

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Gawler Racecourse
by the Gawler & Barossa Jockey Club on Wednesday, 22 January 2014

Stewards: J. Petzer (Chairman), S. Callanan (HT) & D. Bucknell (F) (Stewards), D. Southgate & A. Quinton (Deputy Stewards) & Dr. P. Horridge (Veterinary Surgeon).

TRACK: Dead 4 (*Upgraded to Good 3 at 11:15 am*)

WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: Out 2 metres from 800m to 400m, true remainder

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	MOLASMO JET	P. Gallagher	S. Price	Overweight
2	MARRIED FOR MONEY	J. Bowditch	A. Herrmann	Indisposed
3	ATHLETICISM	"	J. Holder	"
3	CHAMPAGNE KRIS	T. Pannell	P. Gatt	"
4	FLASH MICK	"	B. Hoppo	"
4	RUNALUK	J. Bowditch	B. Claridge	"
5	CALL ME BISCUIT	T. Pannell	S. Price	"
7	FOREST ELBOW	J. Bowditch	B. Claridge	"
7	BEL CASA	C. Lindop		Notified
8	TEEN SPIRIT	T. Pannell	D. Tourneur	Indisposed

RACE 1 : SPORTSBET.COM.AU/SABOIS THREE-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE –
1105 metres

MADELLA UNIQUE (L. Hopwood) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out onto MOLASMO JET (S. Price), which was inconvenienced.

Shortly after the start SUPER ESRA (K. Brooks) was tightened between ISLAND BEACH (B. Claridge) and TITANIC THOMO (J. Holder), which both shifted ground, and lost its position.

Approaching the 400 metres MOLASMO JET (S. Price) shifted out and inconvenienced MADELLA UNIQUE (L. Hopwood), which had to be steadied.

Inside the 100 metres ISLAND BEACH (B. Claridge) shifted in and tightened TITANIC THOMO (J. Holder), which was obliged to race in restricted room between ISLAND BEACH and IL DIECI (J. Frew) over the concluding stages. B. Claridge was reminded of his obligations when shifting ground in future.

Correct Weight for this event was delayed to allow J Holder, the rider of TITANIC THOMO, to view the official footage from the 300 metres.

D Tourneur, the rider of SCALAIRE, explained he intended to take up a mid-field position in running in the early stages but after beginning fairly well his horse appeared to be off the bridle approaching the 1000 metres and he was unable to maintain his position and was obliged to settle further back than intended. Thereafter at the entrance to the straight he was forced to race wide and remained wide for the entire straight due to the position of ALL THE TIME (A. Herrmann). He added his mount was inclined to lay in during the event and in his opinion would benefit when racing over longer distances.

**RACE 1 : SPORTSBET.COM.AU/SABOIS THREE-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE –
1105 metres (Cont'd)**

SCALAIRE, which performed below expectations, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a lower than expected heart rate.

J. Holder, the rider of TITANIC THOMO, was questioned regarding his use of the whip prior to the 100 metres. He pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(i) in that he used his whip in a forehand manner in consecutive strides prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded. He also pleaded guilty to AR137A(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.

K. Brooks, the rider of SUPER ESRA, reported the filly felt awkward in its action during the event. SUPER ESRA was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported speedy cuts to both hind pasterns.

RACE 2 : THE LIFE MEMBERS/SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE- 1705 metres

Mr. T. McEvoy, the Trainer of MISS EEJAY, advised Stewards that he would instruct Jockey B. Claridge to ride the filly more patiently in the early stages and to attempt to settle mid-field with cover.

Approaching the 200 metres MARRIED FOR MONEY (A. Herrmann) was disappointed for clear running between TRACY TRUE BLOOD (J. Maund) and MISS EEJAY (B. Claridge), which both shifted ground, and was obliged to alter course to the inside of MISS EEJAY to obtain clear running.

B. Claridge, the rider of MISS EEJAY, was questioned regarding his use of the whip prior to the 100 metres. He pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(i) in that he used his whip in a forehand manner in consecutive strides prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded. He also pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(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 fined \$300.

MISS EEJAY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon post-race who reported no visible abnormalities.

TRACY TRUE BLOOD lost it off hind plate during the event.

CALL ME PENNY lost its off hind plate during the event.

RACE 3 : JARVIS ISUZU/SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1205 metres

On arrival on-course ATHLETICISM was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon at the request of its Trainer, Mr. J. Smith. ATHLETICISM, which was found to have an abrasion to the base of its tail, was ruled fit to race.

Miss E. Hubbard, the Trainer of BAD MEDICINE, advised Stewards she would be instructing her rider, S. Westover, to ride the gelding more aggressively in the early stages in an attempt to obtain a more forward position in running.

The start of this race was delayed approximately two minutes owing to ZANDERCAN, which contacted the barrier structure, dislodging its rider and galloping a short distance before being captured by the Clerk of the Course in the 1500 metre chute. ZANDERCAN was returned to the barriers, examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon and ruled fit for race.

RACE 3 : JARVIS ISUZU/SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1205 metres (Cont'd)

COPPER COAST RAIDA (M. Neilson) shifted out on jumping away and contacted TIDY PROPHET (D. Tourneur). Shortly thereafter MAGISUE (O. Ridge) shifted in and tightened TIDY PROPHET onto COPPER COAST RAIDA, resulting in both these runners being inconvenienced.

Approaching the 1100 metres ATHLETICISM (J. Holder) shifted in and inconvenienced LUCKY TREASURE (L. Hopwood), which had raced in restricted room for a short distance to the outside of DUKE OF THE CASTLE (S. Price), resulting in those two horses brushing.

Near the 200 metres TIDY PROPHET (D. Tourneur), which was inclined to lay in, shifted in abruptly onto PTOLEMY (J. Toeroek), which was inconvenienced and taken off its course.

RACE 4 : BAROSSA ELECTRICAL RATING 0 – 68 HANDICAP- 2105 metres

Approaching the winning post on the first occasion RAND AL THOR (S. Price), which got his head up when being restrained and raced ungenerously, rolled out and contacted SONG OF THE SANDS (J. Maund), which was taken out slightly. Shortly thereafter RAND AL THOR raced in restricted room to the inside of SONG OF THE SANDS and behind TINKLER'S LANE (NZ) (L. Hopwood) for a short distance before having to be restrained and give up its position to alter course to the outside of SONG OF THE SANDS to obtain clear running.

ROYAL BUTLER (C. Lindop) laid in, in the straight.

RACE 5 : HAPPY BIRTHDAY GAWLER JOCKEY CLUB RATING 0 – 72 HANDICAP - 1705 metres

B. Hoppo, the rider of RYCHLE, was questioned regarding his use of the whip prior to the 100 metres. He pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(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.

RACE 6 : THE BUNYIP CLASS 2 HANDICAP - 1505 metres

YALE (S. Price) was eased out of the event by its rider in the vicinity of the 600 metres. YALE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported atrial fibrillation. Mr. D. Bonetti, the Trainer of YALE, was advised the results of an ECG are to be forwarded to the TRSA Veterinary Surgeon and the mare must perform satisfactorily in an Official Barrier Trial with a post-trial auscultation by a Veterinary Surgeon prior to accepting for a future race.

YSABELLE (NZ) (D Tourneur) was held up for clear running from in the vicinity of the 500 metres until shortly after the entrance to the straight.

M Neilson, the rider of MOON BRICKS, explained he intended to settle more forward than he did but was unable to do so due to his wide barrier and the formation of the field. He added that whilst the gelding finished the race off respectably, it may have laboured under the weight of 59kg. MOON BRICKS was examined by a Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 7 : KINGSFORD HOTEL/ SABOIS FILLIES AND MARES RATING 0 - 68 HANDICAP - 1105 metres

S. Cahill, the rider of BELLE DIVA, and K Bishop, the rider of SUKI, were dislodged from their mounts en route to the barriers. Both riders were uninjured in the incident. SUKI was immediately captured by its rider and BELLE DIVA was captured by the Clerk of the Course after it galloped to the 1500 metre chute. BELLE DIVA was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon on return to the barriers and ruled fit to race.

**RACE 7 : KINGSFORD HOTEL/ SABOIS FILLIES AND MARES RATING 0 - 68 HANDICAP
- 1105 metres (Cont'd)**

ABBA (M. Nielson) stood flat-footed at the start and was slow to begin, losing several lengths.

SUKI (K. Bishop) jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and tightened TWIGHLIGHT DANCER (A. Herrmann) onto FOREST ELBOW (B. Claridge).

BELLE DIVA (S. Cahill) laid in throughout in the straight.

ABBA was examined by a Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 8 : WEBSTER HYDE & HEATH RATING 0 - 62 HANDICAP – 1205 metres

On arrival on course HOLLYWOOD HUSTLER, which had not raced since 2012, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon and ruled fit to race.

SIR TRENTIN (K. Brooks) jumped away awkwardly, contacted the side of its barrier stall and was slow into stride.

REAL FANTASY (D. Evans) jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and inconvenienced STONEHAVEN (P. Gatt).

FRILLY SKURT (J. Toeroek) was held up for clear running from in the vicinity of the 400 metres until inside the 300 metres.

K. Brooks, the rider of SIR TRENTIN, was spoken to regarding her continued use of the whip in a backhand manner when her horse was out of contention and not responding.

GENERAL:

PORT LINCOLN – FRIDAY, 10 JANUARY 2014

RACE 7 : GOODWOOD PARK HOTEL BENCHMARK 80 HANDICAP - 1200 metres

Stewards today concluded an inquiry into D. Tourneur's riding of DIRE WARNING over this event. D. Tourneur pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137(b) in that he failed to ride his mount out to the end of the race and was fined \$200.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (5):

- Race 1 – IL DIECI (winner)
 - Race 3 – ATHLETICISM (winner)
 - Race 4 – RAND AL THOR (winner)
 - Race 5 – RYCHLE (winner)
 - Race 8 – SCHNIPPY SCHNAPPY (winner)
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SUMMARY	
FINES	<u>Port Lincoln – Friday, 10 January 2014</u> <i>Race 7 – D. Tourneur (DIRE WARNING) – Fined \$200 – AR137(b) – Not riding his mount out to the end of the race.</i> ----- <i>Race 2 - B. Claridge (MISS EEJAY) – Fined \$300 – AR137A(5)(a)(ii) +4 – whip offence</i>
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil

SUMMARY (Cont'd)	
REPRIMANDS	<p>Race 1 - Jockey P. Gallagher - AR120(b) – Overweight and having to be replaced on MOLASMO JET</p> <p>Race 1 – J. Holder (TITANIC THOMO) – AR137A(5)(a)(i) +1 & (ii) +2 – whip offences</p> <p>Race 2 - B. Claridge (MISS EEJAY) – AR137A(5)(a)(i) +1 – whip offence</p> <p>Race 5 – B. Hoppo (RYCHLE) – AR137A(5)(ii) +1 – whip offence</p>
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 6 – YALE – Suspended – Results of ECG to be forwarded to TRSA Vet and required to perform satisfactorily in Official Barrier Trial with post-trial auscultation prior to accepting for a future race – Atrial Fibrillation.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil

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