

# Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report



RACINGSAA

Report on Race Meeting held at Morphetville Parks  
Racecourse by the South Australian Jockey Club on  
Saturday, 24 September 2022

Stewards: M. Santoro (Chairman) & S. Callanan (HT) (Stewards), E. Scott (M), H. Matthews (F) & K. Rayson (Cadet Stewards), E. Santoro, J. Patton, L. Murch, K. Santoro, T. Veers & M. Arthur (Deputy Stewards), Dr T. Koenig & Dr B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeons).

TRACK: Soft 6 (Moist but not a badly affected track)  
Upgraded to a Soft 5 at 11.30am (Track with a reasonable amount of give in it)

RAIL: Out 9 metres 1000m to Winning Post, out 6 meters remainder

WEATHER: Fine

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
3	SAWTELL (NZ)	L. Neindorf		Notified - Explanation accepted
5	BLUDOG	B. Vorster		"
6	SOLAR GALE	B. Price		Late notification
9	HANSOM MAN	J. Maund		Emergency - Notified
9	ICE GHOST	J. Benbow		"
9	REBEL LEE	T. Voorham		"

## RACE 1: AFL MASTERS HANDICAP - 1550 Metres

MERCHANT BOSS (J. Benbow) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted in contacting MORE REWARD.

FREE VINO (L. Neindorf) - contacted on jumping away.

ANNIE'S EYES (B. Price) - shifted out on jumping away and bumped FREE VINO. Laid in, under pressure in the straight.

MORE REWARD (B. Vorster) - contacted on jumping away. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Laid out under pressure in the straight.

## RACE 2: FURPHY HANDICAP - 1950 Metres

KING'S CHARISMA (IRE) (T. Pannell) - at the entrance to the straight, shifted out to improve and in doing so, inconvenienced SWANKYTOFF. Rider was reprimanded under AR131(a).



## RACE 2: FURPHY HANDICAP - 1950 Metres (Cont'd)

EARS THE BARMAN (NZ) (J. Benbow) - stepped the crossing near the 1800m. Rider explained that the gelding was disappointing and in his opinion, may not have handled the step up in distance. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a slow recovery.

SWANKYTOFF (A. Jordsjo) - at the entrance to the straight had to momentarily steady when KING'S CHARISMA (IRE) shifted out.

SAWTELL (NZ) (L. Neindorf) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed suitable to race. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

## RACE 3: THOMAS FARMS PLATE - 1000 Metres

ANJOPIN (M. Collett) - held up from the entrance to the straight until approaching the 100m.

RITZ (E. Annells) - raced wide without cover throughout the event. Inside the 600m had to be momentarily steadied and was forced wider when MINT MEMORY was taken out.

SEAFARING (NZ) (S. Logan) - had difficulty obtaining clear ground from the entrance to the straight until near the 200m.

ALL CLUBS (C. Murray) - jumped away awkwardly and shortly after shifted out onto LAKE TITICACA. Near the 100m rolled in onto SEVEN SECRETS.

GREY MARLA (J. Benbow) - raced wide without cover throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

HALLSTATT (L. Neindorf) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Inside the 600m became awkwardly placed on the heels of ANJOPIN, shifted out contacting MINT MEMORY, which was taken out onto RITZ.

LAKE TITICACA (E. Boyd) - hung in, in the straight and proved difficult to ride out. Inconvenienced shortly after the start. Trainer Mr W. Clarken was advised a warning had been placed on the mare in relation to its racing manners.

MINT MEMORY (J. Eaton) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Raced greenly throughout the event. Inside the 600m was hampered when contacted by HALLSTATT. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PINCHBECK (B. Vorster) - had difficulty obtaining clear ground from the entrance to the straight and near the 200m, was inconvenienced when POMPEII EMPIRE shifted in slightly and as a result, was only able to obtain clear ground near the 150m.

POMPEII EMPIRE (J. Toeroek) - near the 200m shifted in slightly onto PINCHBECK. Inclined to lay in for the remainder of the event.

SEVEN SECRETS (J. Holder) - laid out under pressure in the straight. Near the 100m had to be momentarily steadied when ALL CLUBS rolled in.

BIG FEELINGS (B. Price) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

## RACE 4: FLEURIEU MILK COMPANY HANDICAP - 1250 Metres

BOLD STAR (L. Neindorf) - shifted out slightly on jumping away onto RIVER TWAIN.

RIVER TWAIN (B. Price) - taken out on jumping away onto MANHATTEN TIMES.

MANHATTEN TIMES (J. Holder) - inconvenienced shortly after the start when RIVER TWAIN was taken out into its running line.

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

MELBA STORM (B. Vorster) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Laid out under pressure in the straight.



RACE 4: FLEURIEU MILK COMPANY HANDICAP - 1250 Metres (Cont'd)

IMPROVIDENT (P. Gatt) - Stewards permitted P. Gatt to ride the gelding 0.5 kg over its declared weight of 54kg. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Laid out under pressure in the straight.

RACE 5: SPRING CARNIVAL AT MORPHETTVILLE (OCTOBER 8TH - NOVEMBER 5TH)  
HANDICAP - 1400 Metres

HANKSTAR (L. Neindorf) - when questioned in relation to the instructions provided in today's event, rider explained that he was asked to be positive from the gates to ensure the gelding jumped away cleanly and then to position where comfortable. He added that due to the formation of the field and the lack of early pace, he found himself outside the leader. Trainer Mr P. Nolan confirmed the instructions provided.

COOL MAGNUM (J. Maund) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

RESIDUE (P. Gatt) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

EYES NEVER LIE (J. Holder) - inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

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

BLUDOG (B. Vorster) - slow to begin.

RACE 6: THE JUNCTION HANDICAP - 1000 Metres

THOMPSON'S REWARD (P. Gatt) - jumped away awkwardly. Laid out under pressure in the straight.

DEVIL'S TEMPTATION (E. Wong) - kicked en route to the barrier. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed suitable to race.

SOLAR GALE (B. Price) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and contacted KEEP READING. Near the 900m shifted in slightly onto REGAL STAR. Near the 100m shifted in slightly.

GAZE GRISE (K. Crowther) - turned its head just prior to the start being affected and was slow to begin.

RIGEL STAR (L. Lafferty) - near the 900m was hampered and had to be steadied and in doing so, got its head up for a number of strides when tightened between TRYGVE, which shifted out and away from DEVIL'S TEMPTATION and SOLAR GALE, which shifted in slightly. Raced keenly in until the entrance to the straight. Held up from the entrance to the straight until near the 250m.

KEEP READING (J. Toeroek) - contacted on jumping away. Inside the 100m was brushed by DARING MOVE.

TRYGVE (T. Voorham) - near the 900m shifted out and away from DEVIL'S TEMPTATION

DARING MOVE (B. Vorster) - laid out under pressure in the straight and inside the 100 shifted out and brushed KEEP READING.

Correct weight was delayed to allow the Stewards to view the vision over the concluding 150m.

RACE 7: THE FOTOBASE GROUP HANDICAP - 1000 Metres

CORK HARBOUR (J. Eaton) - jumped away awkwardly. Near the 500m dipped for no apparent reason. Rider reported the gelding never travelled and was awkward in its action during the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding exhibiting signs of tachycardia. Trainer Mr D. Saxon advised the results of an ECG are to be forwarded to the Racing SA Veterinary Surgeon and a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to performing satisfactorily in an Official Barrier Trial.





## RACE 7: THE FOTOBASE GROUP HANDICAP - 1000 Metres (Cont'd)

DESTINY'S REPUBLIC (M. Collett) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

JIMMYS EDGE (L. Neindorf) - shortly after the start shifted out and away abruptly from SANBUCK onto LOCKDOWN SALLY.

THE GOV (J. Toeroek) - jumped away awkwardly. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RICH GINA (B. Vorster) - jumped away awkwardly. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

LOCKDOWN SALLY (B. Price) - shortly after the start had to be checked and lost its position when tightened onto THE GOV by JIMMYS EDGE. Hung out in the straight. Trainer Mr W. Clarken was advised that a warning would be placed on the mare in relation to its racing manners.

