

# Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Gawler Racecourse  
by the Gawler & Barossa Jockey Club on  
Wednesday, 21 September 2022



RACINGS A

Stewards: S. Callanan (A/Chairman) & M. Zarb (HT) (Stewards), K. Rayson (F), B. Jarman (Cadet Stewards), E. Santoro & L. Murch (Deputy Stewards), Dr T. Koenig (Veterinary Surgeon).

TRACK: Heavy 10 (Heaviest category track, very wet, towards saturation)

RAIL: Out 6 metres 800 metres to 400 metres, out 5 metres remainder

WEATHER: Showers

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
6	OBELOS (GB)		R. Hurdle	Late notification - explanation accepted
6	PRINCESS SALLY		L. Neindorf	"
7	SAWTELL (NZ)		A. Jordsjo	Emergency - notified
7	TIZA		S. Logan	"

## RACE 1: IRONGATE AUSTRALIA CLASS ONE PLATE - 1200 Metres

SPACE FORCE (J. Eaton) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ALPINE FUN (J. Holder) - jumped away awkwardly.

PRETENTIOUS LASS (J. Potter) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

BABY ALEX (K. Crowther) - slow to begin. Held up for clear running from the 500m until approaching the 200m when racing in restricted room for a short distance between SPACE FORCE and PRETENTIOUS LASS. Laid out under pressure from near the 200m.



## RACE 2: ADELAIDE PLAINS BLOODSTOCK MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 Metres

BARDOUTES (T. Pannell) - on jumping away bumped MADDISON MISS. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

BIG SHAQ (J. Holder) - hung out from the 600m until the finish.

ARCTIC FLORA (C. Murray) - inclined to shift about under pressure in the straight.

MADDISON MISS (B. Wong) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and bumped BARDOUTES.

FREEDOM DAY (E. Wong) - late scratching by order of the Stewards at 8.20 am acting on confirmed advice from Co-trainer, Mr G. Searle that the gelding was lame in the off foreleg and would be unsuitable to race.

## RACE 3: GC & J CONSTRUCTIONS MAIDEN PLATE - 1700 Metres

AL RANCHERO (A. Jordsjo) - approaching the winning post shifted out abruptly.

FLITTELL (T. Pannell) - rider explained in relation to the gelding's performance that it travelled well; however, when asked for an effort shortly after entering the straight, failed to let down as he had anticipated. He added that it may not have handled the heavy track conditions. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

LUCASAYD (L. Neindorf) - rider explained that the gelding raced off the bridle in the middle stages of the event and approaching the 600m he continued to ride the gelding along and shortly after LUCASAYD commenced to pick up the bridle. From shortly after the entrance to the straight the gelding commenced to run on strongly and finished the event off well. He added LUCASAYD has a tendency to do drop the bridle and be ridden along including at its most recent start and in jump-outs.

MARGIN OF ERROR (J. Potter) - near the 1000m was inconvenienced as WICHITA LINEMAN shifted out.

POMODORO (J. Holder) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be coughing significantly. Trainer, Mr R Balfour was advised the results of an endoscopic examination and a veterinary clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race.

VERSES (S. Metcalfe) - after arriving on course, underwent a pre-race veterinary examination, was extremely agitated and had an abrasion to its off side stifle and was declared unsuitable to race. Acting on this advice VERSES was declared a late scratching by order of Stewards at 12.57 pm.

WICHITA LINEMAN (C. Murray) - near the 1000m shifted out and inconvenienced MARGIN OF ERROR. Rider was reprimanded under AR131(a) and advised to ensure to not shift out abruptly in similar circumstances in future. Rider explained the gelding raced wide from near the 1000m and it may not have handled the track conditions. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.





#### RACE 4: COOPERS BREWERY CLASS ONE PLATE - 2100 Metres

MAKE IT A DOUBLE (D. Caboche) - laid out under pressure in the straight. When questioned in relation to the gelding's improved performance, Trainer, Mr D. Shepherd advised following the gelding's last start at Murray Bridge on 7 September 2022, an endoscopic examination was performed which revealed MAKE IT A DOUBLE had been displacing its soft palate. He added that with the addition of a cross over noseband and tongue-tie for the first time this assisted the gelding with its breathing and would have benefited it in its performance. He further stated MAKE IT A DOUBLE had been working well prior to and following its last start.

RAPID RIDE (E. Wong) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted in. Inside the 200m dipped. Approaching the finish was unable to be ridden out when awkwardly placed on the heels of MAKE IT A DOUBLE.

SEA OF SECRETS (K. Crowther) - slow into stride. Hung in under pressure in the straight.

TORRATORIO (L. Neindorf) - shortly after jumping away brushed with VANITY STAR. Lost its near hind plate during the event. Rider explained that the gelding may not have handled the track conditions. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

TRIANGULUM (A. Livesey) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

CONGE (S. Fawke) - jumped away awkwardly.

SO BENE (K. Sardelic) - hung in under pressure in the straight. Rider explained in relation to the mare's performance that it hung in from near the 500m for the remainder of the event and therefore was difficult to ride out. He added SO BENE may not have handled the track conditions. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

VANITY STAR (J. Benbow) - shortly after jumping away rolled out and brushed TORRATORIO.

#### RACE 5: CORNERSTONE STUD BENCHMARK 58 HANDICAP - 1100 Metres

WELL KNOWN (NZ) (J. Eaton) - slow to begin.

GALACTIC ROCK (S. Metcalfe) - jumped away awkwardly. Near the 700m bumped with BETTA EDDIE on a number of occasions, which was attempting to shift out. Rider explained that the gelding raced wide during the event and may not have been suited to the track conditions. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

LAKEHURST (J. Doyle) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

BETTA EDDIE (E. Wong) - near the 700m attempted to shift out and bumped with GALACTIC ROCK on a number of occasions. Rider reported that the gelding was disappointing in the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SANDPIPER (T. Voorham) - near the 200m was awkwardly placed on the heels of SUGGESTIVE MISS for a short distance and shifted out to obtain clear running.





RACE 5: CORNERSTONE STUD BENCHMARK 58 HANDICAP - 1100 Metres (cont'd)

ROCK HARD (E. Annells) - after being loaded in its barrier, became fractious and kicked out. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination, which revealed the gelding to be lame in the off hind leg (2/5), had multiple lacerations and would be unsuitable to race. Acting on this advice ROCK HARD was declared a late scratching at 3.40 pm. Trainer, Mr B. Cozamanis was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race.

RACE 6: MATRIX SOLAR SOLUTIONS BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

FRIENDLY GHOST (J. Holder) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

OBELOS (GB) (R. Hurdle) - due to its racing frequency, underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course and was deemed suitable to race.

CHEVITE (J. Potter) - rider dropped his whip near the 200m.

CENTRE SCOOTA (T. Pannell) - at the entrance to the straight was taken in by ZERO INN.

ZERO INN (D. Caboche) - at the entrance to the straight shifted in taking CENTRE SCOOTA in. Rider explained that the mare did not handle the track conditions. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SAND CAT (S. Fawke) - at the entrance to the straight was momentarily steadied when awkwardly placed on the heels of BROMELIA (NZ), which was hanging in and shifted in. Had difficulty obtaining clear ground from approaching the 200m until approaching the 100m.

POSSUM BORN (J. Toeroek) - near the 1000m got its head up when being restrained. Near the 200m was obliged to be momentarily steadied when racing in restricted room between OBELOS (GB) and SAND CAT, which both shifted ground and behind BROMELIA (NZ).

PRINCESS SALLY (L. Neindorf) - near the 500m was inconvenienced when bumped with GOODARCHIE. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

GOODARCHIE (S. Metcalfe) - near the 500m was inconvenienced and bumped with PRINCESS SALLY.

BROMELIA (NZ) (S. Logan) - at the entrance to the straight when hanging in, shifted in onto SAND CAT.

RACE 7: TRIMBOLI SERVICES BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1500 Metres

APPLIED (J. Benbow) - slow into stride.

ZIP AKEED (J. Toeroek) - over raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

SISSECK (NZ) (E. Boyd) - rider explained in relation to the gelding's performance that it didn't let down in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the near hind leg (2/5). First aid administered. Trainer, Mr J. O'Connor was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

MOSS THE BOSS (F. Atkinson) - inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

RACE 7: TRIMBOLI SERVICES BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1500 Metres (cont'd)

SAWTELL (NZ) (A. Jorsdjo) - due to its racing frequency, underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course and was deemed suitable to race.

TIZA (S. Logan) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course, as it had raced at Mindarie-Halidon on Sunday, 18 September 2022 and was deemed suitable to race. As the start was effected stood flat footed and lost considerable ground. Failed to maintain contact with the field despite the efforts of its rider during the event and was not ridden out from rounding the home turn. Rider reported the mare did not feel comfortable in its action during the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be lame in the off foreleg (2/5). Trainer, Mr G. Lynch was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out or trial. Mr Lynch was also advised that the mare would also required to jump away with the field and prove competitive in an Official Barrier Trial prior to a future race.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow Stewards to view the start in relation to TIZA.

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ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (7):

- Race 1 - DOROTHY ROSE (winner)
  - Race 2 - BIG SHAQ (winner)
  - Race 3 - AL RANCHERO (winner)
  - Race 4 - MAKE IT A DOUBLE (winner)
  - Race 5 - DEEVINE (winner)
  - Race 6 - OBELOS (GB) (winner)
  - Race 7 - CHELIMO (winner)
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SUMMARY	
FINES	Nil
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Race 3 - C Murray (WICHITA LINEMAN) - AR131(a) - Careless Riding.
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 3 - POMODORO - Not to Race - Vet Clearance and results of endoscopic examination required prior to future jump-out, trial or race. - Coughing significantly post-race. Race 5 - ROCK HARD - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to jump-out, trial or race - Lameness off hind leg (2/5) (Late scratching) Race 7 - SISSECK (NZ) - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to jump-out, trial or race - Lameness near hind leg (2/5) Race 7 - TIZA - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to jump-out, or trial - Lameness near foreleg (2/5). Race 7 - TIZA - Suspended - Must jump away with the field and prove competitive in an Official Barrier Trial prior to future race start - Stood flat footed at start and uncompetitive.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil