

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Port Lincoln Racecourse
by the Port Lincoln Racing Club on Sunday, 22 December 2013

Stewards: M. Santoro (A/Chairman), D. Bucknell (HT) (Stewards), A. Quinton (M), P. Dearman, R. Evans (F) & T. Kenny (Deputy Stewards), Dr G. Sezun (Veterinary Surgeon)

TRACK: Good 3

WEATHER: Overcast

RAIL: True

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
4	SHE'S GOT SOUL	E. Boyd	K. Brooks	Indisposed
5	HANK'S NEPHEW	E. Boyd	K. Brooks	Indisposed
6	MR KARGER	E. Boyd	T. Pannell	Indisposed
8	HUNTED ANGEL	E. Boyd	K. Brooks	Indisposed

RACE 1 : YALUMBA / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 metres

CHLOBOROUGH (M. Neilson) shifted out on jumping away, contacting WHERE HEARTS LIE (S. Price).

SOCIAL SET (P. Roff) shifted in on jumping away, contacting HOT COCO (L. Hopwood), which shifted out, taking SOCIAL SET out on to SANS PEUR (T. Pannell), which was inconvenienced.

SANS PEUR raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

Inside the 400 metres SING THAT SONG (R. Bell) became momentarily held up when it improved on to the heels of HOT COCO (L. Hopwood) at the same time as JIMMY'S EYE (S. Westover) improved to its outside.

In the vicinity of the 250m SANS PEUR (T. Pannell) rolled out slightly, contacting JIMMY'S EYE (S. Westover), turning that gelding's hindquarters out, resulting in these runners making contact for a short distance.

In the vicinity of the 200 metres HOT COCO (L. Hopwood) shifted out to improve on to SOCIAL SET (P. Roff), inconveniencing that gelding, which was inclined to lay in back behind HOT COCO.

RACE 2 : LEADER DISTRIBUTORS / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1360 metres

Correct weight was delayed to allow S. Westover, rider of LAMU LAD, and that gelding's trainer, Mr B. Cozamanis, to view the official photo image for 1st.

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

RACE 3 : PORT LINCOLN GOURMET MEATS RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1360 metres

FORESHORE MAK (S. Westover) shifted in on jumping away on to AGED IN OAK (J. Potter), which was inconvenienced when taken in on to the heels of IMAGE MASTER (S. Price).

MOON DEVIL (P. Roff) raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

GOING STRONG (L. Stojakovic) dipped for no apparent reason in the vicinity of the 1000 metres and again inside the 600 metres.

ARTIE'S ANGEL (T. Pannell) commenced to hang out from the vicinity of the 400 metres and made the home turn awkwardly, shifting wider on the track.

ARTIE'S ANGEL was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

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

RACE 4 : NEW YEAR CELEBRATION RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1360 metres

DANCING MARY (L. Stojakovic) raced keenly in the vicinity of the 1000 metres for a short distance when being restrained.

RACE 5 : BOSTON BAY WINES BENCHMARK 80 HANDICAP – 1360 metres

STREET RELATED (R. Bell) was held up from the vicinity of the 400 metres until the entrance to the straight when racing behind SPIRIT OF FLATLEY (D. Tourneur) and inside BLACK BARRA (J. Potter).

In the vicinity of the 250 metres SPIRIT OF FLATLEY (D. Tourneur) shifted out to improve and in doing so tightened BLACK BARRA (J. Potter) on to JAPAN (P. Roff), which was taken out on to TRESETTE (S. Cahill).

RACE 6 : EYRE TRAVEL BENCHMARK 80 HANDICAP - 1750 metres

MONTALTO (P. Roff) jumped away awkwardly.

Passing the winning post on the first occasion TARVON (K. Bishop) and OKAMAN (L. Hopwood) were forced to race in restricted room for a short distance when taken in by EBONY ROCK (S. Cahill).

In the vicinity of the 1200 metres OKAMAN (L. Hopwood) commenced to race fiercely and had to be restrained off the heels of EBONY ROCK (S. Cahill) on a number of occasions.

MR KARGER, which performed below expectations, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported that the gelding had a slower than expected recovery rate.

RACE 7 : CARLTON COLD 3.5 RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1000 metres

ESSENCE'NRERAINT (P. Roff) shifted out on jumping away, tightening MEMORY COVE (S. Price) on to THE HEADLINER (R. Bell), which was inconvenienced.

DOUBLE DEALING (K. Bishop) raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

In the vicinity of the 200 metres TINTAGEL ROCKER (M. Neilson) rolled out at the same time as HARDERS (D. Tourneur) laid in under pressure, resulting in that gelding having to be steadied momentarily.

D. Tourneur, rider of HARDERS, reported that that gelding raced greenly throughout the event.

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

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

RACE 8 : JONES ELECTRICAL RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 1200 metres

COSTLY ARGUMENT (J. Potter), which struck its head in its stall, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon in the mounting yard and again on arrival at the start and was ruled unfit to race. Acting on this advice, stewards ordered the withdrawal of the gelding at 4.51 pm.

HUNTED ANGEL (K. Brooks) was slow to begin.

VINARD (K. Bishop) raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

K. Bishop the rider of VINARD explained that she had been given no firm instructions, however from the previous occasions she had ridden the gelding, she was aware that the horse races forward. She added that after finding the lead in the vicinity of the 900 metres, VINARD commenced to race fiercely and extended its lead on the field far more than she was comfortable with, despite her efforts to restrain the gelding. She stated that in her opinion the gelding had finished the event off well. Trainer Mr J. Dunn confirmed that there were no firm instructions other than that the gelding does race forward.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (3)

- Race 5 STREET RELATED (winner)
- Race 6 EBONY ROCK (winner)
- Race 8 GOLD VINTAGE (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Nil
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Nil
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Nil
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil