THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville Racecourse by the South Australian Jockey Club on Saturday, 30 May 2015

Stewards: J. Petzer (Chairman), A. Hayles (F), C. Deakin (HT) & D. Bucknell (M)

(Stewards), D. Southgate, D. Jonas, F. Williams & S. Allen (Deputy Stewards),

Dr. P. Horridge & Dr. B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeons).

TRACK: Soft 5 WEATHER: Overcast

RAIL: Out 10 metres 1200m to 2000m, 8 metres remainder

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
4	JOAMBLE	S. Price	K. Bishop	Overweight
6	JUST A SPARK	Z. Spain		Notified
6	CALL ME PENNY	A. Doyle		"
9	SILVER SEBRING	Z. Spain		"

RACE 1 : SCHWEPPES HANDICAP - 1600 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately four minutes owing to QADIR, which lost its near fore plate in the mounting enclosure, requiring Farrier attention at the barriers. QADIR proved very fractious when being replated and the Farrier was unable to refit the plate, Stewards, after consulting with Mr. D. Jolly, the Trainer of QADIR, permitted the gelding to race bare footed in front. QADIR was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who ruled the gelding fit to race.

DR DAPPER (P. Gatt) over-raced in the early stages of the event.

J. Holder, the rider of QADIR, explained the gelding travelled well until in the vicinity of the 350 metres but when placed under pressure did not let down and failed to finish the race off in the manner he expected. QADIR was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 2: WILLIAM HILL HANDICAP - 2500 metres

Mr. B. Williams, the Trainer of CAROUN (IRE), advised Stewards he would instruct Jockey T. Pannell to attempt to settle forward of mid-field if possible.

From in the vicinity of the 500 metres KING OF DUDES (GB) (C. Jones) was held up for clear running when racing between the heels of CAROUN (IRE) (T. Pannell), which commenced to weaken, and RICHARD THE (J. Potter) and only obtained clear running on straightening.

SWACADELIC (GER) (D. Tourneur) laid out throughout the event and inside the 100 metres shifted out and became awkwardly placed on the heels of COUNT ENCOSTA (H. Coffey) and had to be steadied.

Correct Weight for this event was delayed to allow J. Holder, the rider of the second placegetter FLYING CASINO, and that gelding's Trainer, Mr. J. Hickmott, to view the official footage from rounding the home turn.

RACE 2: WILLIAM HILL HANDICAP - 2500 metres (Cont'd)

H. Coffey, the rider of COUNT ENCOSTA, reported his mount felt sore on pulling up and for that reason he dismounted from the gelding. COUNT ENCOSTA was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding had strained its off fore superficial digital flexor tendon. First Aid was administered. Mr. D. Weir, the Trainer of COUNT ENCOSTA, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the gelding for a future trial or race.

D. Tourneur, the rider of SWACADELIC (GER), reported his mount hung out throughout the event. SWACADELIC (GER) was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

DOUBLY SURE (NZ) was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding bled from the off side nostril only. Miss K Byrnes, the Trainer of DOUBLY SURE (NZ), was advised the gelding would be required to gallop satisfactorily over 1000 metres in the presence of a Steward prior to accepting for a future race. Miss K. Byrnes, advised Stewards the gelding would now be retired.

RICHARD THE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported gelding to be suffering post-race thumps. First Aid was administered.

RACE 3: FARMERS UNION ICED COFFEE HANDICAP - 1200 metres

Acting on confirmed telephone advice from Mr. R. Jolly, the Trainer of HAZY LANE, that the filly was exhibiting symptoms of the onset of a respiratory infection and was unfit to race, Stewards withdrew HAZY LANE at 9.06 am.

CENTURIUS (S. Price) jumped away awkwardly.

DROPPED (H. Coffey) pulled hard in the early stages and was difficult to restrain.

SEEK TO DESTROY (T. Pannell) over-raced in the early stages of the event.

ECLAIR ATTACK (D. Tourneur) raced greenly in the straight and laid in at various stages.

SIR CHARLESTON (NZ) (P. Gatt) laid in, in the straight.

P. Gatt, the rider of SIR CHARLESTON (NZ), explained the gelding responded to his riding in the early part of the straight but then commenced to lay in and failed to finish the race off over the concluding stages. SIR CHARLESTON (NZ) was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 4: PROJECTION GRAPHICS HANDICAP - 1800 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately two minutes owing to the tongue tie on THE BEAUTIFUL WIFE having to be replaced on arrival at the start.

GRAND GROUP (A. Doyle) was tightened between THE BEAUTIFUL WIFE (S. Carr) and NOVIKOV (Z. Spain), which both jumped away awkwardly and shifted ground.

In the vicinity of the 500 metres THE BEAUTIFUL WIFE (S. Carr) raced in restricted room between CLANGSTARS ACE (J. Holder), to its outside, and FIELLO (T. Pannell), which shifted out slightly.

At the entrance to the straight UMALUKA (E. Boyd) was disappointed for clear running for a short distance when racing behind DUCHOVNY (P. Gatt) and JOAMBLE (K. Bishop).

RACE 4: PROJECTION GRAPHICS HANDICAP - 1800 metres (Cont'd)

J. Holder, the rider of CLANGSTARS ACE, reported he felt there may be something amiss with his mount on pulling up and for that reason he dismounted from the gelding. CLANGSTARS ACE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding had strained its near fore superficial digital flexor tendon. First Aid was administered. Mr. M. Williams, the Trainer of CLANGSTARS ACE, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the gelding for a future trial or race.

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

NOVIKOV was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported an abrasion over the outside sesamoid on the near hind leg. First Aid was administered.

RACE 5: MITTYS HANDICAP - 1050 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately two minutes owing to BAY ROAD, which was very fractious and got its off foreleg over the front of its barrier after being loaded, having to be examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who ruled the gelding unfit to race. Acting on that advice, Stewards withdrew BAY ROAD at 1.45 pm. Mr. R. Jolly, the Trainer of BAY ROAD, was advised the gelding would be required to load without delay in an Official Barrier Trial or an Approval to Race Jump Out prior to accepting for a future race.

MISTER ROCKSTAR (R. Hurdle) jumped away awkwardly.

On jumping away NORDIC ECLIPSE (S. Carr) and MISS MARGARITA (E. Boyd) contacted when both horses shifted ground.

NORDIC ECLIPSE (S. Carr) raced wide without cover throughout the event.

From in the vicinity of the 400 metres OVERSTREET (J. Maund) was held up for clear running for a short distance when racing behind I AM THE GENERAL (J. Holder).

NORDIC ECLIPSE (S. Carr) commenced to lay in, in the vicinity of the 300 metres and shifted in, placing MISS MARGARITA (E. Boyd), which was following, at a disadvantage for several strides. As a consequence MISS MARGARITA was obliged to alter course to the outside of NORDIC ECLIPSE and shortly thereafter brushed with OVERSTREET (J. Maund) and raced in restricted room to the inside of that gelding for several strides.

I AM THE GENERAL (J. Holder) was inclined to lay in over the concluding stages of the event.

PATCH HERO lost its near fore plate during the event.

- S. Carr, the rider of NORDIC ECLIPSE, reported her saddle slipped back shortly after jumping away.
- R. Hurdle, the rider of MISTER ROCKSTAR, reported his mount felt awkward in its action near the 150 metres. MISTER ROCKSTAR was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported an elevated heart rate.

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

RACE 6: MEDALLION HOMES CLASS 2 HANDICAP - 1600 metres

Acting on confirmed advice from Mr. C. Bieg, the Trainer of KINETIC ENERGY, that the gelding had an abscess in the off hind hoof and was unfit to race, Stewards withdrew KINETIC ENERGY at 8.40 am.

JUST A SPARK (Z. Spain) was slow to begin.

URANIA BELLE (R. Bell) and CALL ME PENNY (A. Doyle) jumped away awkwardly.

In the vicinity of the 1200 metres ACID FLO (S. Carr) shifted in to take up a forward position and in doing so tightened GRIMALDI (J. Maund) onto SIR DYLAN (J. Holder), which was taken in onto CALL ME PENNY (A. Doyle), resulting in these three horses racing in restricted room for a number of strides and SIR DYLAN and CALL ME PENNY contacting. S. Carr was severely reprimanded and advised to take greater care when shifting ground in future. Shortly thereafter ACID FLO slackened the pace, resulting in CALL ME PENNY becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of ACID FLO for a number of strides and having to be restrained. S. Carr was severely reprimanded and advised against the practice of excessively slackening the pace in future.

COME FOLLOW ME (R. Hurdle) raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event and laid out over the concluding stages.

S. Carr, the rider of ACID FLO, explained she had been instructed and intended to settle forward of mid-field with cover, however, having regard to the pace in the event and the runners to her inside not showing a lot of pace, she was trapped wide without cover approaching the 1200 metres and elected to roll forward and lead in the event.

ACID FLO, COME FOLLOW ME and NOVEL IDEA were examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 7: MOET & CHANDON HANDICAP - 1200 metres

SALUTE TO JUDE, which was fractious in the float en route to the course, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon on arrival on course who reported an abrasion to the near hind stifle. On arrival at the barriers SALUTE TO JUDE was again examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who ruled the gelding fit to race.

SALUTE TO JUDE (D. Tourneur) and HEZA BARGAIN (H. Coffey) knuckled on jumping away.

BELGIETTO (B. Claridge) jumped away awkwardly.

THEATREMAN (C. Jones) slipped behind on jumping away.

HOUSE OF WAX (T. Pannell) raced wide without cover in the early and middle stages of the event.

SECRETMENSBUSINESS (Z. Spain) laid out from in the vicinity of the home turn.

C. Jones, the rider of THEATREMAN, explained as a result of the gelding slipping on jumping away she was unable to take up a forward position behind the leaders as intended and was obliged to settle back. She added the gelding finished the race off only fairly. THEATREMAN was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

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

RACE 8: SPY THE MOVIE HANDICAP - 1050 metres

At the entrance to the straight AURUMCERT (R. Hurdle) shifted out to improve and tightened KOSCIUSZKO'S SIDE (J. Holder) onto MR GOOD CAT (C. Jones), resulting in KOSCIUSZKO'S SIDE contacting MR GOOD CAT, being hampered and unable to maintain its position. R. Hurdle 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 Monday, 8 June and to conclude at midnight on Wednesday, 17 June 2015; a period of four (4) meetings.

EL PRADO GOLD, OGUNDE and MR GOOD CAT were examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 9: DRINK DRIVING? GROW UP HANDICAP - 1050 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately two minutes owing to the horses arriving late to the barriers.

CASH IS COMING (C. Jones) and SILVER SEBRING (Z. Spain) jumped away awkwardly and contacted at the same time as CON NOW (J. Holder) jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and contacted CASH IS COMING. As a consequence CON NOW shifted back in away from CASH IS COMING onto AZZCOOL (P. Gatt), contacting that mare, which was taken in onto FLYIN' FOR ME (R. Hurdle), which was inconvenienced when taken in onto the hindquarters of HERENOA (S. Cahill), which in turn had to be steadied when taken in.

KNOXVILLE (J. Maund) slipped behind on jumping away.

FLYIN' FOR ME (R. Hurdle) over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

A. Doyle, the rider of ZANDERCAN, 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 on consecutive occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

J. Maund, the rider of KNOXVILLE, reported his mount slipped behind on jumping away.

MARBLE RYE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding to be lame in the near foreleg. Mr. G. Richards, the Trainer of MARBLE RYE, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the gelding for a future trial or race.

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

PRE RACE SAMPLES (21):

Blood Samples were taken from the following horses:

- Race 2 COUNT ENCOSTA, SWACADELIC (GER), KING OF DUDES (GB), CAROUN (IRE), CLARIFY, FLYING CASINO, RICHARD THE.
- Race 3 COUNTER PULSE, SIR CHARLESTON (NZ), ECLAIR ATTACK.
- Race 4 ARTISTIC LASS, CLANGSTARS ACE.
- Race 6 BABITZIN, HADDA COUPLE, ACID FLO.
- Race 7 HEZA BARGAIN, SALUTE TO JUDE, SATURDAY AFFAIR, SCRETEMENSBUSINESS.
- Race 9 HERENOA, AZZCOOL.

POST RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (1):

Race 1 QADIR.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (11):

Race 1	BY THE GRACE (winner)	Race 6	HADDA COUPLE (winner)
Race 2	CLARIFY (winner)	Race 7	SALUTE TO JUDE (winner)
Race 3	COUNTER PULSE (winner)	Race 8	BELESRON (winner)
Race 3	ECLAIR ATTACK (second)	Race 9	CASH IS COMING (winner)
Race 4	ARTISTIC LASS (winner)	Race 9	HERENOA (second)
Race 5	CASHED (winner)		

SUMMARY				
FINES	Race 4 – S. Price – Fined \$200 - AR120(b) – Overweight and having to be replaced on JOAMBLE.			
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 6 – S. Carr (ACID FLO) – AR137(a) – Careless riding. Race 6 – S. Carr (ACID FLO) – AR137(d) – Careless riding in slackening the pace.			
REPRIMANDS	Race 9 – A. Doyle (ZANDERCAN) – AR137A(5)(a)(i)[+2] – Whip Offence.			
SUSPENSIONS	Race 8 – R. Hurdle (AURUMCERT) – AR137(a) – Careless Riding – From midnight 8/6/15 to conclude at midnight 17/6/15 – 4 meetings.			
MEDICAL CLEARANCES	Nil			
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 2 – COUNT ENCOSTA - Not to race – Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race – Strained off fore superficial digital flexor tendon.			
	Race 2 – DOUBLY SURE (NZ) – Bled one nostril – Required to gallop satisfactorily over 1000m in presence of a Steward prior to accepting for a future race – AR53A(7).			
	Race 5 – BAY ROAD – Suspended – Required to load without delay in Official Barrier Trial or Approval to Race Jump Out prior to accepting for future race – Fractious in barriers.			
	Race 4 – CLANGSTARS ACE - Not to race – Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race – Strained near fore superficial digital flexor tendon.			
	Race 9 – MARBLE RYE - Not to race – Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race – Lame near foreleg.			
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil			

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