

Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report



Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville
Racecourse by the South Australian Jockey Club on
Tuesday, 26 December 2023

RACINGSSA

Stewards Panel: M. Santoro (Chairman), C. Deakin (HT), E. Scott (F) & D. Jonas (M)
Deputy Stewards: K. Santoro, K. Marnane, M. Arthur, A. Deakin & A. Turner
Veterinary Surgeons: Dr B. Agnew & Dr B. Webster

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

RAIL: Out 10 metres entire

WEATHER: Overcast

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
2	DARLINC	D. Caboche		Late notification - explanation accepted
3	NOITULOVER	J. Eaton		"
4	STADIUM OF LIGHT (NZ)			"
7	WILLASTON	A. Livesey		Late notification
9	TRES BELL	"		"

RACE 1: FURPHY HANDICAP - 1536 Metres


DIXIE WHISTLER (K. Hannan) - laid out rounding the home turn.

SEEKING GLORY (A. Livesey) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be lame in the near foreleg (3/5). Trainer, Mr T. Doudle, was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

MORE REWARD (M. Collett) - raced fiercely in the early and middle stages of the event. Inclined to lay out throughout the event and hung out under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be lame in the near hind leg (3/5). Co-trainers, Mr D. Clarken and Ms O. MacGillivray, were advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

RACE 2: SKYCITY TWO-YEAR-OLD PLATE - 1100 Metres

DANCING STORM (J. Toeroek) - inclined to rear on jumping away and was slow to begin. Laid in under pressure in the straight.



RACE 2: SKYCITY TWO-YEAR-OLD PLATE - 1100 Metres (cont'd)

RIVER CLYDE (J. Holder) – jumped away awkwardly and shifted in onto DARLINC. Rider reported that the gelding travelled well in the early stages; however, when asked for an effort failed to respond to his riding and was disappointing. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SIR AALI (C. Murray) – raced wide without cover throughout the event. Laid out under pressure in the straight. Rider reported that the gelding hung out throughout the event.

MONDELLO (K. Crowther) – inclined to rear on jumping away and was slow to begin. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

DARLINC (D. Caboche) – contacted on jumping away. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

RACE 3: ADELAIDE CUP DAY 11.3.2024 MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 Metres

MORRIS MINOR (M. Collett) – held up from the entrance to the straight until the vicinity of the 200m when it shifted out and away from CUBAN WATERS onto SHANA TIME. Laid in under pressure over the concluding 200m and approaching the finish became awkwardly placed on the heels of CUBAN WATERS.

ALEXEIN (R. Milnes) – raced wide without cover throughout the event.

CUBAN WATERS (K. Crowther) – jumped away awkwardly. Inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

NOITULOVER (J. Eaton) – approaching the 200m shifted out and away from CUBAN WATERS onto MORRIS MINOR. Rider reported that she had become concerned with the mare's action from approaching the 100m. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be lame in the near foreleg (2/5). Trainer, Mr M. Seyers, was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

SHANA TIME (NZ) (K. Hannan) – following the declaration of acceptances trainer, Mr J. Hyam, made a gear application to remove blinkers and a tongue-tie from the mare's race gear. Stewards acceded to this request and acting under AR206(2) fined Mr Hyam \$200. Near the 200m was forced to race in restricted room for a short distance when tightened onto RIVOLI VIEW by MORRIS MINOR, which had shifted out and away from NOITULOVER.

RACE 4: ADELAIDE GALVANISING INDUSTRIES HANDICAP - 1536 Metres

CULLEN SKINK (B. Price) – rider accidentally dropped his off side rein inside the 200m. Laid in over the concluding 100m of the event.

IMPOSING SUSPECT (NZ) (C. Murray) – rider explained that the gelding travelled well in the early and middle stages of the event; however, had not let down when placed under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

STADIUM OF LIGHT (NZ) (J. Eaton) – jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin.

RACE 5: THE FOTOBASE GROUP MAIDEN PLATE - 1600 Metres

BUSH INFLUENCE (A. Livesey) – slow to begin. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

PROVEN CORRECT (J. Holder) – laid in under pressure in the straight.

SUNDOGG (H. Yuen) – raced wide without cover in the early and middle stages of the event. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

CARARADA (K. Hannan) – inconvenienced on jumping away when tightened onto AMBELLO.





RACE 5: THE FOTOBASE GROUP MAIDEN PLATE - 1600 Metres (cont'd)

COLOUR ME GONE (R. Milnes) - stood flat-footed and was slow to begin. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

LUVICCI (D. Caboche) - shifted out on jumping away onto CARARADA.

DIVINE FIRE (B. Price) - proved reluctant to proceed to the start. Co-trainers, Mr W. Clarcken & Mr N. O'Shea, were advised that a warning had been placed on the filly in relation to its pre-race behaviour.

RACE 6: GRAND SYNDICATES HANDICAP - 1050 Metres

KALASEC (A. Livesey) - near the 100m rider was forced to take hold to avoid the heels of SHARENDIPITY, which shifted in.

VINTAGE STAR (K. Hannan) - near the 50m rider was forced to take hold to avoid the heels of SHARENDIPITY, which shifted in under riding. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PUTANOTHERCOININ (T. Pannell) - jumped away awkwardly. Inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

REGAL DANCER (J. Toeroek) - slow into stride. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SHARENDIPITY (E. Finnegan) - inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight. Near the 100m shifted in when insufficiently clear of KALASEC forcing that rider to take hold to avoid the filly's heels. 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, 30 December 2023 to conclude midnight Wednesday, 3 January 2024, a period of three meetings. Continued to shift in under riding and near the 50m shifted into the running line of VINTAGE STAR forcing that rider to take hold to avoid the filly's heels. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge of careless riding under AR131(a) and was suspended from riding in races for a period of four meetings. Acting under AR283(4) Stewards ordered that these suspensions be served concurrently and this suspension will commence midnight Saturday, 30 December 2023 and conclude midnight Saturday, 6 January 2024.

VEXATIOUS DANCER (C. Murray) - had difficulty obtaining clear ground from the entrance to the straight and then became held up and was unable to obtain clear ground until near the 100m.

RACE 7: CROSER HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

POMPEII EMPIRE (C. Murray) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted in contacting MAINBAR. Laid in under pressure over the concluding 100m.

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

ROULETTE QUEEN (NZ) (B. Price) - slow into stride. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MAINBAR (T. Voorham) - inconvenienced when contacted on jumping away. Laid out under pressure in the straight.

LORD GEORGE (D. Caboche) - Stewards permitted D. Caboche to ride the gelding 0.5kg over its allocated weight of 54.0kg.

RACE 8: QUAYCLEAN HANDICAP - 2500 Metres

MANZALA (M. Collett) - jumped away awkwardly. Rider was reprimanded under AR132(6)(b) in that she used her whip in an action that raised her arm above shoulder height.

RACE 8: QUAYCLEAN HANDICAP - 2500 Metres (cont'd)

CALL ME VEXATIOUS (C. Murray) - 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 fined \$200. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for the totality of the use of the whip by C. Murray and noted that he used it on five occasions over the final 100m of the event.

POINTLESS PRAISE (T. Pannell) - inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

CUBAN LORD (D. Caboche) - raced fiercely in the early and middle stages of the event.

COVERED CALL (B. Price) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Rider reported that the gelding was under pressure from the vicinity of the 800m and he had become concerned for it on entering the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the right hind leg. Trainer, Mr J. O'Connor, was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

PICK ME (T. Voorham) - jumped away awkwardly.

RACE 9: FLEURIEU MILK COMPANY HANDICAP - 1100 Metres

HALF A DRAM (J. Eaton) - rider reported that she had become concerned with the mare's action from approaching the 200m. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be lame in the near foreleg (2/5). Trainer, Mr M. Seyers, was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

PRANCING COUNTESS (T. Voorham) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SUPER ALANA (NZ) (J. Potter) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (20):

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

Race 4 - CULLEN SKINK, FREE VINO, IMPOSING SUSPECT (NZ), ZERO INN, MYRTLE CREEK (NZ), STADIUM OF LIGHT (NZ).

Race 5 - AMBELLO, EIGHT ON THE DOT (NZ), BUSH INFLUENCE, HE'S MAVERICK, COLOUR ME GONE.

Race 8 - MANZALA, CANFORD, CALL ME VEXATIOUS, POINTLESS PRAISE, SASUN, CUBAN LORD, COVERED CALL, WRISTBAND, VOILA LA VALSE.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (9):

Race 1 - BONNIE GANGSTER (winner)

Race 2 - COLMAR (winner)

Race 3 - CUBAN WATERS (winner)

Race 4 - CULLEN SKINK (winner)

Race 5 - DIVINE FIRE (winner)

Race 6 - VEXATIOUS DANCER (winner)

Race 7 - POMPEII EMPIRE (winner)

Race 8 - CALL ME VEXATIOUS (winner)

Race 9 - MISLUDI (winner)

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 4	C. Murray (IMPOSING SUSPECT (NZ))	+2	0
Race 8	M. Collett (MANZALA)	+2	5
Race 8	S. Logan (WRISTBAND)	+1	2

SUMMARY

FINES	Race 3 - Mr J. Hyam - Fined \$200 - AR206(2) - Late gear application for SHANA TIME (NZ). Race 8 - C. Murray (CALL ME VEXATIOUS) - Fined \$200 - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+4].
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Race 8 - M. Collett (MANZALA) AR132(6)(b) - Use of her whip in an action that raised her arm above shoulder height.
SUSPENSIONS	Race 6 - E. Finnegan (SHARENDIPITY) - AR131(a) - From midnight 30/12/23 to midnight 3/1/24 - 3 meetings (concurrent). Race 6 - E. Finnegan (SHARENDIPITY) - AR131(a) - From midnight 30/12/23 to midnight 6/1/24 - 4 meetings (concurrent).
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 - SEEKING GLORY - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start - Lameness near foreleg (3/5). Race 1 - MORE REWARD - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start - Lameness near hind leg (3/5). Race 3 - NOITULOVER - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start - Lameness near foreleg (2/5). Race 5 - DIVINE FIRE - Warned - Pre-race behaviour - Reluctant to proceed to the barriers. Race 8 - COVERED CALL - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start - Lameness off hind leg (2/5). Race 9 - HALF A DRAM - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start - Lameness near foreleg (2/5).
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil