THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Gawler Racecourse by the Gawler & Barossa Jockey Club on Thursday, 7 May 2015

<u>Stewards</u>: J. Petzer (Chairman), S. Callanan (HT) & C. Deakin (F) (Stewards) D. Southgate & M. Featherston (Deputy Stewards), Dr. P. Horridge (Veterinary Surgeon).

TRACK: Soft 6

WEATHER: Overcast

RAIL: Out 4 metres entire

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	YARN	J. Maund	T. Pannell	Indisposed
3	MAKO MAGIC	"	"	"
4	REBER	J. Holder		Late declaration
4	SOME DO	J. Maund	A. Herrmann	Indisposed
4	GOOD CALL BAD CALL	D. Tourneur		Notified
5	DENY DENY DENY	J. Maund	T. Baker	Indisposed
8	LA BELLA BAROSSA	J. Maund		Notified
8	LA BELLA BAROSSA	"	T. Baker	Indisposed
8	PENNY FOR A POUND	J. Toeroek		Notified

RACE 1 : GOLDFIN FARMS BAROSSA CUP 17 MAY / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1711 metres

Stewards acceded to a request from Mr N. Smart, the Trainer of MISS ELLA JAY on Wednesday, 6 May 2015 to permit the filly to race with a glue-on-shoe on its near hind. MISS ELLA JAY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon prior to the event who passed the filly fit to race.

Mr N. Smart, the Trainer of MISS ELLA JAY, advised Stewards prior to the event that he would instruct his rider, J. Matthews, to attempt to obtain a position forward of midfield with cover in today's event.

CATCH ME LATAR (C. Jones) was slow to begin.

Inside the 400 metres DAKASHA'S PRIDE (J. Bowditch) rolled in and momentarily inconvenienced SPARKLING HOSTESS (A. Herrmann), which was steadied. J. Bowditch was reminded of his obligations when his mounts commence to shift ground.

MISS ELLA JAY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

SPARKLING HOSTESS was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 2 : SANDERS FODDER / MITAVITE / SABOIS THREE-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1511 metres

Shortly after the start SHARP THREADS (C. Jones) rolled out and tightened PAREE BOY (J. Potter) onto the heels of FREDERATION (S. Price) as that horse improved to take up a forward position. As a consequence J. Potter was obliged to steady his mount and was unable to maintain his position.

BELLA SPOSA (J. Holder) raced greenly and was inclined to lay in, in the straight.

SHARP THREADS was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 3 : REAL ESTATE AGENTS / SABOIS PLUS MAIDEN / CLASS 1 PLATE - 2122 metres

Acting on confirmed advice from Mr M. Faust, the Trainer of HENRY THE DOLPHIN that the gelding had injured itself in the float en route to the course and would be unfit to race, Stewards withdrew HENRY THE DOLPHIN at 11.41 am.

SUPERHEIST (J. Bowditch) raced keenly in the early stages of the event.

Inside the 1700 metres JUNIOR (E. Boyd) became awkwardly placed on the heels of RED RIBBON (D. Tourneur) for a number of strides.

Between the 700 metres and the 600 metres JUNIOR (E. Boyd) again became awkward on the heels of RED RIBBON (D. Tourneur) as that horse shifted about.

MONOPOLE (J. Holder), which commenced to lay out shortly after the entrance to the straight, shifted out and inside the 200 metres inconvenienced OKAHU BAY (M. Neilson), which was momentarily steadied. Thereafter MONOPOLE continued to lay out for the remainder of the event despite the efforts of its rider.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow Mr M. Neilson and Mr P. Stokes the rider and Trainer of OKAHU BAY to view the official vision in the straight. After doing so M. Neilson lodged a protest against MONOPOLE being declared the winner on the grounds of alleged interference from the entrance to the straight to the winning post. After considering the evidence, on viewing the official footage and acting on their own observations, Stewards *dismissed* the protest.

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

RACE 4 : YOUNG GUNS DAY SATURDAY 11 JULY MAIDEN PLATE - 1211 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes owing to an interstate delay.

GOOD CALL BAD CALL (D. Tourneur) and WATCH THE WOLF (C. Lindop) were slow to begin.

Shortly after the start DEGILIO (P. Gatt) commenced to buck severely for some distance. As a consequence P. Gatt was unable to fully assist the filly in running and lost contact with the field. Mr J. Hyam, the Trainer of DEGILIO, was advised in view of the filly's behaviour it would be required to trial to Stewards satisfaction in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race. DEGILIO was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a lower than expected heart rate.

RACE 4 : YOUNG GUNS DAY SATURDAY 11 JULY MAIDEN PLATE - 1211 metres (Cont'd)

Inside the 200 metres HAZY LANE (E. Boyd), which raced greenly and was inclined to lay in, shifted in taking PERUVIAN POWER (K. Bishop) in onto FORGET THE POSSE (T. Pannell), which was tightened onto HARLEY (S. Price), which had commenced to lay out and shifted out. As a consequence FORGET THE POSSE had to be steadied.

Mr D. Haliday, the Trainer of REBER, was reprimanded in relation in failing to declare a rider for this gelding by the time laid down for this purpose.

MORE VALUE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding to be lame in both hind legs. Co-Trainers Mr T. Dansie and Ms N. Storr were advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the gelding for a future trial or race.

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

RACE 5 : PEPPERJACK WINES MAIDEN PLATE - 1211 metres

Acting on confirmed advice from Mr J. Hyam, the Trainer of LONDON TRADER, that the gelding had swelling in its off hind hock, Stewards declared LONDON TRADER to be a late scratching at 10.44 am.

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes owing to GOLDEN VALUE and SUPER SWIFT proving difficult to load. Trainers Mr K. Buick and Mr P. Seater were advised a warning had been placed on GOLDEN VALUE and SUPER SWIFT in relation to their loading manners.

ROMULUS FLIGHT, which was kicked by another runner on arrival at the barriers, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who passed the gelding fit to race.

At the entrance to the straight RENEUTRALIZE (NZ) (D. Tourneur) raced in restricted room between BRILLIANT CREATION (D. Tootell) to its outside and ROMULUS FLIGHT (M. Neilson) to its inside. Shortly thereafter ROMULUS FLIGHT rolled out slightly at the same time as BRILLIANT CREATION rolled in, resulting in RENEUTRALIZE (NZ) clipping the heels of ROMULUS FLIGHT causing D. Tourneur to become severely unbalanced and losing his footing from his near side iron. As a consequence D. Tourneur did not persevere with his riding for the remainder of the event. At a subsequent inquiry, Stewards were unable to determine that any one rider was at fault in respect of the incident. However, in the circumstances, D. Tootell and M. Neilson were reminded of their obligations when their mounts commence to shift ground and D. Tourneur was spoken to in relation to attempting runs for which there was only restricted room available.

J. Bowditch, the rider of GOLDEN VALUE, reported his mount hung out during the event.

Mr P. Stokes, the Trainer of RENEUTRALIZE (NZ), pleaded guilty to a charge under AR117(3) for removing the gelding from the race course within an half an hour of its race, which resulted in Stewards not being able to have the gelding examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon and was fined \$200. In addition Mr Stokes was advised that he would now have to provide a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness in respect of RENEUTRALIZE (NZ), prior to the gelding's next trial or race.

FLINDERS BEAUTY lost its off fore plate during the event.

RACE 6 : WOLF BLASS GREY LABEL 0-62 HANDICAP - 1511 metres

DANOULI (A. Doyle) reared at the start.

Approaching the 400 metres CALL ME PENNY (G. Willoughby), which became held up for clear running shifted in across the running of DE LAGO HERIZ (G. Goold) resulting in G. Goold having to take hold of his mount to avoid the heels of CALL ME PENNY and alter course to the outside of that horse. G. Willoughby 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 Wednesday, 13 May and to conclude at midnight on Saturday, 16 May 2015: a period of three (3) meetings.

B. Thompson, the rider of BEGOR I'M SURE, explained the gelding raced ungenerously in the early stages and was reluctant to settle. He added he was trapped wide without cover in the early and middle stages but when asked for an effort inside the 600 metres, the gelding commenced to give ground, did not respond to his riding in the manner he expected and failed to finish the race off. BEGOR I'M SURE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

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

RACE 7 : COOPERS CLEAR 0-68 HANDICAP - 1211 metres

WANAEA was a late scratching by order of Stewards at 7.38 am when the mare's Trainer, Mr M. Ganderton omitted to scratch by scratching time (7.30 am). Mr Ganderton was found guilty of a breach of LR19.1 for not scratching the mare by the required time and was fined \$200.

In the vicinity of the 300 metres RAIN ATTACK (S. Barr) was unable to obtain clear running for a short distance when racing between GET PRONTO (J. Azzopardi) and WAR THUNDER (G. Goold) and was obliged to alter course to obtain clear running.

RACE 8 : SPORTSBET – WATCH LIVE RACING ON MOBILE / SABOIS F&M RATING 0-68 HANDICAP- 1111 metres

RUGGED ANGEL (J. Holder) jumped away awkwardly, shifted in and contacted SCARLET MORETTA (D. Tourneur).

OUR PROSPECT (C. Jones) jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and inconvenienced BOLDACIOUS GIRL (R. Stewart).

D. Tourneur, the rider of SCARLET MORETTA, reported his mount felt awkward in its action during the event. SCARLET MORETTA was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (8):

Race 1 – PRIDE OF AMERICA (winner)

- Race 2 SOLID BULLET (winner)
- Race 3 MONOPOLE (winner)
- Race 4 DARK IMAGE (winner)
- Race 5 FLINDERS BEAUTY (winner)
- Race 6 DANOULI (winner)
- Race 7 PRIMITIVE MAN (winner)
- Race 8 ANNANDALE LASS (winner)

SUMMARY			
FINES	Race 5 – Mr P. Stokes – Fined \$200 – AR117(3) – Removing RENEUTRALIZE (NZ) before Vet examination. Race 7 – M. Ganderton – Fined \$200 – LR19.1 – Omitted to scratch WANAEA by required time.		
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil		
REPRIMANDS	Race 4 – Mr D. Halliday – LR18.1 – Failing to declare rider		
SUSPENSIONS	Race 6 – G. Willoughby (CALL ME PENNY) – AR137(a) – Careless riding – From midnight 13/5/15 to midnight 16/5/15 – 3 meetings.		
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	J. Maund - Medical Certificate required prior to riding in trackwork, trials or races.		
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 4 - DEGILIO – Suspended – Required to trial in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race – Racing manners (Bucked) Race 4 – MORE VALUE – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to presenting for future trial or race – Lame in both hind legs. Race 5 – GOLDEN VALUE – Warned – Loading manners. Race 5 – SUPER SWIFT – Warned – Loading manners. Race 5 – RENEUTRALIZE (NZ) – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to presenting for a future trial or race – Removed from racecourse without Stewards permission.		
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES			