## THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

### <u>Report on Race Meeting held at Strathalbyn Racecourse</u> by the Strathalbyn Racing Club on Saturday, 1 October 2011

<u>Stewards:</u> J. Petzer (A/Chairman), M. Santoro (HT), A. Hayles (F) & D. Southgate (M) (Stewards), C. Parks & M. Featherston (Deputy Stewards) & Dr. D. Bowden (Veterinary Surgeon)

#### TRACK: Heavy 8

WEATHER: Overcast

Rail: True

### **RIDER CHANGES:**

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
3	WHOLELOTTALOVE	T. Baker		Notified
5	ASSO BELLO	P. Gatt	L. Hopwood	Indisposed
7	BERGSTROM	J. Matthews	A. Herrmann	Overweight
8	SERIOUS DANGER	P. Gatt	S. Price	Indisposed

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# RACE 1 : SCHWEPPES / SABOIS DISTANCE MAIDEN PLATE - 2050 metres

No report.

## RACE 2 : BETFAIR / SABOIS 3YO MAIDEN PLATE - 1350 metres

Acting on confirmed advice from Mr. P. Stokes, the Trainer of FULL OF CACHE, that the filly had injured itself in the float en route to the course and was unfit to race, Stewards withdrew FULL OF CACHE at 11.40 am.

BOSSED, which proved fractious in the mounting enclosure, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon on arrival at the barriers and ruled fit to start.

SIR GILES (T. Baker) and SLIM HENRY (A. Patterson) brushed shortly after the start.

BOSSED (J. Frew) was slow into stride.

## RACE 3 : SRC MEMBERS / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately three minutes owing to HOLY SHEMOLEY and RED EMBERS proving difficult to load. Mr. J. MacMillan, the Trainer of HOLY SHEMOLEY, and Ms. K. Byrnes, the Trainer of RED EMBERS, were advised a warning had been placed on their horses in relation to their barrier manners.

OUR DANICHI (C. Lions) and BIRLING (J. Frew) jumped away awkwardly.

In the vicinity of the 900 metres RED EMBERS (C. Lindop) shifted in and crossed the running of BUDZEAL (D. Evans), which had to be steadied. C. Lindop was reminded of her obligations when shifting ground in future.

RED EMBERS was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

## RACE 4 : HILLS PARTY JUKE – JUKEBOX HIRE RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1200metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately one minute.

On jumping away KUAKA (S. Westover) shifted out and contacted ACADEMY BELLE (S. Price).

SALVATION (N. Rose) was slow to begin.

CALL THE COUNT (D. Evans) became held up for clear running in the vicinity of the 400 metres when racing inside the heels of ACADEMY BELLE (S. Price), which commenced to give ground, and was only able to obtain clear running near the entrance to the straight.

In the vicinity of the 200 metres JUST TESS (D. Tourneur) shifted in abruptly unbalancing its rider. D. Tourneur reported, in his opinion, the mare may have shifted in and away from the whip.

C. Lions, the rider of WYARA MISS, reported her mount hung out throughout the event. WYARA MISS was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

ENCOSTA DELIGHT was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding to be lame in the near foreleg. Mr. S. Oxlade, the Trainer of ENCOSTA DELIGHT, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting for a future trial or race.

## RACE 5 : SCHWEPPES RATING 0-76 HANDICAP - 1600 metres

A. Patterson, the rider of RATHVILLY, reported his mount felt awkward in its action and for that reason he did not persevere with his riding in the straight. RATHVILLY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities. Ms. L. Treloar, the Trainer of RATHVILLY, was advised until the mare can prove to be competitive in its races, she is not to enter RATHVILLY for races in either the metropolitan or provincial areas.

## RACE 6 : BETFAIR RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 2050 metres

ASSO BELLO (L. Hopwood) became held up for clear running for a short distance in the vicinity of the 400 metres when racing inside STURGIS (NZ) and on the heels of LUCKY TONY (M. Hoppo).

BRING THEM ON was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

## RACE 7 : HILLS PARTY JUKE – JUKEBOX HIRE HANDICAP - 1350 metres

EXALTED EGO was a late scratching by order of Stewards at 8.22 am acting on confirmed advice from Mr. R. Rogers, the Trainer of the gelding, that it had a boil on its wither.

Stewards acceded to a submission from Mr. J. Hyam, the Trainer of FINNISS STORM, to scratch the gelding as in his opinion it would not be suited to the track conditions. FINNISS STORM was withdrawn by Stewards at 12.31 pm

KINGNADIM (NZ) (C. Lions) jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and contacted INSTRUCTOR (NZ) (C. Lindop).

## RACE 8 : VIGNERONS RACE DAY 20 NOVEMBER 2011 RATING 0-68 HANDICAP – 1350 metres

Stewards acceded to a submission from Mr. J. Hyam, the Trainer of BRUTE BERNARD, to scratch the gelding as in his opinion it would not be suited to the track conditions. BRUTE BERNARD was withdrawn by Stewards at 1.57 pm.

The start of this race was delayed approximately two minutes owing to A. Herrmann being dislodged from GLENN'S WAY en route to the barriers. GLENN'S WAY was quickly captured by the Clerk of the Course and proceeded to the barriers where it was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon and ruled fit to race. A. Herrmann was examined by the on-course Ambulance personnel and passed fit to fulfil her riding engagement.

SHIMANO MISS (NZ) (C. Lindop) became held up for clear running when racing on the heels of BANDIT COUNTRY (L. Stojakovic), which commenced to weaken, from in the vicinity of the 400 metres until entering the straight.

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### **ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES:**

- Race 2 HARRY HIGH PANTS winner)
- Race 4 JUST TESS (winner)
- Race 5 NOTHING SHALL PASS (winner)
- Race 6 STURGIS (NZ) (winner)
- Race 7 INSTRUCTOR (NZ) (winner)

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SUMMARY			
FINES	Race 7 – J. Matthews – Fined \$100 – ARR.120(b) – Overweight and having to be replaced on BERGSTROM.		
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil		
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SUSPENSIONS	Nil		
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 3 – HOLY SHEMOLEY – Warned – Difficult to load.		
	Race 3 – RED EMBERS – Warned – Difficult to load.		
	Race 4 – ENCOSTA DELIGHT – Not to race – Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race – Lame near foreleg.		
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil		

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