

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

Report on Race Meeting held at the Port Augusta Racecourse
by the Port Augusta Racing Club on Sunday, 15 April 2012

Stewards: G. Loch (Chairman), P. Matthews & S. Callanan (Stewards), R. Packard, J. Perry, A. Greenfield (Deputy Stewards), Dr. A. Everett (Veterinary Surgeon)

TRACK: Good 3

WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: Normal

RACE 1 : NEILL AUTOMOTIVES / SABOIS 3YO MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 metres

EVENING STORM (J. Potter) and FLYING HANKERCHIEF (M. Henderson) were slow to jump.

DABAMIRAK (T. Pannell) knuckled slightly on jumping away.

On jumping away MUNDALI (M. Tyndall) shifted in onto DABAMIRAK (T. Pannell) which was inconvenienced.

From the 800 metres KOODA PRECIOUS (K. Bishop) was inclined to hang out. KOODA PRECIOUS was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

Mr. D. Page, the Trainer of FLYING HANKERCHIEF, which was fractious in the mounting yard, was advised a repetition of its behaviour may lead to action being taken against it.

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

RACE 2 : IAN'S CHICKEN HUT / SABOIS TWO-YEARS-OLD & OVER MAIDEN PLATE
- 1500 metres

On jumping away, LITTLE BUSTER (W. Kerford) shifted out and brushed NAKED CITI (L. Miller).

On jumping away TRACY TRUE BLOOD (J. Potter) and HARAKA ZULU (T. Baker) brushed.

Jemma Frew, the rider of CENTRE RIPPLE, which got out of its ground in the early stages of the race, explained that she had been instructed to settle forward if possible but that her mount didn't show sufficient speed to carry out her instructions. She stated that despite her riding, CENTRE RIPPLE did not commence to respond until inside the 400 metres. CENTRE RIPPLE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

From the 200 metres NAKED CITI (L. Miller) was eased out of the event. NAKED CITI was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 3 : WESTERN CELLARS / SABOIS FOUR-YEARS-OLD & OVER MAIDEN PLATE

- 1200 metres

The start of this race was delayed owing to DUBLEO FIVE breaking free from an attendant prior to being loaded into its barrier. As DUBLEO FIVE had galloped for some distance prior to capture, the gelding was withdrawn by the Stewards at 1.39pm. Mr. L. Murray, the Trainer of DUBLEO FIVE, was advised the gelding was suspended from racing until it could load without delay in an Official Trial.

SING THAT SONG, which refused to be loaded, was withdrawn by Stewards at 1.41pm. Mrs. A. Cornell, the Trainer of SING THAT SONG, was advised the mare was suspended from racing until it could load without delay in an Official Trial.

AMBER ALL OVER (J. Kah) jumped away awkwardly.

Near the 800 metres JUST CALL ME BOB (T. Pannell), which had commenced to improve, was obliged to steady off the heels of AMBER ALL OVER (J. Kah) which shifted in. J. Kah was reprimanded and advised to take greater care when shifting ground in future.

Inside the 800 metres AMBER ALL OVER (J. Kah) was forced to steady when tightened for room by COOTA QUEEN (T. Zanker) which shifted in. T. Zanker, the rider of COOTA QUEEN, was severely reprimanded and advised to take greater care when shifting ground in future.

Near the 600 metres AMBER ALL OVER (J. Kah), when attempting to improve into restricted room inside COOTA QUEEN (T. Zanker), was inconvenienced when COOTA QUEEN rolled in.

SING THAT SONG was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 4 : WESTSIDE NEWSAGENCY RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 1600 metres

Approaching the finish ST IVES (NZ) (E. Boyd) was inconvenienced when tightened for room by GOLD VINTAGE (M. Tyndall) which shifted in. M. Tyndall was severely reprimanded for permitting her mount to shift ground when insufficiently clear.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to permit Miss. P. Trenwith, the Trainer of the second placegetter ST IVES (NZ), to view the official vision in the straight.

RACE 5 : WESTSIDE VEGIE PATCH RATING 0-72 HANDICAP - 1100 metres

SHEEZA PERIL (M. Tyndall) jumped away awkwardly.

On jumping away CLUB HA HA (S. Westover) shifted in onto PICTORELLA (K. Bishop) which was inconvenienced.

RACE 6 : AUGUSTA AUTOMALL HANDICAP - 1400 metres

SUPER HIT suffered a minor laceration to its off hind shin during the event.

DEALERS (W. Kerford) was slow to jump missing the start several lengths. Mr. M. Wayman, the Trainer of DEALERS, was advised the gelding would be required to perform satisfactorily in an Official Trial prior to accepting for a future event.

L. Hopwood, the rider of WHERE'S MY WAGAON, reported that gelding was inclined to hang out in running.

RACE 7 : COMFORT INN AUGUSTA WESTSIDE MOTEL RATING 0-59 HANDICAP

- 1400 metres

OUT DO ME (J. Kah) jumped away very awkwardly losing several lengths.

Shortly after the start FERROQUEST (W. Kerford) rolled out onto SOMBRE (E. Boyd) which lost its position and was forced to steady off the heels of SECRET RETREAT (T. Pannell) which rolled out.

In the straight OUT DO ME (J. Kah) was inclined to lay in under pressure. OUT DO ME was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

M. Tyndall, the rider of TONI'S CONNECTION, reported the gelding hung out throughout the event. TONI'S CONNECTION suffered a small cut pastern on medial left foreleg and medial right hind leg.

RACE 8 : MOTEL POINSETTIA RATING 0-59 HANDICAP - 1200 metres

On jumping away, KOODA WONDER (K. Bishop) knuckled.

JUSTONETWOMANY (E. Boyd) jumped away awkwardly.

Inside the 400 metres THE SNITCH (J. Kah) became held up for a short distance when racing behind ARCTIC JEWEL (T. Pannell) and inside STRANGMEAD (T. Baker).

SWABBING (2):

Race 4 – GOLD VINTAGE (winner)

Race 6 – BENNETT'S LANE (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Nil
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 3 - T. Zanker (COOTA QUEEN) - ARR.137(a) – Careless Riding. Race 4 - M. Tyndall (GOLD VINTAGE) – ARR.137(a) – Careless Riding.
REPRIMANDS	Race 3 - J. Kah (AMBER ALL OVER) - ARR.137(a) – Careless Riding.
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 3 – DUBLEO FIVE – Suspended – Required to load without delay in an Official Trial – Broke free and galloped riderless. Race 3 – SING THAT SONG – Suspended – Required to load without delay in an Official Trial – Refused to load. Race 6 – DEALERS – Suspended - Required to perform satisfactorily in Official Trial prior to accepting for a future event - slow to jump missing the start several lengths.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil

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