

Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Morphetville Parks
Racecourse by the South Australian Jockey Club on
Saturday 24 April, 2021



Stewards: M. Santoro (A/Chairman), M. Zarb (HT) (Steward), T. Vanderstok (F) & B. Jarman (M) (Cadet Stewards), D. Jonas, K. Rayson, J. Hittmann, E. Santoro & J. Patton (Deputy Stewards), Dr P. Horridge & B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeons).

TRACK: Good 4

(Track with some give in it)

RAIL:

WEATHER: Fine

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
8	CHAMPAGNE DREAMS	K. Zechner		Notified

RACE 1: TERRY HOWE PRINTING THREE-YEARS-OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 Metres

COVERED CALL (K. Zechner) - slow into stride. Laid out rounding the home turn.

TRANSFERENCE (T. Pannell) - slow to begin.

CASSANDRA ISABEL (C. Hefel) - inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

FALL ON A STAR (K. Crowther) - jumped away awkwardly, raced keenly in the early and middle stages, inclined to lay out over the final 600 metres.

RACE 2: TAB HANDICAP - 1000 Metres


TOO GOOD TOO HARD (J. Opperman) - slow to begin. Rider explained that in his opinion, the mare would be suited over a longer trip. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ELDERFLOWER (J. Eaton) - rider explained that she had been instructed to lead in the event, however, after jumping away awkwardly, the mare was unable to obtain the lead despite her efforts and, due to the formation of the field, she elected to restrain in an attempt to obtain cover.

STREETCAR STRANGER (K. Crowther) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Held up from the vicinity of the 400 metres until near the 100 metres.

SOUL OBSESSION (D. Lane) - from the entrance to the straight was reluctant and inclined to lay out when attempting a run to the inside of TRIP.

BRAY STREET BOSS (J. Holder) - jumped away awkwardly. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the near hind leg.



RACE 3: ADELAIDE RACING CARNIVAL - MAY 1ST - 15TH HANDICAP - 1300 Metres

MARITANA (C. Hefel) – shifted out to improve near the 300 metres and, in doing so, brushed JAGUARY (NZ). Inclined to lay out under pressure in the straight.

I REMEMBER YOU (J. Toeroek) – rider explained that the mare travelled well in the early and middle stages of the event, however, when placed under pressure near the 400 metres failed to respond to his riding and was disappointing. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

LORD GODODDIN (GB) (E. Finnegan) – reluctant to proceed to the start until the crossover noseband and tongue tie were removed. Gear refitted on arrival at the barriers. Jumped away awkwardly and slow to begin. Rider reported that the gelding resented the crossover nose band and tongue tie during the race and was reluctant to stretch out. Trainer, Mr. P. Saxon, was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its pre-race, barrier and racing manners. Mr. Saxon undertook to experiment with and change LORD GODODDIN's approved gear prior to its next start.

JAGUARY (NZ) (T. Pannell) – following the declaration of acceptances Trainer, Mr. T. Doudle, made a gear application to remove blinkers, cross-over nose band and tongue tie from the gelding's race gear. Stewards accepted this request and acting under AR206(2) fined Mr Doudle \$200. Inconvenienced near the 300 metres when contacted and taken wider by MARITANA.

RACE 4: CAMERON DAVIDSON PAINTERS AND DECORATORS HANDICAP - 1400 Metres

PEARL BANDIT (W. Price) – near the 250 metres had to be steadied when ICE GHOST was taken out into its running line.

BUSKER'S BALLAD (D. Tourneur) – slow to begin.

ICE GHOST (J. Eaton) – near the 250 metres was inconvenienced and taken wider when GALCRUM was taken out.

RUBBLE (E. Finnegan) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Laid out under pressure in the straight and near the 250 metres shifted out onto BORN TO PLAY which was taken out onto GALCRUM. Rider was reprimanded under AR131(a) and advised in future to make a greater effort in keeping her mount straight.

AMBIDAZZLE (J. Holder) – raced keenly in the middle stages of the event.

HE'S A BALTER (T. Pannell) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

GALCRUM (R. Hurdle) – inconvenienced when taken wider by BORN TO PLAY near the 250 metres. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the filly had strained its near fore tendon. First aid administered. Trainer, Mr D. Reynolds, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to a future trial or race start.

BORN TO PLAY (B. Vorster) – inconvenienced when taken wider near the 200 metres by RUBBLE.

RACE 5: MURRAY AND BARB STEWART'S 63RD ANNIVERSARY MEMORIAL HANDICAP - 1250 Metres

DEBBONAIRE BOY (T. Pannell) – raced wide without cover and laid out throughout the event. Rider reported that the gelding hung out throughout the event and did not feel comfortable in its action. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

WOUNDED SOLDIER (NZ) (E. Finnegan) – had difficulty obtaining clear ground for a short distance on entering the straight.

NEVER YOU MIND (C. Jones) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) in that she used her whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded. In determining penalty, Stewards had regard for the totality of the use of the whip by C. Jones and noted that she used her whip on four occasions over the last 100 metres.





RACE 5: MURRAY AND BARB STEWART'S 63RD ANNIVERSARY MEMORIAL HANDICAP - 1250 Metres (Cont'd)

ALPHAÆUS (J. Eaton) - laid out under pressure in the straight.

SWEET DISTRACTION (J. Toeroek) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

RACE 6: H C NITSCHKE STAKES - 1400 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two (2) minutes to avoid a clash with an interstate race.

EXTRA TIME (J. Holder) - shifted out on jumping away onto SPARKUP.

THRILL KILL (C. Jones) - Trainer, Mr. P. Hardacre, advised Stewards prior to the event of a change of tactics in that he would instruct his rider to attempt to settle forward of mid-field if possible. Settled on pace. Raced wide without cover throughout the event.

SPARKUP (J. Toeroek) - contacted on jumping away, held up from near the 400 metres until near the 200 metres.

COOL MAGNUM (T. Pannell) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

MORPHETT ROAD (S. Metcalfe) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

ANNAVISTO (NZ) (M. Dee) - contacted on jumping away.

AGREEABLE (D. Lane) - held up from near the 400 metres until approaching the 200 metres.

HIGHLY DISCREET (K. Crowther) - shifted out on jumping away onto ANNAVISTO (NZ). Held up from near the 400 metres until approaching the 200 metres when it was able to alter course to the outside of WAY TO GO PAULA.

DAILY SPIRIT (D. Tourneur) - inside the 300 metres rider dropped his near side rein when pulling his whip through and, as a result, the filly shifted in onto ZERO INN.

ZERO INN (A. Jordsjo) - inside the 300 metres was hampered when DAILY SPIRIT shifted in. Laid out under pressure over the concluding 150 metres. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

POINT BLAZE (J. Eaton) - held up from near the 400 metres until inside the 200 metres.

RACE 7: HOLDFAST INSURANCE CITY OF ADELAIDE HANDICAP - 1400 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two (2) minutes to avoid a clash with an interstate race.

GROUNDSWELL (D. Lane) - laid out under pressure in the straight.

SKY PUNCH (NZ) (J. Eaton) - jumped away awkwardly. Rider explained that the gelding had never travelled and had not improved when placed under pressure. She added, in her opinion, the gelding was disappointed. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

TERRITORY TITAN (K. Crowther) - raced wide without cover throughout the event. Rider explained that, in her opinion, the gelding had raced flat. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MASTER CHUM (E. Boyd) - laid out under pressure in the straight.





RACE 8: BREEDERS' STAKES - 1200 Metres

HE'S XCEPTIONAL (J. Eaton) – shifted out on jumping away and contacted PRINCESS RAFFLES. Inconvenienced near the 1100 metres when taken wider by KNIGHTSTOWN. Raced wide without cover and greenly throughout the event. Near the 200 metres shifted in onto KNIGHTSTOWN which was taken in contacting FROM PANTHERLAND. Rider was reprimanded under AR131(a) and advised in future to make a greater effort to straighten her mounts when they commence to shift ground.

KNIGHTSTOWN (R. Hurdle) – approaching the 1100 metres shifted out and away from KARACASU onto HE'S XCEPTIONAL. Near the 200 metres had to take hold and became unbalanced when tightened onto FROM PANTHERLAND. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FROM PANTHERLAND (M. Dee) – near the 200 metres had to take hold and became unbalanced when contacted by KNIGHTSTOWN at the same time as ISLES OF AVALON shifted out slightly. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CHAMPAGNE DREAMS (K. Zechner) – shifted out on jumping away onto I AM ENCHANTING. Hung out from the 500 metres until near the 300 metres.

I AM ENCHANTING (D. Lane) – contacted on jumping away. From near the 400 metres until near the 200 metres had difficulty obtaining clear ground.

ISLES OF AVALON (B. McDougall) – inclined to shift about under pressure in the straight and near the 200 metres shifted out onto FROM PANTHERLAND.

PRINCESS RAFFLES (J. Holder) – contacted on jumping away.

RACE 9: CHAIRMAN'S STAKES - 2040 Metres

ROYAL MILE (J. Opperman) – shifted in on jumping away, contacted MONTEPULCIANO.

AZALY (B. McDougall) – contacted on jumping away.

CONFRONTATIONAL (B. Vorster) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

CASINO SEVENTEEN (K. Crowther) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. In the vicinity of the 900 metres became awkwardly placed on the heels of MONTEPULCIANO and was obliged to shift out to obtain clear ground. Approaching the 100 metres shifted out slightly onto ABREED.

DEEPSTRIKE (NZ) (M. Dee) – had difficulty obtaining clear ground from near the 400 metres until approaching the 200 metres and then became held up until the vicinity of the 100 metres. Contacted by MILETUS approaching the 150 metres.

MILETUS (D. Lane) – approaching the 150 metres was taken out by MONTEPULCIANO onto DEEPSTRIKE (NZ).

ELLMAKNIFICO (NZ) (T. Pannell) – raced wide without cover throughout the event. Rider explained that the gelding was forced to race wide and when placed under pressure failed to respond to his riding and was disappointing to the finish. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

NOBEL HEIGHTS (W. Price) – approaching the 100 metres shifted in slightly onto ABREED.

ABREED (R. Hurdle) – approaching the 100 metres had to be steadied when it shifted out and away from CASINO SEVENTEEN onto NOBLE HEIGHTS which shifted in slightly.

MONTEPULCIANO (J. Toeroek) – shifted out on jumping away and contacted ROYAL MILE. Inclined to lay out under pressure in the straight. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded. In determining penalty, Stewards had regard for the totality of the use of the whip by J.Toeroek and noted that he used his whip on eleven occasion over the last 100 metres.

RACE 9: CHAIRMAN'S STAKES - 2040 Metres (Cont'd)

OATH OF OMERTA (J. Eaton) – jumped away awkwardly and shifted out onto AZALY. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SHEBRINGZIT (K. Zechner) – slow into stride.

PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (35):

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

Race 2: TOO GOOD TOO HARD, ELDERFLOWER, STREETCAR STRANGER, HEAVENLY BRIDGES, SOUL OBSESSION, BRAY STREET BOSS
Race 3: MARITANA, JAGUARY, SKILLED BUNCH, CALL ME CURTIS
Race 4: PEARL BANDIT, MISTER YU SHU, GALCRUM, BORN TO PLAY
Race 5: DEBBOAIRE BOY, WOUNDED SOLDIER, NEVER YOU MIND, MISS HARMONIUM
Race 6: ANNAVISTO, INCREDULOUS DREAM, AGREEABLE, POINT BLAZE
Race 7: GROUNDSWELL, MAMZELLE TESS, TERRITORY TITAN, ALSVIOR
Race 8: HE'S XCEPTIONAL, KNIGHTSTOWN, CLOUDY, ISLES OF AVALON
Race 9: ROYAL MILE, DEEPSTRIKE, ELLMAKNIFICO, NOBEL HEIGHTS, ABREED

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (9):

Race 1 – MR TEE KAY (winner)
Race 2 – STREETCAR STRANGER (winner)
Race 3 – AIGUILLETTE (winner)
Race 4 – MISTER YU SHU (winner)
Race 5 – OVER THERE (winner)
Race 6 – INCREDULOUS DREAM (winner)
Race 7 – GROUNDSWELL (winner)
Race 8 – CLOUDY (winner)
Race 9 – ROYAL MILE (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 3 – T. Doudle – Fined \$200 – AR206(2) – Late gear application for JAGUARY (NZ)
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Race 4 – E. Finnegan – (RUBBLE) AR131(a) – Careless Riding Race 5 – C. Jones – (NEVER YOU MIND) AR132(7)(a)(ii) – Whip Offence [+1] Race 8 – J. Eaton – (HE'S XCEPTIONAL) – AR131(a) – Careless Riding Race 9 – J. Toeroek – (MONTEPULCIANO) – AR132(7)(a)(ii) – Whip Offence [+1]
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 2 – BRAY STREET BOSS – not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race. Race 3 – LORD GODODDIN (GB) – Warned – pre-race, barrier and racing manners. Race 4 – GALCRUM – not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLANCE	Nil