

**THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED**  
**STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT**

**Report on Race Meeting held at Balaklava Racecourse**  
**by the Balaklava Racing Club on Wednesday, 19 November 2014**

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**Stewards:** L. Michalanney (A/Chairman), A. Hayles (M), D. Bucknell (F) & P. Ryan (HT) (Stewards), D. Southgate & A. Quinton (Deputy Stewards) & Dr. P. Horridge (Veterinary Surgeon)

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**TRACK:** Good 3

**WEATHER:** Fine

**RAIL:** Out 2 metres 800 metres to 400 metres and 1900 metres to 1500 metres, true remainder

**RIDER CHANGES:**

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	JASPERS GLEN	A. Patterson	C. Lindop	Not riding at meeting
2	ROUSSANE	B. Hoppo	M. Neilson	Injured
4	SEBRING MAGIC	T. Pannell	"	Late notification
8	RYCHLE	B. Hoppo	M. Vance	Injured

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**RACE 1 : EDDIE MCARDLE CLASS 2 HANDICAP- 2210 metres**

D. Tourneur, the rider of TRY YOUR BEST, was questioned regarding the use of his whip prior to the 100 metres. He 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 fined \$200. He 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 \$100.

ARTFUL DIVA was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

**RACE 2 : ROB & PAULA SAINT FOUR-YEARS-OLD & OVER MAIDEN PLATE**  
**- 1054 metres**

Acting on confirmed telephone advice from Mr P. Moody, the Trainer of PRINCESS COSTA, that the mare had scrambled in the float en route to the course and was unfit to race, Stewards withdrew PRINCESS COSTA at 12.37 pm.

On jumping away BLONDE MISSILE (M. Vance) was inclined to rear and as a result was slow to begin.

In the early and middle stages of the event DANISH TEST (D. Tourneur) was inclined to over-race.

In the vicinity of the 600 metres DANISH TEST (D. Tourneur) continued to race fiercely and was obliged to steady off the heels of JUNKET (J. Kah).

In the vicinity of the 600 metres MISTY RIDGE (J. Toeroek), which was inclined to race greenly, rolled out and then shifted in and away from DANISH TEST (D. Tourneur) and brushed the inside running rail, resulting in J. Toeroek becoming unbalanced for a short distance.

**RACE 2 : ROB & PAULA SAINT FOUR-YEARS-OLD & OVER MAIDEN PLATE**  
**- 1054 metres (Cont'd)**

From the vicinity of the 400 metres to the 200 metres JUNKET (J. Kah) was inclined to lay in.

D. Tourneur, the rider of DANISH TEST, reported that the gelding had over-raced in the early and middle stages and was inclined to hang out thereafter. DANISH TEST was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

**RACE 3 : BALAKLAVA TRANSPORT / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1608 metres**

MONTOYAS (J. Holder) and TEMPORARY HOME (J. Kah) came together and brushed on jumping away.

**RACE 4 : NOEL ROSS / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1208 metres**

In the vicinity of the 900 metres LOVE MOSCHINO (A. Herrmann), which was inclined to race fiercely, got its head up when being restrained.

In the vicinity of the 800 metres TOLAGO MAN (J. Maund) appeared to dip for no apparent reason.

At the entrance to the straight TOLAGO MAN (J. Maund) again appeared to dip for no apparent reason.

SCENIC GREY (D. Tourneur) and SHEEZE HECTIC (J. Toeroek) were inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

In the vicinity of the 200 metres TOLAGO MAN (J. Maund) was inclined to lay in under pressure resulting in TAYLER'S DAISY (J. Kah) having to be eased and shift out across heels to obtain clear running. J. Maund was reprimanded and advised in future to stop riding and straighten his mounts when they commence to shift ground.

Inside the 100 metres SHEEZE HECTIC (J. Toeroek), which was inclined to lay in under pressure, shifted in, resulting in TOLAGO MAN (J. Maund) being taken in and inconvenienced when tightened onto IT'S GOTTA BE HOT (T. Pannell). J. Toeroek was reprimanded and advised in future to stop riding and straighten his mounts when they commence to shift ground.

**RACE 5 : PLAINS PRODUCER / SABOIS THREE-YEARS-OLD MAIDEN PLATE**  
**- 1004 metres**

COMMANDING DIVA (T. Baker) raced greenly in the early stages of the event.

In the vicinity of the 600 metres LIMA BRAVO (M. Vance), which was racing greenly, was obliged to steady to avoid the heels of RICH RUPEE (B. Claridge), which was taken in slightly by LOS RIOS (J. Toeroek). As a result ATLANTIS (M. Neilson) and CRAYZED (S. Carr), which were following LIMA BRAVO, were hampered.

At the entrance to the straight LIMA BRAVO (M. Vance) and JUST DEMANDING (A. Herrmann) came together and brushed on two occasions.

In the vicinity of the 400 metres ATLANTIS (M. Neilson) and was inclined to lay in and became awkwardly placed on the heels of LIMA BRAVO (M. Vance) for a short distance. Thereafter ATLANTIS (M. Neilson) raced greenly throughout the straight.

## **RACE 5 : PLAINS PRODUCER / SABOIS THREE-YEARS-OLD MAIDEN PLATE**

**- 1004 metres (Cont'd)**

In the vicinity of the 300 metres COMMANDING DIVA (T. Baker) attempted to take a tight run to the outside of LOS RIOS (J. Toeroek) and as a result shifted out very abruptly taking JUST DEMANDING (A. Herrmann) out, resulting in LIMA BRAVO (M. Vance) having to check to avoid the heels of JUST DEMANDING. As a result LIMA BRAVO shifted in abruptly. For the remainder of the event COMMANDING DIVA (T. Baker) continued to lay out under pressure and raced greenly. COMMANDING DIVA was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities. T. Baker was severely reprimanded and advised in future to ensure he was clear prior to shifting ground. In determining penalty, Stewards took into account the racing manners of COMMANDING DIVA. Mr T. Snelling, the Trainer of COMMANDING DIVA, was advised the filly would be required to prove tractable in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race.

## **RACE 6 : ANGAS SECURITIES FOUR-YEARS-OLD & OVER CLASS 2 HANDICAP**

**- 1208 metres**

On arrival on course SAGABELLA was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the mare had some discharge from its right nostril and was unfit to race. Acting on that advice Stewards withdrew SAGABELLA at 2.57 pm.

In the middle stages of the event LOUVRE LADY (C. Lindop) raced keenly for some distance.

## **RACE 7 : PETER MEURET RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1608 metres**

On arrival on course MISS BALL was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon in accordance with the TRSA Aged Horse Policy and ruled fit to race.

MISS BALL (A. Herrmann), which brushed a gate en route to the mounting yard was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who ruled the mare fit to race.

GREAT MEMORIES (C. Lindop) jumped away awkwardly.

MOON BRICKS (S. Cahill) raced three wide without cover in the early and middle stages of the event.

GO GIRLFRIEND (D. Tourneur) raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

D. Tourneur, the rider of GO GIRLFRIEND, explained his instructions had been to be positive and to lead, as in the connections' opinion there was no speed in the event and the mare has a short sprint and was one-paced. D. Tourneur added he had jumped away fairly but had been positive in the early stages when the mare had grabbed the bridle and had travelled well. He added he had not intended to lead by so far but in the vicinity of the 1000 metres after trying to bring GO GIRLFRIEND back to no avail, he had decided to let her travel. He further explained in the vicinity of the 500 metres he had given GO GIRLFRIEND a dig and she had responded and galloped strongly to the line. Stewards noted D. Tourneur's explanation and also noted the mare wore blinkers for the first time.

MISS BALL was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon post-race who reported no visible abnormalities.

## **RACE 8 : BRETT ROVERE RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1408 metres**

Acting on confirmed telephone advice from Ms G. Henderson, the Trainer of LUCKY ON BLACK that the gelding had an elevated temperature and was unfit to race. Stewards withdrew LUCKY ON BLACK at 8.24 am.

**RACE 8 : BRETT ROVERE RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1408 metres (Cont'd)**

BIG BOY BLEV (S. Carr) stood flat footed and was slow to begin. BIG BOY BLEV was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities. Mr J. Maddigan, the Trainer of BIG BOY BLEV was advised a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to it jumping away with the field.

On jumping away ANY EXIT (A. Herrmann) and DISCO BELLE (M. Neilson) came together and brushed.

ALBANY GREY (B. Claridge) was inclined to race keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

Approaching the 1000 metres NEW CONCEPT (C. Lindop), which was inclined to race keenly, shifted in and away from ANY EXIT (A. Herrmann) onto CON NOW (T. Pannell), which was hampered. As a result ALBANY GREY (B. Claridge), which was racing on the heels of CON NOW was obliged to restrain and shifted out taking DISCO BELLE (M. Neilson) wider on the track.

From the vicinity of 500 metres to the 200 metres NEW CONCEPT (C. Lindop) was held up behind ANY EXIT (A. Herrmann) and inside TENNESSEE GROOM (NZ) (T. Baker).

In the vicinity of the 400 metres NEW CONCEPT (C. Lindop) and CON NOW (T. Pannell) came together and brushed.

From the entrance to the straight RYCHLE (M. Vance) was held up behind CON NOW (T. Pannell) and inside NEW CONCEPT (C. Lindop) and in the vicinity of the 300 metres shifted out and across heels to obtain clear running. As a result RYCHLE became held up on the heels of TENNESSEE GROOM (NZ) (T. Baker) until the vicinity of the 200 metres when able to shift in to obtain clear running.

In the vicinity of the 300 metres ALBANY GREY (B. Claridge) was inclined to lay in under pressure.

ANY EXIT lost its off fore plate during the running of the event.

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**POST- RACE SAMPLES (1):**

Blood Samples were taken from the following horse:

Race 7 – GO GIRLFRIEND  
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**ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (8)**

- Race 1 – TRY YOUR BEST (winner)
  - Race 2 – ROUSSANNE (winner)
  - Race 3 – REGAL MAGNUS (winner)
  - Race 4 – SHEEZE HECTIC (winner)
  - Race 5 – COMMANDING DIVA (winner)
  - Race 6 – WINDERMERE ROAD (winner)
  - Race 7 – GO GIRLFRIEND (winner)
  - Race 8 – ANY EXIT (winner)
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<b>SUMMARY</b>	
<b>FINES</b>	<p>Race 1 – D. Tourneur – Fined \$200 - AR137A(5)(a)(i)[+7] – Whip offence.</p> <p>Race 1 – D. Tourneur – Fined \$100 - AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+4] – Whip offence.</p> <p>Race – R. Balfour – Fined \$50 – LR18.1 - Late notification of rider for SEBRING MAGIC.</p>
<b>SEVERE REPRIMANDS</b>	Race 5 – T. Baker (COMMANDING DIVA)- AR137(a) – Careless riding.
<b>REPRIMANDS</b>	<p>Race 4 – J. Maund (TOLAGO MAN) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.</p> <p>Race 4 – J. Toeroek (SHEEZE HECTIC) - AR137(a) – Careless riding.</p>
<b>SUSPENSIONS</b>	Nil
<b>HORSE ACTIONS</b>	<p>Race 5 - COMMANDING DIVA – Suspended – Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a race – Racing manners.</p> <p>Race 8 – BIG BOY BLEV – Warned – Stood flat footed and was slow to begin.</p>
<b>ADJOURNED INQUIRIES</b>	Nil