

Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Mount Gambier
Racecourse by the Mount Gambier Racing Club on
Wednesday, 6 July 2022



RACINGS A

Stewards: S. Callanan (A/Chairman), M. Zarb (HT) & C. Deakin (Stewards), E. Scott (Cadet Steward), D. Holland (F) & L. Murch (Deputy Stewards), Dr D. Goulding (Veterinary Surgeon).

TRACK: Soft 7

(Rain affected track that will chop out)

RAIL: Out 2 metres entire.

WEATHER: Fine.

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
6	ARACHNATTACK		E. Annells	Late notification - explanation accepted
7	AEROETTE (NZ)		E. Wong	" "
7	EXCITED LADY		T. Voorham	Emergency - notified

RACE 1: SCOTT GROUP OF COMPANIES BENCHMARK 68 HANDICAP - 1203 Metres

LOWANNA MAGIC (L. Overall) - laid in under pressure in the straight. Rider explained in relation to the gelding's performance that it travelled well in the early and middle stages of the event; however failed to let down when asked for an effort and was disappointing to the finish. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to have thumps.

UNLIMITED ABILITY (K. Walters) - hung out under pressure in the straight.

MELISSA KATE (NZ) (E. Boyd) - jumped away awkwardly. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

RACE 2: MATTHEWS PETROLEUM MAIDEN PLATE - 905 Metres

ASK FOR MORE (A. Lindsay) - jumped away awkwardly. Near the 100 metres, when improving, altered course to the outside of SASS SASS BOOM when awkwardly placed on the heels of that mare.



RACE 2: MATTHEWS PETROLEUM MAIDEN PLATE - 905 Metres (cont'd)

TOP UP (L. Overall) - slipped on jumping away. Rider reported that after slipping on jumping away he was obliged to settle slightly further back than he had anticipated. Stewards questioned Co-trainer, Mr K. Post in relation to the gelding, in particular the fluctuations in betting. He advised Stewards that the horse had been working well in the lead up and expected it to be competitive, however had not supported TOP UP or encouraged any persons to. He added that the gelding had an operation to its near side knee, to remove bone chips following its race at Warracknabeal on 3 April 2021 and was subsequently spelled. He stated the gelding trialled well prior to its first up run at Casterton on 12 June 2022; however, TOP UP was not suited to the track conditions at that run. Stewards noted his comments. Mr. Post was reminded of his obligations under AR105(1)(b) in that he must report to Stewards prior to nomination time, if a horse undergoes surgery that may affect the horse's performance in a race.

MOORAK MISS (T. Voorham) - slow to begin. Held up for clear running from the 300 metres until inside the 200 metres.

SET THE BAR LOW (D. Caboche) - rider reported that the filly may have come to the end of its preparation. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the filly to have thumps.

RACE 3: THANKS MOUNT GAMBIER GROUND STAFF MAIDEN HANDICAP - 1403 Metres

FIFTH HUSBAND (NZ) (T. Voorham) - hung out throughout the event.

HIS ZEDNESS (NZ) (H. Grace) - held up for clear running from near the 400 metres until near the 200 metres when racing between LADY OF SPLENDOUR and THE SILENT SERMON.

BOB'S REWARD (S. Metcalfe) - rounding the turn near the 200 metres was inclined to lay out and shifted out onto FLOYD'S PREDICTION (NZ). Near the 150 metres shifted out and away from HIS ZEDNESS (NZ) and as a result became awkwardly placed on the heels of FULL OF DASH (NZ). Rider was reminded of her obligations in relation to putting herself in dangerous positions.

RAVNIKAR (A. Lindsay) - jumped away very awkwardly.

THE SILENT SERMON (J. Lorensini) - began well. Inside the 800 metres raced keenly when being restrained and became awkwardly placed on heels of BOB'S REWARD.

OUR SPARKLES (N. Farley) - rider explained in relation to the filly's performance that it travelled well in the early stages of the event; however when asked to improve from approaching the 600 metres failed to respond to his riding and was disappointing to the finish. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FLOYD'S PREDICTION (NZ) (E. Boyd) - raced wide without cover throughout the event. Rounding the turn near the 200 metres was obliged to be steadied as BOB'S REWARD, which was inclined to lay out, shifted out and FULL OF DASH (NZ) shifted in and away from DETNAW, which had improved quickly to its outside.

FULL OF DASH (NZ) (K. Walters) - rounding the turn near the 200 metres shifted in and away from DETNAW, which had improved quickly to its outside.



RACE 4: CARLIN & GAZZARD MAIDEN PLATE - 2062 Metres

DESERT HERO (J. Lorensini) - inside the 1400 metres was taken wider by WEIGHTMAN (NZ), which was taken out.



RACE 4: CARLIN & GAZZARD MAIDEN PLATE - 2062 Metres (cont'd)

SPOKE TO RAJIV (NZ) (A. Lindsay) - raced keenly and got its head up when being restrained in the early stages of the event.

TEEMENZED (NZ) (L. Overall) - slow to begin.

COCONUT KING (N. Farley) - jumped away very awkwardly and shifted out.

WEIGHTMAN (NZ) (H. Grace) - near the 1600 metres shifted in onto CLUB QUEEN, which was obliged to be steadied when tightened onto TEEMENZED. Rider was severely reprimanded under AR131(a) and advised in future to take greater care. Inside the 1400 metres was taken wider by MERRY CHOICE, which was racing fiercely onto DESERT HERO. Near the 1000 metres improved around the field to take up a position in the lead.

CLUB QUEEN (S. Metcalfe) - near the 1600 metres was obliged to be steadied when tightened onto TEEMENZED as WEIGHTMAN (NZ) shifted in.

FIVEOHWON (NZ) (E. Boyd) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MERRY CHOICE (A. Jordsjo) - raced very fiercely in the early and middle stages of the event. Inside the 1400 metres when racing fiercely shifted out taking WEIGHTMAN (NZ) wider on the track.

RACE 5: CARLTON DRAUGHT BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1810 Metres

BRUNO STARS (NZ) (R. Hurdle) - laid out under pressure in the straight.

HELEVA DEEL (C. Jones) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

I'LL BE GONE (A. Jordsjo) - as the start was effected turned its head and was slow to begin, approximately three to four lengths.

THE ARMANI (NZ) (T. Voorham) - slow to begin, approximately one to two lengths.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow the Stewards an opportunity to view vision of the start in relation to I'LL BE GONE.

RACE 6: CLEANAWAY BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1203 Metres

KILOWATT (A. Jordsjo) - on jumping away lost its position as ARACHNATTACK shifted out and LAST DREAM (NZ) shifted in.

OUR ELLIE ROSE (NZ) (C. Jones) - on jumping away bumped READY FOR ACTION, which shifted in.

READY FOR ACTION (D. Caboche) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted in and bumped OUR ELLIE ROSE (NZ).

LAST DREAM (NZ) (K. Walters) - on jumping away shifted in.

SPEARS (E. Wong) - held up for clear running from inside the 400 metres until near the 200 metres when racing behind TOUGH LASSIE and was obliged to shift out.



OBELOS (GB) (R. Hurdle) - as this is the gelding's sixth race start in 30 days, underwent a pre-race veterinary examination upon arrival on course and was declared suitable to race.

RACE 6: CLEANAWAY BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1203 Metres (cont'd)

TOUGH LASSIE (J. Doyle) - raced keenly in the lead. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CELTIC BELLE (T. Voorham) - slow to begin.

GOODARCHIE (S. Metcalfe) - raced keenly in the middle stages of the event. Held up for clear running from the 400 metres until inside the 200 metres.

ARACHNATTACK (E. Annells) - on jumping away shifted out. Laid out throughout the event.

RACE 7: TAB BENCHMARK 58 HANDICAP - 1403 Metres

FOUR OUTLAWS (L. Overall) - shortly after the start bumped with NANA DULCE, which shifted out.

GUTSY (C. Jones) - shortly after the start bumped with NANA DULCE.

SHIMURA (N. Farley) - slow to begin.

AEROETTE (NZ) (E. Wong) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted in.

ALI ORPHAN (NZ) (E. Boyd) - slow to begin.

NANA DULCE (J. Lorensini) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and bumped FOUR OUTLAWS. Shortly after the start was rolled in and bumped GUTSY.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (5):

- Race 2 - MOORAK MISS (winner)
 - Race 2 - TOP UP (second)
 - Race 4 - BAD BOY BOBBY (winner)
 - Race 5 - FAST 'N' FORWARD (winner)
 - Race 6 - OBELOS (GB) (winner)
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SUMMARY	
FINES	Nil
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 4 - H. Grace (WEIGHTMAN (NZ)) - AR131(a) - Careless riding.
REPRIMANDS	Nil
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Nil
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil