

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at the Mount Gambier Racecourse
by the Mount Gambier Racing Club on Thursday, 15 May 2014

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

TRACK: Dead 5

WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: True

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	SPARE ONE	K. Post	J. Rule	Indisposed
1	NICE MOVER	L. Coombe	K. Bishop	"
4	AZ LUCKY (NZ)	K. Walters	M. Walters	Doubly engaged
4	IMMACULATE	L. Coombe	J. Martin	Indisposed
5	LINKA (NZ)	K. Post	J. Rule	"
5	POTLUCK	M. Neilson	L. Hopwood	Overweight
5	CERTAIN DEE	L. Coombe	B. Claridge	Indisposed
6	LITTLE MISSY	"	L. Meech	"
7	OPTICAL ILLUSION	J. Martin	K. Bishop	"
9	SON OF COCO (NZ)	K. Post	J. Rule	"
9	WILD OSCAR	L. Coombe	A. Herrmann	"
9	BACK ON TRACK	J. Martin	P. Marks	"

RACE 1 : YOUNG'S THE MANS SHOP / SABOIS TWO-YEARS-OLD & OVER MAIDEN PLATE - 1800 metres

On jumping away SWITCH POINT (C. Jones) was slow into stride.

FATE (M. Neilson) raced wide without cover in the early stages of the event.

SWITCH POINT (C. Jones) over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

LAZARUS RISING (J. Potter) was inclined to lay in throughout the event. LAZARUS RISING was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 2 : HYGAIN / SABOIS TWO-YEARS-OLD & OVER MAIDEN PLATE - 900 metres

ONEIROI (H. McKechnie) was slow to begin.

LITTLE PEARLA (A. Patterson) jumped away awkwardly.

TONYS SAKE (K. Bishop) shifted in on jumping away contacting LIBERTY MISS (C. Jones).

In the vicinity of the 700 metres LITTLE PEARLA (A. Patterson), which was racing greenly, shifted in and away from LIBERTY MISS (C. Jones) onto KING CALLAGHAN (P. Marks), which was inconvenienced. In being corrected, LITTLE PEARLA shifted out onto LIBERTY MISS, which was hampered when taken wider on the track. Thereafter LITTLE PEARLA continued to race greenly throughout. LITTLE PEARLA was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 3 : MIDFIELD MEATS HURDLE - 2800 metres

FLYING TAP (NZ) (B. Kane) made the jump in the vicinity of the 1000 metres awkwardly and dipped on landing.

From the vicinity of the 400 metres YEAHMAN (NZ) (D. MacAuley) was eased out of the event. YEAHMAN (NZ) was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

FLYING TAP (NZ) (B. Kane) was eased out of the event from the vicinity of the 300 metres. B. Kane reported the gelding travelled well in the early and middle stages of the event, however, after having jumped the hurdle in the vicinity of the 1000 metres awkwardly, commenced to weaken of its own accord. FLYING TAP (NZ) was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

Subsequent to the event, all runners were examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 4 : SCOTT GROUP OF COMPANIES / SABOIS TWO-YEARS-OLD & OVER MAIDEN PLATE - 1400 metres

KILLEARN (C. Jones) was slow to begin, losing several lengths. Mr. M. O'Leary, the Trainer of KILLEARN, was advised a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its starting manners.

STREET OUTLAW (L. Hopwood) jumped away awkwardly and shifted in, contacting SHARBO (NZ) (D. Tourneur).

IMMACULATE (J. Martin) jumped away awkwardly.

In the vicinity of the 900 metres KANDY'S PRIDE (P. Marks) rolled in and brushed the running rail, becoming unbalanced and losing ground.

In the vicinity of the 500 metres IMMACULATE (J. Martin) broke down and fell, dislodging its rider. As a consequence BITADARE (A. Patterson) was unable to avoid the fallen horse and dislodged its rider. As a result AZ LUCKY (NZ) (M. Walters), which was following, was inconvenienced when avoiding the fallen horse and rider. IMMACULATE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the mare to have fractured its near fore cannon. IMMACULATE was humanely euthanased. J. Martin was transported to hospital for observation. A. Patterson was examined by the First Care Medical personnel and ruled fit to fulfil his remaining engagements.

RACE 5 : MG AIR CONDITIONING & REFRIGERATION RATING 0-58 HANDICAP - 1200 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately two minutes owing to the delay experienced in the previous race.

GRADE (NZ) (A. Herrmann) was slow to begin.

KIRVIC (D. Tourneur) over-raced in the middle stages of the event.

RACE 6 : TREVOR WHITE ENGINEERING SERVICES RATING 0-58 HANDICAP - 1200 metres

GAV'S GIFT (J. Potter) over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

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- 1200 metres (Cont'd)

KAYJAYEM (NZ) (M. Walters) raced wide without cover throughout the event.

ON THE REBOUND (B. Claridge) was inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

REGAEYA, which performed poorly, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 7 : KOONARA WINES RATING 0-72 HANDICAP - 2050 metres

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

RACE 8 : CARLTON DRAUGHT BLUE LAKE HANDICAP - 1550 metres

RAMSGATE (J. Potter) was slow to begin.

RAMSGATE (J. Potter) over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

RACE 9 : SE BOOKMAKERS RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 1400 metres

On arrival on course MISS WAIROA, which was injured in the float en route to the track, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported multiple lacerations to the near hind leg cannon and ruled the filly unfit to race. Acting on that advice, Stewards withdrew MISS WAIROA at 11.35 am.

On arrival on course SON OF COCO (NZ) was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who ruled the gelding fit to race.

TULLY PLENTY (D. Tourneur) jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and bumped KIORA (L. Meech).

LEAD THE WITNESS (C. Jones) jumped away awkwardly and as a result was slow into stride.

SON OF COCO (NZ) (J. Rule) over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

In the vicinity of the 200 metres L. Hopwood, the rider of RICHARD THE, accidentally dropped her whip. L. Hopwood was fined \$50 under AR137(a) for carelessness.

M. Neilson, the rider of TONS OF DASH, reported he had become concerned with the gelding's action on pulling up. TONS OF DASH was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

GENERAL:

RACE 7 : KOONARA WINES RATING 0-72 HANDICAP - 2050 metres

Stewards inquired into an incident which occurred outside the office area of the Mount Gambier Racing Club following this race. Evidence was taken from District Steward Mr. R. Spillman and Trainers Mr. M. O'Leary and Mr. I. Walker. After considering the evidence, Stewards charged Mr. Walker under AR175(q) in that he swore on two occasions which, in the opinion of Stewards, was improper conduct by a licensed person. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$200.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (3):

Race 3 – SANCTUARY (winner)
Race 6 – ON THE REBOUND (winner)
Race 8 – UPBEAT (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 5 – M. Neilson – Fined \$200 – AR120(b) – Overweight and having to be replaced on POTLUCK. Race 7 – Mr I Walker – Fined \$200 – AR175(q) – Improper conduct. Race 9 – L. Hopwood (RICHARD THE) – Fined \$50 – AR137(a) – Carelessness in dropping her whip.
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
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SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 4 – KILLEARN – Warned – Slow to begin – losing several lengths.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil

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