THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville Racecourse by the South Australian Jockey Club on Saturday, 26 July 2014

J. Petzer (Chairman), M. Santoro (HT), S. Callanan (M) & D. Bucknell (F) Stewards:

(Stewards), D. Southgate, V. Ferguson, P. Downey, S. Allen & F. Williams (Deputy Stewards), Dr. P. Horridge and Dr. B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeons).

TRACK: MORPHETTVILLE - Heavy 8 (Upgraded to Slow 7 at 12.52 pm retrospective to Race 2)

MORPHETTVILLE PARKS - Slow 7

WEATHER: Overcast/Fine

RAIL: **MORPHETTVILLE - True**

MORPHETTVILLE PARKS - Out 9 metres 1000m to Winning Post, 6 metres remainder

GENERAL:

Prior to the start of the meeting, it was established that a number of riders engaged in Race 1 would not be able to arrive on course as per schedule, given the flight delays experienced from Melbourne to Adelaide. As a consequence, Stewards consulted with various stakeholders and determined that Races 1 to 7 be rescheduled to move back one time slot and Race 8 to be run at 4.10 pm and Race 9 at 4.38 pm Adelaide time.

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	TAKE OUT	A. Lynch	A. Herrmann	Not available
1	FANTAUZZO	R. Eynon	N. O'Shea	Not available
2	SAINT DESIR (GB)	D. Lane	J. Kah	Not available
3	TIGER RUBY	D. Lane	S. Price	Not available
5	READY SUNSHINE	L. Hopwood		Late declaration
6	MR CHARD	D. Lane	D. Tourneur	Not available
7	PIT BOSS	D. Lane	J. Kah	Not available

RACE 1: OVER THE RAINBOW SERIES HURDLE - 3100 metres (Rescheduled to start at 12.10 pm) (Run on Morphettville Parks track)

As A. Lynch, P. Flood, and R. Eynon were not on course due to flight delays, despite this event being delayed, BOLD ZAMOUR (NZ) and ORBITAL MOTION were declared late scratchings by order of Stewards at 11.35 am after consulting with Mr J. A. O'Connor, the Trainer of these horses. In the circumstances, Stewards permitted N. O'Shea, originally engaged on ORBITAL MOTION, to be the replacement rider for FANTAUZZO.

On jumping the hurdle near the 1300 metres on the final occasion, PRAKTICALITY (M. Kelly) shifted out and inconvenienced TARGET EXPLORER (D. MacAuley), which had to be steadied.

TARGET EXPLORER (D. MacAuley) was eased out of the event at the entrance to the straight and did not jump the final two hurdles. D. MacAuley reported that whilst his mount had jumped in a satisfactory manner, it commenced to tire to the extent where he considered it best to ease the gelding out of the event. Mr G. Dunn, the Trainer of TARGET EXPLORER, was advised a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its performance.

RACE 1: OVER THE RAINBOW SERIES HURDLE - 3100 metres (Cont'd)

(Run on Morphettville Parks track)

TAKE OUT (A. Herrmann) struck the final hurdle in the straight and knuckled on landing, severely unbalancing A. Herrmann.

TARGET EXPLORER was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported minor hindquarter muscular fatigue with no other abnormalities evident. All other runners in the event were also examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 2 : DAVID BALFOUR HANDICAP - 1600 metres (Rescheduled to start at 12.45 pm)

As D. Lane was unable to attend the meeting due to flight cancellations and delays experienced from Melbourne to Adelaide, he was relieved of his rides for the meeting.

In the vicinity of the 1400 metres DANCING POETESS (J. Toeroek), which raced a little keenly, became awkward inside the heels of SAINT DESIR (GB) (J. Kah), which rolled in slightly. As a consequence, DANCING POETESS shifted in onto BRINKLEY BULLET (S. Carr), which was taken onto the inside running rail, resulting in BRINKLEY BULLET making contact with the rail for several strides.

D. Tourneur, the rider of RUSSIAN ROCKER (GB), explained his instructions were to allow the gelding to settle and find its own rhythm in the early stages. He added that due to there being a distinct lack of pace in the early stages, the gelding, despite being fitted with Pacifiers and a Norton Bit, raced keenly for some distance. He stated in the vicinity of the 600 metres he had followed ON A DREAM (C. Lindop) into the event and when that gelding improved inside the 600 metres, RUSSIAN ROCKER (GB) was under pressure and unable to maintain its position relative to ON A DREAM. He added the gelding only finished the race off fairly and in his opinion may not have run out the distance. RUSSIAN ROCKER (GB) was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

ATHLETICISM (J. Holder), which laid in under pressure in the straight, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding required some dental work otherwise no visible abnormalities. Mr. J. Smith, the Trainer of ATHLETICISM, advised he will have the gelding's teeth attended to.

ON A DREAM and MANGANESE both lost an off fore plate during the event.

Following the running of this event, the track was upgraded from a Heavy 8 to a Slow 7, at 12.52 pm, retrospective to Race 2.

RACE 3 : FRED VELLA TYRES & CRASH REPAIRS HANDICAP - 1050 metres (Rescheduled to start at 1.20 pm)

COURTSIDE (W. Kerford) jumped away very awkwardly, shifted out and tightened CHAMBRAY (K. Bishop) onto CAPTAIN PUNCH (J. Toeroek), which was tightened onto LUCKSA (D. Tourneur), which was taken out onto the heels of JEWEL HEIST (C. Lindop), which shifted in and away from TIGER RUBY (S. Price), which shifted in, resulting in CAPTAIN PUNCH being inconvenienced and LUCKSA and CHAMBRAY losing their positions.

CASHED (T. Pannell) and SO YOU DRINK (J. Beriman) contacted on jumping away.

Approaching the 600 metres CASHED (T. Pannell), which was inclined to lay in, shifted in and became awkward on the heels of JEWEL HEIST (C. Lindop) for several strides.

RACE 3: FRED VELLA TYRES & CRASH REPAIRS HANDICAP - 1050 metres (Cont'd)

WINESEARCH (J. Holder) became held up for clear running from in the vicinity of the 300 metres until near the 250 metres when racing behind COURTSIDE (W. Kerford).

In the vicinity of the 250 metres RAN WILDE (A. Patterson) shifted out and away from WINESEARCH (J. Holder) as that filly improved to its inside, resulting in LUCKSA (D. Tourneur), which was racing greenly, having to be steadied to avoid the heels of RAN WILDE. As a consequence LUCKSA shifted out slightly and contacted with SO YOU DRINK (J. Beriman), which had commenced to improve to its outside.

Approaching the 100 metres COURTSIDE (W. Kerford) shifted in under riding and tightened CHAMBRAY (K. Bishop), which had to be steadied and altered course to the outside of COURTSIDE. W. Kerford, the rider of COURTSIDE, was severely reprimanded and advised in future to ensure he only shifts ground when sufficiently clear in future.

JEWEL HEIST (C. Lindop) raced in restricted room over the concluding stages between CASHED (T. Pannell) and CAPTAIN PUNCH (J. Toeroek), which both shifted ground slightly.

JEWEL HEIST was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the filly to be lame in the off foreleg. Mr. P. Moody, the Trainer of JEWEL HEIST, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the filly for a future trial or race.

CAPTAIN PUNCH was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

CASHED lost its near hind plate during the event.

RACE 4: ADELAIDE GALVANISING HANDICAP - 2000 metres (Rescheduled to start at 1.55 pm)

C. Forrest, the rider of AQUIA CREEK, was permitted to fulfil her engagement despite not being able to claim down to her minimum riding weight. C. Forrest only claimed an allowance of 2½ kilograms. C. Forrest was reprimanded in respect to fulfilling her rides at her riding weight.

TIMELYINTERRUPTION (L. Hopwood) raced keenly in the early stages of the event.

DANISH SPY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 5 : SCF GROUP HANDICAP - 1050 metres (Rescheduled to start at 2.30 pm)

C. Forrest, the rider of PTOLEMY, was permitted to fulfil her engagement despite not being able to claim down to her minimum riding weight. C. Forrest only claimed an allowance of 2½ kilograms. C. Forrest was reprimanded in respect to fulfilling her rides at her riding weight.

TRICKY GLEN (J. Kah) was slow to begin and was then obliged to be checked off the heels of COLLA VOCE (S. Carr), which was taken out by DAUNTING DANCER (E. Boyd) as that mare began very awkwardly and shifted out. As a consequence TRICKY GLEN was unable to maintain its position shortly after the start.

READY SUNSHINE (L. Hopwood) stumbled for no apparent reason inside the 100 metres, placing its rider L. Hopwood at a disadvantage for a number of strides. L. Hopwood explained the gelding had commenced to tire at that point in the event and dipped. READY SUNSHINE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding was mildly distressed and tying up. First Aid was administered.

RACE 5 : SCF GROUP HANDICAP - 1050 metres (Cont'd)

TRICKY GLEN was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a small puncture wound over the anterior aspect of it's near fore cannon. First Aid was administered.

COLLA VOCE, which performed below expectations and lost its off hind plate during the event, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities. Mr. D. McNamee, the Trainer of COLLA VOCE, advised the gelding may not have backed up and would now be spelled.

RACE 6: PROGRAMMED PROPERTY SERVICES HANDICAP - 1100 metres (Rescheduled to start at 3.05 pm)

KARACATIS was a late scratching at 9.40 am by order of Stewards acting on confirmed advice from the gelding's trainer, Mr R. Jolly, that his stable Veterinarian had confirmed the gelding was suffering the onset of a virus.

MR GOOD CAT (C. Lindop) became held up for clear running from in the vicinity of the 500 metres until the entrance to the straight and shortly thereafter was disappointed for clear ground after attempting to improve between IMPULSE BUY (S. Carr), which had commenced to shift about, and DAYTONA GREY (J. Holder), which rolled in. As a result MR GOOD CAT was obliged to alter course to the outside of DAYTONA GREY to obtain clear running and then became held up on the heels of DAYTONA GREY and MR CHARD (D. Tourneur) for a short distance before gaining clear ground near the 100 metres.

OUTLANDISH LAD was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 7: REGENCY SHOWERSCREENS & WARDROBES HANDICAP - 1600 metres (Rescheduled to start at 3.43 pm)

Shortly after the start CAPODECINA (A. Herrmann) lost its position when racing in restricted room between OUR EXCHANGE (J. Toeroek), which shifted out, and LADY SILHOUETTE (A. Patterson), which shifted in.

Inside the 1500 metres OUR EXCHANGE (J. Toeroek) rolled in and contacted UNSPUN (J. Holder), which was inconvenienced.

At the entrance to the straight CAVALOCE (C. Lindop) was disappointed for clear ground and was obliged to shift to the inside of OUR EXCHANGE (J. Toeroek) to obtain clear running, and thereafter, inside the 200 metres when improving, was obliged to alter course to the inside of PIT BOSS (J. Kah) to obtain clear ground.

CAPODECINA was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a puncture wound to the near fore cannon. First Aid was administered.

RACE 8 : PROGRAMMED LIGHTNING STAKES - 1050 metres (Rescheduled to start at 4.10 pm)

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes owing to CASH IS COMING proving very difficult and refusing to load. CASH IS COMING was withdrawn by order of Stewards at 4.12 pm. Mr K. Sweeney, the Trainer of CASH IS COMING, was advised the filly would now have to load without delay in a tractable manner in an Official Barrier Trial before next being allowed to start in a race.

RACE 8: PROGRAMMED LIGHTNING STAKES - 1050 metres (Cont'd)

PISTOLIER (J. Toeroek) laid in, in the straight.

J. Beriman, the rider of CAUTIOUS, was unable to use her whip for a number of strides at the entrance to the straight when it got caught up in the horse's neck strap.

Correct Weight for this event was delayed when S. Cahill, the rider of the second placegetter HERENOA, lodged an objection against BUDDY BUNDY (D. Tourneur) being declared the winner on the grounds of alleged interference in the vicinity of the 300 metres. After considering the submissions by the parties, on viewing the official footage and acting on their own observations, Stewards *dismissed* the objection. It was established that in the vicinity of the 300 metres HERENOA (S. Cahill) rolled out marginally at the same time as BUDDY BUNDY (D. Tourneur) rolled in slightly, resulting in HERENOA having to shift to the outside of BUDDY BUNDY to obtain clear running. D. Tourneur was reminded of his obligations when his mounts commence to shift ground in future.

RACE 9: ANTHONY CATFORD'S BIRTHDAY HANDICAP - 1200 metres (Rescheduled to start at 4.38 pm)

Mr. D. Jolly, the Trainer of MARION TYPE, advised Stewards prior to the event he would instruct Jockey D. Tourneur to not be as positive in the early stages and attempt to settle further back in the field to allow the mare to finish its race off.

As Stewards were able to identify COME FOLLOW ME from records held by them when the Thoroughbred Identification Card (TIC) was not available for inspection, the mare was permitted to start. Mr. D. Jolly pleaded guilty to a charge under AR59A for failing to produce the TIC for inspection and was fined \$50.

CARNIVAL CLASS (J. Holder), which was awkward to begin, was obliged to steady off the heels of PINKY TUSCADERO (S. Price).

DIRTY ONA DRINK (T. Baker) was awkward to begin.

BERMONDSEY (C. Forrest) was slow to begin.

VISUAL IMPACT (C. Lindop) raced wide without cover throughout the event.

In the vicinity of the 300 metres BEN'S SPIRIT (S. Cahill) rolled out and away from QUICK SIESTA (B. Knobel) onto COME FOLLOW ME (R. Stewart), which shifted out and away onto NADAKA (T. Pannell), which had to be checked when tightened onto PINKY TUSCADERO (S. Price).

- D. Tourneur, the rider of MARION TYPE, was questioned regarding his use of the whip prior to the 100 metres. D. Tourneur 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. D. Tourneur 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 \$400.
- T. Baker, the rider of DIRTY ONA DRINK, reported that in his opinion the gelding slipped at the start, then appeared reluctant at various stages to raise a gallop and he had become concerned with the gelding's action and for that reason did not persist with his riding. DIRTY ONA DRINK was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

PRE RACE SAMPLES (22):

Blood Samples were taken from the following horses:

- Race 1 KING TRITON, URBAN EXPLORER (NZ), FANTAUZZO
- Race 4 SAHARA SYMPHONY, DANISH SPY, GATALISTIC, CRUZ'N NOW, POWER TO POSSESS, DOWN THE MIDDLE
- Race 5 DAUNTING DANCER, ART TEEN, GOLD RUST
- Race 7 SCARPELEENO, CAVALOCE
- Race 8 BUDDY BUNDY, KILLCARELESS, CAUTIOUS, PINK PERFECTION
- Race 9 BEN'S SPIRIT, BERMONDSEY, QUICK SIESTA, GAV'S GIFT.

POST RACE SAMPLES (1):

A Blood Sample was taken from the following horse:

Race 5 OUR LITTLETREASURE

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (13):

Race 1	URBAN EXPLORER (NZ) (winner)	Race 7	OUR EXCHANGE (winner)
Race 2	ON A DREAM (winner)	Race 7	PIT BOSS (second))
Race 2	RUSSIAN ROCKER (beaten fav.)	Race 8	BUDDY BUNDY (winner)
Race 3	WINESEARCH (winner)	Race 8	HERENOA (second)
Race 4	POWER TO POSSESS (winner)	Race 9	PINKY TUSCADERO (winner)
Race 5	OUR LITTLETREASURE (winner)	Race 9	MOSQUE (dead-heat second)
Race 6	MR GOOD CAT (winner)		

SUMMARY				
FINES	Race 5 – Messrs. D. & R. Balfour – Fined \$50 – LR18.1 – Late rider notification for READY SUNSHINE			
	Race 9 – Mr. D. Jolly– Fined \$50 – AR59A – Failing to produce TIC for COME FOLLOW ME			
	Race 9 – D. Tourneur (MARION TYPE) – \$400 – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)+7 – Whip Offence			
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 3 – W. Kerford (COURTSIDE) – AR137(a) – Careless Riding			
REPRIMANDS	Race 4 – C. Forrest (AQUIA CREEK) – AR92(12) – Failing to claim full allowance			
	Race 5 – C. Forrest (PTOLEMY) – AR92(12) – Failing to claim full allowance			
	Race 9 – D. Tourneur (MARION TYPE) – AR137A(5)(a)(i) +2(x2) – Whip Offence			
SUSPENSIONS	Nil			
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 – TARGET EXPLORER – Warned – Eased from event. Race 3 – JEWEL HEIST – Not to race – Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race – Lame off foreleg.			
	Race 8 - CASH IS COMING - Suspended - Must load without delay in a tractable manner in an Official Barrier Trial - Refused to load.			
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil			

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