

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

**Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville Racecourse**  
**by the South Australian Jockey Club on Saturday, 6 April 2013**

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**Stewards:** J. Petzer (Chairman), M. Santoro (F), A. Hayles (M) & L. Michalanney (HT) (Stewards), D. Southgate, D. Jonas, I. Dally & A. Quinton (Deputy Stewards), Dr. P. Horridge & Dr. B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeons).

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**TRACK:** Good 3

**WEATHER:** Fine

**RAIL:** Out 6 metres entire circuit.

**RACE 1 : ADELAIDE GALVANISING HANDICAP - 1600 metres**

TABULATED (J Holder) jumped away awkwardly and then shifted in shortly thereafter and inconvenienced RIVER'S LANE (J Bowditch) and TASTEOFENERGY (T Pannell). J Holder was reminded of his obligations when shifting ground in future.

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

**RACE 2 : KYTONS BAKERY HANDICAP - 1600 metres**

The start of this race was delayed approximately one minute owing to PHAROMAC having to be examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon. PHAROMAC was withdrawn by the Stewards at 1.13 pm acting on Veterinary advice that the colt was lame in the near foreleg. Mr T McEvoy, the Trainer of PHAROMAC, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting for a future trial or race.

ENDURO (NZ) (P Gatt) brushed the running rail on several occasions in the early stages of the event.

ENDURO (NZ) (P Gatt) was inclined to lay in, in the straight. ENDURO was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

J Toeroek, the rider of SERENA, explained that whilst he had been instructed to lead in this event and after obtaining the lead with relative ease the filly was reluctant to come back when being restrained and extended its lead of its own accord.

**RACE 3 : CENTREBET HANDICAP - 1200 metres**

PENZEVENGI (J Bowditch) was slow to begin and raced wide without cover in the early stages of the event.

DIRE WARNING (J Kah) raced keenly in the early stages and laid out from in the vicinity of the 600 metres. DIRE WARNING was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

In the vicinity of the 300 metres EL PRADO GOLD (A Patterson) became held up and awkwardly placed on the heels of ASSERTIVE EAGLE (M Neilson) and was obliged to shift out to obtain clear running and in doing so contacted PENZEVENGI (J Bowditch).

### **RACE 3 : CENTREBET HANDICAP - 1200 metres (continued)**

Inside the 300 metres PETMAN (T Baker), which raced greenly and shifted about, shifted in and made slight contact with JUSTIFY THAT (K Bishop).

### **RACE 4 : THE MORPHETTVILLE JUNCTION BREEDERS' STAKES - 1200 metres**

On jumping away EXODUS (J Holder) shifted in and contacted BRING A RING (M Neilson).

Shortly after the start BRING A RING (M Neilson) shifted in of its own accord and was obliged to be steadied off the heels of EXCITABLE BOY (C Lever).

In the vicinity of the 800 metres EXODUS (J Holder) shifted in taking EXCITABLE BOY (C Lever) in slightly, resulting in EXCITES ZELADY (A Herrmann) racing in restricted room between EXCITABLE BOY and MURTL TURTLE (J Bowditch), resulting in EXCITES ZELADY being inconvenienced and unable to maintain its position when being steadied. J Holder was reprimanded and advised to take greater care when shifting ground in future.

Approaching the 200 metres EXCITES ZELADY (A Herrmann), which raced greenly and laid in, shifted in, taking RUN LIKE REAAN (P Gatt) in onto EXCITABLE BOY (C Lever), inconveniencing both runners, resulting in EXCITABLE BOY having to be steadied and RUN LIKE REAAN having to alter course to the outside of EXCITES ZELADY. A Herrmann was reprimanded and advised to take greater care when her mounts commence to shift ground.

Over the concluding stages EXCITES ZELADY (A Herrmann), which continued to lay in, shifted in and brushed with BRING A RING (M Neilson). EXCITES ZELADY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

J Holder, the rider of EXODUS, was questioned regarding his use of the whip prior to the 100 metres. J. Holder 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 prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

M Neilson, the rider of BRING A RING, explained he was comfortable with the position obtained in running in the early stages but when TENNESSEE GROOM (NZ) (T Baker) improved to his outside in the vicinity of the 600 metres, he was obliged to improve his position earlier than he planned. He also stated the filly finished the race off in a respectable manner. BRING A RING was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the filly to be lame in the off foreleg. Mr T McEvoy, the Trainer of BRING A RING, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting for a future trial or race.

TENNESSEE GROOM (NZ) was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding exhibited signs of an excessive upper respiratory noise. Mr J Hyam, the Trainer of TENNESSEE GROOM (NZ), was advised the results of an Endoscopic examination are to be forwarded to the TRSA Veterinary Surgeon before presenting the gelding for any future trial or race.

### **RACE 5 : MEDALLION HOMES HANDICAP - 2028 metres**

On jumping away THE THIRD BASEMAN (L Stojakovic) stood flat-footed and lost many lengths.

FROM THE VAULT (S Price) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out, contacting STAKHANOVITE (S Westover), which was tightened onto CAVALRY BLACK (T Zanker).

### **RACE 5 : MEDALLION HOMES HANDICAP - 2028 metres (continued)**

Approaching the 200 metres GRAND GROUP (C Lindop) became held up for clear ground behind CISCO (NZ) (A Herrmann) and inside MUSHATTA (C Lever) and shortly thereafter improved into a tight run between CISCO (NZ) and MUSHATTA, and brushed CISCO (NZ), which became unbalanced for several strides as a consequence.

Approaching the 100 metres GRAND GROUP (C Lindop) improved to the inside of ELLDAMI (A Patterson) and was obliged to be momentarily steadied as that mare shifted in under riding.

THE THIRD BASEMAN lost its off hind plate during the event.

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

NEW ORDER was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding sustained lacerations to the near hind leg. First Aid was administered

### **RACE 6 : EXPRESS COLOUR PRINTING HANDICAP - 1600 metres**

INDEPENDENT AIR (S Price) reared on jumping away, shifted in and contacted RANGER'S BOY (J Bowditch).

TUSCAN RANGER (J Potter) rolled out shortly after the start and brushed with DOUBLE CREAM (J Holder).

TUSCAN RANGER (J Potter) raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

In the vicinity of the 300 metres DOUBLE CREAM (J Holder) was disappointed for clear running for a short distance when racing between the heels of INDEPENDENT AIR (S Price) and BOJANI (J Toeroek).

J Potter, the rider of TUSCAN RANGER, explained his instructions were to ride the gelding from a position mid-field, if possible, and not to lead. He stated that as a consequence TUSCAN RANGER commenced to race keenly for some distance, when being restrained, and did not settle. He added the gelding only finished the race off fairly. Stewards questioned Mr L Creek, the Trainer of TUSCAN RANGER, in respect to the instructions provided to J Potter, and with particular reference to this horse's last start in which it led. Mr Creek advised the gelding surprised at its most recent start when it found the lead, which was in contrast to its normal racing pattern and his instructions today were consistent with those provided in the gelding's previous preparation.

J Toeroek, the rider of BOJANI, explained the mare travelled a little keenly during the event, was reluctant to settle and finished the race off only fairly. BOJANI was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the mare to be in season.

### **RACE 7 : DARLEY HANDICAP - 1200 metres**

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes owing to MANGANESE having to be re-saddled on arrival at the barriers.

ALMIGHTY BULLET (C Lever) jumped away awkwardly, shifted in and contacted ROWDY ROCKER (A Herrmann), which was taken in onto SWIFT SHAMROCK (J Bowditch), which in turn shifted in onto WISE AND HAPPY (L Stojakovic), which was tightened onto RIP APART (J Toeroek).

### **RACE 7 : DARLEY HANDICAP - 1200 metres (continued)**

In the vicinity of the 100 metres WISE AND HAPPY (L Stojakovic), which laid out, shifted out under riding into the running line of ALMIGHTY BULLET (C Lever), resulting in C Lever having to take hold of his mount to avoid the heels of WISE AND HAPPY. As a consequence ALMIGHTY BULLET shifted out onto MOVING MONEY (J Kah), which had to be checked to avoid the heels of ALMIGHTY BULLET. L Stojakovic pleaded guilty to a charge of Careless Riding under ARR.137(a) in that she permitted her mount to shift ground when insufficiently clear and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence at midnight on Sunday, 14 April and to conclude at midnight on Wednesday, 24 April 2013; a period of four (4) meetings.

WISE AND HAPPY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

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

### **RACE 8 : VEOLIA HANDICAP - 1200 metres**

Mr P Stokes, the Trainer of GOLDEN DANE, advised Stewards in view of the apparent pace in the race and the gelding's barrier draw, he would instruct Apprentice J. Matthews to attempt to ride the gelding more quiet today.

BRAVE JOURNEY (J Maund) jumped away awkwardly and shifted in, contacting COULDN'T AGREEMORE (M Neilson), which was inconvenienced.

In the vicinity of the 900 metres BRAVE JOURNEY (J Maund) shifted in and crossed COULDN'T AGREEMORE (M Neilson), which commenced to race keenly. Shortly thereafter GOLDEN DANE (J Matthews) shifted in and inconvenienced COULDN'T AGREEMORE, which had to be steadied. J. Maund was reminded of his obligations when shifting ground and J Matthews was reprimanded and advised to take greater care when shifting ground in future.

NULLARBOR NYMPH (J Toeroek) and DAYTONA GREY (C Lindop) raced very keenly in the early stages of the event.

In the vicinity of the 500 metres MONICA KATE (A Herrmann), which made the turn awkwardly and commenced to hang out, became awkwardly placed on the heels of FAMILY PORTRAIT (S price) and had to be checked to avoid that filly's heels.

COULDN'T AGREEMORE (M Neilson), was held up from clear running from in the vicinity of the 400 metres when racing behind GOLDEN DANE (J Matthews) and to the inside of DAYTONA GREY (C Lindop) and was not able to obtain clear running at any stage in the straight and was untested to the line.

Inside the 300 metres CLINTON AFFAIR (J Bowditch), which was unable to obtain clear running when racing behind BRAVE JOURNEY (J Maund) and inside COULDN'T AGREEMORE (M Neilson), rolled out and contacted COULDN'T AGREEMORE and became unbalanced for a number of strides. CLINTON AFFAIR was only able to obtain clear running inside the 100 metres.

## **RACE 8 : VEOLIA HANDICAP - 1200 metres (continued)**

In the vicinity of the 200 metres GOLDEN DANE (J Matthews) shifted out under riding and tightened DAYTONA GREY (C Lindop) onto NULLARBOR NYMPH (J Toeroek), resulting in DAYTONA GREY being inconvenienced. As a consequence NULLARBOR NYMPH shifted out and away from DAYTONA GREY taking GENERAL PEEKAY (P Gatt) out onto EXCELL SHOES (L Stojakovic), which in turn shifted out, taking MONICA KATE (A Herrmann) onto STELLA LANTE (T Baker), which was hampered when tightened onto MARBLE RYE (C Lever), which was inconvenienced. J Matthews was severely reprimanded and advised to take greater care when shifting ground in future.

### **PRE RACE SAMPLES (16):**

Blood Samples were taken from the following horses for the purpose of TCO<sub>2</sub> testing:

- Race 4 EXCITABLE BOY, EXODUS, EXCITES ZELADY, TENNESSEE GROOM (NZ),  
BRING A RING, MURTL TURTLE, ABBA, RUN LIKE REAAN.  
Race 5 NEW ORDER, HELLO DUBAI, ELLDAMI.  
Race 6 BOJANI, TUSCAN RANGER, CORNISH LAD, SPARTAN EAGLE, RANGER'S  
BOY.

### **ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES: (10)**

- Race 1 RIVER'S LANE (winner)                      Race 4 BRING A RING (beaten fav.)  
Race 1 FINAL COMMAND (beaten fav)            Race 5 MAUSSANE (winner)  
Race 2 GOLDBYA (winner)                        Race 6 RANGER'S BOY (winner)  
Race 3 PETMAN (winner)                         Race 7 LADY DYNAMO (winner)  
Race 4 EXCITES ZELADY (winner)                Race 8 FAMILY PORTRAIT (winner)

<b>SUMMARY</b>	
<b>FINES</b>	Nil
<b>SEVERE REPRIMANDS</b>	Race 8 – J Matthews (GOLDEN DANE) – ARR.137(a) – Careless riding.
<b>REPRIMANDS</b>	Race 4 – J Holder (EXODUS) – ARR.137(a) – Careless riding. Race 4 – A Herrmann (EXCITES ZELADY) – ARR.137(a) – Careless riding. Race 4 – J Holder (EXODUS) - ARR.137A(5)(a)(ii) +1 – Whip offence. Race 8 – J Matthews (GOLDEN DANE) – ARR.137(a) – Careless riding.
<b>SUSPENSIONS</b>	Race 7 – L Stojakovic (WISE AND HAPPY) – ARR.137(a) – From midnight 14/4/13 to conclude at midnight 24/4/13 – 4 meetings
<b>HORSE ACTIONS</b>	Race 2 – PHAROMAC – Not to race - Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to presenting for a future trial or race – Lameness near foreleg. Race 4 – BRING A RING – Not to race - Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to presenting for a future trial or race – Lameness off foreleg. Race 4 – TENNESSEE GROOM (NZ) – Not to race – Results of Endoscopic examination to be forwarded to TRSA Vet prior to presenting for a future trial or race – excess upper respiratory noise. Race 7 – MOVING MONEY– Not to race - Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to presenting for a future trial or race – Lameness off foreleg.
<b>ADJOURNED INQUIRIES</b>	Nil

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