

# Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report



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Report on Race Meeting held at Murray Bridge  
Racecourse by the Murray Bridge Jockey Club on  
Saturday, 24 December 2022

Stewards: M. Zarb (A/Chairman) & A. Hayles (HT) (Stewards), B. Jarman (F), K. Rayson & H. Matthews (Cadet Stewards), J. Patton & L. Martin (Deputy Stewards), Dr T. Koenig & Dr M. Taylor (Veterinary Surgeons)

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

RAIL: True

WEATHER: Fine

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	LUCKY FORTUNA	T. Pannell	C. Murray	Overweight
3	YEAH YEAH NAH	D. Caboche		Late declaration - explanation accepted

## RACE 1: BRIDGES EVENT CENTRE HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

WHO'S CLANG (T. Voorham) - tightened and taken in at the start between VALIDATED and MIDNIGHT RUSH, which began awkwardly and shifted in.

MIDNIGHT RUSH (J. Toeroek) - began awkwardly, shifted in and tightened WHO'S CLANG in onto VALIDATED. Shied away from the winning post and shifted out.

TAPINFORPAR (C. Rawiller) - hung in when placed under pressure in the straight.

VALIDATED (B. Vorster) - began awkwardly and was then tightened between TAPINFORPAR and WHO'S CLANG.

## RACE 2: VALE DR ANDREW MILLS 7/12/22 HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

MANHATTEN TIMES (T. Voorham) - began awkwardly and lost ground. Shortly after the start was bumped by EXTRA TIME and lost further ground. Rider reported that the gelding raced flat and did not respond to her riding when placed under pressure. Co-trainer, Mr L. Macdonald advised that the gelding proved disappointing in its performance. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

BOLD STAR (C. Rawiller) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival at the barriers which revealed the gelding to be lame in the near foreleg (2/5) and was deemed unsuitable to race. Acting on this advice BOLD STAR was declared a late scratching by order of Stewards at 12.50 pm. Co-trainers, Mr G Richards and Mr D. Moyle were advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race.

EXTRA TIME (J. Holder) - began awkwardly, shift in and bumped MANHATTEN TIMES.

SMOKIN' VAL (S. Callow) - raced keen in the early stages of the event.



### RACE 3: FRED VELLA TYRE & CRASH REPAIRS HANDICAP - 1600 Metres

THRILL KILL (T. Voorham) - began awkwardly, shifted out and bumped PENTIRE'S SPIRIT (NZ).

WESTERN SUN (B. Price) - bumped at the start by PENTIRE'S SPIRIT (NZ). Lost its off fore plate during the event.

PENTIRE'S SPIRIT (NZ) (J. Eaton) - tightened, buffeted and lost ground at the start between WESTERN SUN and THRILL KILL, which began awkwardly and shifted out. Hung in, in the early stages of the straight. Rider was reminded of her obligations under AR132(6)(b) in regards to using her whip in an action that raises her arm above shoulder height.

MUG'S GAME (C. Murray) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

YEAH YEAH NAH (D. Caboche) - had its tongue tie replaced upon arrival at the barriers.

### RACE 4: AM & ME LANGFORD PLASTERBOARD MAIDEN PLATE - 1400 Metres

KEMI (A. Jordsjo) - shortly after the start was bumped by NOT SO INNOCENT (NZ), which shifted out.

PLUCKSEY DUBH (A. Lindsay) - slow to begin. Near the 350m was tightened and checked on the inside of VALENTINA CHARM, which shifted into a run on the inside of NOT SO INNOCENT (NZ), which shifted in at the same time.

SEAFARING (NZ) (J. Toeroek) - bumped at the start by NOT SO INNOCENT (NZ), which shifted out.

LORD BENTLEY (K. Crowther) - near the 1200m when racing keen, shifted in, bumped TALL LETTER and became unbalanced. Rider reported that the gelding raced greenly for the majority of the event and particularly in the straight when placed under pressure.

TALL LETTER (D. Caboche) - bumped near the 1200m by LORD BENTLY on its outside.

NOT SO INNOCENT (NZ) (C. Murray) - shifted in at the start, bumped SEFARING (NZ) and then shifted out and bumped KEMI. Near the 350m shifted in when insufficiently clear of VALENTINA CHARM and carried that horse in onto PLUCKSEY DUBH, which had to be checked. Rider was severely reprimanded for careless riding under AR131(a) and advised to take greater care when shifting ground, in future.

SEATTLE GRACE (J. Potter) - raced greenly in the early and middle stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the filly to be lame in the near foreleg (2/5). Trainer, Mr G. Kluske was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race.

VALENTINA CHARM (S. Logan) - required to be reshod on arrival on course. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed suitable to race. Raced keen in the early stages of the event. Near the 350m improved into a run to the inside of NOT SO INNOCENT (NZ), which shifted in at the same time, resulting in VALENTINA CHARM being tightened onto PLUCKSEY DUBH, which was checked.

### RACE 5: TAB HANDICAP - 1400 Metres

The start of this event was delayed several minutes owing to BLAZERRO having to be reshod after arriving behind the barriers.

BLAZERRO (K. Crowther) - required to be reshod after arriving behind the barriers. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and deemed suitable to race. Held up for clear running from the 400m until the 300m. Hung in and raced in restricted room for the remainder of the straight.

JUST CHIPPING AWAY (J. Holder) - raced keen in the early and middle stages of the event. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

PERFECT COMMAND (T. Voorham) - raced in restricted room for the majority of the straight on the inside of JUST CHIPPING AWAY.



## RACE 6: SPRYCRETE CHRISTMAS CUP - 2500 Metres

The start of this event was delayed several minutes owing to three late scratching's.

GOLIOTUS (E. Boyd) - fractious in its barrier and continually kicked the back gates. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination which revealed lacerations to both hind legs and was deemed unsuitable to race. Acting on this advice GOLIOTUS was declared a late scratching by order of Stewards at 3.25 pm. Trainer, Mr R. Bruhn was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its barrier manners. Mr R. Bruhn was further advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race.

TOYETIC (E. Wong) - fractious in its barrier, reared and became cast. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed unsuitable to race. Acting on this advice TOYETIC was declared a late scratching by order of Stewards at 3.25 pm. Trainer, Mr A. Bain was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its barrier manners. Mr A. Bain was further advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race.

OATH OF OMERTA (J. Eaton) - laid out under pressure in the straight. Lost its off hind plate during the event.

HASTA LA FIORENTE (T. Voorham) - hung in when placed under pressure in the straight.

SESTAR (B. Price) - fractious and reared in its barrier. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed unsuitable to race. Acting on this advice SESAR was declared a late scratching by order of Stewards at 3.23 pm. Trainer, Mr D. Saxon was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race. Mr D. Saxon was further advised that the gelding was now required to complete, to the satisfaction of the Stewards, an Official Barrier Trial or Approval to Race jump-out prior to a future race.

## RACE 7: NORTHPOINT MURRAYLANDS HANDICAP - 900 Metres

SECRET WAR (E. Wong) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CHOSEN BLONDE (E. Annells) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

QEYAADY (T. Pannell) - held up for clear running from the 400m until the 200m behind KASAMI and SECRET WAR.

KASAMI (M. Aitken) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed suitable to race.

## RACE 8: MULCH N MORE HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

DOMINUS (NZ) (T. Voorham) - laid out under pressure in the straight.

WYLIE OL' COYOTE (E. Annells) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination as it had not raced for over a year and was deemed suitable to race. Began awkwardly and lost ground.

CRACKHORN (B. Vorster) - got its off hind leg up as the start was effected and as a result began awkwardly and lost ground.

TEST THE LAW (K. Crowther) - when questioned in relation to the performance, rider explained that the gelding over raced within itself and failed to respond to her riding when placed under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

## RACE 9: CARLTON DRAUGHT HANDICAP - 1400 Metres

LEBANESE TRADER (J. Opperman) - bumped at the start by LACRIMA. Near the 200m was forced wider by LACRIMA.

LACRIMA (J. Eaton) - bumped LEBANESE TRADER at the start. Rider explained that she was looking to improve from the 600m; however, was held up at the tail of the field. She added that approaching the 400m she was able to follow TOORAK WARRIOR but was still unable to obtain complete clear running behind STAR ESPRESSO until near the 200m, at which point she was able to ease LEBANESE TRADER wider on the track. She further added that the mare hung in for the majority of the straight.



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PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (20):

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

- Race 2 - ONE MORE JACK, BOLD STAR  
 Race 3 - WESTERN SUN, PUDDING (NZ), PENTIRE'S SPIRIT (NZ), MUG'S GAME, YEAH YEAH NAH  
 Race 4 - FORTIS IN ARMIS, MY BOY JETT, NOT SO INNOCENT (NZ), VALENTINA CHARM  
 Race 5 - BLAZERO, METRO LEGEND  
 Race 6 - RITRATTO, TOYETIC, SO BENE, SASUN  
 Race 8 - WYLIE O' COYOTE, NIGHTSTICK  
 Race 9 - COME ON EILEEN
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ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (9):

- Race 1 - VALIDATED (winner)  
 Race 2 - ONE MORE JACK (winner)  
 Race 3 - PUDDING (NZ) (winner)  
 Race 4 - SEAFARING (NZ) (winner)  
 Race 5 - SASKATOON (winner)  
 Race 6 - OATH OF OMERTA (winner)  
 Race 7 - MY RUBY (winner)  
 Race 8 - PONTERA (NZ) (winner)  
 Race 9 - FLEURIEU FLIPPER (winner)
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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 1	T. Voorham (WHO'S CLANG)	+1	+5
Race 2	E. Wong (ONE MORE JACK)	+2	+3
Race 3	T. Voorham (THRILL KILL)	+1	+5
Race 6	T. Voorham (HASTA LA FIORENTE)	+3	+3

SUMMARY	
FINES	Nil
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 4 - C. Murray (NOT SO INNOCENT (NZ)) - AR131(a) - Careless Riding
REPRIMANDS	T. Pannell - AR190(3) - Overweight and having to be replaced on LUCKY FORTUNA (Race 1) Race 3 - Mr D. Carrison - LR18.1 - Late rider declaration for YEAH YEAH NAH
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
	Race 2 - BOLD STAR - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to jump-out, trial or race - Lameness near foreleg (2/5) Race 4 - SEATTLE GRACE - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to jump-out, trial or race - Lameness near foreleg (2/5) Race 6 - GOLIOTUS - Warned - Barrier manners (fractious in its barrier) Race 6 - GOLIOTUS - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to jump-out, trial or race - Lacerations to both hind legs Race 6 - TOYETIC - Warned - Barrier manners (fractious in its barrier) Race 6 - TOYETIC - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to jump-out, trial or race - Cast in barriers



SUMMARY (cont'd)	
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 6 - SESAR - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to jump-out, trial or race - Cast in barriers Race 6 - SESAR - Suspended - Must perform satisfactory in an Official or Approval to Race jump-out prior to a future race - Fractious in its barrier
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil

