# Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Glenburnie Racecourse by the Mount Gambier Racing Club on Wednesday, 5 July 2023



Stewards Panel: M. Zarb (A/Chairman), A. Hayles (HT) & H. Matthews (F)

<u>Deputy Stewards:</u> L. Murch, M. Arthur & K. Marnane.

Veterinary Surgeons: Dr D. Goulding.

TRACK: Heavy 10 (Heaviest category of track, very wet, towards saturation)

RAIL: Out 4 metres 1800m to 1600m including 1800m chute, true remainder.

WEATHER: Fine

**RIDER CHANGES:** 

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
2	SO SAY SUNNY	D. Caboche		Late notification - explanation accepted

RACE 1: THE MOUNT PLUMBING SERVICE BENCHMARK 58 HANDICAP - 1550 Metres

DIFFLIN COUNTY (S. Payne) - raced keen in the early stages of the event.

GARBO (C. Puls) - when questioned in relation to the horse's performance, rider explained the gelding failed to handle today's track conditions. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

NAVILLUS EXCEL (H. Grace) - raced keen in the early stages and hung out for the majority of the event.

RACE 2: THE MIDFIELD GROUP MAIDEN PLATE - 1400 Metres

BLUE SKY MINE (D. Tourneur) - slow to begin.

FLOYD'S PREDICTION (NZ) (K. Walters) - began awkwardly and shifted in. Raced keen in the early and middle stages and wide without cover for the majority of the event.

HONOUR THE SKILLS (L. Williams) – jockey L. Williams was issued with a reprimand under AR131(a) for careless riding in that approaching the 1100m he shifted in and tightened LADY CRACKER, which was racing keen and had to be steadied. 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 \$100. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for the totality of the use of the whip by L. Williams and noted that he used it on four occasions over the final 100m. RITZ (A. Livesey) – slow to begin.

WYES TRIER (C. Murray) - hung out rounding the home turn.

FELDON (H. Grace) - raced wide without cover for the majority of the event.

LADY CRACKER (J. Opperman) - raced keen in the early stages of the event, and near the 1100m had to be checked when tightened by HONOUR THE SKILLS, which shifted in.



# RACE 2: THE MIDFIELD GROUP MAIDEN PLATE - 1400 Metres (cont'd)

MAI TIME (F. Atkinson) - held up for clear racing room between the 400m and the 300m at which point the mare was shifted out across the heels of SONG OF THE BRAVE to improve.

POP 'N' PARK (NZ) (C. Puls) - slow to begin, and then became awkward on the heels of FLOYD'S PREDICTION (NZ), which shifted in.

#### RACE 3: DCA LOGISTICS MAIDEN HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

FALLING LEAVES (D. Tourneur) - slow to begin. Near the 1000m had to be eased when tightened by SHY RULER, which shifted out momentarily.

SHY RULER (J. Opperman) - made the turn near the 1000m awkwardly and shifted out, tightening FALLING LEAVES.

LINES OF GLORY (J. Maund) - rider reported that the gelding began awkwardly, lost ground and as a consequence raced further back than anticipated. Raced wide with cover for the majority of the event.

MEIKA TATE (NZ) (K. Walters) - raced wide without cover for the majority of the event.

AJNA CHAKRA (D. Caboche) - raced keen in the early and middle stages of the event.

COLDENKIM (H. Grace) - rider reported the filly travelled well for the majority of the race; however, when placed under pressure in the straight failed to respond and proved disappointing. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

### RACE 4: SCOTT GROUP OF COMPANIES BENCHMARK 66 HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

DETNAW (S. Payne) - began awkwardly and lost ground.

MELISSA KATE (NZ) (K. Walters) - began awkwardly and lost ground. Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.

ROSE TIARA (H. Grace) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course as it had not raced in over twelve months and was deemed suitable to start. Finished a distant last. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a slower than expected recovery. Trainer, Ms B. O'Loughlin, was advised that a warning had been placed on the mare in relation to being uncompetitive.

# RACE 5: CARLTON DRAUGHT BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1803 Metres

MO'S STASH (C. Atkinson) - raced keen in the middle stages of the event. Shifted out near the 1100m and bumped FIFTH HUSBAND (NZ).

LOOKING SUAVE (NZ) (K. Walters) - 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 Saturday, 8 July 2023 to conclude midnight Wednesday, 12 July 2023, a period of two meetings. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for the totality of the use of the whip by K. Walters and noted that she used it on ten occasions over the final 100m of the event.

FIFTH HUSBAND (NZ) (J. Doyle) - slow to begin. Raced wide without cover for the majority of the event. Near the 1100m was bumped by MO'S STASH.

#### RACE 6: FESTIVAL HIRE RATING 0-54 HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately four minutes owing to several horses being difficult to load.

TALES OF CONFLICT (J. Doyle) - raced keen in the early and middle stages of the event.

# RACE 6: FESTIVAL HIRE RATING 0-54 HANDICAP - 1200 Metres (cont'd)

ROLL ME AWAY (A. Livesey) - lost its right winker near the 600m.

EXCELSA (D. Caboche) - raced wide without cover for the majority of the event.

READY FOR ACTION (C. Atkinson) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course following its run at Warracknabeal on 30 June 2023 and was deemed suitable to start. Slow to begin. Tailed the field by a considerable distance. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

#### RACE 7: TAB BENCHMARK 62 HANDICAP - 1400 Metres

JAY GATSBY (A. Livesey) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MYLITLESTARTHATCAN (B. Wong) - raced keen in the early stages of the event.

SOOBMERGED (C. Puls) - trainer, Ms B. O'Loughlin, advised Stewards prior to the event of a change of tactics in that she would instruct the rider to attempt to settle further back in today's event due to the wide barrier. Settled forward of midfield.

ZEYDANA (C. Murray) - When questioned in regards to the horse's performance rider reported that he was obliged to work hard in the early stages to obtain the lead. Thereafter the mare settled nicely in front; however, when placed under pressure failed to respond to his riding. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. Trainer, Mr R. Bruhn, was reminded of his obligations under AR165(3) in that the horse is not permitted to be removed from the course until thirty minutes after the finish of its race.

OUR ELLIE ROSE (NZ) (K. Walters) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course following its run at Warracknabeal on 30 June 2023 and was deemed suitable to start. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

INNOCENT PEGG (J. Doyle) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course following its run at Warracknabeal on 30 June 2023 and was deemed suitable to start. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

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# **ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (7):**

Race 1 - NAVILLUS EXCEL (winner)

Race 2 - HONOUR THE SKILLS (winner)

Race 3 - LINES OF GLORY (winner)

Race 4 - ACTION IN CAIRNS (winner)

Race 5 - JOE'S GIGGLE (winner)

Race 6 - LOOSE LIP LLOYD (winner)

Race 7 - THUNDERANLIGHTNING (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 6	L. Williams (BYWONNER)	+2	7		



SUMMARY				
FINES	Race 2 - L. Williams (HONOUR THE SKILLS) - Fined \$100 - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+4].			
CEVEDE				
SEVERE   REPRIMANDS	Nil			
REPRIMANDS	Race 2 - L. Williams (HONOUR THE SKILLS) - AR131(a) - Careless riding.			
SUSPENSIONS	Race 5 - K. Walters (LOOKING SUAVE (NZ)) - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+4] - From midnight 08/07/23 to midnight 12/07/23 - 2 meetings.			
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 4 - ROSE TIARA - Warned - Uncompetitive.			
ADJOURNED	Nil			
INQUIRIES				
MEDICAL	Nil			
CLEARANCE				

