

Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Gawler Racecourse
by the Gawler & Barossa Jockey Club on Sunday,
2 April 2023



RACINGSAA

Stewards: S. Callanan (A/Chairman), & C. Deakin (HT) (Stewards), B. Jarman (F) & L. Murch (Cadet Stewards) K. Santoro & A. Deakin (Deputy Stewards), Dr T. Koenig (Veterinary Surgeon).

TRACK: Soft 5 (Track with a reasonable amount of give in it)
Upgraded to Good 4 at 12.20pm (Track with some give in it)

RAIL: True

WEATHER: Fine

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	TOAST THE DEEL	T. Pannell	B. Price	Not riding at meeting
3	BASE OF FIRE	"	J. Holder	"
4	PLATINUM WOLF	"	T. Voorham	"
4	BELLA SOO	S. Payne		Late notification - explanation accepted
7	FLITTELL	T. Pannell	J. Potter	Not riding at meeting

RACE 1: BAROSSA DISTILLING CO MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 Metres

BARBADSON (F. Atkinson) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

IMPERIAL SEAL (D. Caboche) - shortly after jumping away shifted out and contacted MELANIE'S JOY and as a result had its hindquarters turned.

MIAMI STAR (A. Jordsjo) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted in and bumped MELANIE'S JOY. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event and near the 700m, when racing keenly, became awkwardly placed to the inside of MELANIE'S JOY for a number of strides. Held up for clear running for a short distance at the entrance to the straight.

APOLLO GIRL (C. Tootell) - stood flat footed as the start was effected and was slow to begin approximately three to four lengths. Trainer, Mr G. Kluske, was advised that a warning had been placed on the mare.

MELANIE'S JOY (S. Fawke) - on jumping away bumped with MIAMI STAR.

NORTHERN DANE (C. Jones) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course as it had not raced since December 2021 and was deemed suitable to start.



RACE 2: PURE WINE CO THREE-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes.

AMBELLO (E. Finnegan) - after being loaded in its barrier stall became fractious and reared contacting the barrier structure with its head. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed unsuitable to start. Acting on this advice Stewards declared AMBELLO a late scratching at 2.07pm. Trainer, Mr J. Macmillan, was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding. Mr Macmillan was further advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

CHEF DE MISSION (J. Holder) - hung out rounding the home turn.

SOLAR BLAST (K. Crowther) - shortly after the start had its hindquarters turned as SHANA TIME (NZ) rolled out. Near the 500m was awkward on the heels of CARARADA, which was taken slightly.

TOSEN LAD (S. Payne) - hung out from the 600m and near the 500m shifted out onto CARARADA.

CARARADA (C. Jones) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival at the barriers and was deemed suitable to start. Near the 500m was taken out slightly by TOSEN LAD onto SOLAR BLAST. Laid in under pressure in the straight. Rider reported that she was disappointed with the fillies performance in today's event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the filly to be lame in the near hind leg (4/5). Trainer, Mr J. Hyam, was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

SEATTLE GRACE (J. Potter) - hung out throughout the event.

SHANA TIME (NZ) (D. Tourneur) - shortly after the start rolled out onto SOLAR BLAST.

TOSEN WATER (E. Wong) - 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 100m and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence midnight Saturday, 8 April 2023 to conclude midnight Monday, 10 April 2023, a period of two meetings.

RACE 3: HOLDFAST INSURANCE BROKERS MAIDEN PLATE - 1500 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes owing to a delay with an interstate race (Hamilton).

AGUSTEEN (E. Finnegan) - at the entrance to the straight shifted out and hampered LENTINO.

HOLY BRED (E. Wong) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CALL ME AL (L. Neindorf) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and bumped LENTINO.

LINES OF GLORY (C. Jones) - rider explained that given the gelding had more favourable draw and blinkers applied for the first time she elected to be more positive on the gelding in today's event. She added that it travelled well in the early and middle stages; however, when asked for an effort shortly after straightening failed to let down as she had expected and was disappointing to the finish. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

LENTINO (Z. Lloyd) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted in and bumped CALL ME AL. At the entrance to the straight was hampered by AUGUSTEEN, which shifted out. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

MONEY OR THE BOX (S. Metcalfe) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed that the filly had bled from both nostrils. Co-trainers, Mr D. Clarken and Ms J. MacGillivray, were advised that as this was the filly's bilateral bleed MONEY OR THE BOX would now be suspended from racing for a period of three months in accordance with AR79(4) and would be required to gallop 1000m in the presence of a Steward prior to accepting for a future trial or race start.

SAVSONIC (NZ) (D. Tourneur) - had difficulty obtaining clear ground for a short distance at the entrance to the straight.



RACE 4: CONTRACT ENGINEERING CLASS ONE HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

KUBLAI (C. Murray) – rider explained that the gelding received pressure in the early stages and raced greenly throughout the event, and weakened from near the 200m. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

VAMPIRE SLAYER (D. Caboche) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Rider reported that the mare raced keenly in the early and middle stages; however, when placed under pressure in the straight did not feel comfortable in its action and for this reason he did not ride the mare out in his normal manner. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

LOTZA BUBBLES (K. Crowther) – proved difficult to load, and after being loaded was fractious in the barrier. Stable representative, Ms B. May, was advised that a warning had been placed on the filly in relation to its behaviour. Jumped away awkwardly and shifted in onto KUBLAI.

CURRENCY KAMAR (J. Potter) – slow into stride. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 5: 2023 BAROSSA CUP BENCHMARK 58 HANDICAP - 2100 Metres

VANCOUVER VELVET (K. Crowther) – underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival at the barriers and was deemed suitable to start. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the near foreleg (2/5). Co-trainers, Mr J. Dunn and Ms K. Bishop, were advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to future jump-out, trial or race start.

LORD GEORGE (L. Neindorf) – rider explained in relation to the gelding's performance that it may not have been suited to the step up in distance. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

STOCKED AND LOADED (NZ) (R. Hurdle) – slow to begin. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the near foreleg (2/5). Trainer, Mr G. Young, was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

ECLAIR RHYTHM (NZ) (S. Fawke) – Stewards permitted S. Fawke to ride the gelding 0.5kg over its allocated weight of 54.0Kg. Refused to proceed to the start. Stewards declared ÉCLAIR RHYTHM (NZ) a late scratching at 3.47pm. Trainer, Mr G. Lynch, was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its pre-race behaviour.

RACE 6: ADELAIDE PLAINS BLOODSTOCK BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1100 Metres

REALTIN (C. Tootell) – slow to begin.

IL DON CAVALLO (S. Payne) – acting on advice from trainer, Mr P. Nolan, that the gelding was lame in the near hind leg and showing signs of a foot abscess and therefore was unsuitable to race, Stewards declared IL DON CAVALLO a late scratching at 9.40 am. Mr Nolan was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future trial or race start.

SANBUCK (C. Jones) – rider reported that the gelding was disappointing in today's event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

COEUR DE PARIS (K. Crowther) – jumped away awkwardly and shifted in.

GRANDMA GAIL (E. Finnegan) – held up for clear running from the entrance to the straight until near the 150m.

L'IL PIPER (J. Holder) – held up for clear running from rounding the home turn until approaching the 200m. Rider explained that the mare travelled well in the early and middle stages; however, after being held up until approaching the 200m he had anticipated the mare to let down well to the finish but it was disappointing. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

THE PUBLIKIN (S. Metcalfe) – jumped away awkwardly. On jumping away the inside barrier partition appeared to bounce back and make contact with the mare.

RACE 7: COOPERS BREWERY BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1500 Metres

PEACEMAKER (F. Atkinson) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Laid out from the 600m.

DANRENA (S. Payne) - raced wide in the early stages, and near the 1000m was permitted to stride forward to take up a position in the lead.

FLITTELL (J. Potter) - approaching the 400m shifted out onto MICKLEWHITE, which shifted out slightly and away from that gelding, out onto LAST ZERPRISE which clipped the heel of that gelding when tightened onto CHARM SLINGA (NZ). Rider was severely reprimanded under AR131(a) and advised to take greater care in future.

MICKLEWHITE (E. Boyd) - approaching the 400m was taken out and shifted out and away from FLITTELL which shifted out onto LAST ZERPRISE.

SWAMP VIXEN (B. Wong) - held up for clear running from rounding the home turn until near the 200m and thereafter commenced to lay in for the remainder of the event.

WARRANTDYTE ROAD (J. Eaton) - hung out throughout the event placing the rider at a disadvantage as she was unable to fully test her mount. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CHARM SLINGA (NZ) (D. Caboche) - jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin.

ARMAMENT (S. Fawke) - rider reported that the gelding did not feel comfortable in its action.

DAZZLING PROSPECT (D. Tourneur) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

FORAGER (K. Crowther) - hung out under pressure in the straight.

LAST ZERPRISE (Z. Lloyd) - approaching the 400m was tightened onto CHARM SLINGA (NZ) and obliged to be steadied, clipped the heel of MICKLEWHITE, which shifted out and away from FLITTELL which shifted out.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (7):

- Race 1 - TOAST THE DEEL (winner)
- Race 2 - TOSEN WATER (winner)
- Race 3 - WINE BARRON (NZ) (winner)
- Race 4 - PLATINUM WOLF (winner)
- Race 5 - SMILING ASSASSIN (winner)
- Race 6 - WINNING REVOLUTION (winner)
- Race 7 - PEACEMAKER (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Nil
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 7 - J. Potter (FLITTELL) - AR131(a) - Careless Riding.
REPRIMANDS	Nil
SUSPENSIONS	Race 2 - E. Wong (TOSEN WATER) - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+4] - From midnight 08/04/23 to midnight 10/04/23 - 2 meetings.

SUMMARY (cont'd)

HORSE ACTIONS	<p>Race 1 - APOLLO GIRL - Warned - Stood flat footed and slow begin. Race 2 - AMBELLO - Warned - Fractious in the barrier. Race 2 - AMBELLO - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start - abrasions to the head. Race 2 - CARARADA - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start - Lameness near hind leg (4/5). Race 3 - MONEY OR THE BOX - Suspended 3 months - AR79(4) Required to gallop 1000 metres in the presence of a Steward prior to a future trial or race start - Bi-lateral bleed (1st occurrence). Race 4 - LOTZA BUBBLES - Warned - Difficult to load. Race 4 - LOTZA BUBBLES - Warned - Fractious in the barrier. Race 5 - VANCOUVER VELVET - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start - Lameness near foreleg (2/5). Race 5 - STOCKED AND LOADED (NZ) - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start - Lameness near foreleg (2/5). Race 5 - ECLAIR RHYTHM (NZ) - Warned - Pre-race behaviour - Refused to proceed to the start. Race 6 - IL DON CAVALLO - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start - Lameness near hind leg (late scratching)</p>
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil