

Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Roxby Downs
Racecourse by Roxby Downs & District Racing Club
on Saturday, 11 September 2021



Stewards: T. Vanderstok (A/Chairman), G. Rudolph (HT) (Stewards) & E. Scott (F) (Cadet Steward), A. Deakin (Deputy Steward), Dr D. Anderson (Veterinary Surgeon).

TRACK: Good / Dirt

RAIL: True

WEATHER: Fine

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
5	DELUXE DESIGN	J. Philpot	M. Henderson	Overweight

RACE 1: DIXON MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 Metres

The start of this event was delayed five minutes.

FOX COUNTRY (S. So) - difficult to load. Trainer, Mr T. Montgomerie, was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to being difficult to load.

GREY FOLLY (A. Livesey) - jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin.

LULU DESIGN (K. Sardelic) - fractious in the barriers. Trainer, Mr D. Jolly, advised that a warning had been placed on the mare in relation to its barrier manners.

MEGAPHONE (A. Chung) - slow to begin.

SPIRITED SEDITION (C. Lions) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.


SUGAR BABY LOVE (M. Henderson) - trainer, Ms S. Ratsch, advised that the mare may have jarred up in today's event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 2: CLEANAWAY BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1000 Metres

CASE CLOSED (F. Atkinson) - lost ground on jumping away when tightened onto MIGHTY MOSHE by CITY JET, which shifted in.

EIGHTBALSIDEPOCKET (J. Philpot) - rider reported that the gelding slipped on jumping away. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CITY JET (S. So) - shifted in on jumping away onto CASE CLOSED. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare had pneumorgginitis and recommended a casslicks procedure.



RACE 2: CLEANAWAY BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1000 Metres (cont'd)

SERIOUS MOONLIGHT (M. Henderson) – 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 fined \$100. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for the totality of the use of the whip and noted that he used it on three occasions over the concluding 100 metres of the event. Rider also pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(i) in that he used his whip in consecutive strides prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

RACE 3: MINE TECH ENGINEERING BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

COMMANDO MISS (F. Atkinson) – slow to begin. Rider explained that despite her efforts in the early stages, the mare did not respond to her riding and was disappointing to the finish. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. Trainer, Mr M. Moosha, advised that the mare would now be spelled.

RACE4: ESS BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1400 Metres

ZAMBRANO (E. Wong) – 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. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for the totality of the use of the whip and noted that he used it on one occasion over the concluding 100 metres of the event.

ROAR (M. Henderson) - A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CRAZY CULPRIT (C. Lions) – made contact with the barrier just prior to the gates being released. Jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin. Rider explained that despite her efforts in the early stages, the mare did not respond to her riding and was disappointing to the finish. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a minor abrasion to the forehead.

MARY'S PRIDE (J. Philpot) – slow to begin.

PERUVIAN EXPRESS (K. Sardelic) - laid out under pressure over the concluding stages. Rider reported, in his opinion, the gelding may not have handled the kick back in today's event and felt uncomfortable in its action on pulling up. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 5: BHP ROXBY DOWNS CUP - 1800 Metres

GIVEPEACE A CHANCE (D. Stra) – over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

NAKHEEL (K. Sardelic) – rider explained the mare was slow to begin, was off the bridle near the 700 metres despite his efforts and was disappointing to the finish. He added that in his opinion the mare may not have handled the dirt track and resented the kick back in today's event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

LUGA LAD (E. Wong) – over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event. Near the 1500 metres had to be steadied off the heels of NAKHEEL.

MARYMOUNT LASS (A. Livesey) – near the 1600 metres ran out abruptly where the chute linked up with the course proper.

BELLS 'N' BOWS (S. So) – stood flat-footed on jumping away losing four lengths. Trainer Mr T. Montgomerie was advised a warning was placed on the mare regarding its barrier manners.

ROYAL BOWER (C. Lions) – lost it near hind plate during the event.

DELUXE DESIGN (M. Henderson) – laid in under pressure in the straight.



RACE 6: KALARI TRANSPORT BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1600 Metres

ONWARD (C. Lions) - rider reported that the gelding hung out during the early stages of the event.

JACKPOT JOHNNY (E. Wong) - slow to begin. Rider reported that the gelding was under pressure from near the 800 metres and despite the rider's efforts, did not respond to his riding and was disappointing until the finish. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding had thumps. Trainer, Mr T. Montgomerie, was advised that the results of an ECG and a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

DUKE OF CHRISTOPHE (S. So) - tightened on jumping away between ONWARD and SCALLOP and lost position.

UNSCOPEABLE (F. Atkinson) - rider reported the mare felt uncomfortable in its action on pulling up. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SUPERB TIME (A. Livesey) - rider reported she became concerned with the gelding's action from near the 500 metres and for this reason did not ride the gelding out in her normal manner. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (3):

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

Race 5 - NAKHEEL, CHU CHU CHARLIE, DELUXE DESIGN

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (1):

Race 5 - ROYAL BOWER (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 2 - M. Henderson (SERIOUS MOONLIGHT) - Fined \$100 - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence - (+2)
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Race 2 - M. Henderson (SERIOUS MOONLIGHT) - AR132(7)(a)(i) - Whip offence. Race 4 - E. Wong (ZAMBRANO) - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence - (+1) Race 5 - J. Philpot - AR190(3) - Overweight and having to be replaced on DELUXE DESIGN.
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 - FOX COUNTRY - Warned - Difficult to load Race 1 - LULU DESIGN - Warned - Barrier manners Race 5 - BELLS 'N' BELLS - Warned - Stood flat-footed. Race 6 - JACKPOT JOHNNY - Not to race - Results of an ECG and Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future trial or race - Thumps
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil