

**Thoroughbred Racing S.A. Limited**  
**STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT**

**Report on Race Meeting held at Kingscote Racecourse**  
**by Kangaroo Island Racing Club on Thursday, 18 February 2016**

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Steward: D. Bucknell (A/Chairman), A. Hayles (HT) & J. Adams (F) (Stewards), N. Coldbeck, R. Ward, R. Tretheway, G. Barrett & R. Ross (Deputy Stewards), Dr. B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeon)

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**TRACK: Good 3**

**WEATHER: Fine**

**Rail: True**

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**RACE 1: FESTIVAL HIRE / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1008 metres**

**MAPPINGA STAR** (B. Griffiths) – inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight. Rider reprimanded and advised to correct his mounts when they commence to shift ground.

**TUFFSKI** (K. Brooks) – began awkwardly and lost ground. Inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight. Approaching the 100 metres was obliged to alter course to the outside of MAPPINGA STAR, which shifted in under pressure. Trainer fined \$50 under AR59A for failing to produce Thoroughbred Identification Card. The horse was permitted to start – identified from records held by Stewards.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow the Stewards to view the footage of the start.

**RACE 2: CALTEX / TURNER FUEL / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1360 metres**

**THAT COOL TIGER** (R. Hurdle) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

**NINA LOUISE** (J. Maund) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was fined \$200.

**RACE 3: PENNESHAW HOTEL RATING 0-58 HANDICAP - 1880 metres**

**FLYING SKIPPER** – late withdrawal by order of Stewards under the provisions of AR178AB(2) at 1.36 pm following a report from the Club's Veterinary Surgeon relating to a small raised haematoma consistent with a reaction following an injection to the gelding's near side jugular. Stewards questioned Mr Scott Whittle, the trainer of the horse and the Club's Veterinary Surgeon and could not be satisfied that the horse had not been injected at any time during the One Clear Day prior to race day. The matter has been adjourned for further investigation.

**SURPRISE US** (A. Doyle) – began awkwardly and raced ungenerously in the early stages of the event.

**GRAND ARROW** (B. Griffiths) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**MADAM KAFOOPS** (D. Caboche) – laid in under pressure in the straight.

**BENET** (W. Kerford) – slow to begin.

**RACE 4: DUDLEY WINES BENCHMARK 80 HANDICAP - 1750 metres**

**IMPRESSIVE YIELD** (J. Potter) – rider could offer no explanation into the poor performance of the gelding. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**LITTLE AUDREY** (K. Brooks) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) in that she used her whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was fined \$200.

**RACE 4: DUDLEY WINES BENCHMARK 80 HANDICAP - 1750 metres (Cont'd)**

**CHAMBRAY** (T. Zanker) – awkwardly placed on the heels of IMPRESSIVE YEILD when making the turn exiting the straight on the first occasion.

**RACE 5: UBET RATING 0-58 HANDICAP - 1360 metres**

**NEHRU** (Jemma Frew) – over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event. Rider reported the gelding raced very keenly throughout the event and she was unable to restrain her mount. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) in that she used her whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was fined \$200.

**ARTIE'S REWARD** (K. Brooks) – rounding the home turn was momentarily held up on the heels of PILLAR OF GOLD.

**SEPTEMBER STORM** (M. Poon) – approaching the 800 metres became awkwardly placed on the heels of NEHRU and was obliged to alter course.

**RACE 6: MAXWELL COOPER MEMORIAL BENCHAMRK 64 HANDICAP - 1008 metres**

**BAITON** (K. Brooks) – bumped another runner on jumping away.

**SAMZERO** (R. Hurdle) – Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(i) in that he used his whip in consecutive strides prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded. Rider also pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was fined \$200.

**NORTH BEACH** (J. Frew) – bumped another runner on jumping away.

**RACE 7: COCA-COLA / JIM BEAM BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1215 metres**

**ON THE REBOUND** (K. Brooks) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(i) in that she used her whip in consecutive strides prior to the 100 metres and was fined \$100. Rider also pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) in that she used her whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was fined \$300.

**HURRICANE SONNY** (Jemma Frew) – approaching the winning post raced in restricted room between ON THE REBOUND and KANGAROO JACK, which shifted in.

**URANIA BELLE** – late withdrawal at 1.43 pm on veterinary advice as the mare was found to be lame in the off hind leg. Veterinary Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race.

**KANGAROO JACK** (A. Doyle) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the near hind leg. Veterinary Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race.

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**PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLE (1):**

Blood sample was taken from the following horse for, but not limited to, TCO<sub>2</sub> purposes:

Race 3 – FLYING SKIPPER

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**ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES: (3)**

Race 3 – MADAM KAFOOPS (winner)

Race 4 – LITTLE AUDREY (winner)

Race 5 – ZOE'S GIFT (winner)

<b>SUMMARY</b>	
<b>FINES</b>	<p>Race 1 – Mr G. Lynch – Fined \$50 – AR59A - Failing to produce TIC for TUFFSKI.</p> <p>Race 2 – J. Maund (NINA LOUISE) – Fined \$200 - AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+4] – Whip offence.</p> <p>Race 4 – K. Brooks (LITTLE AUDREY) – Fined \$200 - AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+2] – Whip offence.</p> <p>Race 5 – Jemma Frew (NEHRU) – Fined \$200 - AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+2] – Whip offence.</p> <p>Race 6 – R. Hurdle (SAMZERO) - Fined \$200 - AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+2] – Whip offence.</p> <p>Race 7 – K. Brooks (ON THE REBOUND) – Fined \$100 - AR137A(5)(a)(i)[+3] – Whip offence.</p> <p>Race 7 – K. Brooks (ON THE REBOUND) – Fined \$300 - AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+2] – Whip offence.</p>
<b>SEVERE REPRIMANDS</b>	Nil
<b>REPRIMANDS</b>	<p>Race 1 – B. Griffiths (MAPPINGA STAR) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.</p> <p>Race 6 – R. Hurdle (SAMZERO) – AR137A(5)(a)(i) – Whip offence</p>
<b>SUSPENSIONS</b>	Nil
<b>HORSE ACTIONS</b>	<p>Race 7 – KANGAROO JACK – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future trial or race – Lamé in near hind leg</p> <p>Race 7 – URANIA BELLE – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future trial or race – Lamé off hind leg.</p>
<b>ADJOURNED INQUIRIES</b>	Race 3 – FLYING SKIPPER - TBA
<b>MEDICAL CLEARANCE</b>	Nil