

**THOROUGHBRED RACING AUTHORITY S.A. LIMITED**  
**STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT**

**Report on Race Meeting held at the Naracoorte Racecourse**  
**by the Naracoorte Racing Club on Thursday, 24 November 2011**

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**Stewards:** M. Santoro (A/Chairman) & C. Deakin (HT) (Stewards),  
R. Spillman, J. Foster (F) & S. Bright (M) (Deputy Stewards)  
Dr. D. Goulding (Veterinary Surgeon)

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**TRACK:** Dead 4 (*Upgraded to Good 3 at 11.00 am*)                      **WEATHER:** Fine  
(*Upgraded to Good 2 at 2.40 pm retrospective to Race 4*)

**RAIL:** True

**RIDER CHANGES:**

<b>Race</b>	<b>Horse</b>	<b>Rider</b>	<b>Replaced By</b>	<b>Reason</b>
2	SHEHARA	J. Beriman	A. Herrmann	Doubly engaged – explanations accepted.
3	LADY BROLGA	“	J. Toeroek	Indisposed
4	CZAR OF YANGERY	“	M. Hagley	“
6	ZARANDASTAR	“	L. Cooper	“
7	BUNKER BOY	“	J. Matthews	“
7	LITTLE CRYSTAL	C. Lions	J. Maund	“

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Due to a request from Sky Channel, the times for today's meeting were altered to –

Race 1	12.45 pm	Race 5	3.05 pm
Race 2	1.20 pm	Race 6	3.45 pm
Race 3	1.55 pm	Race 7	4.25 pm
Race 4	2.30 pm	Race 8	5.05 pm

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**RACE 1 : SMITH & HOOPER / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1430 metres**

OLYMPIC JOY (J. Potter) was slow to begin.

In the vicinity of the 700 metres LAND CRUISER (J. Maund) improved onto the heels of DEE JAY HENNESSY (K. Post) and in being eased, over-reacted and lost ground.

From the 400 metres until the 300 metres DEE JAY HENNESSY (K. Post) was held up when racing on the heels of THE MARKET (L. Hopwood), which had commenced to weaken, and inside of RUBI MARTINI (L. Cooper).

In the vicinity of the 300 metres DEE JAY HENNESSY (K. Post) shifted out to improve and in doing so made contact with RUBI MARTINI (L. Cooper) taking that gelding out onto DUBLEO FIVE (P. Marks), which received heavy contact and became unbalanced. K. Post was severely reprimanded and advised in future he would be required to make a greater effort to restrain his mounts rather than pass his predicament on to other riders.

In the vicinity of the 150 metres J. Matthews, the rider of BIANSKI, accidentally dropped his whip. J. Matthews was reprimanded under ARR.137(a) and advised that future carelessness may result in a penalty being imposed.

L. Hopwood, the rider of THE MARKET, reported the gelding was inclined to hang out throughout the event. THE MARKET was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

## **RACE 2 : WOLF BLASS / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 metres**

HOBBS COTCH (H. McKechnie) was slow to begin and shortly after was hampered by NEW CHUM (M. Hagley), which jumped away awkwardly and shifted in.

In the vicinity of the 100 metres J. Beriman, the rider of SHEHARA, was dislodged. J. Beriman was transported to the Naracoorte hospital for observation. An inquiry into the reason J. Beriman was dislodged was adjourned to a date to be fixed to allow J. Beriman to be in attendance.

SANDHILL MISS, which was inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

MOST AWESOME lost its off fore plate during the event.

## **RACE 3 : CASTEC RURAL SUPPLIES / SABOIS FILLES AND MARES RATING 0-65 HANDICAP - 1200 metres**

The start of this race was delayed approximately ten minutes owing to a replacement ambulance having to arrive on course.

Approaching the finish STRAIGHT AS (B. Carlile) rolled out slightly at the same time as JESSIE CANGO (P. Marks) rolled in slightly, resulting in JESSIE CANGO having to ease momentarily.

Correct Weight for this event was delayed to allow H. McKechnie, the rider of the second placegetter PERSIAN PALACE, to view the official photo for first.

## **RACE 4 : TOP MARK MACHINERY RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 1100 metres**

Mr. D. Bowman, representing Mr. J. McLean, the Trainer of CZAR OF YANGERY, put a submission to Stewards that M. Hagley be permitted replace J. Beriman as the rider of the gelding. After considering his reasons, Stewards granted permission and declared M. Hagley as the rider of CZAR OF YANGERY.

BROMS EXPRESS (J. Frew) stood flat-footed and was slow to begin.

YANGERY ZODIAC (A. Herrmann) was slow to begin.

ALBION (NZ) (L. Hopwood) was inclined to hang out rounding the home turn and in the vicinity of the 350 metres shifted out, inconveniencing BROMS EXPRESS (J. Frew), which was taken wider on the track.

YANGERY ZODIAC, which performed poorly, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

## **RACE 5 : AUSSIE FROST FANS RATING 64 & OVER HANDICAP - 1430 metres**

GOLDEN SNIP (J. Potter) raced wide without cover throughout the event.

In the vicinity of the 50 metres TEARS I CRY (K. Bishop) rolled out and brushed DIVINE FORCE (H. McKechnie), which laid back onto TEARS I CRY, momentarily inconveniencing that gelding.

IN THE CHAIR was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding to be lame in the off hind leg. Mr. J. Kenny, the Trainer of IN THE CHAIR, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting for a future trial or race.

**RACE 6 : WRATTONBULLY WINE REGION CLASS 1 HANDICAP - 1430 metres**

L. Cooper was advised as the replacement rider for ZARANDASTAR as there was no available Apprentice on course.

TONTO'S PRIDE (J. Potter) and LATORULE (P. Marks) were slow to begin.

From the vicinity of the 500 metres until the entrance to the straight PRINCESS NOKIA (S. Cahill) was held up when racing on the heels of BELMONT PARK (J. Maund) and inside of WAIT FORETTE (H. McKechnie).

L. Hopwood, the rider of SEE SPARKY, which performed below expectations, explained the mare had travelled well throughout the event until placed under pressure at the entrance to the straight where it failed to respond to her riding and had finished off the event poorly. She added that after passing the winning post she had become concerned with its action on pulling up. SEE SPARKY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a very slow recovery and no other abnormalities.

**RACE 7 : COOPERS RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 2000 metres**

STRUM (A. Patterson) was slow to begin.

ULTRA SAVINGS (J. Potter) shifted out on jumping away onto HADRIANS WALL (A. Herrmann), which lost its position when tightened onto BACK TRACKS (J. Frew). Shortly after ULTRA SAVINGS shifted back in and inconvenienced PEACE AN QUIET (K. Post).

ARE EFF GEE (J. Toeroek) made the turn in the vicinity of the 1500 metres awkwardly and lost ground, resulting in BACK TRACKS (J. Frew) improving onto that gelding's heels, shifting out and contacting HADRIANS WALL (A. Herrmann).

H. McKechnie, the rider of FLIP, which performed poorly, explained the gelding had raced a little keen in the early and middle stages of the event, however, after being placed under pressure in the vicinity of the 600 metres had failed to respond to her riding and for this reason she had not ridden it out in her usual manner. She added, in her opinion, the gelding had not appreciated the underfoot conditions. FLIP was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding to be lame in both forelegs. Mrs. B. Marshman, the Trainer of FLIP, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting for a future trial or race.

**RACE 8 : NARACOORTE TOYOTA RATING 0-59 HANDICAP - 1200 metres**

GET STITCHED (S. Price) was slow to begin.

On jumping away FIRE INTO ACTION (J. Maund) shifted out onto I'M SO EXCITED (A. Herrmann) taking that gelding out onto OURHALO (K. Post), which lost its position when tightened onto GRACEFUL EDGE (P. Marks).

FLIRTY MARTINI (M. Hagley) raced wide without cover throughout the event.

DALEO (H. McKechnie) was held up from the 500 metres until inside the 400 metres when racing on the heels of FLOWER FORCE (J. Potter) and inside NONNA BETTINA (L. Hopwood).

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**ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES:**

Race 2    OGUNDE (winner)  
Race 6    NOTHIN LEICA FLASH (winner)

<b>SUMMARY</b>	
<b>FINES</b>	Nil
<b>SEVERE REPRIMANDS</b>	Race 1 – K. Post (DEE JAY HENNESSY) – ARR.137(a) – Careless riding.
<b>REPRIMANDS</b>	Race 1 – J. Matthews (BIANSKI) – ARR.137(a) – Carelessness in dropping his whip.
<b>SUSPENSIONS</b>	Nil
<b>HORSE ACTIONS</b>	Race 5 – IN THE CHAIR – Not to race – Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race – Lameness off hind leg. Race 7 – FLIP – Not to race – Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race – Lameness both forelegs.
<b>ADJOURNED INQUIRIES</b>	Race 2 – Into reason J. Beriman was dislodged in the vicinity of the 100 metres.

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