Stewards Report – 06/11/2026

Going:	Good to Firm
Going Stick:	9.0
Track:	INNER
Rail Position:	True
Stalls Position:	Middle: 1000m (Straight), 1200m (Straight), 1400m, 1600m Outside: 1800m, 2000m, 2200m
Chief Steward:	Paul Barton
Stewards:	Hani Marzooq Husain Ali Mahmood Mirza
Non-Runners:	R1 - AL KRUSH 1948 R3 - RAHEEBA R5 - MODMIN R9 - FAHAAL
Withdrawn on Raceday:	R9 – AAJAY – withdrawn by the Starter at 9:31pm
Fixture Note:	None
Adjourned Cases:	None

Race 1 - 05:30 pm
Maiden (WAHO), 1000m

OBEYAN 1967 was given permission to wear a hood to the start.
This race was late off as KUHEILAN AL ADIYAT 1987, ridden by Mohammed Jamil, was unruly in the parade ring, reluctant to go to post, lost his right-hind shoe in the paddock and was re-shod at the start.

Race 2 - 06:00 pm
GULF PETROCHEMICAL INDUSTRIES CO. (GPIC) SPRINT CUP

AUTHORITY was given permission to be mounted from the pre-parade ring. MIBLISH was given permission to go to the start early. AUTHORITY, RAHEEL, GUMRIYAH, RETAJ and GHASHAAM were given permission to wear hoods to the start.
LAHAAYAB, unplaced, ridden by Alec Voikhansky, bolted on the way to the start. The Veterinary Officer examined the mare at the start and deemed her fit to race. The mare also hung right-handed during the closing stages of the race.
RETAJ, placed 2nd, ridden by Mohammed Jamil, was slowly away from the stalls.
Qasim Jameel, the rider of MIBLISH, unplaced, was fined BD 50/- for using his whip with excessive frequency from 400 metres out.
The Clerk of Scales reported that Lorena Figalo, rider of THE BLUE LADY, unplaced and trained by Paul Smith, weighed in at 60.7 kg, having weighed out at 60 kg. The rider, trainer and Clerk of Scales were interviewed. As the Stewards were unable to establish the reason for the overweight, Lorena Figalo and Paul Smith were each fined BD 50/-.

Race 3 - 06:30 pm
Maiden (Bahrain-bred Fillies and Mares), 1400m

PARIS, POINCIANA, HVAR, REMINDER, ROTTERDAM, MUHIMA, CALL THE BEAT, QUEENS COUNSEL and MIND POWER were given permission to wear hoods to the start.
CALL THE BEAT, unplaced, ridden by Mohammed Jamil, was slowly away, never travelled and finished tailed off.
CASHEL, unplaced, ridden by Ali Isa, and FLAWLESS, unplaced, ridden by Hasan Al Saffar, were hampered by the fallen horses and eased over the final 200 metres.
The Stewards held an enquiry into the placings following an incident on the run to the line involving POINCIANA, the winner, ridden by Benoit De La Sayette, and PRINCESS OF MONACO, placed 2nd, ridden by Dhay AlSaadoon, in which ROTTERDAM, ridden by Alec Voikhansky, fell when in third position, resulting in SKARINA, ridden by Franky Vanhonsebrouck, being brought down. Having interviewed Benoit De La Sayette and Dhay AlSaadoon, who was accompanied by the Jockey Coach, and having viewed the video recordings, the Stewards found that Dhay AlSaadoon had allowed PRINCESS OF MONACO to shift left-handed without correction, causing ROTTERDAM to be squeezed onto the quarters of POINCIANA. ROTTERDAM subsequently clipped the heels of POINCIANA and fell, bringing down SKARINA. Dhay AlSaadoon was suspended for 4 meetings [13, 20, 26 and 27 November 2026] for careless riding. The Stewards ordered the placings to remain unaltered.

Race 4 - 07:00 pm
Maiden (Imported), 1400m

KOULIKORO (IRE), VALAIS STAR (IRE), MAYANA (USA), BLUE DANE (IRE), BEATRICE SHILLING (IRE) and YORK TOWER (GB) were given permission to wear hoods to the start.
The Starter reported that MAYANA (USA), unplaced, ridden by Husain Makki, had her left hind leg on the running board on leaving the stalls.
The Regulatory Veterinary Officer reported that SINJ (GB), unplaced, trained by A. Jaleel Al Mallah, had bled from the nose.

Race 5 - 07:30 pm
LATE ABDULHADI AL AFOO CUP

WINFORGLORY (IRE) was given permission to be mounted from the pre-parade ring. COSMO GOODSPEED (IRE) was given permission to be mounted in the chute. BAMBALAM (FR), COSMO GOODSPEED (IRE), MAYSTAR (IRE), SALVUCCIO (GB) and STELLAR ARROW (GB) were given permission to wear hoods to the start.
Ebrahim Nader, the rider of MAYSTAR (IRE), was cautioned for being late to the parade ring.

Race 6 - 08:00 pm
Handicap (0–65), Imported, 1600m

CARNEGIE HALL (IRE) was given permission to be mounted from the pre-parade ring. MEMBERSHIP, SOUTH CHINA SEA and CARNEGIE HALL (IRE) were given permission to wear hoods to the start.
QUEEN EVIE (GB), ridden by Soufiane Saadi, was unruly on the way to the start and unseated her rider. Soufiane Saadi was examined by a member of the medical team at the start and deemed fit to ride. Following the race, a member of the Integrity Team reported that Soufiane Saadi, rider of QUEEN EVIE (GB), had used his whip down the filly's shoulder while pulling up. Having interviewed the rider, the Stewards noted his explanation that he was concerned that the filly was about to duck out towards the stables.
SHIELD WALL (IRE), unplaced, ridden by Abdulla Faisal, ran too free during the early stages of the race.
MEMBERSHIP, placed 2nd, ridden by Ali Isa, was denied a clear run on the run to the winning line.
The Regulatory Veterinary Officer reported that CARNEGIE HALL (IRE), unplaced, had lost his left-hind shoe.

Race 7 - 08:30 pm
Handicap (0–80), Imported Fillies and Mares, 1800m

MAHROUSA (GB) and CRYPTO PRINCESS (IRE) were given permission to wear hoods to the start.

Race 8 - 09:00 pm
GULF PETROCHEMICAL INDUSTRIES CO. (GPIC) CUP

AZKA (FR), SOLDIER'S EMPIRE (IRE), YOUNG IRELAND (IRE) and AL SHABABI (GB) were given permission to wear hoods to the start.
Hasan Al Saffar, the rider of KNIGHT OF HONOUR (IRE), placed 2nd, and Patrick Cosgrave, the rider of YOUNG IRELAND (IRE), placed 3rd, were each fined BD 100/- for using their whips with excessive frequency in the home straight.

Race 9 - 09:30 pm
Handicap (0–45), Bahrain Bred, 2200m

AAJAY, MANIKAN and PISCES were given permission to be mounted from the pre-parade ring. AAJAY was given permission to go to the start early. PEGASUS, AAJAY, MANIKAN, SHARID, BALBOA, ALGHARBI, ISTANBUL and PISCES were given permission to wear hoods to the start.
The Regulatory Veterinary Officer reported that ALGHARBI, trained by Yousif Taher, entered the pre-parade ring wearing an uncovered lip chain. The Stewards fined Yousif Taher BD 50/-
AAJAY, ridden by Luca Carboni and trained by Robert McDowall, broke out of the starting stalls and was withdrawn by the Starter at 9:31 pm. The trainer was informed that AAJAY could not be entered for a race until the horse had passed a stalls test.

Summary of Penalties Imposed

Race Number	Jockey/Trainer	Penalty	Offence	Article
2	Qasim Jameel	Fine BD 50/-	Whip - excessive frequency	20.19
2	Lorena Figalo	Fine BD 50/-	Overweight	37.29
2	Paul Smith	Fine BD 50/-	Overweight	37.29
3	Dhay AlSaadoon	Suspended 4 meetings: 13, 20, 26 and 27 November 2026	Careless riding	37.24.3
5	Ebrahim Nader	Caution	Late to parade ring	14.2
8	Patrick Cosgrave	Fine BD 100/-	Whip – excessive frequency	20.19
8	Hasan Al Saffar	Fine BD 100/-	Whip – excessive frequency	20.19
9	Yousif Taher	Fine BD 50/-	Uncovered lip chain	22.3

Horses Suspended

Horse	Reason	Period of Suspension
SINJ (GB)	Bled from the nose	12 weeks
AAJAY	Withdrawn at the start	Until passed stalls test

Post-race horses sampled:

1. OBEYAN 1958
2. DALAYIL, MEAAD
3. POINCIANA
4. YORK TOWER (GB)
5. SALVUCCIO (GB)
6. SOUTH CHINA SEA
7. MAHROUSA (GB), CRYPTO PRINCESS (IRE)
8. URBAN SPRAWL (GB), AZKA (FR)
9. MANIKAN, PISCES