

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville Racecourse
by the South Australian Jockey Club on Saturday, 21 January 2017

Stewards: J. Petzer (Chairman), C. Deakin (HT), J. Adams (F), M. Williams (M) & N. Coldbeck (Stewards), D. Jonas, N. Hawkins & R. Dinning (Deputy Stewards) Dr P. Horridge & Dr B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeons)

TRACK: Good 4 (*Upgraded to a Good 3 @ 12.40pm*)

WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: Out 10 metres 1200 metres to winning post, out 7 metres the remainder.

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
2	ASHERO	A. Jordsjo	E. Boyd	Indisposed
3	PRIME SUSPECT	"	"	"
7	TILDY LAD	"	"	"
7	BEAU RIVAGE	J. Toeroek	J. Bowditch	Overweight
8	WILANDER PRINCESS	A. Jordsjo	E. Boyd	Indisposed

RACE 1: QUAYCLEAN PLATE - 1050 metres

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

MURAAHIB (S. Arnold) – raced greenly and was inclined to lay out in the straight.

DANGER DEAL (C. Lindop) – began awkwardly.

RACE 2: BUTTERFIELDS FARM DIRECT HANDICAP – 1050 metres

ASHERO (E. Boyd) – laid in, in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

TWO DUCKS ARTIE (J. Kah) – Stewards questioned J. Kah in relation to her instructions and her riding in the early part of the straight. J. Kah advised she was instructed to obtain cover in the early stages and not to expose the gelding too soon as it only has a short sprint and to hold it up for as long as possible in the early part of the straight before making a run. She added that while she complied with her instructions, after turning for home, she made an assessment and was unable to improve between ARIZONA WILDCAT and FRENCH ROCK in the early part of the straight and was obliged to ride patiently, until able to improve to the inside of ARIZONA WILDCAT a short distance thereafter. She further added the gelding finished the race off strongly. Trainer W. Clarken confirmed the instructions provided to J. Kah. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

HARLEM CHILD (M. Poon) – slow to begin losing one to two lengths.

ARIZONA WILDCAT (Z. Spain) – lost its near hind plate during the event.

RACE 3: SCHWEPPES HANDICAP - 1600 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes owing to an interstate delay.

SATURDAY AFFAIR (J. Kah) – disappointed for clear running for a short distance shortly after the entrance to the straight when racing between WRIST WATCH and MARCO POLO.

RACE 4: PROJECTION GRAPHICS HANDICAP - 1050 metres

SNIP OF MAGIC (J. Holder) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

LOCKDOWN JACK (J. Kah) – got its head down in its barrier stall as the gates were released. Stood flat footed and lost many lengths at the start. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow Trainer Mr D. Jolly and one of the part owners of LOCKDOWN JACK to view the vision of the start.

RACE 5: UBET HANDICAP - 1600 metres

JIM'S JOURNEY (M. Poon) – in the vicinity of the 1400 metres shifted in and tightened TENERE for a number of strides resulting in D. Tourneur having to steady his mount. Rider was reprimanded for shifting ground when insufficiently clear.

FLOW METER (S. Fawke) – improved into restricted room between DEIHEROS and OUR VALDIVIA (NZ) inside the 200 metres and shortly thereafter was hampered by DEIHEROS as that gelding laid in and shifted in.

FINKE (D. Caboche) – contacted at the start. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

BULLITT COUNTY (C. Lindop) – slow to begin losing two lengths.

OUR VALDIVIA (NZ) (D. Thornton) – commenced to weaken approaching the 100 metres and was inconvenienced by FLOW METER, which was hampered after improving into a run between OUR VALDIVIA (NZ) and DEIHEROS to its outside.

TENERE (D. Tourneur) – tightened by JIM'S JOURNEY for a number of strides and was obliged to be steadied near the 1400 metres. Rider fined \$200 under AR91 for leaving the course after his last engagement without the permission of Stewards.

DEIHEROS (J. Bowditch) – began awkwardly and shifted out at the start and contacted FINKE. Laid in over the concluding stages and shifted in slightly inside the 200 metres and hampered FLOW METER.

RACE 6: UBET ADELAIDE CUP 13TH MARCH 2017 – 2500 metres

REFECTORY (IRE) (S. Cahill) – stood flat footed as the gates were released and lost many lengths. Inconvenienced in the vicinity of the 300 metres. Rider explained that despite being very slow to begin, he had made an assessment of the pace in the event in the early stages and on that basis, considered to improve his position to take up a forward position, as this is the gelding's normal racing pattern. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the off foreleg. Veterinary Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race. Mr J. Hickmott acting on behalf of Mr R. Laming was advised that in view of the gelding's reluctance to jump on terms with the field and having regard for its previous history, REFECTORY (IRE) was suspended from racing and is required to trial on two separate occasions to the satisfaction of Stewards and jump on terms with the field prior to a future race.

MAJESTIC MOMENT (J. Toeroek) – held up for clear running from in the vicinity of the 500 metres until in the vicinity of the 400 metres.

FLYING CASINO (J. Holder) – lost its off hind plate during the event. Shifted in, in the vicinity of the 300 metres.

WESTERN HEIR (D. Tootell) – in the vicinity of the 300 metres shifted in and away from FLYING CASINO onto REFECTORY (IRE), which was inconvenienced.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow C. Lindop (TUNES) placed second and Trainer Mr G. Young to view the vision in the straight.

RACE 7: HOLDFAST INSURANCE HANDICAP - 1200 metres

ASCENDANCE (D. Thornton) – slow to begin. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PLANET VOYAGE (S. Fawke) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

KUNGSLEDEN (D. Caboche) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course and ruled unfit to race. A late scratching by order of Stewards at 4.43 pm acting on veterinary advice that the gelding was lame in the near foreleg.

LEXGETREDDY (M. Poon) – rider reported the mare did not feel comfortable in its action during the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be lame in the near foreleg. Veterinary Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race.

BEAU RIVAGE (J. Bowditch) - slow to begin.

RACE 8: MAC: STOP DRUG DRIVING HANDICAP - 1100 metres

THE CASTLE KAT (J. Holder) – over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

MYSTICANO (J. Maund) - slow to begin.

SWINGITLIKESAYERS (L. Stojakovic) – hampered near the 700 metres.

AVOID THE MISSUS (J. Kah) – in the vicinity of the 700 metres became awkward on the heels of EVIL DREAMS shortly after that horse shifted in to take cover behind MAGNUS KNIGHT. As a consequence, AVOID THE MISSUS was obliged to shift out to avoid the heels of EVIL DREAMS and tightened SWINGITLIKESAYERS, which was hampered and taken out onto GO ARRIVEDERCI, which was inconvenienced.

GO ARRIVEDERCI (D. Thornton) – in the vicinity of the 700 metres was inconvenienced and laid out in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RIDER TESTING:

All Twenty (20) riders provided a breath test prior to their first ride of the day. All returned negative.

PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (17):

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

- Race 2 TWO DUCKS ARTIE, ARIZONA WILDCAT
- Race 3 OPTIMIZE, SATURDAY AFFAIR
- Race 4 BIG EFFORT, TRUENO
- Race 5 JIM’S JOURNEY, FINKE
- Race 6 TUNES, REFECTORY (IRE), MAJESTIC MOMENT, FLYING CASINO
- Race 7 STRATEGIC DEMAND, LEXGETREDDY, BEAU RIVAGE
- Race 8 AVOID THE MISSUS, GO ARRIVEDERCI

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (11)

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| Race 1 – MURAAHIB (winner) | Race 4 – BIG EFFORT (winner) |
| Race 1 – JOLIE ROSE (2 nd) | Race 5 – JIM’S JOURNEY (winner) |
| Race 2 – ARIZONA WILDCAT (winner) | Race 6 – FLYING CASINO (winner) |
| Race 2 – TWO DUCKS ARTIE (2 nd) | Race 7 – STRATEGIC DEMAND (winner) |
| Race 3 – OPTIMIZE (winner) | Race 8 – EVIL DREAMS (winner) |
| Race 3 – SATURDAY AFFAIR (3 rd) | |

SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 5 – D. Tourneur – Fined \$200 – AR91 – Left the course without Stewards permission after his last engagement. Race 7 – J. Toeroek – Fined \$100 – AR120(b) – Overweight and having to be replaced on BEAU RIVAGE.
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Race 5 – M. Poon (JIM'S JOURNEY) – AR137(a) – Careless Riding.
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 6 – REFECTORY (IRE) – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future trial or race – Lamé in off foreleg. Race 6 – REFECTORY (IRE) – Suspended – Required to trial on two separate occasions to the satisfaction of the Stewards prior to a future race – Stood flat-footed. Race 7 - LEXGETREDDY– Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future trial or race – Lamé in near foreleg.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	A. Jordsjo