

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Murray Bridge Racecourse
by the Murray Bridge Racing Club on Wednesday, 19 October 2018

Stewards: J. Petzer (Chairman), M. Santoro (HT), S. Callanan (F), & J. Adams (M) (Stewards), K. Lemay-Robbins (Cadet Steward), N. Hawkins & H. Matthews (Deputy Stewards) Dr P. Horridge & Dr B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeons)

TRACK: Good 4

WEATHER: Overcast

RAIL: Normal

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
2	SHOWS PROMISE	D. Thornton	T. Pannell	Indisposed
4	INSTINCTUAL	"	T. Pannell	"
8	DAKTARI	"	L. Riordan	"

RACE 1: TOTAL WORKFORCE SOLUTIONS / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1600 metres

MYPO TIME (R. Hurdle) – awkward and slow to begin. Shifted out shortly after the start and contacted the hindquarters of JETTABEL. Thereafter raced very keenly and ungenerously at various stages and was awkwardly placed between the heels of runners in the early stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SLIPPERY JOURNEY (D. Tourneur) – laid in, in the straight.

GREY FROG (J. Maund) – awkward to begin. Laid out rounding the home turn.

JETTABEL (A. Chan) – contacted at the start and had its hindquarters turned. Raced wide without cover throughout the event.

RESISTA (A. Jordsjo) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR175(k) in that her negligence in weighing out for this event without race irons attached to her saddle could have led to a breach of the rules and was fined \$200.

PUTTING ON AIRS (J. Kah) – proved very fractious on leaving the mounting yard and galloped ungenerously for a short distance when proceeding to the barriers unbalancing J. Kah for several strides and resulting in her saddle shifting. Re-saddled on arrival at the barriers. Trainer, Mr M. Hickmott, was advised that a warning had been placed on the filly in relation to its pre-race manners.

RACE 2: BRIDGE CARPET COURT / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1400 metres

BULCMENE (G. Cartwright) – awkward to begin. Inside the 800 metres commenced to lay out and became awkwardly placed inside the heels of LA MAGIQUE for several strides.

LA MAGIQUE (P. Gatt) – awkward to begin. Laid in from near the 800 metres for a short distance. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137(b) for failing to ride his mount out over the concluding stages and was reprimanded. In determining penalty, Stewards had regard for P. Gatt's report immediately after the race that he had considered that the mare had felt awkward in its action over the concluding stages. 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.

RACE 2: BRIDGE CARPET COURT / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1400 metres (cont'd)

SHOWS PROMISE (T. Pannell) – late scratching at 9.00 am acting on confirmed advice that the gelding had injured its off hind leg. Trainer, Mr M. Hickmott, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

STAR FLIGHT (J. Holder) – examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon on arrival on course who reported that the mare had injured its head in the float en route to the race course. STAR FLIGHT was a late scratching at 12.12 pm by order of Stewards.

CROWN HARMONIUM (A. Chan) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

LIBERTY LOVER (R. Clark) – approaching the 1200 metres became awkwardly placed on the heels of LA MAGIQUE for several strides.

RACE 3: BGC INDUSTRIAL CLEANING SUPPLIES / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 900 metres

PICAYUNE (K. Crowther) – near the 700 metres had to be checked and was obliged to shift to the outside of VEGAS SUNRISE, which shifted in and crossed its running line. As a consequence, shifted out onto SMART ALICK, which was hampered for a number of strides. Thereafter when being corrected shifted in and momentarily inconvenienced REGALO DI GAETANO.

REGALO DI GAETANO (P. Gatt) – inconvenienced near the 700 metres. Raced greenly throughout the event.

SMART ALICK (T. Pannell) – had to be re-shod in the parade ring prior to proceeding to the barriers. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival at the barriers and was passed fit to start. Hampered for several strides near the 700 metres by PICAYUNE, which was obliged to shift out.

DREAM JOURNEY (C. Lions) – near the 500 metres laid in, shifted in and tightened KIMMIE QUICK SHOES, which had to be checked, losing its position. Thereafter laid in for the remainder of the event.

KIMMIE QUICK SHOES (J. Potter) – slow to begin. Near the 500 metres had to be checked and lost its position when DREAM JOURNEY laid in and shifted in. Raced greenly throughout in the straight thereafter. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MISS HARMONIUM (R. Clark) – difficult to load. Trainer, Mr J. Hickmott, was advised that a warning had been placed on the filly in relation to its loading manners. Awkward and slow to begin.

VEGAS SUNRISE (L. Riordan) – near the 700 metres shifted in when insufficiently clear of PICAYUNE, crossing that horse and taking its running, resulting in PICAYUNE having to be checked and shift out to avoid VEGAS SUNRISE's heels. Rider found guilty of a charge of careless riding under AR137(a) and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence midnight Saturday, 27 October 2018 to conclude midnight Tuesday, 6 November 2018, a period of 4 meetings.

RACE 4: FMG ENGINEERING BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 2200 metres

LORD GREYSON (S. Cahill) – raced keenly in the early stages of the event.

KARAOKE EXPRESS (R. Hurdle) – laid in, in the straight.

INSTINCTUAL (T. Pannell) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the off foreleg. Trainer, Mr M. Hickmott, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

MIDSOMER BARNABY (J. Maund) – rider reported that the gelding felt rough in its action during the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the off foreleg. Trainer, Mr D. Pannell, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

RACE 4: FMG ENGINEERING BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 2200 metres (cont'd)

NEED PRAGMATISM (J. Kah) – over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

RACE 5: RURAL CITY OF MURRAY BRIDGE THRIVING COMMUNITIES BM 60 HANDICAP – 1200 metres

LOVE CLUB (K. Crowther) – laid out in the straight and near the 200 metres continued to lay out tightening LITTLE HEATH, which had to be checked when tightened and as a consequence lost its position. Rider reported that her mount laid out during the event. Rider severely reprimanded. In considering this matter, Stewards had regard for the manner in which LOVE CLUB laid out. Having regard for the manner in which LOVE CLUB laid out Stewards advised trainer, Mr J. O'Connor, that the gelding was now required to perform to the satisfaction of Stewards in an Official Barrier Trial prior to a future race start. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SWIPE ME RIGHT (D. Tourneur) – held up for clear running from the entrance to the straight until approaching the 300 metres and thereafter laid in for the remainder of the event.

DABAY (L. Riordan) – proved very fractious and kicked out after being loaded into its barrier stall. Underwent a veterinary examination and was ruled unfit to start. Acting on this advice DABAY was declared a late scratching by order of Stewards at 3.06 pm. Trainer, Ms S. Hayes, was advised that the gelding was now required to prove tractable in an Official Barrier Trial prior to a future race.

TAKEMEHOMEMISTER (S. Fawke) – awkward to begin.

ASPALIS (A. Chan) – awkward to begin and slow into stride.

LITTLE HEATH (R. Hurdle) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

DEVINE TAPESTRY (J. Toeroek) – underwent a pre-race veterinary examination as it had not raced since December 2017 and was passed fit to start. Laid in, in the straight.

SPIRITED MATCH (A. Lindsay) – approaching the 200 metres was momentarily tightened between EXALTED DEE, which rolled in slightly, and SAND CAT, which rolled out slightly.

RACE 6: BURKE URBAN FLYING HANDICAP - 1000 metres

ÉCLAIR CHOICE (D. Tourneur) – underwent a pre-race examination as it had not raced since December 2017 and was passed fit to start. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

KARLOVASI (P. Gatt) - A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

COUNTER PULSE (R. Clark) – Rider reported the gelding was reluctant to stretch out during the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

BAROOD (E. Finnegan) – Laid in, in the straight.

RACE 7: CGU BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 900 metres

CLASSY JACK (D. Caboche) – inconvenienced at the start.

GEORDIE'S SECOND (K. Crowther) – underwent a pre-race veterinary examination as it had not raced since May 2017 and was passed fit to start. Awkward to begin, shifted out onto CLASSY JACK, which was taken out onto QUIDDICK, which was hampered when tightened onto VIVALDI'S QUEST.

WE HAVE LIFT OFF (J. Kah) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 7: CGU BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 900 metres (cont'd)

FORT NECESSITY (H. Coffey) – inclined to lay in, in the straight. Inconvenienced on a number of occasions in the straight when awkward outside the heels of JUST LIKE HEAVEN, which shifted ground on several occasions when laying out.

QUIDDICK (J. Toeroek) – hampered at the start when tightened onto VIVALDI'S QUEST, and was unable to maintain its position. Rider reported that as a consequence of suffering interference at the start he was unable to take up a forward of midfield position as intended.

JUST LIKE HEAVEN (D. Tourneur) – laid out throughout in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

YURILLA (A. Chan) – reared at the start and was very awkward to begin. Rider explained that after being awkward to begin the horse did not feel comfortable in its action during the event and for that reason he did not ride it out fully in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow Stewards to view the vision in relation to the start.

RACE 8: CARLTON DRAUGHT MURRAY BRIDGE GOLD CUP - 1600 metres

TEMPS VOLEUR (G. Cartwright) – awkward to begin. Rider explained that after being slow to begin she pushed forward to take up a more forward position as instructed. She added that from near the 600 metres the gelding appeared to weaken under the weight of 59 kilograms and failed to finish the event off as expected. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the near hind leg. Trainer, Mr C. Bieg, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

SILVERA (J. Kah) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MAGIC BOY (J. Holder) – held up for clear running from near the 500 metres until near the entrance to the straight.

SPECIAL DIVA (D. Tourneur) – rider explained that the mare was inclined to lay out throughout the event and was disappointing to the finish. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

EXCITES ZELADY (J. Toeroek) – inclined to lay in throughout the event.

ROSELLI STING (A. Chan) – awkward to begin. Laid in, in the straight.

DAKTARI (L. Riordan) – awkward to begin.

DR DAPPER (K. Lau) – laid in, in the straight placing its rider at a disadvantage when it ducked in sharply near the 300 metres.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow J. Holder (MAGIC BOY) placed third, and trainer Mr W. Clarken, to view the official vision in the straight.

RACE 9: BEYOND INK BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP- 1400 metres

WANTED BY ALL (K. Lau) – hampered near the 1300 metres when contacted by STRYKER FORTUNE, which shifted off abruptly of its own accord. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

EXALTED HONEY (T. Pannell) – rider reported that the mare did not travel in the early and middle stages of the event, was off the bridle and only responded to his riding in the straight.

IRON MAX (R. Clark) – rider reported that the gelding hung out in the straight.

RACE 9: BEYOND INK BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP- 1400 metres (cont'd)

JESTWIN (J. Potter) – inclined to lay in, in the straight.

HEREFORD (D. Tourneur) – held up for clear running from near the 500 metres until shortly after the entrance to the straight and thereafter approaching the 300 metres, when attempting a run between STRYKER FORTUNE and IRON MAX was unable to claim that run and was disappointed for running for some distance until inside the 200 metres.

STRYKER FORTUNE (A. Jordsjo) – shifted out abruptly of its own accord near the 1300 metres making contact with WANTED BY ALL hampering that horse. Laid out for the remainder of the event.

RIDER SAMPLING:

All 25 riders were breathalysed prior to taking their first ride of the day. All returned negative.

PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (18):

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

Race 4 – ROCK ON IVY (NZ), INSTINCTUAL, EVIL PRINCESS, STOPPETT.

Race 6 – ÉCLAIR CHOICE, KARLOVASI, COUNTER PULSE, MAZUREK.

Race 7 – VIVALDI'S QUEST, WE HAVE LIFT OFF, QUIDDICK.

Race 8 – TEMPS VOLEUR, SILVERA, MODULATE, HUSSYBAY, MAGIC BOY, SPECIAL DIVA, DAKTARI.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (10):

Race 1 – STAR STATUS (winner)

Race 2 – QUAFFANY (winner)

Race 3 – YANKEE EYES (winner)

Race 4 – EVIL PRINCESS (winner)

Race 5 – EXALTED DEE (winner)

Race 6 – MAZUREK (winner)

Race 7 – DOMINATION (winner)

Race 8 – VON COSTA GLASS (winner)

Race 8 - MODULATE (second)

Race 9 – IRON MAX (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 1 – A. Jordsjo (RESISTA) – Fined \$200 – AR175(k) – Weighed out without irons on her saddle.
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 5 – K. Crowther (LOVE CLUB) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.
REPRIMANDS	Nil
SUSPENSIONS	Race 3 – L. Riordan (VEGAS SUNRISE) – AR137(a) – Careless riding – From midnight 27/10/18 to midnight 6/11/18 – 4 meetings.

SUMMARY (cont'd)	
HORSE ACTIONS	<p>Race 1 – PUTTING ON AIRS – Warned – Pre-race manners.</p> <p>Race 2 – LA MAGIQUE – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lameness off hind leg.</p> <p>Race 3 – MISS HARMONIUM – Warned – Difficult to load.</p> <p>Race 4 – INSTINCTUAL – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lameness off foreleg.</p> <p>Race 4 – MIDSOMER BARNABY – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race - Lameness off foreleg.</p> <p>Race 5 – LOVE CLUB – Suspended – Required to perform to satisfaction of Stewards in an Official Barrier Trial prior to a future race start – Laid out.</p> <p>Race 5 – DABAY – Suspended – Required to prove tractable in an Official Barrier Trial prior to a future race start – Barrier manners.</p> <p>Race 8 – TEMPS VOLEUR – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lameness near hindleg.</p>
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil