

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, 15 February 2014

Stewards: J. Petzer (Chairman), M. Santoro (F), L. Michalanney (M) & C. Deakin (HT) (Stewards), D. Southgate, D. Jonas V. Ferguson & D. Reynolds (Stewards), Dr. P. Horridge & Dr. B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeons).

TRACK: Heavy 8 (*Upgraded to Slow 7 @ 11.30 am*) (*Upgraded to Slow 6 @ 2.30 pm, retrospective to Race 3*) (*Upgraded to Dead 5 @ 4.11 pm, retrospective to Race 6*)

WEATHER: Overcast

RAIL: Out 3 metres 1000m to Winning Post, True remainder

RIDER CHANGES:

| Race | Horse | Rider | Replaced By | Reason |
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| 3 | BIT OF A SCHILLER | J. Frew | | Late notification |
| 7 | BARIGAN BOY | A. Herrmann | | " |
| 8 | HAPPY SYMBOL | J. Bowditch | J. Frew | Doubly engaged |

RACE 1 : TATSBET ADELAIDE CUP 10TH MARCH HANDICAP - 1600 metres

RAMSGATE (J. Bowditch) was slow to begin.

DIRE WARNING (K. Bishop) over-raced in the early stages.

Approaching the 100 metres RAMSGATE (J. Bowditch) was disappointed for clear running between SANDHILL CHIEF (J. Toeroek) and TRISTACAT (J. Holder) and was obliged to alter course to the outside of TRISTACAT to obtain clear running.

In the vicinity of the 50 metres M. Neilson, the rider of WOAKWINE, accidentally dropped his whip. M. Neilson pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137(a) for carelessness and was fined \$50.

RACE 2 : DARLEY HANDICAP – 2500 metres

LITTLE ADAM (L. Hopwood) was tightened at the start between PRIZUM (T. Sadler), which shifted in, and CASH ADVANCE (C. Forrest), which shifted out. As a consequence PRIZUM lost its position.

On jumping away CLUB ROYALE (O. Ay) was tightened between SOUTHERN INVASION (J. Bowditch) and SCOTLAND THE BRAVE (J. Maund) as SCOTLAND THE BRAVE shifted out.

PRIZUM (T. Sadler) made the crossing near the 1800 metres awkwardly.

Inside the 1200 metres SOUTHERN INVASION (J. Bowditch) shifted in and inconvenienced ANGELOLOGY (NZ) (J. Childs). J. Bowditch was reminded of his obligations when shifting ground in future.

RACE 2 : DARLEY HANDICAP – 2500 metres (Cont'd)

T. Sadler, the rider of PRIZUM, was questioned regarding the use of his whip prior to the 100 metres. He pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

S. Price, the rider of DISTILLATION, was questioned regarding the use of his whip prior to the 100 metres. He pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

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

RACE 3 : ENDEAVOUR HOMES HANDICAP - 1800 metres

FLYING SKIPPER (J. Bowditch) was slow to begin.

CARMEN OVER BABY (J. Toeroek) over-raced in the early stages.

S. Price, the rider of TERRAPINNA, was questioned regarding his use of the whip prior to the 100 metres. He pleaded guilty to a breach under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

RYCHLE and BIT OF A SCHILLER were examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

Following this event the track was upgraded to Slow 6 at 2.30 pm, retrospective to Race 3.

RACE 4 : SPORTINGBET HANDICAP - 1200 metres

CHAMPAGNE SHISHA (M. Neilson) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out onto LA POUPEE (C. Forrest), which was taken out onto MANHATTAN MAID (J. Bowditch), which contacted MEGA QUEEN (S. Price) when being taken out, resulting in MEGA QUEEN contacting QUICK LOVER (J. Toeroek).

Inside the 100 metres MEGA QUEEN (S. Price) shifted in and momentarily inconvenienced LA POUPEE (C. Forrest).

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

LA POUPEE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the mare to be lame in the off foreleg. Mr. W. Clarcken, the Trainer of LA POUPEE, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the mare for a future trial or race.

RACE 5 : K J POWELL HANDICAP – 1100 metres

J. Childs, the rider of TOO DISCREET, explained his instructions were to try to obtain a position forward of mid-field in running. He added the filly jumped away a little awkwardly and did not show the speed he expected it would in the early stages, it failed to muster early speed and as a consequence he was obliged to settle back with cover.

CASH IS COMING lost its near fore plate during the event.

RACE 5 : K J POWELL HANDICAP – 1100 metres (Cont'd)

CLASSY JACK and NITE ROCKER were examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 6 : ALAN SHEPPARD CONSTRUCTIONS HANDICAP - 1100 metres

CONDUCTION (J. Toeroek) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out onto KOSCIUSZKO'S SIDE (J. Bowditch), which was tightened onto BELFAST BOY (D. Moor), which was taken in by AGISTER (A. Herrmann), resulting in BELFAST BOY and KOSCIUSZKO'S SIDE being hampered.

EL PRADO GOLD was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding to be lame in the off hind leg. Mr. R. Balfour, Co-Trainer of the gelding, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the gelding for a future trial or race.

Following this event the track was upgraded to Dead 5 at 4.11 pm, retrospective to Race 6.

RACE 7 : HOLDFAST INSURANCE BIRTHDAY CUP - 2021 metres

Inside the 2000 metres WALTZING TO WIN (B. Claridge) and RECKLESS ASSASSIN (D. Moor) came together for a short distance and contacted.

In the vicinity of the 1900 metres DIFFERING FORTUNES (M. Neilson) shifted in and contacted RECKLESS ASSASSIN (D. Moor), which initially maintained its line but then shifted out making contact with DIFFERING FORTUNES, taking that gelding wider on the track. As a consequence FULL BORE (H. McKechnie) was inconvenienced when taken wider.

Inside the 1500 metres DIFFERING FORTUNES (M. Neilson) again shifted in and brushed with RECKLESS ASSASSIN (D. Moor), which was inconvenienced. M. Neilson was shown the vision of the incident and advised to take greater care when applying pressure to runners to his inside.

RECKLESS ASSASSIN (D. Moor) was eased out of the event in the vicinity of the 700 metres. RECKLESS ASSASSIN was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the mare to be suffering cardiac arrhythmia. Mr. J. Sadler, the Trainer of RECKLESS ASSASSIN, was advised the results of an ECG are to be forwarded to the TRSA Veterinary Surgeon and a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to the mare performing to the satisfaction of Stewards in an Official Barrier Trial, after which it is to be auscultated by a Veterinary Surgeon.

In the vicinity of the 400 metres VIMA (S. Price) rolled in and inconvenienced CHIEFTAIN JACK (J. Childs), which was taken in onto DIFFERING FORTUNES (M. Neilson), which was tightened onto BARIGAN BOY (A. Herrmann), which rolled out. As a consequence DIFFERING FORTUNES, which commenced to weaken, was obliged to be checked. As a result SKY RAIDER (J. Toeroek), which was following, became awkwardly placed on the heels of CHIEFTAIN JACK for some distance before obtaining clear ground in the vicinity of the 300 metres. BARIGAN BOY was hampered in the incident and was unable to maintain its position.

DIFFERING FORTUNES was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a slow recovery.

RACE 8 : SCHWEPES HANDICAP - 1200 metres

HEART REEF (T. Pannell) jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and contacted DAREBIN (J. Holder), which was obliged to be steadied and lose its position.

GREEN GINGER and GOODNIGHT JOSS were examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

PRE-RACE SAMPLES (18):

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

- Race 2 PRIZUM, ANGELOLOGY (NZ), TEXAN WARNEY, CLUB ROYALE, DISTILLATION, LITTLE ADAM
- Race 3 RYCHLE, BIT OF A SCHILLER
- Race 4 CHAMPAGNE SHISHA, MANHATTAN MAID, BULBULA
- Race 6 AGISTER, BOCUSE
- Race 7 RIALYA, DIFFERING FORTUNES, HIOCTDANE, CHIEFTAIN JACK, RECKLESS ASSASSIN

POST-RACE SAMPLE (1):

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

- Race 6 AGISTER

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (9):

- Race 1 WOAKWINE (winner)
- Race 2 ANGELOLOGY (NZ) (winner)
- Race 3 WAR IS OVER (winner)
- Race 4 MEGA QUEEN (winner)
- Race 5 TOO DISCREET (winner)
- Race 6 AGISTER (winner)
- Race 7 VIMA (winner)
- Race 7 DIFFERING FORTUNES (beaten fav.)
- Race 8 HEART REEF (winner)

| SUMMARY | |
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| FINES | Race 1 – M. Neilson (WOAKWINE) – Fined \$50 – AR137(a) Carelessness in dropping his whip. Race 3 – Mr. M. Hickmott – Fined \$50 – LR.18.1 – Late declaration of a rider for BIT OF A SCHILLER Race 8 – Mr. J. Hickmott - \$50 – LR.18.1.7 – Declared rider without firm engagement |
| SEVERE REPRIMANDS | Nil |
| REPRIMANDS | Race 2 – T. Sadler (PRIZUM) – AR137A(5)(a)(ii) +1 – Whip Offence. Race 2 – S. Price (DISTILLATION) – AR137A(5)(a)(ii) +1– Whip Offence. Race 3 – S. Price (TERRAPINNA) – AR137A(5)(a)(ii) +1 – Whip Offence. |
| SUSPENSIONS | Nil |

| SUMMARY (Cont'd) | |
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| HORSE ACTIONS | <p>Race 4 – LA POUPEE – Not to race – Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race – Lameness off foreleg.</p> <p>Race 6 – EL PRADO GOLD – Not to race – Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race – Lameness off hind leg.</p> <p>Race 7 – RECKLESS ASSASSIN – Suspended – ECG to be forwarded to TRSA Veterinary Surgeon & Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to performing to Stewards' satisfaction in Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race – Cardiac arrhythmia.</p> |
| ADJOURNED INQUIRIES | Nil |