# Racing SA Ltd <br> Stipendiary Stewards' Report 

Report on Race Meeting held at Port Augusta Racecourse by the Port Augusta Racing Club on Sunday, 23 July 2023

Stewards Panel: E. Scott (A/Chairman), S. Callanan (F) \& H. Matthews (HT)<br>Deputy Stewards: D. Jonas \& A. Deakin.<br>Veterinary Surgeons: Dr D. Anderson.

TRACK: Dirt / Good (More loosened surface than fast, some kickback may be evident)
RAIL: True
WEATHER: Fine

RACE 1: AUGUSTA BOTTLE \& CAN RECYCLERS BENCHMARK 62 HANDICAP - 1600 Metres
GRINZINGER ALLEE (NZ) (R. Milnes) - laid in under pressure in the straight.
AL RANCHERO (H. Yuen) - inclined to lay out rounding the home turn.
WHITCHETY GRUB (D. Caboche) - slow to begin.

## RACE 2: PORT PIRIE BUS SERVICE MAIDEN HANDICAP - 1498 Metres

I'M APRANCER (S. Fawke) - laid in, in the straight. Approaching the winning post bumped with ROKUN.

PHORCYS (NZ) - late scratching by order of Stewards at 8.25am as no rider was available.
INNER SANCTUM (H. Yuen) - approaching the 400m was held up for a short distance.
ALMARHOE (R. Milnes) - jumped away awkwardly. Rider explained that her instructions in today's event were to obtain a forward position; however, as the gelding jumped away awkwardly and did not muster enough early speed she settle further back than anticipated. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

BARBADSON (D. Caboche) - Stewards permitted D. Caboche 0.5 kg over its allocated weight of 54.0kg. Rider explained that the gelding travelled well in the early and middle stages; however, inside the 500m it did not feel comfortable in its action, and for this reason he did not ride BARBADSON out in his usual manner. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RED FEATS (J. Doyle) - slow to begin.
ROKUN (A. Livesey) - approaching the winning post bumped with I'M APRANCER.

RACE 3: INCLUSIVE BASKETBALL PORT AUGUSTA BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1498 Metres
AUGUSTA ROCK (A. Livesey) - on jumping away shifted out and bumped MOOSE RIVER.
KID KINGDOM (A. Jordsjo) - slow to begin.

RACE 3: INCLUSIVE BASKETBALL PORT AUGUSTA BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1498 Metres (cont'd)

RIVER (B. Wong) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.
RUN ON (NZ) (H. Yuen) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.
MOOSE RIVER (S. Fawke) - on jumping away bumped with AUGUSTA ROCK, which shifted out. Approaching the 1400 m , when racing ungenerously, had to be momentarily steadied to avoid the heels of CAITLIN'S ANGEL, which shifted in.

CAITLIN'S ANGEL (J. Potter) - near the 1400 m shifted in onto MOOSE RIVER. Rider was reminded of his obligations under AR131(a).

## RACE 4: SCA MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 Metres

MIZZ BEEBEEFF (S. Fawke) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event and near the 700m became awkwardly placed on the heels of MISS ELLAROSE for a short distance.

ONELOLLY'SENUFF (R. Milnes) - laid in, in the straight.
CLASSY LILLY (A. Jordsjo) - laid in, in the straight.
MISS DIAMANTINA (J. Potter) - jumped away awkwardly.
MOMENTS IN LIFE (C. Tootell) - near the 700 m shifted in onto TARAH'S JOY, which had to be steadied. Rider was severely reprimanded under AR131(a) and advised to ensure she was sufficiently clear when shifting ground in future.

TARAH'S JOY (A. Livesey) - jumped away awkwardly. Raced greenly throughout the event. Near the 700 m was obliged to be steadied when MOMENTS IN LIFE shifted in. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

TENTATIVE BID (D. Caboche) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 5: MILHINCH HOURGLASS JEWELLERS RATING 0-52 HANDICAP - 1100 Metres
LAKEHURST (R. Milnes) - near the 600m became awkward in its action for a short distance.
WANDERING EYE (B. Wong) - jumped away awkwardly.
BROMELIA (NZ) (H. Yuen) - held up for clear running from the 400 m until inside the 200 m .
CASE CLOSED (D. Caboche) - jumped away awkwardly and as a result was slow to begin.
UNICORNY (F. Atkinson) - lost its near fore plate during the event.

RACE 6: AUGUSTA COURTYARD MOTEL RATING 0-54 HANDICAP - 1396 Metres
AUGUSTA POWER (D. Caboche) - laid in, in the straight.
YESUGEI (NZ) (J. Potter) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.
BIEN CUIT (B. Wong) - jumped away awkwardly and as a result was slow to begin.
BAD MOON RISING (S. Fawke) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.
MELINKE (C. Tootell) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.
SHE'S FULL OF IT (F. Atkinson) - laid in, in the straight. Had difficulty obtaining clear running from the 200 m until the 100 m .

## RACE 7: BEN MCKENZIES 50TH BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

A THOUSAND DEGREES (D. Caboche) - jumped away awkwardly. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

DJANGO EXPRESS (A. Livesey) - slow to begin.
THE LADIES MAN (H. Yuen) - held up for clear running from near the 400m until the entrance to the straight.

JUSTEDEE (S. Fawke) - laid in, in the straight.
MARINA (F. Atkinson) - hung out rounding the home turn and in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

## ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (4):

Race 2 - ROYAL LANDING (winner)
Race 4 - MIZZ BEEBEEFF (winner)
Race 5 - UNICORNY (winner)
Race 6 - TALLU (winner)

| SUMMARY |  |
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| FINES | Nil |
| SEVERE <br> REPRIMANDS | Race 4 - C. Tootell (MOMENTS IN LIFE) - AR131(a) - Careless riding. |
| REPRIMANDS | Nil |
| SUSPENSIONS | Nil |
| HORSE ACTIONS | Nil |
| ADJOURNED <br> INQUIRIES | Nil |
| MEDICAL <br> CLEARANCE | Nil |

