

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Port Augusta Racecourse
by the Port Augusta Racing Club on Sunday, 21 June 2020

Stewards: C. Deakin (A/Chairman), A. Milne (F) (Stewards) & K. Moran (HT) & E. Tickner (MT) (Cadet Steward) & A. Deakin, C. Edson (Deputy Stewards), Dr D. Anderson (Veterinary Surgeon)

TRACK: Good

RAIL: True

WEATHER: Overcast

RACE 1: TECH WOOL TRADING / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE RACE - 1100 Metres

COMMANDING DRAGON (M. Collett) - laid in, in the straight.

LITTLE MIKI (C. Lions) - slow to begin.

PERUVIAN EXPRESS (D. Caboche) - rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) for using his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

GREAT WHITE HOPE (A. Lindsay) - raced fiercely throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. Trainer Mr M. Moosha was advised a warning had been placed on the mare in relation to its racing manners.

RACE 2: ELDERS PORT AUGUSTA / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1498 Metres

DR CHOCCY (S. Logan) - laid out from the 600 metres. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

GUNFIREINTHECITY (A. Lindsay) - slow to begin. Had difficulty obtaining clear running from the 300 metres until inside 100 metres. Rider reminded of her obligations under AR131(b) that being once she obtained clear running inside the 100 metres, she should have shown more vigour to encourage her mount to improve to the finish. Rider explained her instructions were to settle mid-field but after being slow into stride, the gelding was reluctant to stride out and from the 1200 metres was inclined to lay out, which made it difficult to encourage the gelding going forward. She added GUNFIREINTHECITY was held up for clear running for most of the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

IT'S MAGIC (J. Potter) - rider accidentally dropped his whip in the vicinity of the 300 metres.

OURKEED (S. Fawke) - jumped away awkwardly. Laid in, in the straight.

CHARADE (D. Tootell) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

IMA LUCKY STAR (C. Lions) - laid out throughout the event.

RACE 3: MAHANEWO PROPRIETORS SQUATTER'S CUP - 1867 Metres

VISAO (K. Bishop) - laid out from the 400 metres until in the 200 metres. Raced greenly in the straight. Rider explained that when the tempo of the race improved from the 1100 metres, the gelding was unable to quicken and lost contact with the field until the 400 metres.

NOSTROVIA (S. Fawke) - Stewards permitted S. Fawke to ride the filly 0.5 kg over its declared weight of 54kg.

RACE 4: BILLA KALINA PASTORAL COMPANY CLASS TWO HANDICAP - 1396 Metres

REX GOLIATH (S. Logan) - laid in, in the straight.

FULL TILT (K. Bishop) - contacted on jumping away. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

WATCH DAT STINGER (K. Zechner) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and contacted FULL TILT. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

MISS FORBIDDEN (E. Boyd) - hung out throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PARADISE COVE (USA) (J. Potter) - inside the 400 metres became disappointed when attempting a run between MISS FORBIDDEN and OLIVE GROVE, when both runners shifted ground.

RACE 5: NUTRIEN AG SOLUTIONS PORT AUGUSTA BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

PANDEIA (J. Opperman) - got its head up shortly after the start for a short distance.

CALL ME ANYTHING (S. Fawke) - in the vicinity of the 400 metres was obliged to be steadied to avoid the heels of SHINING MANE.

SHINING MANE (D. Caboche) - laid out in the straight. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) for using his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was fined \$100.

HARLEM LOVE (K. Bishop) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course as the mare had not raced since in almost 12 months and passed fit to race. Bumped on jumping away by GUEST LIST.

GUEST LIST (M. Collett) - shifted out on jumping away and bumped HARLEM LOVE and as a result was slow to begin.

OLD FARM ROAD (NZ) (C. Lions) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course as the gelding had not raced since in almost 12 months and passed fit to race.

A THOUSAND DEGREES (K. Zechner) - raced keenly in the middle stages of the event.

RACE 6: MCDOUALL PEAK PTY LTD BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

TAJAVEDO (A. Lindsay) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Inside the 100 metres improved onto the heels of runners, became held up and was untested to the finish. When questioned A. Lindsay explained she was instructed to find cover in the early stages and also to wait as long as she could, if possible and until straightening, before asking TAJAVEDO to improve. Trainer Mr B. Lear confirmed the instructions provided. She further explained, after jumping away well, the gelding settled mid-field with cover however, shortly thereafter began to race keenly and grabbed the left side of the bit which placed her at a disadvantage during the event, but particularly when asking it to improve in the straight. She also added that from the near the 400 metres, TAJAVEDO didn't quicken as anticipated and for that reason she elected not to expose the gelding

RACE 6: MCDOUALL PEAK PTY LTD BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1200 Metres (Cont'd)

out wider as it was not travelling well enough to do so. She further explained that inside the 150 metres the gelding began to improve, however given the formation of the field at this point, she was obliged to ride for luck and over the concluding stages became held up on the heels of runners. After considering her explanation, Stewards noted her explanation, however considered she had opportunity to improve to the outside of runners in the straight, and in their opinion she should have tested this option. In the circumstances A. Lindsay was advised to ride her mounts in a manner that does not invite question in future. Stewards also determined that A Lindsay must attend the the Riders Advisory Panel.

DOUG'S JOURNEY (D. Caboche) - hampered on jumping away. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

GOODARCHIE (S. Fawke) - jumped away awkwardly and as a result was slow to begin.

DOWNS AFTER DARK (K. Zechner) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out bumping **JUST KAUTO**.

JUST KAUTO (J. Potter) - bumped on jumping away and taken out onto **DOUG'S JOURNEY**.

RACE 7: WIRREALPA STATION BENCHMARK 68 HANDICAP - 1396 Metres

WHITE JADE (K. Zechner) - laid in, in the straight.

STONECAST (D. Caboche) - hung out from the 600 metres. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ARCTIC BLAZE (S. Fawke) - Stewards permitted S. Fawke to ride the filly 0.5 kg over its declared weight of 54kg.

TYCOON FLUTTER (NZ) (J. Opperman) - got its head up on jumping away and shifted out.

RACE 8 NONNING PASTORAL CO BENCHMARK 62 HANDICAP - 1600 Metres

MULLAGHMORE - a late scratching at 9.04 am by order of Stewards acting on veterinary advice as the gelding had swelling to the near foreleg.

OLIVER'S TALE (S. Fawke) - on jumping away shifted out and bumped **REAL EASY**.

ART MUSIC (J. Potter) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

MINNAMOSA (NZ) (E. Boyd) - inclined to lay in, in the straight.

ORLEANS (K. Zechner) - jumped away awkwardly.

HARRELSON (C. Lions) - approaching the 1500 metres was obliged to be steadied when racing in restricted room between **ART MUSIC** and **KNAVESMIRE**, when both shifted ground.

IT'S CHIEF (T. Voorham) - stood flat footed at the start and as a result was slow to begin. Trainer Mr B. Holtham was advised a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to it standing flat footed. Rider accidentally dropped her whip in the vicinity of the 200 metres. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (8):

- Race 1 - ENVYEM (winner)
- Race 2 - QUICKER THAN SLICK (winner)
- Race 3 - CONNERMARA ROSE (2nd)
- Race 4 - PARADISE COVE (USA) (4th)
- Race 5 - GUEST LIST (2nd)
- Race 6 - MAYBE THIS TIME (winner)
- Race 7 - AUGUSTA ROCK (winner)
- Race 8 - OLIVER'S TALE (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 5 - D. Caboche (SHINING MANE) - Fined \$100 - AR132(7)(a)(ii)[+2] - Whip offence.
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Race 1 - D. Caboche (PERUVIAN EXPRESS) - AR132(7)(a)(ii)[+2] - Whip offence.
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 - GREAT WHITE HOPE - Warned - Racing manners. Race 8 - IT'S CHIEF - Warned - Stood flat footed
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil