

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Murray Bridge Racecourse
by the Murray Bridge Racing Club on Wednesday, 11 February 2015

Stewards: J. Petzer (Chairman), C. Deakin (M), S. Callanan (HT), D. Bucknell (F) (Stewards), D. Southgate & A. Quinton (Deputy Stewards) & Dr. B. Agnew and Dr R. Haensel (Veterinary Surgeon).

TRACK: Good 3

WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: Out 2 metres Winning Post to 1500 metres, True remainder

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	IRON FLEET	J. Frew	J. Toeroek	Overweight
1	CLUB CHICK	S. Price	J. Potter	Indisposed
3	DEVIL'S CHANCE	"	J. Toeroek	"
3	DIRECT DEAL	M. Vance		Notified

RACE 1 : RACINGMURRAYBRIDGE.COM / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 900 metres

NO MERCY (A. Herrmann) jumped away awkwardly and shortly thereafter GO'EN HOFF (D. Tourneur) shifted in abruptly onto NO MERCY (A. Herrmann), which was tightened onto IRON FLEET (J. Toeroek), which was taken out by CLUB CHICK (J. Potter) as that horse was tightened owing to WILANDER PRINCESS (C. Lindop) shifting out abruptly shortly after the start. As a consequence CLUB CHICK (J. Potter) was unable to maintain its position and NO MERCY and IRON FLEET were hampered.

In the vicinity of the 700 metres JUST ONE WISH (R. Hurdle) shifted in and tightened EXALTED STRAWBERRY (M. Vance), which was taken in onto WILANDER PRINCESS (C. Lindop). As a consequence BUTTERFLY TATTOO (R. Stewart), which was following had to be momentarily steadied. R. Hurdle, the rider of JUST ONE WISH, was severely reprimanded and advised to take greater care when his mounts commence to shift ground in future. Thereafter JUST ONE WISH raced greenly and was inclined to lay out rounding the home turn.

Approaching the 600 metres NO MERCY (A. Herrmann), which raced a little ungenerously and laid out, had to be checked when awkwardly placed on the heels of BUTTERFLY TATTOO (R. Stewart), which shifted in. Shortly thereafter NO MERCY (A. Herrmann) was again obliged to be checked when racing in restricted room between CLUB CHICK (J. Potter), which rolled out and BUTTERFLY TATTOO (R. Stewart), which shifted in. R. Stewart, the rider of BUTTERFLY TATTOO pleaded guilty to a charge of Careless Riding under AR137(a) in that he shifted ground when insufficiently clear and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence at midnight on Saturday, 14 February and to conclude at midnight on Thursday, 19 February 2015: a period of three (3) meetings. NO MERCY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

FINAL ARROW (J. Holder), which raced greenly in the straight, shifted both ways and inside the 100 metres was taken in by WILANDER PRINCESS (C. Lindop) as that horse commenced to race greenly and shifted in. FINAL ARROW was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 1 : RACINGMURRAYBRIDGE.COM / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 900 metres
(Cont'd)

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow J. Holder, the rider of FINAL ARROW, to view the vision in the straight.

RACE 2 : REQUEST PERSONNEL / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 metres

JESTRA (R. Mayers) and FLAME QUEEN (J. Potter) was slow to begin.

ROCKET COMMANDER (R. Hurdle) raced wide without cover throughout the event.

At the entrance to the straight JESTRA (R. Mayers) shifted out, tightening FLAME QUEEN (J. Potter) onto DARK HABIT (D. Tourneur) resulting in J. Potter having to steady his mount and brushing with DARK HABIT. As a consequence FLAME QUEEN was taken wider on the track. R. Mayers, the rider of JESTRA, was severely reprimanded and advised to take greater care in future when shifting ground.

ROCKET COMMANDER was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

ANY DAY, which performed poorly, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a poor post-race recovery with associated respiratory distress and injected mucous membranes. Mr P. Seater, the Trainer of ANY DAY, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the gelding for a future trial or race.

RACE 3 : MARCHSPREADERSALES.COM.AU / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE
- 1400 metres

FRAYVILLE (K. Cross) shifted out at the start and inconvenienced CANADIAN DOLLAR (J. Holder), which was unable to maintain his position.

DEVIL'S CHANCE (J. Toeroek) and SKILLZ THAT KILLZ (R. Stewart) were inclined to over-race in the early stages of the event.

THE HEADMISTRESS (T. Pannell) over-raced in the early stages of the event, got its head up and raced very ungenerous for a short distance thereafter.

THE HEADMISTRESS (T. Pannell) was obliged to race wide without cover throughout the event.

SHOUT DE BEERS (A. Herrmann) and MOOSEM (S. Westover) laid in, in the straight. Both SHOUT DE BEERS and MOOSEM were examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

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

RACE 4 : SAMBEC SHEDS RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 2200 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately four minutes owing initially to ASPOTON becoming fractious, rearing and becoming cast in its barrier stall. ASPOTON was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who ruled the gelding unfit to race. ASPOTON was declared a late scratching by order of Stewards at 2.25 pm. The start of this event was further delayed owing to TOY'S OPINION becoming fractious and getting one of its hind legs

RACE 4 : SAMBEC SHEDS RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 2200 metres (Cont'd)

up in the barrier stall. TOY'S OPINION was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who ruled the gelding unfit to race. TOY'S OPINION was declared a late scratching by order of Stewards at 2.26 pm. Ms D. Klingenboeck, the Trainer of ASPOTON, was advised the gelding would be required to load to the satisfaction of the Stewards and prove tractable in an Official Barrier Trial prior to presenting for a race.

MONICA KATE (G. Willoughby) laid in, in the straight. MONICA KATE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 5 : CLASSICBET RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 1000 metres

BESA BOLA (E. Finnegan) was slow to begin.

In the vicinity of the 800 metres the saddle on HURRICANE ANDY (E. Boyd) slipped back when this horse commenced to race keenly.

In the vicinity of the 300 metres HURRICANE ANDY (E. Boyd) shifted in under riding and crossed the running of ARROGANT CAT (B. Claridge), resulting in B. Claridge having to take hold of his mount and alter course to the outside of HURRICANE ANDY to obtain clear running. E. Boyd pleaded guilty to a charge of Careless Riding under AR137(a) for shifting ground when insufficiently clear and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence at midnight on Saturday, 14 February and to conclude at midnight on Thursday, 19 February 2015: a period of three (3) meetings.

ARROGANT CAT was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow B. Claridge, the rider of ARROGANT CAT and Mr D. Shepherd, representing Mr A. Dillon, the Trainer of ARROGANT CAT, to view the vision in the straight. After viewing the vision, B. Claridge lodged a protest against HURRICANE ANDY being declared the third placegetter on the grounds of alleged interference from in the vicinity of the 260 metres to the 200 metres. After considering the evidence, viewing the vision and acting on their own observation, Stewards dismissed the protest.

RACE 6 : SPRY EARTHMOVERS RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1400 metres

EXALTED FILLY (C. Lindop) was held up for clear running from near the entrance to the straight until in the vicinity of the 200 metres and was obliged to shift to the inside of BALLINGALL BOY (C. Jones) to obtain clear running.

RACE 7 : CARLTON DRAUGHT RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 1600 metres

TIMELYINTERRUPTION (A. Herrmann) raced ungenerously in the early stages of the event.

BAKLAVA BOY (NZ) (C. Lindop) was held up for clear running for a short distance in the vicinity of the 300 metres.

BAD MEDICINE (R. Hurdle) laid in, in the straight.

RACE 8 : RM BURFORD RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1200 metres

IRISH CHEER (J. Maund) shifted in at the start and contacted DAMAGE CONTROL (R. Mayers).

EXPORT QUALITY (Z. Spain) jumped away awkwardly and thereafter got its head up and over-raced in the early stages of the event.

Approaching the 400 metres EXPORT QUALITY (Z. Spain) became held up for clear running when racing behind HEURIGER (K. Cross) and to the inside of SERBIAN CROWN (T. Pannell) and was unable to obtain clear ground until in the vicinity of the 200 metres where it was obliged to alter course to the outside of SERBIAN CROWN.

CLARIFY (A. Herrmann) laid in, in the straight resulting in A. Herrmann having to stop riding and straighten her mount on a number of occasions.

E. Finnegan, the rider of WALKA COUNTRY MILE reported that the mare made a respiratory noise during the event and choked down in running. WALKA COUNTRY MILE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

WALKA COUNTRY MILE lost its near fore plate during the event.

EXPORT QUALITY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

GENERAL **MORPHETTVILLE – TUESDAY, 11 FEBRUARY 2015**

In accordance with Rule ARR.140, Trainer Mr. P. Stokes, has notified Thoroughbred Racing SA Stewards that following its run at Morphettville Parks on Saturday, 7 February 2015, EXODUS was found to have a bone chip in its off fore knee. EXODUS will have surgery to remove the bone chip and will be spelled.

PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES(8)

Blood samples were taken from the following horses:

Race 7 BAKLAVA BOY (NZ), NISHIAZABU, REBELLE, CRUZ'N NOW, NEHRU,
 WILLY THE RABBIT, WHERE'S THAT, RICH PRIDE.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (8)

Race 1 – WILANDER PRINCESS (winner)
Race 2 – PERPETUAL BLISS (winner)
Race 3 – FIVE TO MIDNIGHT (winner)
Race 4 – HOYLAKE (NZ) (winner)
Race 5 – BOLDACIOUS GIRL (winner)
Race 6 – SIMPATICO (winner)
Race 7 – REBELLE (winner)
Race 8 – PHOENIX ARIZONA (NZ) (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Nil
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 1 – R. Hurdle (JUST ONE WISH) - AR137(a) - Careless riding. Race 2 – R. Mayers (JESTRA) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.
REPRIMANDS	Race 1 - J. Frew – AR120(b) - Overweight and having to be replaced on IRON FLEET.
SUSPENSIONS	Race 1 - R. Stewart (BUTTERFLY TATTOO) - AR137(a) – Careless Riding – from midnight 14/2/15 to conclude at midnight 19/2/15 – 3 meetings. Race 5 – E. Boyd (HURRICANE ANDY) AR137(a) – Careless Riding – from midnight 14/2/15 to conclude at midnight 19/2/15 – 3 meetings.
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 2 – ANY DAY – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to presenting for a future trial or race – Respiratory distress. Race 4 – ASPOTON – Suspended - Required to load to the satisfaction of the Stewards in an Official Barrier Trial and prove tractable prior to presenting for a race – Fractious in barriers.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil