

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Gawler Racecourse
by the Gawler & Barossa Jockey Club on Wednesday, 9 January 2013

Stewards: M. Santoro (A/Chairman), P. Matthews (F) & C. Deakin (HT) (Stewards), D. Southgate (Deputy Steward) & Dr. P. Horridge (Veterinary Surgeon).

TRACK: Good 3

WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: Out 4 metres entire circuit.

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	FIREWEED	C. Lever	J. Holder	Indisposed
2	SHEIK MOH HAND	C. Lindop	C. Lever	"
2	SHEIK MOH HAND	C. Lever	A. Patterson	"
3	ZEDNICK	"	S. Cahill	"
3	GOSSIP GURU	C. Lindop	A. Patterson	"
5	RESOUNDING MISS	C. Lever	J. Bowditch	"
5	THE CATCHER	C. Lindop	L. Stojakovic	"
6	TEEN SPIRIT	C. Lever	S. Cahill	"
6	STELLA JEUNE	C. Lindop	J. Bowditch	"
8	RORY'S UNION	C. Lindop	B. Claridge	"

RACE 1 : GBJC BIRTHDAY JAN 23 RACE MEETING DISTANCE MAIDEN PLATE -
2122 metres

VIKING EXPRESS (NZ) (J. Maund) jumped away awkwardly, shifted in and contacted SUREFIRE (M. Neilson).

VIKING EXPRESS (NZ) (J. Maund) raced keenly in the middle stages of the event.

M. Neilson, the rider of SUREFIRE, reported he was concerned with the gelding's action in the straight. SUREFIRE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a lower than expected heart rate.

Stewards questioned S. Price, the rider of TOTALLY HAMMERED, regarding his use of the whip prior to the 100 metres. After considering his explanation, S. Price pleaded guilty to a charge under ARR.137A(5)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip in a forehand manner on more than five occasions and was fined \$200.

RACE 2 : COCA-COLA / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1211 metres

DARCYS FOLLY (D. Stra) reared on jumping away, shifted out and brushed MAGICAL RUBY (D. Tourneur).

TOY'S OPINION (J. Frew) was slow to begin.

Approaching the 1000 metres TOKEN ONE (J. Bowditch) shifted in at the same time as DARCYS FOLLY (D. Stra) rolled out slightly, resulting in SHEIK MOH HAND (A. Patterson) having to be steadied off the heels of TOKEN ONE. J. Bowditch was reprimanded and advised in future to ensure he was sufficiently clear prior to shifting ground.

RACE 2 : COCA-COLA / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1211 metres (Cont'd)

In the vicinity of the 900 metres HIGHLAND HENRY (K. Bishop) shifted in onto TOKEN ONE (J. Bowditch), which had to be steadied and was taken in onto DARCY'S FOLLY (D. Stra), which was forced to steady. K. Bishop was severely reprimanded and advised in future to shift ground only when entitled to do so.

In the vicinity of the 300 metres RUNALUK (J. Maund) shifted out to improve and in doing so shifted onto ROCKY'S BOY (T. Zanker), which was forced to steady. J. Maund was reminded of his obligations when shifting ground in future.

Approaching the 100 metres FINNISS MOMENT (L. Hopwood) shifted out to improve taking SHEIK MOH HAND (A. Patterson) out onto HIGHLAND HENRY (K. Bishop), which had been taken in by RUNALUK (J. Maund), which received pressure from DARCY'S FOLLY (D. Stra), which shifted in under riding. As a result SHEIK MOH HAND was forced to steady and HIGHLAND HENRY was hampered and became unbalanced. D. Stra was reminded of her obligations when shifting ground in future. L. Hopwood was reprimanded and advised to make a greater effort to keep her mounts straight when they commence to shift ground.

SHEIK MOH HAND was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the colt to be lame in the off foreleg. Mr. L. Macdonald, the Co-Trainer of SHEIK MOH HAND, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting for a future trial or race.

FINNISS MOMENT, which performed below expectations, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported an abnormal upper respiratory noise. Mr. T. Dansie, the Trainer of FINNISS MOMENT, was advised the results of an endoscopic examination are to be forwarded to the TRSA Veterinary Surgeon prior to presenting for a future trial or race.

RACE 3 : GAWLER & BAROSSA JOCKEY CLUB MEMBERS / SABOIS 3YO MAIDEN PLATE - 1111 metres

FORCE OF THREE (J. Holder) jumped away awkwardly and shifted in onto PURRFECT PUSS (J. Bowditch), which knuckled and was taken in onto SMART JESTER (J. Potter), which lost its position when tightened onto GOSSIP GURU (A. Patterson), which laid back.

EXALTED COCO (L. Hopwood) knuckled on jumping away and shifted in onto EL MINA (S. Price), which was taken in onto LAUDHAVEN (J. Frew), which was forced to steady off that filly's heels.

HEZA HUSSLER (P. Gatt) jumped away awkwardly.

ANITA (K. Bishop) raced wide without cover throughout the event and hung out rounding the home turn.

D. Tourneur, the rider of SHOOT 'N' SCOOT, accidentally dropped his whip in the vicinity of the 200 metres. D. Tourneur was reprimanded under ARR.137(a) and advised future instances of carelessness would lead to a penalty being imposed.

Correct Weight for this event was delayed to allow J. Potter, the rider of the third placegetter SMART JESTER, to view the official footage of the start.

Mr. P. Beshara, the Trainer of FORCE OF THREE, was questioned regarding the improved performance of the gelding. Mr. Beshara explained he felt the gelding's first run was exceptional and at its second race had received some bumps and had been buffeted during running and due to FORCE OF THREE being immature, he had decided to send it for a spell. He added that FORCE OF THREE had matured during the break, had shown promise in its trackwork this time in and the stable had moderately supported the gelding today.

**RACE 3 : GAWLER & BAROSSA JOCKEY CLUB MEMBERS / SABOIS 3YO MAIDEN
PLATE - 1111 metres (Cont'd)**

J. Bowditch, the rider of PURRFECT PUSS, reported his mount had laid out throughout the event. PURRFECT PUSS was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported speedy cuts to the off side hock.

D. Tourneur, the rider of SHOOT 'N' SCOOT, explained the gelding had not travelled at all throughout the event and when placed under pressure in the vicinity of the 600 metres, had failed to respond to his riding. SHOOT 'N' SCOOT was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported mild tying up in the hindquarters.

**RACE 4 : GAWLER SOUTH BAKERY / SABOIS THREE-YEAR-OLD RATING 0-68 HANDICAP
1511 metres**

Approaching the 200 metres BERT DA FLYER (J. Holder) attempted a tight run between the heels of BELIEVE'N'RECEIVE (S. Price) and BUXOM (A. Patterson) and was taken in slightly by BELIEVE'N'RECEIVE onto BUXOM, which had to be steadied momentarily.

Approaching the finish PORTICI (M. Neilson) shifted out onto BELIEVE'N'RECEIVE (S. Price), which had to be steadied.

S. Price, the rider of BELIEVE'N'RECEIVE, explained the gelding had laid in severely in the straight resulting in him being unable to ride his mount out over the concluding 200 metres. BELIEVE'N'RECEIVE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

M. Neilson, the rider of PORTICI, reported that rig was inclined to run about in the straight. PORTICI was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 5 : COOPERS PALE ALE RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 1716 metres

SCRAMOGUE was withdrawn by Stewards at 7.34 am, when the mare's Trainer, Mr. S. Casey, had difficulty getting through to the Trainers' Services Centre by the required time.

WELLDROYA (P. Crich) was slow to begin and raced wide without cover throughout the event.

RESOUNDING MISS (J. Bowditch) raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event whilst being restrained.

In the vicinity of the 500 metres THE CAT (S. Westover) was momentarily held up when it improved onto the heels of THE CATCHER (L. Stojakovic) and shifted out to obtain clear ground, brushing with CABLE BAY (NZ) (J. Potter).

At the entrance to the straight LE COLUMBIA (D. Tourneur) attempted a tight run between the heels of COOL CLASSIC (A. Herrmann) and RESOUNDING MISS (J. Bowditch) and in doing so made contact with the hindquarters of RESOUNDING MISS, resulting in that mare being turned in and becoming unbalanced.

Approaching the 200 metres COOL CLASSIC (A. Herrmann) rolled out onto LE COLUMBIA (D. Tourneur), which was taken out, making contact with RESOUNDING MISS (J. Bowditch).

RACE 5 : COOPERS PALE ALE RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 1716 metres (Cont'd)

Correct Weight for this event was delayed to allow J. Bowditch, the rider of the third placegetter RESOUNDING MISS, to view the official footage in the straight. After doing so, J. Bowditch lodged an objection against LE COLUMBIA (D. Tourneur) being declared the second placegetter on the grounds of alleged interference from the entrance to the straight until the vicinity of the 200 metres. After considering the evidence, on viewing the official footage and acting on their own observations, Stewards *upheld* J. Bowditch's objection. The amended placings were –

First	No. 8	CORDUROY (T. Pannell)
Second	No. 5	RESOUNDING MISS (J. Bowditch)
Third	No. 11	LE COLUMBIA (D. Tourneur)
Fourth	No. 6	THE CAT (S. Westover)

KELLERMAN, which performed below expectations, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 6 : COOPERS CLEAR / SABOIS FILLIES & MARES RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 1111 metres

On arrival at the barriers S. Cahill, the rider of TEEN SPIRIT, reported he was concerned with the mare's action. TEEN SPIRIT was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who ruled the mare fit to race.

OUR BELVOIR (E. Boyd) jumped away awkwardly, was slow to begin and raced wide without cover throughout the event.

MOUNTAIN CAT (T. O'Donnell) reared on jumping away.

NELCITUS (B. Claridge) knuckled on jumping away and shifted out, contacting RISKY BLONDE (J. Toeroek), which shifted in on jumping away.

LEAHONE (K. Bishop) was held up from the vicinity of the 500 metres until the entrance to the straight when racing behind RISKY BLONDE (J. Toeroek) and inside NELCITUS (B. Claridge).

Inside the 100 metres STRIKER MCLAREN (J. Potter) shifted out under riding inconveniencing STELLA JEUNE (J. Bowditch), which was taken out. J. Potter was reminded of his obligations when shifting ground in future.

Correct Weight for this event was delayed to allow the Stewards to review the official footage of the start in relation to OUR BELVOIR. After considering evidence from the Official Starter, the mare's rider, E. Boyd, and Mr. K. Sweeney, the Trainer of OUR BELVOIR, Stewards determined that OUR BELVOIR be declared a runner in accordance with ARR.134A.

RACE 7 : JACOBS CREEK RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1511 metres

CROCODILE TEARS (D. Tourneur) was slow to begin.

LADY PHOENIX (K. Bishop) raced wide without cover throughout the event.

KNOXVILLE (J. Kah) raced keenly in the early and middle stages whilst being restrained.

RACE 7 : JACOBS CREEK RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1511 metres (Cont'd)

Inside the 100 metres GRAND GROUP (J. Bowditch) was disappointed when attempting a run between the heels of DAN'S A LADY (A. Herrmann), which shifted in, and MOUNT NANCY (T. Baker), which shifted out, resulting in GRAND GROUP having to ease and J. Bowditch being unable to test his mount to the line. A. Herrmann was reminded of her obligations when shifting ground in future. T. Baker was reprimanded and advised in future to stop riding and straighten his mounts sooner than he had on this occasion.

Correct Weight for this event was delayed to allow J. Bowditch, the rider of the fourth placegetter GRAND GROUP, and that gelding's Trainer, Mr. K. Sweeney, to view the official footage in the straight.

J. Holder, the rider of GOLD FRENZY, reported the gelding failed to stretch out throughout the event and he had become concerned with its action in the vicinity of the 1200 metres and for this reason did not persist riding from the vicinity of the 600 metres. GOLD FRENZY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a lower than expected heart rate.

J. Kah, the rider of KNOXVILLE, explained she had led as instructed, however, after finding the lead, KNOXVILLE had not settled despite her efforts and had raced keener than she had hoped.

RACE 8 : KINGSFORD HOTEL COLTS, GELDINGS & ENTIRES RATING 0-62 HANDICAP – 1111 metres

On arrival at the barriers BIANPOSH, which was resenting gear, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who ruled the gelding fit to race.

BIANPOSH (S. Price) jumped away awkwardly.

In the vicinity of the 900 metres VALID (J. Toeroek) shifted in onto NOIR RASOIR (K. Bishop), which was inconvenienced when tightened onto GREYBROW (J. Kah). J. Toeroek was reminded of his obligations when shifting ground in future.

GREYBROW (J. Kah) raced keenly from the vicinity of the 600 metres until the entrance to the straight when awkwardly placed between the heels of VALID (J. Toeroek) and DISPLAY (A. Patterson).

REAL SHARP (J. Potter) hung out rounding the home turn. REAL SHARP was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

DARAKAN (M. Neilson) laid in under pressure in the straight. DARAKAN was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

Correct Weight for this event was delayed to allow B. Claridge, the rider of the third placegetter RORY'S UNION, to view the official photo for second.

J. Toeroek, the rider of VALID, which performed below expectations, explained he had led on the gelding as instructed and had been comfortable until the vicinity of the 600 metres, however, when placed under pressure, VALID had failed to respond to his riding and dropped the bit and he was disappointed with how the gelding had finished off the event. VALID was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported speedy cuts to both hocks.

GENERAL:

PORT LINCOLN – FRIDAY, 7 DECEMBER 2012

RACE 7 : LAWRENCE & HANSON RATING 0-64 HANDICAP - 1350 metres

Stewards concluded an inquiry into an incident inside the 1000 metres where LOW CUT (L. Stojakovic) had to be steadied off the heels of ATTITUDE PROBLEM (A. Patterson), which resulted in PROPSHAFT (J. Potter) having to be steadied, and in being steadied, shifted out onto MIGHTY MOMENT (S. Cahill), which was inconvenienced. A. Patterson was reprimanded and advised in future to shift ground only when entitled to do so.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (2):

Race 3 – FORCE OF THREE (winner)

Race 6 – TEEN SPIRIT (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 1 – S. Price (TOTALLY HAMMERED) – Fined \$200 – ARR.137A(5)(a)(ii) +2 – Whip offence.
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 2 – K. Bishop (HIGHLAND HENRY) – ARR.137(a) – Careless riding.
REPRIMANDS	Race 2 – J. Bowditch (TOKEN ONE) – ARR.137(a) – Careless riding. Race 2 – L. Hopwood (FINNISS MOMENT) – ARR.137(a) – Careless riding. Race 3 – D. Tourneur (SHOOT 'N' SCOOT) – ARR.137(a) – Carelessness in dropping his whip. Race 7 – T. Baker (MOUNT NANCY) – ARR.137(a) – Careless riding. <i>Port Lincoln – Friday, 7 December 2012</i> Race 7 – A. Patterson (ATTITUDE PROBLEM) – ARR.137(a) – Careless riding.
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 2 – SHEIK MOH HAND – Not to Race – Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race – Lameness off foreleg. Race 2 – FINNISS MOMENT – Not to Race – Results of endoscopic examination to be forwarded to TRSA Vet prior to trial or race – Abnormal upper respiratory noise.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil

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