

# Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Balaklava  
Racecourse by the Balaklava Racing Club on  
Sunday, 30 July 2023



Stewards Panel: S. Callanan (A/Chairman), P. Ryan (M), B. Jarman (HT) & L. Murch (F)  
Deputy Stewards: D. Jonas, K. Santoro & M. Arthur  
Veterinary Surgeons: Dr T. Koenig

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

RAIL: Out 3.5 metres 1900 metres to 1600 metres, true remainder

WEATHER: Fine

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
4	HOLLER HELP	L. Neindorf	E. Finnegan	Overweight
5	ROCK HARD	B. Price		Emergency - notified
7	SPEARS	L. Neindorf	K. Crowther	Overweight

RACE 1: ADELAIDE GALVANISING INDUSTRIES TWO-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 Metres

ALI FRAZIER (L. Neindorf) - hung in under pressure in the straight.

FASHION DOG (E. Finnegan) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out onto GRUELLING. Raced extremely greenly and fiercely in the early stages and its rider had very limited control throughout the event. Approaching the 1000m shifted out and taking GRUELLING wider. Hung out rounding the home turn and took GINGIFER wider. Co-trainer, Mr G. Kent was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its racing manners.

GRUELLING (J. Holder) - on jumping away was inconvenienced when tightened between FASHION DOG and CODY'S SQUID, which both shifted ground. Near the 1000m was taken wider by FASHION DOG, which was racing ungenerously and shifted out.

OVABENT (T. Pannell) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and bumped IDRACOWRA. Rider explained in relation to the gelding's performance that it raced greenly throughout the event; however, travelled well in its action and when placed under pressure. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CODY'S SQUID (T. Voorham) - on jumping away bumped with GINGIFER, which shifted in and was taken in onto GRUELLING. Rider reported that the filly raced fiercely in the early stages, was inclined to hang out and was field shy; however, after rounding the home turn CODY'S SQUID commenced to hang in and proved very difficult to ride throughout the event. She added that her recommendation to the trainer would be to remove the blinkers.

GINGIFER (C. Jordan) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted in and bumped CODY'S SQUID.



RACE 1: ADELAIDE GALVANISING INDUSTRIES TWO-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 Metres (cont'd)

IDRACOWRA (S. Logan) - on jumping away bumped with OVABENT, which shifted out. Near the 200m rolled in. Lost its near fore plate during the event.

OFF THE CUFF (A. Jordsjo) - held up for clear running at the entrance to the straight for a short distance. Near the 200m was obliged to alter course to the outside of IDRACOWRA, which rolled in. Near the 100m was awkwardly placed between DERBY DOWNS and GRUELLING and was obliged to shift to the outside of GRUELLING.

RACE 2: ATLAS EVENT & PARTY HIRE MAIDEN PLATE - 1600 Metres

BARDOUTES (R. Hurdle) - when questioned in relation to the tactics adopted on the gelding in the event, rider explained that it was his intention and instructions to be further forward and utilise the inside barrier draw as per its previous starts; however, after beginning well BARDOUTES failed to stretch out and was not responding to his riding. He added that the gelding travelled well in the middle stages.

CORDEN (J. Toeroek) - rider explained that he was satisfied with the gelding's performance in the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. When questioned in relation to the gelding, in particular the fluctuations in the market, Co-trainer, Miss C. Jolly explained that CORDEN had worked according to plan in the weeks leading up to this race. She added that the stable were of the opinion the race strongly suited CORDEN and expected him to run well. There were no firm instructions provided to J. Toeroek, it was left to his discretion and how the gelding commenced; however, the stable were mindful to not let CORDEN settle too far back and allow him to roll into the race. She continued to say in hindsight it may have been beneficial to allow the gelding to settle further back to allow him to let down in an attempt to finish the race off in a stronger manner than it did. Stewards noted Miss Jolly's comments.

INNER SANCTUM (H. Yuen) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

GLACIES HEART (C. Tootell) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

GREY FOLLY (D. Tourneur) - slow to begin.

CAVALLINO (T. Voorham) - rider explained in relation to the filly's performance that it was her intention to settle closer in the event; however, due to the wide barrier draw she was unable to do so. She added that in her opinion the filly may not have handled the track conditions, in particular wider on the track, where in her opinion, the track was chopping out more. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.


MANHATTAN DAWN (B. Wong) - rider explained in relation to the filly's performance that it was her instructions to be forward in the event in an attempt to utilise the barrier; however, she felt that the filly had to work hard in the early stages to maintain that position. She add that MANHATTAN DAWN did not feel comfortable in its action in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 3: COOPERS BREWERY BENCHMARK 58 HANDICAP - 2200 Metres

REX GOLIATH (R. Milnes) - the saddle slipped forward on the gelding at approximately the 2000m placing its rider at a disadvantage for the remainder of the event.

BELLAVARDO (NZ) (L. Neindorf) - slow to begin. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

HOSTESS SUSIE (S. Payne) - held up for clear running from near the 200m until approaching the 100m when racing between STAYING STRONG, which was inclined to shift about and BELLAVARDO (NZ).



LOVE FROM LUCY (S. Fawke) - Stewards permitted S. Fawke to ride 0.5 kg over its declared weight of 54.0 kg. Rider explained in relation to the mare's performance that it was very one paced and raced in a dour manner during the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.



RACE 3: COOPERS BREWERY BENCHMARK 58 HANDICAP - 2200 Metres (cont'd)

CONQUEST OF TEARS (D. Tourneur) - slow to begin.

WHYS (S. Logan) - jumped away awkwardly.

RACE 4: CLARE VALLEY TOYOTA MAIDEN PLATE - 1050 Metres

FLYIN' FOR US (A. Jordsjo) - on jumping away shifted out and bumped HOLLER HELP. Rider explained in relation to the gelding's performance that it was worked up pre-race and this was detrimental to its performance. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a slow post-race recovery.

SHOSANNA (T. Voorham) - hung in under pressure in the straight.

AGRESSIVE BEE (J. Potter) - inclined to lay out under pressure in the straight.

ENDLESS FAITH (D. Tourneur) - rider explained in relation to the filly's performance that it may have been shin sore. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FIRST RANK (K. Crowther) - hung out rounding the home turn. Raced greenly throughout the event.

HEMSEY LADY (S. Logan) - jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin. Held up for clear running from the 150m and was untested to the line when racing between REPTILIAN and FIRST RANK and behind MONTILLY.

VALIEVA (C. Tootell) - jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin. Was unable to maintain contact with the body of the field in the early stages when racing greenly. Shortly after straightening continued to race greenly; however, finished the event off strongly.

HOLLER HELP (E. Finnegan) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted in and bumped FLYIN' FOR US.

RACE 5: HAULMARK RATING 0 - 56 HANDICAP - 1050 Metres

DESTINY'S REPUBLIC (J. Toeroek) - jumped away awkwardly. Rider reported that the gelding raced too keenly throughout the event and this was detrimental to its performance.

HOOKED ON WEALTH (K. Crowther) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course and was deemed suitable to race. Raced keenly in the early stages of the event. Held up from the entrance to the straight until inside the 400m and was obliged to shift out in an attempt to gain clear running.

LOCHEND UMOSA (H. Yuen) - approaching the 600m when racing keenly got its head up when being restrained and was obliged to be steadied as MAGIC DELTA shifted in.

MAGIC DELTA (C. Jordan) - approaching the 600m shifted in onto LOCHEND UMOSA, which was racing keenly and got its head up when being restrained and was obliged to be steadied. Rider was reminded of her obligations under AR131(a) and advised to take greater care in future.

RIZSKI (C. Jones) - held up for clear running from the entrance to the straight until approaching the 200m and was obliged to shifted out in an attempt to gain clear running.

LAST WAR (J. Doyle) - held up for clear running from the 300m until inside the 200m.

RIPPA BUZZ (C. Tootell) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course which revealed an old laceration to its lip and was deemed suitable to race.

GRANDMA GAIL (E. Finnegan) - inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.



RACE 6: TQCSI CLASS TWO HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

LEBANESE TRADER (C. Tootell) - shortly after the start was buffeted between BIG SHAQ and ONE MORE GRANDY.



## RACE 6: TQCSI CLASS TWO HANDICAP - 1200 Metres (cont'd)

WINNING REVOLUTION (B. Wong) - near the 700m was awkwardly placed on the heels of MIDNIGHT RUSH, shifted out onto KUSHAN KHANIVALE taking that gelding wider onto GRAFTON AVENUE. Laid out under pressure in the straight.

KUSHAN KHANIVALE (R. Hurdle) - shortly after the start raced in restricted room between TESTA DEXTA and MIDNIGHT RUSH, which shifted in slightly. Near the 700m was obliged to be steadied when bumped with WINNING REVOLUTION, which shifted out taking KUSHAN KHANIVALE wider onto GRAFTON AVENUE.

BIG SHAQ (J. Holder) - rider explained in relation to the gelding's performance that it settled further back than he had anticipated and therefore he felt that it was a disadvantage to BIG SHAQ. He added that over the final 200m the gelding finished the event off strongly. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MIDNIGHT RUSH (J. Toeroek) - shortly after the start shifted in onto KUSHAN KHANIVALE.

TEQUILA SUNSET (C. Jones) - hung out under pressure in the straight and proved difficult for its rider to ride out in her normal manner over the concluding stages of the event.

GRAFTON AVENUE (A. Jordsjo) - near the 700m was awkwardly placed on the heels of LEBANESE TRADER as it was taken out by KUSHAN KHANIVALE.

ONE MORE GRANDY (J. Potter) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

## RACE 7: TAYLORS WINES BENCHMARK 58 HANDICAP (1) - 1400 Metres

REAL ROY (R. Hurdle) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course and was deemed suitable to race. Jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and bumped MAY BE FATE. Raced fiercely, hung out and took charge of its rider in the early and middle stages. Shifted about in the straight. Rider explained in relation to the gelding's performance that it was worked up pre-race and shortly after the start took charge of him. He added that after attempting to take a number of holds REAL ROY commenced to hang out. He further added that in the middle stages, despite his efforts, he was able to obtain a position closer to the rail; however, when making the turn near the 600m the gelding commenced to hang out again, despite his efforts. In view of REAL ROY's racing manners, Co-trainer, Mr R. Daniel was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding and that if a repetition of this behaviour was to occur in future, REAL ROY would be required to complete an Official Barrier Trial. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a slow post-race recovery.

MAY BE FATE (J. Toeroek) - on jumping away bumped with REAL ROY.

LORD OF DARKNESS (NZ) (T. Pannell) - shortly after the start was tightened between FIVE POCKET, which shifted out and ENLIST and as a result was restrained and shifted in.

FIVE POCKET (E. Finnegan) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out onto LORD OF DARKNESS (NZ).

## RACE 8: AGFERT BENCHMARK 58 HANDICAP (2) - 1400 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes.

CALL ME DEXTER (S. Fawke) - near the 100m had difficulty obtaining clear running for a short distance. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ABAN (NZ) (J. Holder) - rider explained in relation to the gelding's performance that it travelled well in the early and middle stages; however, did not let down as he had expected and he was very disappointed with its performance. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.



RACE 8: AGFERT BENCHMARK 58 HANDICAP (2) - 1400 Metres (cont'd)

BENZ BARON (R. Hurdle) - at the entrance to the straight was held up for clear running from the entrance to the straight until near the 400m. Near the 300m had difficulty obtaining clear ground for a short distance.

TALES OF CONFLICT (J. Doyle) - slow into stride. Held up for clear running for a short distance shortly after the entrance to the straight.

VICTORY TIME (K. Crowther) - jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin.

MOSS THE BOSS (S. Logan) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

SPLASHING ROSSA (R. Milnes) - proved difficult to load. Trainer, Mr C. Cox was advised that a warning had been placed on the mare in relation to its loading manners.

EXCELSA (B. Price) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities

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ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (9):

- Race 1 - GRUELLING (winner)
- Race 2 - BARDOUTES (winner)
- Race 2 - CORDEN (second)
- Race 3 - BELLAVARDO (NZ) (winner)
- Race 4 - SHOSANNA (winner)
- Race 5 - MADAM FURPHY (winner)
- Race 6 - THE GREAT BABY (winner)
- Race 7 - MAY BE FATE (winner)
- Race 8 - DANCING STREAM (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	S. Logan (IDRACOWRA)	+2	3
Race 2	A. Jordsjo (SUGAR WITH THAT)	+2	5

SUMMARY

FINES	Nil
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	L. Neindorf - AR190(3) - Overweight and having to be replaced on HOLLER HELP (Race 4) and SPEARS (Race 7)
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 - FASHION DOG - Warned - Racing manners (ungenerous) Race 7 - REAL ROY - Warned - Racing manners (ungenerous & hung out) Race 8 - SPLASHING ROSSA - Warned - Difficult to load
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil