

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at the Port Lincoln Racecourse
by the Port Lincoln Racing Club on Wednesday, 8 November 2017

Stewards: J. Adams (A/Chairman) (Steward), M. Williams (HT), & T. Vanderstok (Cadet Stewards) J. Perry (M). P. Dearman (F), R. Evans & T. Kenny (Deputy Stewards), Dr. R. Haensel (Veterinary Surgeon)

TRACK: Good 3

WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: True.

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
7	ROD'S OPINION	P. Gatt	E. Boyd	Overweight.

RACE 1: AVIS PORT LINCOLN / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 metres

ECHO WARRIOR (D. Caboche) – in the vicinity of the 200 metres had to be checked to avoid the heels of I AM DEXTER, which shifted in when insufficiently clear. Laid in when placed under pressure over the concluding stages. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a minor laceration to the near hind cannon.

EQUIDANT (J. Holder) – underwent a pre-race veterinary examination after making contact with the running rail en route to the barrier and was passed fit to start. Hampered on jumping away.

HARDAZ (A. Jordsjo) – in the vicinity of the 200 metres had to be steadied to avoid the heels of ECHO WARRIOR, which was taken in by I AM DEXTER, which shifted in when insufficiently clear.

PENGE (A. Doyle) – tightened for room shortly after jumping away. Over-raced in the early stages of the event. In the vicinity of the 600 metres improved onto the heels of HARDAZ.

I AM DEXTER (R. Hurdle) – raced greenly throughout the event and in the vicinity of the 200 metres shifted in when insufficiently clear of ECHO WARRIOR, which was taken in onto HARDAZ. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge of careless riding under AR137(a) for shifting ground when insufficiently clear and was suspended for a period to commence midnight Wednesday, 15 November 2017 and to conclude midnight Sunday, 19 November 2017, a period of three meetings. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

KOODA STAR (V. Wong) – in the vicinity of the 700 metres improved onto the heels of TORNADO BLUE. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

TORNADO BLUE (J. Potter) – jumped away awkwardly and shifted out making contact with EQUIDANT, which was taken out onto GRENEBAY.

GREENSBAY (C. Davies) – hampered on jumping away.

RACE 2: LINCOLN SAND SUPPLIES - NT & DA DICKSON / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1390 metres

DANOXIE (R. Hurdle) – held up for clear running from the vicinity of the 300 metres until the 200 metres. In the vicinity of the 200 metres was momentarily hampered when GRACEFUL WOLF shifted out when insufficiently clear.

GRACEFUL WOLF (S. Fawke) – slow to begin. Laid out when placed under pressure in the straight and in the vicinity of the 200 metres shifted out when insufficiently clear of DANOXIE. Rider severely reprimanded.

HERO'S HONOR (A. Jordsjo) – over-raced in the early and middle stages. Raced wide without cover throughout the event.

RACE 2: LINCOLN SAND SUPPLIES - NT & DA DICKSON / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1390 metres
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FLAME TREES (E. Boyd) – trainer, Mr J. Hyam, was fined \$100 under AR59A for failing to produce the Thoroughbred Identification Card. The horse was permitted to start as it was able to be identified by records held by the Stewards. Slow to begin. Rider reported that her mount dipped on a number of occasions throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the left hind leg. Trainer, Mr J. Hyam, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

TENOSSUH (J. Maund) – rider reported that his mount dipped on a number of occasions throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MISS MOSSY MCLAREN (R. Clark) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(4)(b) in that she used her whip in an action that raised her arm above shoulder height and was reprimanded.

TAMARA MARIE (J. Potter) – over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

SHE'S RENELDASGIRL (D. Caboche) – fractious en route to the barriers. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination which revealed no visible abnormalities and was passed fit to start. Dylan Caboche pleaded guilty to a charge under AR175(q) (misconduct) in that prior to Race 2 during the loading process while dismounted, he struck his mount in the vicinity of the girth region with his right hand whilst holding his whip and was suspended for a period to commence midnight Friday, 17 November 2017 and to conclude midnight Friday, 1 December 2017, a period of two weeks. In determining penalty stewards took into account various factors pertaining to sentencing, including Dylan Caboche's unblemished record, his early guilty plea and his remorsefulness for his actions. Dylan Caboche was also referred to a sports Psychologist for counselling.

RACE 3: LINCOLN ESTATE WINES BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1000 metres

ASHERO (R. Hurdle) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

APOLLO HOPE (D. Caboche) – hampered shortly after jumping away.

OBLIQUE LINE (K. Bishop) – jumped away awkwardly.

MAPPINGA QUEEN (V. Wong) – hampered shortly after jumping away.

RACE 4: BETTA HOME LIVING PORT LINCOLN CLASS ONE HANDICAP - 1210 metres

HOW JAMMY'S THAT (J. Maund) – bumped on jumping away and raced in restricted room in the early stages of the event.

GOLDPHON (S. Fawke) – over-raced in the early stages of the event.

LIVERPOOL STRIKER (R. Hurdle) – rider dislodged en route to the barriers, examined by the First Care Medical personnel and passed fit to fulfil his remaining engagements. LIVERPOOL STRIKER underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to start.

ARTFUL IGGY (R. Clark) – rider dislodged en route to the barriers, examined by the First Care Medical personnel and passed fit to fulfil his remaining engagements. ARTFUL IGGY underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to start.

DOWN THE AISLE (E. Boyd) – late scratching on veterinary advice at 1.55 pm after being found to be lame in the right foreleg. Trainer, Mr L. Murray, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

RACE 5: JP CABINETS BENCHMARK 80 HANDICAP – 1210 metres

DEBEERSONUS (J. Holder) – laid in severely when placed under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 5: JP CABINETS BENCHMARK 80 HANDICAP – 1210 metres (cont'd)

KILLAWARRA (P. Gatt) – rider reported that his mount felt awkward in its action on pulling up. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the right foreleg and a higher than expected heart rate. First aid administered. Trainer, Mr D. Carrison, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

NEAT FEAT (J. Potter) – when questioned regarding the performance of NEAT FEAT rider reported that his mount began to weaken in the vicinity of the 500 metres and he was disappointed in its performance over the concluding stages. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a small skin laceration to the right fore cannon

TOLSTOY (A. Doyle) – began awkwardly and was slow into stride. When questioned regarding the performance of the gelding rider stated that after beginning awkwardly he lost the use of his inside stirrup iron which placed him at a disadvantage in the early stages of the event. He was able to regain his iron shortly thereafter but the gelding failed to muster any early speed. He added that he was mindful that he did not want to place his mount under early pressure, but approaching the 600 metres TOLSTOY began to respond to his riding and he was pleased with its finishing efforts. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

COSMIC KHELEYF (S. Fawke) – laid out when placed under pressure in the straight.

RACE 6: BUTTERFIELD FARM DIRECT HORSE FEEDS BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1210 metres

KOODA DUCHESS (K. Bishop) – in the vicinity of the 200 metres became severely hampered and had its hindquarters turned when GET PRONTO shifted in when insufficiently clear taking ALL KRUPT in onto BEARDED DRAGON, which was taken in onto KOODA DUCHESS.

GET PRONTO (V. Wong) – laid in, in the straight. Rider found guilty to a charge of careless riding under AR137(a) in that in the vicinity of the 200 metres he shifted in when insufficiently clear of ALL KRUPT, which was taken in onto BEARDED DRAGON, which was taken in onto KOODA DUCHESS, resulting in that horse having its hindquarters turned and being severely hampered, and was suspended for a period to commence midnight Saturday, 11 November 2017 and to conclude midnight Saturday, 18 November 2017, a period of three race meetings. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

GOLD BUSKER (R. Clark) – fractious in the barriers. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and ruled unfit to start. Acting on this advice Stewards withdrew GOLD at 3.10 pm. Trainer, Ms J. Branford, was advised that the gelding was required to compete in an Official Barrier Trial to the satisfaction of the Stewards prior to accepting for a future race. Rider was examined by the First Care Medical personnel and passed fit to fulfil her remaining engagements.

ALL KRUPT (R. Hurdle) – in the vicinity of the 200 metres was hampered by GET PRONTO, which shifted in when insufficiently clear, and taken in onto BEARDED DRAGON, which was taken in onto KOODA DUCHESS.

BEARDED DRAGON (K. Stra) – in the vicinity of the 200 metres was hampered and taken in onto KOODA DUCHESS by ALL KRUPT, which was taken in by GET PRONTO.

THE HARD WAY (C. Davies) – slow to begin. Trainer, Mr T. Jolly, was advised that a warning had been placed on the mare in relation to its pre-race manners.

RACE 7: JONES ELECTRICAL BENCHMARK 72 HANDICAP - 1750 metres

HARD AT IT (D. Caboche) – in the vicinity of the 400 metres was hampered and taken out onto ROD'S OPINION when COPPER COAST RAIDA shifted out when insufficiently clear.

COPPER COAST RAIDA (J. Potter) – in the vicinity of the 400 metres shifted out when insufficiently clear of HARD AT IT, which was taken out onto ROD'S OPINION. Rider severely reprimanded under AR137(a) for careless riding.

BETTERTHANYOUTHINK (A. Jordsjo) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137(a) for carelessness in dropping her whip and was fined \$50.

RACE 7: JONES ELECTRICAL BENCHMARK 72 HANDICAP - 1750 metres (cont'd)

ROD'S OPINION (E. Boyd) – over-raced in the early stages of the event. In the vicinity of the 400 metres had to be restrained to avoid the heels of **HARD AT IT**, which was taken out by **COPPER COAST RAIDA**, which shifted out when insufficiently clear.

RACE 8: BRIAN HARVEY AGENCIES BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1210 metres

FUGITIVE (K. Stra) – slow to begin.

SLIDE OF HAND (D. Caboche) – over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

HEZA GUNN (J. Potter) – when questioned regarding the tactics adopted on the gelding rider explained that he was instructed to ride the gelding where comfortable. With the recent addition of blinkers **HEZA GUNN** began well and in the early stages rather than restraining his mount he allowed the gelding to stride forward. He added that he was pleased in the effort of the gelding and suggested to connections that **HEZA GUNN** should be ridden in a more positive manner in future starts.

GENERAL:

In accordance with Rule AR140, Trainer Mr. G. Lesnikowski has notified Thoroughbred Racing SA Stewards that **DELANI** pulled up shin sore following the filly's race start at Morphettville Parks on Tuesday, 4 November 2017. The filly will now be spelled.

RIDER TESTING

All fifteen (15) riders were breathalysed prior to taking their first ride of the day. All returned negative.

Eleven (11) riders provided urine samples – Jason Holder, Justin Potter, Chris Davies, Ashley Doyle, Ryan Hurdle, Jeffrey Maund, Raquel Clark, Victory Wong, Krystal Bishop, Dylan Caboche and Paul Gatt.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (8):

- Race 1 – **HELMARA** (winner)
- Race 2 – **VINO RISPETTO** (winner)
- Race 3 – **SANDHILL JETT** (winner)
- Race 4 – **HUSSARAMA** (winner)
- Race 5 – **COSMIC KHELEYF** (winner)
- Race 6 – **ARTFUL RAMBLER** (winner)
- Race 7 – **COPPER COAST RAIDA** (winner)
- Race 8 – **SLIDE OF HAND** (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 2 – Mr J. Hyam – Fined \$100 – AR59A – Failure to produce the TIC for FLAME TREES . Race 7 – A. Jordsjo (BETTERHANYOUTHINK) – Fined \$50 – AR137(a) – Carelessness in dropping her whip.
SUMMARY (cont'd)	

SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 2 – S. Fawke (GRACEFUL WOLF) – AR137(a) – Careless riding. Race 7 – J. Potter (COPPER COAST RAID) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.
REPRIMANDS	Race 2 – R. Clark (MISS MOSSY MCLAREN) – AR137A(4)(b) – Used whip with an action that raised her arm above shoulder height. Race 7 – P. Gatt – AR120(b) – Overweight and having to be replaced on ROD'S OPINION.
SUSPENSIONS	Race 1 – R. Hurdle (I AM DEXTER) – AR137(a) – Careless riding – From midnight 15/11/17 to midnight 19/11/17 – 3 meetings. Race 2 – D. Caboche (SHE'S RENALDASGIRL) – AR175(q) – Misconduct – From midnight 17/11/17 to midnight 1/12/17 – 2 weeks. Race 6 – V. Wong (GET PRONTO) – AR137(a) – Careless riding – From midnight 11/11/17 to midnight 18/11/17 – 3 meetings.
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 2 – FLAME TREES – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lameness left hind. Race 4 – DOWN THE AISLE – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lameness right foreleg. Race 5 – KILLAWARRA – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lameness right foreleg. Race 6 – GOLD BUSKER – Suspended – Must complete an Official Barrier Trial to the Stewards' satisfaction prior to a future race – Fractious in the barriers. Race 6 – THE HARD WAY – Warning – Pre-race manners.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil