

**THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED**  
**STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT**

**Report on Race Meeting held at Bordertown Racecourse**  
**by the Bordertown Racing Club on Tuesday, 30 January 2018**

**Stewards:** J. Adams (A/Chairman) & C. Deakin (MT) & R. Spillman (Stewards), M. Adams (HT) (Cadet Steward) J. Foster (F) & S. Bright (Deputy Stewards), Dr. D. Goulding (Veterinary Surgeon)

**TRACK:** Soft 5

**WEATHER:** Fine

**RAIL:** Out 4 metres from 1500 metres to 1200 metres, out 1 metre remainder

**RIDER CHANGES:**

<b>Race</b>	<b>Horse</b>	<b>Rider</b>	<b>Replaced By</b>	<b>Reason</b>
7	BETTER JOURNEY	D. Caboche	C. Lindop	Overweight.

**RACE 1: POOGINAGORIC TURKEY FARM / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE – 1550 metres**

**FLYING BOLT** (K. Walters) – slow into stride.

**NEWBOLD LAD** (S. Fawke) – over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

**POWER OF WORDS** (C. Puls) – over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

**A QUIET DRINK** (E. Finnegan) – trainer, Mr P. Hardacre, advised Stewards that he would instruct his rider to ride A QUIET DRINK more positively than it had been at its most recent start. Led.

**MISS CHEEVIUS** (D. Tourneur) – slow to begin. Over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event. Momentarily held up entering the straight. When questioned regarding the performance of the filly rider stated that he intended for MISS CHEEVIUS to be ridden on the speed today but after being slow to begin his mount failed to settle throughout the race and was disappointing in its finishing efforts. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**RACE 2: TATIARA INDUSTRIAL REPAIRS / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE – 1200 metres**

**DYADAMO** (J. Maund) – slow to begin. Held up for clear running on entering the straight. Laid in when placed under pressure in the straight.

**SANDHILL GALAXY** (P. Gatt) – slow to begin.

**PRESS ON** (D. Tourneur) – raced wide without cover throughout the event. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

**SCOTTISH THREAD** (C. Puls) – Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) in that she used her whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

**RACE 3: MICHELLE'S PET AND HOME SERVICES BM 56 HANDICAP – 1300 metres**

**EXPLOSIVE GIFT** (C. Lindop) – stood flat footed as the start was effective and missed the start by eight lengths. Trainer, Mr C. Oxlade, was advised that EXPLOSIVE GIFT was required to perform to the satisfaction of Stewards in an Official Barrier Trial or Official Jump-out prior to a future race.

**DESERT DUEL** (P. Gatt) – began awkwardly.

**ARCADIAN** (D. Tourneur) – laid out rounding the home turn and entering the straight.

### **RACE 3: MICHELLE'S PET AND HOME SERVICES BM 56 HANDICAP – 1300 metres (cont'd)**

**JUST MAK** (C. Puls) – held up for clear running on entering the straight. In the vicinity of the 100 metres had to be restrained to avoid the heels of TRICK 'N' TREAT after SWEET DESIGN shifted in when insufficiently clear.

**SCROLL** (S. Fawke) – held up for clear running on entering the straight.

**SWEET DESIGN** (E. Finnegan) – laid in when placed under pressure in the straight. In the vicinity of the 100 metres shifted in when insufficiently clear of JUST MAK. Rider severely reprimanded.

**MISS HASSLETOFF** (J. Maund) – slow to begin. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to have atrial fibrillation. Trainer, Ms L. Delaney, was advised that the results of an ECG are to be forwarded to the TRSA Veterinary Surgeon and a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to the mare performing satisfactorily in an Official Barrier Trial.

### **RACE 4: MURCH PLUMBING & ROOFING BENCHMARK 80 HANDICAP - 2000 metres**

**MISTA HOLYFIELD** (J. Maund) – over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

**HASTA LA THOMAS** (V. Wong) – approaching the finish raced in restricted room to the inside of WRITTEN RULZ, which was laying in under pressure. As a result, HASTA LA THOMAS was unable to be fully tested in the run to the finish.

**COSTA LANTE** (J. Huxtable) – raced wide without cover throughout the event.

**WRITTEN RULZ** (K. Bishop) – laid in under pressure in the straight.

### **RACE 5: F A MASTRANGELO DRAFTING & DESIGN SERVICES BENCHMARK 72 HANDICAP - 1300 metres**

**SANDHILL FLASH** (P. Gatt) – over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

**MOORE ALPHA** (K. Bishop) – rider reminded of her obligations to ride her mount out to the finish.

### **RACE 6: MCCARTHY TRANSPORT CLASS TWO HANDICAP - 2000 metres**

**HIGH ROLLA** (C. Lindop) – raced wide without cover throughout the event.

**LUVTHEJOURNEY** (J. Maund) – in the vicinity of the 400 metres became awkwardly placed on the heels of BRIDGY LASS. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**BERKSHIRE BABE** (J. Potter) – hampered in the vicinity of the 1600 metres when BRAEVIEW MISS shifted out after becoming awkward in its stride.

**BRIDGY LASS** (P. Gatt) – when questioned regarding the performance of the mare P. Gatt stated that his mount began to weaken from the vicinity of the 800 metres and was disappointing in its finishing efforts. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**MEMORY PARK** (C. Puls) – hampered shortly after jumping away.

**BRAEVIEW MISS** (J. Huxtable) – in the vicinity of the 1600 metres became awkward in its stride and shifted out making contact with BERKSHIRE BABE. In the incident J. Huxtable lost the use of his off side iron but was able to regain its use shortly thereafter.

**SPECTRUMS BITE** (A. Lindsay) – raced greenly when placed under pressure in the straight.

**RACE 7: ALLENDALE STUD BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1100 metres**

**BLONDE MISSILE** (J. Huxtable) – passing the 200 metres shifted in when insufficiently clear of BROBAK. Rider reminded of his obligations to be clear when shifting ground. Raced greenly in the straight.

**BROBAK** (C. Puls) – over-raced in the early stages of the event. In the vicinity of the 200 metres was momentarily inconvenienced when BLONDE MISSILE shifted in when insufficiently clear.

**VISUAL IMAGE** (E. Finnegan) – late scratching on Veterinary advice at 3.25 pm. Trainer, Mr N. Walker, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

**CYCLONE JESS** (S. Fawke) – laid out rounding the home turn. Momentarily held up for clear running on entering the straight.

**PHAR LINK** (D. Tourneur) – in the vicinity of the 500 metres became awkwardly placed on the heels of BROBAK and had to be restrained. Laid in under pressure in the straight. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

**RACE 8: STIRLING VINEYARDS SERVICES BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1550 metres**

**IAMTHEKEY** (J. Huxtable) – raced wide without cover throughout the event.

**AMBER ALERT** (J. Potter) – raced wide without cover throughout the event.

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**ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (4):**

Race 1 – A QUIET DRINK (winner)  
Race 3 – TRICK 'N' TREAT (winner)  
Race 5 – RHYTHMATIC (winner)  
Race 7 – BLONDE MISSILE (winner)

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<b>SUMMARY</b>	
<b>FINES</b>	Nil
<b>SEVERE REPRIMANDS</b>	Race 3 – E. Finnegan (SWEET DESIGN) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.
<b>REPRIMANDS</b>	Race 2 – D. Tourneur (PRESS ON) – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+1] – Whip offence. Race 2 – C. Puls (SCOTTISH THREAD) – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+2] – Whip offence. Race 7 – D. Tourneur (PHAR LINK) – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+1] – Whip offence. Race 7 – D. Caboche – AR120(b) – Overweight and having to be replaced on BETTER JOURNEY.
<b>SUSPENSIONS</b>	Nil
<b>HORSE ACTIONS</b>	Race 3 – EXPLOSIVE GIFT – Suspended – Must perform to Stewards satisfaction in an Official Barrier Trial or Official Jump-out prior to a future race – Stood flat-footed. Race 3 – MISS HASSLETOFF – Not to race – Results of an ECG and Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to completing a satisfactory Barrier Trial prior to a future race – Atrial fibrillation. Race 7 – VISUAL IMAGE – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Nasal discharge.
<b>ADJOURNED ENQUIRY</b>	Nil
<b>MEDICAL CLEARANCE</b>	Nil