

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Strathalbyn Racecourse
by the Strathalbyn Racing Club on Wednesday, 2 April 2014

Stewards: J. Petzer (Chairman), L. Michalanney (F), D. Bucknell (M) & P. Ryan (HT) (Stewards), A. Quinton (Deputy Steward), Dr. P. Horridge (Veterinary Surgeon)

TRACK: Good 3

WEATHER: Overcast

RAIL: True

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
6	HEURIGER	T. Pannell	R. Stewart	Overweight
7	KING ROSELAND	A. Herrmann	T. Baker	Overweight

RACE 1 : DANNY WATSON / SABOIS THREE-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 metres

Shortly after the start TREASURE PEACE (J. Toeroek) was momentarily tightened between INFIDEL (A. Herrmann) and KASKAR (M. Neilson), which both shifted ground.

TREASURE PEACE (J. Toeroek) raced keenly in the early stages of the event.

TREASURE PEACE (J. Toeroek) raced greenly in the straight, shifted in and brushed the running rail in the vicinity of the 150 metres.

RACE 2 : R V JORDAN PROPERTY / SABOIS FILLIES & MARES RATING 0-68
HANDICAP - 1100 metres

J. Holder, the rider of DISTINCTIVE FLYER, reported the filly felt short in its action during the event. DISTINCTIVE FLYER, which commenced to weaken inside the 600 metres, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities. Mr. L. Macdonald, the Co-trainer of DISTINCTIVE FLYER, advised Stewards he would be recommending to the owners that the filly be retired from racing.

RACE 3 : MARY O'NEILL MEMORIAL / SABOIS TWO-YEAR-OLD & OVER MAIDEN
PLATE - 1600 metres

BAD MEDICINE, which contacted the rail on arrival at the barriers, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon and ruled fit to race.

BAD MEDICINE (T. Baker) was slow to begin.

CYCLONE THOMAS (J. Potter), when being restrained in the early stages in an attempt to obtain cover, commenced to over-race for a short distance.

RODNEY ROADKILL (A. Herrmann) hung out throughout the event, raced very wide rounding the turn near the 800 metres and was inclined to run off. RODNEY ROADKILL was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities. Mr. W. Bogarts, the Trainer of the RODNEY ROADKILL, was advised the gelding would be required to prove tractable in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race.

**RACE 4 : DOM SCARPANTONI MEMORIAL TWO-YEARS-OLD & OVER MAIDEN PLATE –
1350 metres**

On jumping away LA CONCIERGE (A. Herrmann) shifted in and contacted COME ON KAROL (D. Dunn), which began awkwardly.

RED PEPPER (J. Maund) raced ungenerously for some distance in the early stages of the event.

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

TUFF TILLY, which performed poorly, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the filly to be lame in the off foreleg. Mr. J. Dunn, the Trainer of TUFF TILLY, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the filly for a future trial or race.

**RACE 5 : MOSSOP CONSTRUCTION+ INTERIORS / SABOIS FILLIES & MARES MAIDEN
PLATE - 1100 metres**

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

Approaching the 800 metres LISA'S GEM (T. O'Donnell) elected to come back and obtain cover.

Over the concluding stages ROCK OUT (S. Price) shifted in under pressure, resulting in HOLY GRAIL (T. Pannell) racing in restricted room for a short distance inside the 100 metres.

In the vicinity of the 50 metres S. Price, the rider of ROCK OUT, stopped riding and straightened his mount.

Correct Weight for this event was delayed to allow T. Pannell, the rider of the second placegetter HOLY GRAIL, and Mr. R. Balfour, Co-trainer of the filly, to view the official vision in the straight.

RACE 6 : POWER AT MY PLACE RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1200 metres

CASH JOB (D. Stra) was very awkward to begin and shifted out abruptly.

In the vicinity of the 600 metres ESCARGOT (O. Ay), which commenced to weaken, was eased out of the event. O. Ay reported, in his opinion, there was something amiss with the gelding and it felt awkward in its action in front. ESCARGOT was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities. Mrs. B. Geracitano, the Trainer of ESCARGOT, advised the gelding would be retired from racing

RACE 7 : CUDDLES RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 1350 metres

On arrival on course FARON (NZ), which had not raced since February 2012, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon and ruled fit to race.

LOVE A GIGGLE, which was kicked by another runner on arrival at the barriers, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who ruled it fit to race.

WILDER WILDER (R. Mageean) jumped away awkwardly and as a consequence R. Mageean became very unbalanced, resulting in the saddle on the gelding shifting sideways, placing him at a disadvantage for the remainder of the event.

RACE 7 : CUDDLES RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 1350 metres (Cont'd)

Inside the 200 metres CHESTER DOWNS (J. Holder) rolled in and contacted MAGIC NIELLO (K. Bishop).

RAISE A DREAM (S. Carr) was inclined to lay out in the straight.

C. Forrest, the rider of HARRY HIGH PANTS, reported the gelding performed disappointingly. HARRY HIGH PANTS was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 8 : VILI'S RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1600 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately five minutes owing to the First Care medical staff having to attend to an on-course patron.

On jumping away WHERE'S THAT (S. Carr) shifted out and contacted CHECOTE (C. Forrest).

BARRIERS (T. Zanker) raced ungenerously for some distance in the early stages and raced wide without cover.

In the vicinity of the 50 metres CHECOTE (C. Forrest) rolled in and inconvenienced NIGHT BREEZE (T. Pannell). C. Forrest was reminded of her obligations when her mounts commence to shift ground in future.

T. Baker, the rider of KELLERMAN, which was inclined to lay in during the event, reported his mount felt short in its action when placed under pressure. KELLERMAN was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

GENERAL:

GAWLER – SUNDAY, 30 MARCH 2014

RACE 6 : SPORTSBET.COM TOP TOTE PLUS RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 1100 metres

S. Carr, the rider of STATUE OF GLORY, was questioned regarding the use of her whip prior to the 100 metres. She pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(i) for using her whip in consecutive strides and was fined \$100. She also pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) for using her whip in a forehand manner on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was fined \$300.

PRE RACE SAMPLES (2):

Blood Samples were taken from the following horses:

- Race 6 – KAMPKOOKER
- Race 7 – HARRY HIGH PANTS

POST RACE SAMPLES (2):

Blood Samples were taken from the following horses:

- Race 6 – KAMPKOOKER
- Race 7 – HARRY HIGH PANTS

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (4):

- Race 1 – KASKAR (winner)
- Race 2 – OKAY OH YAY (winner)
- Race 3 – LADS ON FIRE (winner)
- Race 4 – DOTTY KAY (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	<p><u>Gawler – Sunday, 30 March 2014</u></p> <p><i>Race 6 – S. Carr (STATUE OF GLORY) – Fined \$100 – AR137A(5)(a)(i)+5 – Whip Offence.</i></p> <p><i>Race 6 – S. Carr (STATUE OF GLORY) – Fined \$300 – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)+6 – Whip Offence.</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">-----</p> <p>Race 6 – T. Pannell – Fined \$100 – AR120(b) – Overweight and having to be replaced on HEURIGER.</p>
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Race 7 – A. Herrmann – AR120(b) – Overweight and having to be replaced on KING ROSELAND.
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	<p>Race 3 – RODNEY ROADKILL – Suspended – Required to prove tractable in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race.</p> <p>Race 4 – TOUGH TILLY –Not to race – Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race – Lameness off foreleg</p>
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil

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