

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED  
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Bordertown Racecourse  
by the Bordertown Racing Club on Monday, 27 January 2020

**Stewards:** N. Laskey (A/Chairman), C. Deakin (MT) & D. Cookson (F) (Stewards) T. Vanderstok (HT) (Cadet Steward), J. Foster & T. Reed (Deputy Steward), Dr D. Goulding (Veterinary Surgeon).

**TRACK:** Good 4

(Track with some give in it)

**RAIL:** True

**WEATHER:** Fine

**RIDER CHANGES:**

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	YIN AND YANG	R. Hurdle	P. Gatt	Overweight
7	NOBLE ROCKS	G. Lo		Late declaration - explanation accepted
7	VEIN CHOICE	K. Lau		Emergency

**RACE 1: DOAN PHARMACIES / SABOIS MAIDEN HANDICAP - 1300 metres**

**KANZO** (S. Price) - rider reported that he was concerned with the KANZO'S action over the concluding stages. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**KONIGSBERG** (L. Halliday) - began awkwardly. After passing the 600 metres eased and lost ground when tightened by GIRLINTHEMIRROR, which shifted in and away from KANZO.

**UNCLE BOB** (S. Logan) - raced keenly in the vicinity of the 1000 metres and when doing so was eased off the heels of GIRLINTHEMIRROR. Shortly thereafter had to be steadied when crowded between KANZO and YIN AND YANG, which shifted out to avoid the heels of KONIGSBERG after that mare lost ground. Approaching the 300 metres eased to avoid the heels of YIN AND YANG, which shifted out.

**YIN AND YANG** (P. Gatt) - raced keenly in the middle stages of the event. Rider was severely reprimanded for permitting his mount to shift out when insufficiently clear near the 300 metres resulting in UNCLE BOB having to be eased.

**LYRICKIN'S DREAM** (J. Potter) - rider examined by the First Care Medical Personnel and ruled fit to fulfil his remaining engagements.

Correct weight was delayed to allow Trainer Mr J. Dodgson (YIN YANG) placed fifth, to view the official footage.

**RACE 2: BORDERTOWN STONE / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 metres**

**THE CRACKER** (T. Pannell) - laid in under pressure over the concluding stages.

**WANDO BEL** (S. Cahill) - began awkwardly resulting in the rider becoming unbalanced.

**RACE 2: BORDERTOWN STONE / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 metres (Cont'd)**

**GONDOLA (NZ)** (C. Puls) - rider explained after passing the 200 metres, she sat quietly on her mount for a number of strides as she was concerned with the mare's action and was also wary of THE CRACKER, which was racing to her outside and laying in towards her mount. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**RACE 3: WICKHAM FLOWER / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 2000 metres**

**NERO TO HERO** (R. Hurdle) - began awkwardly.

**TEXAS JACK (NZ)** (S. Cahill) - rider reprimanded under AR131(b) for failing to ride his mount out to the finish.

**THE GREAT MARTINI** (S. Fawke) - slow to begin and then had to be eased off the heels of NERO TO HERO, which shifted out.

**MISS VERNE** (L. Neindorf) - in the vicinity of the 400 metres eased to avoid the heels of THE GREAT MARTINI, which shifted out when improving.

**RITRATTO DI DONNA** (T. Voorham) - raced keenly in the early stages of the event. Raced wide without cover throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**RACE 4 MURCH PLUMBING BENCHMARK 62 HANDICAP - 1200 metres**

**ROHLON DRUNK** (L. Neindorf) - shortly after the start bumped with SEE ME ROLLIN'. Inside the 300 metres laid in and became awkward on the heels of MIGHTY MABEL.

**NEVER SHORT** (P. Gatt) - rider reported that despite his efforts his mount was reluctant to stretch out throughout the event and was disappointing. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**SEE ME ROLLIN'** (J. Potter) - shortly after the start was bumped by ROHLON DRUNK.

**MIGHTY MABEL** (T. Voorham) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

**RACE 5: IRON JACK BENCHMARK 62 HANDICAP - 1550 metres**

**RHYTHMATIC** (L. Halliday) - lost ground at the start after beginning awkwardly.

**CONSTANT RETURN** (K. Bishop) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination as it has not raced for over 12 months and passed fit to race.

**GEORGETHEFIFTH (NZ)** (J. Cartwright) - held up for clear running from the 500 metres until near the 300 metres.

**RACE 6: FINNS FINE FOOD / SABOIS PLUS SUMMER CUP - 2000 metres**

**MISTA HOLYFIELD** (L. Neindorf) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**IMPULSE DIAVOLO** (S. Logan) - jumped away awkwardly and bumped TZAREVNA. Near the 300 metres made contact with DISCO REBEL and shifted in slightly.

**DISCO REBEL** (J. Maund) - slow to begin.

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**RACE 6: FINNS FINE FOOD / SABOIS PLUS SUMMER CUP - 2000 metres (Cont'd)**

**TZAREVNA** (L. Halliday) - bumped by **IMPULSE DIAVOLO** on jumping away. Raced wide without cover throughout the event. Shifted out slightly when tiring near the 300 metres.

**SOLAAZEM** (J. Potter) - near the 300 metres, when attempting a narrow run between **TZAREVNA** and **IMPULSE DIAVOLO**, had to be checked when **TZAREVNA**, shifted out slightly and **IMPULSE DIAVOLO**, shifted in slightly after making contact with **DISCO REBEL**.

**RACE 7: MCCARTHY TRANSPORT BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1550 metres**

**O'MIZZNA** (T. Voorham) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

**TURNPIKE** (T. Pannell) - rider reported the gelding did not travel well throughout the event and was generally disappointing. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**VINDEX** (J. Maund) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

**VEIN CHOICE** (K. Lau) - reared on jumping away.

Correct weight was delayed to allow the Steward to view the start of the race to ascertain whether **VEIN CHOICE** had been denied a fair start. After considering the evidence, on viewing the official footage and acting on their own observations, Stewards deemed **VEIN CHOICE** a starter. It was established that as the start was effected, the mare, which had been restless in the barrier, reared and lost ground.

**ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (4):**

- Race 1 - **YIN AND YANG** (winner)
- Race 2 - **WONAEAMIRRI** (winner)
- Race 4 - **ROHLON DRUNK** (winner)
- Race 6 - **PASS THE GLASS** (winner)

<b>SUMMARY</b>	
<b>FINES</b>	Race 1 - R. Hurdle - Fined \$100 - AR190(3) - Overweight and having to be replaced on <b>YIN AND YANG</b> .
<b>SEVERE REPRIMANDS</b>	Race 1 - P. Gatt ( <b>YIN AND YANG</b> ) - AR131(a) - Careless Riding.
<b>REPRIMANDS</b>	Race 3 - S. Cahill ( <b>TEXAS JACK (NZ)</b> ) - AR131(b) - Failed to ride mount out to the finish.
<b>SUSPENSIONS</b>	Nil
<b>HORSE ACTIONS</b>	Nil
<b>ADJOURNED INQUIRIES</b>	Nil
<b>MEDICAL CLEARANCE</b>	Nil