

**Thoroughbred Racing S.A. Limited**  
**STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT**

**Report on Race Meeting held at Penong Racecourse**  
**by Penong Racing Club on Saturday, 11 March 2017**

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Stewards: S. Callanan (A/Chairman), D. Jonas, P. Dearman (HT) (Stewards) R. Evans & M. Chandler (F) (Deputy Stewards), Dr. G. Sezun (Veterinary Surgeon)

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**TRACK:** Dirt

**WEATHER:** Fine

**Rail:** True

**RIDER CHANGES:**

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	NATH'S WISH	L. Stojakovic	D. McWhinney	Indisposed
2	MISS INSOMNIA	"	P. Roff	"
2	KEEP DIGGING	D. McWhinney		Late Notification – Explanation accepted
3	MOONSHAFT	"		"
4	REVENGEFUL	"		"
5	SWEET SATURDAY	"		"

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**RACE 1: MICK WHITTLE MEMORIAL / LION / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 metres**

**OUR MISSION** (P. Roff) – shortly after the start got its head up when being restrained for a short distance. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**ALWAYS RED** (T. Zanker) – hung out rounding the home turn and in the home straight, placing T. Zanker at a disadvantage when attempting to ride ALWAYS RED out in her normal manner. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**ARTFUL IGGY** (B. Griffiths) - slow to begin.

**RACE 2: CEDUNA FORESHORE HOTEL MOTEL / BEVAN CAMPBELL BENCHMARK 60**  
**HANDICAP - 1200 metres**

**NORTHSIDE STAR** (C. Davies) - slow to begin.

**PLEASE RESET** (T. Zanker) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**RACE 3: PENONG HOTEL / WEST COAST FUEL BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1400 metres**

**MINDSTORMS** (T. Zanker) – marginally slow to begin.

**NORTH OF HELL** – a late scratching by order of Stewards at 8.21 am as there was no rider available on course.

**MOONSHAFT** (D. McWhinney) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed a lower than expected heart rate.

**RACE 4: FAR WEST FARMERS PENONG CUP - 1600 metres**

**JUST PAST MIDNIGHT** (C. Davies) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**RACE 4: FAR WEST FARMERS PENONG CUP - 1600 metres (Cont'd)**

**DAL ROMMEL (NZ)** - a late scratching by order of Stewards at 8.21 am as there was no rider available on course.

**ROMULUS FLIGHT** (K. Crowther) – dipped on jumping away as a result rider became unbalanced for a number of strides.

**RACE 5 : GYPSUM RESOURCES AUSTRALIA / PENONG STATION BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP  
– 1000 metres**

**HEZAFRAAR** (B. Griffiths) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded. In assessing penalty Stewards took into account the circumstances of the race.

**TENNESSEE GROOM (NZ)** – a late scratching by order of Stewards at 3.10 pm as there was no rider available on course.

**CONTEGO** (T. Zanker) – inclined to hang out rounding the home turn for a short distance.

**SWABBING (1):**

Race 4 – NEW WAVE (winner)

<b>SUMMARY</b>	
<b>FINES</b>	Nil
<b>SEVERE REPRIMANDS</b>	Nil
<b>REPRIMANDS</b>	Race 5 – B. Griffiths (HEZAFRAAR) - AR137A(5)(a)(ii) [+2] – Whip offence.
<b>SUSPENSIONS</b>	Nil
<b>HORSE ACTIONS</b>	Nil
<b>ADJOURNED INQUIRIES</b>	Nil
<b>MEDICAL CLEARANCE</b>	L. Stojakovic