

# Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville  
Racecourse by the South Australian Jockey Club on  
Saturday, 17 September 2022



RACINGSAA

Stewards: M. Santoro (Chairman), J. Petzer (F) & S. Callanan (HT) (Stewards), E. Scott, H. Matthews (Cadet Stewards), L. Martin, J. Patton, L. Murch & M. Arthur (Deputy Stewards), Dr T. Koenig & Dr M. Taylor (Veterinary Surgeons).

TRACK: Soft 6 (Moist but not a badly affected track)  
Downgraded to a Soft 7 at 12:20 pm retrospective to Race 1  
(Rain affected track that will chop out)

RAIL: Out 6 metres entire

WEATHER: Overcast

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
4	SAWTELL (NZ)		A. Jordsjo	Explanation accepted
5	EXALTED FIRE		J. Eaton	Late notification
8	SHAMINO		W. Price	Explanation accepted

## RACE 1: THE FOTOBASE GROUP HANDICAP - 1050 Metres

PHILOSOPHER (T. Pannell) - rider explained that the colt travelled well in the early and middle stages of the event; however, when asked for an effort it failed to respond to his riding. He added that in his opinion PHILOSOPHER may not have been suited by the soft track. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a poor post-race recovery. Co-trainers, Mr A. & Mr S. Freedman were advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race.

SOLAR BLAST (J. Toeroek) - raced keenly in the middle stages of the event. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

LYNDA'S LEGACY (J. Potter) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

## RACE 2: FURPHY MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 Metres

SIPSMITH (C. Jones) - inconvenienced over the concluding 100m when taken wider by EXALTED DAME.

A MIDNIGHT SHADOW (S. Fawke) - jumped away awkwardly.

ANOTHER PONZI (NZ) (J. Toeroek) - shifted out on jumping away and brushed TIGER QUEEN.

EXALTED DAME (J. Benbow) - laid out under pressure in the straight.



## RACE 2: FURPHY MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 Metres (cont'd)

OUR SELECTION (NZ) (S. Logan) - raced wide without cover throughout the event. Near the 200m was disappointed when attempting a run between SIPSMITH and EXALTED DAME, which shifted out and was obliged to alter course to obtain clear ground.

PUNCHIN (J. Eaton) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

TIGER QUEEN (W. Price) - contacted on jumping away. Rider explained that the mare had never travelled and in his opinion had not handled the soft track condition. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

## RACE 3: ADELAIDE GALVANISING INDUSTRIES HANDICAP - 2500 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately one minute.

FLOSSING (NZ) (S. Logan) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the off hind leg (2/5), made a number of coughing noises and displayed a poor post-race recovery. Co-trainers, Mr. T. Busuttin & Ms N. Young were advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

SILENT COMMAND (B. Price) - shifted out slightly on jumping away onto MUNTHAM MISSILE. Rider explained that the gelding had travelled well in the early and middle stages; however, had not let down when asked for an effort. He added that in his opinion SILENT COMMAND did not handle today's soft track. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a slow post-race recovery.

SMILING ASSASSIN (K. Crowther) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

DIXIE WHISTLER (L. Neindorf) - lost its off hind plate in the mounting yard. As the farrier was unable to re-plate it, permission was granted for the mare to race bare behind. Had to be re-saddled upon arrival at the barriers. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed suitable to race. On passing the winning post on the first occasion, rider was forced to take hold to avoid the heels of SPACE EQUITY, which shifted in.

MUNTHAM MISSILE (J. Eaton) - inconvenienced on jumping away. Near the 500m was momentarily held up when it improved onto the heels of SPACE EQUITY, which commenced to give ground.

SPACE EQUITY (D. Caboche) - on passing the winning post on the first occasion shifted in when insufficiently clear of DIXIE WHILSTER, forcing its rider to take hold to avoid the heels of SPACE EQUITY. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge of careless riding under AR131(a) and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence midnight Wednesday, 21 September 2022 and to conclude midnight Wednesday, 28 September 2022, a period of three meetings.

## RACE 4: BLAIR KEYS LOVED HIS RACING HANDICAP - 1600 Metres

FRANCE'S BOY (E. Wong) - rider explained that he had been instructed to ease off the running rail from the near the 500m to make his run wider on the track. Co-trainer, Ms C. Riggs confirmed the instructions as in their opinion they felt the track was superior slightly away from the rail. Laid out over the concluding 100m of the event.

MELODY MAN (S. Logan) - near the 300m was disappointed when attempting a run between HEADPHONES, which shifted out slightly and ALPINE FLYER, which laid in, resulting in the rider having to alter course to obtain clear ground. Laid in over the concluding 300m of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ALPINE FLYER (B. Vorster) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

FLIGHT DECK (NZ) (L. Neindorf) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination upon arrival on course and was found to be lame in the near foreleg (4/5) and declared unsuitable to race. Acting on this advice FLIGHT DECK (NZ) was declared a late scratching by order of Stewards at 12:30 pm. Co-trainers, Mr. G. Richards and Mr D. Moyle were advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

SAWTELL (NZ) (A. Jordsjo) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.



RACE 5: SPRING CARNIVAL AT MORPHETTVILLE (OCTOBER 8TH - NOVEMBER 5TH) HANDICAP  
- 1500 Metres

KENYAN WONDER (W. Price) - late scratching by order of the Stewards at 10.25 am acting on confirmed advice from Trainer, Mr R. Balfour that the mare had kicked out in its stable, injured its off hind foot and was unsuitable to race. Trainer, Mr R. Balfour was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

EXALTED FIRE (J. Eaton) - laid out rounding the home turn and under pressure in the straight.

CHARM SLINGA (NZ) (R. Hurdle) - slow to begin. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

BENZ BARON (C. Jones) - stood flat footed at the start and was slow to begin. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

EMINENCIA (B. Vorster) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 6: GRAND SYNDICATES - JOIN TEAM GRAND TODAY! HANDICAP - 1050 Metres

MAGIC MAX (L. Neindorf) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Rider explained that the gelding had not let down in its normal manner. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. Shifted its near hind plate during the event.

HOWL (W. Price) - slow to begin. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Inconvenienced near the 700m when RUSTY HALO shifted out.

MAY BE FATE (B. Vorster) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

TANJA'S DREAM (S. Logan) - near the 100m was inconvenienced when ZARACE shifted out.

ZARACE (C. Jones) - hung out under pressure in the straight.

OUTPOST (T. Voorham) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

RUSTY HALO (S. Metcalfe) - slow to begin. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Near the 700m hung out and inconvenienced HOWL.

RACE 7: THE GOLDEN DAFFODIL HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

SPARKUP (J. Toeroek) - laid in over the concluding 500m of the event.

SESAR (E. Annells) - slow to begin.

HINTO BLUE (NZ) (L. Lafferty) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out.

CROWN MINT (L. NEINDORF) - jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin.

RACE 8: W H WYLIE HANDICAP - 1100 Metres

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

KEMALPASA (J. Toeroek) - 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 100m and was fined \$300. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for the totality of the use of the whip by J. Toeroek and noted that he used it on thirteen occasions over the final 100m of the event.

TEQUILA TIME (T. Voorham) - rider reported that the gelding travelled well in the early and middle stages of the event; however, did not respond to when asked for an effort and was disappointing to the finish. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.





RACE 8: W H WYLIE HANDICAP - 1100 Metres (cont'd)

TAUNTING (J. Eaton) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Rider reported that the gelding raced fiercely in the early and middle stages of the event, which resulted in it leading the field by further than she had anticipated.

WOTUWANT (L. Neindorf) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

RACE 9: THE JUNCTION HANDICAP - 1100 Metres

I'M A LEGEND (L. Neindorf) - awkward and slow to begin. Rider was reprimanded under AR131(c) for making a celebratory gesture prior to the winning post.

TWO TIMES TWICE (S. Logan) - near the 150m dropped her off side rein for a short distance. Continued in onto BRILLANT SAPPHIRE, which was forced to steady when tightened onto MAID IN MILAN. Rider was severely reprimanded under AR131(a) and advised to take greater care when shifting ground.

DASKULYA (E. Wong) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed a small laceration to the off hind pastern. First aid administered.

KINGSON (E. Annells) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

MAID IN MILAN (L. McNeil) - near the 100m shifted out slightly onto BRILLANT SAPPHIRE. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed suitable to race.

BRILLANT SAPPHIRE (K. Crowther) - raced wide without cover throughout the event. Near the 100m lost its position and forced to steady when MAID IN MILAN shifted out slightly at the same time as TWO TIMES TWICE shifted in. Rider reported that the mare raced fiercely in the early and middle stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MAGIC PHANTOM (T. Voorham) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

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PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (22):

Blood samples were taken from the following horses for, but not limited to, TCO<sub>2</sub> purposes:

Race 3 - FLOSSING (NZ), SILENT COMMAND, SMILING ASSASSIN, DIXIE WHISTLER, HASTA LA FIORENTE, MUNTHAM MISSILE, WOLF PRINCE, SPACE EQUITY  
Race 4 - FRANCE'S BOY, MELODY MAN, MOSCOW RED (NZ), HEADPHONES, ALPINE FLYER  
Race 5 - EXALTED FIRE, VENUSIAN, CHARM SLINGA (NZ), EMINENCIA, SALT BAY (NZ)  
Race 8 - BEHEMOTH, KEMALPASA, TEQUILA TIME, TAUNTING

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ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (9):

Race 1 - ALPHA FLIGHT (winner)  
Race 2 - SGHIRRIPA (winner)  
Race 3 - MUNTHAM MISSILE (winner)  
Race 4 - MOSCOW RED (NZ) (winner)  
Race 5 - TURFITT (winner)  
Race 6 - HOWL (winner)  
Race 7 - SIXBYSIXTYTHREE (winner)  
Race 8 - SHAMINO (winner)  
Race 9 - I'M A LEGEND (winner)

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**REPRIMANDS FOR WHIP USE**

Stewards reprimanded the following riders under AR132(7)(a)(ii) for using the whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 meters. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for the totality of whip use.

		Prior to 100m	Final 100m
Race 3	D. Caboche (SPACE EQUITY)	+2	2
Race 8	T. Voorham (TEQUILA TIME)	+2	2
Race 9	E. Wong (DASKULYA)	+2	6

**SUMMARY**

FINES	Race 5 - Mr M. Hickmott - Fined \$200 - - LR18.1 - Late rider declaration for EXALTED FIRE Race 8 - J. Toeroek (KEMALPASA) - Fined \$300 - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+1]
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 9 - S. Logan (TWO TIMES TWICE) - AR131(a) - Careless Riding
REPRIMANDS	Race 9 - L. Neindorf (I'M A LEGEND) - AR131(c) - Celebratory gesture prior to the winning post.
SUSPENSIONS	Race 3 - D. Caboche (SPACE EQUITY) - AR131(a) - Careless Riding - From midnight 21/9/22 and to conclude at midnight 28/9/22 - 3 meetings
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 - PHILOSOPHER - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to trial or race - Slow post-race recovery Race 3 - FLOSSING (NZ) - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to jump-out, trial or race - Lameness near foreleg (2/5), coughing and poor recovery post-race Race 4 - FLIGHT DECK (NZ) - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to jump-out, trial or race - Lameness near foreleg (4/5) (late scratching) Race 5 - KENYAN WONDER - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to jump-out, trial or race - Injured off hind foot (late scratching)
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil