

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

**Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville Parks Racecourse**  
**by the South Australian Jockey Club on Saturday, 1 April 2017**

**Stewards:** M. Santoro (A/Chairman), C. Deakin (F), J. Adams (HT) & N. Coldbeck (Stewards), D. Southgate, D. Jonas, P. Downey & V. Fergusson (Deputy Stewards) Dr P. Horridge & Dr B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeons)

**TRACK:** Good 4

**WEATHER:** Fine

**RAIL:** (Morphettville Parks track) Out 8 metres from 1000 metres to the Winning Post, out 5 metres remainder  
(Main track) Out 8 metres 1200 metres to the Winning Post, out 5 metres remainder.

**RIDER CHANGES:**

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	CASA DE LAGO	M. Payne		Late notification – explanation accepted.
4	MARCO POLO	R. Clark		Late notification.
5	SASSY JO	E. Finnegan	Z. Spain	Overweight
5	MOBACO (FR)	A. Jordsjo		Emergency – notified
5	MOBACO (FR)	“	D. Caboche	Indisposed.
6	DOWNS AFTER DARK	“	J. Toeroek	“
8	SANDHILL WARRIOR	“	S. Fawke	“
9	VIDDORA	Z. Spain		Late notification – explanation accepted.
9	SILENT WHISPER	J. Maund		“

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**RACE 1: ADELAIDE GALVANISING HANDICAP - 1300 metres**

**DANGER DEAL** (C. Lindop) – jumped away awkwardly. In the vicinity of the 500 metres shifted out in an attempt to improve and in doing so contacted with ANGEL'S WISH for a number of strides, and as a result became awkwardly placed on the heels of MALZOOM for a short distance. Shortly after entering the straight attempted to improve into restricted room to the inside of MALZOOM, resulting in DANGER DEAL becoming held up until inside the 200 metres when MALZOOM rolled out slightly.

**ANGEL'S WISH** (P. Gatt) – brushed by DANGER DEAL in the vicinity of the 500 metres for a short distance. Laid out throughout the event.

**UNSCOPEABLE** (R. Hurdle) – Laid in under pressure in the straight.

**CASA DE LAGO** (M. Payne) – stood flat footed and was slow to begin. Trainer, Mr P. Payne, was advised that a warning had been placed on the filly.

**RACE 2: UBET SA DERBY 13TH MAY HANDICAP – 1300 metres**

**ELZETTE** (E. Finnegan) – rider reported that the mare felt awkward in its action behind over the concluding stages. A post-race veterinary examination revealed minor lacerations to the off hind cannon. First aid administered.

**LUCKY FLIPPER** (D. Caboche) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

### **RACE 3: DARLEY GOODWOOD 20TH MAY HANDICAP - 1250 metres**

The start of this event was delayed approximately three minutes.

**LET'S TANGO** (B. Griffiths) – contacted on jumping away. Inclined to lay out under pressure in the straight.

**COOL MAVERICK** (D. Caboche) – rolled in slightly approaching the 200 metres at the same time as ENZO THE BARBER rolled out, resulting in the hindquarters of COOL MAVERICK being turned and this gelding shifting in bumping with ENZO THE BARBER on a number of occasions.

**ENZO THE BARBER** (M. Neilson) – attempted a tight run in the vicinity of the 200 metres and in doing so shifted out slightly contacting the hindquarters of COOL MAVERICK, which rolled in slightly, turning that gelding in. As a result, ENZO THE BARBER bumped with COOL MAVERICK on a number of occasions.

**WITH GRAVY** (J. Holder) – hampered in the vicinity of the 200 metres by ENZO THE BARBER, which had bumped with COOL MAVERICK on a number of occasions and was taken in.

**HURRICANE SONNY** (C. Lindop) – jumped away awkwardly and shifted out contacting LET'S TANGO. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**MY SNIP** (J. Kah) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

**SILICONNI** (J. Potter) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**ARLEIGH** (E. Finnegan) – lost its near fore plate en route to the barrier and required farrier attention. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to start. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Inclined to lay out under pressure in the straight.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow M. Neilson (ENZO THE BARBER), placed third, to view the official vision in the straight. After doing so M. Neilson lodged an objection against COOL MAVERICK (D. Caboche) being declared the second placegetter alleging interference from the vicinity of the 200 metres until the vicinity of the 100 metres. After considering the evidence, viewing the vision and acting on their own observations Stewards *dismissed* the objection.

### **RACE 4: MAC DRINK DRIVING? GROW UP HANDICAP - 1400 metres**

**MAHICAN** (D. Caboche) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Raced wide without cover throughout the event.

**ASK ME HOW I KNOW** (E. Finnegan) – lost its off fore plate during the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be lame in the off foreleg. In the opinion of the Veterinary Surgeon the lameness was due to the mare losing its off fore plate on pulling up.

**WISE JOURNEY** (J. Holder) – had difficulty obtaining clear ground at the entrance to the straight and when able to do so approaching the 200 metres commenced to lay in severely onto the heels of ROSELLI STING, resulting in J. Holder not being able to ride his mount out in his normal manner. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

### **RACE 5: ACCESS HARDWARE PTY LTD HANDICAP - 1950 metres**

The start of this event was delayed approximately three minutes.

**FLOW METER** (S. Fawke) – shifted in, in the vicinity of the 1400 metres onto THESPINIS. Rider reminded of his obligations when shifting ground.

**WEXFORD TOWN (IRE)** (S. Cahill) – Trainer, Mr M. Hickmott, advised Stewards that he would instruct S. Cahill to attempt to settle more forward in today's event than the gelding had at its most recent start.

**SPANISH HALO (NZ)** (J. Holder) – Jumped away awkwardly and was slow into stride. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

### **RACE 5: ACCESS HARDWARE PTY LTD HANDICAP - 1950 metres (cont'd)**

**SPIRIT OF ENDEAVOUR (USA)** (T. Pannell) – difficult to load and then became fractious in its barrier after being loaded. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and passed fit to start. Trainer, Mr R. Balfour, was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its barrier manners.

### **RACE 6: HENRY BROWN'S 96TH BIRTHDAY HANDICAP – 1000 metres**

The start of this event was delayed approximately four minutes.

**ONE MORE DAISY** (R. Clark) – raced keenly throughout the event. At the entrance to the straight shifted out abruptly across the heels of OAMARU OWL bumping RED FIRE LADY, resulting in the mare shifting back in and becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of OAMARU OWL for a short distance. Had to be steadied and lost its position in the vicinity of the 300 metres when tightened by OAMARU OWL. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**OAMARU OWL** (D. Caboche) – shifted out to avoid the heels of ALASKAN JADE near the 300 metres. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**RED FIRE LADY** (S. Fawke) – contacted at the entrance to the straight by ONE MORE DAISY.

**ALASKAN JADE** (J. Toeroek) – contacted in the vicinity of the 300 metres and taken out into the running line of OAMARU OWL.

**GEORDIE'S SECOND** (K. Bishop) – inconvenienced approaching the 100 metres when contacted by ROCK STATUS.

**ROCK STATUS** (M. Neilson) – shifted out approaching the 100 metres to improve contacting GEORDIE'S SECOND. Rider reported that the gelding was inclined to lay out under pressure in the straight.

**ARIZONA WILDCAT** (Z. Spain) – shifted out to improve in the vicinity of the 300 metres contacting ALASKAN JADE, which was taken out into the running line of OAMARU OWL, which was taken off its line onto ONE MORE DAISY, which was forced to be steadied and lose its position. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge of careless riding under AR137(a) and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence at midnight Saturday, 8 April and to conclude midnight Sunday, 16 April, a period of 4 meetings.

**CHEEKY CHINCHILLA** (D. Tourneur) – kicked by another runner on arrival at the barriers. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and ruled unfit to start. Late scratching at 3.51 pm by order of Stewards acting on Veterinary advice.

### **RACE 7: SCHWEPPE'S OAKS 6TH MAY HANDICAP - 1300 metres**

**ANOTHER COLDIE** (J. Allen) – lost its off fore plate during the running of the event.

**SO YOU TOO** (C. Lindop) – taken out on jumping away bumping BILLET DOUX. Raced fiercely in the early and middle stages of the event.

**GAME OF WAR** (M. Neilson) – unable to obtain clear ground from the vicinity of the 500 metres until approaching the 100 metres.

**TWO ODD SOX** (J. Holder) – jumped away awkwardly and shifted out onto FEDEROSA (NZ). Awkwardly placed on the heels of SO YOU TOO from the vicinity of the 900 metres until the vicinity of the 500 metres.

**FEDEROSA (NZ)** (J. Toeroek) – taken out onto jumping away onto SO YOU TOO.

**RACE 7: SCHWEPPE OAKS 6TH MAY HANDICAP - 1300 metres (cont'd)**

**SMART MANOEUVRE** (E. Finnegan) – Stewards question E. Finnegan in relation to her riding of the filly over the concluding stages. After doing so E. Finnegan pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137(b) in that she failed to ride her mount to the end of the race and was fined \$300. Stewards were of the opinion that her riding over the concluding stages of the event may have impacted on fifth placing. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) in that she used her whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

**RACE 8: HAPPY 50TH ANNIVERSARY PAM & LEON HANDICAP - 1400 metres**

**EVANGELIST (GB)** (E. Finnegan) – slow to begin. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

**HERE TO THERE (NZ)** (J. Kah) – held up from the vicinity of the 400 metres until the vicinity of the 200 metres.

**TYCOON QUEEN** (R. Clark) – jumped away awkwardly. Had difficulty obtaining clear ground in the straight.

**BRINKLEY BLISS** (P. Gatt) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be lame in the off foreleg. Trainer, Mr. D. Aldridge, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to accepting for a future trial or race.

**RACE 9: MANIHI CLASSIC - 1100 metres**  
**(Run on the Main track)**

**CASINO WIZARD** (J. Holder) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**SOOBOOG** (J. Allen) – shifted out on jumping away contacting SILENT WHISPER. Raced in restricted room for a number of strides inside the 800 metres.

**HUSSON EAGLE** (M. Payne) – raced wide without cover throughout the event.

**KARACATIS** (J. Toeroek) – shifted in and away from KARLOVASI approaching the finish onto FINE MIST.

**FINE MIST** (D. Tourneur) – had to be steadied approaching the finish when tightened between KARACATIS and I AM GYPSY.

**I AM GYPSY** (T. Pannell) – rolled out slightly approaching the finish onto FINE MIST.

**SCRATCHY LASS** (S. Fawke) – taken in, in the vicinity of the 300 metres bumping PRETTY POSSUM. Stewards questioned S. Fawke in relation to him failing to weigh in for this event as required under AR144. After considering his explanation S. Fawke pleaded guilty to a charge under AR144 that as the rider of SCRATCHY LASS he failed to weigh in and was fined \$200. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be suffering from a near fore shoulder cramp. Trainer, Mr J. Hickmott, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

**PRETTY POSSUM** (C. Lindop) – contacted in the vicinity of the 300 metres.

**SILENT WHISPER** (J. Maund) – contacted on jumping away.

**COCOA DOLL** (E. Finnegan) – stood flat footed and was slow to begin. Rider reported that she was concerned with the mare's action in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

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**GENERAL:**

After the running of Race 3 A. Jordsjo was examined by the First Care Medical personnel and ruled unfit to fulfil her remaining engagements. A. Jordsjo was advised she would require a medical prior to riding track work, in trials or races.

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**PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (20):**

Blood samples were taken from the following horses:

Race 2 – ELZETTE, MODEL DRAGON.

Race 3 – ENZO THE BARBER, WITH GRAVY, MY SNIP, SACRED SEAL.

Race 4 – MAHICAN, HARD AT IT.

Race 5 – FLOW METER, SASSY JO.

Race 7 – ANOTHER COLDIE, SMART MANOEUVRE.

Race 8 – ROYAL RUMBLE, THE NEW BOY.

Race 9 – CASINO WIZARD, SOOBOOG, CAVALOCE, KARACATIS, FINE MIST, VIDDORA.

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**ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (9)**

Race 1 – MALZOOM (winner)

Race 2 – MODEL DRAGON (winner)

Race 3 – ARLEIGH (winner)

Race 4 – LORD TOPPER (winner)

Race 5 – TIME TO TEST (winner)

Race 6 – ROCK STATUS (winner)

Race 7 – ANOTHER COLDIE (winner)

Race 8 – HERE TO THERE (NZ) (winner)

Race 9 – KARLOVASI (winner)

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<b>SUMMARY</b>	
<b>FINES</b>	Race 4 – Mr R. Balfour – Fined \$100 – LR18.1 – Late notification of rider for MARCO POLO. Race 7 – E. Finnegan (SMART MANOEUVRE) – Fined \$300 – AR137(b) – Failed to ride her mount out to the finish of the event. Race 9 – S. Fawke (SCRATCHY LASS) – Fined \$200 – AR144 – Failed to weigh in as required.
<b>SEVERE REPRIMANDS</b>	Nil
<b>REPRIMANDS</b>	Race 5 – E. Finnegan – AR120(b) – Overweight and having to be replaced on SASSY JO. Race 7 – E. Finnegan (SMART MANOEUVRE)– AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+1] – Whip offence.
<b>SUSPENSIONS</b>	Race 6 – Z. Spain (ARIZONA WILDCAT) – AR137(a) - suspended from riding in races from midnight 8/4/17 to 16/4/17 – 4 meetings.
<b>HORSE ACTIONS</b>	Race 5 – SPIRITOF ENDEAVOUR – Warned – Barrier manners. Race 8 – BRINKLEY BLISS – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lameness off foreleg. Race 9 – SCRATCHY LASS – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – left fore shoulder cramp.
<b>MEDICAL CLEARANCE</b>	A. Jordsjo
<b>ADJOURNED INQUIRIES</b>	Nil