

# Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Penola Racecourse  
by the Penola Racing Club on Sunday, 7 November  
2021



Stewards: M. Zarb (A/Chairman) (MT) & G. Rudolph (HT) (Stewards), B. Jarman (M) & E. Scott (Cadet Stewards), D. Holland (F), L. Martin & J. Forster (Deputy Stewards), Dr D. Goulding (Veterinary Surgeon).

TRACK: Good 4

(Track with some give in it)

RAIL: True

WEATHER: Fine

## RACE 1: TAB CLASS TWO HANDICAP - 1300 Metres

AIR TIME (D. Tourneur) - shifted out at the start and bumped TITAN I AM. When the paced slowed in the middle stages of the event, the horse began to race keenly. Disappointed for a run near the 200 metres between SUNNY GREEN and BEAUMIS, resulting in the horse shifting in across the heels of BEAUMIS to obtain a clear run and inside the 100 metres shifted back out and bumped BEAUMIS.

BLUEBERRY BOY (E. Wong) - shifted in near the 1100 metres, resulting in SUNNY GREEN having to be eased. Rider was advised to exercise more care.

BEAUMIS (J. Opperman) - bumped by AIR TIME inside the 100 metres.

SUNNY GREEN (J. Potter) - eased momentarily near the 1100 metres, away from the heels of BLUEBERRY BOY. Raced keenly in the middle stages of the event when the pace of the race slowed.

TITAN I AM (E. Annells) - bumped at the start by AIR TIME. Raced keenly in the middle stages of the event.

## RACE 2: ADRIAN THOMAS INDUSTRIAL BENCHMARK 62 HANDICAP - 1700 Metres

RUNBRO (E. Wong) - raced keenly in the middle stages of the event.

CHALLICUM (K. Crowther) - when questioned in regards to the horse's performance, rider advised she was unable to offer any excuse. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

THE GREAT MARTINI (T. Voorham) - whilst being saddled the horse threw its head up and bumped its nose on the side partition of the saddling stall. The horse subsequently underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was ruled unfit to start. Acting on this advice Stewards withdrew THE GREAT MARTINI at 1:56pm.



### RACE 3: THE MIDFIELD GROUP MAIDEN HANDICAP - 1700 Metres

BALDAR (J. Maund) - after arriving behind the barriers, rider requested that the horse be resaddled. Hung out throughout the race and rounding home the turn, carried QUANDOQUANDOQUANDO and LEFTRIGHTGOODNIGHT wider. Trainer, Mr R. Nicholson was advised that a further warning would be placed against the geldings racing manner and a repetition may lead to further action being taken.

NED'S JOURNEY (D. Tourneur) - when questioned in regards to the horses performance, rider explained that the horse travelled fairly throughout. However, once placed under pressure, failed to respond and in his opinion raced like a flat horse. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

DESERT HERO (E. Boyd) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages and got its head up on several occasions.

QUANDOQUANDOQUANDO (E. Wong) - raced keenly in the early stages and near the 1200 metres had to be steadied away from the heels of MELISSA KATE. Forced wide rounding the home turn.

LEFTRIGHTGOODNITE (S. Logan) - slow into stride. Forced wide rounding the home turn. 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 S. Logan and noted that she used it on five occasions over the final 100 metres of the event.

MELISSA KATE (NZ) (K. Walters) - jumped away awkwardly with its head up. Raced erratically in the early and middle stages and near the 1000 metres was allowed to stride forward to the lead. After taking evidence from Trainer, Mr K. Post, Stewards placed a further warning on the horse in regards to its racing manner and advised that a repetition may lead to further action being taken.

### RACE 4: MED ELECTRICAL MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 Metres

ELMO RULZ (E. Boyd) - which had not raced since 13 October 2019 underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to start. Rider reported that the horse travelled fairly, however when let down the horse failed to respond and felt uncomfortable in its action. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

NANCY MAY (S. Logan) - raced greenly in the middle stages and hung in in the home straight.

PARIS DOLL (D. Tourneur) -was reluctant to parade to the start. Trainer, Ms V. Hutchinson, was advised that a warning would be issued against its pre-race manners. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

### RACE 5: TODD'S PHOTOGRAPHICS BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1400 Metres

THANASI (J. Opperman) - jumped away awkwardly. When questioned in regards to the tactics of the gelding, rider explained that whilst the horse usually does go forward in its races, he was instructed to, if possible, lead in today's event due to the lack of exposed speed in the race. Trainer, Mr J. Opperman confirmed the instructions and was reminded of his obligation to advise Stewards of any possible change of tactics under AR100(1)(a).

FENCELINE (C. Jones) - when questioned rider explained that the horse was reluctant to race up inside horses throughout the race and then failed to respond when placed under pressure. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CAPTAINZWAYZE (D. Tourneur) - raced keenly in the early stages.

OUTINTHESTREET (T. Voorham) - jumped away awkwardly.





RACE 6: DIGIORGIO FAMILY WINES BENCHMARK 62 HANDICAP - 1100 Metres

LANCASTER SOUND (E. Finnegan) - when questioned in regards to the performance of the horse, rider explained that the horse was having its first run back from a spell and blew hard post-race under the heavy weight. She added that the horse felt uncomfortable in the deterring track conditions and lost ground from the 400 metres. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SOUL FIRE (E. Wong) -underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to start.

RANGER CEE JAY (S. Metcalfe) - raced wide round the home turn and in the straight.

ROSE TIARA (D. Tourneur) - raced tight between SOUL FIRE and LANCASTER SOUND which shifted out slightly near the 400 metres. When questioned in regards to the horses performance, rider explained that the horse was first up from a spell, blew hard post-race and should benefit from the run. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FERGIE (C. Jones) - after arriving at the barriers at the request of the rider, the horse was resaddled. Brushed by FIRST REWARD at the start and lost ground. Raced wide rounding the home turn and in the straight.

JUSTA JILLAROO (J. Potter) - shifted out near the 200 metres across the heels of SOUL FIRE to improve.

FIRST REWARD (S. Logan) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted in and brushed FERGIE.

RACE 7: COOPERS BREWERY BENCHMARK 68 HANDICAP - 1300 Metres

DR DEE DEE (K. Crowther) - fractious in the barrier, reared and lost ground (three lengths). Trainer, Mr D. Dodson was advised that a warning would now be placed against the gelding's barrier manners.

RHYTHMATIC (C. Jones) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to start.

ENZED BEER (NZ) (S. Logan) - late scratching by order of the Stewards at 11:15am, acting on a confirmed advice from Trainer, Ms K. Evans, that the gelding had injured itself whilst being loaded onto the float and would be unfit to start.

STAR JAN (D. Tourneur) - Stewards permitted D. Tourneur to ride the mare 0.5 kg over its declared weight of 54.0 kg.

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ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (3):

Race 1 - SUNNY GREEN (winner)  
Race 3 - MELISSA KATE (winner)  
Race 5 - TAIPAN TOMMY (winner)

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SUMMARY	
FINES	Nil
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Race 3 - S. Logan (LEFTRIGHTGOODNITE) - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+1].
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 3 - BALDAR - Warned - Racing manner. Race 3 - MELISSA KATE - Warned - Racing manner. Race 4 - PARIS DOLL - Warned - Pre-race behaviour. Race 7 - DR DEE DEE - Warned - Fractious behind the barriers.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil

