

Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report



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Report on Race Meeting held at Port Lincoln
Racecourse by the Port Lincoln Racing Club on
Wednesday, 5 April 2023

Stewards: S. Callanan (Chairman), P. Ryan (HT) (Stewards), B. Jarman, & L. Murch (Cadet Stewards) P. Dearman (F) & G. Harvey (Deputy Stewards), Dr T. Koenig (Veterinary Surgeons).

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

RAIL: Out 2 metres from the 1000m to the winning post, true remainder.

WEATHER: Overcast

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
4	STAR PARFAIT	T. Voorham		Emergency - notified
6	HARDASHIAN	"		"

RACE 1: Q MECHANICAL MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 Metres

FUNNY LEGS (K. Crowther) - hung in under pressure in the straight and as a result proved difficult for the rider to ride out in her normal manner.

TOORAK BLAZE (T. Voorham) - very fractious in the barriers after being loaded. Ms J. Branford, representing trainer Mr B. Hull, was advised that the gelding was now required to prove tractable in the barriers at an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race.

FOURTH POWER (B. Price) - hung out under pressure in the straight.

TANE TOA (NZ) (R. Milnes) - rider explained in relation to the gelding's poor performance that it may have gotten its tongue over the bit during the event and therefore choked down. She recommended to the trainers that a tongue tie be added to TANE TOA (NZ)'s gear. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a poor recovery, elevated heart rate and mild ataxia. Co-trainer, Mr J. Dunn, was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to future jump-out, trial or race start.

POCKET PENNY (S. Fawke) - rider reported that the mare did not feel comfortable in its action in front during the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

REBEL ATTACK (C. Murray) - laid out under pressure in the straight.

RACE 2: MITRE 10 PORT LINCOLN BENCHMARK 52 HANDICAP - 1210 Metres

MR WHITACRE (K. Crowther) - over-raced throughout the event.

ROCK HARD (F. Atkinson) - rider reported that the gelding was disappointing in the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a slower than expected recovery.

ALCANNABIE (H. Yuen) - jumped away awkwardly. Hung out rounding the home turn and under pressure in the straight.



RACE 2: MITRE 10 PORT LINCOLN BENCHMARK 52 HANDICAP - 1210 Metres (cont'd)

FREE WILMA (R. Milnes) - held up for clear running from near the 400m until inside the 100m.

HIGHLY RIGHTEOUS (Z. Lloyd) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

RACE 3: REDDING LOWE DESIGN BENCHMARK 72 HANDICAP - 1210 Metres

EXALTED MAXINE (B. Price) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination at the request of its rider on arrival at the barriers and was found to be lame in the near foreleg (2/5), and therefore was deemed unsuitable to race. Acting on this advice Stewards declared EXALTED MAXINE a late scratching at 2.29 pm. Trainer, Mr B. Holtham, was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start. Mr B. Holtham advised Stewards that it was his intention to recommend to owners that the mare now be retired.

PERFECT COMMAND (T. Voorham) - had difficulty obtaining clear ground from the 300m until near the 200m, and became held up for clear running from the 200m until approaching the 100m when racing between SUNMATE and TRYGVE.

SWORD OF WAR (NZ) (S. Fawke) - hung in under pressure in the straight and proved difficult for its rider to ride out in his normal manner.

BRAMFIELD (R. Pearson) - shortly after the start was restrained and shifted in in an attempt to gain cover. Near the 500m was inconvenienced as MORPHETT ROAD, which was laying in, shifted in.

RIVERSIDE ROCK (R. Milnes) - slow to begin.

MORPHETT ROAD (H. Yuen) - near the 500m laid in and shifted in onto BRAMFIELD, which was inconvenienced.

RACE 4: THE PRAWN STORE BENCHMARK 62 HANDICAP - 1000 Metres

SANDSATION (D. Caboche) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FOSSHIO (K. Crowther) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course as it had not raced since 31 December 2021 and was deemed suitable to race.

STRAWBERRY SWING (R. Milnes) - slipped behind on jumping away and as a result was awkward to begin. Rider reported that the mare laid in under pressure in the straight.

EXPRESS MASTER (NZ) (C. Murray) - near the 400m became awkward in its action when being restrained and shifted out slightly. Approaching the finish raced in restricted room to the inside of SAHARA SONG. Rider reported that the gelding laid in under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed an aggravated wound to its off hind pastern.

KOVA (S. Tomlinson) - rider was reminded of his obligations under AR131(b) and advised to ensure that he rides his mounts out fully to the finish.

ARTY MISS (Z. Lloyd) - near the 400m rolled out and bumped DUCHESS NICCI, and as a result was awkward for a number of strides.

DUCHESS NICCI (S. Fawke) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted in. Near the 400m bumped with ARTY MISS, and as a result was awkward in its action for a number of strides.

STAR PARFAIT (T. Voorham) - on jumping away lost its position when tightened between DUCHESS NICCI, which shifted in, and ARTY MISS.





RACE 5: EP SEAFOODS BENCHMARK 72 HANDICAP - 1750 Metres

MIDNIGHT BRAWLER (NZ) (R. Milnes) – rider explained in relation to the gelding's poor performance that the gelding raced flat in the event and may have come to the end of its preparation. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding have cardiac arrhythmia. Co-trainer, Ms J. Branford, was advised that the results of an ECG and a Veterinary Clearance were required prior to the gelding performing satisfactorily in an Official Barrier Trial.

DEXTER YOU DEVIL (T. Voorham) – slow to begin.

GRINZINGER ALLEE (NZ) (S. Tomlinson) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

DIAMONDS ARE (Z. Lloyd) – slow to begin.

I NEED A DRINK (K. Crowther) – raced wide without cover in the early stages and near the 900m was permitted to stride forward to take up a position in the lead.

PUISSANCE DUSOLEIL (S. Fawke) – inside the 600m was awkward on the heels of CLUB RAIDER, which had commenced to weaken and lost ground.

CLUB RAIDER (D. Caboche) – inside the 600m commenced to weaken. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 6: EYRE HEALTH AND MOBILITY EQUIPMENT RATING 0 - 52 HANDICAP - 1350 Metres

CHONCAPE (H. Yuen) – jumped away awkwardly and shifted out.

CALL ME HERBIE (F. Atkinson) – rider reported that her mount commenced slower than she had anticipated and as a result she was obliged to settle further back. She added that the gelding finished the race off well. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ONWARD (E. Wong) – underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed suitable to start. Began well. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

TALLU (A. Jordsjo) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages with blinkers on for the first time. Rider reminded of her obligations under AR131(b) to ride her mounts out to the finish.

THE MASTER (K. Crowther) – hung in rounding the home turn and under pressure in the straight.


AKUBRA BLACK (C. Murray) – inside the 600m commenced to weaken. Rider explained that the gelding was one paced and failed to show any response despite his urgings. A post-race veterinary examination was intended to be performed on the gelding however as it has left the course within the required time frame this was unable to be done. Trainer, Mr. R King, was reprimanded under AR165(3) and advised to ensure his horses remain on course at least 30 minutes after the finish of the race in future. Mr. King was further advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

MISS PARMIGIANA (Z. Lloyd) – jumped away awkwardly and was slow into stride. Inside the 600m was awkwardly placed on the heels of CALL ME HERBIE, was obliged to be restrained, and as a result lost ground. Near the 400m was awkwardly placed on the heels of AKUBRA BLACK, which had commenced to weaken and shift about, and as a result MISS PARMIGIANA lost ground.

HARDASHIAN (T. Voorham) – laid in under pressure in the straight.

RACE 7: SCALLYWAGS BENCHMARK 62 HANDICAP - 1350 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes.



EXALTED TRAVELLER (Z. Lloyd) – jumped away awkwardly. Near the 1000m got its head up when being restrained. Inside the 400m was awkwardly placed on the heels of A FEW GOOD MEN for a short distance and was obliged to shift out to obtain clear ground.

RACE 7: SCALLYWAGS BENCHMARK 62 HANDICAP - 1350 Metres (cont'd)

ARTFUL AMBITION (C. Munro) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted in. Over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event. Rider reported that the gelding raced flat in the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

BARON OF BEDFORD (NZ) (S. Tomlinson) - near the 100m rider ceased riding. Rider reported that the gelding may have choked down during the event and did not feel comfortable in its action to the finish and for this reason did not ride BARON OF BEDFORD (NZ) out to the finish. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

AYLLA'S PRIDE (S. Fawke) - near the 400m was obliged to be steadied when tightened between ORIEDOS and HE'S ABEL, which rolled out and away from A FEW GOOD MEN.

ORIEDOS (F. Atkinson) - hung in under pressure in the straight.

LOOKS LIKE A LADY (C. Murray) - slow to begin. Raced wide without cover in the early and middle stages of the event.

A FEW GOOD MEN (D. Caboche) - required to be resaddled on arrival at the barriers. Near the 400m rolled out and became awkward in its action for a number of strides, and thereafter the rider ceased riding. Rider explained that the gelding had breathing difficulties and did not feel comfortable in its action during the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. Beaten approximately 78 lengths. Trainer, Mr D. Carrison, was advised that the gelding would now be required to prove competitive in an Official Barrier Trial prior to a future race start.

GENERAL:

Gawler - Sunday 2 April 2023

RACE 4: CONTRACT ENGINEERING CLASS ONE HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

LOTZA BUBBLES - on Monday, 3 April 2023 stable representative, Mr. A Brewster, advised Stewards that on return to the stable the filly had multiple lacerations to the near hind leg. LOTZA BUBBLES underwent the relevant treatment and the stable will continue on with the fillies preparation.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (3):

Race 2 - I'M OH SO PRETTY (winner)
Race 4 - LORD VARYS (winner)
Race 6 - AXECAPITAL (NZ) (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Nil
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Race 6 - Mr. R King (AKUBRA BLACK) - AR165(3) - Failed to ensure AKUBRA BLACK remained on course 30 minutes post-race.
SUSPENSIONS	Nil

SUMMARY (cont'd)

HORSE ACTIONS	<p>Race 1 - TOORAK BLAZE - Suspended - Must prove tractable in the barriers in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race - Fractious in the barriers.</p> <p>Race 1 - TANE TOA (NZ) - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start - Slow recovery, elevated heart rate and mild ataxia.</p> <p>Race 3 - EXALTED MAXINE - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start - Lameness near foreleg (2/5) (late scratching).</p> <p>Race 5 - MIDNIGHT BRAWLER (NZ) - Not to race - Results of ECG to be forwarded to TRSA Vet & Vet Clearance required prior to performing satisfactorily in Official Barrier Trial - Cardiac arrhythmia.</p> <p>Race 5 - MIDNIGHT BRAWLER (NZ) - Suspended - Must perform satisfactorily in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race - Cardiac arrhythmia.</p> <p>Race 6 - AKUBRA BLACK - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start. - Left course without being examined by on-course vet.</p> <p>Race 7 - A FEW GOOD MEN - Suspended - Must prove competitive in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race. - Uncompetitive (Beaten 78L).</p>
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil