

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville Parks
by the South Australian Jockey Club on Wednesday, 31 July 2019

Stewards: M. Santoro (A/Chairman), M. Williams (M), & A. Milne (F) (Stewards) K. Lemay-Robbins, T. Vanderstok (HT) & A. Streckbein (Cadet Stewards), A. Bittner & H. Matthews (Deputy Stewards), Dr P. Horridge & Dr B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeons).

TRACK: Soft 6 (Moist but not a badly affected track)

RAIL: Out 9 metres from 1000 metres to Winning Post, out 6 metres remainder. Sectional 612 metres.

WEATHER: Overcast

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	KOSTYA	T. Voorham	K. Lau	Dual engagement

RACE 1: M&J CHICKENS / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 metres

RODNEY (J. Holder) - raced wide without cover throughout the event. Rider reported that the gelding failed to let down over the final 300 metres. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

BROTHERHOOD OF MAN (T. Voorham) - horse jumped from barrier three instead of barrier one. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR198(1) and was fined \$200. Shifted out on jumping away and contacted FIGHT FOR FREEDOM, which was hampered when tightened onto LA PETITE ROUSSE.

FIGHT FOR FREEDOM (G. Lo) - hampered on jumping away. Laid out under pressure in the straight.

KOSTYA (K. Lau) - horse jumped from barrier one instead of barrier three. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR198(1) and was fined \$200.

LA PETITE ROUSSE (D. Tourneur) - contacted on jumping away. Laid out under pressure in the straight.

RACE 1: M&J CHICKENS / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 metres (cont'd)

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow Stewards to inquire in the circumstances that BROTHERHOOD OF MAN and KOSTYA jumped from the wrong barriers. Stewards considered evidence from the starter, assistant starter, apprentice T. Voorham, apprentice K. Lau and Mr J. O'Connor, the trainer of BROTHERHOOD OF MAN. Stewards were able to determine that a clerical error had been made by the starters resulting in the two horses being called into the wrong barriers. Both riders confirmed that they were aware that they had been loaded into the incorrect barriers but failed to raise this with the starters. After considering all the evidence Stewards confirmed the official order of placings in accordance with AR198(2)(a). In arriving at this decision Stewards took into account the instructions provided to both riders, how the field settled, the relative positions of the incorrect barriers (1 & 3) and how the race would likely have unfolded had the horses jumped from the correct barriers.

RACE 2: TERRY HOWE PRINTING / SABOIS FILLIES & MARES MAIDEN PLATE - 1250 metres

AUSTIN RAIDER (K. Lau)- inclined to shift about under pressure in the straight.

OUR MEMORIES (J. Toeroek) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination as it had not raced since April 2018 and was passed fit to start. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ISSARA (T. Voorham) - shifted out at the start onto MISS HARMONIUM. Raced wide without cover throughout the event.

MISS HARMONIUM (S. Fawke) - inconvenienced on jumping away. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

SASSY RAIDER (E. Boyd) - injured itself disembarking from the horse transport on arrival on course. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to start.

SWIFTY (T. Pannell) - acting on confirmed advice from trainer, Ms S. Kotz, that the filly had injured itself in the horse transport en route to the course Stewards declared SWIFTY a late scratching 10.21 am.

RACE 3: SCHWEPPE / SABOIS THREE-YEAR-OLD BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1250 metres

YANKEE LOU (J. Huxtable) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

STREKOZA (T. Pannell) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

ARTISTIC FOCUS (K. Lau) - jumped away awkwardly. Inclined to lay out under pressure in the straight.

RACE 4: HOLDFAST INSURANCE / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1400 metres

INDIAN MO (K. Lau) - trainer notified Stewards prior to the event that he would instruct his rider to attempt to settle on pace, but not lead in today's event. Settled last. Jumped away awkwardly and shortly after was hampered when contacted by JACK'S A CRACKER. Raced fiercely in the early and middle stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

GREY FROG (J. Holder) - hampered on jumping away. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event and approaching the 1000 metres was forced to be eased for a number of strides when JACK'S A CRACKER shifted in. Inconvenienced in the vicinity of the 50 metres when taken wider by IMPERIAL RAIDER.

RACE 4: HOLDFAST INSURANCE / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1400 metres (cont'd)

COOGEE DANCER (J. Maund) – inclined to shift about under pressure from the vicinity of the 700 metres until the entrance to the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

IMPERIAL RAIDER (G. Lo) – slow to begin. Shifted out in the vicinity of the 50 metres inconveniencing GREY FROG.

JACK'S A CRACKER (S. Logan) – jumped away awkwardly and shifted in contacting INDIAN MO. Shifted in approaching the 1000 metres into the running line of GREY FROG, which had to be eased. Rider reminded of her obligations when shifting ground in future. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

REGINA DEL DRAMMA (P. Gatt) – rider reported that the filly gave ground over the concluding 100 metres and pulled up quickly after passing the winning post and for that reason he had dismounted REGINA DEL DRAMMA. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SO INTELLIGENT (S. Fawke) – shifted out on jumping away onto GREY FROG.

RACE 5: HEINEKEN 3 BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1400 metres

BOOMER BEACH (J. Huxtable) – shifted in on jumping away contacting EXALTED TRAVELLER.

BAJAN (D. Tourneur) – raced keenly in the middle stages of the event.

EXALTED TRAVELLER (R. Hurdle) – inconvenienced on jumping away when contacted by BOOMER BEACH and UNSCOPEABLE. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

UNSCOPEABLE (T. Voorham) – shifted out on jumping away contacting EXALTED TRAVELLER. Inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

LET'S TANGO (K. Bishop) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

HAHNDORF (G. Lo) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

THRONES (K. Lau) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

RACE 6: TAB BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1550 metres

DIAMONDS ARE (A. Jordsjo) – raced wide without cover throughout the event.

SETTLE THEN LIFT (G. Lo) – hung out making the turn in the vicinity of the 900 metres and continued to hang out until the vicinity of the 300 metres when it was eased from the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. Trainer, Mr B. Holtham, explained that he believed that the mare's racing manners may have been as a result of it only being SETTLE THEN LIFT's second race racing in this direction. Mr Holtham was advised that a warning had been placed on the mare in relation to its racing manners.

DIAMOND TYCOON (J. Holder) – laid out under pressure over the concluding 100 metres.

ANGEL'S WISH (K. Lau) – in the vicinity of the 300 metres laid in onto DIAMONDS ARE. Inclined to lay in under pressure for the remainder of the event.

RACE 7: AAMI BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1950 metres

CHILEAN WONDER (R. Hurdle) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Laid out under pressure in the straight.

COBBERS MATE (G. Lo) - got its head down just prior to the start being effected and as a result was slow to begin. Held up for clear running from the entrance to the straight until the vicinity of the 100 metres. Rider explained that he had difficulty improving his position and obtaining clear ground in the straight due to his horse laying in, and also the position of BARSHONTI.

ROCK ON IVY (NZ) (S. Logan) - hung out rounding the home turn. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

BARSHONTI (D. Tourneur) - inside the 500 metres was held up for a short distance.

ALDOLPHIN (C. Lions) - dislodged its rider en route to the barrier and was quickly recaptured. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and passed fit to start. C. Lions was examined by the First Care Medical personnel and was passed fit to ride. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

RACE 8: ADELAIDE GALVANISING BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1250 metres

RAHEEBA (T. Voorham) - inside the 1000 metres shifted in when insufficiently clear of FUGITIVE, which lost its position when tightened onto ARTISTIC ESCAPE. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge of careless riding under AR131(a) and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence midnight Wednesday, 7 August 2019 and to conclude midnight Wednesday, 14 August 2019, a period of three meetings.

BROTHER DARKNESS (G. Lo) - lost its position inside the 1000 metres when MISTY HALO shifted in at the same time as REACT changed stride and rolled out slightly.

FEVER (K. Lau) - raced wide without cover throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MISTY HALO (D. Tourneur) - inside the 1000 metres shifted out slightly onto ARTISTIC ESCAPE, which had been taken in, resulting in the mare shifting in and away onto BROTHER DARKNESS. Lost its near fore plate during the event.

FUGITIVE (S. Fawke) - slow to begin. Inside the 1000m lost its position when taken in onto ARTISTIC ESCAPE by RAHEEBA.

ARTISTIC ESCAPE (C. Lions) - inside the 1000 metres taken in slightly onto MISTY HALO.

REACT (A. Jordsjo) - Stewards granted permission for apprentice A. Jordsjo to only claim 1kg of her allowance as there was no other apprentice available that could claim the full amount. Rider was reprimanded under AR143(14)(a). Inside the 1000 metres changed stride and rolled out slightly onto BROTHER DARKNESS.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow P. Gatt (HE'S GOT SKILLS) placed second, to view the official vision in the straight. After doing so P. Gatt lodged an objection against BROTHER DARKNESS (G. Lo) being declared the winner on the grounds of alleged interference from the entrance to the straight until inside the 200 metres. After considering the evidence, viewing the vision and acting on their own observations Stewards *dismissed* the objection.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (8):

Race 1 - CIBACHROME (winner)
 Race 2 - MISS HARMONIUM (winner)
 Race 3 - SIR JOHNSON (winner)
 Race 4 - SHINING BRIGHTLY (winner)
 Race 5 - HAHNDORF (winner)
 Race 6 - SVETLANA'S ARROW (winner)
 Race 7 - CHILEAN WONDER (winner)
 Race 8 - BROTHER DARKNESS (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 1 - T. Voorham (BROTHERHOOD OF MAN) - Fined \$200 - AR198(1) - Started from the wrong barrier. Race 1 - K. Lau (KOSTYA) - Fined \$200 - AR198(1) - Started from the wrong barrier.
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Race 8 - A. Jordsjo (REACT) - AR143(14)(a) - Failed to claim her full allowance.
SUSPENSIONS	Race 8 - T. Voorham (RAHEEBA) - AR131(a) - Careless riding - From midnight 7/8/19 to 14/8/19 - 3 meetings.
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 6 - SETTLE THEN LIFT - Warned - Hung out.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil