

Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Balaklava
Racecourse by the Balaklava Racing Club on
Wednesday, 23 November 2022



RACINGSAA

Stewards: M. Santoro (Chairman), & S. Callanan (F) (Stewards), K. Rayson (HT) & H. Matthews (Cadet Stewards), E. Santoro & L. Murch (Deputy Stewards), Dr T. Koenig (Veterinary Surgeon).

TRACK: Soft 5 (Track with a reasonable amount of give in it)
Upgraded to a Good 4 at 1.40 pm (Track with some give in it)

RAIL: True

WEATHER: Fine

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	KATE'S REBEL	R. Hurdle	J. Potter	Overweight
2	I LOVE MUM	K. Sardelic	B. Wong	Not riding at meeting

RACE 1: MY BUTCHER 36° SOUTH MAIDEN PLATE - 1600 Metres

GOD IT'S ME (D. Tourneur) - jumped away awkwardly and shortly after was inconvenienced when MARDENE shifted in slightly.

MARDENE (P. Gatt) - shortly after the start shifted in slightly onto GOD IT'S ME. Raced fiercely in the early and middle stages of the event and near the 900m improved onto heels and shifted out onto TUFF OPERATOR.

OUTPOUR (J. Toeroek) - dipped on jumping away. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

TUFF OPERATOR (B. Price) - inconvenienced near the 900m when MARDENE shifted out.

SIR KINGSFORD (E. Wong) - laid in under pressure over the concluding 200m of the event.

CLASSIC HOLLY (B. Vorster) - inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

SECOND LAST CHANCE (T. Voorham) - slow to begin.

AESCULUS (F. Atkinson) - keen in the early and middle stages of the event. Laid in under pressure over the concluding 200m of the event.

RACE 2: ATKINS PHOTOGRAPHY MAIDEN PLATE - 1050 Metres

AND THEN (R. Hurdle) - near the 900m shifted out slightly onto HUMEA.

MR MAVAHEEDY (P. Gatt) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination as it had not raced in over twelve months and was deemed suitable to race. Jumped away awkwardly and shifted in onto PATANDMICK. Raced fiercely in the early and middle stages of the event, and near the 600m rider became severely unbalanced in the saddle when PATANDMICK was taken out making contact with the gelding.



RACE 2: ATKINS PHOTOGRAPHY MAIDEN PLATE - 1050 Metres (cont'd)

OH SHOW (A. Jordsjo) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

PATANDMICK (E. Wong) - severely hampered and lost its position on jumping away when tightened between MR MAVAHEEDY, which shifted in, and MIDNIGHT RUSH, which shifted out. Raced fiercely in the early and middle stages and near the 600m was taken out onto MR MAVAHEEDY by HUMEA. Laid out rounding the home turn.

STAR KILLER (B. Price) - raced keenly in the early stages of the event and near the 900m had to be steadied when RUSSIAN STYLE shifted in. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MIDNIGHT RUSH (J. Toeroek) - contacted on jumping away by HUMEA and then shifted out and away onto PATANDMICK.

CASSANDRA ISABEL (J. Potter) - knuckled on jumping away.

RUSSIAN STYLE (M. Collett) - shifted in near the 900m onto STAR KILLER. Rider reprimanded. Near the 100m changed to lead legs and then commenced to lay in for the remainder of the event.

HUMEA (D. Caboche) - shifted out on jumping away onto MIDNIGHT RUSH. Near the 900m shifted out and away from AND THEN onto PATANDMICK.

I LOVE MUM (B. Wong) - jumped away awkwardly. Performed poorly. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. Trainer, Mr P. Day, was advised that a warning had been placed on the filly in relation to it being uncompetitive.

RACE 3: PAUL DOWLING BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1050 Metres

NOT A SINGLE BID (R. Hurdle) - rider reported that the gelding was awkward in its action in the early stages and was reluctant to stretch out.

EFFORTKAT (K. Crowther) - taken out near the 900m onto MADAM FURPHY by MISS MIDUKI.

MADAM FURPHY (A. Livesey) - near the 900 metres was hampered when tightened between FIFTY FOUR SQUARES, which shifted in at the same time as EFFORTKAT was taken out by MISS MIDUKI. Rider explained that the mare travelled well in the early and middle stages of the event; however, when asked for an effort at the entrance to the straight failed to let down as she had anticipated. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MISS MIDUKI (E. Wong) - near the 900 metres shifted out slightly onto EFFORTKAT, which was taken out onto MADAM FURPHY. Rider was reminded of his obligations when shifting ground.

FIFTY FOUR SQUARES (B. Vorster) - near the 900m shifted in onto MADAM FURPHY. Rider was reminded of his obligations when shifting ground. Lost its near hind plate during the event.

HIBBITY DIBBITY (J. Potter) - slow to begin.

RACE 4: BLOOM MEDIA AUSTRALIA BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

BLUE LUNA (E. Wong) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed an abnormal upper respiratory noise. Co-trainers, Mr G & Mrs N Searle and Mrs B. Callanan, were advised that the results of an endoscopic examination and a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

MELMAC (R. Hurdle) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out onto FIVE POCKET.

GRENADO (NZ) (L. Neindorf) - near the 1000m shifted in onto LOPE DE WOLF, obliging the rider to take hold and lose his position. Rider was severely reprimanded. Had difficulty obtaining clear ground from the entrance to the straight until near the 300m when it had to be steadied and then alter course when racing behind BLUE LUNA, which commenced to weaken and inside LOPE DE WOLF.





RACE 4: BLOOM MEDIA AUSTRALIA BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1200 Metres (cont'd)

LOPE DE WOLF (B. Vorster) - near the 1000m had to take hold and lost its position when GRENADO (NZ) shifted in.

WOUNDED SOLDIER (NZ) (D. Tourneur) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed that the gelding had bled from both nostrils. Trainer, Ms K. Brynes, was advised that as this was the gelding's second bi-lateral bleed it was now ineligible to start in a race in accordance with AR79(6).

FIVE POCKET (K. Crowther) - contacted on jumping away.

RACE 5: TAYLORS WINES CLASS ONE HANDICAP - 1300 Metres

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

CORK HARBOUR (B. Price) - jumped away awkwardly.

KEEN IDEA (F. Atkinson) - slow to begin. Raced fiercely in the early and middle stages of the event.

BOILING POINT (P. Gatt) - slow to begin.

JUMPING BEAN (A. Lindsay) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted in contacting ODDSOCK. Near the 1000m commenced to hang out severely for the remainder of the event resulting in the rider being unable to assist the mare. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. Trainer, Mr G. Lynch, was advised that the mare would be required to complete the course in an Official Barrier Trial to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to accepting for a future race.

ODDSOCK (J. Eaton) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out contacting JUMPING BEAN. Rider reported that the mare choked down over the concluding stages and may benefit from a tongue tie.

RACE 6: BAROSSA DISTILLING CO. BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1400 Metres

RIPPA EAGLE (NZ) (F. Atkinson) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

THE LADIES MAN (B. Wong) - held up from the entrance to the straight until near the 200m.

WARMINSTER (B. Price) - raced fiercely in the early and middle stages of the event.

PRETENTIOUS LASS (P. Gatt) - rider reported that the mare failed to stretch out when placed under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 7: COOPERS BENCHMARK 58 HANDICAP - 1600 Metres

LORD OF DARKNESS (NZ) (A. Lindsay) - slow to begin.

BENZ BARON (J. Holder) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

DAZZLING PROSPECT (E. Wong) - jumped away awkwardly. Raced wide without cover throughout the event.

UP THE STAIRS (R. Hurdle) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

WHEELS OF COURAGE (L. Neindorf) - had difficulty obtaining clear ground from approaching the 200m until near the 100m.



RACE 7: COOPERS BENCHMARK 58 HANDICAP - 1600 Metres (cont'd)

CATALINA BLUE (T. Voorham) - on arrival on course was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the mare to have a fresh laceration to its mandible and deemed it unsuitable to race. Acting on this advice Stewards declared CATALINA BLUE a late scratching at 12.34 pm. Trainer, Mr B. Jones, was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (7):

- Race 1 - AESCULUS (winner)
- Race 2 - MIDNIGHT RUSH (winner)
- Race 3 - HIBBITY DIBBITY (winner)
- Race 4 - LOPE DE WOLF (winner)
- Race 5 - YARDSTICK (winner)
- Race 6 - WHISKEY 'N' WOMEN (winner)
- Race 7 - WHEELS OF COURAGE (winner)

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 1	F. Atkinson (AESCULUS)	+2	1
Race 3	A. Livesey (MADAM FURPHY)	+1	3
Race 4	E. Wong (MISS MIDUKI)	+1	5

SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 1 - R. Hurdle- Fined \$200 - AR190(3) - Overweight and having to be replaced on KATE'S REBEL.
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 4 - L. Neindorf (GRENADO (NZ)) - AR131(a) - Careless riding.
REPRIMANDS	Race 2 - M. Collett (RUSSIAN STYLE) - AR131(a) - Careless riding.
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 2 - I LOVE MUM - Warned - Uncompetitive. Race 4 - BLUE LUNA - Not to race - Vet Clearance including results of an endoscopic exam required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race. Race 4 - WOUNDED SOLDIER (NZ) - Barred for life - Bi-lateral bleed (2 nd occurrence) Race 5 - JUMPING BEAN - Suspended - Must complete an Official Barrier Trial to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to a future race start - Hung out severely. Race 7 - CATALINA BLUE - Not to race - Vet clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race - Laceration to mandible.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil