Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Bordertown Racecourse by the Bordertown Racing Club on Sunday, 5 March 2023



Stewards: P. Ryan (A/Chairman), D. Holland (HO) & D. Cookson (F) (Stewards), E. Scott (HT)

(Cadet Steward) D. Jonas & J. Foster (Deputy Stewards), Dr D. Goulding

(Veterinary Surgeon).

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

RAIL: True

WEATHER: Overcast

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
4	JOHNNY CIGAR	E. Finnegan	S. Fawke	Not riding at meeting
4	FULL OF DASH (NZ)	S. Metcalfe		Late notification
4	WEEKEND WARRIOR	Z. Lloyd		Emergency - notified
5	WILLIAM'S QUEST	R. Milnes		Late notification - explanation accepted
5	ANGES	A. Livesey	F. Atkinson	Not riding at meeting
6	COMOGLI	C. Tootell		Emergency - notified
7	DECISISVE HEART	J. Maund		***

RACE 1: WOOLSHED INN BENCHMARK 72 HANDICAP - 2000 Metres

SESAR (B. Price) - raced wide without cover for the majority of the event. Rider could offer no

explanation for the gelding's performance. A post-race veterinary explanation revealed no visible abnormalities. Trainer, Mr D. Saxon, stated that if any condition arises with the horse that may have affected the horse's performance today he will notify the Stewards.

WYLIE OL' COYOTE (S. Metcalfe) - when questioned regarding the tactics adopted on the gelding in today's event rider explained that after beginning well and with no pace in the early stages of the race she elected to allow the gelding to stride forward to settle outside the leader.

NEVA DOUBT US (T. Voorham) - held up for clear running from near the 500m until near the 300m.

RACE 2: BORDERTOWN PUMPS & REFRIGERATION BENCHMARK 68 HANDICAP - 1100 Metres

GRAND HOST (K. Crowther) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

ALL CLUBS (S. Payne) - rider reported that the mare was inclined to lay out under pressure in the straight.



RACE 3: ADELAIDE GALVANISING INDUSTRIES THREE-YEAR-OLD COLTS & GELDINGS MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 Metres

LEAF (S. Fawke) - began awkwardly and shifted in. Raced greenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Hung out rounding the home turn.

JACOBS GATE (D. Tourneur) - slow to begin. Held up for clear running from near the 500m until near the 200m.

FEAT OF FURY (R. Milnes) - slow to begin. Near the 200m had to be steadied off the heels of KEEP SWINGING, which shifted in slightly under pressure.

KEEP SWINGING (B. Wong) - began awkwardly. Raced wide throughout the event.

MIZZ BEEBEEFF (Z. Lloyd) - near the 900m raced in restricted room to the inside of LEAF, which shifted in when racing greenly.

STRAIGHT BACK (S. Logan) - raced wide throughout the event.

LOTZA BUBBLES (K. Crowther) - lost ground at the start when tightened for room between LEAF, which began awkwardly and shifted in, and KEEP SWINGING, which shifted out. Laid in under pressure in the straight and raced greenly.

OPPORTUNE CHANCE (J. Potter) - began awkwardly.

GOLDEN AKEED (D. Caboche) - near the 800m raced tight between LOTZA BUBBLES, which shifted out slightly, and LEAF, which shifted in whilst racing greenly.

RACE 4: HARPERS PARCEL FREIGHT MAIDEN HANDICAP - 1300 Metres

JOHNNY CIGAR (S. Fawke) - slow to begin.

GLACIES HEART (B. Wong) - slow to begin.

DELTA RIVER (T. Voorham) - held up for a clear run for the entirety of the straight. Near the 200m was disappointed when attempting to take a run where there was insufficient room between RATTLESNAKE RIDGE and MIAMI STAR and was untested to the line. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CITYOFCHURCHES (F. Atkinson) – slow to begin. Held up for clear running for the majority of the straight and approaching the winning post had to be eased when racing in restricted room to the inside of DELTA RIVER, which shifted in slightly and away from RATTLESNAKE RIDGE.

FULL OF DASH (NZ) (S. Metcalfe) - slow to begin. Held up for clear running from near the 400m until approaching the 100m.

HE DID IT (K. Walters) - held up for clear running from near the 400m until passing the 100m.

WEEKEND WARRIOR (Z. Lloyd) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

RACE 5: O'CONNORS CASE IH CLASS ONE HANDICAP - 1300 Metres

SWISS TIME (H. Yuen) - slow to begin. Commenced to over-race near the 1100m and had to be eased. Continued to over-race in the early stages of the event.

JOURNEY IN TIME (S. Metcalfe) - raced wide throughout the event.

SADLER'S SONG (C. Atkinson) - Stewards permitted C. Atkinson to ride the mare 0.5 kg over its allocated weight of 54.0 kg. Began awkwardly. Approaching the winning post had to be eased when tightened for room by ANGES, which was taken in slightly by MISS MCGREGOR.

MISS MCGREGOR (S. Logan) - knuckled on jumping away.

RACE 5: O'CONNORS CASE IH CLASS ONE HANDICAP - 1300 Metres (cont'd)

WILLIAM'S QUEST (R. Milnes) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) in that she used her whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100m and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence midnight Sunday, 12 March 2023 to conclude midnight Saturday, 18 March 2023, a period of three meetings. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for the totality of the use of the whip and noted that she used it on six occasions over the final 100m of the event. Rider was also reprimanded under AR132(7)(a)(i) in that she used her whip in consecutive strides.

RACE 6: BORDERTOWN STONE SUPPLIES BENCHMARK 58 HANDICAP - 1550 Metres

MAGNOSSIVA (R. Milnes) - raced wide throughout the event. Raced keenly in the middle stages of the event.

EXCUSEZ MOI (D. Caboche) - rider reported that there may have been something amiss with the mare's action over the concluding stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

EQUAL BALANCE (S. Metcalfe) - over-raced in the middle stages of the event.

HALIFAX ROAD (A. Jordsjo) - slow to begin.

HASTA LA PRINCE (J. Opperman) – rider reported that the gelding laid out rounding the home turn and was reluctant to take a run to EXCUSEZ MOI, and for this reason he steadied the gelding and shifted to the outside of EXCUSEZ MOI to obtain a run.

QUEBECOIS (J. Eaton) - slow to begin.

SIRMAZE (B. Price) - rider reported that he felt there may have been something amiss with the gelding's action during the race. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ARTHURAS (J. Maund) - Stewards permitted J. Maund to ride the gelding 0.5 kg over its allocated weight of 54.5 kg. Rider reported that he felt there may have been something amiss with the gelding's action over the concluding stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 7: BRANDT BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

SEBAGO (S. Logan) - eased down over the concluding stages by its rider. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to have bled from both nostrils. Trainer, Mr A. Beswick, was advised that as this was the geldings first bi-lateral bleed SEBAGO would now be suspended from racing for a period of three months in accordance with AR79(4) and would be required to gallop 1000 metres in the presence of a Steward prior to accepting for a future jump-out, trial or race start.

SCOUT'S HONOUR (R. Milnes) - began awkwardly and lost ground. Approaching the winning post raced in restricted room to the inside of PHILLYVONNE.

WYNTER LADY (C. Murray) – became fractious after being loaded in its barrier. Underwent a prerace veterinary examination and was deemed unsuitable to start. Acting on this advice Stewards declared WYNTER LADY a late scratching at 5.16 pm. Trainer, Ms R. Day, was advised that the mare would now be required to perform to the satisfaction of Stewards in an Official Barrier Trial or Approval to Race Jump-out prior to a future race start.

TITAN I AM (J. Opperman) - raced wide throughout the event.

PHILLYVONNE (J. Potter) - Raced wide throughout the event. Over the concluding stages shifted in under pressure and tightened SCOUT'S HONOUR. Rider advised to stop riding and straighten them much sooner than he did on this occasion.

DECISIVE HEART (J. Maund) - Stewards permitted J. Maund to ride the mare 0.5 kg over its allocated weight of 54.5 kg. Began awkwardly. Over-raced in the early stages of the event.

PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (1):

Blood samples were taken from the following horses for, but not limited to, TCO₂ purposes:

Race 1 - NEVA DOUBT US.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (3):

Race 2 - HELLO LADIES (winner) Race 4 - FULL OF DASH (NZ) (winner)

Race 6 - HASTA LA PRINCE(winner)

SUMMARY				
FINES	Mr W. Walters - Fined \$100 - LR18.1 - Late notification of rider for			
	FULL OF DASH (NZ) (Race 4).			
SEVERE	Nil			
REPRIMANDS				
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SUSPENSIONS	Race 5 - R. Milnes (WILLIAM'S QUEST) - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip			
	offence [+6] - From midnight 12/03/23 to midnight 18/03/23 - 3			
	meetings.			
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 7 - SEBAGO - Suspended 3 months - AR79(4) - Required to gallop 1000 metres in the presence of a Steward prior to a future trial or race - Bi-lateral bleed (1st occurrence). Race 7 - WYNTER LADY - Suspended - Must complete either an Official Barrier Trial or an Approval to Race Jump-out to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to a future race start - Fractious in the barrier.			
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil			
MEDICAL	Nil			
CLEARANCE				

