

Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville
Racecourse by the South Australian Jockey Club on
Saturday, 29 October 2022



Stewards: M. Santoro (Chairman), S. Callanan (M) & C. Deakin (HT) (Stewards), K. Rayson (F) (Cadet Steward), L. Martin, J. Patton, E. Santoro, T. Vears & M. Arthur (Deputy Stewards), Dr T. Koenig & Dr B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeons).

TRACK: Good 4 (Track with some give in it)
Upgraded to a Good 3 at 3:29 pm retrospective to Race 7
(Track with good grass coverage and cushion)

RAIL: Out 2 metres 1200 metres to Winning Post, true remainder.

WEATHER: Fine

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
6	SHORT STORIES	T. Pannell	K. Crowther	Overweight

RACE 1: PIMMS HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

KLABEL (NZ) (J. Toeroek) - inconvenienced on jumping away when contacted by PRANCE 'N' DANCE. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

DECLARED (S. Logan) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Hung out rounding the home turn and under pressure in the straight. Near the 200m shifted out onto KLABEL (NZ), which was forced to be steadied when tightened onto KIKI EXPRESS. Trainer, Mr D. Jolly was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to hanging out. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the near foreleg (1/5). Trainer, Mr D. Jolly was further advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

SUPER SHARP (J. Eaton) - jumped away awkwardly.

ROCKSTAR MEGGSY (J. Holder) - laid out over the concluding 700m of the event.

PRANCE 'N' DANCE (J. Maund) - shifted out on jumping away onto KLABEL (NZ).

RACE 2: DAVID LOY HANDICAP - 2500 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately five minutes owing to DIXIE WHISTLER breaking through the gates and galloping riderless prior to being captured.

SMILING ASSASSIN (A. Lindsay) - jumped away awkwardly.



RACE 2: DAVID LOY HANDICAP - 2500 Metres (cont'd)

EXALTED RUTH (S. Logan) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival at the barriers and was found to be lame in the near foreleg (2/5) and was deemed unsuitable to race. Acting on this advice EXALTED RUTH was declared a late scratching by order of Stewards at 12.04 pm. Trainer, Mr G. Lynch was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

DIXIE WHISTLER (L. Neindorf) - broke through the barriers and galloped riderless for some distance prior to being captured. Acting on veterinary advice Stewards declared DIXIE WHISTLER a late scratching at 12:08 pm. Co-trainers, Mr G. Richards and Mr D. Moyle were advised the mare must perform to the Stewards' satisfaction in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race.

YESUGEI (NZ) (J. Potter) - laid out under pressure over the concluding 150m of the event.

HALLAROSTE (P. Gatt) - Stewards permitted P. Gatt to ride the gelding 0.5 kg over its declared weight of 54.0 kg. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

HAPPY ATOM (D. Tourneur) - slow to begin.

WHITCHETY GRUB (B. Price) - lost its near fore plate during the event. Laid out under pressure over the concluding 150m of the event.

RACE 3: CANADIAN CLUB MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes owing to PANNIER (NZ) being fractious in the barrier.

ALWAYS SOMETIMES (J. Potter) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

CHEF MILITAIRE (J. Maund) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed suitable to race. Near the 100m shifted out and away from PORTATION onto MASTER AT ARMS (NZ).

MASTER AT ARMS (NZ) (J. Benbow) - slow to begin. Near the 100m was severely hampered when taken out by CHEF MILITAIRE. Inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

PONTERA (NZ) (T. Pannell) - following the declaration of acceptances Trainer, Mr M. Hickmott made a gear application to add a tongue tie to the gelding's race gear. Stewards accepted this request and acting under AR206(2) fined Mr Hickmott \$200. Near the 300m was forced to take hold and lost ground when ZUFASTA shifted in when insufficiently clear and as a result inconvenienced FORAGER.

PORTATION (S. Logan) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Approaching the 100m shifted out and away from ZUFASTA towards CHEF MILITAIRE

PANNIER (NZ) (M. Lloyd) - fractious in the barrier. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and deemed unsuitable to race. Acting on this advice PANNIER (NZ) was declared a late scratching by order of Stewards at 12.44 pm. Trainer, Mr H. Dwyer was advised that that a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its barrier manners and that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race.

ZUFASTA (L. Neindorf) - in the vicinity of the 300m shifted in when insufficiently clear of PONTERA (NZ), which was forced to take hold and lost its position and as a result was taken into onto FORAGER, which was inconvenienced, forced to take hold and lost its position. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge of careless riding under AR131(a) and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence immediately following the suspension he incurred on 22 October 2022 that being midnight Wednesday, 2 November 2022 and to conclude midnight Friday, 11 November 2022, a period of five meetings. In determining penalty, Stewards took into account L. Neindorf's recent record and his guilty plea.



RACE 3: CANADIAN CLUB MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 Metres (Cont'd)

FORAGER (K. Crowther) - fractious in the barriers. Jumped away awkwardly. In the vicinity of the 300m was inconvenienced by PONTEDERA (NZ), forced to take hold and lost its position when ZUFASTA shifted in when insufficiently clear. Trainer, Mr D. Jolly was advised that that a warning had been placed on the filly in relation to its barrier manners. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 4: THOMAS FARMS HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately one minute to avoid a clash with an interstate event.

POINT BLAZE (M. Lloyd) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

WILD IMAGINATION (NZ) (A. Kelly) - near the 300m shifted in onto LOVIE MAY, which had to be steadied. Rider was reprimanded under AR131(a) and advised to take greater care when shifting ground.

LOVIE MAY (S. Logan) - near the 300m had to be momentarily steadied when WILD IMAGINATION (NZ) shifted in.

GRANDMA GAIL (D. Tourneur) - inconvenienced on jumping away when tightened onto POINT BLAZE by STRIP CLUB.

HEAVY ROTATION (T. Pannell) - slow to begin.

STRIP CLUB (E. Annells) - shifted in on jumping away onto GRANDMA GAIL.

CHEH CHEH CHARLEE (B. Price) - raced fiercely in the early and middle stages of the event.

RACE 5: MELBOURNE CUP DAY AT MORPHETTVILLE - TUESDAY NOVEMBER 1ST HANDICAP - 1100 Metres

GRAND HOST (K. Crowther) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

LAKEHURST (L. Neindorf) - taken out shortly after the start onto MADAM FURPHY by MAIDEN GRACE.

MADAM FURPHY (J. Eaton) - inconvenienced shortly after the start when tightened onto OBI by LAKEHURST.

RODNEY (A. Lindsay) - slow into stride.

BLUDOG (P. Gatt) - Stewards permitted P. Gatt to ride the gelding 0.5 kg over its declared weight of 54.0 kg.

MAIDEN GRACE (E. Annells) - shifted out shortly after the start onto LAKEHURST. Laid out rounding the home turn and under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 6: CROSER HANDICAP - 1600 Metres

SPLASH SOME CASH (A. Lindsay) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

MOSCOW RED (NZ) (S. Logan) - hampered on jumping away when tightened between ANNIKA and SHORT STORIES. Approaching the 1200m improved onto the heels of RIOTOUS MISCHIEF and had to be steadied for a number of strides.

MONTEPULCIANO (J. Benbow) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

ANNIKA (J. Opperman) - taken out on jumping away onto MOSCOW RED (NZ).





RACE 6: CROSER HANDICAP - 1600 Metres (cont'd)

PUDDING (NZ) (J. Toeroek) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Near the 1400m shifted in onto RESIDUE, which had to be momentarily steadied. Rider was reminded of his obligations under AR131(a) and advised, in future, to take greater care when shifting ground.

RESIDUE (L. Neindorf) - shifted out on jumping away onto ANNIKA. Near the 1400m had to be momentarily steadied when PUDDING (NZ) shifted in.

SHORT STORIES (K. Crowther) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted in onto MOSCOW RED (NZ). A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the off hind leg (1/5). Trainer, Mr W. Clarken was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

RACE 7: GRAND SYNDICATES HANDICAP - 1100 Metres

ARKHAM KNIGHT (L. Neindorf) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

HOWL (P. Gatt) - slow to begin. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

CALLA DREAM (K. Crowther) - following the declaration of acceptances, Co-trainer Mr R. Daniel made a gear application to remove winkers from the mare's race gear. Stewards accepted this request and acting under AR206(2) fined Co-trainers, Mr R. Daniel and Ms T. Stanbury \$200. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

KEEP READING (A. Kelly) - jumped away awkwardly.

MOTELL (J. Benbow) - jumped away awkwardly and shortly after had to be steadied when awkwardly placed between the heels of HOPON HARRY and KEEP READING, which both shifted ground slightly.

PHILONIZE (B. Price) - jumped away awkwardly.

RACE 8: QUAYCLEAN HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes, initially to avoid a clash with an interstate event and then due to the tongue tie having to be replaced on ALPINE BEAU.

FALLOW (J. Opperman) - shifted out on jumping away onto ALPINE BEAU.

KNIGHTSTOWN (L. Neindorf) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

JET JITSU (A. Kelly) - inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

ANJOPIN (S. Logan) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

FOX GEM (T. Pannell) - shifted in on jumping away onto ALPINE BEAU.

ALPINE BEAU (J. Maund) - shortly after the start was hampered and lost its position when tightened between FALLOW, which shifted out and FOX GEM, which shifted in.

RUBBLE (A. Lindsay) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Raced wide without cover throughout the event.

VICTORY TIME (M. Lloyd) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

BIG SHAQ (J. Holder) - slow to begin. Inclined to shift about under pressure in the straight.



RACE 9: JOHN LETTS CUP - 1800 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately one minute to avoid a clash with an interstate event.

RACE 9: JOHN LETTS CUP - 1800 Metres (cont'd)

SIGN OF USSURI (M. Lloyd) - inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed bilateral speedy cuts to both hind cannons.

EL GLADIADOR (NZ) (P. Gatt) - inconvenienced on jumping away when contacted by SIX FOOT SONG.

OH MO (K. Crowther) - Stewards received a request from Trainer, Mr S. Burford that the gelding be withdrawn due to the track upgrade. Stewards accepted this request and declared OH MO a late scratching at 3:36 pm.

PERFECT ROUTE (J. Eaton) - lost its position on jumping away when tightened onto MORTY by DIVINE DIOSA. Had difficulty obtaining clear ground from the 300m until near the 100m.

RESURGE (R. Hurdle) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SIX FOOT SONG (J. Benbow) - shifted out abruptly on jumping away and contacted the hind quarters of EL GLADIADOR (NZ). Inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

DIVINE DIOSA (A. Kelly) - shifted out on jumping away onto PERFECT ROUTE.

RACE 10: FURPHY HANDICAP - 1050 Metres

OCEAN REWARD (J. Holder) - Stewards received a request from Trainer, Mr M. Webb that the gelding be withdrawn due to the track upgrade. Stewards accepted this request and declared OCEAN REWARD a late scratching at 3:34 pm.

SEA WITNESS (J. Benbow) - jumped away awkwardly. Laid out under pressure over the concluding 200m of the event.

MAGIC MAX (L. Neindorf) - slow to begin.

ASTON RAPOVA (M. Lloyd) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

ZARACE (T. Pannell) - raced wide without cover throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (20):

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

Race 2 - EXALTED RUTH, DIXIE WHISTLER, EPIZEEL (NZ), YESUGEI (NZ), HALLAROSTE

Race 6 - MOSCOW RED (NZ), RIOTOUS MISCHIEF, ANNIKA, PUDDING (NZ), RESIDUE, SHORT STORIES

Race 9 - SIGN OF USSURI, FAROOQ, EL GLADIADOR (NZ), OH MO, PERFECT ROUTE, MORTY, SIX FOOT SONG, DIVINE DIOSA, THE MAP

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (10):

Race 1 - ROCKSTAR MEGGSY (winner)

Race 2 - WHITCHETY GRUB (winner)

Race 3 - ZUFASTA (winner)

Race 4 - LADY SIMONE (winner)

Race 5 - DISCO TILMORN (winner)

Race 6 - RESIDUE (winner)

Race 7 - PHILONIZE (winner)

Race 8 - ANJOPIN (winner)

Race 9 - MORTY (winner)

Race 10 - ASTON RAPOVA (winner)

REPRIMANDS FOR WHIP USE

Stewards reprimanded the following riders under AR132(7)(a)(ii) for using the whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 meters. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for the totality of whip use.

		Prior to 100m	Final 100m
Race 2	D. Tourneur (HAPPY ATOM)	+3	1

SUMMARY

FINES	Race 3 - Mr M. Hickmott - Fined \$200 - AR206(2) - Late gear application for PONTERA (NZ) Race 7 - Mr R. Daniel and Ms T. Stanbury - Fined \$200 - AR206(2) - Late gear application for CALLA DREAM
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Race 4 - A. Kelly (WILD IMAGINATION (NZ)) - AR131(a) - Careless riding T. Pannell - AR190(3) - Overweight and having to be replaced on SHORT STORIES (Race 5)
SUSPENSIONS	Race 3 - L. Neindorf (ZUFASTA) - AR131(a) - Careless Riding - From midnight 2/11/22 and to conclude at midnight 11/11/22 - 5 meetings
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 - DECLARED - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to jump-out, trial or race - Lameness off foreleg (1/5) Race 1 - DECLARED - Warned - Hung out Race 2 - EXALTED RUTH - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to jump-out, trial or race - Lameness near foreleg (2/5) (late scratching) Race 2 - DIXIE WHISTLER - Suspended - Must perform to Stewards satisfaction in Official Barrier Trial prior to future race (late scratching) Race 3 - PANNIER (NZ) - Warned - Fractious in the barriers (late scratching) Race 3 - FORAGER - Warned - Fractious in the barriers Race 6 - SHORT STORIES - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to jump-out, trial or race - Lameness of hind leg (1/5)
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil