

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at the Penola Racecourse
by the Mount Gambier Racing Club on Sunday, 31 May 2015

Stewards: J. Petzer (Chairman), C. Deakin (M), S. Callanan (HT), R. Spillman (Stewards),
J. Foster & S. Bright (Deputy Steward), Dr. D. Goulding (Veterinary Surgeon)

TRACK: Soft 6 (Downgraded to Soft 7 @ 10.15 and
Heavy 8 @ 11.35 am retrospective to Race 1)

WEATHER: Showery

RAIL: True

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
4	FRACKING (IRE)	E. Creighton		Late declaration
5	STREET GLASS	B. Claridge	E. Creighton	Overweight

RACE 1 : PLENARY GROUP / SABOIS TWO-YEARS-OLD & OVER MAIDEN PLATE -
1100 metres

Acting on Veterinary advice that the filly had injured its near side hip en route to the course in the float, SINECURE was a late scratching by order of Stewards at 10.45 am.

SIR EIFFEL (E. Boyd) jumped away very awkwardly, shifted out abruptly and contacted the hindquarters of MISTA HOLYFIELD (H. McKechnie).

HASTA LA GERRY (M. Munday) was slow to begin losing two lengths.

SIR EIFFEL (E. Boyd) over-raced in the early stages and in the middle stages continued to over-race and became very ungenerous and awkward on heels of runners, placing E. Boyd at a disadvantage for a short distance. Trainer, Mr R. Gilchrist was advised a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its racing manners.

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

The track was downgraded to a Heavy 8 at 11.35 am retrospective to Race 1.

RACE 2 : FAIRTHORNE FORESTRY / SABOIS TWO-YEARS-OLD & OVER MAIDEN
PLATE - 1300 metres

MR CRISPY (NZ) was a late scratching by order of Stewards at 12.01 pm when the gelding refused to load into its barrier stall. Trainer, Mr W. Walters was advised that MR CRISPY (NZ) would now have to load without delay in an Official Barrier Trial or Approval to Race Jump Out prior to presenting for a future race.

BIANMAGIC (H. McKechnie) and FICKLE TIME (E. Boyd) stood flat footed as the gates were released and lost many lengths. Mrs S. Murphy, the Trainer of BIANMAGIC and Mr R. Gilchrist, the Trainer of FICKLE TIME was advised a warning had been placed on their respective horses in relation to starting on terms.

RACE 2 : FAIRTHORNE FORESTRY / SABOIS TWO-YEARS-OLD & OVER MAIDEN PLATE - 1300 metres (Cont'd)

In the vicinity of the 800 metres MY MONA LISA (C. Hall), which had commenced to over-race became very awkwardly placed on the heels of VICTORY DOWNS (C. Puls), clipped that gelding's heels, stumbled and dislodged C. Hall. As a consequence SHARK MAGIC (S. Carr) and EMERALD LANE (T. Baker), which were following, were inconvenienced in avoiding the fallen rider. C. Hall was examined by the by the First Care Medical Personnel and passed fit to fulfil her remaining engagements.

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

RACE 3 : BEAUREPAIRES / SABOIS TWO-YEARS-OLD & OVER MAIDEN PLATE - 1600 metres

ECO JOE (E. Boyd) was slow to begin.

GREEN DAISY (C. Hall) jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and contacted ROYAL MINT (NZ) (K. Walters).

HASTA LA DYLAN (M. Munday) over-raced in the early stages of the event.

Rounding the home turn ECO JOE (E. Boyd) improved onto the heels of HASTA LA DYLAN (M. Munday), which had commenced to weaken and was obliged to be steadied and altered course to the outside of HASTA LA DYLAN to obtain clear running.

GREEN DAISY (C. Hall) laid in, in the straight.

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

RACE 4 : GAMBIER EARTH MOVERS RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 1700 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately three minutes owing to FRACKING (IRE) proving difficult to load. Mr E. Musgrove, the Trainer of FRACKING (IRE) was advised a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its loading manners.

MR LAMBORGHINI (C. Hall) jumped away awkwardly.

KIRVIC (D. Tourneur) was slow to begin.

LITTLE AUDREY (R. Bell) raced keenly in the early stages of the event.

In the vicinity of the 100 metres FRACKING (IRE) (E. Creighton) shifted out to improve taking TROUBLED GLASS (E. Boyd) wider on the track before crossing that horse's running, resulting in TROUBLED GLASS having to alter course to obtain clear running and MR LAMBORGHINI (C. Hall) being momentarily inconvenienced. E. Creighton was severely reprimanded and advised to take greater care when shifting ground in future.

E. Creighton, the rider of FRACKING (IRE), reported the saddle slipped back in running during the event placing him at a disadvantage.

RACE 5 : CARLTON MID RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1100 metres

As the start was effected DEL CAVALLO (C. Hall) stood flat-footed and refused to jump losing many lengths.

Approaching the 100 metres HELANDY (C. Puls) shifted to the outside of ON THE REBOUND (S. Carr) to improve its position and in doing so crossed the running of STREET GLASS (E. Creighton) tightening that horse onto BUNUMBURT (J. Potter), which rolled in slightly. As a consequence E. Creighton was obliged to check his mount to avoid the heels of HELANDY and became held up for clear running and was untested to the line. C. Puls, the rider of HELANDY pleaded guilty to a charge of Careless Riding under AR137(a) in that she shifted ground when insufficiently clear and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence at midnight on Monday, 1 June and to conclude at midnight on Sunday, 7 June 2015, a period of three (3) meetings.

Correct Weight for this event was delayed to view the start in relation to DEL CAVALLO. It was determined that DEL CAVALLO had not been impeded at the start and in view of this gelding's history and its refusal to jump with the field today, Mr S. Lenehan, the Trainer of DEL CAVALLO, was advised the gelding must jump on terms with the field in an Official Barrier Trial prior to being presented for a future race. Mr Lenehan advised Stewards the gelding would now be retired.

RACE 6 : THE BORDERWATCH RATING 0-62 HANDICAP (Division 1) - 1300 metres

SEAHORSE STAR (J. Potter) slipped on jumping away.

DADDY'S LITTLELADY (C. Jokic) was tightened at the start between BEL CASA (E. Creighton) and THE LONE RANGA (E. Boyd), which both jumped away awkwardly and shifted ground.

CAYNHAM (H. McKechnie) jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and contacted LEATHAL'S LEGACY (C. Hall).

In the vicinity of the 700 metres SEAHORSE STAR (J. Potter) got its head up and raced ungenerously for a short distance before shifting out abruptly taking IRON FOCUS (J. Frew) wider on the track for a short distance. When being restrained by J. Potter, SEAHORSE STAR, then dropped back in the field and trailed the field before being ridden forward again by its rider. J. Potter explained that in the vicinity of the 700 metres the horse got its head to the side and he was unable to control the gelding which continued to shift out despite his efforts. As a consequence he restrained his mount and dropped back in the field. J. Potter added that thereafter, once the horse had settled, he commenced to ride the gelding forward again but stated the horse was difficult to steer during the event and laid in, in the straight. SEAHORSE STAR was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities. Mrs S. Hayes, the Trainer of SEAHORSE STAR was advised in view of the gelding's racing manners, it would now be required to race tractably in an Official Barrier Trial prior to its next start.

BON ELISE (J. Maund) and BEL CASA (E. Creighton) both shifted ground over the concluding stages and contacted on several occasions.

C. Jones, the rider of KOSMOS TERCEDES, was permitted to fulfil her engagement despite not being able to claim down to her minimum riding weight and in the circumstances was allowed to claim only one and a half kilograms.

RACE 7 : CARLTON MID VOLCANO HANDICAP - 1300 metres

CONSOLIDATED GALSS was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon on arrival at the barriers and passed fit to race.

RACE 7 : CARLTON MID VOLCANO HANDICAP - 1300 metres (Cont'd)

MORNIN' SAM (M. Munday) jumped away very awkwardly and was slow to begin. M. Munday, the rider of MORNIN' SAM, explained in his opinion the gelding was not suited to today's underfoot conditions. MORNIN' SAM was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

J. Frew, the rider of ACE OR JOKA reported that in his opinion the gelding was not suited to the underfoot conditions. ACE OR JOKA, which performed below expectations, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 8 : SCOTT GROUP OF COMPANIES MT GAMBIER GOLD CUP - 2100 metres

No report

RACE 9 : KOONARA WINES RATING 0-62 HANDICAP (Division 2) - 1300 metres

Stewards acceded to a request by Mr P. Hardacre, the Trainer of AFFLECK, to scratch the gelding from the event due to the track downgrade. Stewards declared AFFLECK a late scratching at 12.19 pm.

LE MARO (H. McKechnie) jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and tightened JACKS JOURNEY (R. Mayers) onto ANGUS CAROLUS (C. Puls), resulting in ANGUS CAROLUS's hindquarters being turned.

SOLITARY MAN (NZ) (K. Walters) rolled out in the vicinity of the 100 metres and inconvenienced SPIN THE BOTTLE (C. Hall).

PRE-RACE SAMPLES (11):

Blood Samples were taken from the following horse:

- Race 7 KIORA
 - Race 8 EVENMOREACTION, STABLE STAR, WOAKWINE, BREDLIGN (NZ), PRACTICED, WELCOME NED, SANDHILL CHIEF, MANAROLA MAGIC, IT'S MARTINI TIME, PEACE AN QUIET
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ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (4):

- Race 1 – DUKE OF EARL (winner)
 - Race 2 – VICTORY DOWNS (winner)
 - Race 6 – BON ELISE (winner)
 - Race 8 – STABLE STAR (winner)
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SUMMARY	
FINES	Mr E. Musgrove – Fined \$100 – LR18.1 – Failing to declare a rider for FRACKING (IRE) (Race 4) and KOSMOS TERCEDES (Race 6) by the stipulated time. Race 5 – B. Claridge - \$200 – AR120(b) - Overweight and having to be replaced on STREET GLASS.
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 4 – E. Creighton – AR137(a) – Careless riding.

SUMMARY (Cont'd)	
REPRIMANDS	Nil
SUSPENSIONS	Race 5 – C. Puls (HELANDY) – AR137(a) – Careless Riding – From midnight 1/6/15 to 7/6/15 – 3 meetings.
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	<p>Race 1 – SIR EIFFEL – Warned – Racing manners Race 2 – MR CRISPY (NZ) – Suspended – Required to load without delay in an Official Barrier Trial or Approval to Race Jump Out prior to presenting for a future race – Refused to load. Race 2 – BIANMAGIC – Warned – Starting on terms. Race 2 – FICKLE TIME – Warned – Starting on terms. Race 4 – FRACKING (IRE) – Warned – Loading manners. Race 5 – DEL CAVALLO – Suspended – Required to jump on terms in an Official Barrier Trial prior to presenting for a future race – Refusing to jump. 6 - SEAHORSE STAR - Suspended - Required to race tractably in an Official Barrier prior to presenting for a future race – Racing manners.</p>
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil