

THOROUGHbred RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at the Port Lincoln Racecourse
by the Port Lincoln Racing Club on Sunday, 19 October 2014

Stewards: A. Hayles (A/Chairman) & L. Michalanney (HT) (Stewards), P. Dearman, R. Evans (F) & M. Featherston (M) (Deputy Stewards), Dr. G. Sezan (Veterinary Surgeon)

TRACK: Good 3

WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: True

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
2	WAADOO	K. Cross		Notified
6	FREIGHT QUEEN	D. Dunn	E. Boyd	Indisposed
7	ARTHURIAN LEGEND	K. Brooks	E. Finnegan	Not riding at meeting
8	JOKEN JIM	D. Dunn	K. Cross	Indisposed
8	FANTASTIC REIGN	E. Boyd		Notified

RACE 1 : COATES HIRE / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1390 metres

NANNA KNOWS BEST (J. Potter) was slow to begin.

ABBANABBI ABBANEW (A. Herrmann) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out brushing ALL THE TIME (K. Bishop).

M. Neilson, the rider of SPEEDALLA, 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 in a forehand manner on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was fined \$200.

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

RACE 2 : EYRE PENINSULA GOURMET GALLOP / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE – 1000 metres

LEWIS STREET (E. Boyd), which struck the mounting enclosure gate en route to the barriers was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who ruled the gelding fit to race. Ms R. Zippel, the Trainer of LEWIS STREET was advised a warning had been placed on the gelding's pre-race manners.

OUTLAW (A. Herrmann) was very slow to begin.

ROOBOY (S. Price) was slow to begin.

ACE OF SPADES (J. Potter) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out brushing GINDRINKA (M. Neilson).

RAN WILDE (T. Pannell) raced ungenerously in the early and middle stages of the event.

DUSTY LADY (A. Patterson) raced wide throughout the event.

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

RACE 3 : EP ASBESTOS RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1000 metres

In the vicinity of the 700 metres HEZAFRAAR (E. Finnegan) shifted in taking GOOD CONDUCT (M. Neilson) in onto MR KARGER (E. Boyd) which as a result had to check and lose its position. E. Finnegan pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137(a) in that she shifted ground when insufficiently clear and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence at midnight on Sunday, 26 October and to conclude at midnight on Wednesday, 5 November 2014: a period of four (4) meetings.

MORCHOWIE MISS (T. O' Donnell) was inclined to lay in throughout the event. MORCHOWIE MISS was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 4 : VALSPAR AUSTRALIA PTY LTD WATTYL, SOLVER & GRANOSITE PAINTS – 1390 metres

MEADOWS STORM (T. O' Donnell) was slow to begin.

RACE 5 : LANDMARK CUMMINS AG SERVICES BENCHMARK 72 HANDICAP – 1390 metres

EXTRACEED (T. O' Donnell) was slow to begin.

In the vicinity of the 400 metres PROPSHAFT (J. Potter) had to momentarily steady when awkwardly placed inside the heels of GOING STRONG (D. Tourneur).

RACE 6 : DEMPSEY'S SADDLERY & FEED SUPPLIES / SABOIS F&M RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 1210 metres

FINNISS MOMENT (A. Patterson) was slow to begin.

E. Finnegan, the rider of DESTONY HAWK, accidentally dropped her whip in the vicinity of the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

RACE 7 : YALUMBA WINES BENCHMARK 80 HANDICAP - 1210 metres

ARTHURIAN LEGEND (E. Finnegan) was fractious in the barriers after being loaded. Mr S. Whittle, the Trainer of ARTHURIAN LEGEND was advised a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its behavior in the barriers and should it perform in a similar manner in future, action may be taken against it.

In the vicinity of the 300 metres TESTATE (T. O'Donnell) jumped a patch on the track.

Prior to declaring Correct Weight for this event, Stewards in conjunction with E. Finnegan, the rider of ARTHURIAN LEGEND and Mr S. Whittle, the Trainer of the gelding reviewed the official footage in regards to the gelding being declared a non-runner under AR134A. Evidence was taken from E. Finnegan, Mr G. Woods, the Official Starter and Mr T. Hull, the Barrier Attendant attending ARTHURIAN LEGEND. After considering the evidence, on viewing the official footage and acting and on their own observations, Stewards declared ARTHURIAN LEGEND to be a non-runner. It was established ARTHURIAN LEGEND was denied a fair start when E. Finnegan was not properly seated in her saddle and the gelding was unable to jump away due to the Barrier Attendant still having hold of the gelding's bridle. As a consequence ARTHURIAN LEGEND's chances of jumping away with the rest of the field were hindered.

RACE 8 : CARL'S EXCAVATIONS COLTS, GELDINGS & ENTIRES RATING 0-62
HANDICAP - 1210 metres

WESTERN BOY (K. Bishop) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out, inconveniencing LAMU LAD (R. Hurdle), which was taken wider.

Shortly after the start SOUTHERN ALLIANCE (S. Cahill) lost its position when FANTASTIC REIGN (E. Boyd) shifted out.

HE'LL TELL US (E. Finnegan) was slow to begin.

From the vicinity of the 200 metres BURN SO BRIGHT (NZ) (A. Patterson) was inclined to lay in under pressure.

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

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (3):

Race 2 – PERFECT YANK (winner)

Race 4 – DO TELLE (NZ) (winner)

Race 7 – BLACK BARRA (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 1 – M. Neilson (SPEEDALLA) – Fined \$200 - AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+4] – Whip Offence
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Race 6 – E. Finnegan (DESTONY HAWK) – AR137(a) – Carelessness in dropping her whip
SUSPENSIONS	Race 3 – E. Finnegan (HEZAFRAAR) – AR137(a) – Careless Riding – from midnight 26/10/14 to conclude at midnight 5/11/14 – 4 meetings
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 2 – LEWIS STREET – Warned – Pre-race manners Race 7 – ARTHURIAN LEGEND - Warned – Fractious in the barriers
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil