

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

Report on Race Meeting held at the Penola Racecourse
by the Penola Racing Club on Thursday, 9 January 2014

Stewards: A. Hayles (A/Chairman) & D. Bucknell (HT) (Stewards)
R. Spillman, J. Foster (F) & S. Bright (Deputy Stewards), Dr. D. Goulding
(Veterinary Surgeon)

TRACK: Good 3

WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: True.

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	CASINO WIZARD	A. Herrmann	C. Lindop	Indisposed
2	VILIFY	"	A. Patterson	"
3	MR LAMBORGHINI	"	W. Kerford	"
4	METRO CAT	"	M. Walters	"
5	KILL BILL	"	C. Lindop	"
6	STAR ACT	"	M. Neilson	"

RACE 1 : PARKER COONAWARRA ESTATE / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately three minutes when LEGAL VEINE was kicked on arrival at the barriers. LEGAL VEINE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding to be lame in the near hind leg and unfit to race. Acting on that advice, Stewards withdrew LEGAL VEINE at 1.14 pm.

SPARE ONE, which was kicked on arrival at the barriers, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who ruled the horse fit to race.

The start of this race was further delayed owing to TONS OF GOLD proving difficult to load.

GINGA GAL (NZ) (H. McKechnie) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out inconveniencing CASINO WIZARD (C. Lindop), which was taken wider.

TONS OF GOLD (M. Neilson) was inclined to hang out throughout the event and as a result tailed the field. TONS OF GOLD was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities. Mr. M. O'Leary, the Trainer of TONS OF GOLD, was advised the gelding would be required to load without delay and race tractably in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race.

In the vicinity of the 200 metres GINGA GAL (NZ) (H. McKechnie) shifted out under pressure for a short distance.

RACE 2 : BANKS THARGO COONAWARRA / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1400 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately two minutes owing to a mechanical failure of the First Care Ambulance.

KEETIMO (H. McKechnie) jumped away awkwardly, unbalancing its rider for a short distance.

RACE 2 : BANKS THARGO COONAWARRA / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1400 metres
(Cont'd)

KEETIMO (H. McKechnie) raced keenly throughout the event.

In the vicinity of the 300 metres KEETIMO (H. McKechnie), which was racing keenly, had to be restrained off the heels of WHAT A SAGA (D. Tourneur).

RACE 3 : DIGIORGIO FAMILY WINES / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1700 metres

MR LAMBORGHINI (W. Kerford) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out, brushing NIGHT NEWS (C. Lindop).

In the vicinity of the 600 metres BELLE OF THE SOUTH (J. Potter) had to momentarily steady when SPINNING MOMENT (A. Patterson) began to tire. Shortly after BELLE OF THE SOUTH shifted around the heels of SPINNING MOMENT and had to steady away from the heels of ROYARRA (C. Jones) when that mare also began to tire.

NIGHT NEWS was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding to be shin sore.

RACE 4 : RAIDIS ESTATE RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 1400 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately two minutes when TIGERKELLY became fractious in the barriers. TIGERKELLY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who ruled the gelding fit to race. Mr. M. O'Leary, the Trainer of TIGERKELLY, was advised a warning has been placed on the gelding in relation to its barrier manners.

TIGERKELLY (M. Neilson) and DISCO TILLATE (L. Hopwood) brushed on jumping away.

TUSCAN RANGER (C. Jones) was slow to begin.

In the vicinity of the 900 metres TUSCAN RANGER (C. Jones) shifted out abruptly when racing on the heels of DISCO TILLATE (L. Hopwood). As a result BOYDARI (J. Potter), which was racing to the outside of TUSCAN RANGER, was inconvenienced when taken wider.

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

SARCASM and JESTA TIGER, which performed below expectations, were examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 5 : KIDMAN WINES RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1100 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately eleven minutes due to a mechanical failure of the First Care Ambulance. The start was further delayed when COMIC STAR became fractious after being loaded into its barrier stall. COMIC STAR was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who ruled the gelding fit to race.

WORROLONG LAD (J. Potter) knuckled on jumping away and as a result J. Potter was unbalanced for a short distance.

RACE 6 : COONWARRA VIGNERONS CUP - 1700 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately two minutes when HASTA LA SHAMER proved difficult to load. Mrs. S. Murphy, the Trainer of HASTA LA SHAMER, was advised a warning has been placed on the gelding in relation to its loading manners.

TEXAN WARNEY (H. McKechnie) and SANDHILL CHIEF (D. Tourneur) brushed on jumping away.

CLUB ROYALE (C. Jones) was slow to begin.

From the vicinity of the 200 metres to approaching the 50 metres TEXAN WARNEY (H. McKechnie) was held up for clear running when racing tight to the inside of DONNIDI SULINA (NZ) (M. Walters).

C. Lindop, the rider of HASTA LA SHAMER, explained she could offer no explanation into the gelding's poor performance. HASTA LA SHAMER was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a poor recovery rate.

RACE 7 : JIM BARRY THE COVER DRIVE RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 1700 metres

TELASNIP (M. Neilson) was slow to begin.

LEATHAL'S LEGACY (C. Lindop) raced keenly in the early and middle stages when racing on the heels of MUSEE D'MODEL (C. Jones).

At the entrance to the straight LEATHAL'S LEGACY (C. Lindop) and SPANISH VIXEN (D. Tourneur) bumped. As a result LEATHAL'S LEGACY rolled out marginally, resulting in MILENSNAKE (K. Post) having to be taken wider, making heavy contact with LIFE'S A BUTTERFLY (P. Marks). Shortly after MILENSNAKE was inconvenienced when placed on the heels of LEATHAL'S LEGACY.

SWABBING (3):

- Race 2 WHISTLEONBY (winner)
- Race 4 LEAD THE WITNESS (winner)
- Race 6 GAUSS (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Nil
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
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SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 – TONS OF GOLD – Suspended – Required to load without delay and race tractably in Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race – Difficult to load and hung out throughout event. Race 4 – TIGERKELLY – Warned – Fractious in barriers. Race 6 – HASTA LA SHAMER – Warned – Difficult to load.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil

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