

Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville Parks
Racecourse by the South Australian Jockey Club on
Saturday, 4 December 2021



Stewards: M. Santoro (A/Chairman), G. Rudolph (F), A. Hayles (M) (Stewards), B. Jarman (HT) (Cadet Steward), R. Seneca, L. Martin, E. Santoro & L. Murch (Deputy Stewards), Dr P. Horridge & Dr B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeons).

TRACK: Good 4 (Track with some give in it)
Upgraded to Good 3 at 1.40 pm (Track with good grass coverage and cushion)

RAIL: True

WEATHER: Fine

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
9	UNICORNY	M. Aitken	P. Gatt	Overweight

INTERIM REPORT

RACE 1: TWILIGHT RACES AT MORPHETTVILLE - FRIDAY DECEMBER 17TH HANDICAP - 1250 Metres

SWAMP VIXEN (B. Vorster) - at the entrance to the straight shifted out to improve and in doing so contacted VALENTIGRA.

TOTALLY DISCREET (K. Crowther) - rider reported that the filly over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

GOOD APPROACH (T. Pannell) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

VALENTIGRA (B. Price) - inconvenienced at the entrance to the straight when its hindquarters were contacted by SWAMP VIXEN. Contacted by FOUR WINDS inside the 100 metres.


FOUR WINDS (A. Jordsjo) - laid in under pressure in the straight and inside the 100 metres shifted in and contacted VALENTIGRA.

RACE 2: FURPHY HANDICAP - 1950 Metres

NONAME LANE (B. Price) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Hung out rounding the home turn. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. Rider reported that in his opinion the gelding did not run out the trip.

DARLAMAX (J. Holder) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

FLOW METER (J. Maund) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to start. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.



RACE 3: THE JUNCTION HANDICAP - 1250 Metres

DIPLOMATIC MEASURE (B. Vorster) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

NEODIUM (K. Crowther) - laid in under pressure in the straight. Rider reported that the gelding felt uncomfortable in its action during the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the off foreleg. Trainer, Mr P. Stokes, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

SO SAY ANGEL (D. Tourneur) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Laid out rounding the home turn.

ADDICTIONS (T. Pannell) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

VIEIRA (S. Metcalfe) - jumped away awkwardly.

RACE 4: BOXING DAY RACES AT MORPHETTVILLE - SUNDAY DECEMBER 26TH MAIDEN PLATE - 1300 Metres

CROWNED KING (A. Chung) - difficult to load. Co-trainer, Ms K. Bishop, was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its barrier manners. Jumped away awkwardly, shifted in onto CHARM SLINGA (NZ) and then shifted out abruptly onto TORRATORIO, and the shifted back in abruptly further hampering CHARM SLINGA (NZ). Raced extremely fiercely in the early stages of the event and failed to make the turn near the 1000 metres and shifted out abruptly taking FIELD HUNTER wider. Ms Bishop was further advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its racing manners.

CHARM SLINGA (NZ) (R. Hurdle) - inconvenienced on jumping away when CROWNED KING shifted in, and shortly after was hampered and lost its position when CROWNED KING shifted back in abruptly. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

FIELD HUNTER (A. Jordsjo) - hampered when taken wider rounding the turn near the 1000 metres by CROWNED KING.

NIGHT CRUISER (D. Caboche) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

TORRATORIO (C. Jones) - shortly after the start was hampered and lost its position when CROWNED KING shifted out. Rider reported that after losing her position on jumping away the gelding was reluctant to race throughout the event despite her efforts. 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 whip by C. Jones and noted that she had used it on five occasions over the concluding 100 metres of the event. Rider further pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(6)(c) in that she used her whip when her mount was out of contention and was reprimanded.

BRAZEN EAGLE (P. Gatt) - laid in under pressure in the straight. Raced in restricted room for a number of strides approaching the 100 metres between MODRIC and CHARM SLINGA (NZ).

DEEP'N MEANINGFUL (B. Vorster) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

SADLER'S SONG (T. Voorham) - raced wide without cover throughout the event. Laid out under pressure in the straight.

DELTA RIVER (D. Tourneur) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

RACE 5: WILLS & DANIEL HANDICAP - 1550 Metres

BANDERAS (T. Pannell) - shifted out on jumping away onto AMMO LOCO. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

BONIFACE (NZ) (K. Zechner) - contacted a gate exiting the mounting yard. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival at the barriers and was passed fit to start. Rider accidentally dropped his whip approaching the 200 metres.



RACE 5: WILLS & DANIEL HANDICAP - 1550 Metres (cont'd)

SHINSEKI (A. Chung) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out.

GIMME A REASON (R. Hurdle) - shifted in on jumping away onto AMMO LOCO. Raced wide without cover throughout the event.

AMMO LOCO (A. Jordsjo) - hampered and lost her position on jumping away when tightened between BANDERAS and GIMME A REASON.

RACE 6: THE PHOENIX - THE EVEREST OF GREYHOUND RACING HANDICAP - 1250 Metres

ALL IMPORTANT (J. Opperman) - raced keenly in the middle stages of the event.

OUR DEEP AGENDA (A. Chung) - inconvenienced on jumping away when tightened onto FALLOW by LADY PAVLIA CHENKO. Raced wide without cover throughout the event.

LUCKY DOG (J. Holder) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

GO BUNDLE (P. Gatt) - jumped away awkwardly.

GATSBY'S GIRL (M. Aitken) - shortly after the start had to be momentarily steadied when tightened between GO BUNDLE, which rolled in at the same time as LUCKY DOG rolled out.

LADY PAVLIA CHENKO (J. Potter) - shifted in on jumping away and contacted OUR DEEP AGENDA.

RACE 7: GRAND SYNDICATES - SUPPORTING SA RACING HANDICAP - 1000 Metres

TATO KEY (ARG) (J. Opperman) - at the entrance to the straight laid out and became awkwardly placed on the heels of NIEWAND for a short distance.

MILITARY ZONE (R. Hurdle) - shifted in on jumping away onto HEYINGTON STATION.

ALLEBOOM (B. Price) - shifted out on jumping away onto PARIANO. Raced wide without cover throughout the event.

NIEWAND (T. Pannell) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PARIANO (A. Chung) - hampered on jumping away when tightened onto HEYINGTON STATION by ALLEBOOM.

HEYINGTON STATION (B. Vorster) - hampered and lost its position on jumping away when tightened onto PARIANO by MILITARY ZONE.

RACE 8: LECONFIELD HANDICAP - 1400 Metres

TRITON RISING (B. Price) - acting on confirmed advice from trainer, Mr M. Hickmott, that the gelding had sustained a minor injury to its off foreleg at his stables this morning Stewards declared TRITON RISING a late scratching 9.00 am. Mr Hickmott was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

MY PRINCE CHARMING (J. Holder) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

TRADEWIND (D. Tourneur) - jumped away awkwardly.

FREE HAND (C. Jones) - laid out rounding the home turn.

ANNIKA (A. Chung) - slow to begin. 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 A. Chung and noted that he used it on five occasions over the concluding 100 metres of the event.



RACE 8: LECONFIELD HANDICAP - 1400 Metres (cont'd)

AROUND THE HORN (B. Vorster) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Hung out throughout the event. Raced wide without cover throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PLAISIR (J. Maund) - in the vicinity of the 1000 metres improved onto the heels of CRYPTO CURRENCY and got its head up when being restrained.

RACE 9: PETER ELBERG FUNERALS HANDICAP - 1000 Metres

I'M KENNY (J. Opperman) - inconvenienced on jumping away when tightened onto SHELLSHOCKED by DANTREE.

DANTREE (T. Voorham) - shifted out on jumping away onto I'M KENNY. Laid out rounding the home turn and under pressure in the straight.

LORD VARYS (D. Caboche) - rounding the home turn raced in restricted room for a short distance to the inside of DANTREE.

SQUIZZY MIZZY (K. Crowther) - jumped away awkwardly. Laid out under pressure in the straight. Rider explained that in her opinion the mare was better suited on softer tracks. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be lame in the near foreleg. Trainer, Mr P. Stokes, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

FRENCH FIELDS (B. Price) - rider reported that the mare made excess respiratory noise on pulling up. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (16):

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

Race 2 - PERFECT ROUTE, NONAME LANE, DARLAMAX, ALL HARD WOOD, VICTORY BANDIT.
Race 5 - LAKE'S FOLLY, JAAMINT, BANDERAS, BOLT BY, BONIFACE (NZ), SHINSEKI, GIMME A REASON, AMMO LOCO.

Race 8 - MY PRINCE CHARMING, MIROKU, AROUND THE HORN.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (9):

Race 1 - EYES NEVER LIE (winner)
Race 2 - DARLAMAX (winner)
Race 3 - FULL PROBE (winner)
Race 4 - SADLER'S SONG (winner)
Race 5 - JAAMINT (winner)
Race 6 - OUR DEEP AGENDA (winner)
Race 7 - HEKA EXPRESS (winner)
Race 8 - ANNIKA (winner)
Race 9 - DANTREE (winner)





SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 9 - M. Aitken - Fined \$100 - AR190(3) - Overweight and having to be replaced on UNICORNY.
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Race 4 - C. Jones - TORRATORIO - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+1]. Race 4 - C. Jones - TORRATORIO - AR132(6)(c) - Use of the whip when out of contention. Race 8 - A. Chung (ANNIKA) - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+2].
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 3 - NEODIUM - Not to race - Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race start - Lameness off foreleg. Race 4 - CROWNED KING - Warned - Difficult to load. Race 4 - CROWNED KING - Warned - Racing manners. Race 8 - TRITON RISING - Not to race - Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race start - Late scratching - Minor injury to off foreleg. Race 9 - SQUIZZY MIZZY - Not to race - Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race start - Lameness near foreleg.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil

