

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville Parks Racecourse
by the South Australian Jockey Club on Saturday, 31 October 2015

Stewards: J. Petzer (Chairman), A. Hayles (HT), D. Bucknell (F) & M. Williams (M) (Stewards), D. Southgate, D. Jonas, P. Downey, F. Williams & N. Coldbeck (Deputy Stewards), Dr. P. Horridge & Dr. A. Fuller (Veterinary Surgeons).

TRACK: Good 4 (*Upgraded to Good 3 @ 12.46 pm, retrospective to Race 2*) **WEATHER:** Fine

RAIL: True

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
9	NIGHT BREEZE	M. Neilson		Notified

RACE 1 : WILLIAM HILL TWO-YEAR-OLD PLATE - 1000 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately three minutes.

NORTHERN LASS (J. Holder) – steadied momentarily near the 200m when racing inside the heels of BULLION WOLF, which rolled in. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a minor laceration to the off foreleg. First Aid administered.

CAYMAN DAYZE (J. Maund) – raced greenly in the straight.

DAY SPA (M. Neilson) – rider struck in face by his mount in the mounting yard. On arrival at the start M. Neilson examined by First Care Medical personnel who passed him fit to fulfil his remaining engagements. Raced keenly for a short distance inside the 800m.

LUCKY WICK (T. Pannell) – held up for a short distance inside the 400m and raced greenly in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

NEAPOLITAN (NZ) (E. Finnegan) - fractious dislodging rider en route to barriers. Galloped riderless for a considerable distance before being captured. Stewards withdrew NEAPOLITAN (NZ) at 12.00 noon. E. Finnegan examined by First Care Medical personnel and passed fit to fulfil her remaining engagements. Warning issued – Ms. R. Hodson, representing Trainer Mr. P. Stokes, was advised any future instances of similar behaviour may result in Stewards taking stronger action.

Correct Weight delayed to allow J. Holder (NORTHERN LASS), placed second, to view the official footage in the straight.

RACE 2 : AKEED MOFEED AT GOLDIN FARMS HANDICAP - 1950 metres

OCTOBER DATE (S. Cahill) – held up for clear running from approaching the 400m until near the 200m.

BEWARE OF THESTORM (J. Toeroek) – jumped away awkwardly.

CELESTIAL STORY (C. Lindop) – performed poorly. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 3 : QUAYCLEAN HANDICAP - 1550 metres

DEFIANT ANGEL (E. Finnegan) – raced wide without cover from in the vicinity of the 700m.

RACE 3 : QUAYCLEAN HANDICAP - 1550 metres (Cont'd)

BACK ON TARGET (S. Cahill) – rider explained he had no specific instructions, however, having regard for the apparent pace in the event, intended to, and was able to settle on pace outside the leader. He added the gelding travelled strongly in the early stages and on straightening he was confident the gelding had something to offer but at the same time was conscious of the fact it only has a relatively short sprint. He stated from inside the 300m, when asked for an effort, the gelding, whilst initially responding to his riding, flattened out on its run over the concluding stages. S. Cahill added the additional weight carried today may have also had a bearing on the gelding's performance. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MAGICAL PEARL (S. Price) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

BURNRO (P. Gatt) – shifted out near the 700m and contacted DEFIANT ANGEL, resulting in that gelding being taken wider. P. Gatt reported his saddle slipped back shortly after the start and rounding the home turn was inclined to shift sideways and as a consequence he was placed at a disadvantage and unable to fully test his mount to the line.

EXALTED JOURNEY (S. Carr) – lost near fore plate during the event.

RACE 4 : DAVID LOY MAIDEN PLATE - 1400 metres

OWL ON THE PROWL (K. Bishop) – laid out rounding the turn near the 1000m and raced wide without cover for some distance.

THE BRIGHTONIAN (P. Denton) – a pre-race veterinary examination ruled the gelding fit to race. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

WALKABOUTCREEK (S. Price) – jumped away awkwardly and shifted out, contacting THAT COOL TIGER.

EXPRESSEN (R. Hurdle) – jumped away awkwardly.

CHINA TOWN (Z. Spain) – laid out under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 5 : EXELSUPER HANDICAP - 1250 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately six minutes.

CARO KANN (E. Finnegan) – jumped away awkwardly. Rider reported the gelding blundered for no apparent reason approaching the 400m. It was established, on viewing the official footage, the gelding appeared to clip itself when changing stride and became unbalanced. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CENSORSHIP (J. Allen) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

HEARTZ ABLAZE (J. Toeroek) – rider reported his instructions were to obtain a forward position if the filly began on terms but if not to settle back with cover. He added in the circumstances, having regard for the manner in which the filly began, he was obliged to settle back.

DELANANN (R. Hurdle) – eased out of event at entrance to the straight. Rider reported he was concerned with the gelding's action. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

OPTIMIZE (P. Gatt) – required Farrier attention on arrival at barriers – lost near fore shoe. As the filly could not be re-plated, it was agreed to remove the off fore shoe and allow OPTIMIZE to race unshod in front. A pre-race veterinary examination ruled the filly fit to race. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 6 : SCHWEPPE HANDICAP - 1400 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately one minute.

TRUPT (D. Caboche) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

AMPLE ON OFFA (C. Lindop) – held up for a short distance approaching the 200 metres. Rider weighed in more than 0.5kg under the weight at which she weighed out. Acting under AR143(a), Stewards disqualified **AMPLE ON OFFA**. The amended placings were –

First	SAGAPUSS (M. Neilson)
Second	TYCOON QUEEN (K. Bishop)
Third	KHAMSA (J. Bowditch)
Fourth	NIMASAEL (J. Toeroek)
Fifth	TRUPT (D. Caboche)

Correct Weight delayed to allow D. Caboche (TRUPT), placed sixth, to view the official footage in the straight.

Mr. D. Green, registered Foreman, acting for Trainer Mr. C. Bieg, was found guilty of a charge under AR143(b) for negligence in saddling AMPLE ON OFFA in that he left a towel off which had been included by the rider C. Lindop when weighing out, resulting in the rider weighing in underweight and the horse being disqualified. He was fined \$1000.

RACE 7 : PETER ELBERG FUNERALS HANDICAP - 1000 metres

IDATWO (S. Price) – slow to begin. Inclined to lay out in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

LUCKY FLIPPER (J. Potter) – in vicinity of the 800m shifted in taking LIBERTY HILL in onto BOLDACIOUS GIRL inconveniencing both runners. Shifted out to improve in vicinity of 400m and inconvenienced LIBERTY HILL, which shifted out onto IDATWO, which was taken wider. J. Potter was reminded of his obligations when shifting ground in future.

I GOT A TURBO (P. Gatt) – required re-saddling on arrival at the barriers.

RACE 8 : HUGHES CHAUFFEURED LIMOUSINES HANDICAP - 1250 metres

BRIMARVI PRINCE (J. Toeroek) – slow to begin.

DOUBLE POCKETS (R. Hurdle) – rolled out under pressure inside the 200 metres and tightened IT AND A BIT onto EIGELSTEIN (GB), which had to be restrained when awkwardly placed inside JUSTIFY THAT. Apprentice R. Hurdle issued with a severe reprimand.

EIGELSTEIN (GB) (S. Carr) – raced in restricted room near the 200m when tightened by runners to its inside.

SWIFT SHADOW (P. Denton) – shifted in on jumping away and contacted IT AND A BIT. Shifted in near the 1000m taking CHESTNUT CHARLIE off its running line and in onto DOUBLE POCKETS, which had to be checked, losing its position. P. Denton pleaded guilty to a charge of Careless Riding under AR137(a) and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence at midnight on Thursday, 5 November and to conclude at midnight on Wednesday, 11 November 2015; a period of three (3) meetings.

IT AND A BIT (P. Gatt) – slow to begin. Inconvenienced approaching the 1000m when racing in restricted room inside GENEROUS BEAU. Momentarily steadied near the 200m when tightened for running room. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 9 : MAC DRINK DRIVING? GROW UP HANDICAP - 1400 metres

EXALTED APPEAL – fractious in float en route to course. A pre-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the near hind leg due to a laceration and bruising to the hip. Withdrawn by Stewards at 2.20 pm.

SOVEREIGN DUKE (Z. Spain) – held up for clear running at the entrance to the straight. Shifted in near the 300 metres into a tight run between FOREIGN AFFAIR and DAZZLING LILLY and brushed DAZZLING LILLY. Apprentice Z. Spain was fined \$400 under AR137A(4)(b) for using his whip in an action that raised his arm above shoulder height over the concluding stages.

DAZZLING LILLY (J. Bowditch) – lost off fore plate during the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

IT’S FRED (S. Price) – raced ungenerously for a short distance near the 1000m.

FOREIGN AFFAIR (M. Dee) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed an elevated heart rate.

DANGER MOMENT (J. Kah) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PRE RACE SAMPLES (22):

Blood Samples were taken from the following horses for, but not limited to, TCO₂ purposes:

Race 2 OCTOBER DATE, WICKED TYCOON, BEWARE OF THESTORM, CELESTIAL STORY.
Race 3 DEFIANT ANGEL, BACK ON TARGET, MARTIAN (IRE).
Race 4 SUPER SWIFT, THAT COOL TIGER, RUBY FOR HENRY.
Race 5 YOENIS, CENSORSHIP, KERAUNO.
Race 6 TRUPT, ZUCCHERINA, NIMASAEL.
Race 8 DOUBLE POCKETS, EIGELSTEIN (GB), IT AND A BIT, DR DAPPER.
Race 9 IMPULSE DIAVOLO, FOREIGN AFFAIR.

POST RACE BLOOD SAMPLES(1):

Race 4 RUBY FOR HENRY

ROUTINE SWAB (11):

Race 1	BULLION WOLF (winner)	Race 5	YOENIS (winner)
Race 2	HAVE PLENTY (winner)	Race 6	SAGAPUSS (winner)
Race 2	OCTOBER DATE (second)	Race 7	ALABAMA MISSILE (winner)
Race 3	DEFIANT ANGEL (winner)	Race 8	DR DAPPER (winner)
Race 3	BACK ON TARGET (second)	Race 9	FREE THE WIND (winner)
Race 4	RUBY FOR HENRY (winner)		

SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 6 – Mr D Green – Fined \$1000 – AR143(b) – Negligence in saddling. Race 9 – Z. Spain (SOVEREIGN DUKE) – Fined \$400 – AR137A(4)(b) – Whip Offence.
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 8 – R. Hurdle (DOUBLE POCKETS) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.
REPRIMANDS	Nil
SUSPENSIONS	Race 8 – P. Denton (SWIFT SHADOW) – AR137(a) – Careless riding – From midnight 5/11/15 to conclude at midnight 11/11/15 – 3 meetings.
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 – NEAPOLITAN (NZ) – Warned – Dislodged rider en route to barriers and galloped riderless for a considerable distance.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCES	Nil

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