# Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Port Lincoln Racecourse by the Port Lincoln Racing Club on Friday, 3 February 2023



Stewards: S. Callanan (A/Chairman) & M. Zarb (HT) (Stewards), H. Matthews (Cadet Steward),

P. Dearman (F), G. Harvey & L. Murch (Deputy Stewards), Dr T. Koenig (Veterinary

Surgeon)

TRACK: Good 4 (Track with some give in it)

RAIL: True

WEATHER: Overcast

#### **RIDER CHANGES:**

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
2	SWIFT TERCEL	E. Wong	R. Milnes	Explanation accepted
2	VON GEORGE	R. Hurdle	K. Crowther	Indisposed
2	THE COMMANDANT	R. Milnes	E. Wong	Explanation accepted
2	ROYAL LANDING	E. Boyd		Emergency - notified
5	MELMAC	R. Hurdle	C. Murray	Indisposed
8	AXECAPITAL (NZ)	B. Wong	F. Atkinson	Explanation accepted
9	TIME WARRIOR	R. Hurdle	K. Crowther	Indisposed

#### RACE 1: UNTAMED ESCAPES TWO AND THREE-YEAR-OLD CLASS ONE PLATE - 1000 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately three minutes owing to a delay experienced with transporting some jockeys gear to the racecourse.

COASTAL CRUZ (S. Logan) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted in and shortly after stumbled. Hung in throughout the event and proved difficult for its rider to ride out in her normal manner. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FOR BOOG'S SAKE (A. Livesey) - shortly after the start stumbled and became awkward in its action for a number of strides.

PRIMED MELODY (C. Munro) - jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin.

TANE TOA (NZ) (R. Milnes) - inside the 400m rolled out and brushed with LADIES LUNCH, stumbled and changed stride. As a result its rider became awkward in the saddle for a short distance. A post-race veterinary examination revealed that the gelding lost its near fore plate and quartered its near fore heel.

# RACE 1: UNTAMED ESCAPES TWO AND THREE-YEAR-OLD CLASS ONE PLATE - 1000 Metres (cont'd)

CRACKING CHEVAL (F. Atkinson) - after being loaded in its barrier stall became fractious and was cast. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed unsuitable to race. Acting on this advice CRACKING CHEVAL was declared a late scratching at 2.08 pm. Trainer, Mr A. Justice was advised firstly, that a Veterinary Clearance was required prior to a future trial and secondly, advised that the filly must perform to the Stewards' satisfaction in an Official Barrier Trial prior to a future race.

LADIES LUNCH (K. Crowther) – inside the 400m brushed with TANE TOA (NZ), which rolled out. Laid in under pressure shortly after the entrance to the straight. Rider explained that the filly did not feel comfortable in its action during the event and made abnormal respiratory noises on return to the mounting yard. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a slow recovery and a laceration to its near hind pastern. First aid administered.

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

#### RACE 2: PORT LINCOLN CUP CALCUTTA - MARCH 2, 2023 MAIDEN PLATE - 1210 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately one minute.

FUNNY LEGS (J. Doyle) - after being loaded in its barrier stall, got its near hind leg up momentarily on the barrier partition. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed suitable to race.

KUBLAI (S. Logan) - hung out throughout the event. Near the 200m altered course to the inside of LEMON TART and thereafter laid in for the remainder of the event.

LEVEE (A. Jordsjo) - laid out rounding the home turn.

TOORAK BLAZE (T. Voorham) - slow to begin, approximately one to two lengths.

THE COMMANDANT (E. Wong) - jumped away awkwardly. Near the 150m was inconvenienced when it improved to the inside of THE LOCKSMITH. Rider reported that the gelding hung out and was difficult to ride out in his normal manner throughout the event.

ROYAL LANDING (E. Boyd) - jumped away awkwardly.

## RACE 3: LINCOLN ESTATE BENCHMARK 80 HANDICAP - 1250 Metres

GRINZINGER STAR (NZ) (R. Milnes) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CENTREFIELD (K. Crowther) - rider explained the mare did not feel comfortable in its action during the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a slower than normal recovery.

LEONARDA (F. Atkinson) - jumped away awkwardly.

BARON OF BEDFORD (NZ) (B. Price) - weakened from approaching the 400m and as a result the rider ceased riding from the 100m. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MESSERSCHMITT (A. Livesey) - on jumping away was inclined to rear and as a result was slow to begin. Near the 900m was taken wider by VELARO.

VELARO (S. Fawke) - making the turn near the 900m when hanging out, shifted out and took MESSERSCHMITT wider on the track.

### RACE 4: Q MECHANICAL CLASS ONE PLATE - 1750 Metres

LACHLAN CASTLE (J. Doyle) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.





SINO WITNESS (C. Murray) - on jumping away bumped ALMARHOE, which shifted out.

ALMARHOE (S. Fawke) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and bumped SINO WITNESS. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

BEERS ON BILL (F. Atkinson) - jumped away very awkwardly and shifted out abruptly onto RED FEATS, which lost its position.

MISS PARMIGIANA (E. Wong) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival at the barriers and was deemed suitable to race. Hung out rounding the home turn and under pressure in the straight.

RED FEATS (C. Munro) - on jumping away lost its position when tightened onto LACHLAN CASTLE by BEERS ON BILL, which shifted out abruptly. Hung in under pressure in the straight and proved difficult to ride out.

RIGHT TURN (D. Caboche) - rider reported that the gelding laid in under pressure in the straight and on return to the mounting yard felt short in its action. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

### RACE 5: RORY'S JESTER MEMORIAL RATING 0 - 54 HANDICAP (1) - 1210 Metres

MELMAC (C. Murray) - rider explained that the gelding failed to let down when placed under pressure from prior to rounding the home turn and did not respond to his riding, he therefore ceased riding from the 100m. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

DAY FOR IT (NZ) (T. Voorham) - jumped away very awkwardly and as a result the rider became unbalanced and the gelding was slow into stride. Rider reported that she intended to settle further forward in the event however was unable to do so due to the way the gelding jumped away.

MELWAY (D. Caboche) - re-saddled on arrival at the barriers. After being loaded momentarily got its off fore leg up in its barrier stall. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed suitable to race. Trainer, Ms K. Mckerlie was advised that a warning had been placed on the mare in relation to its barrier manners.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow the Stewards to view the vision of the start.

### RACE 6: SCALLYWAGS TOYS & NURSERY RATING 0 - 54 HANDICAP (2) - 1210 Metres

COMPARDY (E. Boyd) - laid out under pressure in the straight.

REGAL ROCKET (S. Tomlinson) - shortly after the start was buffeted and lost its position between DUCHESS NICCI and COMPARDY, which both shifted ground.

PROUD MARY (A. Livesey) - rider explained that the mare was under pressure from the 400m, failed to respond to her riding and that she was disappointed with its performance. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be lame in the near foreleg (2/5). Co-trainer, Mr J. Dunn was advised that a veterinary clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

# RACE 7: RIDING FOR THE DISABLED FOUR-YEAR-OLD & UP BENCHMARK 62 HANDICAP - 1000 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes.

STRAWBERRY SWING (R. Milnes) - hung in under pressure in the straight and was unable to be tested to the line. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SO SILENT (F. Atkinson) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

SPINOLA BAY (J. Doyle) - jumped away awkwardly and as a result was slow into stride.



# RACE 7: RIDING FOR THE DISABLED FOUR-YEAR-OLD & UP BENCHMARK 62 HANDICAP - 1000 Metres (cont'd)

FREE WILMA (A. Livesey) - lost its near fore plate en route to the barriers and was unable to be re-shod. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed suitable to race. After confirming with Co-Trainer, Mr J. Dunn and rider, A. Livesey, Stewards permitted the mare to race unshod behind.

#### RACE 8: EP SEAFOODS BENCHMARK 80 HANDICAP - 1750 Metres

FEARLESS AL (S. Logan) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and made contact with the outside barrier partition.

### RACE 9: THE PRAWN STORE BENCHMARK 58 HANDICAP - 1350 Metres

TIME WARRIOR (K. Crowther) – over raced in the early and middle stages of the event. Rider explained in relation to the gelding's performance that it was her intention to lead in today's event; however after the gelding began slightly slow, she encouraged her mount in an attempt to lead from the favourable barrier draw. She added that it commenced to over race and raced fiercely despite her efforts to restrain it as the pace was eased slightly. She further added that TIME WARRIOR was under pressure from approaching the 400m and was not responding to her riding. She stated that the gelding failed to respond to her riding in the straight and was disappointed with its effort. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ONEMORE MARSHALL (D. Caboche) - held up for clear running for a short distance rounding the home turn. Shortly after the entrance to the straight shifted in taking YEAH YEAH NAH in.

SCARY GO ROUND (S. Logan) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination as it had not raced since 12 November 2021 and was deemed suitable to race.

YEAH YEAH NAH (S. Tomlinson) - shortly after the entrance to the straight was taken in by ONEMORE MARSHALL. Had difficulty obtaining clear ground near the 150m for a number of strides when racing between ONEMORE MARSHALL and SON OF AKEED.

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#### **ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (4):**

Race 1 - CEECEETEEVEE (winner)

Race 3 - PERFECT COMMAND (winner)

Race 5 - CALL ME HERBIE (winner)

Race 8 - MIDNIGHT BRAWLER (NZ) (winner)

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SUMMARY			
FINES	Nil		
SEVERE	Nil		
REPRIMANDS			
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SUSPENSIONS	Nil		
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 - CRACKING CHEVAL - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to trial - Fractious in the barrier (Late Scratching) Race 1 - CRACKING CHEVAL - Suspended - Must perform satisfactorily in an Official Barrier Trial - Fractious in the barrier (Late Scratching) Race 5 - MELWAY - Warned - Fractious in its barrier Race 6 - PROUD MARY - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to jump-out, trial or race - Lame near foreleg (2/5)		
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil		
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	R. Hurdle		

