

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, 7 December 2019

**Stewards:** M. Santoro (A/Chairman), C. Deakin (F) & A. Milne (HT) (Steward). A. Streckbein (M), T. Vanderstok & E. Tickner (Cadet Stewards) D. Jonas, A. Deakin, B. Hallett & R. Seneca (Deputy Stewards), Dr P. Horridge & Dr A. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeons).

**TRACK:** Good 4

(Track with some give in it)

**RAIL:** Out 9 metres 1000 metres to winning post, Sectional 612 metres

**WEATHER:** Fine

**RIDER CHANGES:**

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
3	EXALTED MAXINE	S. Logan		Late notification
6	SEE THE MASTER (IRE)	R. Hurdle		"

**RACE 1: SCHWEPPE'S CLASS ONE HANDICAP - 1550 metres**

**NEAR MAGIC** (S. Fawke) - rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) for using his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

**CALYPSO STORM** (K. Crowther) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. In the vicinity of the 800 metres improved onto the heels of RAYLEIGH and was obliged to steady and alter course.

**CLAREFELILLI** (G. Lo) - jumped away awkwardly. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**RACE 2: SHIRLEY LONGBOTTOM'S 65TH BIRTHDAY HANDICAP - 1400 metres**

**CALL ME HANDSOME (IRE)** (J. Chau) - rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) for using his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded. Laid out under pressure in the straight.

**TATOOSH** (T. Pannell) - inclined to shift about under pressure in the straight.

**RACE 3: DOMINANT HANDICAP - 1000 metres**

**MISS LABELLE** (T. Voorham) - rider explained she had been instructed to take up a position on pace and to possibly lead however, after jumping away MISS LABELLE had never travelled and she was required to place the mare under pressure throughout the event to maintain its position. When questioned in relation to her decision to shift to the outside of EXALTED MAXINE approaching the 200 metres, rather than improve to the inside of that mare where there appeared to be sufficient room, T. Voorham explained that she was aware of the option to the inside but also felt that there was an option to the outside and under normal circumstances when presented with both options she chooses to improve to the outside. She added after electing to make that decision, EXALTED MAXINE commenced to lay out resulting in her being taken out wider than she had anticipated. Stewards confirmed the instructions with Mr O'Connor and noted her explanation.

**RACE 3: DOMINANT HANDICAP - 1000 metres (Cont'd)**

**I AM INCREDIBLE** (T. Pannell) - Stewards permitted T. Pannell to ride the filly 0.5 kg over its declared weight of 54.5 kg. Jumped away awkwardly and was slow into stride. Raced fiercely in the early and middle stages of the event. Raced wide without cover throughout.

**WHITE KAPS** (K. Crowther) - laid out under pressure in the straight.

**EXALTED MAXINE** (S. Logan) - laid out under pressure over the concluding 200 metres of the event.

**RACE 4: HOLDFAST INSURANCE HANDICAP - 1000 metres**

**BONNE SENSATION** (A. Kelly) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

**THOMPSON'S REWARD** (T. Pannell) - laid out under pressure over the concluding 100 metres.

**VAHANA** (D. Tourneur) - rider reported the mare had sweated up en route to the barrier however, had travelled well in the early and middle stages. He added when placed under pressure VAHANA failed to respond to his riding. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**READY SUNSHINE** (J. Innes (Jnr)) rider explained that he was instructed to ride the gelding with cover however, after jumping away well READYSUNSHINE had improved to a position outside the leader of its own accord. He considered restraining the gelding but felt this would be detrimental in a race over a 1000 metres, so elected to maintain his position as the horse was comfortable. He added when placed under pressure in the straight, the gelding was one paced to the finish.

**TAKEN OFF** (K. Crowther) - in the vicinity of the 200 metres was obliged to shift in to obtain a clear run to the inside of LITTLE RICH BOY.

**LITTLE RICH BOY** (S. Fawke) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Laid out under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**RACE 5: AAMI HANDICAP - 1250 metres**

**CALL ME CURTIS** (G. Lo) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out.

**ENOUGH SWAGGER** (K. Crowther) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

**PRESS THE PETAL** (T. Pannell) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course after becoming fractious in its float en route to the course and passed fit to race. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**BOLT I AM** (B. Vorster) - slow to begin. In the vicinity of the 200 metres was disappointed and had to be steadied momentarily when attempting a run between CALL ME CURTIS and SEE ME ROLLIN', which rolled in.

**KENYAN WONDER** (J. Innes (Jnr)) - raced keenly in the early stages of the event.

**SEE ME ROLLIN'** (J. Potter) - rolled in onto BOLT I AM in the vicinity of the 200 metres.

**RACE 6: ELIZA GRANTHAM'S 21ST BIRTHDAY HANDICAP - 1950 metres**

**SEE THE MASTER (IRE)** (R. Hurdle) - momentarily held up at the entrance to the straight. Inside the 300 metres was contacted by LITTLEBITFUNNY, which rolled out. Inclined to lay in, in the straight.

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### **RACE 6: ELIZA GRANTHAM'S 21ST BIRTHDAY HANDICAP - 1950 metres (Cont'd)**

**STAR STATUS** (J. Chau) - at the entrance to the straight improved onto the heels of LITTLEBITFUNNY, which had commenced to give ground, was forced to take hold and altered course to the inside of that gelding, resulting in it only obtaining clear ground inside the 300 metres. Rider explained he was instructed not to be aggressive on the horse in the early stages and to obtain a position with cover. He added after settling back with cover, the gelding raced a touch keen. He further added at the entrance to the straight, he became held up when awkwardly placed on the heels of LITTLEBITFUNNY, which commenced to lose ground rapidly and was obliged to alter course to its inside to obtain clear ground. He stated that STAR STATUS finished the event off well. Co-Trainer Mr L. Macdonald advised that the instructions had been to attempt to obtain a position in the first four, however not to be overly aggressive in the early stages to obtain this position. After considering the ride, Stewards determined that J. Chau would be required to meet with the Riders Advisory Panel in relation to his understanding of instructions and the ride in general.

**SET TO CRUISE** (T. Pannell) - laid out under pressure in the straight.

**DISCO REBEL** (B. Vorster) - slow to begin. In the vicinity of the 800 metres had to take hold when tightened onto LITTLEBITFUNNY by COMFORT MAN. Shifted in approaching the finish onto HAHNDORF. Rider reminded of his obligations when shifting ground.

**CAUSE WE CAN** (K. Crowther) - in the vicinity of the 1800 metres shifted in and away slightly from HAHNDORF onto COMFORT MAN.

**HAHNDORF** (J. Innes (Jnr)) - inconvenienced and forced to race in restricted room approaching the finish when DISCO REBEL shifted in.

**COMFORT MAN** (J. Toeroek) - Stewards permitted J. Toeroek to ride the filly 0.5 kg over its declared weight of 54.5 kg. In the vicinity of the 1800 metres was taken in slightly by CAUSE WE CAN onto DISCO REBEL. Lost its off hind plate during the event.

**LITTLEBITFUNNY** (D. Tourneur) - raced keenly in the middle stages of the event. Rolled out inside the 300 metres contacting SEE THE MASTER (IRE). Lost its near hind plate during the event.

**LORD ROSENTHAL** (G. Lo) - raced keenly in the middle stages of the event. Returned to scale without its tongue-tie. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

### **RACE 7: TAB HANDICAP- 1400 metres**

**SORNJA** (J. Inness (Jnr)) - jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin.

**AUSSIE JACK** (G. Lo) - hung out in the straight.

**MASTER CHUM** (J. Maund) - slow to begin. In the vicinity of the 800 metres improved onto the heels of CUNNAMULLA and had to be steadied and in being steadied, shifted wider on the track. Inconvenienced at the entrance to the straight when taken wider by CUNNAMULLA.

**STREET STYLE** (D. Tourneur) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**STAR PATRIOT** (J. Toeroek) - in the vicinity of the 1000 metres shifted in when insufficiently clear onto CUNNAMULLA, which was forced to take hold when tightened onto STREET STYLE. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge of careless riding under AR131(a) in that he shifted ground when insufficiently clear and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence at midnight on Saturday, 14 December and to conclude at midnight on Friday, 20 December 2019: a period of three meetings.

**RACE 7: TAB HANDICAP- 1400 metres (cont'd)**

**CUNNAMULLA** (K. Crowther) - jumped away extremely awkwardly and was slow into stride. Raced fiercely in the early stages of the event. In the vicinity of the 1000 metres was forced to take hold when tightened onto STREET STYLE by STAR PATRIOT. Hung out rounding the home turn taking MASTER CHUM wider on the track. Laid out under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**THE PUGILIST** (B. Vorster) - raced keenly in the early stages of the event.

**RACE 8: TWILIGHT RACES MORPHETTVILLE, FRIDAY DECEMBER 20 2019 HANDICAP**  
**- 1400 metres**

**IMPULSE DIAVOLO** (E. Boyd) - hampered in the vicinity of the 1300 metres when SHE'S NEVER LATE shifted out.

**TROGIR** (K. Crowther) - raced keenly in the middle stages of the event.

**BELLA SUCCESS** (T. Pannell) - in the vicinity of the 1300 metres commenced to buck and lost considerable ground. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. Trainer Mr W. Clarken was advised that the mare would be required to trial to the satisfaction of the Stewards in two Official Trials prior to accepting for a future race. Mr Clarken advised that the mare would now be spelled.

**TERRITORY TITAN** (S. Logan) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

**COSMIC AWARD** (D. Tourneur) - rider reported the mare travelled well in the early and middle stages of the event however, when placed under pressure in the straight was inclined to dip on a number of occasions and became awkward in its action. A post-race veterinary examination revealed an elevated heart rate and poor recovery. The veterinary surgeon recommend a caslick operation. Trainer Mr T. Doudle advised Stewards that the mare would undergo the procedure during the week.

**SHE'S NEVER LATE** (J. Toeroek) - Stewards permitted J. Toeroek to ride the filly 0.5 kg over its declared weight of 54.5 kg. Reared on jumping away and was slow into stride. In the vicinity of the 1300 metres had to take hold when awkwardly placed on the heels of BELLA SUCCESS, which commenced to buck and as a result shifted out onto IMPULSE DIAVOLO. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. In the vicinity of the 300 metres became awkwardly placed on the heels of TERRITORY TITAN for a number of strides when it rolled in slightly.

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**PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (15):**

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

Race 1 - NEAR MAGIC, CLEARLY ADONIS, KYSHAKA, CENTRE SCOOTA, CALYPSO STORM

Race 2 - CALL ME HANDSOME (IRE), MORVADA, TATOOSH, FLOP, CROCKETT

Race 6 - STAR STATUS, SET TO CRUISE, DISCO REBEL, CAUSE WE CAN, HAHNDORF

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**ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (8):**

Race 1 - CLEARY ADONIS (winner)  
 Race 2 - MORVADA (winner)  
 Race 3 - I AM INCREDIBLE (winner)  
 Race 4 - TAKEN OFF (winner)  
 Race 5 - ENOUGH SWAGGER (winner)  
 Race 6 - SET TO CRUISE (winner)  
 Race 7 - CAZABILLIE (winner)  
 Race 8 - YANKEE EYES (winner)

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SUMMARY	
<b>FINES</b>	Nil
<b>SEVERE REPRIMANDS</b>	Nil
<b>REPRIMANDS</b>	Race 1 - S. Fawke (NEAR MAGIC) - AR AR132(7)(a)(ii)[+2] - Whip offence. Race 2 - J. Chau (CALL ME HANDSOME (IRE)) - AR132(7)(a)(ii)[+1] - Whip offence.
<b>SUSPENSIONS</b>	Race 7 - J. Toeroek (STAR PATRIOT) - AR131(a) - Careless riding - From midnight 14/12/19 and to conclude at midnight 20/12/19 - 3 meetings.
<b>HORSE ACTIONS</b>	Race 8 - BELLA SUCCESS - Suspended - Required to trial to the satisfaction of the Stewards in two Official Trials prior to accepting for a future race - Bucked.
<b>ADJOURNED INQUIRIES</b>	Nil
<b>MEDICAL CLEARANCE</b>	Nil