

Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Balaklava
Racecourse by the Balaklava Racing Club on
Wednesday, 19 June 2024



RACINGS A

Stewards Panel: M. Santoro (Chairman), M. Zarb (M), C. Deakin (HT) & B. Jarman (F)
Deputy Stewards: K. Santoro, K. Marnane & M. Martin.
Veterinary Surgeons: Dr B. Agnew.

TRACK: Soft 6 (Moist but not a badly affected track)

RAIL: Out 3 metres 950m to 450m, out 2.5 metres 450m to winning post, out 2 metres winning post to 1600m, true remainder.

WEATHER: Fine

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
4	PRINCE OF TOKYO	L. Neindorf	T. Voorham	Overweight
5	ODDSOCK	D. Tournour		Emergency - notified

APPROVED RIDER OVERWEIGHTS:

Race	Horse	Rider	Change	New Weight
1	MAGNA MAK	L. Neindorf	+0.5kg	55.0kg

RACE 1: CLARE VALLEY TOYOTA TWO-YEAR-OLD CLASS ONE HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

TALISAY (J. Holder) - raced greenly in the straight and was inclined to shift about under pressure.

BIG BRUTE (F. Atkinson) - had difficulty obtaining clear ground from the entrance to the straight until near the 200m.

SEE YA LATER BABY (E. Finnegan) - dipped for no apparent reason near the 800m. Rider reported that in her opinion the gelding was not comfortable in the track condition.

MAGNA MAK (L. Neindorf) - contacted on jumping away. Inside the 1000m shifted in when insufficiently clear of TINY BAY, forcing the rider of that filly to take hold and alter course to avoid 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, 22 June 2024 to conclude midnight Wednesday, 3 July 2024, a period of five meetings.

TINY BAY (P. Brewster) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted in contacting MAGNA MAK. Inside the 1000m rider was forced to take hold and alter course to avoid the heels of MAGNA MAK, which shifted in. Rider reported that the filly raced greenly throughout the event and did not feel comfortable in its action in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.



RACE 2: GAWLER SOUTH BAKERY MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 Metres

THE REAL PRINCE (F. Atkinson) - raced greenly throughout the event.

KAHALA BAY (C. Tootell) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out contacting LUCY JOIE. Raced wide without cover and greenly throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RUSCHEYNE (A. Jordsjo) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) in that she used her whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100m and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence midnight Wednesday, 26 June 2024 to conclude midnight Sunday, 30 June 2024, a period of two meetings. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for the totality of the use of the whip by A. Jordsjo and noted that she used it on seven occasions over the final 100m of the event. In arriving at this decision Stewards also took into account A. Jordsjo's excellent record in relation to whip breaches.

THRONE OF GOD (S. Fawke) - rider reported that the mare raced greenly throughout the event.

LUCY JOIE (T. Voorham) - contacted on jumping away.

MAHI MAHI (J. Holder) - rider reported that the filly got its tongue over the bit during the event. 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 \$300. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for the totality of the use of the whip by J. Holder and noted that he used it on six occasions over the final 100m of the event.

RACE 3: SPORTSBET BET WITH MATES MAIDEN PLATE - 1400 Metres

CHOPPA DE GRASS (S. Payne) - inconvenienced when contacted on jumping away. Rider reported that the gelding was field shy and reluctant when racing between other runners.

JACOBS GATE (T. Voorham) - shifted in shortly after the start and contacted INAUGURAL.

SAINT MICHAEL (M. Collett) - dipped for no apparent reason near the 900m and again near the 800m.

SPINACH (A. Jordsjo) - at the entrance to the straight had to be momentarily steadied when tightened between ZAIN PRINCE, which rolled out slightly, and JACOBS GATE, which shifted in.

ZAIN PRINCE (T. Hutchinson) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

INAUGURAL (J. Holder) - inconvenienced when contacted on jumping away.

PRIDE OF SHALAA (T. Johnstone) - slow to begin. Had difficulty obtaining clear ground from the entrance to the straight until inside the 200m.

SULTRINESS (NZ) (J. Potter) - kicked out in its barrier after being loaded. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed suitable to start. Jumped away awkwardly and was slow into stride.

DARK HELMET (NZ) (J. Eaton) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out onto CHOPPA DE GRASS.

FRANKIE DIVINE (T. Pannell) - raced wide without cover throughout the event. Laid in under pressure in the straight.





RACE 4: G & J EAST KADINA RATING 0 - 56 HANDICAP - 1600 Metres

HARBOURING (T. Hutchinson) - jumped away awkwardly. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) in that she used her whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100m and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence midnight Wednesday, 26 June 2024 and to conclude midnight Wednesday, 3 July 2024, a period of two meetings. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for the totality of the use of the whip by T. Hutchinson and noted that she used it on eight occasions over the final 100m of the event.

THE CASSINI (C. Jones) - had difficulty obtaining clear ground from the entrance to the straight and near the 200m was disappointed when attempting a run between ALLUSION, which rolled in slightly at the same time as BYWATERS ROAD shifted out. Rider was then obliged to alter course to the inside of BYWATERS ROAD and was only able to obtain clear ground approaching the 100m. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FANTASTIC HOST (S. Payne) - 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 \$1500. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for the totality of the use of the whip by S. Payne and noted that he used it on fifteen occasions over the final 100m.

PANDARUS (T. Pannell) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PRINCE OF TOKYO (T. Voorham) - stood flat-footed and was slow to begin missing the start several lengths. Trainer, Mr W. Brown, was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding.

SPELMAN (D. Tourneur) - laid out under pressure in the straight.

BUSH INFLUENCE (A. Livesey) - raced fiercely in the early and middle stages of the event.

RACE 5: TEAM WISS AGRONOMY & AGSPEC RATING 0 - 56 HANDICAP - 1050 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately four minutes to avoid a clash with an interstate event. The start was delayed a further two minutes owing to a horse becoming cast in its barrier.

DAMAGED (J. Holder) - contacted on jumping away.

BERKINSON (T. Hutchinson) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

REGAL DANCER (J. Opperman) - after being loaded its head became cast in an adjoining stall. Was removed from the barriers, underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed suitable to start. Jumped away awkwardly. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

EMMOOKI MAGIC (C. Tootell) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out contacting DAMAGED.

SHEZ BETTY (A. Livesey) - slow into stride.

RACE 6: STOLLER RATING 0 - 56 HANDICAP - 2200 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes to avoid a clash with an interstate event.

ROAD TO BLUE SKY (NZ) (Z. Lloyd) - raced keenly in the middle stages of the event.

ON BAIL (NZ) (D. Caboche) - jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin.

LEADER'S PRIDE (M. Collett) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.



RACE 6: STOLLER RATING 0 - 56 HANDICAP - 2200 Metres (cont'd)

AMERICAN TROUBLE (D. Tourneur) - laid out under pressure in the straight. Stewards questioned D. Tourneur in relation to the instructions he was provided in this event. He explained that he was instructed to allow the mare to find a position in racing that it was comfortable and not to fight it to obtain a particular position. He explained that the mare jumped away extremely well and found itself in a positive position early, and for this reason he had allowed it to stride forward and obtain the lead of its own accord. He added that the mare travelled well during the event and responded when asked for an effort in the straight. Stewards questioned D. Tourneur in relation to his riding of AMERICAN TROUBLE over the concluding stages of the event. After considering his explanation Stewards charged D. Tourneur under AR131(b) for failing to ride his mount out to the end of the race. D. Tourneur pleaded guilty to the charge and was suspended for a period to commence midnight Wednesday, 26 June 2024 to conclude midnight Wednesday, 3 July 2024, a period of the three meetings. In arriving at this decision Stewards took into account that the rider's actions may have impacted the mare's finishing position.

JUST JOKING (T. Johnstone) - rider reported that the mare never travelled and did not respond to her riding when asked for an effort at the entrance to the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 7: AGFERT FERTILIZERS BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1300 Metres

MY MALOO (P. Brewster) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to have bled from both nostrils and was lame in the near foreleg (2/5). Co-trainers, Mr R. Jolly and Miss C. Jolly, were advised that as this was the gelding's first bi-lateral bleed MY MALOO would now be suspended from racing for a period of three months in accordance with AR79(4) and would be required to have the gelding reinstated in accordance with AR79(4)(b) prior to a future race. They were further advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

SUPER SHARP (T. Voorham) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ZERO INN (Z. Lloyd) - laid out over the concluding 800m of the event.

COVERED CALL (A. Lai) - jumped away awkwardly. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) in that used his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100m and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence midnight Sunday, 23 June 2024 to conclude midnight Sunday, 30 June 2024, a period of three meetings. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for the totality of the use of the whip by A. Lai and noted that he used it on nine occasions over the final 100m.

FIRST TOSEN (M. Collett) - hung out throughout the event.

NAVY GOLD (J. Opperman) - near the 700m made contact with the running rail, became unbalanced and then slipped behind and shifted out and contacted DEVIL DAN (NZ).

GARRIRE (D. Tourneur) - slow to begin.

DEVIL DAN (NZ) (S. Metcalfe) - hung out throughout the event. Near the 700m was inconvenienced when its hindquarters were contacted by NAVY GOLD.

TOMMY TOMATO (W. Cave) - slow to begin.

RIVER (C. Tootell) - raced wide without cover throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be exhibiting signs of post-race colic and thumps. First aid administered. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) in that she used her whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100m and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence midnight Wednesday, 26 June 2024 to conclude midnight Sunday, 30 June 2024, a period of two meetings.

GRAFTON AVENUE (J. Potter) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (7):

Race 1 - BIG BRUTE (winner)
 Race 2 - LINKING (winner)
 Race 3 - SAINT MICHAEL (winner)
 Race 4 - FANTASTIC HOST (winner)
 Race 5 - DAMAGED (winner)
 Race 6 - FIZIQUE (winner)
 Race 7 - NAVY GOLD (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 2	A. Lai (LINKING)	+1	0
Race 2	S. Fawke (THRONE OF GOD)	+1	4
Race 4	A. Lai (LEON'S SHOUT)	+3	2
Race 7	M. Collett (FIRST TOSEN)	+3	6
Race 7	D. Tourneur (GARRIRE)	+3	6

SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 2 - J. Holder (MAHI MAHI) - Fined \$300 - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+4]. Race 4 - S. Payne (FANTASTIC HOST - Fined \$1500 - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+2]. Race 4 - L. Neindorf - Fined \$100 - AR190(3) - Overweight and having to be replaced on PRINCE OF TOKYO.
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Nil
SUSPENSIONS	Race 1 - L. Neindorf (MAGNA MAK) - AR131(a) - Careless riding - From midnight 22/06/24 to midnight 03/07/24 - 5 meetings. Race 2 - A. Jordsjo (RUSCHEYNE) - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+6] - From midnight 26/06/24 to midnight 30/06/24 - 2 meetings. Race 4 - T. Hutchinson (HARBOURING) - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+5] - From midnight 26/06/24 to midnight 30/06/24 - 2 meetings. Race 6 - D. Tourneur (AMERICAN TROUBLE) - AR131(b) - Failure to ride his mount out to the finish of the race - From midnight Wednesday 26/06/24 to midnight Wednesday 03/07/24 - 3 meetings. Race 7 - A. Lai (COVERED CALL) - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+6] - From midnight Sunday 23/06/24 to midnight Sunday 30/06/24 - 3 meetings. Race 7 - C. Tootell (RIVER) - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+7] - From midnight 26/06/24 to midnight 30/06/24 - 2 meetings.
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 4 - PRINCE OF TOYKO - Warned - Stood flat-footed. Race 7 - MY MALOO - Suspended 3mths - AR79(4) - Must comply with AR79(4)(b) to be reinstated to race - Bi-lateral bleed (1 st occurrence). Race 7 - MY MALOO - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start - Lamé near foreleg (2/5).
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil