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

## <u>Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville Parks Racecourse</u> by the South Australian Jockey Club on Saturday, 2 September 2017

<u>Stewards</u>: J. Petzer (Chairman), M. Santoro (M), A. Hayles (F) & S. Callanan (HT) (Stewards), K. Lemay-Robbins, & M. Adams (Cadet Stewards), D. Southgate, D. Jonas, N. Henry, S. Allen & K. Boddington (Deputy Stewards) Dr B. Agnew & Dr H. Lewis (Veterinary Surgeons)

# TRACK: Morphettville Parks: Soft 6 Morphettville: Soft 6

WEATHER: Overcast

RAIL: Morphettville Parks: True. Morphettville: Out 13 metres 1200 metres to 400 metres, 10 metres remainder. Sectional 615 metres.

## **RIDER CHANGES**:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
8	EWAN MINE	S. Fawke		Notified - Emergency

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## RACE 1: SPRING CARNIVAL 21 OCT - 7 NOV HANDICAP - 1250 metres

CLIFF'S EDGE (J. Allen) - shifted out on jumping away and contacted ECLAIR SUNSHINE.

**SEBFIRE** (P. Gatt) – raced keenly in the middle stages of the event.

**ECLAIR SUNSHINE** (M. Neilson) - jumped away awkwardly and shortly thereafter was inconvenienced by CLIFF'S EDGE, which shifted out on jumping away. Laid in under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**SHARING SECRETS** (C. Lindop) - jumped away awkwardly. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

# RACE 2: IRISH STEEPLE (AUST V IRE) – 3500 metres (RUN ON THE MAIN TRACK)

**MANNERTONE** (D. Horner (Jnr)) – eased out of the event in the vicinity of the 600 metres and did not jump the final two steeples.

**STREET OUTLAW** (B. Small) – eased out of the event in the vicinity of the 600 metres and did not jump the final two steeples.

All runners in this event were examined by the Clubs Veterinary Surgeon post-race, who revealed no visible abnormalities.

## RACE 3: SYD MCDONALD SENIOR MEMORIAL HANDICAP - 1950 metres

**EMMOOKI'S DASH** (J. Potter) – hung out in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

JET EXPRESS (J. Bowditch) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

VINTAGE GROVE (P. Gatt) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

## RACE 4: IRISH HURDLE (AUS VS IRE) - 3200 metres (RUN ON THE MAIN TRACK)

**TRANSFIXED** (R. Blackmore) – rider reported the gelding felt lame on pulling up. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**WHO SAYS I'M READY (NZ)** (R. Cully) – shifted in slightly near the 600 metres. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding was lame in the near foreleg. Trainer advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the horse for a future trial or race.

**TANGARA** (B. Small) – near the 600 metres became award on the heels of SPACE INVADER, which after being restrained dropped back in the field slightly.

**SPACE INVADER** (D. Horner (Jnr)) – in the vicinity of the 600 metres raced in restricted room between WHO SAYS I'M READY (NZ) and CELTIC PRINCE (NZ), which both shifted ground slightly and had to be restrained.

**CELTIC PRINCE (NZ)** (A. Roustoby) – contacted hurdle number ten, stumbled on landing dislodging its rider. Rider examined by the First Care Medical Personnel and cleared of injury. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding was lame in the near foreleg. Trainer advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the horse for a future trial or race.

All other runners in this event were examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon and revealed no visible abnormalities.

## RACE 5: JAMES BOAG'S PREMIUM HANDICAP - 1000 metres

**STORMCRAFT** (J. Allen) – reared and was very awkward to begin, losing two to three lengths at the start.

**EVIL DREAMS** (V. Wong) – laid out for a short distance inside the 600 metres.

ASCENDANCE (J. Holder) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**ENZO THE BARBER** (J. Bowditch) – performed below expectations. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

## RACE 6: SCHWEPPES HANDICAP – 1250 metres

**CAPTAIN DUFFY** (E. Finnegan) – raced wide without cover throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**HOLY JUAN** (P. Gatt) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and passed fit to race. Rider reported the gelding made a respiratory noise on pulling up. A post-race veterinary examination revealed abnormal upper respiratory noise. Trainer advised the results of a laryngoscopic examination and a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the gelding for a future trial or race.

PEPPER THE PIN (R. Clark) – lost its off hind pate during the event.

WEATHER CHANNEL (J. Kah) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

## RACE 7: UBET PENNY EDITION STAKES – 1400 metres

**GAILO CHOP (FR)** (J. Allen) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and passed fit to race. Held up for clear running from rounding the home turn until inside the 300 metres.

**CASINO WIZARD** (J. Holder) – awkward and slow to begin. Rider reported the gelding failed to finish the race off in the manner he expected and was disappointing. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

## RACE 7: UBET PENNY EDITION STAKES – 1400 metres (Cont'd)

**LORD ASPEN** (M. Neilson) – rider reported the gelding hung out throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MAIL IT IN (C. Lindop) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**HERMOSA BEACH** (E. Finnegan) – rider explained she had no specific instructions but having regard for the pace in the event, she anticipated to settle behind SERENELY DISCREET in the run which may have afforded her a position mid-field. She stated however, having regard for the manner in which HERMOSA BEACH began and the formation of the field to her inside and the apparent lack of early pace, she elected to push forward rather than being trapped deep and consequently settled more forward than intended.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow J. Holder (CASINO WIZARD) to view the vision of the start.

## RACE 8: THE MALCOLM MORRIS HANDICAP - 1400 metres

NOT SO LADY LIKE (NZ) (V. Wong) – over-raced in the early stages of the event.

**GAME OF WAR** (J. Bowditch) – slow and awkward to begin. Shifted in shortly after the start and clipped the heels of SUPREME POLARITY and stumbled.

**ILGATTINO** (P. Gatt) - over-raced in the early stages of the event.

**YOUBETCHA** (C. Lindop) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding was lame in the near hind leg. Trainer advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the horse for a future trial or race.

**MISS IDENTIFIED** (T. Pannell) – rider reported the mare did not travel at any stage during the event and when asked for an effort was disappointing. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**EWAN MINE** (S. Fawke) – Stewards granted permission for S. Fawke to only claim 1kg of his allowance. S. Fawke was reprimanded for being overweight under AR120(b). Over-raced in the early stages of the event.

## PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (20):

Blood samples were taken from the following horses for, but not limited to, TCO<sub>2</sub> purposes:

- Race 2 ABEBE (NZ), KEMTAIN, OURS (NZ)
- Race 4 TRANSFIXED, WHO SAYS I'M READY (NZ), DANE HUSSLER, ALLEZ TARA
- Race 6 VERSTAPPEN, STEEL FROST, WEATHER CHANNEL, MISS JANE
- Race 7 GAILO CHOP (FR), HE OR SHE, MIO DIO, CASINO WIZARD, LORD ASPEN, RIZIZ, SERENELY DISCREET
- Race 8 VIEIRA, JAMAICAN RAIN

## POST RACE BLOOD SAMPLE (1)

Race 3 – HAVE PLENTY (winner)

## ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (11)

Race 1 – CLIFF'S EDGE (winner) Race 2 – PENTOMATIC (NZ) (winner) Race 2 – OURS (NZ) (2<sup>nd</sup>) Race 3 – HAVE PLENTY (winner) Race 4 – DANE HUSSLER (winner) Race 4 – ALLEZ TARA (2<sup>nd</sup>) Race 5 – CERTAIN ELLIE (winner) Race 6 – STEEL FROST (winner) Race 7 – GAILO CHOP (FR) (winner) Race 7 – LORD ASPEN (2<sup>nd</sup>) Race 8 – JAMAICAN RAIN (winner)

SUMMARY		
FINES	Nil	
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil	
REPRIMANDS	Race 8 – S. Fawke (EWAN MINE) – AR120(b) – Overweight.	
SUSPENSIONS	Nil	
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 4 – WHO SAYS I'M READY (NZ) – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future trial or race – Lame near foreleg. Race 4 – CELTIC PRINCE (NZ) – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future trial or race – Lame near foreleg. Race 6 – HOLY JUAN – Not to race - Results of a laryngoscopic examination and a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness required prior to presenting the gelding for a future trial or race - Abnormal upper respiratory noise. Race 8 – YOUBETCHA - Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future trial or race - Lame near hind leg.	
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil	
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil	