THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville Racecourse by the South Australian Jockey Club on Saturday, 3 May 2014

Stewards: M. Santoro (A/Chairman), S. Callanan (HT), D. Bucknell (F) & P. Ryan (M)

(Stewards), D. Southgate, D. Jonas, A. Quinton, M. Featherston, N. Henry & P. Downey (Deputy Stewards), Dr. P. Horridge, Dr. B. Agnew & Dr. R. Haensel

(Veterinary Surgeons).

TRACK: Heavy 8 (Reclassified to Slow 7 at 10.40 am) WEATHER: Overcast

(Reclassified to Slow 6 at 1.57 pm)

RAIL: Out 8 metres 1200m to 600m, 5 metres remainder.

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	MARBLE RYE	A. Herrmann		Late notification – explanation accepted.
1	JACKS JOURNEY	E. Boyd	J. Bowditch	Not riding at meeting
2	EXCELLENT POINT	S. Cahill	M. Neilson	Indisposed
3	SHEZA GATECRASHER	R. Williams	R. Stewart	Not riding at meeting
4	LADY MELKSHAM	T. Sadler	J. Childs	Indisposed
7	CREANCE	S. Cahill	S. King	"
8	CRIME FIGHTER	"	"	í.
8	LORD ATHENAEUM (NZ)	J. Beriman		Notified
9	SET ON STONE	R. Stewart		u
9	NEHRU	J. Winks	C. Parish	Overweight
9	FERRARI STAR	C. Symons	J. Beriman	Indisposed

RACE 1: GRAND BUDAPEST HOTEL HANDICAP - 1200 metres

SHEEZ ON TOP (S. Price) jumped away awkwardly.

MACCY FIELDS (C. Forrest) raced three wide without cover throughout the event.

In the vicinity of the 600 metres SHAABAM (R. Stewart) improved onto the heels of ST FRASER (S. Carr) and had to be steadied for a short distance.

QADIR (M. Neilson) laid in under pressure in the straight.

In the vicinity of the 300 metres MURTLE TURTLE (J. Holder) became held up when racing behind MACCY FIELDS (C. Forrest) and inside MARBLE RYE (A. Herrmann) and was obliged to alter course to the inside of MACCY FIELDS to obtain clear ground.

C. Forrest, the rider of MACCY FIELDS, which performed below expectations, explained the mare had travelled comfortably in the early and middle stages of the event, however, when placed under pressure at the entrance to the straight, failed to respond to her riding and finished the event off poorly. She added, in her opinion, MACCY FIELDS did not handle the track conditions. MACCY FIELDS was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 1 : GRAND BUDAPEST HOTEL HANDICAP - 1200 metres (Cont'd)

M. Neilson, the rider of QADIR, which performed below expectations, explained the gelding had not travelled well and was inclined to lay in throughout the event and in his opinion may have come to the end of its preparation. QADIR was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported atrial fibrillation. Mr. D. Jolly, the Trainer of QADIR, was advised the results of an ECG are to be forwarded to the TRSA Veterinary Surgeon and the gelding would be required to perform to the satisfaction of Stewards in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race.

RACE 2 : KIRIN CIDER HANDICAP - 1050 metres

Shortly after the start BRIMARVI PRINCE (J. Bowditch) shifted in and bumped HANK'S NEPHEW (O. Ay).

Approaching the 200 metres EXALTED MOMENT (J. Holder) shifted out slightly onto HANK'S NEPHEW (O. Ay), which had to momentarily steady when tightened onto EXCELLENT POINT (M. Neilson).

Inside the 200 metres BRIMARVI PRINCE (J. Bowditch) shifted in to improve and in doing so bumped ACHENAR (J. Beriman), which had commenced to weaken, unbalancing that horse. J. Bowditch was reminded of his obligations when shifting ground in future.

- J. Winks, the rider of INNOCENT HERO, which performed below expectations, explained the gelding had travelled well in the early and middle stages of the event, however, when placed under pressure, failed to respond to his riding and finished the event off poorly. He added, in his opinion, the gelding may not have appreciated the track condition. INNOCENT HERO was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a slow recovery.
- D. Tourneur, the rider of EXALTED APPEAL, which performed poorly, explained the gelding had not travelled well in the event and failed to respond to his riding when placed under pressure. He added, in his opinion, the gelding may not have appreciated the track condition. EXALTED APPEAL was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 3 : OAKLANDS PLATE - 1600 metres

On arrival at the barriers STEEL WOOL, which was kicked by another runner, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who ruled the gelding fit to race.

CAILIN MISS (D. Yendall) jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin.

CAILIN MISS lost its off hind plate during the event.

R. Stewart, the rider of SHEZA GATECRASHER, which performed poorly, explained he had been instructed to lead and after finding the lead comfortably, the filly had settled until the middle stages of the event. He added, when placed under pressure, SHEZA GATECRASHER failed to respond to his riding and he had become concerned with its action and for that reason did not ride the filly out in his normal manner in the straight. Ms. J. Williams, the Trainer of SHEZA GATECRASHER, confirmed the instructions provided to R. Stewart, which, in her opinion, were not significantly different to those provided to the rider at it's most recent start. Ms. Williams was reminded of her obligations to advise Stewards of any tactic changes in accordance with AR135A. She was also advised that SHEZA GATECRASHER would be required to perform to the satisfaction of Stewards in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race. SHEZA GATECRASHER was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a lower than expected heart rate but no other visible abnormalities.

RACE 4: FULHAM FUNERALS HANDICAP - 1200 metres

Acting on confirmed advice from Mr. A. Stra, the Trainer of NATURAL DISASTER, that the mare was lame in the near hind leg and unfit to race, Stewards withdrew NATURAL DISASTER at 7.55 am.

CORVIDAE (D. Yendall) dipped on jumping away.

CORVIDAE (D. Yendall) over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

In the vicinity of the 1000 metres CORVIDAE (D. Yendall) shifted in onto HIDDEN VALUE (S. Price), which had to be momentarily steadied. D. Yendall was reminded of his obligations when shifting ground in future.

Inside the 200 metres BLACK BARRA (J. Beriman) rolled out onto CORVIDAE (D. Yendall), which had to be momentarily steadied when tightened onto HIDDEN VALUE (S. Price).

D. Yendall, the rider of CORVIDAE, which performed poorly, explained the horse over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event, which was detrimental to its chances. He added, in his opinion, the horse may not have appreciated the track condition. CORVIDAE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 5 : MAC JUST OVER? DON'T DRIVE HANDICAP - 1050 metres

AMODINI (A. Herrmann) shifted in on jumping away tightening FLYIN' FOR ME (D. Yendall) onto RUN LIKE REAAN (L. Hopwood), which was inconvenienced when taken in onto CASH IS COMING (S. Carr).

Approaching the 200 metres FLYIN' FOR ME (D. Yendall) rolled out onto IL DIECI (C. Symons), which had to be steadied momentarily.

- D. Yendall, the rider of FLYIN' FOR ME, reported his mount may not have handled the track condition today. FLYIN' FOR ME was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.
- D. Tourneur, the rider of BIG ON BLING, reported his mount may not have handled the track condition today.

Following this race, Jockey C. Symons stood himself down from his remaining ride in Race 9. C. Symons was advised he would require a Medical Certificate prior to presenting to ride in a race again.

Following this race the track was upgraded to Slow 6 at 1.57 pm.

RACE 6 : SPORTINGBET STAKES - 1200 metres

ECLAIR BIG BANG (NZ) (D. Tourneur) jumped away awkwardly.

On jumping away MEADOWS ANGEL (L. Hopwood) and THE QUARTERBACK (M. Allen) came together and brushed.

MEADOWS ANGEL (L. Hopwood) made the home turn awkwardly and shifted wider on the track.

M. Neilson, the rider of LUCKY SYMBOL, reported his mount may not have handled the track condition today.

RACE 6: SPORTINGBET STAKES - 1200 metres (Cont'd)

M. Allen, the rider of THE QUARTERBACK, which performed below expectations, explained he gelding had only travelled fairly in the early and middle stages of the event and when placed under pressure, failed to respond to his riding and he became concerned with its action. He added THE QUARTERBACK also may not have appreciated the track condition. THE QUARTERBACK was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a lower than expected heart rate.

RACE 7: ADELAIDE GALVANISING ADELAIDE GUINEAS - 1600 metres

Mr. J. MacMillan, the Trainer of CREANCE, advised Stewards he would instruct Jockey S. King to be patient in the early stages and attempt to obtain a position back of mid-field with cover if possible.

I AM TITANIUM (M. Walker) was slow to begin.

GOODFUN GIRL (J. Holder) over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

Inside the 100 metres TANGO'S DAUGHTER (D. Yendall) improved onto the heels of GOODFUN GIRL (J. Holder), which had commenced to weaken and roll about, resulting in TANGO'S DAUGHTER being forced to steady and alter course to that filly's outside.

CREANCE (S. King) laid in under pressure in the straight. CREANCE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

- J. Holder, the rider of GOODFUN GIRL, explained he had been instructed to be positive in the early stages and to have the filly in a position where comfortable, however, after finding himself wide in the early stages, he elected to allow his mount to stride forward and obtain the lead due to the pace of the race and due to GOODFUN GIRL over-racing. He added that when LADY LAKSHMI (V. Duric) improved to his outside inside the 700 metres, the filly was inclined to race and reached its top earlier than he had hoped and for this reason GOODFUN GIRL had commenced to give ground approaching the 100 metres.
- D. Yendall, the rider of TANGO'S DAUGHTER, which performed below expectations, explained the filly had raced flat and failed to respond to his riding when asked for an effort. TANGO'S DAUGHTER was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

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

THOMASON lost its near fore plate during the event.

RACE 8 : SPORTINGBET SOUTH AUSTRALIAN DERBY - 2500 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately one minute owing to HONEY STEEL'S GOLD requiring resaddling on arrival at the barriers and KUSHADASI, which struck a fence on leaving the mounting yard, being examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon. KUSHADASI was ruled fit to race.

KUSHADASI (S. Arnold) jumped away awkwardly and was slow into stride.

LORD ATHENAEUM (NZ) (J. Beriman) was slow to begin.

RACE 8: SPORTINGBET SOUTH AUSTRALIAN DERBY - 2500 metres (Cont'd)

In the vicinity of the 800 metres EXCITES ZELADY (A. Herrmann) shifted out and away from CRIME FIGHTER (S. King) and made contact with the hindquarters of SURGING WAVE (M. Walker), turning that gelding in, resulting in EXCITES ZELADY losing its position when becoming awkwardly placed between those two runners for a short distance.

Approaching the 600 metres BEST CASE (NZ) (D. Oliver) shifted out slightly to improve at the same time as HONEY STEEL'S GOLD (M. Neilson) shifted in, resulting in REDNAV (S. Price) racing in restricted room between these two runners, becoming unbalanced and shifting out onto CRIME FIGHTER (S. King), which was forced to steady when tightened onto SURGING WAVE (M. Walker). D. Oliver was reprimanded and advised to ensure he is sufficiently clear prior to shifting ground in future. M. Neilson was reminded of his obligations when shifting ground in future.

A. Herrmann, the rider of EXCITES ZELADY, reported her mount pulled up sore following the race. EXCITES ZELADY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding to be lame in the near hind leg. First aid was administered. Mr. C. Bieg, the Trainer of EXCITES ZELADY, wad advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the gelding for a future trial or race.

ORDER OF THE SUN, which performed below expectations, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

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

MAJESTIC MOMENT lost its near fore plate during the event.

RACE 9: ALAN SHEPPARD CONSTRUCTIONS PROVINCIAL SUPER SERIES FINAL – 1600 metres

Mr. J. MacMillan, the Trainer of ELGIRANA, advised Stewards he would instruct Jockey A. Patterson to be positive in the early stages and attempt to obtain a position on pace.

On arrival at the barriers UNDERESTIMATION had to have its tongue tie refitted.

RIPPLE EFFECT (S. King) had difficulty obtaining clear ground in the vicinity of the 600 metres until the entrance to the straight when awkwardly placed between the heels of SET ON STONE (R. Stewart) and NEHRU (C. Parish).

SPIRITOF ENDEAVOUR (USA) (D. Oliver) raced in restricted room from in the vicinity of the 400 metres until approaching the 300 metres when racing between the heels of FIND A MOMENT (J. Maund) and FERRARI STAR (J. Beriman).

FERRARI STAR (J. Beriman) laid out under pressure in the straight.

D. Tourneur, the rider of UNDERESTIMATION, which performed below expectations, explained the gelding had travelled comfortably in the early and middle stages of the event, however, when placed under pressure, failed to respond to his riding and finished the race off poorly. He added, in his opinion, the gelding may not have appreciated the track condition. UNDERESTIMATION was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a higher than expected respiratory rate and a poor recovery.

PRE RACE SAMPLES (28):

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

- Race 3 LIGHT UP MANHATTAN, ROYAL STANDING, RED SUN RISING, THE NINTH IMMORTAL, CAILIN MISS.
- Race 6 ECLAIR BIG BANG (NZ), CLASSY JACK, THE QUARTERBACK, MIRACLES OF LIFE.
- Race 7 EXODUS, I AM TITANIUM, ALPHA BEAT, SUDDEN MOMENT, TANGO'S DAUGHTER, LADY LAKSHMI.
- Race 8 GAMBLIN' GURU, BEST CASE (NZ), KUSHADASI, ORDER OF THE SUN, HONEY STEEL'S GOLD, BRING SOMETHING, CRIME FIGHTER, GRAVITATIONAL, SCRATCHY BOTTOM.
- Race 9 UNDERESTIMATION, SPIRITOF ENDEAVOUR (USA), LIGHTNING DREW, SATURDAY SORCERER.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (19)

Race 1	JACKS JOURNEY (winner)	Race 6	MIRACLES OF LIFE (winner)
Race 1	MACCY FIELDS (beaten fav.)	Race 6	THE QUARTERBACK (beaten fav.)
Race 2	AURUMCERT (winner)	Race 7	ALPHA BEAT (winner)
Race 2	INNOCENT HERO (beaten fav.)	Race 7	LADY LAKSHMI (second)
Race 3	CAILIN MISS (winner)	Race 8	KUSHADASI (winner)
Race 3	ROYAL STANDING (beaten fav.)	Race 8	SCRATCHY BOTTOM (second)
Race 4	BOCUSE (winner)	Race 8	BEST CASE (NZ) (third)
Race 4	CORVIDAE (random)	Race 9	EMMOOKI'S DASH (winner)
Race 5	COUNTER SPIN (dead heat winner)	Race 9	UNDERESTIMATION (beaten fav.)
Race 5	CASH IS COMING (dead heat winner)		

SUMMARY				
FINES	Race 9 – J. Winks – Fined \$100 - AR120(b) – Overweight and having to be replaced on NEHRU.			
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil			
REPRIMANDS	Race 8 – D. Oliver (BEST CASE (NZ)) – AR137(a) – Careless Riding.			
SUSPENSIONS	Nil			
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 – QADIR - Suspended – Results of ECG to be forwarded to TRSA Vet & required to perform to Stewards' satisfaction in Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race – Atrial fibrillation.			
	Race 3 – SHEZA GATECRASHER – Suspended – Required to perform to satisfaction of Stewards in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race – Poor performance.			
	Race 8 - EXCITES ZELADY - Not to race - Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race - Lame near hind leg.			
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil			

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