

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville
by the South Australian Jockey Club on Saturday, 10 September 2011

Stewards: G. Loch (Chairman), P. Anderson (HT), M. Santoro (F) & C. Deakin (M) (Stewards), D. Southgate, N. Castle & C. Parks (Deputy Stewards), Dr. P. Horridge & Dr. D. Bowden (Veterinary Surgeons).

BOTH TRACKS: Dead 4

WEATHER: Overcast/Showers

RAIL: True.

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
5	LIPARI	M Payne	S Price	Notified
8	WINGS ON HER FEET	C Puls	R Wheeler	"
8	TUSCAN BREEZE	A Brown		"
8	LORD OF THE CASTLE	M Hoppo		"

RACE 1 : ACG SECURITY HANDICAP - 2500 metres

RECHICHI (L Meech) jumped away awkwardly.

In the vicinity of the 2000 metres EXTEND (L Hopwood) was inclined to race keenly when being restrained away from the heels of BISHOP OF DERRY (C Lindop).

GREAT PLAYER (J Frew) made the crossing over the 1800 metres awkwardly.

From the 300 metres RECHICHI (L Meech) was eased out of the event. L Meech explained that prior to the 300 metres she had ridden the mare quite strongly and due to her concern that the mare lost contact with the field at that point, she considered there was no point in persisting with her riding. RECHICHI was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities. Mr M Minervini, the Trainer of RECHICHI, confirmed the mare would now be spelled.

RACE 2 : PATINACK FARM HANDICAP - 1200 metres

On jumping away, SEA TRYST (M Speers) jumped awkwardly, shifted in and contacted MOST HUSBANDS (J Duffy).

Approaching the 1000 metres WIN FOR NAARA (C Lindop) was obliged to steady away from the heels of SEA TRYST (M Speers), which shifted in.

In the vicinity of the 900 metres MOST HUSBANDS (J Duffy) was inclined to race greenly.

From the 200 metres SEA TRYST (M Speers) was inclined to lay in under pressure and on a number of occasions inconvenienced GO THE KNUCKLE (P Gatt). SEA TRYST was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding had sustained lesions to both corners of its mouth.

RACE 2 : PATINACK FARM HANDICAP - 1200 metres (Cont'd)

After entering the straight WIN FOR NAARA (C Lindop) was inclined to lay in under pressure. WIN FOR NAARA was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

N Rose, the rider of MINUTE BY MINUTE, reported that in contrast to its previous efforts, the gelding had been quite lethargic prior to and during the event. MINUTE BY MINUTE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding had sustained a laceration to the off fore cannon during the event. First Aid was administered.

MOST HUSBANDS was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 3 : SLOANS SANDS HANDICAP - 1800 metres

MANGANESE (P Gatt) reared on jumping away.

T Baker, the rider of BLUE MAGGICH (NZ), was questioned regarding his failure to ride that gelding over the concluding stages. T Baker explained he had become concerned the gelding had tired noticeably beneath him in the vicinity of the 100 metres and had not persisted thereafter. T Baker was reminded of his obligations to ride his mount to the finish in (at least) a hands and heels manner. BLUE MAGGICH (NZ) was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities. Mr J Hyam, the Trainer of BLUE MAGGICH (NZ), confirmed the gelding will be spelled for a minimum period of four weeks.

RACE 4 : SUGARS BUCKS SHOW HANDICAP - 1600 metres

Shortly after the start KEEP COOL (NZ) (M Speers) and ELMS (S King) brushed.

From the vicinity of the 500 metres RAKI was eased out of the event. M Neilson, the rider of RAKI, explained the gelding had been off the bit from the 1000 metres but in the vicinity of the 700 metres, although ridden strongly, he had been disappointed in the manner it responded, which was in contrast to its previous efforts. He stated that in the vicinity of the 600 metres he considered RAKI had dipped in the going and as it had commenced to lose contact with the field, he had not persisted in his riding. RAKI was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding to be exhibiting signs of atrial fibrillation. Mr T McEvoy, the Trainer of RAKI, was advised the results of an ECG are to be forwarded to the TRSA Veterinary Surgeon prior to it performing to the Stewards' satisfaction in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race. Mr McEvoy confirmed that RAKI would now be spelled.

Approaching the 400 metres until the entrance to the straight, KEEP COOL (NZ) (M Speers) was held up when racing behind ELMS (S King).

S King, the rider of ELMS, which performed disappointingly, explained he was content with how ELMS had travelled in running, however, when asked to extend in the straight, the gelding had not responded and was disappointing in not finishing its race off. He stated he had not persisted with his riding in the vicinity of the 200 metres as he considered the gelding may not be handling the going. ELMS was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 5 : MORPHETTVILLE GUINEAS - 1600 metres

On jumping away CALL ME BISCUIT (M Hoppo) shifted out and brushed TAI TAI TESS (S King). In consequence, TAI TAI TESS rolled in and contacted MEADOWS MOLLIE (L Hopwood).

Near the 1500 metres TAI TAI TESS (S King) shifted in onto CALL ME BISCUIT (M Hoppo) taking that gelding in onto MEADOWS MOLLIE (L Hopwood), which was forced to check to avoid the heels of MAGIC MILADY (C Lindop). S King was severely reprimanded and advised in future to take greater care when shifting ground.

RACE 6 : R W MORGAN CONVEYANCERS HANDICAP - 1050 metres

Inside the 100 metres MR GOOD CAT (P Gatt) shifted in onto STRONG CAMPAGNE (T Baker), which was forced to steady and lose its position when tightened for room. P Gatt pleaded guilty to a charge of Careless Riding under ARR.137(a) in that he permitted MR GOOD CAT to shift ground when insufficiently clear and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence at midnight on Sunday, 11 September and to conclude at midnight on Wednesday, 21 September 2011; a period of four (4) meetings.

From the 200 metres GLOBALWARMNSCEPTIC (J Duffy) was eased out of the event. J Duffy explained the gelding had been uneven in its action in the early and middle stages and had been inclined to lay out. He stated that in the vicinity of the 700 metres the gelding had not handled the going, which had deteriorated following an earlier shower. He added that after the gelding had commenced to lose ground quickly in the straight, he had not persisted in riding the gelding. GLOBALWARMNSCEPTIC was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities. Mr G Kennewell, the Trainer of GLOBALWARMNSCEPTIC, undertook to advise Stewards of any abnormalities which may become apparent during a routine post race examination.

Correct Weight was delayed for this event to permit T Baker, the rider of the third placegetter STRONG CAMPAGNE, to view the official footage of the concluding stages of the event.

S Price, the rider of GRAND TAJ, explained that although the gelding, from its barrier, had worked in the early stages to get across to a forward position close to the rail, he had been surprised at the entrance to the straight when GRAND TAJ had lost concentration, as ALQUAMARNE improved to its outside, and it had not finished the race off in its usual manner.

RACE 7 : BETFAIR W H WYLIE HANDICAP - 1100 metres

Mr D Schmitt, the Trainer of HAPPY ANGEL, advised Stewards the mare usually settles forward in races, however, due to the apparent pace in the race he would instruct jockey S King to attempt to settle off the speed if possible.

The start of this event was delayed owing to KING HOAKS, which had its tongue caught in the bit in the mounting yard, being returned to the race day stalls in order for the bridle to be refitted.

S Price, the rider of COLUMBUS, which performed poorly, explained the colt was inclined to race aggressively in the early and middle stages of the event and was disappointing in the manner it finished off its race.

RACE 8 : SCHWEPPE'S HANDICAP - 1200 metres

LORD OF THE CASTLE (M Hoppo) reared as the gats opened.

In the early stages of the event LORD OF THE CASTLE (M Hoppo) raced keenly.

RACE 8 : SCHWEPPE HANDICAP - 1200 metres (Cont'd)

At the entrance to the straight ARAKAZEL (C Lindop) shifted in onto INADEQUATE (P Gatt), which was forced to check as it was taken in. C Lindop pleaded guilty to a charge of Careless Riding under ARR.137(a) in that she permitted ARAKAZEL to shift ground when insufficiently clear and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence at midnight on Wednesday, 14 September and to conclude at midnight on Thursday, 22 September 2011; a period of four (4) meetings.

GENERAL:

RACE 2 : PATINACK FARM HANDICAP - 1200 metres

Mr S Kavanagh, representing Mr M Kavanagh, the Trainer of SEA TRYST, was questioned in relation to a lead bag inadvertently being excluded when saddling, which was discovered by the Assistant Starter during his routine pre-race inspection. After considering the explanation, Stewards determined that SEA TRYST had not been presented in the parade ring at that time. Mr S Kavanagh was advised to take greater care when saddling in future.

PRE RACE SAMPLES:

Blood Samples were taken from the following horses for the purpose of TCO₂ testing:

Race 7 KING HOAKS, HAPPY ANGEL, AMY'S GLEN.

POST RACE SAMPLES:

Blood Samples were taken from the following horses for the purpose of TCO₂ testing:

Race 1 GREAT PLAYER, EXTEND, BISHOP OF DERRY, SPARKLING VICTORY, RECHICHI, VIRVACITY.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES:

Race 1	GREAT PLAYER (winner)	Race 5	TAI TAI TESS (winner)
Race 2	MOST HUSBANDS (winner)	Race 6	MR GOOD CAT (winner)
Race 3	EXCLUDED (winner)	Race 7	JUST SYBIL (winner)
Race 4	KEEP COOL (NZ) (winner)	Race 8	THE BLUES (winner)
Race 4	ELMS (beaten favourite)		

SUMMARY	
FINES	Nil
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 5 – S. King (TAI TAI TESS) – ARR.137(a) – Careless Riding.
REPRIMANDS	Nil
SUSPENSIONS	Race 6 – P Gatt (MR GOOD CAT) – Careless Riding – ARR.137(a) – From midnight 11/9/2011 to conclude at midnight 21/9/2011 – 4 meetings. Race 8 – C Lindop (ARAKAZEL) - Careless Riding – ARR.137(a) – From midnight 14/9/2011 to conclude at midnight 22/9/2011 – 4 meetings.
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 4 – RAKI – Not to race - Results of ECG to be forwarded to TRSA Veterinary Surgeon & Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to Official Barrier Trial – Atrial fibrillation.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil

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