

**THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED**  
**STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT**

**Report on Race Meeting held at the Port Lincoln Racecourse**  
**by the Port Lincoln Racing Club on Friday, 3 March 2017**

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**Stewards:** S. Callanan (A/Chairman), M. Santoro (HT) & N. Coldbeck (M) (Stewards), P. Dearman (F), G. Harvey & R. Evans (Deputy Stewards), Dr. P. Horridge (Veterinary Surgeon)

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**TRACK:** Good 3

**WEATHER:** Fine

**RAIL:** True.

**RIDER CHANGES:**

<b>Race</b>	<b>Horse</b>	<b>Rider</b>	<b>Replaced By</b>	<b>Reason</b>
1	NATH'S WISH	K. Cross		Late notification – Explanation accepted.
2	STEP LIGHTLY	J. Toeroek		Late notification.
4	SAVANERO (NZ)	S. Price	M. Pegus	Not riding at meeting
4	MINDSTORMS	T. Zanker	D. Caboche	"
9	GOLD BUSKER	B. Claridge	T. Pannell	Indisposed.

**RACE 1: MAGIC MILLIONS/SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1210 metres**

**GET NO ANSWERS** (J. Maund) – inclined to hang out throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be lame in both forelegs. Trainer, Mr J. Hyam, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

**AHECKSTAR** (S. Fawke) – 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 reprimanded. In assessing penalty Stewards took into account S. Fawke's circumstances in the race.

**RACE 2: CLASSICBET BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1390 metres**

**CASINO EXIT** (S. Fawke) – raced wide without cover throughout the event.

**JOKEN JIM** (Z. Spain) – inclined to race keenly throughout the event and in the vicinity of the 600 metres obliged to be eased off of the heels of ALPHA ROMEO.

**STEP LIGHTLY** (J. Toeroek) – Trainer, Mr J. Dunn, was fined \$50 under LR18.1 for a late declaration of rider.

**BEACH GOD** (M. Pegus) – rider reported that the gelding never travelled during the event and dipped on a number of occasions and when asked to improve failed to respond to his riding, and for this reason he elected not ride BEACH GOD out in his normal manner. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**TWISTED MILLER** (D. Caboche) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the near foreleg. Trainer, Mr S. Grivell, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

**RACE 3: AVIS BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1390 metres**

**HEZA GUNN** (J. Potter) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**TICKLE ME ERNIE** (D. Caboche) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

### **RACE 3: AVIS BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1390 metres (cont'd)**

**LUNAR QUEEN** (E. Boyd) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be lame in both fore feet. Trainer, Miss T. Kroje, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to accepting for a future trial or race.

### **RACE 4: SEISHIN SPA BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1750 metres**

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes.

**JOSEPH ARNOLD** (J. Kah) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**ARTFUL DIVA** (J. Potter) – rider reminded of his obligations in relation to using his whip in an action that raises his arm above shoulder height.

**THE HARD WAY** (S. Fawke) – slow to begin.

**READY AGAIN** (M. Poon) – underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival at the barriers and passed fit to start.

### **RACE 5: VICE SECURITY BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1390 metres**

**TRIUMPHANT ONE** (B. Griffiths) – in the vicinity of the 50 metres rider accidentally dropped his whip. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137(a) for carelessness in dropping his whip and was fined \$50.

**HEZA HUSSLER** (B. Claridge) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the off foreleg. Trainer, Mrs A. Harder, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

**WIND SPIRIT** (J. Huxtable) – inclined to lay out under pressure in the straight and approaching the finish rolled out onto COPPER COAST RAIDA. Rider reminded of his obligations when his mounts shift ground in future. Rider reported that the mare felt short in its action during the event and was inclined to lay out under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**COPPER COAST RAIDA** (E. Boyd) – in the vicinity of the 200 metres was momentarily inconvenienced when tightened onto WIND SPIRIT, which was inclined to lay out, as DIVADEBEER, which was inclined to lay in, shifted in. Approaching the finish was obliged to be steadied when racing in restricted room between DIVADEBEER, which rolled in marginally, and WIND SPIRIT, which was inclined to lay out.

**DIVADEBEER** (M. Poon) – inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight and in the vicinity of the 200 metres rolled in onto COPPER COAST RAIDA, which was momentarily inconvenienced. Approaching the finish rolled in marginally onto COPPER COAST RAIDA.

### **RACE 6: FESTIVAL HIRE BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1000 metres**

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes.

**TINTAGEL ROCKER** (V. Wong) – in the vicinity of the 800 metres shifted in and away from NIPPY LIPPY onto HEZAFRAAR, which was obliged to be steadied when tightened onto BOLD SENATOR. Rider severely reprimanded under AR137(a) for careless riding. Shifted out under pressure from in the vicinity of the 400 metres until in the vicinity of the 200 metres. As a result, inconvenienced NIPPY LIPPY, which was taken wider on the track. Rider reprimanded under AR137(a) for careless riding. 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 reprimanded. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**MAGNUSIFICENT** (T. Pannell) – knuckled on jumping away.

**GEORDIE'S SECOND** (D. Tootell) – late scratching at 3.04 pm as it refused to proceed to the start.

**HEZAFRAAR** (E. Boyd) – in the vicinity of the 800 metres was obliged to be steadied when tightened onto BOLD SENATOR as TINTAGEL ROCKER shifted in and away from NIPPY LIPPY.

### **RACE 7: THOMAS FOODS INTERNATIONAL FLYING HANDICAP - 1210 metres**

**PROPSHAFT** (E. Boyd) – had difficulty obtaining clear ground from the entrance to the straight until in the vicinity of the 200 metres.

**BLACK BARRA** (D. Tootell) – raced keenly in the middle stages of the event and got its head up on a number of occasions.

**THE HEADLINER** (M. Poon) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**DESTONY HAWK** (B. Claridge) – jumped away awkwardly.

### **RACE 8 : MGA INSURANCE BROKERS PORT LINCOLN CUP - 1960 metres**

The start of this event was delayed approximately twelve minutes.

**MONTALTO** (J. Toeroek) – rider reported that the mare never travelled during the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**A CHILLER** (J. Huxtable) – rider reported that the mare did not feel comfortable in its action during the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**MOON DEVIL** (S. Fawke) – inconvenienced on jumping away when the near side gate bounced back towards the gelding after opening.

**JESTWIN** (Z. Spain) – lost its off fore shoe on arrival at the barrier and was required to be re-shod. As the farrier was unable to re-plate the gelding and after consulting with Trainer, Mrs N. Bruggemann, the near fore shoe was removed and permission granted for JESTWIN to race bare in front. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to start.

**CATCH HIM** (B. Claridge) – rider examined by the First Care Medical personnel following this event and ruled unfit to fulfil his remaining engagement.

### **RACE 9: ROSSAIR CHARTERS BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1210 metres**

**KOODA DUCHESS** (V. Wong) – dipped on a number of occasions throughout the event. In the vicinity of the 1000 metres appeared to clip the heels of KID ME, which was taken in by LIVERPOOL STRIKER. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be lame in the near foreleg. Trainer, Mr J. Dunn, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

**SOUND OF VICTORY** (B. Griffiths) – inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

**ALL KRUPT** (S. Fawke) – slow into stride.

**DAZZLING LILLY** (Z. Spain) – in the vicinity of the 200 metres was disappointed when attempting a run to the outside of SOUND OF VICTORY and to the inside of GALAXY FALLS, and was obliged to shift in and alter course.

**KID ME** (J. Toeroek) – inside the 1000 metres was taken in onto KOODA DUCHESS by LIVERPOOL STRIKER. Approaching the 900 metres shifted out across the heels of LIVERPOOL STRIKER at the same time as LIVERPOOL STRIKER shifted in. As a result, KID ME was obliged to be steadied. Rider severely reprimanded under AR137(a). J. Toeroek was advised in future to ensure it was safe for him to shift out prior to commencing to do so.

**LIVERPOOL STRIKER** (R. Hurdle) – inclined to over-race during the event. Inside the 1000 metres shifted in onto KID ME, which was taken in onto KOODA DUCHESS, which appeared to clip the heels of KID ME. Rider severely reprimanded under AR137(a) for careless riding. Approaching the 900 metres shifted in onto KID ME, which shifted out at the same time. Rider severely reprimanded under AR137(a) for careless riding and advised to ensure he was sufficiently clear when he shifts ground in future.

**SUTANOC** (M. Poon) – slow to begin.

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**PRE-RACE BLOODS SAMPLES (6):**

Blood samples were taken from the following horses for, but not limited to, TCO<sub>2</sub> purposes:

RACE 8 – USTINOV'S FURY, MONTALTO, HARD AT IT, EYE THE WORLD, ZIPALANG, JESTWIN.

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

Race 8 – MONTALTO (unplaced)  
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**ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (3):**

Race 3 – TASSIE (winner)  
Race 4 – CENTRE DIVIDER (winner)  
Race 8 – USTINOV'S FURY (winner)  
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<b>SUMMARY</b>	
<b>FINES</b>	Race 2 – J. Dunn – Fined \$50 – LR18.1 – Late declaration of rider for STEP LIGHTLY. Race 5 – B. Griffiths (TRIUMPHANT ONE) – Fined \$50 – AR137(a) – Carelessness in dropping his whip.
<b>SEVERE REPRIMANDS</b>	Race 6 – V. Wong (TINTAGEL ROCKER) – AR137(a) – Careless riding. Race 9 – J. Toeroek (KID ME) – AR137(a) – Careless riding. Race 9 – R. Hurdle (LIVERPOOL STRIKER) – AR137(a) – Careless riding. Race 9 – R. Hurdle (LIVERPOOL STRIKER) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.
<b>REPRIMANDS</b>	Race 1 – S. Fawke (AHECKSTAR) – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+3] – Whip offence. Race 6 – V. Wong (TINTAGEL ROCKER) – AR137(a) – Careless riding. Race 6 – V. Wong (TINTAGEL ROCKER) – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+3] – Whip offence.
<b>SUSPENSIONS</b>	Nil
<b>HORSE ACTIONS</b>	Race 1 – GET NO ANSWERS – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lamé both forelegs. Race 2 – TWISTED MILLER – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lamé near foreleg. Race 3 – LUNAR QUEEN – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lamé both forefeet. Race 5 – HEZA HUSSLER – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lamé off foreleg. Race 9 – KOODA DUCHESS – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lamé near foreleg.
<b>ADJOURNED INQUIRIES</b>	Nil
<b>MEDICAL CLEARANCES</b>	Nil