

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville Parks Racecourse
by the South Australian Jockey Club on Saturday, 25 October 2014

Stewards: J. Petzer (Chairman), A. Hayles (M), D. Bucknell (HT), P. Ryan (F) (Stewards), D. Southgate, D. Jonas, N. Henry & M. Featherston (Deputy Stewards), Dr. P. Horridge & Dr. B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeons).

TRACK: Dead 4 (*Upgraded to Good 3 at 11.45 am*)

WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: True

RACE 1 : PETER ELBERG FUNERALS THREE-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 metres

SOLID BULLET (J. Holder) was slow into stride.

I AM GYPSY (M. Vance) jumped away awkwardly.

SOLID BULLET (J. Holder) laid in, in the straight and had to be corrected by its rider in the vicinity of the 200 metres. Thereafter SOLID BULLET continued to lay in and shifted in under riding onto GUILTY AS CHARGED (S. Cahill), which rolled out over the concluding stages, resulting in GUILTY AS CHARGED having to be steadied to avoid the heels of SOLID BULLET. J. Holder was severely reprimanded and advised to take greater care when his mounts commence to shift ground in future.

Approaching the 100 metres THE KUNUNURRA KID (T. Pannell), which commenced to lay out, shifted out and was obliged to alter course to the outside of EXCEL TO GLORY (L. Stojakovic) and GUILTY AS CHARGED (S. Cahill).

L. Stojakovic, the rider of EXCEL TO GLORY, reported the gelding made a respiratory noise on pulling up. EXCEL TO GLORY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding exhibited a poor recovery with associated respiratory distress and injected mucous membranes. First Aid was administered. Mr. D. Clarcken, the Trainer of EXCEL TO GLORY, was advised the results of an endoscopic examination and a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the gelding for a trial or race.

S. Cahill, the rider of GUILTY AS CHARGED, explained in his opinion the colt was unable to sprint with the field and may be better suited to racing over more ground. GUILTY AS CHARGED was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 2 : DARLEY TWO-YEAR-OLD PLATE - 1000 metres

As Stewards were able to identify CARO KANN from records held by them when the Thoroughbred Identification Card (TIC) for the colt was not available for inspection, CARO JABB was permitted to start. Mr. P. Stokes, the Trainer of CARO KANN, was found guilty of a charge under AR59A for failing to produce the TIC for the horse and was fined \$50.

DAREBEN HALARO (J. Childs) shifted out abruptly shortly after the start and raced very wide for a short distance. Thereafter DAREBEN HALARO raced very greenly and was inclined to lay in, in the straight. DAREBEN HALARO was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 2 : DARLEY TWO-YEAR-OLD PLATE - 1000 metres (Cont'd)

CARO KANN (D. Tourneur) laid out from in the vicinity of the 600 metres until shortly after the entrance to the straight and when being corrected, contacted NADAWAAT (C. Robertson), which initially became held up behind I AM RELENTLESS (M. Neilson), and shifted out to obtain clear running. NADAWAAT and CARO KANN then contacted for a short distance.

RACE 3 : JAMES BOAG'S PREMIUM HANDICAP - 2250 metres

FROST DODGER (M. Neilson) raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

WAR IS OVER (S. Carr) laid out from in the vicinity of the of the 500 metres. WAR IS OVER was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

MUSTANG SCHILLER was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 4 : RANDLE & TAYLOR LAWYERS HANDICAP - 1250 metres

Approaching the entrance to the straight OUR PARADIGM (J. Toeroek) became held up for clear running when racing behind FLYIN' FOR ME (R. Hurdle) and was only able to obtain clear running in the vicinity of the 200 metres where it was obliged to alter course to the inside of FLYIN' FOR ME and KEL'S BLESSING (D. Tourneur).

In the vicinity of the 300 metres FINE APPROACH (T. Pannell), which was disappointed for clear running, shifted to the outside of KEL'S BLESSING (D. Tourneur) to obtain clear running and in doing so contacted FLYIN' FOR ME (R. Hurdle), which maintained its line. As a consequence these two horses brushed for a number of strides.

MAGLISSA (C. Lindop) was inclined to lay out under pressure over the concluding stages. As a consequence NIMASAEL (J. Maund) was taken wider on the track.

RACE 5 : MASTER BUILDERS HANDICAP - 1400 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately three minutes owing to FITOCRACY, GRANCABRIO and BLACK CAESAR proving very difficult to load. Mr. J. O'Connor, the Trainer of FITOCRACY, was advised a warning had been placed on the filly in relation to its loading manners. Mr. L. Kennewell, the Trainer of GRANCABRIO, was advised the gelding would be required to load without delay in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race. Mr. G. Richards, the Trainer of BLACK CAESAR, was advised the gelding would be required to load without delay in an Official Barrier Trial before prior to accepting for a future race.

CHIAZZA (R. Stewart) was slow to begin and was then tightened, shortly after the start, between MAGIC BOY (S. Westover) and LORD ASPEN (M. Neilson), which both shifted ground.

THE NIGHT SKY (J. Holder) became held up for clear ground inside the 200 metres when racing behind BLACK CAESAR (M. Vance) and to the inside of GRANCABRIO (J. Toeroek), and in the vicinity of the 100 metres was obliged to shift to the outside of BLACK CAESAR and GRANCABRIO to obtain clear running.

TRY YOUR BEST (NZ) was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the horse to have speedy cuts on its near hind hock. First Aid was administered.

BLACK CAESAR lost its near fore plate during the event.

RACE 6 : CARRINGTON FINANCIAL SERVICES HANDICAP - 1250 metres

HOLIDAY HOST, which had not raced since December 2013, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon on arrival at the barriers and ruled fit to race.

In the vicinity of the 900 metres SOL BRILLANTE (J. Childs) shifted in and tightened SPECIAL EDITION (H. Coffey) for a short distance and shortly after crossing SPECIAL EDITION, slackened the pace, resulting in H. Coffey having to restrain his mount to avoid the heels of SOL BRILLANTE. As a consequence ANNANDALE LASS (A. Patterson), which was following, was inconvenienced when that mare commenced to race keenly. HOLIDAY HOST (J. Toeroek), which raced to the inside of SPECIAL EDITION, became awkwardly placed for a short distance as a consequence. J. Childs was severely reprimanded for shifting ground when insufficiently clear and was also severely reprimanded for slackening the pace in the event.

EXALTED WILLIAM was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

ANNANDALE LASS lost its off fore plate during the event.

RACE 7 : SPORTINGBET HANDICAP - 1000 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes owing to BRAVE JOURNEY, which was kicked by another runner on arrival at the barriers, having to be examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who declared the horse unfit to start. Acting on that advice, Stewards withdrew BRAVE JOURNEY at 4.36 pm. The Veterinary Surgeon reported that whilst BRAVE JOURNEY had an existing haematoma to its off hind stifle, the mare had been examined prior to the event and ruled fit to race, but the mare received a kick to the off hind stifle by another runner at the barriers and was consequently ruled unfit to start.

BELFAST BOY (D. Tourneur) was slow into stride.

CLASSY JACK (J. Frew) jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and tightened BRIMARVI PRINCE (J. Kah) onto STREETCAR ISABELLE (M. Neilson).

STREETCAR ISABELLE and EXCELLENT POINT were examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 8 : MAC JUST OVER? DON'T DRIVE HANDICAP - 1400 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes.

WHAT'S IN A NAME (J. Holder) jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin.

In the vicinity of the 1200 metres GENEROUS BEAU (J. Childs) got its head up when BORISTAR (J. Kah) crossed and raced ungenerously for some distance thereafter.

In the vicinity of the 1100 metres WHAT'S IN A NAME (J. Holder) got its head up and raced ungenerously, shifted out when being restrained and contacted SKY RAIDER (A. Herrmann), which became awkward for several strides when racing inside the heels of HALAYR JET (A. Patterson).

RACE 8 : MAC JUST OVER? DON'T DRIVE HANDICAP - 1400 metres

R. Hurdle, the rider of MY EX MATE, was questioned regarding his instructions and his riding of the gelding. R. Hurdle explained he was instructed to get back in the field and ride for luck. He explained the gelding began well and travelled well in the run and after straightening he asked the gelding for an effort and while it responded reasonably, it did not finish the race off in the manner he expected. Stewards considered that R. Hurdle had an opportunity to commence riding in a more vigorous manner earlier than he did on this occasion and in the circumstances advised R. Hurdle to ride his mounts in a manner that does not invite question by Stewards in future. MY EX MATE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding to be lame in the off hind leg. Mr. P. Blanch, the Trainer of MY EX MATE, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the gelding for a future trial or race.

J. Holder, the rider of WHAT'S IN A NAME, reported the gelding had its tongue over the bit on pulling up. WHAT'S IN A NAME was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported fresh bruising under its tongue owing to the horse getting its tongue over the bit.

HASTA LA SHAMER was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 9 : GUY SEBASTIAN LIVE @ MORPHETTVILLE 4/11 HANDICAP - 1400 metres

In the vicinity of the 1200 metres STIMULATTE (A. Herrmann) got its head up and raced ungenerously for a number of strides.

Near the 100 metres SWINGING SOLDIER (J. Childs) was obliged to shift to the outside of JUST A CHAT (D. Tourneur) as that gelding rolled about and over the concluding stages SWINGING SOLDIER continued to shift out, became held up on the heels of STIMULATTE (A. Herrmann), and inconvenienced TRISTACAT (S. Carr).

S. Carr, the rider of TRISTACAT, who returned to Scale in excess of half a kilogram over the weight at which she weighed out, pleaded guilty to a charge under AR145 and was fined \$100.

STAR RECRUIT, which performed below expectations, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding to be lame in the off hind leg. Mr. M. Minervini, the Trainer of STAR RECRUIT, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the gelding for a future trial or race.

PRE-RACE SAMPLES (20):

Blood Samples were taken from the following horses -

- Race 3 WAR IS OVER, FROST DODGER, SURGING WAVE, MUSTANG SCHILLER, LATE NIGHT DRINK, NOT A ZERPRISE, DITCHED
 - Race 5 LORD ASPEN, FITOCRACY, TRY YOUR BEST (NZ)
 - Race 6 SPECIAL EDITION, HOUSE OF WAX, HOLIDAY HOST
 - Race 7 BRAVE JOURNEY, BRIMARVI PRINCE
 - Race 8 BORISTAR, CORVIDAE
 - Race 9 SWINGING SOLDIER, EVENS, STAR RECRUIT
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POST-RACE SAMPLE (2):

Blood Samples were taken from the following horses –

- Race 1 GUILTY AS CHARGED
- Race 7 STREETCAR ISABELLE

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (9):

Race 1	I AM GYPSY (winner)	Race 6	SILENT WHISPER (winner)
Race 2	NADAWAAT (winner)	Race 7	BRIMARVI PRINCE (winner)
Race 3	LATE NIGHT DRINK (winner)	Race 8	BORISTAR (winner)
Race 4	FINE APPROACH (winner)	Race 9	EVENS (winner)
Race 5	LORD ASPEN (winner)		

SUMMARY	
FINES	<p>Race 2 – Mr. P. Stokes – Fined \$50 – AR59A – Failed to produce TIC for CARO KANN</p> <p>Race 9 – S. Carr (TRISTACAT) – Fined \$100 – AR145 – Weighed in, in excess of half a kilogram overweight</p>
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	<p>Race 1 – J. Holder (SOLID BULLET) – AR137(a) – Careless riding</p> <p>Race 6 – J. Childs (SOL BRILLANTE) – AR137(a) – Careless riding</p> <p>Race 6 – J. Childs (SOL BRILLANTE) – AR137(d) – Excessively slowed the pace</p>
REPRIMANDS	Nil
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	<p>Race 1 – EXCEL TO GLORY – Not to race – Results of endoscopic examination and Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race – Respiratory distress and injected mucus membranes</p> <p>Race 5 - FITOCRACY – Warned – Very difficult to load</p> <p>Race 5 – GRANCABRIO – Suspended – Must load without delay in an Official Barrier Trial – Very difficult to load</p> <p>Race 5 – BLACK CAESAR – Suspended – Must load without delay in an Official Barrier Trial – Very difficult to load</p> <p>Race 8 – MY EX MATE – Not to race – Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race – Lameness off hind leg</p> <p>Race 9 STAR RECRUIT – Not to race – Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race – Lameness off hind leg</p>
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil