strongly. MONARCO PLAYBOY (7) and RED SUN BLISS (9) have both been around the mark of late so with the right runs here can figure. ABSTRACTION (1) , NEXT SOUND (2) , MES ELSU (6) and CATS AND DOGS (10) are all capable of filling an exotic placing.

TOP PICK : LITTLE JETHRO (8) is the hardest to beat here.

DANGERS : LUCKY DAVE (12) is the danger along with GAVRAIL (11).

ROUGHIE : MES ELSU (6) can place at odds.

RATINGS : 8 – 11 12 – 7 9 – 1 2 6 10 – 3 4 5

RACE 3 : This is for the three year olds and CO'S. MOJO MAJOR (11) comes off a brave second in the Tasmanian Derby last week. He will find this much easier so is clearly the one to beat. CARDINAL SPEC (9) is racing very well and draws to get a good run through so look's the danger. FORTINO (7) will strip much fitter for his 1st up run so will pay to keep safe. FUNDAMENTALIST (4) broke when resuming so will pay to forgive that run and can run a place here at odds. ONE MANS PASS (5) , PUNTER KARALTA (6) , SAFETY GIRL (10) and PRISONER (12) can all sneak a minor place at odds.

TOP PICK : MOJO MAJOR (11) is clearly the one to beat.

DANGERS : CARDINAL SPEC (9) look's the danger along with FORTINO (7).

ROUGHIE : FUNDAMENTALIST (4) can place at odds.

RATINGS : 11 – 7 9 – 4 5 6 10 12 – 1 2 3 8

RACE 4 : This is the Launceston Belmont for the two year old fillies. CHICA BELLA (1) showed ability in her two runs to date but did pace roughly at times. She draws ideally here so if she can take advantage of it will take plenty of running down. SCORCHIN SAFARI (4) hit the line strongly on debut. She will be fitter for the run so is sure to be thereabouts. TWENTYTHREERED (6) has had two starts for as many placings so has to be an each way chance. KARALTA STARDUST (7) is a well bred first starter who has been good at the trials so will pay to watch the market. GUESSTAMATE (2) has also been handy at the trials and draws well here so has to be kept safe as well. GEORGIA MAYHEM (3) and JUDYS JET (5) are both well related first starters so will pay to keep very safe.

TOP PICK : CHICA BELLA (1) will be the hardest to beat.

DANGERS : KARALTA STARDUST (7) look's a danger along with SCORCHIN SAFARI (4).

ROUGHIE : TWENTYTHREERED (6) can surprise at odds.

RATINGS : 1 – 4 7 – 2 3 5 6

RACE 5 : This is a very tough C2/C3. ME MATE LES (10) was a good winner last week in a tougher race than this so he is well placed here. He will get a good run through so if can get a cart into the race will be the one to beat. MILEY ROSE (7) is a very handy mare who was a little disappointing last start despite doing a bit of work. She will find this a little easier so with a little luck from the draw is a huge danger. RAMPLESTILTSKIN (1) was very average first up. He draws much better here but this stronger so place look's best. SALOON IN SIGHT (11) has been very good at last two runs. He needs everything to go his way but can win with the right trip. ANOTHER JASPER (8) and ESTEVAO (9) are very capable at their best so are a must for the exotics at odds. CHIEF DESTROYER (4) is having first local run so will pay to keep safe. THESE DAYS (2) is nest best.

TOP PICK : ME MATE LES (10) will be the hardest to beat.

DANGERS : MILEY ROSE (7) is the obvious danger along with RAMPLESTILTSKIN (1).

ROUGHIE : ANOTHER JASPER (8) can improve here.

RATINGS : 10 – 7 – 1 8 9 11 – 2 4 6 – 3 5

RACE 6 : This is the first heat of the Lees Orchard Easter Cup. MOTU CRUSADER (9) is the reigning champ who did win off 40m last year. His not the horse he was last season but does continue to race

well so is obvious a huge chance. ARDLUSSA EXPRESS (3) is an absolute credit to Deb Williams and Nat Emery on what he has achieved in his last six starts. He is hit and miss from the tapes but if steps safely is the hardest to beat. THE MAJORITY (5) was good when resuming in the Devonport Cup when running second. He will strip fitter here so with a safe beginning is a good hope. WHODEANI (1) has been very consistent of late so with a good beginning is a chance as is RIVERBOAT JASPER (4) who is always a chance with the right run. TONY MACARONEY (2) is next best.

TOP PICK : ARDLUSSA EXPRESS (3) look's a good hope here.

DANGERS : MOTU CRUSADER (9) will be the danger along with THE MAJORITY (5).

ROUGHIE : RIVERBOAT JASPER (4) has a chance with a safe beginning.

RATINGS : 3 – 1 4 5 9 – 2 – 6 7 8

RACE 7 : This is a very tough C1. HOLME ON THE BAYOU (3) was a very good winner last start. He draws well here so will get every chance to make it two on the trot. BUTCH AND CLYDE (5) never got a crack at them last start when was bolting. He will hoping for a good run and can win if gets it. JANE GRANT (8) is getting close to another win so with a little luck from inside the back row can win. CARDINAL ART (7) has been racing well so will take plenty of holding out here in a tough race. METROLIZA (4) is another getting close to another win so has to be kept safe. ROBERT MOREAU (6) , LIKE IT IS (9) and ESQUIVO (10) are next best and can surprise at odds.

TOP PICK : HOLME ON THE BAYOU (3) will take beating here.

DANGERS : BUTCH AND CLYDE (5) will be a danger along with CARDINAL ART (7).

ROUGHIE : JANE GRANT (8) can win at odds.

RATINGS : 3 – 5 7 – 4 8 9 10 – 2 6 - 1

RACE 8 : This is the second heat of the Lees Orchard Easter Cup. Tasmania's best pacer STAR CHAMBER (8) comes of a brilliant win in the Devonport Cup. He stays on 30m here so he should be winning this barring bad luck. OUTRAGEOUS EL (4) is a very handy 4yo from the Adam Kelly stable who did win our Derby last year. He has been going ok but this is his toughest challenge by a mile but he has the master Gavin Lang on board so has to be kept safe. RULE LIKE A KING (2) is having his first run for over 15 months. He did build up an imposing record last time in and does come off a solid trial so will have to be kept safe here from the front row. TRULY BLISSFULL (1) is a free running type who loves to run along out in front so with a safe beginning can give a sight. BLACK CENTURIAN (6) is racing well and can get a bit of the minor money with the right run.

TOP PICK : STAR CHAMBER (8) should be winning.

DANGERS : RULE LIKE A KING (2) toughest test to date but is the danger along with OUTRAGEOUS EL (4).

ROUGHIE : TRULY BLISSFULL (1) will give a sight at odds.

RATINGS : 8 – 2 4 – 1 – 3 6 7 - 5

RACE 9 : This is a race for the three year old fillies. GRACE CAMPBELL (5) is a very smart type resuming from a good break. She was in top few 2yo fillies so with her natural ability will take plenty of holding out. JOAN GRANT (3) is a very consistent filly who draws well so will take plenty of holding out. LAUGHYAHEADOFF (7) was a good winner last start courtesy of a good drive by Allister Woods. She will find this much stronger but with some luck can figure. BAROOGA MINNIE (2) was very good when resuming. She draws well here so is sure to play a role in the finish. KAMILI (6) is the query runner as showed ability before making her debut. She will be good odds here and is worth a place ticket.

TOP PICK : GRACE CAMPBELL (5) will be the hardest to beat.

DANGERS : BAROOGA MINNIE (2) is the danger along with JOAN GRANT (3).

ROUGHIE : KAMILI (6) can surprise at odds.

RATINGS : 5 – 2 3 – 6 7 – 1 4

RACE 10 : This is a C4/C6 to finish off the night. ARTY MISSY (2) has been racing very and draws to advantage here. She will find the top or take a sit either way will get every chance. THE FAMILY GUY (4) finally got a draw and won well at good odds. The small field suits so has to be chance at good odds. CISKEI (5) has been racing very well and can do a bit of work in the run so will be a danger. PUNT ROAD DISCO (3) will be looking for a cheap run so if gets a crack at them can be dangerous. JODILA (7) is next best.

TOP PICK : ARTY MISSY (2) is the one to beat.

DANGERS : CISKEI (5) is the danger along with CISKEI (5).

ROUGHIE : JODILA (7) with a little luck can surprise at odds.

RATINGS : 2 – 4 5 – 3 – 7 – 1 6