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

## Report on Race Meeting held at Gawler Racecourse by the Gawler & Barossa Jockey Club on Wednesday, 15 May 2013

Stewards: M. Santoro (A/Chairman), P. Matthews (F) & L. Michalanney (HT) (Stewards),

D. Southgate & I. Dally (Deputy Stewards) & Dr. P. Horridge (Veterinary

Surgeon).

TRACK: Heavy 8 WEATHER: Overcast

**RAIL**: Out 4 metres entire circuit.

### **RIDER CHANGES:**

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
6	SPECULATE	D. Stra		Notified
6	LEAHONE	E. Boyd	L. Stojakovic	"
7	CLEARLY PASSIONATE	D. Tourneur		ш
8	AMBUSH AL	S. Price		"

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## RACE 1 : BIGGEST MORNING TEA 23 MAY / SABOIS TWO-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1111 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately two minutes owing to BOOTH proving difficult to load. BOOTH was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who ruled the gelding fit to race. Mr. T. McEvoy, the Trainer of BOOTH, was advised the gelding would have to present at either an Official Barrier Trial or an Official Jump Out to gain approval to race.

STIMULATTE (A. Herrmann) was slow to begin.

WHITE TIP (J. Frew) jumped away awkwardly and was slow into stride, losing several lengths.

BOOTH (V. Colgan) raced wide without cover and greenly throughout the event.

Inside the 1000 metres YOU AND ME (D. Tourneur) rolled in slightly as D. Tourneur was adjusting his off side iron, resulting in FATE (M. Neilson) becoming awkwardly placed on that gelding's heels for a number of strides and shifting out abruptly approaching the 800 metres.

In the vicinity of the 800 metres YOU AND ME (D. Tourneur) had to momentarily ease when BOOTH (V. Colgan) shifted in. V. Colgan was reminded of his obligations when shifting ground in future.

WHITE TIP, which performed below expectations, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding to be lame in the near foreleg. Mr. D. Halliday, the Trainer of WHITE TIP, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting for a future trial or race.

### RACE 2: JACOBS CREEK / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1111 metres

HOLLYWOOD GOTHIC (T. Pannell) and MIRACLE BLAZE (J. Holder) were slow to begin.

PIERREMONT MAGIC (K. Bishop) raced wide without cover throughout the event.

### RACE 2: JACOBS CREEK / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1111 metres (Cont'd)

In the vicinity of the 500 metres MEADOWS CHIP (S. Price) was struck in the face by a clod of dirt. MEADOWS CHIP was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

# RACE 3 : SANDERS FODDER / MITAVITE GAWLER TRAINER OF THE YEAR MAIDEN PLATE - 1511 metres

In the vicinity of the 1200 metres KISS MY ARAZI (K. Bishop) raced in restricted room for several strides when awkwardly placed between the heels of HOLDING THE BABY (L. Stojakovic) and ECLAIR SAMBA (NZ) (D. Tourneur).

In the vicinity of the 800 metres and again near the 700 metres TERRAPINNA (A. Herrmann) rolled out and brushed TOTALLY HAMMERED (S. Price), which was inconvenienced when taken wider.

MANSIZE (S. Cahill) was held up from the vicinity of the 800 metres when racing behind BISALLOY (A. Patterson), which commenced to give ground and roll about, and inside the 600 metres shifted out to avoid the heels of BISALLOY onto LADY BESS (J. Bowditch), which was forced to steady when taken out onto the heels of YALE (V. Colgan).

ECLAIR SAMBA (NZ) (D. Tourneur) laid in throughout the event and in the vicinity of the 200 metres, when placed under pressure, shifted in and inconvenienced HOLDING THE BABY (L. Stojakovic), which was forced to race in restricted room for a short distance. ECLAIR SAMBA (NZ) was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

BISALLOY, which commenced to give ground from the vicinity of the 800 metres, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities. Mr. J. Hickmott, the Trainer of BISALLOY, was advised a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to it being competitive. Mr. Hickmott advised Stewards he would recommend to the owners the gelding be retired.

## RACE 4 : RODNEY RUDE LIVE AT GAWLER JUNE 7 / SABOIS 3YO MAIDEN PLATE – 1211 metres

THE SECRET BUZZ (C. Lever) was slow to begin.

DYLANSON (D. Tourneur) shifted in on jumping away and contacted SENSATIONAL CARD (L. Stojakovic), which was hampered when tightened onto RHINESTONE RUBY (J. Holder), which was inconvenienced.

DYLANSON (D. Tourneur) raced keenly in the early stages of the event whilst being restrained in an attempt to gain cover.

RHINESTONE RUBY (J. Holder) and BEGOR I'M SURE (V. Colgan) were inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

THE SECRET BUZZ, which performed poorly, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

#### RACE 5: HOPE4HOPE.ORG - 2122 metres

In the vicinity of the 1800 metres DON'T THINK DO (V. Colgan) became keen on the heels of MOTZART (J. Toeroek) and shifted out, contacting WEEKEND DAZZLER (E. Boyd).

#### RACE 5: HOPE4HOPE.ORG - 2122 metres (Cont'd)

BRING THEM ON (J. Potter) raced wide without cover throughout the event.

From the vicinity of the 800 metres WEEKEND DAZZLER (E. Boyd) became held up when racing on the heels of MOTZART (J. Toeroek), which commenced to give ground, and inside of DON'T THINK DO (V. Colgan), and was unable to obtain clear ground until inside the 600 metres.

In the vicinity of the 400 metres WEEKEND DAZZLER (E. Boyd) became held up when racing on the heels of ELEGIDO (L. Stojakovic) and inside RUNALUK (J. Bowditch) until the entrance to the straight.

- J. Bowditch, the rider of RUNALUK, which performed below expectations, explained the gelding had travelled well in the early and middle stages of the event, however, when placed under pressure in the vicinity of the 600 metres failed to respond to his riding and in his opinion had finished the race off poorly. He added, in his opinion, the gelding may have come to the end of its preparation. RUNALUK was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.
- E. Boyd, the rider of WEEKEND DAZZLER, explained after obtaining clear ground in the vicinity of the 600 metres, she had elected to shift in to follow ELEGIDO (L. Stojakovic) rather than follow RUNALUK (J. Bowditch) in an effort to comply with the instructions provided by the Trainer, Mr. N. Smart, to attempt to maintain a position on the rail during the event. E. Boyd was advised in similar circumstances in future she should not be single minded in attempting to comply with her instructions and instead look to take the best options as they present in races.

Stewards questioned V. Colgan, the rider of DON'T THINK DO, regarding his instructions in this event. V. Colgan explained he was instructed to take up a forward position with the option to lead, however, if another runner was looking to cross, to attempt to gain cover. Mr. W. Clarken, the Trainer of DON'T THINK DO, confirmed his instructions and advised the instructions were similar to those provided at the gelding's previous races, however, due to the pattern of those races it had led by default.

#### RACE 6: THE TERRACE RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1111 metres

Stewards acceded to a request from Mr. P. Lynch, the Trainer of EVE'S DELIGHT, to scratch the mare as in his opinion it would not be suited by the track condition at this stage of its preparation. EVE'S DELIGHT was withdrawn by Stewards at 7.55 am. Stewards questioned Mr. Lynch into the reasons he failed to scratch the mare by the required time. After considering his explanation, he was charged under LR.19.1 in that he failed to scratch EVE'S DELIGHT by the required time. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$400. In arriving at this decision, Stewards took into account his late scratching had resulted in an emergency runner not gaining a start.

SATURDAY'S CHILD (J. Frew) reared on jumping away.

REWIND TIME (J. Matthews) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out, contacting JESTER LOUT (E. Boyd).

JESTER LOUT (E. Boyd) raced wide without cover throughout the event.

Approaching the 400 metres REWIND TIME (J. Matthews) improved into restricted room between the heels of GREYBROW (J. Kah) and LEAHONE (L. Stojakovic) and had to be steadied momentarily.

#### RACE 6: THE TERRACE RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1111 metres (Cont'd)

NOIR RASOIR (J. Toeroek) laid out under pressure in the straight. NOIR RASOIR was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

E. Boyd, the rider of JESTER LOUT, reported despite being wide, the gelding had travelled well throughout the event, however, when placed under pressure at the entrance to the straight had failed to respond to her riding and had weakened quickly. JESTER LOUT was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a slower than expected recovery.

#### RACE 7: COOPERS CLEAR RATING 0-71 HANDICAP - 1511 metres

ROBDON FLYER (C. Lindop) jumped away awkwardly.

SAVVY SMOKIN' (J. Kah) raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

SUPER SILKS (NZ) (J. Matthews) raced wide without cover in the early and middle stages of the event.

S. Westover, the rider of MANGANESE, which performed below expectations, explained the gelding had not travelled well throughout the event and when placed under pressure in the vicinity of the 600 metres, failed to respond to his riding. MANGANESE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

#### RACE 8: LYNAS AUTO GROUP CLASS 2 HANDICAP - 1211 metres

Acting on confirmed advice from Mr. R. Jolly, the Trainer of TERRIFIC FLAIR, that the filly was tying up and unfit to race, Stewards withdrew TERRIFICA FLAIR at 8.57 am.

SPAIN (C. Lever) and NOBLE SUCCESS (P. Gatt) were slow to begin.

On jumping away DOTING (NZ) (J. Holder) and WILDER WILDER (J. Matthews) came together and brushed.

PLEASE CONSIDER (J. Bowditch) raced wide without cover throughout the event.

BUSH GEM (S. Westover) raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

At the entrance to the straight POTLUCK (M. Neilson) shifted out slightly onto BUSH GEM (S. Westover), which was momentarily inconvenienced when tightened onto PLEASE CONSIDER (J. Bowditch).

In the vicinity of the 300 metres LUCKY SUNDAY (A. Patterson) shifted to the outside of MONSOON POON (V. Colgan) to improve and in doing so shifted onto WILDER WILDER (J. Matthews), which had to be steadied. A. Patterson was reminded of his obligations when shifting ground in future.

J. Bowditch, the rider of PLEASE CONSIDER, explained the gelding had travelled well in the early and middle stages of the event, however, when placed under pressure in the vicinity of the 500 metres, had failed to respond to his riding and commenced to weaken from the event and in the vicinity of the 200 metres, he had become concerned with its action and had eased the gelding out of the event. PLEASE CONSIDER was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

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#### **GENERAL:**

### STRATHALBYN - WEDNESDAY, 8 MAY 2013

Mr. G. Lesnikowski, the Trainer of JUST A BOB (Race 2) and ILSEDE (Race 4), which in the stable's opinion had performed below expectations, has advised the horses had been examined by his Veterinary Surgeon who reported stomach ulcers. Both horses were treated and as a precaution the remainder of horses in his stable also underwent treatment.

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### **ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (3):**

Race 1 – STIMULATTE (winner)

Race 4 – DYLANSON (winner)

Race 7 – SUPER SILKS (NZ) (winner)

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SUMMARY			
FINES	Race 6 – Mr. P. Lynch – Fined \$400 – LR.19.1 – Failing to scratch EVE'S DELIGHT by the required time.		
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil		
REPRIMANDS	Nil		
SUSPENSIONS	Nil		
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 – BOOTH – Not to race – To present at either Official Barrier Trial or Official Jump Out to gain approval to race prior to accepting for a future race.		
	Race 1 – WHITE TIP - Not to race – Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race – Lame near foreleg.		
	Race 3 – BISSALLOY – Warned – Uncompetitive.		
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil		

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