FIELDS OF ATHENRY (S. Logan) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

## RACE 8: QUAYCLEAN HANDICAP - 1550 Metres

NEODIUM (E. Wong) - jumped away awkwardly. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Near the 1300m after obtaining the lead, slowed the speed of his mount resulting in VINO DECASE NOSTRA (NZ) becoming awkwardly placed on its heels for a number of strides. Rider was reminded of his obligations under AR131(d). Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) for using his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was fined \$200. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for the totality of the use of the whip by E. Wong and noted that he used it on 10 occasions over the concluding 100 metres of the event.

ALLUSION (J. Opperman) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

SIX FOOT SONG (L. Lafferty) - slow to begin. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

TURFITT (L. Neindorf) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

VINO DECASA NOSTRA (NZ) (S. Logan) - near the 1300m became awkwardly placed on the heels of NEODIUM for a number of strides when the pace eased.

EQUAL BALANCE (J. Toeroek) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

IMPOSING SUSPECT (NZ) (E. Boyd) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

PITRAIN (P. Gatt) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

WARMINSTER (B. Price) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed suitable to race. Jumped away awkwardly. Rider reported that the gelding travelled well in the early and middle stages of the event however, when asked to improve near the 600m, became awkward in its action and for this reason he did not ride WARMINSTER out in his normal manner. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a slow respiratory recovery.

GRACEFUL EAGLE (B. Vorster) - Slow to begin. Inclined to shift about under pressure in the straight.

## RACE 9: GRAND SYNDICATES - JOIN TEAM GRAND TODAY! HANDICAP - 1250 Metres

VICTORY CLUB (K. Crowther) - hampered on jumping away when contacted by NANA DULCE. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Lost its near fore plate during the event.

SO YOU CAN (J. Holder) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

NANA DULCE (E. Wong) - hampered on jumping away when tightened onto VICTORY CLUB by HANSOM MAN.

WINE FROM TEARS (C. Murray) - shifted in on jumping away onto HANSOM MAN. Raced wide without cover throughout the event.

RACE 9: GRAND SYNDICATES - JOIN TEAM GRAND TODAY! HANDICAP - 1250 Metres (Cont'd)

HANSOM MAN (J. Maund) - hampered on jumping away when tightened onto NANA DULCE by WINE FROM TEARS A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

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PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (24):

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

Race 2 - KING'S CHARISMA (IRE), MOSCOW RED (NZ), EARS THE BARMAN (NZ),  
ICHIBANSAN, TRUMPSTA, MAGICAL RIDE, SAWTELL (NZ)

Race 4 - BOLD STAR, RIVER TWAIN, RITRATTO, MELBA STORM, AIGUILLETTE, IMPROVIDENT

Race 5 - IMPOSSIBLE ACTION, COOL MAGNUM, COMFORT GIRL

Race 8 - ALLUSION, VINO DECASA NOSTRA (NZ), EQUAL BALANCE, IMPOSING SUSPECT  
(NZ), PITRAIN, GRACEFUL EAGLE, QUEBECOIS, INKA DINKA

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ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (9):

Race 1 - MERCHANT BOSS (winner)

Race 2 - TRUMPSTA (winner)

Race 3 - HALLSTATT (winner)

Race 4 - MELBA STORM (winner)

Race 5 - HANKSTAR (winner)

Race 6 - DARING MOVE (winner)

Race 7 - FIELDS OF ATHENRY (winner)

Race 8 - NEODIUM (winner)

Race 9 - SCENIC HOST (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 4	J. Holder (MANHATTEN TIMES)	+2	2
Race 9	C. Murray (WINE FROM TEARS)	+1	1

**SUMMARY**

FINES	Race 6 - M. Hickmott - Fined \$ 200 - LR19.1 - Late notification of rider for SOLAR GALE Race 8 - E. Wong (NEODIUM) -Fined - \$200 - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence - [+1]
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Race 2 - T. Pannell (KING'S CHARISMA (IRE) - AR131(a) - Careless Riding
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 3 - LAKE TITICACA - Warned - Hung in Race 7 - LOCKDOWN SALLY - Warned - Hung out Race 7 - CORK HARBOUR - Not to race - Results of an ECG and a Veterinary Clearance are to be forwarded to the RacingSA Veterinary Surgeon - Tachycardia Race 7 - CORK HARBOUR - Suspended - required prior to performing satisfactorily in an Official Barrier Trial - Tachycardia
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil