

THOROUGHbred RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Strathalbyn Racecourse
by the Strathalbyn Racing Club on Sunday, 4 February 2018

Stewards: A. Hayles (A/Chairman), J. Petzer (HT) & C. Deakin (F) (Stewards), M. Williams (M), T. Vanderstok & M. Adams (Cadet Stewards), Dr. P. Horridge (Veterinary Surgeon)

TRACK: Good 4

WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: Normal

RIDER CHANGES:

| Race | Horse | Rider | Replaced By | Reason |
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| 1 | CASIRAGHI | J. Bowditch | T. Pannell | Dual engagement |
| 3 | PERUVIAN EXPRESS | S. Cahill | C. Lindop | Overweight |

RACE 1 : UBET / SABOIS PLUS MAIDEN/CLASS 1 PLATE - 2050 metres

CASIRAGHI (T. Pannell) - performed below expectations. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PLAYFELLOW (J. Bowditch) – laid in under pressure in the straight. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) for using his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

WILKIN (E. Finnegan) – raced ungenerously in the early and middle stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

BARSHONTI (J. Kah) – laid in under pressure in the straight.

RACE 2: TERMINUS HOTEL / SABOIS FILLIES & MARES MAIDEN PLATE – 1100 metres

BANCHORY'S CHOICE (J. Potter) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(4)(b) in that he used his whip in an action that raised his arm above shoulder height and was fined \$400.

GOOD NIC (P. Gatt) – Trainer Mr J. MacMillan reported on return to stables the filly was found to be shin sore and would now be spelled.

TILBURY (E. Finnegan) – slow into stride.

RACE 3: HIGH STREET TRADING CO / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 metres

LOVE CLUB (R. Hurdle) – laid out under pressure in the straight.

MEGA FAITH (J. Maund) – rider explained he was happy where the gelding had settled in the event but racing from the vicinity of the 600 metres, the gelding began to tire and rider became concerned with the gelding's action. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PERUVIAN EXPRESS (C. Lindop) – stood flat-footed and was slow to begin. Tailed the field throughout. Trainer advised the gelding was issued a warning. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

TOORAK ROAD (S. Fawke) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

RACE 3: HIGH STREET TRADING CO / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 metres (Cont'd)

DELLA STREET (K. Bishop) – in the vicinity of the 1000 metres raced ungenerously for a short distance when shifting in and away from TOORAK ROAD, which was shifting in marginally and shortly thereafter continued to race ungenerously for a short distance

JOMMADOSH (J. Potter) - slow to begin. performed below expectations. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 4: TRITON CLASS TWO HANDICAP - 1600 metres

DAKTARI (S. Fawke) – approaching the home turn was momentarily held up for clear running when racing onto the heels of BIT OF A FLIRT and to the inside of BORRIS IN OSSORY.

GARGAMEL (J. Bowditch) - performed below expectations. 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.

BORRIS IN OSSORY (P. Gatt) – raced keenly in the early stages of the event.

FANDANGO (E. Boyd) – rider reported the gelding hung out from the vicinity of the 700 metres and for the remainder of the event.

RACE 5: WILLIAM BUCK BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1200 metres

PRINCESS LEAH (J. Huxtable) – from the vicinity of the 400 metres was inconvenienced when racing on the heels of MOODY MISS, which shifted out marginally to improve and to the inside of SHARK MIRAGE, which was keeping a tight line to the outside of the mare. Shortly after had to momentarily be steadied and lost its position when unable to obtain clear running.

WALKABOUTCREEK (J. Potter) - Trainer Mr S. Oxlade was reprimanded under AR59A for failing to produce the Thoroughbred Identification Card. The horse was permitted to start as it was able to be identified from records held by Stewards.

On pulling up after the race A. Lindsay was dislodged from WICKED AFFAIR, which galloped for a short distance before being captured. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. A. Lindsay was examined by the First Care Medical Personnel and ruled fit to fulfil her remaining engagements.

RACE 6: COLOSSAL CARPET CLEANING BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1350 metres

SIR CHARLESTON (NZ) (J. Bowditch) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

LANDOWNER (T. Pannell) – approaching the 100 metres was momentarily inconvenienced when unable to obtain clear running for a short distance. Performed below expectations. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SWIPE ME RIGHT (J. Holder) – laid in under pressure in the straight.

NASEEB (V. Wong) - slow to begin.

RACE 7: MCILROY AUTO GROUP STRATHALBYN CUP - 2050 metres

EMMOOKI'S DASH (J. Toeroek) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) for using his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

SPY DECODER (NZ) (V. Wong) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) for using his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was fined \$300.

IGITUR (P. Gatt) - performed below expectations. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 7: MCILROY AUTO GROUP STRATHALBYN CUP - 2050 metres (Cont'd)

FANTASTIC MAGIC (D. Tourneur) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(4)(b) in that he used his whip in an action that raised his arm above shoulder height and was fined \$500.

MORE THAN FABULOUS (J. Kah) - performed below expectations. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in both forelegs. Trainer advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the horse for a future trial or race. First aid administered.

DEVARICH (C. Lindop) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

RACE 8: MITSUBISHI BENCHMARK 75 HANDICAP - 1350 metres

ROSELLI STING (S. Cahill) – laid in under pressure from the home turn and for the remainder of the straight. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) for using his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

NEVER WITHOUT YOU (J. Kah) – rider explained she was concerned with the gelding’s action throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding was lame in the off foreleg. Trainer advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the horse for a future trial or race.

STRYKER FORTUNE (S. Fawke) – raced ungenerously in the early and middle stages of the event. Rider explained the gelding was inclined to lay out throughout the event and was disappointed in the performance of STRYKER FORTUNE today. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (8):

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

Race 7 - EXALTED LIGHTNING, EMMOOKI'S DASH, WE'RE SO LUCKY, SPY DECODER, IGITUR, FANTASTIC MAGIC, MORE THAN FABULOUS, DEVARICH

POST-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (1):

Race 7 – FANTASTIC MAGIC(winner)

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (8):

Race 1 – VONRASANA (winner)

Race 2 – VOD (winner)

Race 3 – LOVE CLUB (winner)

Race 4 – HASTA LA RED (NZ) (winner)

Race 5 – SHARK MIRAGE (winner)

Race 6 – TRIPLE SPEC (winner)

Race 7 – FANTASTIC MAGIC(winner)

Race 8 – ROSELLI STING (winner)

| SUMMARY | |
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| FINES | Race 2 – J. Potter (BANCHORY'S CHOICE) – Fined \$400 - AR137A(4)(b) [+8] – Whip Offence. Race 3 – S. Cahill – Fined \$100 – AR120(b) – Overweight and having to be replaced on PERUVIAN EXPRESS. Race 7 – V. Wong – (SPY DECODER (NZ)) – Fined \$300 - AR137A(5)(a)(ii) [+5] – Whip offence. Race 7 - D. Tourneur (FANTASTIC MAGIC) - Fined \$500 - AR137A(4)(b) [+11] – Whip Offence. |
| SEVERE REPRIMANDS | Nil |

| SUMMARY (Cont'd) | |
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| REPRIMANDS | <p>Race 1 – J. Bowditch (CASIRAGHI) – LR18.1.5 – Doubly engaged</p> <p>Race 1 – J. Bowditch (PLAYFELLOW) - AR137A(5)(a)(ii) [+2] – Whip offence.</p> <p>Race 5 – Mr S. Oxlade - AR59A – Failed to produce TIC for WALKABOUTCREEK.</p> <p>Race 7 – J. Toeroek (EMMOOKI'S DASH) - AR137A(5)(a)(ii) [+2] – Whip offence.</p> <p>Race 8 – S. Cahill (ROSELLI STING) - AR137A(5)(a)(ii) [+2] – Whip offence.</p> |
| SUSPENSIONS | Nil |
| HORSE ACTIONS | <p>Race 3 – PERUVIAN EXPRESS – Warned – Uncompetitive.</p> <p>Race 4 –GARGAMEL - Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future trial or race – Lamé near hind leg.</p> <p>Race 7 – MORE THAN FABULOUS – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future trial or race – Shortened stride in both forelegs.</p> <p>Race 8 – NEVER WITHOUT YOU - Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future trial or race – Lamé off foreleg.</p> |
| ADJOURNED ENQUIRIES | Nil |
| MEDICAL CLEARANCE | Nil |