

THOROUGHBRED RACING AUTHORITY S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at the Port Augusta Racecourse
by the Port Augusta Racing Club on Sunday, 5 June 2016

Stewards: D. Bucknell (A/Chairman), A. Hayles (HT) & N. Coldbeck (F) (Stewards), J. Perry (M) & C. Edson (Deputy Stewards), Dr. D. Anderson (Veterinary Surgeon)

TRACK: Good

WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: True

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
5	DECOMPRESSION	J. Mamat	L. Stojakovic	Explanation accepted
6	ACT OF FAITH	K. Brooks		Notified
7	ARTFUL FRANCYL	M. Poon		"

RACE 1 : SKY CELLARS THIRSTY CAMEL/ SABOIS 2UP MAIDEN PLATE - 1498 metres

FORTISSIO (T. Zanker) – rider reported the gelding did not feel comfortable in its action. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the off hind leg. Veterinary Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race.

THE BRIGHTONIAN (A. Doyle) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the off hind leg. Veterinary Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race.

LITTLE JAY JAY (D. Caboche) – became momentarily awkward in its action making the crossing.

RACE 2 : PASTORAL HOTEL SIP'N SAVE / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 metres

OWL ON THE PROWL (J. Frew) – held up from the 400 metres until the entrance to the straight.

TICKLE ME ERNIE (K. Brooks) – began awkwardly, shifted in and made contact with OWL ON THE PROWL. Thereafter taken out and tightened onto the MAPPINGA MELODY and lost its position. Making the home turn improved onto the heels of RONDAFERRO and had to be steadied. Obligated to be steadied in the vicinity of the 200 metres when RONDAFERRO rolled out slightly.

WHITE JADE (J. Mamat) – began awkwardly and shifted in.

HILLSLEY (M. Poon) – tightened for room on jumping away between WHITE JADE and MAPPINGA MELODY.

BELLAMARINE (Jemma Frew) – made contact with TICKLE ME ERNIE on jumping away. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

MAPPINGA MELODY (B. Griffiths) – tightened for room on jumping away between HILLSLEY and BELLAMARINE.

RACE 3 : CANADIAN CLUB & DRY BENCHMARK 72 HANDICAP - 1867 metres

FACE LEICA STAR (L. Stojakovic) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages and was obliged to be momentarily steadied in the vicinity of the 1400 metres when tightened for room by KING'S DELIGHT, which was taken in by SOUTHERN SEA.

RACE 4 : IAN'S WESTERN HOTEL SIP'N SAVE BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP
- 1600 metres

BENJIDDAH (Jemma Frew) – began awkwardly and shifted out. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

MAGGIE'S CALL (J. Mamat) - slow to begin.

TIGER JET (T. O'Donnell) - began awkwardly

RACE 5 : TASSIE PRIMO TAVERN BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP – 1200 metres

TRIUMPHANT ONE (A. Doyle) – hung out throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. Warning issued.

LIBERTY HILL (K. Brooks) – passing the 600 metres was obliged to be steadied when attempting a tight run to the inside of TRIUMPHANT ONE.

CARDINAL MISSION (J. Mamat) – raced in restricted room inside the 200 metres.

SANDHILL BLAZE (D. Caboche) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

DECOMPRESSION (L. Stojakovic) – reared on jumping away and began awkwardly.

RACE 6 : XXXX GOLD BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1100 metres

KUNGSLEDEN (B. Griffiths) – hung in when placed under pressure over the concluding stages.

KIM'S INTUITION (M. Poon) – obliged to be momentarily steadied approaching the 1000 metres.

SANDHILL RULER (J. Frew) - began awkwardly.

FINNISS MOMENT (Jemma Frew) – bumped by another runner in the vicinity of the 200 metres.

KANGAROO JACK (T. Pannell) – inclined to lay out under pressure and approaching the 200 metres made contact with FINNISS MOMENT, and was obliged to be steadied and became awkwardly placed on the heels of KUNGSLEDEN.

RACE 7 : JAMES BOAG PREMIUM BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1396 metres

DIVINE ZAR (L. Stojakovic) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

GYPSY BRIDE – a late scratching at 1.48 pm as there was no available rider.

MORE PLEASE (Jemma Frew) – shifted out and made contact with another runner on jumping away and became unbalanced when its hindquarters were turned out. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ARTFUL FRANCYL (M. Poon) – tightened for room on jumping away between MORE PLEASE, which shifted out and KOSMOS TERCEDES. In the vicinity of the 100 metres raced in restricted room inside MAPPINGA PRINCE and as a result was momentarily steadied.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow M. Poon (ARTFUL FRANCYL) placed fourth to view the official footage. After doing so M. Poon lodged an objection against J. Mamat (MAPPINGA PRINCE) placed third alleging interference in the straight. After considering the evidence, on viewing the official footage and acting on their own observations, Stewards *dismissed* the objection. The hearing of this protest was delayed due to technical difficulties experienced with the vision.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (4):

Race 2 – MAYBE THIS TIME (winner)
Race 3 – SOUTHERN SEA (winner)

Race 5 – LIBERTY HILL (winner)
Race 6 – KUNGSLEDEN (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Nil
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Nil
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	<p>Race 1 – FORTISSIO – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future trial or race – Lameness off hind leg.</p> <p>Race 1 - THE BRIGHTONIAN - Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future trial or race – Lameness off hind leg.</p> <p>Race 5 – TRIUMPHANT ONE – Warned – Racing manners.</p>
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil