

Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Glenburnie
Racecourse by the Mount Gambier Racing Club on
Wednesday, 3 January 2024



Stewards Panel: S. Callanan (A/Chairman), E. Scott (HT) & D. Holland (F)
Deputy Stewards: L. Martin & M. Arthur.
Veterinary Surgeons: Dr T. Tully.

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

RAIL: Out 4 metres 1565m to 500m, true remainder.

WEATHER: Overcast

RACE 1: EDI TREE & GARDEN BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 2066 Metres

RED PATROL (NZ) (K. Walters) - laid in under pressure in the straight and near the 100m bumped EIGHT SHOUT'S, which was inconvenienced.

EIGHT SHOUT'S (H. Grace) - near the 100m was inconvenienced and bumped with RED PATROL (NZ), which was laying in and shifted in.

SESAR (A. Livesey) - laid out throughout the event.

ENRICO PALLAZZO (S. Fawke) - slow to begin.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow Mr D. O'Meachair, stable representative for EIGHT SHOUT'S, placed second, to view the vision in the straight.

RACE 2: FINNS FINE FOOD MAIDEN HANDICAP - 908 Metres

MAGIC FIELD (J. Eaton) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out.

DEEP REFLECTION (J. Opperman) - proved difficult to load. Co-trainer, Mr A. Bain, was advised that a warning had been placed on the filly. Rider explained in relation to the filly's performance that it raced greenly and would benefit from the run. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ILDIKO (K. Crowther) - slow to begin.

RADIANT KNIGHT (T. Childs) - difficulty obtaining clear ground from approaching the 100m for some distance when racing inside ZEEHAK.

ZEEHAK (H. Grace) - on pulling up shied and dislodged its rider. H. Grace was examined by the First Care Medical personnel and passed fit to fulfil his remaining engagements.

RACE 3: CARLIN & GAZZARD SUMMER CUP SUNDAY 21 JANUARY MAIDEN PLATE - 1315 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately five minutes owing to a Starter error in relation to the positioning of the horses and their corresponding barrier.

RACE 3: CARLIN & GAZZARD SUMMER CUP SUNDAY 21 JANUARY MAIDEN PLATE - 1315 Metres (cont'd)

AL NAZARI (J. Maund) - proved difficult to load. Trainer, Mr R. Nicholson, was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding. Jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and inconvenienced DANGEROUS SECRET.

HUDSON CHARLES (NZ) (C. Puls) - shortly after the start raced in restricted room between INTERFERING and TOM'S SHOUT, which both shifted ground.

INTERFERING (C. Tootell) - raced ungenerously in the early stages of the event. Near the 200m was held up for a short distance, and then again held up from the 100m until near the 50m when awkwardly placed on the heels of LOVE YOU BELLE.

WILD RALPH (J. Opperman) - slow to begin.

OVABENT (H. Grace) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

DANGEROUS SECRET (K. Walters) - reared and dislodged its rider behind the barriers. K. Walters was uninjured in the incident. Co-trainer, Mr K. Post, was advised that a warning had been placed on the mare in relation to its pre-race behaviour. On jumping away was inconvenienced by AL NAZARI, which shifted out. Near the 200m was held up for a short distance on the heels of ROCKLEA.

MONOCHROMATIC (R. Milnes) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

OFFCAST (D. Tourneur) - hung out throughout the event, and near the 1000m shifted out abruptly and lost ground. Stable representative, Mr P. Chen, was advised that a warning had been placed on the mare in relation to its racing manners.

ROCKLEA (L. Grace) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Rider explained in relation to the mare's performance that it had breathing difficulties. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 4: SCOTT GROUP OF COMPANIES BENCHMARK 70 HANDICAP - 1565 Metres

WILD WILLY (J. Opperman) - raced keenly when leading in the early and middle stages of the event.

FAST 'N' FORWARD (K. Walters) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

BOLT BY (Z. Lloyd) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course and deemed suitable to race. Raced wide without cover throughout the event. Inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

VANCOUVER VELVET (R. Milnes) - rider was reprimanded under AR132(6)(c) for using her whip when out of contention.

FULL OF DASH (NZ) (C. Puls) - jumped away awkwardly. Raced keenly in the early stages and near the 1200m was permitted by its rider to stride forward to settle in the lead.

RACE 5: CARLTON DRAUGHT BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1215 Metres

MELISSA KATE (NZ) (K. Walters) - laid out under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RAVNIKAR (J. Maund) - slow to begin.

ALI ORPHAN (NZ) (C. Puls) - slow to begin. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

BENOVSKY (S. Metcalfe) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.



RACE 6: THOMAS FOODS INTERNATIONAL BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 908 Metres

GEMINGA (Z. Lloyd) - jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin.

BYWONNER (L. Williams) - near the 400m bumped with BUNUMBURT, which had shifted out to improve, and as a result was taken out and bumped with TARASQUE, which was inconvenienced.

MADDISON MISS (C. Tootell) - jumped away awkwardly.

TARASQUE (L. Grace) - near the 400m was inconvenienced when it bumped with BYWONNER. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

BUNUMBURT (D. Tourneur) - slow to begin. Near the 400m, when attempting to improve, shifted out and bumped BYWONNER, and shortly after became held up until approaching the 200m when awkwardly placed on heels.

CARRY ON CAMPING (H. Grace) - began well.

TITAN I AM (S. Fawke) - near the 200m shifted out and inconvenienced TYDEUS. Near the 50m was momentarily inconvenienced as KEETTOM rolled out.

KEETTOM (S. Metcalfe) - near the 50m rolled out and momentarily inconvenienced TITAN I AM.

TYDEUS (R. Milnes) - slow to begin. Near the 200m was inconvenienced by TITAN I AM, which shifted out. Co-trainer, Mr R. Daniel, reported that when the gelding returned to the mounting yard post-race the near-side bubble cheeker was not on the gelding's gear.

RACE 7: BUDGET RENTAL CARS MOUNT GAMBIER RATING 0 - 58 HANDICAP - 1565 Metres

DALE'S ROCKET (C. Puls) - from the 1000m until approaching the 800m WHISTLER GIRL raced tight to the inside of the gelding. Rider was reprimanded under AR131(a) and advised to ensure she leaves sufficient racing room for other runners to her inside.

FOREVER WAITING (K. Crowther) - from its wide barrier was restrained in an attempt to gain cover. Rider explained in relation to the gelding's performance that it may not have been suited to the track conditions. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CARAK (M. Julius) - raced wide without cover throughout the event. Weakened from near the 200m. Rider reported that the gelding did not feel comfortable in its action, in particular over the concluding stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FIGHTING FUND (D. Tourneur) - slow into stride.

WHISTLER GIRL (C. Atkinson) - near the 1000m raced tight and was awkwardly placed to the inside of DALE'S ROCKET until being crossed near the 800m.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow C. Atkinson (WHISTLER GIRL), placed third, and trainer, Ms S. Croxford, to view the view the vision in the straight.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (3):

- Race 2 - ZEEHAK (winner)
- Race 4 - BOLT BY (winner)
- Race 5 - CRANC (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 1	S. Fawke (ENRICO PALLAZZO)	+2	1

SUMMARY

FINES	Nil
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Race 4 - R. Milnes (VANCOUVER VELVET) - AR132(6)(c) - Use of the whip when out of contention [+3]. Race 7 - C. Puls (DALE'S ROCKET) - AR131(a) - Careless riding.
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 2 - DEEP REFLECTION - Warned - Difficult to load. Race 3 - AL NAZARI - Warned - Difficult to load. Race 3 - DANGEROUS SECRET - Warned - Pre-race behaviour - Reared behind the barriers. Race 3 - OFFCAST - Warned - Racing manners - Hung out and shifted out abruptly.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil