Hobart 7th December 2014

RACE 1: This is a C5/C7 to start the night's racing. BLUE POINTER (5) will find this much more to his liking. He has drawn a touch wide but is sure to push forward so has to be a leading chance. MELOLYN (4) will find this easier than last week's run, he has drawn to be on the speed throughout so will take holding out. VANDE VELDE (2) is a very promising type who continues to step up to the task. He has drawn ideally so is sure to take plenty of holding out. KINKY BOOTS (7) has had a bit of freshen up and can fill a minor place.

TOP PICK: BLUE POINTER (5) will be very hard to beat.

DANGERS: VANDE VELDE (2) toughest test to date but is the danger along with MELOLYN (4).

ROUGHIE: KINKY BOOTS (7) can surprise at odds.

RATINGS: 5 - 24 - 7 - 136

RACE 2: This is the first heat of the Eric Reece Memorial. NEONJET (1) is first up in the state for inform trainer Mellissa Maine. He comes here with fair form so if takes advantage of the pole is sure to take plenty of beating. BALDOCK (2) is a free running type who will be looking to find the top and if he does is sure to take plenty of catching. CARLY SEELSTER (12) has found one better at her past three attempts. She draws out the back so is sure to need some luck in the run but if she gets it can win. BUCKSAROO (10) has been thereabouts at all of his local runs so if gets the right run can win at good odds. IM DENS BOY (3), FLYLIKA HAWK (8), IVE GOT OOMPH (9) and LUKE PETER (11) are all capable of winning this with the right runs so are a must for the exotics.

TOP PICK: BALDOCK (2) if finds the lead will take plenty of beating.

DANGERS: NEONJET (1) look's a big danger along with CARLY SEELSTER (12).

ROUGHIE: BUCKSAROO (10) will run a race at odds.

RATINGS: 2-11012-38911-4567

RACE 3: This is for the C1 pacers. JABBER JAWZZZ (1) was a very good winner last start in where he sat one by one then sprinted home a pretty slick last quarter. He draws the pole here so should be able to do enough early so is the hardest to beat. RUSTY RED COMET (2) has been ok since resuming so from his handy draw is sure to be the danger but may have to sit parked. LA EBONY KITA (4) has been racing well this time in so has to be an each way chance. VANDER JENKINS (8) draws to get the right run so if he gets a crack at them will take holding out. FRANKIE FALZONI (9) and MISS LIVELY

(10) are both racing well and have drawn to get a good run through so can be dangerous at odds. EBABE (3) and TINKERS TAXI (11) will be hoping for a bit of speed early so has to be included in the exotics. MY KODA KASPER (5) and TERROR JONES (6) are next best.

TOP PICK: JABBER JAWZZZ (1) is sure to take plenty of beating.

DANGERS: RUSTY RED COMET (2) is sure to be a danger along with VANDER JENKINS (8).

ROUGHIE: TINKERS TAXI (11) will run a race at odds.

RATINGS: 1-28-3491011-56-7

RACE 4: This is the second heat of the Eric Reece. STONER RAINBOW (6) has always been a handy type and look's well suited in the heat and final series. He has a bit of gate speed so will be interesting but is sure to be in the finish. WILLIAMLEE (7) is the query runner as comes here with pretty good Victorian form for a race like this. He will need some luck from the draw but is sure to be in the finish. WHO IS HARDEEN (1) is always thereabouts and he comes up with the pole so he is sure to be in the finish. TIZYALATOR (5) and AVENTADOR (10) have been ok at past couple so are a must include for the multiples. LADY ELAINE (3), ORIGIN BILLY (8), BUMBLE DON (9) and LUKE THOMAS (11) are next best.

TOP PICK: STONER RAINBOW (6) should be each way odds and look's a good gamble.

DANGERS: WILLIAM LEE (7) is the big query so is the danger along with WHO IS HARDEEN (1).

ROUGHIE: AVENTADOR (10) stable inform so can run a race at odds.

RATINGS: 6-17-510-38911-24-12

RACE 5: This is for the C3/C4 pacers. ORIGINAL ART (4) was well driven last start when was a very impressive winner. This look's no harder so is sure to take plenty of beating. BYMARJAC (1) will strip fitter for his 1st up run and draws to lead so has to be kept very safe. GO LIKA SAAB LOMBO (8) draws to follow him through so if gets a crack at them will take holding out. JODILA (10) will find this easier than last start so if she gets a cart into the race will take holding out. DELIVERTHEGOODS (7) is racing well but the draw hurts so is sure to go around at over the odds. ISLAND DISCO (5), MISTER PINJARRA (6) and SALOON IN SIGHT (9) are all racing well and can win with the right runs.

TOP PICK: ORIGINAL ART (4) will take plenty of beating.

DANGERS: DELIVERTHEGOODS (7) will go forward so is the danger along with GO LIKA SAAB LOMBO (8).

ROUGHIE: JODILA (10) will get out to good odds and can win.

RATINGS: 4-17810-569-23

RACE 6: This is the third and final heat of the Eric Reece. METRO DIGBY (1) resumes but may not be suited by the pole here as can go a bit rough at times. He was a handy trial winner Monday night so if gets away with them is the one to beat. IDEN MISTER ED (4) was a handy youngster who resumes here off a lengthy break. He does have a bit of gate speed so may look to use it early either way will be thereabouts. SWEET PEA JASPER (7) has been a little disappointing this time in but with a couple of runs under her belt can improve here so keep safe. NOTEWORTHY LOMBO (3) was a handy trial winner as well so can run a race at odds. OLIVERS MATE (6) has always showed ability so with the right run can surprise at odds. MOUNTIAN SAFARI (5) is a first starter from the Rattray camp so will pay to watch the market.

TOP PICK: METRO DIGBY (1) if does everything right is the one to beat.

DANGERS: IDEN MISTER ED (4) has the ability so is a danger along with SWEET PEA JASPER (7).

ROUGHIE: NOTEWORTHY LOMBO (3) will run a race at odds.

RATINGS: 1-347-6-2510-911-8

RACE 7: This will be a very competitive free for all. GREYSTEEL (7) has been racing very well and may look to zoom across the early and if found the top will be the one to beat. RUN RIPALONG (3) won a similar race to this three runs back then had two unplaced runs at Melton in where he wasn't disgraced. So from his handy draw he is sure to be in the finish. CALL THE MARSHALL (4) resumes from a good break. He was very competitive in our stronger races at Easter time. He has gate speed and does race best in front so will be interesting early but he is very capable of winning FALCO PEREGRINUS (2) and OUR CHAIN OF COMMAND (5) are both racing well so with the right runs can be dangerous. UDOIT (1) and OUR MELS DREAM (6) are capable of filling a minor first four spot.

TOP PICK: GREYSTEEL (7) is the hardest to beat.

DANGERS: CALL THE MARSHALL (4) will be a huge danger along with FALCO PEREGRINUS (2).

ROUGHIE: RUN RIPALONG (3) will get out to good odds and can win.

RATINGS: 7 - 2345 - 16

RACE 8: This is the last to finish of the night. MIGHTY JASPER (1) is getting very close to a win and does come a good trial on Monday night. He draws the pole so is sure to take plenty of beating here. BONA FIDE HUSTLER (5) was suited by a solid tempo last start in where he finished strongly for a good win so he has to be a danger here. STRANGE CONDUCT (2) has been thereabouts of late so from the handy draw has to be a chance. BERTILS DELIGHT (4) was very impressive winning last start. She is well suited by the small field so will be finishing strongly and is a big chance. TANGO TERRIFIC (3) form is better than it look's so is also a chance in open race.

TOP PICK: MIGHTY JASPER (1) gets his chance here.

DANGERS: BONA FIDE HUSTLER (5) impressive last week so is the danger along with BERTILS DELIGHT (4).

ROUGHIE: STRANGE CONDUCT (2) will run a race at odds.

RATINGS: 1-45-23-6