Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville Racecourse by the South Australian Jockey Club on Saturday, 13 April 2024



| Stewards Panel: | | P. Ryan (A/Chairman), S. Callanan (MT), C. Deakin (M), E. Scott (HT) & | |
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| <u>Deputy Stewards:</u> Veterinary Surgeons: | | B. Jarman (F) L. Martin, K. Marnane, M. Arthur, A. Turner & M. Martin Dr B. Agnew, Dr B. Webster & Dr M. Taylor | |
| TRACK: | Good 4 | (Track with some give in it) | |
| RAIL: | Out 9 metres 1200 metres to Winning Post, out 5 metres remainder | | |
| WEATHER: | Overcast | | |

RIDER CHANGES:

| Race | Horse | Rider | Replaced By | Reason |
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| 5 | BALLON D'OR | L. Neindorf | W. Price | Dual engagement |

RACE 1: SPORTSBET HANDICAP - 2500 Metres

YURI ROYALE (J. Toeroek) - rider reported that in his opinion the gelding had come to the end of its preparation and that connections had indicated that it was their intention to spell YURI ROYALE. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

GARACHICO (GB) (D. Stackhouse) - commenced to hang out passing the 600m and hung out for the remainder of the event.

PERLE BLEUE (FR) (J. Holder) - over the concluding stages shifted out and away from GARACHICO (GB), which was hanging out.

WOLF PRINCE (C. Jones) - laid in under pressure over the concluding stages.

ZOFFALA (T. Voorham) - 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 fined \$200. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for the totality of the use of the whip by T. Voorham and noted that she used it on four occasions over the final 100m of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a wound on the gelding's off foreleg fetlock. First aid administered. Trainer, Mr D. McLeod was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race.

RACE 2: SKYCITY WITHOUT FEAR STAKES - 1050 Metres



DANCING STORM (T. Pannell) - rider reported that the gelding laid in under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the near foreleg (1/5). Co-trainers, Mr R. Jolly & Ms. C. Jolly were advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race.

RACE 2: SKYCITY WITHOUT FEAR STAKES - 1050 Metres (cont'd)

SILVER LIFESTYLE (C. Hefel) - laid out rounding the home turn. Approaching the winning post was steadied when awkwardly placed near the heels of TREMBLES.

RECIPROCAL (K. Crowther) – raced greenly under pressure in the straight. Laid in from approaching the 200m until the finish. Rider reported that the gelding was slow to begin and as a result lost considerable ground.

DO SAY (L. Riordan) - laid in under pressure in the straight. Rider could offer no explanation for the filly's performance today which was having its first start.

RACE 3: SPORTSBET ADELAIDE RACING CARNIVAL (APRIL 27TH - MAY 11TH) HANDICAP - 1600 Metres

RAMPANT LION (T. Stockdale) - began awkwardly and shifted out.

THE ART OF FLYING (A. Livesey) - slow to begin.

FANMALIA (T. Voorham) – hampered when tightened shortly after the start between RAMPANT LION, which shifted out and MASTER AT ARMS (NZ). 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 fined \$300. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for the totality of the use of the whip by T. Voorham and noted that she used it on three occasions over the final 100m of the event.

JUST LIKE LISA (M. Collett) – bounded on jumping away. Near the 1200m when over racing badly was checked by its rider when awkwardly placed near the heels of TYPHOON HARMONY. After being checked the mare shifted out abruptly. Rider reported that the mare commenced to over race near the 1200m and for this reason she allowed JUST LIKE LISA to stride forward from near the 1000m to obtain the lead near the 800m. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SANTELMO FUEGO (T. Pannell) - held up for clear running from passing the 400m until approaching the 100m.

WHISKEY 'N' WOMEN (S. Payne) - slow to begin. Commenced to race keenly for a short distance passing the 1200m.

MASTER AT ARMS (NZ) (J. Noonan) - began awkwardly and shifted in.

RACE 4: THE FOTOBASE GROUP REDELVA STAKES - 1100 Metres

STRETAN ANGEL (L. Neindorf) – approaching the 100m when improving was inconvenienced when taken out by VEXATIOUS DANCER, which had shifted out under pressure.

GUMDROPS (T. Stockdale) – near the 450m was taken out off its course by VEXATIOUS DANCER, which shifted out when not clear of that filly. Approaching the 100m was inconvenienced when racing tightly between LOVELY LOOKIN' and STRETAN ANGEL, which had been taken out by VEXATIOUS DANCER, which had shifted out when racing greenly under pressure.

TREASURWAY (D. Stackhouse) - began awkwardly.

GREAT MAXIMUS (J. Toeroek) – rider reported that the gelding raced greenly for the majority of the event and initially had a tendency to lay out in the early stages before then laying in over the concluding stages.

AUSTMARR (T. Pannell) – rider could offer no explanation for the filly's performance. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.



WALK LIKE AN ANGEL (C. Jones) – near the 450m was checked when tightened for room between LOVELY LOOKIN' and GUMDROPS, which was taken out by VEXATIOUS DANCER, which shifted out when not clear.

RACE 4: THE FOTOBASE GROUP REDELVA STAKES - 1100 Metres (cont'd)

VEXATIOUS DANCER (C. Murray) – near the 450m shifted out when not clear of GUMDROPS taking that filly out and tightened WALK LIKE AN ANGEL out onto LOOKING LOVELY. As a result of this tightening WALK LIKE AN ANGEL was checked and lost its rightful running. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge of careless riding under AR131(a) and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence midnight Saturday, 20 April 2024 and to conclude midnight Thursday, 25 April 2024, a period of three meetings. In determining penalty, Stewards took into account C. Murray's good record and his guilty plea. Rider reported that the filly raced greenly when placed under pressure over the concluding stages.

RACE 5: THOMAS FARMS CITY OF ADELAIDE HANDICAP - 1539 Metres

IRONCLAD (GB) (T. Pannell) - rider explained that the gelding may be better suited in races over longer distances than today's event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RUBAMOS (J. Opperman) – near the 1200m when racing keenly was steadied off the heels of BOOGNISH. Continued to race keenly near the 700m. Laid in under pressure over the concluding stages.

PUDDING (NZ) (J. Toeroek) - slow to begin. Passing the 100m when improving was steadied then shifted out to avoid the heels of PARTY PRINCESS. Approaching the winning post again was steadied when racing in restricted room between PARTY PRINCESS and SECOND TO NUN.

SECOND TO NUN (R. Milnes) - rider reported that the mare was slow to begin. Raced wide without cover throughout.

CHICAGO STORM (C. Hefel) - rider explained that after the gelding began extremely well and as a result she permitted CHICAGO STORM to stride forward to obtain the lead.

MY KHALIFA (D. Tourneur) - raced keenly in the early stages of the event. Near the 1100m when racing keenly was checked to avoid the heels of IRONCLAD (GB).

PARTY PRINCESS (J. Holder) – rider reported that the mare was disappointing today, did not respond to his riding when placed under pressure as he anticipated and raced in a flat manner. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SILENT SURRENTE (Z. Spain) – shortly after the start was tightened for room between MY KHALIFA and IRONCLAD (GB). Approaching the 100m when improving was steadied to avoid the heels of SECOND TO NUN before then shifting to the outside of that mare to obtain clear running.

ROYAL MILE (C. Jones) – began awkwardly.

ALPINE FLYER (J. Eaton) - rider reported that the mare commenced to hang in from near the 800m and continued to do so for the remainder of the event.

BALLON D'OR (W. Price) – approaching the winning post raced in restricted room to the inside of BOOGNISH.

RACE 6: HAHN PORT ADELAIDE GUINEAS - 1800 Metres

BOLD SOUL (NZ) (J. Noonan) – at the entrance to the straight was hampered when racing in restricted room between ON THE SCENT and VORACIOUS, which shifted out slightly when taken out by ARTFUL TAWNY, which in turn was taken out slightly by SABAN. As this incident could not be attributed to any one horse or rider, Stewards took no action than to notify the riders involved to exercise care when in similar circumstances. Laid in under pressure in the straight. Approaching the winning post when laying in, shifted in onto GAWNSKI. Rider was severely reprimanded under AR131(a) and advised to take greater care when shifting ground.



RACE 6: HAHN PORT ADELAIDE GUINEAS - 1800 Metres (cont'd)

RISE AT DAWN (NZ) (D. Stackhouse) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course and was deemed suitable to race. Rider eased the gelding down shortly after straightening as he felt that there was something amiss with RISE AT DAWN (NZ)'s action. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the near foreleg (2/5). First aid administered. Co-trainers, Mr B, Mr W & Mr JD. Hayes were advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race.

SHINJUKU (NZ) (T. Pannell) – kicked by another runner behind the barriers. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination which revealed the gelding to be lame in the off hind leg (1/5) and was deemed unsuitable to race. Acting on this advice Stewards withdrew SHINJUKU (NZ) at 3:18pm. Co-trainers, Mr M. Price & Mr M. Kent (Jnr) were advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race.

WARIALDA WARRIOR (C. Newitt) - began awkwardly.

GAWNSKI (Z. Spain) – began awkwardly. Approaching and passing the winning post the gelding was tightened for room between SABAN, which had shifted out and BOLD SOUL (NZ), which had shifted in under pressure.

ARTFUL TAWNY (J. Opperman) - raced wide without cover throughout.

SABAN (W. Price) – laid out under pressure over the concluding stages tightening GAWNSKI near the winning post. Rider was severely reprimanded under AR131(a) and advised to exercise greater care when in similar circumstances.

BOLD SOUL (J. Noonan) - laid in under pressure in the straight tightening GAWNSKI near the winning post. Rider was severely reprimanded under AR131(a) and advised to exercise greater care when in similar circumstances.

RACE 7: SPORTSBET AURARIA STAKES - 1800 Metres

QUICKSTER (W. Price) - raced wide without cover throughout.

JUSTABOOM (C. Murray) – gave ground quickly over the concluding stages. Rider reported that the filly made abnormal respiratory noise. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SENTIMENTAL FLAME (D. Tourneur) - slow to begin.

BON MISTRESS (D. Stackhouse) - slow to begin. At the entrance to the straight was inconvenienced when tightened for room between SENTIMENTAL FLAME and JUDGE JENNI, which shifted out.

HARVEST MOON (W. Costin) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

JUDGE JENNI (C. Newitt) – lost its off hind plate during the event. At the entrance to the straight shifted out when not fully clear of BON MISTRESS inconveniencing that filly. Rider was severely reprimanded under AR131(a) and advised to exercise greater care when in similar circumstances. Laid in under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed multiple lacerations to the filly's off hind leg consistent with being galloped on. Trainer, Mr C. Maher was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race.

RACE 8: SPORTSBET R N IRWIN STAKES - 1100 Metres

KALLOS (J. Holder) - rider reported that in his opinion he felt that the gelding performed satisfactorily; however, peaked on its run over the concluding stages. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.



BANK MAUR (M. Harley) – rider reported that the horse over raced quite badly and near the 800m he was obliged to check BANK MAUR to avoid the heels of LONRODEX.

RACE 8: SPORTSBET R N IRWIN STAKES - 1100 Metres (cont'd)

PICARGO (A. Livesey) – near the 300m was checked to avoid the heels of SKEW WIFF (NZ), which shifted out when not clear. Had difficulty obtaining clear ground from inside the 200m until near the 100m.

LONRODEX (D. Tourneur) – inside the 200m raced in restricted room between QUEMAN and HYPOTHETICAL, which both shifted ground for a short distance.

PRESS DOWN (C. Murray) - raced wide without cover in the early and middle stages.

SKEW WIFF (NZ) (L. Riordan) – near the 300m shifted out when not clear of PICARGO resulting in that gelding having to be checked to avoid the heels of SKEW WIFF (NZ). Rider pleaded guilty to a charge of careless riding under AR131(a) and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence midnight Monday, 22 April 2024 and to conclude midnight Wednesday, 1 May 2024, a period of five meetings. In determining penalty, Stewards took into account L. Riordan's record, degree of interference and his guilty plea. Held up from inside the 300m until passing the 200m.

AITCH TWO OH (Z. Spain) - laid in under pressure in the early part of straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SNAPPED (T. Pannell) - held up from near the 400m until near the 200m.

RACE 9: GRAND SYNDICATES HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

SIXTEEN REASONS (T. Pannell) – rider explained that his instructions were to attempt to ride the mare in a forward position; however, SIXTEEN REASONS began awkwardly and as a result settled further back than intended. He further explained that his mount was held up and unable to improve from near the 400m until near the 300m at which time he elected to shift to the inside of LASTAR to obtain a clear run.

GAZE GRISE (K. Crowther) - raced wide without cover throughout.

SPIN THE REWARD (C. Murray) - rider reported that the gelding hung out throughout.

CLASSY BANNER (T. Voorham) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course and was deemed suitable to race.

THE HASS (D. Stackhouse) – rider reported that the gelding did not respond to his riding when placed under pressure and, in his opinion, was disappointing. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

LASTAR (D. Tourneur) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

GUERRERA (M. Harley) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

SUPERIOR SAM (NZ) (J. Eaton) - held up from near the 400m until approaching the 200m.

GIVE SOME LIP (L. Neindorf) – near the 300m was steadied when awkwardly placed near the heels of THE HASS, which had commenced to give ground. After being steadied shifted to the outside of that gelding to improve.

COSTLESS (S. Metcalfe) – underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course which revealed the gelding to be lame in the near hind leg (2/5) and was deemed unsuitable to race. First aid administered. Acting on this advice COSTLESS was declared a late scratching by order of Stewards at 3.25pm. Trainer, Ms K. Evans was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race.



PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (19):

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

Race 1 - GARACHICO (GB), SESAR Race 2 - DANCING STORM, TREMBLES

- Race 3 RAMPANT LION, IMBIBE
- Race 4 STRETAN ANGEL
- Race 5 PARTY PRINCESS, ALPINE FLYER
- Race 6 RISE AT DAWN (NZ)
- Race 7 VIVY AIR, HARVEST MOON
- Race 8 QUEMAN, BANK MAUR, PICARGO, BENEDETTA
- Race 9 PRAIRIE FLOWER, SIXTEEN REASONS, THE GREAT BABY,

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (9):

- Race 1 PERLE BLEUE (FR) (winner)
- Race 2 PURE AQUA (winner)
- Race 3 TYPHOON HARMONY (winner)
- Race 4 SIR SWAY (winner)

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- Race 5 CHICAGO STORM (winner)
- Race 6 AIR ASSAULT (winner)
- Race 7 WINGS OF SONG (winner) Race 8 - BENEDETTA (winner)
- Race 9 PRAIRIE FLOWER (winner)

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. | | | | | |
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| | | Prior to 100m | Final 100m | | |
| Race 1 | J. Holder (PERLE BLEUE (FR)) | +2 | 5 | | |
| Race 1 | C. Jones (WOLF PRINCE) | +2 | 4 | | |

| SUMMARY | | | |
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| FINES | Race 1 - T. Voorham (ZOFFALA) - Fined \$200 - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+5] Race 3 - T. Voorham (FANMALIA) - Fined \$300 - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - | | |
| | Whip offence [+3] | | |
| SEVERE REPRIMANDS | Race 6 - J. Noonan (BOLD SOUL (NZ)) - AR131(a) - Careless Riding Race 6 - W. Price (SABAN) - AR131(a) - Careless Riding Race 7 - C. Newitt (JUDGE JENNI) - AR131(a) - Careless Riding | | |
| REPRIMANDS | Nil | | |
| SUSPENSIONS | Race 4 - C. Murray (VEXATIOUS DANCER) - AR131(a) - Careless Riding - From midnight 20/4/24 and to conclude at midnight 25/4/24 - 3 meetings Race 8 - L. Riordan (SKEW WIFF (NZ)) - AR131(a) - Careless Riding - From midnight 22/4/24 and to conclude at midnight 1/5/24 - 5 meetings | | |
| HORSE ACTIONS | Race 1 - ZOFFALA - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to jump- out, trial or race - Wound on off fore base fetlock Race 2 - DANCING STORM - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to jump-out, trial or race - Lame near foreleg (1/5) Race 6 - RISE AT DAWN (NZ) - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to jump-out, trial or race - Lame near foreleg (2/5) | | |



| SUMMARY (cont'd) | | | |
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| | Race 6 - SHINJUKU - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to jump-out, trial or race - Lame off hind leg (1/5) (late scratching) Race 7 - JUDGE JENNI - Not to race - Multiple lacerations to off hind leg Race 9 - COSTLESS - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to jump-out, trial or race - Lame near hind leg (2/5) (late scratching) | | |
| ADJOURNED INQUIRIES | Nil | | |
| MEDICAL CLEARANCE | Nil | | |