

# Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report



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Report on Race Meeting held at Port Lincoln  
Racecourse by the Port Lincoln Racing Club on  
Sunday, 31 December 2023

Stewards Panel: E. Scott (A/Chairman), P. Ryan (HT) & P. Dearman (F)  
Deputy Stewards: H. Matthews, L. Murch & G. Harvey.  
Veterinary Surgeons: Dr T. Koenig.

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

RAIL: True

WEATHER: Fine

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
2	WRATH	A. Lai	S. Metcalfe	Indisposed
5	SHEMA	B. Wong	J. Doyle	Not riding at meeting
5	AKUBRA BLACK	A. Lindsay		Emergency - notified
6	JONQUEST	A. Lai	J. Doyle	Indisposed
7	EVENING BRIDE	A. Lindsay		Late declaration - explanation accepted
8	FEARLESS AL	A. Lai	C. Tootell	Indisposed
8	ROYAL LANDING	A. Lindsay		Emergency - notified

RACE 1: LINCOLN ESTATE WINES MAIDEN HANDICAP - 1350 Metres

INTO THE WOOD (NZ) (H. Yuen) - rounding the home turn changed strides and became momentarily unbalanced.

SHIPWRECK (C. Tootell) - jumped away awkwardly.

WYNDHAM KNIGHT (S. Metcalfe) - hung out throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

HOTFOOTIT (A. Livesey) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted in onto CLASSY LILLY.

CLASSY LILLY (D. Caboche) - on jumping away was inconvenienced by HOTFOOTIT, which shifted in. Near the 1000m had to be steadied when taken out onto the heels of DOT TO DOT by HOTFOOTIT, which rolled out marginally.

I'M A MILLENNIAL (R. Milnes) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival at the barriers and was found to be lame in the near foreleg (2/5), and therefore deemed unsuitable to start. Acting on this advice Stewards declared I'M A MILLENNIAL a late scratching at 2.28pm. 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 1: LINCOLN ESTATE WINES MAIDEN HANDICAP - 1350 Metres (cont'd)

ALMARHOE (S. Fawke) - raced greenly in the straight.

THIS ONE DAD (J. Doyle) - slow to begin.

Following the running of this event A. Lai was examined by the First Care Medical personnel and required ongoing assessment before being cleared to ride.

RACE 2: KEMP REAL ESTATE MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 Metres

A FEW GOOD MEN - Stewards declared A FEW GOOD MEN a late scratching at 1.15pm as no rider was available to ride the gelding.

SURVEY LANE (S. Fawke) - on jumping away shifted in onto HUMEA.

TANE TOA (NZ) (R. Milnes) - slow to begin. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

THE COMMANDANT (A. Livesey) - rounding the home turn was inconvenienced when taken wider by HUMEA.

WRATH (S. Metcalfe) - Stewards permitted S. Metcalfe to replace apprentice A. Lai on the gelding as there was no claiming apprentice available. Hung out rounding the home turn taking HUMEA out onto THE COMMANDANT. Laid out in the straight.

HUMEA (D. Caboche) - on jumping away was inconvenienced when tightened onto DANIEL MY BROTHER by SURVEY LANE, which shifted in, and as a result lost its position. Rounding the home turn was taken out onto THE COMMANDANT by DANIEL MY BROTHER, which was hanging out.

LAILA'S A GEM (H. Yuen) - dislodged its rider en route to the barriers. H. Yuen was examined by the First Care Medical personnel and required further assessment before she could be cleared to ride. Acting on this advice Stewards declared LAILA'S A GEM a late scratching at 3.01pm. Co-trainer, Mr G. Searle, was advised that a warning had been placed on the mare in relation to its pre-race behaviour.

TYPAR (C. Munro) - jumped away awkwardly.

Following the running of this event H. Yuen was further examined by the First Care Medical personnel and was passed fit to fulfil her remaining engagements. A. Lai was also further examined by the First Care Medical personnel and ruled unfit to fulfil his remaining engagements. A. Lai was informed he would be required to provide a medical clearance prior to engaging in any form of riding.

RACE 3: YUMBAH MUSSEL HOLDINGS RATING 0 - 54 HANDICAP - 1000 Metres

ROCK HARD (A. Livesey) - raced in restricted room between LAKEHURST and VON GEORGE over the concluding stages. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

HAYZEE FANTAYZEE (H. Yuen) - laid in, in the straight.

EXPRESS MASTER (NZ) (D. Caboche) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival at the barriers and was found to be lame in the off hind leg (2/5), and therefore was deemed unsuitable to start. Acting on this advice Stewards declared EXPRESS MASTER (NZ) a late scratching at 3.42pm. Trainer, Mr D. Carrison, was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

STRIP CLUB (A. Lai) - as rider A. Lai was indisposed and no other rider was available to replace him Stewards declared STRIP CLUB a late scratching at 3.18pm.





#### RACE 4: THE PRAWN STORE RATING 0 - 54 HANDICAP - 1350 Metres

HOUSE SPOUSE (NZ) (S. Metcalfe) – underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course and was deemed suitable to start.

REALTIN (A. Livesey) – on jumping away made contact with AYLLA'S PRIDE, which shifted out. Held up for clear running from the 500m until the 300m. Approaching the 200m was momentarily steadied when PROUD MARY rolled in marginally and AYLLA'S PRIDE rolled out marginally. Rider accidentally dropper her whip inside the 100m.

ROMPER STOMPER (C. Munro) – jumped away awkwardly and shifted in abruptly. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CHONCAPE (T. Voorham) – jumped away awkwardly. Held up for clear running from the 400m until the 300m.

THE MASTER (C. Tootell) – shortly after jumping away rider became unbalanced and lost ground. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

LOOKS LIKE A LADY (A. Lai) – as rider A. Lai was indisposed and no other rider was available to replace him Stewards declared LOOKS LIKE A LADY a late scratching at 3.26pm.

AYLLA'S PRIDE (A. Lindsay) – on jumping away shifted out onto REALTIN and as a result was hampered. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CEECEETEEVEE (D. Caboche) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

#### RACE 5: SWETTENHAM STUD RATING 0 - 54 HANDICAP - 1350 Metres

DIAMONDS ARE (T. Voorham) – slow to begin. Laid out in the straight.

TALLU (C. Munro) – near the 350m, when laying in, shifted in onto CALL ME HERBIE, taking that gelding in onto TIAMAT. Rider was reminded of her obligations under AR131(a) and advised to make a greater effort to keep her mounts straight in future.

EXALTED TRAVELLER (A. Lai) – as rider A. Lai was indisposed and no other rider was available to replace him Stewards declared EXALTED TRAVELLER a late scratching at 3.26pm.

FLITTELL (C. Tootell) – slow to begin. Raced wide without cover throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CALL ME HERBIE (A. Livesey) – near the 350m was taken in onto TIAMAT by TALLU, which shifted in.

SHEMA (J. Doyle) – jumped away awkwardly and as a result was slow to begin.

TIAMAT (R. Milnes) – near the 350m was momentarily steadied when tightened by CALL ME HERBIE, which was taken in by TALLU.

#### RACE 6: THE LINCOLN HOTEL BENCHMARK 78 HANDICAP - 1000 Metres

JAAZEB (H. Yuen) – altered course at the entrance to the straight to the inside of STRAWBERRY SWING to obtain clear running.

BELMONT DAY (C. Tootell) – jumped away awkwardly. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the off hind leg (2/5). Trainer, Mr S. Drewitt, was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

ARTFUL AMBITION (S. Metcalfe) – laid in, in the straight.

ANOTHER BIT (C. Munro) – jumped away awkwardly and shifted in onto ZOUSTORM. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the off foreleg (3/5). Trainer, Mr S. Drewitt, was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.



RACE 6: THE LINCOLN HOTEL BENCHMARK 78 HANDICAP - 1000 Metres (cont'd)

PERFECT ZED (D. Caboche) - Stewards permitted D. Caboche to ride the mare 0.5kg over its allocated weight of 54.0kg.

ZOUSTORM (S. Fawke) - jumped away awkwardly and shortly after was hampered by ANOTHER BIT, which shifted in.

RIVERSIDE ROCK (A. Lindsay) - Stewards permitted A. Lindsay to ride the gelding 0.5kg over its allocated weight of 54.0kg.

RACE 7: EYRE CAR CENTRE BENCHMARK 58 HANDICAP - 1210 Metres

MCCAIN (A. Lai) - as rider A. Lai was indisposed and no other rider was available to replace him Stewards declared MCCAIN a late scratching at 3.26pm.

ISA SECRET (C. Munro) - on jumping away was inconvenienced when LEVEE shifted out.

HE'S ABEL (R. Milnes) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FOSSHIO (D. Caboche) - on jumping away was hampered when SIR GRUMPY shifted in, and as a result lost its position. Near the 250m knuckled and then blundered. As a result the rider lost the use of his near side iron and for this reason eased the gelding out of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the near hind leg (1/5). Trainer, Mr B. Hull, was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

SIR GRUMPY (C. Tootell) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted in onto FOSSHIO.

LEVEE (S. Metcalfe) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out onto ISA SECRET.

GALLANTRY GIRL (J. Doyle) - laid out in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 8: AVIS PORT LINCOLN BENCHMARK 74 HANDICAP - 1750 Metres

RED DYNAMO (NZ) (H. Yuen) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ENBARR (S. Fawke) - near the 800m had to be steadied when it improved onto the heels of AHSO.

MOUNT MADEIRA (NZ) (A. Livesey) - near the 1200m was momentarily steadied when racing in restricted room between STREET CULTURE and FEARLESS AL.

SWORD OF WAR (NZ) (D. Caboche) - Stewards permitted D. Caboche to ride the gelding 0.5kg over its allocated weight of 54.0kg. Jumped away awkwardly and shifted in onto VELARO.

FEARLESS AL (C. Tootell) - near the 800m rider had to take hold to when the gelding improved onto the heels of ENBARR, and as a result lost ground.

VELARO (J. Doyle) - change of tactics - attempt to settle further forward - settled last. Fractious in the barriers. Trainer, Mr J. McMahon, was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its barrier manners. On jumping away was tightened between SWORD OF WAR (NZ), which shifted in, and AHSO and as a result lost its position. Rider explained that it was her intention to settle in a midfield position; however, the gelding did not muster enough early speed.

STREET CULTURE (C. Munro) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

ROYAL LANDING (A. Lindsay) - Stewards permitted A. Lindsay to ride the mare 0.5kg over its allocated weight of 54.0kg. Slow to begin.

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ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (5):

Race 2 - TANE TOA (NZ) (winner)  
Race 3 - HAYZEE FANTAYZEE (winner)  
Race 4 - HEY MICHAEL (winner)  
Race 7 - I'M A DEXSTAR (winner)  
Race 8 - SINO WITNESS (winner)

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SUMMARY	
FINES	Nil
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Nil
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 - I'M A MILLENNIAL - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start - Lameness near foreleg (2/5). Race 2 - LAILA'S A GEM - Warned - Pre-race behaviour. Race 3 - EXPRESS MASTER (NZ) - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start - Lameness off hind leg (2/5). Race 6 - BELMONT DAY - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start - Lameness off hind leg (2/5). Race 6 - ANOTHER BIT - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start - Lameness off foreleg (3/5). Race 7 - FOSSHIO - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start - Lameness near hind leg (1/5). Race 8 - VELARO - Warned - Fractious in the barriers.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	A. Lai