

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Balaklava Racecourse
by the Balaklava Racing Club on Wednesday, 12 September 2018

Stewards: J. Petzer (Chairman), M. Santoro (MT), S. Callanan (F) & J. Adams (HT), (Stewards), K. Lemay-Robbins & T. Vanderstok (Cadet Stewards), N. Hawkins (Deputy Steward) Dr B. Agnew & Dr R. Haensel (Veterinary Surgeons)

TRACK: Good 4

WEATHER: Overcast

RAIL: True.

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
8	TEMPS VOLEUR	G. Cartwright		Late declaration – Explanation accepted
8	SILENT WARRIOR	O. Ridge		“
8	BY THE GRACE	J. Holder		“

RACE 1: TAYLORS WINES / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1600 metres

JOHNNY JOHNNY (K. Bishop) – which was fractious in its float en route to the course was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon on arrival on course who reported a small abrasion to a hind leg and declared the gelding fit to race. 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 fined \$200. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

KARAOKE EXPRESS (R. Hurdle) – 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.

LAST ONE NAMED (T. Pannell) – laid out from in the vicinity of the 700 metres to near the 300 metres.

MCAULIFFE (R. Clark) - 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 fined \$300.

PARTY TIGER (J. Potter) – contacted and inconvenienced at the start.

GLAMAROO (R. Sakai) – began awkwardly, shifted out and contacted PARTY TIGER, which was inconvenienced. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be lame in the off hind leg. Trainer, Mr R. Balfour, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

HINDLEY STREET (J. Kah) – laid in, in the straight and near the 100 metres was inconvenienced by ONCE IN A LIFETIME, which laid in and shifted in.

WAIKATO EXPRESS (N. Callow) – rider reported on return to scale that the gelding had its tongue over the bit during the event and made respiratory noises. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the off foreleg. Trainer, Mr L. O'Connor, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

ONCE IN A LIFETIME (L. Currie) – laid in near the 100 metres, shifted in and inconvenienced HINDLEY STREET.

RACE 2: BARDRILL / SABOIS THREE-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1300 metres

CAORUNN CITY (NZ) (D. Tourneur) – hampered at the start when tightened between FLYING CHESTER, which began awkwardly and shifted in, and COSMIC ALERT, which began awkwardly and shifted out. Thereafter laid in, in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FLYING CHESTER (R. Sakai) – awkward to begin, shifted in and contacted CAORUNN CITY (NZ). Raced keenly in the early stages of the event and wide without cover throughout. Hampered at the entrance to the straight by HOREYAT DUBAI, which shifted out, and thereafter laid in, in the straight.

GALAHAD GURU (R. Clark) – underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival at the barriers and passed fit to start.

QUAFFANY (L. Currie) – laid in, in the straight.

COSMIC ALERT (N. Callow) – awkward to begin, shifted out and contacted CAORUNN CITY (NZ). Rider reported that the filly was slow to begin and raced greenly during the event.

ENOUGH SWAGGER (T. Pannell) – raced keenly in the early stages of the event. Laid out from in the vicinity of the 800 metres to near the 400 metres. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the filly to be lame in the off hind leg. Co-trainers, Mr D. Clarken and Ms O. MacGillvray, were advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

HOREYAT DUBAI (J. Kah) – shifted out near the entrance to the straight and inconvenienced FLYING CHESTER. Rider reminded of her obligations when shifting ground. Laid in, in the straight. A post-race race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

JUST KAUTO (J. Potter) – awkward to begin.

SHE'S HOFF DANCING (K. Crowther) – raced keenly in the early stages of the event. Laid in, in the straight.

RACE 3: METRO PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes owing to REAL EASY rearing and proving fractious after being loaded into its barrier stall.

ATTICUS (NZ) (R. Hurdle) – awkward to begin and shortly thereafter was hampered by SO INTELLIGENT, which began awkwardly and shifted out.

REAL EASY (J. Maund) – fractious and reared after being loaded. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and passed fit to start. Laid in, in the early part of the straight and near the 400 metres was tightened between MUTHEERA, which maintained its line, and TROUBLESOME LAD, which shifted out, resulting in REAL EASY having to be steadied, losing its position. A post-race veterinary examination revealed small oedema to the nearside neck.

TROUBLESOME LAD (J. Holder) – shifted out near the 400 metres and tightened REAL EASY, which had to be steadied and lost its position. Rider severely reprimanded and advised to take greater care when shifting ground.

ULTIMATE REALITY (E. Finnegan) – very awkward to begin. Raced wide without cover throughout the event. Rider reported that the gelding raced erratically throughout the event and laid out. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SURREAL IMAGE (J. Toeroek) – over-raced in the early stages of the event. Laid in, in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

UNINHIBITED (NZ) (R. Clark) – stumbled at the start. Laid in, in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

YOSHIKO (N. Callow) – contacted at the start.

RACE 3: METRO PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 metres (Cont'd)

MUTHEERA (J. Kah) – awkward to begin, shifted in and contacted YOSHIKO. Laid in, in the straight.

SO INTELLIGENT (D. Caboche) – awkward to begin and shifted out onto ATTICUS (NZ), which was hampered.

RACE 4: THE ADVERTISER NEWSPAPERS BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1050 metres

DOMINATION (J. Kah) – lost its off hind plate during the event.

HE IS GOLDEN (T. Pannell) – near the 200 metres shifted out to improve and contacted COOL MAVERICK taking that horse wider.

COOL MAVERICK (R. Sakai) – contacted near the 200 metres by HE IS GOLDEN, which shifted out to improve.

OUR WITNESS (N. Callow) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SPARROWS (E. Finnegan) – laid in from near the 500 metres. Rider reported the mare made a respiratory noise during the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PRICKLES (J. Holder) – obliged to shift out near the 200 metres to obtain clear running. Thereafter laid in for the remainder of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed minor lacerations to both hind legs.

RACE 5: UBET BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP – 1600 metres

EXALTED HONEY (N. Callow) – slow to begin. Rider reported that the mare was off the bridle throughout the event and felt sore in front and for that reason he had dismounted after pulling up. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PLAYFELLOW (J. Kah) – held up for clear running from approaching the 400 metres until approaching the 200 metres.

A LITTLE CHUNKY (D. Tourneur) – slow to begin.

FREE THE WIND (J. Holder) – raced wide without cover throughout the event.

HOLY TRILOGEY (K. Crowther) – proved fractious on leaving the mounting enclosure, struck the mounting enclosure gate and then proved difficult to proceed to the barriers. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival at the barriers and passed fit to start. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. Trainer Mr S. Burford was advised a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its pre-race behaviour.

BROOKTON ICE (S. Fawke) – 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 fined \$600. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for S. Fawke's guilty plea; however, also considered his recent poor record for offences under this rule.

RACE 6: ATLAS EVENT & PARTY HIRE CLASS TWO HANDICAP - 1200 metres

VINLAND (L. Currie) – over-raced in the early stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

GROOVE WITH ME (J. Toeroek) – laid in over the concluding stages of the event.

MIDNIGHT STORM (R. Clark) – dipped at the start. Laid out over the concluding stages.

RACE 6: ATLAS EVENT & PARTY HIRE CLASS TWO HANDICAP - 1200 metres (Cont'd)

HURRICANES (E. Finnegan) – which had not raced since August 2017, underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to start. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

DATURA (R. Sakai) – raced wide without cover throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

IRON MAX (D. Caboche) – 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 fined \$100.

ASPALIS (J. Holder) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 7: COOPERS DRY FLYING HANDICAP - 1050 metres

DESERT LASHES (K. Crowther) – laid out from near the 100 metres.

MANUEL (L. Currie) – approaching the 800 metres jumped a colour contrasted section of the track and became unbalanced. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

USAIN DANE (S. Fawke) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip on more than five occasions and was fined \$200. Rider also found guilty under AR91 for leaving the course without Stewards' permission after his last engagement and was fined \$200.

RACE 8: HEINIGER BALAKLAVA CUP - 1600 metres

PRETTY PUNK (R. Clark) – near the 1300 metres was obliged to be steadied off the heels of MODULATE as that horse shifted in to obtain cover. Thereafter raced keenly for some distance.

TATOOSH (E. Finnegan) – inside the 1300 metres shifted in slightly, inconvenienced SPECIAL DIVA, and thereafter raced keenly for some distance. Rider explained that her instructions were to try to get to the fence and sit in the box seat. She stated she was unable to find a position on the fence behind the leader, and was obliged to sit just outside the leader. She added that at no stage was she instructed to lead in the event.

SILVERA (J. Kah) – unable to obtain clear running from in the vicinity of the 300 metres until near the 100 metres.

BROWN BEN (C. Parish) – inside the 800 metres became awkwardly placed on the heels of BY THE GRACE, as that horse steadied. Thereafter, approaching the 100 metres was unable to improve its position, became held up behind runners and was awkwardly placed on the heels of runners for a number of strides and was untested to the line.

MISS SISKA (L. Currie) – rider could offer no explanation for the horse's performance. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MODULATE (J. Toeroek) – near the 1300 metres shifted in into the running line of PRETTY PUNK, which had to be steadied. Rider severely reprimanded and advised to take greater care when shifting ground.

BY THE GRACE (J. Holder) – inside the 800 metres became awkwardly placed on the heels of SPECIAL DIVA for several strides and was obliged to be steadied.

EXCITES ZELADY (D. Caboche) – laid in, 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 fined \$200.

SPECIAL DIVA (D. Tourneur) – inside the 1300 metres was momentarily inconvenienced by TATOOSH, which shifted in. Raced keenly for some distance thereafter.

RACE 9: ADELAIDE GALVANISING INDUSTRIES BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1400 metres

AD FINEM (K. Crowther) – racing to the 200 metres laid in, shifted in and contacted UNSCOPEABLE on a number of occasions. Thereafter, inside the 200 metres rolled in slightly onto UNSCOPABLE, which was taken out by BROTHER DARKNESS, which shifted out, resulting in AD FINEM and UNSCOPEABLE making contact and AD FINEM being inconvenienced when awkwardly placed inside the heels of POLAR VORTEX, and the hindquarters of UNSCOPEABLE being turned.

MULLINGER LANE (J. Toeroek) – rider reported that the gelding choked down in running. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

UNSCOPEABLE (J. Huxtable) – approaching the 200 metres was contacted by AD FINEM, which laid in and shifted in. Inside the 200 metres was tightened between AD FINEM, which shifted in slightly, and BROTHER DARKNESS, which shifted out, and as a result made contact with AD FINEM, had its hindquarters turned and was hampered. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

BROTHER DARKNESS (G. Lo) – shifted out inside the 200 metres and tightened UNSCOPEABLE onto AD FINEM. Rider severely reprimanded for shifting ground and advised in future to take greater care when shifting ground.

KARMIDALA (R. Sakai) – initially held up for clear running from near the entrance to the straight and thereafter had difficulty obtaining clear running and was only able to obtain clear running inside the 200 metres.

SHE'S GOT RHYTHM (K. Bishop) – raced keenly in the early stages of the event.

PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (19):

Blood samples were taken from the following horses for, but not limited to, TCO₂ purposes:

Race 2 – JUST KAUTO.

Race 7 – JIM'S JOURNEY, DESERT LASHES.

Race 8 – PRETTY PUNK, TATOOSH, TEMPS VOLEUR, EXALTED ADAM, VICTORY DOWNS, SILVERA, BROWN BEN, MISS SISKA, SILENT WARRIOR, CHAPEL CITY, MODULATE, EMBECEEE LIL, BY THE GRACE, EXCITES ZELADY, SPECIAL DIVA, DIAPASON (NZ).

POST-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (1):

Race 3 – LONBERG (winner)

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (10)

Race 1 – ONCE IN A LIFETIME (winner)

Race 2 – GALAHAD GURU (winner)

Race 3 – LONBERG (winner)

Race 4 – DOMINATION (winner)

Race 5 – PLAYFELLOW (winner)

Race 6 – MIDNIGHT STORM (winner)

Race 7 – SHOWPERO (winner)

Race 8 – TEMPS VOLEUR (winner)

Race 8 – TATOOSH (second)

Race 9 – EXALTED LAURETTA (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	<p>Race 1 – K. Bishop (JOHNNY JOHNNY) – Fined \$200 – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+3] – Whip offence.</p> <p>Race 1 – R. Clark (MCAULIFFE) – Fined \$300 – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+6] – Whip offence.</p> <p>Race 5 – S. Fawke (BROOKTON ICE) – Fined \$600 – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+3] – Whip offence.</p> <p>Race 6 – D. Caboche (IRON MAX) – Fined \$100 – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+3] – Whip offence.</p> <p>Race 7 – S. Fawke (USAIN DANE) – Fined \$200 – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+1] – Whip offence.</p> <p>Race 8 – D. Caboche (EXCITES ZELADY) – Fined \$200 – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+2] – Whip offence.</p> <p>S. Fawke – Fined \$200 – AR91 – Leaving the course without the Stewards' permission after his last engagement.</p>
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	<p>Race 3 – J. Holder (TROUBLESOME LAD) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.</p> <p>Race 8 – J. Toeroek (MODULATE) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.</p> <p>Race 9 – G. Lo (BROTHER DARKNESS) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.</p>
REPRIMANDS	<p>Race 2 – R. Hurdle (KARAOKE EXPRESS) – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+1] – Whip offence.</p>
SUSPENSIONS	<p>Nil</p>
HORSE ACTIONS	<p>Race 1 – GLAMAROO – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lameness off hind leg.</p> <p>Race 1 – WAIKATO EXPRESS – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lameness off foreleg.</p> <p>Race 2 – ENOUGH SWAGGER – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lameness off hind leg.</p> <p>Race 5 – HOLY TRILOGEY – Warned – Pre-race behaviour.</p>
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	<p>Nil</p>
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	<p>Nil</p>