

Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Gawler Racecourse
by the Gawler and Barossa Jockey Club on
Wednesday, 2 June 2021



RACINGSAA

Stewards: S. Callanan (A/Chairman), G. Rudolph (MT) & C. Deakin (HT) (Stewards), B. Jarman (F) (Cadet Steward), R. Seneca, J. Hittmann, L. Murch & L. Martin (Deputy Stewards), Dr P. Horridge & Dr R. Haensel (Veterinary Surgeons).

TRACK: Good 4 (Track with some give to it)

Downgraded to Soft 5 at 2.37 pm retrospective to Race 5.
(Track with a reasonable amount of give in it)

Downgraded to Soft 6 at 3.47 pm retrospective to Race 7
(Moist but not a badly affected track)

RAIL: Out 5 metres entire. Sectional 610 metres.

WEATHER: Fine / Showery

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
3	ROSAY MONET	S. Fawke		Late declaration - explanation accepted

RACE 1: SATURDAY JULY 10 YOUNG GUNS DAY MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes.

AUSZONE (C. Lions) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course and was passed fit to start.

BLESSED AWARD (P. Gatt) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to start. On jumping away lost its position when tightened between MODRIC and SWIFT TERCEL, which both shifted ground. Raced ungenerously and was inclined to hang out throughout the event.

CHICO FIESTRO (J. Maund) - proved difficult to load. Trainer, Mr G. Searle, was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding. Jumped away awkwardly and shifted out taking MODRIC out.

RUSTY HALO (J. Holder) - proved difficult to load. Trainer, Mr B. Bogarts, was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

SWIFT TERCEL (A. Chung) - required to be resaddled at the start. Jumped away awkwardly, shifted in and made heavy contact with MODRIC and as a result became unbalanced and was hampered.

JOE'S CHOISIR (J. Toeroek) - rider explained in relation to the gelding's performance that it raced greenly throughout the event and would benefit from the addition of blinkers. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.



RACE 1: SATURDAY JULY 10 YOUNG GUNS DAY MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 Metres (cont'd)

MODRIC (S. Fawke) – on jumping away was taken out by CHICO FIESTRO onto SWIFT TERCEL and made heavy contact with that colt.

RACE 2: TERRACE FUNCTION CENTRE MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 Metres

ARCTIC FLORA (F. Atkinson) – jumped away awkwardly.

AMBER HAZE (J. Holder) – rider explained in relation to the filly's performance that it travelled well during the event despite its awkward barrier draw. He added that when asked for an effort from shortly prior to the entrance to the straight AMBER HAZE failed to respond and was disappointing to the finish. He further added that the filly will benefit from today's first up run. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

JUST A DESIGN (S. Logan) – rider reported that her mount felt shin sore during the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MAYSHESTAR (C. Jones) – hung out rounding the turn in the vicinity of the 800 metres and continued to hang out for the remainder of the event.

WITNESS GREATNESS (A. Chung) – jumped away awkwardly and shortly after shifted in to obtain cover. Inside the 200 metres shifted out when awkwardly placed on the heels of MAYSHESTAR.

RACE 3: WOLF BLASS WINES MAIDEN PLATE - 1516 Metres

FREDDY THE EAGLE (T. Pannell) – shortly after the start shifted in to obtain cover. Inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) and was reprimanded. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for the totality of the use of the whip by T. Pannell and noted that he used it on two occasions over the final 100 metres of the event.

LEON COUNTY (C. Lions) – trainer, Mr R. Daniel, reported that rider C. Lions reported to him on return to scale that the gelding may have choked down during the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PALPATION (M. Aitken) – on jumping away dipped.

SMART VISION (S. Logan) – slow into stride.

DARJOY (J. Maund) – jumped away awkwardly. Weakened out of the event from in the vicinity of the 500 metres and was beaten 92.9 lengths. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. Trainer, Mr B. Campbell, was advised that the filly must now prove competitive in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race.

JUST JAZZ (K. Zechner) – laid out under pressure in the straight.

MADONNA FALLS (NZ) (K. Crowther) – jumped away awkwardly.

TANAKA SON (C. Jones) – laid out under pressure in the straight.

TRANSFERENCE (J. Opperman) – had difficulty obtaining clear ground for a short distance rounding the home turn when racing between TANAKA SON and JEAN'S GLASS.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow T. Pannell (FREDDY THE EAGLE), placed third, and trainer Mr D. Jolly, and J. Toeroek (GREEN OPINIONS), placed fourth, and co-trainers, Mr R & Miss C. Jolly, to view the vision in the straight.

RACE 4: WOLF BLASS RASCALS CUP - 2121 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes.

DOES IT (NZ) (J. Toeroek) – on jumping away bumped with GONDOLIER.



RACE 4: WOLF BLASS RASCALS CUP - 2121 Metres (cont'd)

FERGO'S BOYS (E. Boyd) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Rider reported that the gelding did not handle today's track conditions.

GONDOLIER (T. Pannell) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted in and bumped DOES IT (NZ).

SMILING ASSASSIN (J. Potter) - laid out under pressure in the straight and in the vicinity of the 150 metres brushed with MYSTIC KNOT. 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. Potter and noted that he used it on five occasions over the final 100 metres of the event.

BRIABELLA (K. Zechner) - in the vicinity of the 700 metres bumped with MYSTIC KNOT, which was hanging in and shifted in. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MYSTIC KNOT (C. Lions) - raced wide without cover throughout the event. After initially attempting to settle in a mid-to-back position was permitted to stride forward and take up a position three wide in the equal lead in the vicinity of the 1200 metres. Hung in from in the vicinity of the 800 metres and near the 700 metres shifted in and bumped with BRIABELLA. Continued to hang in under pressure in the straight and near the 150 metres brushed with SMILING ASSASSIN, which laid out. Rider reported that the filly hung in throughout the event.

SMART PROMISE (J. Opperman) - from its wide barrier shifted in to obtain cover.

MAGUS MAN (M. Aitken) - sprung its near fore plate en route to the barriers and was required to be reshod. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to start. Rider reported that the gelding laid in from in the vicinity of the 1100 metres for the remainder of the event.

RACE 5: MARX REAL ESTATE HANDICAP - 1719 Metres

CAMPOBASSO (NZ) (E. Wong) - raced keenly in the early stages of the event. Hung out rounding the home turn. 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 E. Wong and noted that he used it on four occasions over the final 100 metres of the event.

CONNERMARA ROSE (A. Livesey) - slow to begin.

TIZA (S. Logan) - over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

A KNIGHT IN PARIS (J. Potter) - slow to begin. In the vicinity of the 200 metres rider dropped his whip.

RACE 6: COOPERS BREWERY HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

RANGER FRANK (P. Gatt) - on jumping away bumped with SHOPSTER, which was taken out. Hung in under pressure in the straight and proved difficult for its rider to ride out in his normal manner over the concluding stages. Rider reported that the gelding hung in throughout the event.

FINAL CHANCE (A. Livesey) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out taking SHOPSTER out.

CALL ME DEXTER (S. Fawke) - on jumping away bumped with ARCTIC BLAZE, which shifted out. Approaching the finish was tightened between ARCTIC BLAZE and SHOPSTER, which shifted in.

LOPE DE WOLF (J. Toeroek) - rider reported in relation to the gelding's performance that it did not handle today's track conditions. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

BIGNOTA (E. Annells) - rider reported that the gelding may not have handled today's track conditions.





RACE 6: COOPERS BREWERY HANDICAP - 1200 Metres (cont'd)

ARCTIC BLAZE (J. Eaton) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and bumped CALL ME DEXTER.

SHOPSTER (J. Holder) - on jumping away was taken out by FINAL CHANCE and bumped RANGER FRANK. Approaching the finish shifted in onto CALL ME DEXTER, which was tightened onto ARCTIC BLAZE. Rider was reprimanded under AR131(a) advised to take greater care when his mounts shift ground in future.

GRAVITY (S. Logan) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

KIROSHIMA (A. Jordsjo) - fractious in its barrier after being loaded. Trainer, Mr J. Hickmott, was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its barrier behaviour. On jumping away reared and was slow into stride. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 7: ADELAIDE PLAINS BLOODSTOCK HANDICAP - 1100 Metres

SITTING BULL (A. Livesey) - hung out under pressure in the straight.

LIBERTY BLUE (S. Fawke) - hung out under pressure in the straight.

ZEDUKI (E. Wong) - jumped away awkwardly.

COMIENDO (J. Opperman) - rider explained in relation to the mare's performance that it travelled well during the event; however, when asked to improve from rounding the home turn failed to respond to his riding and may not have been suited to today's track conditions. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CIBACHROME (K. Zechner) - rider reported that he became concerned with the mare's action on return to scale. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be lame in the off hind leg. Trainer, Mr J. Cannon, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

UNSCOPEABLE (F. Atkinson) - as the start was effected became fractious and dropped its head, and as a result was slow to begin.

RACE 8: HOLDFAST INSURANCE HANDICAP - 1516 Metres

GO BALLISTIC (D. Tourneur) - at the entrance to the straight raced in restricted room for a number of strides and was obliged to be steadied and lost its position when tightened onto HOLY SANGRIA as that mare was taken in slightly by NEAR MAGIC at the same time as HAHNDORF shifted out. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

NEAR MAGIC (J. Maund) - at the entrance to the straight rolled in slightly taking HOLY SANGRIA in, when insufficiently clear. Approaching the 200 metres was taken in onto HOLY SANGRIA by GREY VITALITY, which shifted in.

HARBOURING (M. Aitken) - from its wide barrier was restrained and settled at the rear of the field.

HAHNDORF (A. Livesey) - at the entrance to the straight shifted out onto GO BALLISTIC, which was obliged to be steadied and lost its position when tightened onto HOLY SANGRIA, which was taken in marginally by NEAR MAGIC. Rider was severely reprimanded for careless riding under AR131(a) and advised in future to take greater care when shifting ground in future.

HOLY SANGRIA (J. Eaton) - at the entrance to the straight was taken in slightly onto GO BALLISTIC by NEAR MAGIC. Approaching the 200 metres was obliged to be checked and lost its position when tightened onto HAHNDORF by NEAR MAGIC, which was taken in by GREY VITALITY, which shifted in when insufficiently clear. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

A LITTLE CHUNKY (E. Boyd) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

RACE 8: HOLDFAST INSURANCE HANDICAP - 1516 Metres (cont'd)

GREY VITALITY (J. Potter) - approaching the 200 metres shifted in when insufficiently clear taking NEAR MAGIC in onto HOLY SANGRIA, which was obliged to be checked and lost its position when tightened onto HAHNDORF. 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, 9 June 2021 and to conclude midnight Wednesday, 16 June 2021, a period of three meetings.

GENERAL:

Stewards questioned apprentice Jacob Opperman in relation to him not submitting his winning rides book. After considering his explanation Stewards charged J. Opperman under AR143(12)(c) and was reprimanded. J. Opperman was advised in future to ensure he presents his winning rides book to the Stewards.

PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (26):

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

Race 1 - BLESSED AWARD, CHICO FIESTRO, RUSTY HALO, JOE'S CHOISIR.
Race 2 - ARABIAN DAWN, NORDIC LASS, MAYSHESTAR, WITNESS GREATNESS.
Race 3 - LEON COUNTY, DARJOY, TRANSFERENCE.
Race 4 - DOES IT (NZ), FERGO'S BOYS, BRIABELLA, MYSTIC KNOT.
Race 5 - EXALTED FIRE, BARTENDER BLUES, TIZA.
Race 6 - ALPHAEUS, LOPE DE WOLF, AUSSIE SOJOURN.
Race 7 - HE WILL BOOM, COMIENDO, CIBACHROME.
Race 8 - GO BALLISTIC, SPENCER GULF.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (8):

Race 1 - CHICO FIESTRO (winner)
Race 2 - LADY SIMONE (winner)
Race 3 - TANAKA SON (winner)
Race 4 - DOES IT (NZ) (winner)
Race 5 - CRYPTO CURRENCY (winner)
Race 6 - SHOPSTER (winner)
Race 7 - CARTIER TIARA (winner)
Race 8 - A LITTLE CHUNKY (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Nil
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 8 - A. Livesey (HAHNDORF) - AR131(a) - Careless riding.
REPRIMANDS	Race 3 - T. Pannell (FREDDY THE EAGLE) - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+1]. Race 4 - J. Potter (SMILING ASSASSIN) - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+2]. Race 5 - E. Wong (CAMPOBASSO (NZ)) - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+1]. Race 6 - J. Holder (SHOPSTER) - AR131(a) - Careless riding. J. Opperman - AR143(12)(c) - Failed to provide his winning rides book to the Stewards.



SUMMARY (cont'd)	
SUSPENSIONS	Race 8 - J. Potter (GREY VITALITY) - AR131(a) - Careless racing - From midnight 09/06/21 to midnight 16/06/21 - 3 meetings.
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 - CHICO FIESTRO - Warned - Difficult to load. Race 1 - RUSTY HALO - Warned - Difficult to load. Race 3 - DARJOY - Suspended - Must prove tractable in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race - Uncompetitive. Race 6 - KIROSHIMA - Warned - Fractious in the barriers. Race 7 - CIBACHROME - Not to race - Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race start - Lameness off hind leg.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil

