

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, 18 March 2017

Stewards: J. Petzer (Chairman), M. Santoro (HT), C. Deakin (M), & J. Adams (F) (Stewards), D. Jonas, S. Allen, N. Henry, V. Fergusson & N. Hawkins (Deputy Stewards) Dr P. Horridge & Dr B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeons)

TRACK: Good 4

WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: Out 5 metres from 1000 metres to the Winning Post, out 3 metres remainder.

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
5	YOU ES MARSHAL	M. Neilson	K. Bishop	Overweight.
6	VINTAGE QUARTZ	S. Cahill	P. Gatt	"

RACE 1: JAMES BOAG'S PREMIUM TWO-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 metres

ALWAYS THE KING (R. Hurdle) – began awkwardly, shifted out and contacted ANGEL'S WISH. Shortly thereafter the gelding attempted to buck placing R. Hurdle at a disadvantage for a number strides. Trainer, Mr C. Curtis, was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its racing manners.

HORIZON WATCH (S. Fawke) – inconvenienced inside the 800 metres. Raced greenly throughout the event.

ANGEL'S WISH (P. Gatt) – contacted at the start.

GOLDEN LUSTRE (D. Tourneur) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed the filly to be shin sore in both forelegs. Trainer, Mr P. Stokes, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

KHARIR (M. Neilson) – inside the 800 metres rolled out and inconvenienced HORIZON WATCH. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SPLIT LIP (E. Finnegan) – Stewards gave permission for this filly to race equipped with a crossover noseband (permission granted Thursday, 16 March 2017). Trainer, Mr W. Clarken, pleaded guilty to a charge under AR140B(3) for failing to lodge a gear change prior to acceptance time and was fined \$200.

RACE 2: HUGHES CHAUFFEURED LIMOUSINES MAIDEN PLATE – 1400 metres

ZAPPING (NZ) (D. Thornton) – had difficulty obtaining clear running from near the entrance to the straight when racing between the heels of ALEXIS JET and THE BIG CHEESE and was unable to obtain clear running for the remainder of the event and was untested to the line. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FASTER LOGIC (D. Tootell) – laid out in the straight.

PUJOLS (R. Clark) – shifted in at the start and contacted ALEXIS JET. Held up for clear running from the vicinity of the 600 metres until the entrance to the straight and shortly thereafter raced in restricted room to the inside of MEGASHOT, which rolled in and was contacted by MEGASHOT. Thereafter was only able to improve approaching the 100 metres.

RACE 2: HUGHES CHAUFFEURS LIMOUSINES MAIDEN PLATE – 1400 metres (cont'd)

ALEXIS JET (E. Finnegan) – shifted out at the start and contacted PUJOLS. Rider reported that it was not her intention to lead but she found that position by default owing to the pace in the race.

AHECKSTAR (S. Fawke) – pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) for using his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was fined \$200. In determining penalty Stewards took into account the context of the race.

Correct weight was delayed to allow Mr L. Paech, foreman for Mr S. Burford, to view the photo for third.

RACE 3: DARLEY GOODWOOD 20TH MAY HANDICAP - 1950 metres

CELESTIAL STORY (E. Finnegan) – slow to begin. Rider reported that the gelding over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event and she was obliged to take up a forward position but was trapped wide without cover for some distance. She added that the gelding weakened from in the vicinity of the 600 metres and was disappointing. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FLYING PARIS (J. Holder) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

GOLDEN BUCKLEBOO (P. Gatt) – rider reported the gelding hung out throughout the event and he had difficulty steering his mount at various stages. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FANTASTIC MAGIC (V. Wong) – in the vicinity of the 400 metres became awkward for several strides inside the heels of CELESTIAL STORY as that horse weakened and was obliged to alter course to the outside of that horse shortly thereafter to obtain clear running.

RACE 4: SCHWEPPE OAKS 6TH MAY HANDICAP - 1250 metres

DEEP CONVICTION (M. Neilson) – severely hampered and had its hindquarters turned on two occasions in the vicinity of the 1000 metres when contacted by SHARK MIRAGE, which was taken in by FIRST CHANNEL, which shifted in. Rider reported that the gelding hung out during the event and felt sore. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the near foreleg. Trainer, Mr J. Macmillan, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

LET'S TANGO (B. Griffiths) – rider reprimanded under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) for using his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres.

FIRST CHANNEL (E. Finnegan) – shifted in, in the vicinity of the 1000 metres taking SHARK MIRAGE inwards and tightening that horse onto DEEP CONVICTION, resulting in DEEP CONVICTION being severely hampered. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137(a) for careless riding in that she shifted ground when insufficiently clear and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence at midnight Wednesday, 22 March 2017 and to conclude at midnight Wednesday, 29 March 2017, a period of three race meetings. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SHARK MIRAGE (V. Wong) – began very awkwardly and thereafter raced keenly in the early stages. In the vicinity of the 1000 metres tightened by FIRST CHANNEL, which shifted in, and taken in onto DEEP CONVICTION making contact with that horse.

SILICONNI (D. Tootell) – late scratching at 10.10 am by Order of Stewards acting on confirmed advice from Trainer, Mr G. Searle, that the gelding had an abscess in its near fore foot.

GOT THAT SWING (J. Holder) – began awkwardly. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

THE GEE TRAIN (P. Gatt) – began awkwardly.

RACE 5: HOLDFAST INSURANCE HANDICAP - 1400 metres

MORVADA (S. Fawke) – inconvenienced at the start. Inside the 300 metres shifted out to improve and crossed the running of MICA BE THE ONE, which was inconvenienced. Rider reprimanded for shifting ground when insufficiently clear. Lost its near fore plate during the event.

MICA BE THE ONE (E. Finnegan) – inconvenienced inside the 300 metres when awkwardly placed on the heels of MORVADA, which shifted out.

MY SNIP (T. Pannell) – began awkwardly and shifted in onto MORVADA, which was inconvenienced. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SWEET VARDEN (D. Thornton) – shortly after the entrance to the straight, when improving, became awkwardly placed on the heels of YOU ES MARSHAL for a number of strides and was obliged to alter course to obtain clear running.

RACE 6: UBET SA DERBY 13TH MAY HANDICAP – 1000 metres

BILLET DOUX (V. Wong) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(4)(b) for using his whip in an action that raised his arm above shoulder height on six occasions in the straight. Having regard for his record and his guilty plea Steward imposed a fine of \$200.

NODOUBTABOUTIT (E. Finnegan) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137(b) for failing to ride her mount out to the end of the race, with particular reference to the last two strides of the event. In determining penalty Stewards took the view that her failure to ride the horse out to the end of the race may have affected the result of the race and consequently she was fined \$800.

TOYSHOP (R. Clark) – began awkwardly. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 7: ADELAIDE GALVANISING HANDICAP - 1000 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately four minutes.

THE BRONX (S. Cahill) – near the 700 metres S. Cahill was struck in the face by a clod of grass placing him at a disadvantage for several strides. Near the entrance to the straight was momentarily held up behind SUPER RULES, which shifted out to improve. 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. He also pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137(b) in that he failed ride his mount out to the end of the race. In determining penalty Stewards took the view that his failure to ride the horse out to the end of the race may have affected the result of the race and consequently he was fined \$200.

SUPER RULES (P. Gatt) – shifted out near the entrance to the straight. Thereafter over the concluding stages shifted in under riding and tightened JIMASSI onto TEMPTING FAITH, which shifted out slightly, resulting in T. Pannell having to take hold of his mount to avoid the heels of SUPER RULES. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge of careless riding under AR137(a) and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence midnight Sunday, 19 March 2017 and to concluded midnight Wednesday, 29 March 2017, a period of four race meetings.

WICKED AFFAIR (J. Holder) – lost its off fore plate at the start and was required to be re-shod. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and passed fit to start.

ARLEIGH (E. Finnegan) – late scratching at 10.35 am by Order of Stewards acting on confirmed advice from Trainer, Mr P. Stokes, that the filly had injured itself in its stall at his stables.

VENI VIDI VICI (D. Tourneur) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed the filly to be lame in the near hind leg. Trainer, Ms D. Klingenboeck, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

JIMASSI (T. Pannell) – awkward and slow to begin. Tightened over the concluding stages and had to be steadied to avoid the heels of SUPER RULES, which shifted in.

TEMPTING FAITH (R. Clark) – shifted out marginally over the concluding stages.

RACE 8: MAC DRINK DRIVING? GROW UP HANDICAP - 1400 metres

ECLAIR ATTACK (E. Finnegan) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

JUST WALLY (B. Griffiths) – began awkwardly. 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 \$100.

NEVER WITHOUT YOU (T. Pannell) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PRE-RACEDAY BLOOD SAMPLES (11):

The following out of competition blood samples were taken on Thursday, 16 March 2017.

Race 1 – ALWAYS THE KING, LONG JOURNEY, ANGEL'S WISH, GOLDEN LUSTRE, SPLIT LIP.

Race 2 – TWO ODD SOX.

Race 3 – CELESTIAL STORY.

Race 4 – COOL MAVERICK.

Race 5 – WITH A BIT OF DASH, MY SNIP.

Race 6 – BILLET DOUX.

PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (16):

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

Race 2 – GUN ROOSTER, PUJOLS, TWO ODD SOX.

Race 3 – SPANISH HALO (NZ), CENTENARY SHOT, FLYING PARIS, GOLDEN BUCKLEBOO.

Race 5 – ZIMZALA, MICA BE THE ONE, MY SNIP.

Race 7 – SUPER RULES, CAPTAIN PARKER (NZ), VENI VIDI VICI.

Race 8 – JUST WALLY, RED BEGONIA, ROSELLI STING.

POST-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (4):

Race 1 – SPLIT LIP (winner)

Race 3 – FLYING PARIS (unplaced)

Race 3 – CENTRE DIVIDER (third)

Race 4 – LET'S TANGO (winner)

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (8)

Race 1 – SPLIT LIP (winner)

Race 2 – TWO ODD SOX (winner)

Race 3 – SPANISH HALO (NZ) (winner)

Race 4 – LET'S TANGO (winner)

Race 5 – MORVADA (winner)

Race 6 – INVISIBLE GIRL (winner)

Race 7 – BULLION WOLF (winner)

Race 8 – ROSELLI STING (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	<p>Race 1 – Mr W. Clarken – Fined \$200 – AR140B(3) – Failing to make a gear change prior to acceptances.</p> <p>Race 2 – S. Fawke (AHECKSTAR)– Fined \$200 – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+4] – Whip offence.</p> <p>Race 5 – M. Neilson (YOU ES MARSHAL) – Fined \$250 – AR120(b) – Overweight and having to be replaced on YOU ES MARSHAL.</p> <p>Race 6 – V. Wong (BILLET DOUX) – Fined \$200 – AR137A(4)(b) – Whip action.</p> <p>Race 6 – E. Finnegan (NODOUBTABOUTIT) – Fined \$800 – AR137(b) – Failure to ride her mount out to the finish of the race.</p> <p>Race 6 – S. Cahill (VINTAGE QUARTZ) – Fined \$100 – AR120(b) – Overweight and having to be replaced on VINTAGE QUARTZ.</p> <p>Race 7 – S. Cahill (THE BRONX) - Fined \$200 – AR137(b) – Failure to ride his mount out to the finish of the race.</p> <p>Race 8 – B. Griffiths (JUST WALLY) – Fined \$100 – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+4] – Whip offence.</p>
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	<p>Race 4 – B. Griffiths (LET'S TANGO) – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+1] – Whip offence.</p> <p>Race 5 – S. Fawke (MORVADA) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.</p> <p>Race 7 – S. Cahill (THE BRONX) - AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+2] – Whip offence.</p>
SUSPENSIONS	<p>Race 4 – E. Finnegan (FIRST CHANNEL) – AR137(a) – Careless riding – From midnight 22/03/17 to midnight 29/03/17 – 3 meetings.</p> <p>Race 7 – P. Gatt (SUPER RULES) – AR137(a) – Careless riding – From midnight 19/03/17 to midnight 29/03/17 – 4 meetings.</p>
HORSE ACTIONS	<p>Race 1 – ALWAYS THE KING – Warned – Racing manners.</p> <p>Race 1 – GOLDEN LUSTRE – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Shin sore both forelegs.</p> <p>Race 4 – DEEP CONVICTION – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lamé in the near foreleg.</p> <p>Race 7 – VENI VIDI VICI – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lamé in the near hind leg.</p>
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil