

Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Penola Racecourse
by the Penola Racing Club on Friday, 3 December
2021



RACINGS A

Stewards: S. Callanan (A/Chairman), & C. Deakin (HT) (Stewards), B. Jarman (Cadet Steward), D. Holland (F), D. Cookson (M) & J. Patton (Deputy Stewards), Dr D. Goulding (Veterinary Surgeon).

TRACK: Soft 5 (Track with a reasonable amount of give in it)
Upgraded to Good 4 at 11.45 am (Track with some give in it)

RAIL: True

WEATHER: Fine

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
3	JUNGLE FLIGHT	E. Wong		Emergency - notified
7	TOP FRED	M. Aitken	E. Finnegan	Not riding at meeting

RACE 1: AB SPRAYING SERVICES BENCHMARK 72 HANDICAP - 2100 Metres

STEVEN JAMES (NZ) (K. Walters) - hung out from the 600 metres for the remainder of the event.

MANGIONE (P. Gatt) - rider explained that the gelding may have come to the end of its preparation. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

O'MIZZNA (E. Finnegan) - Stewards permitted E. Finnegan to ride the mare 0.5 kg over its declared weight of 54.0 kg. From the 1300 metres commenced to race wide without cover for the remainder of the event. When questioned in relation to her riding of the mare in the middle stages of the event where she elected to shift out in a three wide position with no cover rider explained that her instructions were to be forward in the event; however, O'MIZZNA did not jump as well as she had expected and therefore she was obliged to settle further back. She further stated that when the pace eased approaching the 1400 metres she elected to shift out and allow the mare to race wide without cover as she was mindful that O'MIZZNA was a one-paced horse and does not have a turn off foot, so she allowed the mare to stride freely in its action.

RACE 2: E.E. MUIR & SONS MAIDEN PLATE - 1600 Metres

CRAIGLEA BLIZZARD (E. Annells) - shifted about under pressure in the straight.

FOOL'S OVERTURE (B. Price) - near the 500 metres rolled out onto TREASURE CHEST, which was inconvenienced. Rider explained in relation to the gelding's performance that it did not feel comfortable in its action during the event and was disappointing. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

GRANNY'S BOY (A. Jordsjo) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

LOOKING FORWARD (E. Wong) - raced keenly when leading in the early and middle stages of the event.



RACE 2: E.E. MUIR & SONS MAIDEN PLATE - 1600 Metres (cont'd)

MISTERCHEVIOUS (F. Atkinson) - near the 500 metres was inconvenienced when awkwardly placed on the heels of TREASURE CHEST. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

SALUTE THE CANNONS (A. Chung) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

MAVOURNEEN (E. Boyd) - slightly slow to begin.

TREASURE CHEST (J. Lorensini) - near the 500 metres was inconvenienced as FOOL'S OVERTURE rolled out.

RACE 3: COOL MOOSE REFRIGERATION & AIRCONDITIONING MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 Metres

HE'S GOD'S GIFT (J. Lorensini) - hung out rounding the home turn.

NANCY MAY (C. Jones) - slow into stride. Inside the 100 metres was obliged to be steadied when attempting a tight run between WILD SONNET and HE'S GOD'S GIFT, and as a result was untested to the line. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

WILD SONNET (E. Boyd) - jumped away awkwardly. Inconvenienced when awkwardly placed between the heels of SWIFT TERCEL and MAGICOURT. Near the 150 metres rider dropped her whip.

ZARLEY EVE (J. Potter) - jumped away awkwardly.

JUNGLE FLIGHT (E. Wong) - shortly after the start dipped on a number of occasions.

FINE THINGS (E. Annells) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Near the 800 metres dipped for no apparent reason. Rider reported that the saddle slipped forward on the mare slightly in the early stages of the event, placing her at a disadvantage for the remainder of the event.

RACE 4: COOPERS BREWERY BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1700 Metres

LEGENDA (J. Lorensini) - as the start was effected turned its head, became caught up in its barrier and as a result was slow to begin approximately ten lengths. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. Trainer, Mr J. Cerchi (Jnr) was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its barrier manners.

OUR ELLIE ROSE (NZ) (K. Walters) - shortly after the start got its head up when being restrained when racing keenly.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow J. Lorensini (LEGENDA) and trainer, Mr J. Cerchi (Jnr) to view the vision of the start. After doing so J. Lorensini and Mr Cerchi (Jnr) made submissions that LEGENDA be declared a non-runner. After considering a submission from both parties, viewing the vision, and acting on their own observations Stewards declared LEGENDA to be a starter.

RACE 5: VALE GEOFF BERKIN BENCHMARK 62 HANDICAP - 1100 Metres


LANCASTER SOUND (A. Chung) - laid out rounding the home turn and under pressure in the straight.

RANGER FRANK (J. Potter) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

ANRUSHKA (J. Maund) - rider reported that the mare did not feel comfortable in its action during the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ROSE TIARA (D. Tourneur) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.





RACE 6: COONAWARRA VIGNERONS CUP 13TH JANUARY 2022 BENCHMARK 68 HANDICAP - 1719 Metres

SOUL FIRE (E. Wong) - shortly after the start was inconvenienced when tightened between OLATUNJI and MISTA HOLYFIELD, which rolled out. Approaching the 200 metres rolled in.

BOSSY BRITCHES (D. Tourneur) - approaching the 200 metres was momentarily inconvenienced as SOUL FIRE rolled in.

OLATUNJI (J. Maund) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RHYTHMATIC (C. Jones) - held up for clear running from rounding the home turn until inside the 200 metres when racing behind OLATUNJI.

MISTA HOLYFIELD (J. Holder) - shortly after the start rolled out.

RACE 7: TAB CLASS TWO HANDICAP - 1400 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately three minutes.

TOP FRED (E. Finnegan) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course and found to be lame in the off foreleg. Acting on this advice Stewards withdrew TOP FRED at 2.10 pm. Trainer, Mr G. Lynch, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

KEEN ON GOLD (J. Holder) - jumped away awkwardly. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

KZSCZOT (J. Maund) - refused to load. Acting on this advice Stewards declared KZSCZOT a late scratching at 4.52 pm. Trainer, Mr R. Nicholson, was advised that the gelding was now required to load without delay in either an Official Barrier Trial or Approval to Race Jump-out prior to a future race start.

PICAROON (J. Opperman) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

ZERO INN (E. Boyd) - jumped away awkwardly. Hung out under pressure in the straight.

CENTRE SCOOTA (J. Potter) - raced keenly in the middle stages of the event.

CLOUD NINE (B. Price) - trainer, Mr J. Cerchi (Jnr) advised Stewards prior to the event of a change of tactics in that he would instruct his rider to attempt to be more positive in the early stages to obtain a position outside the leader. Settled outside the leader.

FENCELINE (E. Wong) - over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event. Near the 150 metres shifted out. Again shifted out approaching the winning post and as a result proved difficult for the rider to ride out in his normal manner.

RACE 8: DIGIORGIO FAMILY WINES BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1100 Metres

EAGLES FOREVER (J. Holder) - jumped away awkwardly. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RODNEY (E. Wong) - approaching the winning post, when laying in, shifted in and inconvenienced SNAPTOF.

DABAY (B. Price) - near the 300 metres raced in restricted room for a short distance when racing between RODNEY and TRUPORTH, which commenced to weaken.

SHOWUSYOURMOTOR (A. Chung) - jumped away awkwardly.

TITAN I AM (E. Annells) - raced wide without cover throughout the event. Rider reported that the gelding changed stride on a number of occasions during the event.



RACE 8: DIGIORGIO FAMILY WINES BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1100 Metres (cont'd)

SNAPTOF (T. Voorham) - jumped away awkwardly. Approaching the winning post was inconvenienced as RODNEY, which was laying, shifted in.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (3):

Race 2 - MAVOURNEEN (winner)
Race 4 - FOUR OUTLAWS (winner)
Race 6 - WILD WILLY (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Nil
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Nil
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 4 - LEGENDA - Warned - Barrier manners. Race 7 - TOP FRED - Not to race - Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race start - Lameness off foreleg - Late scratching. Race 7 - KZSCZOT - Suspended - Must load without delay in either an Official Barrier Trial or Approval to Race Jump-out prior to a future race start - Refused to load.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil