

# Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Strathalbyn  
Racecourse by the Strathalbyn Racing Club on  
Sunday, 28 November 2021



RACINGS A

Stewards: M. Zarb (A/Chairman), G. Rudolph (HT) & T. Vanderstok (M) (Stewards),  
B. Jarman (F) (Cadet Steward), D. Jonas, E. Santoro & L. Martin (Deputy Stewards),  
Dr B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeon).

TRACK: Good 4

(Track with some give in it)

RAIL: True

WEATHER: Fine

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
4	FINAL CHANCE	G. Lo		Explanation accepted
4	CELTIC SAINT	T. Voorham		""
7	SOSTENIDO	G. Lo	B. Price	Overweight

## RACE 1: LANGHORNE CREEK WINE REGION MAIDEN PLATE - 1600 Metres

QUANDOQUANDOQUANDO (C. Lyons) - raced keenly in the early stages. Near the 150 metres, was severely tightened for room by ROBE RAIDER on its outside, which was taken in by KEEP SWINGING on its outside. As a result, QUANDOQUANDOQUANDO clipped the heels of ROBE RAIDER, had to be checked and became unbalanced almost dislodging its rider. C. Lyons lost both her irons and the horse was not tested to the line.

AITCH D'AMICO (R. Hurdle) - near the 50 metres shifted in abruptly when insufficiently clear of BENZ BARON, resulting in that horse being crowded for room and checked. Rider severely reprimand under AR131(a) for careless riding.

BENZ BARON (S. Logan) - near the 50 metres was crowded and had to be checked by AITCH D'AMICO.

PARVANI (K. Crowther) - raced keenly in the early stages. Steadied and shifted wider near the 150 metres to avoid interference forward of it. Rider reported that the horse laid in throughout and she had some concerns with its actions. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a lower than expected heart rate.

SELLIX (D. Stra) - raced wide without cover for the majority of the event.

KEEP SWINGING (B. Price) - jumped away awkwardly. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages. Near the 150 metres, shifted in when insufficiently clear of ROBE RAIDER crowded that horse in onto QUANDOQUANDOQUANDO, resulting in that horse being tightened, having to be checked, clipping heels and almost dislodging its rider. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge of careless riding under AR131(a) and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence at midnight on Saturday, 4 December 2021 and conclude at midnight Friday, 10 December 2021; a period of 3 meetings.



RACE 1: LANGHORNE CREEK WINE REGION MAIDEN PLATE - 1600 Metres (cont'd)

ROBE RAIDER (J. Eaton) - jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages. Crowded and checked near the 150 metres between QUANDOQUANDOQUANDO and KEEP SWINGING which shifted in when not clear.

Correct weight was delayed to allow Stewards and connections of BENZ BARON (placed second) to view an incident near the 50 metres. Although there was interference to BENZ BARON by the winner (AITCH D'AMICO), both parties felt there was insufficient grounds for an objection and therefore correct weight was declared.

RACE 2: GIPSIE JACK MAIDEN/CLASS 1 PLATE - 2050 Metres

HARRY HOT PANTS (J. Potter) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the near hind leg. Trainer, Mrs N. Irvine, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

PROMESA D'ORO (D. Tourneur) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages. Became awkward and unbalanced momentarily near the 150 metres.

DESERT HERO (S. Logan) - jumped away awkwardly and lost ground. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

OH GEORGIA (E. Annells) - slow to begin.

QUEBECOIS (J. Holder) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out.

LEFTRIGHTGOODNITE (E. Boyd) - raced keenly in the middle stages. Held up for clear running between the 500 metres and 400 metres, behind LAST ZERPRISE and to the inside of QUEBECOIS.

Correct weight was delayed to allow the Stewards to review the start, acting on a report from the starter that DESERT HERO got its near hind leg up on the stall partition. After viewing the film, Stewards declared the horse a runner.

RACE 3: HAPPY BIRTHDAY SAM TRIMBOLI MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 Metres

JEAN VALJEAN (R. Hurdle) - jumped awkwardly, shifted out and bumped KATE'S REBEL.

SOLSYSTEM (D. Tourneur) - shifted out on jumping away and bumped NISKIE LATANIE. Hung out from the 1000 metres and raced wide on the track for the majority of the race. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. Trainer, Mr J. Stephens, was advised the gelding must perform to the Stewards' satisfaction in two Official Barrier Trials prior to a future race start.

HOT SPARKY (E. Boyd) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

NISKIE LATANIE (S. Metcalfe) - bumped at the start by SOLSYSTEM and lost ground.

KATE'S REBEL (B. Vorster) - bumped at the start by JEAN VALJEAN.

STARLOCKET (D. Caboche) - proved difficult to load. Trainer, Mr J. Hyam, was advised that a warning would be placed on the filly's loading manners. Jumped away awkwardly.

RACE 4: LAKE BREEZE HANDICAP (APPRENTICE RIDERS ONLY) - 1100 Metres

LIBERTY BLUE - late scratching by order of the Stewards at 8:30am. No apprentice rider available.

MIGHTY MABEL (E. Annells) - raced keenly in the middle stages.

CARTIER TIARA (B. Price) - rider reported that his horse changed legs on entering the home straight and ran to the line only fairly.

TEESHA (A. Chung) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted outwards.



## RACE 5: LANGHORNE CREEK VIGNERONS' CUP (BENCHMARK 72 HANDICAP) - 1350 Metres

WYLIE OL' COYOTE (J. Toeroek) - raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.

JAAMINT (K. Crowther) - rider explained the horse worked hard in the early stages from a wide gate and failed to run on as expected and proved disappointing. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CARBONE (J. Potter) - tailed the field for the majority of the race. Rider explained the gelding failed to show early speed and added that whilst it usually gets back in its races, it resents being put under too much pressure. Raced wide rounding the home turn and in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding jarred-up in both forelegs.

RANGER CEE JAY (S. Metcalfe) - hung out rounding the home turn and in the straight. Rider was reprimanded under AR132(6)(a) in that she used her whip forward of her horse's shoulder near the 100 metres.

## RACE 6: BREMERTON WINES HANDICAP - 1350 Metres

The start of the race was delayed as a result of REX GOLIATH having to be reshod.

REX GOLIATH (K. Crowther) - required to be reshod on arrival at the barriers. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and passed fit to start. Shifted out at the start and bumped HARBOUR EXPRESS which was taken out onto MAGIC DEE.

ENZED BEER (NZ) (G. Lo) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and bumped WURLIES LASTCHANCE.

HUSSONMAN (E. Annells) - rider reprimanded under AR132(6)(b) for using her whip in an action that raised her arm above shoulder height.

HARBOUR EXPRESS (T. Pannell) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and bumped REX GOLIATH out onto MAGIC DEE.

TAIPAN TOMMY (J. Toeroek) - rider reported the horse scrambled out of its gate and as a result was further back than intended. Held up for clear running between the 400 and 300 metres on the inside of ARCHWAY TO HEAVEN.

WURLIES LASTCHANCE (D. Caboche) - on jumping away was buffeted between ENZED BEER and ARCHWAY TO HEAVEN. Raced keenly in the middle stages and had to be steadied near the 1000 metres behind ENZED BEER.

ARCHWAY TO HEAVEN (D. Tourneur) - buffeted at the start between WURLIES LASTCHANCE and ZIP AKEED. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

MAGIC DEE (J. Potter) - bumped at the start by HARBOUR EXPRESS resulting in its rider becoming very unbalanced in the saddle.

ZIP AKEED (B. Vorster) - bumped at the start by ARCHWAY TO HEAVEN. Raced keenly in the middle stages of the race.

## RACE 7: BLEASDALE HANDICAP - 1600 Metres

DON'T DISMISS (A. Chung) - slipped on leaving the parade ring. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival at the barriers and passed fit to start. Jumped away awkwardly, shifted outwards and bumped I'M BULLETPROOF. Shifted out near the 100 metres and bumped KILOWATT. Shortly thereafter, rider dropped his right rein and did not regather it until passing the finishing line.

KILOWATT (A. Jordsjo) - held up for clear running rounding the home turn from near the 400 metres until near the 250 metres where it shifted out to improve. Near the 100 metres was bumped by DON'T DISMISS on its inside.



RACE 7: BLEASDALE HANDICAP - 1600 Metres (cont'd)

I'M BULLETPROOF (J. Potter) - bumped at the start by DON'T DISTRESS. Raced keenly in the early stages and was caught wide on the track. Consequently, the rider allowed the horse to stride forward to the lead which he obtained near the 1200 metres.

WOULDA THOUGHT SO (S. Logan) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding was suffering from colic as a result of heat related stress. Trainer, Mr D. Saxon, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness will be required prior to a future trial or race start.

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ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (7):

- Race 1 - AITCH D'AMICO (winner)
  - Race 2 - LEFTRIGHTGOODNITE (winner)
  - Race 3 - FIELDS OF ATHENRY (winner)
  - Race 4 - EQUICHUNK (winner)
  - Race 5 - FULTON STREET (winner)
  - Race 6 - RUN AND TELL (winner)
  - Race 7 - KILOWATT (winner)
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SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 7 - Mr G. Young - Fined \$100 - LR18.1 - Late rider declaration for SOSTENIDO.
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 1 - R. Hurdle (AITCH D'AMICO) - AR131(a) - Careless riding.
REPRIMANDS	G. Lo - AR190(3) - Overweight and having to be replaced on SOSTENIDO (Race 7). Race 5 - S. Metcalfe (RANGER CEE JAY) - AR132(6)(a) - Whip offence - Use of whip forward of horses shoulder near the 100 metres. Race 6 - E. Annells (HUSSONMAN) - AR132(6)(b) - Whip offence - Use of whip in an action that raised arm above shoulder height.
SUSPENSIONS	Race 1 - B. Price (KEEP SWINGING) - AR131(a) - Careless Riding - From midnight 4/12/21 to conclude at midnight 10/12/21 - 3 meetings.
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 2 - HARRY HOT PANTS - Not to race - Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race start - Lameness near hind leg. Race 3 - STARLOCKET - Warning - Difficult to load. Race 3 - SOLSYSTEM - Suspension - Must perform to the Stewards' satisfaction in two Official Barrier Trials prior to a future race start - Hung out. Race 7 - WOULDA THOUGHT SO - Not to race - Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race start - Heat related stress colic.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil