

Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville
Racecourse by the South Australian Jockey Club on
Saturday, 12 August 2023



Stewards Panel: M. Santoro (Chairman), P. Ryan (F), M. Zarb (HT) & L. Murch (M)
Deputy Stewards: J. Patton, M. Arthur, K. Marnane, S. Kotz & C. Benson.
Veterinary Surgeons: Dr B. Agnew & Dr B. Webster.

TRACK: Soft 5 (Track with a reasonable amount of give in it)
Downgraded to a Soft 6 at 12.50pm retrospective to Race 2.
(Moist but not a badly affect track)
Downgraded to a Soft 7 at 2.36pm retrospective to Race 5
(Rain affected track that will chop out)

RAIL: Out 5 metres entire.

WEATHER: Overcast

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
2	NIGHT CRUISER	R. Hurdle	E. Finnegan	Dual engagement - explanation accepted
5	FLIGHT DECK (NZ)	J. Holder	L. Neindorf	Overweight
6	CHAMBERS BAY	C. Jones	K. Crowther	"
8	KARACASU	A. Kelly		Late declaration

RACE 1: SPRING CARNIVAL AT MORPHETTVILLE (OCTOBER 14TH - NOVEMBER 11TH)
HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

SURPRISE COMING (B. Price) - raced keenly in the middle stages of the event.

GRUELLING (J. Holder) - laid out rounding the home turn and under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

GOLDEN ELM (A. Livesey) - following the declaration of acceptances the stable made a gear application to add winkers to the filly's race gear. Stewards acceded to this request and acting under AR206(2) fined the training partnership \$200. Jumped away extremely awkwardly and was slow into stride. Raced fiercely in the early and middle stages and was inclined to lay out throughout the event.

RACE 2: THOMAS FARMS MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 Metres

JACOBS GATE (J. Holder) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

TERAMBI (L. Neindorf) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.



RACE 2: THOMAS FARMS MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 Metres (cont'd)

THE BACK PAGE (K. Crowther) - near the 300m had to be steadied for a short distance when awkwardly placed inside the heels of SEVEN SHOTS, which rolled in slightly.

VOLCANIC EXPRESS (S. Logan) - slow to begin. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Held up from the entrance to the straight until near the 100m. Rider reported that the gelding raced greenly throughout the event.

ANGEL'S POETRY (C. Jordan) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

PRICILLA'S CHOICE (A. Jordsjo) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

TRES BELLE (A. Livesey) - slow to begin. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

RACE 3: FLEURIEU MILK COMPANY HANDICAP - 1800 Metres

HOLSTER (NZ) (J. Holder) - slow to begin. Laid out in the straight and inside the 300m shifted out onto BLUE CUP (FR). Rider advised to make a greater effort to keep his mounts straight in future.

BLUE CUP (FR) (R. Hurdle) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Had difficulty obtaining clear ground from near the 300m until approaching the 100m when awkwardly placed between the heels of HOLSTER (NZ), which rolled out, and DRAGONFACE, which shifted in slightly.

MONTEPULCIANO (K. Crowther) - inconvenienced on jumping away.

SILENT DON (B. Price) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

DRAGONFACE (J. Potter) - shifted out on jumping away onto MONTEPULCIANO. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 4: SKYCITY HANDICAP - 1050 Metres

SWEETENED (T. Pannell) - slow to begin. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

MERCHANT BOSS (A. Livesey) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

VIDUKA (D. Tourneur) - lost its off fore plate during the event.

ZARACE (C. Jones) - laid out under pressure in the straight.

RACE 5: THE FOTOBASE GROUP HANDICAP - 1800 Metres

FANMALIA (E. Finnegan) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

SIX FOOT SONG (S. Payne) - change of tactics - attempt to settle further forward. Settled midfield. Slow to begin.

MORE SUGAR (R. Hurdle) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

BARDOUTES (A. Livesey) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

FLYWAY (J. Toeroek) - rider was reprimanded under AR132(6)(b) in relation to using his whip in an action that raises his arm above shoulder height.

PROPHESIER (D. Tourneur) - lost its off fore plate during the event.





RACE 5: THE FOTOBASE GROUP HANDICAP - 1800 Metres (cont'd)

FLIGHT DECK (NZ) (L. Neindorf) - Stewards permitted L. Neindorf 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. Laid out under pressure in the straight.

RACE 6: FURPHY HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

KONG (A. Livesey) - near the 1000m shifted in onto CHAMBERS BAY, which was forced to be checked to avoid the heels of KONG. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge of careless riding under AR131(a) and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence midnight Saturday, 19 August 2023 to conclude midnight Wednesday, 30 August 2023, a period of four meetings. Rider explained that it was not her intention to lead the event; however, after jumping away extremely well she found herself in front and elected to cross to the fence.

WALLY WEST (L. Neindorf) - inconvenienced from near the 900m until near the 700m when contact on a number of occasions by CHAMBERS BAY. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the off hind leg (2/5). Trainer, Mr J. O'Connor, was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

CLAMARC (J. Toeroek) - lost its near fore plate during the event.

CHAMBERS BAY (K. Crowther) - near the 1000m rider was forced to check her mount to avoid the heels of KONG, which shifted in when insufficiently clear. Raced fiercely in the early and middle stages and from near the 900m until near the 700m shifted out on a number of occasions contacting WALLY WEST.

SIXTEEN REASONS (B. Price) - jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin. Raced fiercely in the early and middle stages. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

FINAL CHANCE (A. Jordsjo) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival at the barriers and was found to be lame in the off hind leg(1/5) and was therefore deemed unsuitable to start. Acting on this advice Stewards declared FINAL CHANCE a late scratching at 3.01pm. Trainer, Mr S. Whittle, was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

RACE 7: GRAND SYNDICATES HANDICAP - 1500 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately four minutes as a full set of the Grand Syndicate saddle cloths could not be located and an alternate set had to be sourced.

NEODIUM (E. Finnegan) - rider reported that her mount did not handle the track condition. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

JACK THE LAD (J. Potter) - lost its near hind plate during the event.

ICHIBANSAN (J. Holder) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

AIGUILLETTE (S. Payne) - slow to begin.

AMMO AMOR (A. Jordsjo) - raced wide without cover over the concluding 800m.

STELLA NOTATION (A. Livesey) - raced keenly whilst being restrained in the early and middle stages of the event.

RACE 8: BEHEMOTH STAKES - 1200 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately four minutes.

IRONCLAD (GB) (T. Pannell) - slow to begin. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.



RACE 8: BEHEMOTH STAKES - 1200 Metres (cont'd)

PICARGO (A. Livesey) – rider reported that her mount did not handle the track condition. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.
MANHATTEN TIMES (J. Holder) – laid in under pressure in the straight.

KARACASU (A. Kelly) – fractious in the barrier. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed suitable to start. Returned to the barriers and again proved fractious. Underwent another pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed unsuitable to start. Acting on this advice Stewards declared KARACASU a late scratching at 4.21pm. Co-trainer, Miss C. Jolly, was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to the gelding proving tractable in the barriers in either an Official Barrier Trial or Approval to Race Jump-out prior to accepting for a future race.

HOWL (L. Neindorf) – slow to begin.

RACE 9: DAVID JOLLY RACING HANDICAP - 1100 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes owing to the delay in the previous event.

PORTATION (S. Logan) – inconvenienced on jumping away when contacted by LAKE AGAWAM and taken in onto SAVILLE.

SAVILLE (A. Livesey) – severely hampered and became unbalanced on jumping away when contacted by PORTATION, which had been taken in. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

LAKE AGAWAM (J. Toeroek) – severely hampered on jumping away when tightened onto PORTATION by FIELDS OF ATHENRY. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FIELDS OF ATHENRY (L. Neindorf) – shifted in abruptly on jumping away onto LAKE AGAWAM.

STORM VOYAGER (C. Jordan) – raced wide without cover throughout the event.

PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (22):

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

Race 3 – HOLSTER (NZ), BLUE CUP (FR), MONTEPULCIANO, SILENT DON, DRAGONFACE.

Race 5 – FANMALIA, SIX FOOT SONG, CABLE DANCER, LOMAX, SON OF BIELSKI, MORE SUGAR, FLYWAY, FLIGHT DECK (NZ).

Race 7 – NEODIUM, AMMO AMOR, POOL PONY, VICTORY BANDIT.

Race 8 – SAVATOXL, IRONCLAD (GB), CALYPSO REIGN, MANHATTEN TIMES, SEE YOU IN HEAVEN.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (9):

Race 1 – JEWEL BAY (winner)

Race 2 – TRES BELLE (winner)

Race 3 – SILENT DON (winner)

Race 4 – SWEETENED (winner)

Race 5 – FLYWAY (winner)

Race 6 – JILLADORA (winner)

Race 7 – AMMO AMOR (winner)

Race 8 – SEE YOU IN HEAVEN (winner)

Race 9 – SUZIDO (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	J. Holder - Fined \$100 - AR190(3) - Overweight and having to be replaced on FLIGHT DECK (NZ) (Race 5). Race 1 - Mr G & Mrs N Searle, and Mrs B. Callanan - Fined \$200 - AR206(2) - Late gear application for GOLDEN ELM.
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Race 5 - Mr R. Jolly & Miss C. Jolly - LR18.1 - Late notification of rider for KARACASU. C. Jones - AR190(3) - Overweight and having to be replaced on CHABERS BAY (Race 6). Race 5 - J. Toeroek (FLYWAY) - AR132(6)(b) - Use of the whip with an action that raises the arm above shoulder height.
SUSPENSIONS	Race 6 - A. Livesey (KONG) - AR131(a) - Careless riding - From midnight 19/08/23 to midnight 30/08/23 - a period of 4 meetings.
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 6 - WALLY WEST - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start - Lameness off hind (2/5). Race 6 - FINAL CHANCE - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start - Lameness off hind (1/5). Race 8 - KARACASU - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start - Lameness near hind leg (1/5). Race 8 - KARACASU - Suspended - Must prove tractable in an Official Barrier Trial or Approval to Race Jump-out prior to accepting for a future race - Fractious in the barrier.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil