

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

Report on Race Meeting held at the Naracoorte Racecourse
by the Naracoorte Racing Club on Sunday, 1 April 2012

Stewards: M. Santoro (A/Chairman) & A. Hayles (HT) (Stewards),
R. Spillman (F), J. Foster (F) & S. Bright (M) (Deputy Stewards)
Dr. T. Tully (Veterinary Surgeon)

TRACK: Good 3

WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: True

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
3	NATTALIETA	K. Kawagoe	K. Kawakami	TSC error
6	MUSTY SPRINGS	D. Tourneur	M. Neve	Explanation accepted
8	KANEJAKE	K. Kawagoe	K. Kawakami	TSC error
8	DOUBLE HENNESSY		S. Harrison	Notified

RACE 1 : PINKERTON PALM HAMLYN & STEEN CLASS 2 HANDICAP - 1200 metres

IMAGE MASTER (D. Tourneur) jumped away awkwardly and shifted in brushing DEVIOUS FLIGHT (H. McKechnie).

GRACEFUL EDGE (A. Patterson) was slow to begin.

J. Toeroek, the rider of HASTA LA SHAMER, reported to Stewards that the gelding had raced greenly when racing behind and inside other runners during the event.

RACE 2 : CARBON NEUTRAL TRANSPORT / SABOIS FILLIES AND MARES RATING
0- 65 HANDICAP - 1100 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately one minute owing to the tongue tie on INVINCIBLE DIVA having to be adjusted.

INVINCIBLE DIVA (B. Hussey) reared on jumping away and missed the start several lengths. Mr. B. Wilde and Mr. S. Wilde, the Trainers of INVINCIBLE DIVA, were advised that a warning had been placed on the mare in relation to its barrier manners.

Correct weight was delayed to allow Stewards to review vision of the start in relation to INVINCIBLE DIVA. After doing so it was determined that INVINCIBLE DIVA had reared at the same time as the start effected. After considering the terms of AR.134A Stewards determined that INVINCIBLE DIVA be declared a starter.

When questioned regarding her riding of INVINCIBLE DIVA from the vicinity of the 800 metres, B. Hussey explained that after missing the start several lengths she encouraged the mare to race forward with the intention of settling at the rear of the field. However, approaching the 700 metres INVINCIBLE DIVA had grabbed the bit and she was unable to restrain the mare and for this reason had elected to improve to the outside of other runners. INVINCIBLE DIVA was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities. Having considered the explanation Stewards advised B. Hussey that it was their opinion her riding had brought about her predicament and advised she would be required to attend the RVL Riding Skills Panel to review the ride and receive instruction.

RACE 3 : COMBINED LIVESTOCK CARRIERS / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 metres

Acting on confirmed advice from Mr. S. Turner, the Trainer of SANDHILL JETT that the gelding was showing signs of a virus, Stewards withdrew SANDHILL JETT at 8.30am.

AGED IN OAK (J. Toeroek) jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin.

NATTALIETA (K. Kawakami) was slow to begin.

SMOOTH EXCELERATOR (J. Potter) was inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

HOOSANG (A. Patterson) was inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight and in the vicinity of the 200 metres was inconvenienced by AGED IN OAK (J. Toeroek) which rolled in and brushed that gelding.

NATTALIETA, which performed poorly, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities. Mr. J. Tarin, the Trainer of NATTALIETA, was advised that the mare would be required to be competitive in an Official Trial prior to accepting for a future race.

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

SMOOTH EXCELERATOR was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 4 : MILESHAY / SABOIS TWO-YEAR-OLD & OVER MAIDEN PLATE
- 1430 metres

MOVIE'S LAST STAND (P. Marks) shifted out on jumping away and brushed RECKLESS RAT (H. McKechnie).

SUPA COOL DUDE (C. Lever) was slow to begin.

Inside the 200 metres RECKLESS RAT (H. McKechnie) laid in under pressure and brushed HONG KONG MISSY (J. Potter) which was inconvenienced.

TAYLORS BOY (NZ) (K. Post), which performed poorly, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a slower than expected recovery.

ARGENT SKY (K. Walters), which commenced to weaken from the vicinity of the 600 metres, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities. K. Walters, the rider of ARGENT SKY, reported that in her opinion the filly had swallowed its tongue during the event.

Correct weight was delayed to allow D. Tourneur, the rider of the second placegetter MUSEE D'MODEL and that gelding's Trainer, Mr. J. Opperman, to view the official photo image for first.

RACE 5 : SOUTHERN AUSTRALIAN LIVESTOCK RATING 0-68 HANDICAP
- 1000 metres

RILEYS LUCK (A. Patterson) dipped on jumping away.

ACADEMY BELLE (D. Tourneur) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out abruptly.

RACE 6 : LANDMARK RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 2000 metres

MUSTY SPRINGS (M. Neve) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out brushing RETLAW LAD (H. McKechnie).

MIDNIGHT BUS (A. Patterson) looked at the winning post and shifted out abruptly on the first occasion. As a result MURTAGH (J. Potter), which was racing keenly, improved to the inside of MIDNIGHT BUS (A. Patterson) and had to be steadied when MIDNIGHT BUS shifted back to its original position. As a consequence MURTAGH raced keenly on the heels of MIDNIGHT BUS until the vicinity of the 1300 metres. In consequence BREDLIGN (NZ) (J. Toeroek) got its head up and raced keenly whilst being restrained off the heels of MURTAGH.

In the vicinity of the 1400 metres RETLAW LAD (H. McKechnie) raced keenly and got its head up for a short distance.

RACE 7 : MIDFIELD MEATS RATING 60 & OVER HANDICAP - 1430 metres

On jumping away STRAIGHT AS (B. Hussey) lost its position when tightened on to BLITZ'EM RILEY (NZ) (N. Rose) by BONINDI (H. McKechnie) which was inconvenienced when taken in by GLENISLA CROSSING (A. Herrmann) which jumped away awkwardly and shifted in.

EVENMOREACTION (D. Tourneur) raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event whilst being restrained off the heels of GLENISLA CROSSING (A. Herrmann).

From the vicinity of the 500 metres until the entrance to the straight EVENMOREACTION (D. Tourneur) was held up when racing on the heels of HICONI (J. Potter) which had commenced to give ground and inside of FOODEATER (J. Toeroek).

From near the 400 metres until the entrance to the straight FOODEATER (J. Toeroek) was held up when racing on the heels of THIRTY SEVEN MEGS (K. Walters) and inside of BLITZ'EM RILEY (NZ) (N. Rose).

From the vicinity of the 400 metres until shortly after entering the straight, STRAIGHT AS (B. Hussey) was unable to obtain clear ground when it improved onto the heels of GLENISLA CROSSING (A. Herrmann).

RACE 8 : ELDERS LTD RATING 0-65 HANDICAP - 1430 metres

DOUBLE HENNESSY (S. Harrison) raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event whilst being restrained off the heels of MELETE (J. Toeroek).

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (2):

- Race 3 AGED IN OAK (winner)
- Race 5 SWIPER (NZ) (unplaced)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Nil
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Nil
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 2 - INVINCIBLE DIVA – Warned - Barrier Manners. Race 3 – NATTALIETA – Required to be competitive in an Official Trial prior to accepting for a future race – Poor performance
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil

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