

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

Report on Race Meeting held at the Penola Racecourse
by the Penola Racing Club on Sunday, 5 April 2015

Stewards: A. Hayles (A/Chairman) & M. Santoro (HT) (Stewards) B. Spillman, J. Foster (F) & S. Bright (Deputy Stewards), Dr. D. Goulding (Veterinary Surgeon)

TRACK: Good 3 (*Downgraded to Good 4 @ 11.43 am*) **WEATHER:** Overcast/Showery

RAIL: True

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
6	GRAND TAJ	A. Herrmann	T. Baker	Doubly engaged – explanation accepted
8	MUSEE D'MODEL	R. Stewart		Notified

RACE 1 : PRINCE OF WALES / SABOIS TWO-YEARS-OLD & OVER MAIDEN PLATE
- 1700 metres

GOT THE EDGE (E. Finnegan) was slow to begin.

RACE 2 : WATTLE RANGE COUNCIL / SABOIS TWO-YEARS-OLD & OVER MAIDEN PLATE - 1400 metres

TROUBLED GLASS (E. Boyd) stood flat-footed and was slow to begin.

MONDATCHEV (A. Herrmann) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out, bumping SCARBELLY BUTCH (J. Frew).

SCARBELLY BUTCH (J. Frew) raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

In the vicinity of the 600 metres SCARBELLY BUTCH (J. Frew) shifted out to improve around the heels of GLEN APPIN (R. Stewart) and as a result MONDATCHEV (A. Herrmann) was momentarily inconvenienced when taken on the track.

In the vicinity of the 250 metres TROUBLED GLASS (E. Boyd) had to momentarily steady when DEVARICH (J. Potter) shifted out. J. Potter was reminded of his obligations when shifting ground in future.

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

RACE 3 : TODDS PHOTOGRAPHICS / CAMERON LOCK SURVEYING / SABOIS 2UP MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 metres

ECO JOE (E. Finnegan) and FORTISSIO (T. Baker) were slow to begin.

ROUGAROU (J. Potter) jumped away awkwardly.

Shortly after the start TRUE EXCEPTION (B. Claridge) shifted out abruptly, inconveniencing VON COSTA GLASS (E. Boyd), which lost its position.

**RACE 3 : TODDS PHOTOGRAPHICS / CAMERON LOCK SURVEYING / SABOIS 2UP
MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 metres (Cont'd)**

VON COSTA GLASS (E. Boyd) was inclined to lay out throughout the event.

OUR WANDO (M. Munday) was inclined to lay out from the vicinity of the 400 metres until the entrance to the straight.

OUR WANDO (M. Munday) laid in under pressure in the straight.

OUR WANDO was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities. Mr. G. Smith, the Trainer of OUR WANDO, was advised a warning has been placed on the gelding's racing manners.

VON COSTA GLASS was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the colt to be lame in the off foreleg. Mrs. S. Jaensch, the Trainer of VON COSTA GLASS, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the colt for a future trial or race.

RACE 4 : OMNIZAR RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1100 metres

DEL CAVALLO (S. Carr) stood flat-footed and as a result was very slow to begin.

Stewards questioned S. Carr, the rider of DEL CAVALLO, with regard to her not using her whip over the concluding stages. She explained she had been instructed by Mr. S. Lenehan, the Trainer of DEL CAVALLO, that the gelding resented the use of the whip and if it was used it would be detrimental to the gelding's chances. Mr. S. Lenehan confirmed his instructions.

DEL CAVALLO was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

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

RACE 5 : ADRIAN THOMAS INDUSTRIAL RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 1400 metres

LAKE EERIE (C. Jokic) was slow to begin.

SHARBO (NZ) (B. Claridge) jumped away awkwardly.

From the entrance to the straight and for the remainder of the race, DISCO BELLE (S. Carr) was held up for clear running when racing on the heels of DADDY'S LITTLELADY (E. Boyd) and to the inside of FORT CHAUVEL (J. Potter).

FOODEATER and DISCO BELLE, which performed below expectations, were examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 6 : COOPERS BENCHMARK 80 HANDICAP - 1100 metres

MORNIN' SAM, which had not raced since 8 December 2012, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who ruled the gelding fit to race.

GRAND TAJ (T. Baker) and LEAD THE WITNESS (S. Carr) were slow to begin.

GRAND TAJ (T. Baker) over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

RACE 6 : COOPERS BENCHMARK 80 HANDICAP - 1100 metres (Cont'd)

CONIDEL (C. Jokic) was held up for clear running when racing on the heels of OGUNDE (E. Boyd) and to the inside of CASINO WIZARD (C. Lindop) from the entrance to the straight to the vicinity of the 200 metres.

Correct Weight for this event was delayed to allow Stewards to review the official footage of the start when T. Baker, the rider of GRAND TAJ, believed he had been denied a fair start. Acting on their own observations and on viewing the official footage it was established that as the gates were released, GRAND TAJ had turned its head towards the inside gate and as a result was slow to begin.

GRAND TAJ, which performed below expectation, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 7 : KATNOOK ESTATE PENOLA CUP - 1700 metres

LUCKZAT (NZ) (K. Walters) was slow to begin.

BACK ON TRACK (M. Munday) pulled hard in the early and middle stages of the event.

M. Munday, the rider of BACK ON TRACK, reported in his opinion the gelding pulled up in a distressed manner. BACK ON TRACK was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding to be lame in the near foreleg. Mrs. S. Murphy, the Trainer of BACK ON TRACK, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the gelding for a future trial or race.

RACE 8 : THOMAS DE GARIS & CLARKSON RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1700 metres

TRICK 'N' TREAT (J. Potter) raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

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

SWABBING (3):

- Race 3 SCROLL (winner)
 - Race 4 KAYJAYEM (NZ) (winner)
 - Race 7 MR JOURNEYMAN (winner)
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SUMMARY	
FINES	Nil
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Nil
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 3 – OUR WANDO – Warned – Racing manners. Race 3 – VON COSTA GLASS - Not to race – Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race – Lameness off foreleg. Race 7 – BACK ON TRACK - Not to race – Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race – Lameness near foreleg.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil