THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville Parks Racecourse by the South Australian Jockey Club on Saturday, 28 September 2013

Stewards: J. Petzer (Chairman), M. Santoro (HT), L. Michalanney (M) & S. Callanan (F)

(Stewards), D. Southgate, A. Hamilton, M. Featherston & A. Thriscutt (Deputy

Stewards), Dr. P. Horridge and Dr. B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeons).

TRACK: Good 3 WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: Out 9 metres 1000m to Winning Post, 6 metres remainder.

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
6	BEWARE OF THESTORM	A Herrmann	B Claridge	Indisposed
7	VISUAL IMPACT	A Herrmann	L Stojakovic	Indisposed
8	FREE THE WIND	A Herrmann	J Bowditch	Indisposed

RACE 1: EXPRESS COLOUR PRINTING HANDICAP - 1000 metres

The start of this race was delayed owing to SILVER SEBRING proving difficult to load. Mr D Jolly, the Trainer of SILVER SEBRING, was advised the filly would be required to load without delay in an Approval to Race Jump Out or Official Barrier Trial prior to its next race start.

TYPHOON (J Toeroek) jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and contacted LATE NITE LAPPY (M Neilson).

Inside the 600 metres BURNRO (T Baker), which raced greenly, laid in onto LATE NITE LAPPY (M Neilson), which was tightened onto SILVER SEBRING (J Holder). As a result LATE NITE LAPPY was obliged to be steadied and altered course to the outside of BURNRO.

Shortly after entering the straight SILVER SEBRING (J Holder) shifted out to gain clear running and inconvenienced LATE NITE LAPPY (M Neilson).

Approaching the 100 metres BURNRO (T Baker), which continued to lay in, shifted in under riding and contacted HOLY GRAIL (C Lindop). Thereafter BURNRO continued to shift ground inwards resulting in HOLY GRAIL (C Lindop) racing in restricted room over the concluding stages. T Baker was reminded of his obligations when shifting ground in future.

Correct Weight for this event was delayed to allow C Lindop, the rider of the third placegetter HOLY GRAIL, and that filly's Co-Trainer, Mr R Balfour, to view the official footage in the straight.

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

RACE 2 : ADELAIDE GALVANISING HANDICAP - 1000 metres

OUR BELVOIR (C Lindop) jumped away awkwardly and shifted in, tightening STRIDING SUCCESS (S Price) onto MAELSTROM (K Bishop), resulting in STRIDING SUCCESS being inconvenienced.

RACE 2 : ADELAIDE GALVANISING HANDICAP - 1000 metres (Cont'd)

In the vicinity of the 300 metres RAKS MCLAREN (J Kah) shifted out to improve and crossed the running of MAELSTROM (K Bishop), which was inconvenienced. J Kah was reprimanded and advised to take greater care when shifting ground in future.

WALKINGAROUNDMONEY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding was slow to recover.

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

OUR BELVOIR lost its near hind plate during the event.

RACE 3: DOMINANT HANDICAP - 1550 metres

CHONDRA (A Herrmann) was slow to begin.

Approaching the 1400 metres GAMBLIN' GURU (C Lindop) became awkward on the heels of MAJESTIC MOMENT (P Gatt) for a number of strides.

C Lindop, the rider of GAMBLIN' GURU, was questioned regarding her use of the whip in the straight. She was advised that while her use of the whip was in a backhand manner, given the frequency of her whip use, it may be considered to be excessive and that in similar circumstances in future Stewards may take action under the Rules. GAMBLIN' GURU was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 4: 2013 AFL GRAND FINAL HANDICAP - 1250 metres

OCSMEPOP (K Bishop) was slow to begin.

USTINOV'S FURY (J Potter) and KALO TAXITHI (T Pannell) over-raced in the early stages of the event.

Inside the 400 metres ON A DREAM (C Lindop) became held up for a short distance on the heels of USTINOV'S FURY (J Potter) and inside JIMMY THE BUTCH (P Gatt), which improved quickly to its outside.

RACE 5: MEDALLION HOMES HANDICAP - 1300 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately four minutes owing to the ambulance staff having to attend to Amy Herrmann in the Jockey's room. A Herrmann was ruled unfit to fulfil her remaining engagements and was advised a medical certificate of fitness would be required before she rode again.

Approaching the 200 metres LORD WIMBLE (H Coffey), which shifted out to improve at the same time as TRIPLE TEE (J Toeroek) rolled in, came together and brushed. Shortly thereafter J Toeroek, when changing his whip into his left hand, accidentally dropped his whip as it contacted with LORD WIMBLE.

NEAREST TO PIN and CLASSIC HUSSLER were examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 6 : SPORTINGBET HANDICAP - 2400 metres

Near The 1900 metres BEWARE OF THESTORM (B Claridge) became awkward on the heels of MUJADALE (J Holder) for a number of strides.

RACE 6 : SPORTINGBET HANDICAP - 2400 metres (Cont'd)

S Price, the rider of THE BIG STEEL, explained the tempo in the early stages suited him and when the pace slowed in the middle stages he had taken up a position closer to the leader SAHARA SYMPHONY but added when the pace quickened, in the vicinity of the 800 metres, THE BIG STEEL was under pressure and he was unable to maintain his position relative to SAHARA SYMPHONY. He also stated the gelding weakened quickly, approaching the home-turn, failed to finish the race off and performed disappointingly. THE BIG STEEL was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding to be lame in the near foreleg. Mr S Brown, the Trainer of THE BIG STEEL, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting for a future trial or race.

J Holder, the rider of MUJADALE, explained his instructions were to attempt to obtain a position either mid-field or forward of mid-field with cover. He stated that due to the early pace in the event and as a result of his wide barrier he was unable to obtain a more forward position as intended and was obliged to settle further back with cover. He added he was mindful of not being caught wide without cover in the early stages. He was also of the view that the gelding raced flat for a short distance near the 800 metres but finished the race off in a respectable fashion over the last 100 metres.

A Patterson, the rider of SAVVY DANCER (NZ), was questioned regarding his use of the whip in the straight. He pleaded guilty to a charge under ARR.137A(5)(a)(ii) for using his whip on more than five occasions in a forehand manner prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

MY EX MATE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a slower than expected recovery.

RACE 7: SCHWEPPES HANDICAP - 1400 metres

The start of the race was delayed approximately two minutes owing to LUCKY LIVI proving very difficult to load. LUCKY LIVI was withdrawn by Stewards at 4.27 pm when it refused to load. Mr L Macdonald, the Co-Trainer of LUCKY LIVI, was advised the mare was now suspended from racing and would be required to load without delay in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race.

Racing to the 1200 metres SATURDAY AFFAIR (C Lindop), which raced keenly, improved onto the heels of LADY MALVERN (E Boyd) and had to be restrained.

Inside the 700 metres SATURDAY AFFAIR (C Lindop) became very awkward and had to be checked when racing inside the heels of LADY MALVERN (E Boyd), which commenced to weaken and rolled in. Shortly thereafter LADY MALVERN stumbled and was eased out of the event by its rider. As a consequence SCHADUW (P Gatt), which was following, was obliged to be checked to avoid the heels of LADY MALVERN and shifted out onto SPANISH VIXEN (B Claridge), contacting that mare and unbalancing it. As a result VISUAL IMPACT (L Stojakovic) was obliged to avoid the heels of SPANISH VIXEN. LADY MALVERN was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the mare sustained a fracture to its off-fore shoulder and was humanely euthanased.

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

C Lindop, the rider of SATURDAY AFFAIR, was reprimanded under ARR.83(a) for using foul language in the vicinity of the 700 metres.

RACE 8: MELB CUP LIVE RACING AT MORPHETTVILLE HANDICAP - 1550 metres

PERFECT LENGTH (A Patterson) was slow to begin.

RACE 8 : MELB CUP LIVE RACING AT MORPHETTVILLE HANDICAP – 1550 metres (Cont'd)

PERFECT LENGTH (A. Patterson) became held up at the entrance to the straight behind BELLE'S REWARD (P Gatt), which commenced to weaken, and was obliged to shift out near the 200 metres to obtain clear ground. A. Patterson was only able to fully ride PERFECT LENGTH out from in the vicinity of the 100 metres.

In the vicinity of the 300 metres ROCK ON RENNIE (J Potter) rolled in and inconvenienced BELLE'S REWARD (P Gatt).

P Gatt, the rider of BELLE'S REWARD, reported in his opinion the mare, which failed to finish the race off, may have come to the end of its preparation.

SPIRITOF ENDEAVOUR (USA) was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

PRE RACE SAMPLES (13):

Blood Samples were taken from the following horses for the purpose of TCO₂ testing:

Race 1 RED MAGNET, TYPHOON, BURNRO.

Race 6 MY EX MATE, THE BIG STEEL, SAVVY DANCER (NZ), BEWARE OF

THESTORM, MUJADALE, SAHARA SYMPHONY, HIPHOPOPOTAMUS (NZ).

Race 8 SPIRITOF ENDEAVOUR (USA), ROCK ON RENNIE, RUSSIAN ROCKER (GB).

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (8)

RED MAGNET (winner)	Race 5	LORD WIMBLE (winner)
RAKS MCLAREN (winner)	Race 6	SAHARA SYMPHONY (winner)
THOMASON (winner)	Race 7	HEART OF ETERNITY (winner)
PULL NO PUNCHES (winner)	Race 8	ASTRO DAMUS (winner)
	RAKS MCLAREN (winner) THOMASON (winner)	RAKS MCLAREN (winner) Race 6 THOMASON (winner) Race 7

POST RACE SAMPLES (2):

Blood Samples were taken from the following horse for the purpose of TCO₂ testing:

Race 1 RED MAGNET (X2)

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SUMMARY				
FINES	Nil			
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil			
REPRIMANDS	Race 2 – J Kah (RAKS MCLAREN) – ARR.137(a) - Careless Riding.			
	Race 6 – A Patterson (SAVVY DANCER (NZ)) – ARR.137A(5)(a)(ii) - Whip Offence (+2).			
	Race 7 – C Lindop (SATURDAY AFFAIR) – ARR.83(a) - misconduct in using foul language.			
SUSPENSIONS	Nil			
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 4 - SILVER SEBRING - Suspended - Required to load without delay in an Approval to Race Jump Out or Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race - Difficult to load.			
	Race 6 – THE BIG STEEL - Not to race – Vet Certificate of fitness required prior to trial or race – Lame near foreleg.			
	Race 7 - LUCKY LIVI - Suspended - Required to load without delay in Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race - Refused to load.			
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil			

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