Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report





Stewards: M. Santoro (A/Chairman), S. Callanan (HT), G. Rudolph (MT), & C. Deakin (F)

(Stewards), E. Scott (M) & B. Jarman (Cadet Stewards), , D. Jonas, A. Deakin, E. Santoro, K. Rayson & L. Murch (Deputy Stewards), Dr P. Horridge & Dr B. Agnew

(Veterinary Surgeons).

TRACK: Good 4 (Track with some give in it)

RAIL: True

WEATHER: Overcast

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
7	HEIMBERG	J. Maund		Emergency - notified
8	SUMMER SHOW	M. Collett	S. So	Indisposed
9	FULTON STREET	"	K. Crowther	"

RACE 1: TAB LONG MAY WE PLAY HANDICAP - 1000 Metres

PORT VALE (O. Ridge) - jumped away awkwardly. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for the totality of the use of the whip by O. Ridge and noted that he did not use it over the final 100 metres.

ALLEBOOM (J. Toeroek) - inclined to lay out under pressure over the concluding 100 metres of the event. Rider explained that in his opinion the colt had performed well despite not appreciating the pressure applied to its outside by FLOSTAR in the early stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SYMPHONETTE (K. Crowther) - laid in under pressure in the straight and inside the 200 metres altered course to the outside of FLOSTAR to obtain clear ground.

ROCK HARD (S. Metcalfe) - was accidentally struck across the head by the whip of O. Ridge near the 300 metres.

RACE 2: DOMINANT MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately three minutes.

NEVER YOU MIND (S. Metcalfe) - raced fiercely in the early and middle stages of the event whilst being restrained. Laid in over the concluding 200 metres of the event and in the vicinity of the 150 metres shifted in onto EFFORTKAT, which was taken in onto ZIPADEE. Lost its near hind plate during the event. Had to be steadied approaching the finish when it improved onto the heels of VIRTUE (NZ), which had commenced to weaken.

RACE 2: DOMINANT MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 Metres (cont'd)

GREAT DIVINER (T. Pannell) - reared en route to the barrier dislodging its rider. T. Pannell was examined by the First Care Medical personnel and passed fit to start. Held up from in the vicinity of the 400 metres until inside the 200 metres.

HARD RANSOM (M. Collett) - dislodged its rider en route to the barrier and galloped some distance prior to being recaptured. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was ruled unfit to start. Acting on this advice Stewards ordered the withdrawal of HARD RANSOM at 1.11 pm. M. Collett was examined by the First Care Medical personnel and passed fit to fulfil her remaining engagements.

SELF SUFFICIENT (K. Zechner) - had difficulty obtaining clear ground for a short distance in the vicinity of the 200 metres and was obliged to alter course to the outside of KUNGKA MARU to obtain clear ground in the vicinity of the 150 metres.

EFFORTKAT (P. Gatt) - taken in, in the vicinity of the 150 metres by NEVER YOU MIND. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ZIPADEE (J. Opperman) - momentarily inconvenienced in the vicinity of the 150 metres when EFFORTKAT was taken in.

BETTER (J. Holder) - jumped away awkwardly.

STASIA (NZ) (J. Eaton) - jumped away awkwardly.

RACE 3: LECONFIELD HANDICAP - 1000 Metres

COURAGEOUS HEARTS (J. Maund) - jumped away awkwardly and was slow into stride.

HAURAKI GULF (T. Pannell) - lost its off fore plate during the event.

KNIGHTSTOWN (R. Hurdle) - difficult to load. Trainer, Mr G. Richards, was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding.

MANHATTEN TIMES (J. Holder) - jumped away awkwardly and was slow into stride. Hung out from the vicinity of the 600 metres until the entrance to the straight. Rider explained that after jumping away awkwardly the gelding had lost contact with the field and was reluctant to race. He added that when the stable mate joined it in the vicinity of the 200 metres it grabbed the bit and had finished off the event well. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MY KHALIFA (K. Crowther) - difficult to load. Trainer, Mr G. Richards, was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding. Laid in under pressure in the straight and approaching the 200 metres shifted in and became awkwardly placed on the heels of BOLSONARO for a short distance.

BOLSONARO (A. Jordsjo) - had difficulty obtaining clear ground from the entrance to the straight until near the 200 metres. Rider explained that at the entrance to the straight she had positioned herself behind HAURAKI GULF to give her an option to improve to either its inside or outside. She added as she had commenced to improve to the outside of that colt, KNIGHTSTOWN had taken up that position and she was unable to obtain clear ground for a number of strides. She further added that when a run had presented in the vicinity of the 200 metres the filly was flat-footed; however, gained momentum and finished the event off strongly.

GOLDEN YEN (S. Logan) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

HANABI (P. Gatt) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

RACE 4: TAB HANDICAP - 2400 Metres

TIBETAN (NZ) (J. Eaton) - at the entrance to the straight rolled out and bumped OURKHANI. Laid out under pressure in the straight and in the vicinity of the 100 metres shifted out again onto OURKHANI.

RACE 4: TAB HANDICAP - 2400 Metres (cont'd)

OURKHANI (J.Maund) - at the entrance to the straight was bumped by TIBETAN (NZ), which rolled out. In the vicinity of the 100 metres was inconvenienced when taken wider by TIBETAN (NZ).

FLOW METER (S. Fawke) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to start.

THE RED SEA (S. So) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and passed fit to start. Rider explained that she had been instructed to take up a lead with a comfortable margin on the field. She advised that the gelding had taken up a comfortable lead of its own accord; however, she had attempted to restrain as she felt she had increased her lead on the field by a touch too far. She added that after attempting to restrain THE RED SEA commenced to fight her and for this reason she had instead allowed it to stride at its own pace which resulted in it extending its lead on the field by further. Trainer, Mr G. Young, confirmed the instructions provided to S. So; however, he added that he was surprised by how far the gelding had led the field. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) in that she used her whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for the totality of the use of the whip by S. So and noted that she used her whip on six occasions over the final 100 metres of the event.

SOSTENIDO (NZ) (S. Logan) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to start. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 5: ADELAIDE GALVANISING HANDICAP - 1250 Metres

RIVER TWAIN (J. Eaton) - lost its off hind plate during the event.

CROWN MINT (J. Toeroek) - lost its position on jumping away when tightened onto BAIANDBAI by MRS MOURINHO.

THE BIG GOODBYE (J. Opperman) - inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ANOTHER AWARD (J.Holder) - contacted on jumping away. Laid out under pressure in the straight.

ULTIMATE VICTORY (S. Metcalfe) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Raced wide without cover throughout the event.

PIMM'S PARTY (T. Pannell) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out onto ANOTHER AWARD. Laid out under pressure in the straight.

MRS MOURINHO (S. So) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out onto CROWN MINT. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the filly to have soreness in the back and pelvic region. Trainer, Mr P. Stokes, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

BAIANDBAI (S. Logan) - inconvenienced on jumping away when its hindquarters were contacted by CROWN MINT.

STRONGLY AGREE (S. Fawke) - jumped away awkwardly. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Laid out under pressure throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 6: WINNING EDGE PRESENTATIONS HANDICAP - 1300 Metres

REGALO DI GAETANO (J. Opperman) - jumped away awkwardly and was slow into stride. Raced keenly in the middle stages of the event.

RACE 6: WINNING EDGE PRESENTATIONS HANDICAP - 1300 Metres (cont'd)

LIVE AND FREE (NZ) (K.Crowther) - rider explained that the gelding had travelled well in the early and middle stages; however, when placed under pressure inside the 500 metres failed to respond to her riding and was disappointing to the finish. She added that in her opinion the gelding would be better suited over a greater distance and would benefit from today's run. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SKY PUNCH (NZ) (J. Eaton) - laid out rounding the home turn.

JESTER HALO (D. Tourneur) - slow to begin.

ARROW LANE (S. Fawke) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

RACE 7: FURPHY HANDICAP - 1250 Metres

MAY BE FATE (S. Metcalfe) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the off hind leg. Trainer, Mr J. Smith, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

LAKE'S FOLLY (J. Eaton) - was obliged to be checked inside the 300 metres when tightened onto TONY'S REWARD by LEGGERO, which had been taken out. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. Stewards questioned J. Eaton in relation to her riding of the gelding after being checked inside the 300 metres. J. Eaton explained that after having to severely check she had initially become concerned with the gelding's action and had allowed it time to become balanced before she resumed riding. Stewards accepted her explanation; nevertheless, advised her that she should ensure that her mounts were fully tested in accordance with the rules.

VIDUKA (J. Opperman) - rolled out slightly in the vicinity of the 1000 metres onto LEGGERO. Shifted out inside the 300 metres when there was insufficient room resulting in LEGGERO being taken out into the running line of LAKE'S FOLLY. Rider pleaded guilty to charge of careless riding under AR131(a) and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence at midnight Wednesday, 17 February 2021 and to conclude midnight Sunday, 21 February 2021, a period of three meetings.

BOLT I AM (P. Gatt) - had difficulty obtaining clear ground from approaching the 200 metres.

TONY'S REWARD (J. Holder) - laid out from the vicinity of the 500 metres until the vicinity of the 300 metres.

LEGGERO (D. Caboche) - momentarily inconvenienced in the vicinity of the 1000 metres when it rolled in slightly at the same time as VIDUKA rolled out. Inside the 300 metres was taken out by VIDUKA into the running line of LAKE'S FOLLY. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to have a poor post-race recovery. Trainer, Mr P. Caboche, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

PHYLA VELL (M. Collett) - rider was examined by the First Care Medical personnel on arrival at the barriers and was ruled unfit to fulfill her remaining engagements. Acting on this advice Stewards withdrew PHYLA VELL at 4.21 pm.

RACE 8: FLEURIEU MILK COMPANY HANDICAP - 1000 Metres

CALL ME CURTIS (J. Opperman) - at the entrance to the straight was disappointed when attempting a tight run between the heels of NICCONI PONI and OCEAN REWARD, and was obliged to alter course to the outside of OCEAN REWARD inside the 200 metres to obtain clear ground.

OCEAN REWARD (B. Vorster) - laid out under pressure over the concluding 150 metres of the event

RACE 8: FLEURIEU MILK COMPANY HANDICAP - 1000 Metres (cont'd)

MRS HYDE (S. Logan) - when questioned in relation to the early pace in this race rider explained that the mare is one dimensional and is difficult to restrain; however, given the speed in today's event she felt it would be in the mare's best interest for her to attempt to come back and take a position behind SUMMER SHOW. She added that despite her efforts the mare continued to race fiercely and had therefore finished the event off poorly.

IMPOSSIBLE ACTION (J. Toeroek) - taken out on jumping away onto NICCONI PONI.

SCOTCH ON THE ROCK (R. Hurdle) - jumped away awkwardly.

SUMMER SHOW (S. So) - when questioned in relation to the early pace in this race rider explained that the mare had found the lead of its own accord; however, due to the early speed in today's event she had attempted to restrain her mount in an attempt to allow MRS HYDE to cross. She added that despite her efforts the mare had continued to over-race and had finished the event off poorly.

NICCONI PONI (T. Pannell) - jumped away awkwardly and shortly after was inconvenienced when contacted by IMPOSSIBLE ACTION. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

OUR SUSTAR (J. Eaton) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out onto IMPOSSIBLE ACTION. Laid out under pressure in the straight.

RACE 9: TAB ADELAIDE CUP DAY, MONDAY MARCH 8 HANDICAP - 1400 Metres

FULTON STREET (K. Crowther) - in the vicinity of the 250 metres was momentarily inconvenienced when AMBIDAZZLE shifted in. In the vicinity of the 200 metres improved onto the heels of MASTERATI, which had commenced to give ground, and was obliged to alter course to that gelding's outside.

LORD VLADIVOSTOK (NZ) (J. Eaton) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

EXALTED TRAVELLER (R. Hurdle) - taken wider by MASTERATI rounding the home turn.

MASTERATI (S. Logan) - rounding the home turn was taken out onto EXALTED TRAVELLER by GOUGERS.

WONAEAMIRRI (S. Fawke) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

ENKI (T. Pannell) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

AMBIDAZZLE (J. Holder) - had difficulty obtaining clear ground from the entrance to the straight until in the vicinity of the 250 metres when it shifted in abruptly to obtain clear ground momentarily inconveniencing FULTON STREET. Rider reprimanded for careless riding under AR131(a).

LA RICHESSE (J. Opperman) - jumped away awkwardly and was slow into stride. At the entrance to the straight was momentarily inconvenienced when it laid in onto the heels of LORD VLADIVOSTOK (NZ) laid in under pressure in the straight. Rider explained that due to the mare jumping away awkwardly he had settled further back than he had anticipated.

GOUGERS (S. Metcalfe) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Laid out rounding the home turn onto MASTERATI and under pressure in the straight.

NEODIUM (J. Toeroek) - got its near hind leg up in the barrier. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was ruled unfit to start. Acting on this advice Stewards withdrew NEODIUM at 5.41 pm.

ISSARA (S. So) - rounding the home turn became awkwardly placed on the heels of EXALTED TRAVELLER for a short distance when that gelding was taken out.

COBBERS MATE (D. Caboche) - Stewards permitted D. Caboche to ride the gelding 0.5 kg over its declared weight of 54.5 kg.

PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (11):

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

Race 4 - TIBETAN (NZ), FARILIGHT (IRE), OURKHANI, FLOW METER, LOLLIELUCAS (x2), THE RED SEA, SIR HUSSON, SOSTENIDO (NZ), TUFF CAT, SPYING ON YOU (NZ).

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (10):

Race 1 - PARIANO (winner) Race 1 - ALLEBOOM (third)

Race 2 - GREAT DIVINER (winner)

Race 3 - KNIGHTSTOWN (winner)

Race 4 - THE RED SEA (winner

Race 5 - RIVER TWAIN (winner)

Race 6 - HANKSTAR (winner)

Race 7 - TONY'S REWARD (winner)

Race 8 - OCEAN REWARD (winner)

Race 9 - LORD VLADIVOSTOK (NZ) (winner)

POST-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (3):

Race 4 - TIBETAN (NZ), LOLLIELUCAS, THE RED SEA.

SUMMARY			
FINES	Nil		
SEVERE	Nil		
REPRIMANDS			
REPRIMANDS	Race 1 - O. Ridge (PORT VALE) - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+1]. Race 4 - S. So (THE RED SEA) - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+1]. Race 9 - J. Holder (AMBIDAZZLE) - AR131(a) - Careless riding.		
SUSPENSIONS	Race 7 - J. Opperman (VIDUKA) - AR131(a) - Careless riding - From midnight 17/02/21 to midnight 21/02/21 - 3 meetings.		
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 3 - KNIGHTSTOWN - Warned - Difficult to load. Race 3 - MY KHALIFA - Warned - Difficult to load. Race 5 - MRS MOURINHO - Not to race - Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race start - Soreness in the back and pelvic region. Race 7 - MAY BE FATE - Not to race - Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race start - Lame off hind leg. Race 7 - LEGGERO - Not to race - Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race start - Poor recovery.		
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil		
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	M. Collett		

