Thoroughbred Racing S.A. Limited STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Clare Racecourse by the Clare Valley Racing Club on Saturday, 31 March 2018

Stewards: J. Adams (A/Chairman), & M. Williams (MT), (Stewards), T. Vanderstok & M. Adams (HT)

(Cadet Steward) J. Perry (F), N. Henry & A. Deakin (Deputy Stewards), Dr. D. Anderson

(Veterinary Surgeon)

TRACK: Good 3 WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: True

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
2	RALPH	S. Price	J. Maund	Indisposed.
3	SWEET KAISER	"	E. Boyd	u
5	WINGLEOW	"	D. Tootell	u
6	COMMANDING DIVA	"	G. Lo	u
6	MINT COLLECTOR	A. Lindsay	C. Collins	Explanation accepted.
7	NIGHT QUEEN	S. Price	G. Lo	Indisposed.

RACE 1: MAGIC FM/5CS / SABOIS FILLIES & MARES MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 metres

MISS PONDEROSA (E. Boyd) – rider reported that her mount failed to settle in the early stages and resented racing between runners. She added that from the vicinity of the 600 metres after MISS DRAGONFLY began to weaken she was able to settle the mare and she was impressed with its finishing efforts.

MISS DRAGONFLY (J. Maund) – rider reported that after placing his mount under pressure from the 600 metres it failed to respond to his riding and ran to the line in a disappointing manner. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

STAR GAIS (Jemma Frew) – failed to muster speed in the early stages of the event. Approaching the 400 metres had to be restrained after improving onto the heels of AUSTIN RAIDER and was held up for clear running until entering the straight. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) in that she used her whip on more than five occasion prior to the 100 metres and was fined \$100.

RACE 2: UBET / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 metres

INDIAN SCOUT (A. Lindsay) – rider reported that her mount began to weaken from the vicinity of the 500 metres and ran to the line in a disappointing manner. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

LUCKY AL (B. Paterson) – laid in under pressure in the straight.

SURF 'N' TURF (E. Boyd) – slow to begin. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

RACE 3: HILL LIVESTOCK BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1800 metres

SASSY JO (A. Lindsay) – blundered on jumping away. Over-raced in the early stages of the event. Laid in under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SWEET KAISER (E. Boyd) – jumped away awkwardly. Over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SEEK TO DESTROY (B. Paterson) – hung in when placed under pressure in the straight.

RACE 4: XXXX GOLD / SABOIS DISTANCE MAIDEN PLATE - 1800 metres

DEVIL'S EDGE (Jemma Frew) – shortly after jumping away shifted in at an acute angle when insufficiently clear of TILLO CENTRE. Rider was advised she must attend the Rider's Skills Panel for remedial training prior to accepting rides for a future race meeting.

MANCHURIAN (G. Lo) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event and in the vicinity of the 600 metres had to be restrained to avoid the heels of TILLO CENTRE, which was weakening.

UNFLYNNCHING (J. Maund) – over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

BLACK HAT (NZ) (B. Paterson) – began awkwardly and shifted out. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FEARLESS FIGHTER (E. Boyd) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed an elevated heart rate. Trainer advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the horse for a future trial or race.

LOSTARC (S. Price) – Stewards acceded to a request that LOSTARC be declared a late scratching at 11.57 am due to no suitable rider being available.

MAI CHAU (D. McWhinney) – in the vicinity of the 800 metres had to be restrained after improving onto the heels of DEVIL'S EDGE.

TILLO CENTRE (A. Lindsay) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. When questioned regarding her riding of TILLO CENTRE in today's event rider reported that after racing keenly in the early stages she elected to push forward in an attempt to lead. She added that her mount began to weaken from the vicinity of the 800 metres and ran to the line in a disappointing manner. Stewards advised A. Lindsay she should have made a greater effort through the middle stages of the event to attempt to settle TILLO CENTRE to give her mount a greater opportunity to finish the race off.

RACE 5: JIM BARRY WINES BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1800 metres

WINGLEOW (D. Tootell) – laid in under pressure in the straight.

KOSMOS TERCEDES (E. Boyd) – rider reported that her mount felt awkward in its action on pulling up. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

BAND PRACTICE (J. Maund) – held up for clear running from the 400 metres to the entrance to the straight.

LITTLEBITFUNNY (A. Lindsay) – began awkwardly. Over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event. Passing the winning post on the first occasion had to be restrained after improving onto the heels of KIRCHNER. Laid out under pressure in the straight.

SWEET SCHILLY (B. Paterson) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

KIRCHNER (M. Henderson) – disappointed for a run in the vicinity of the 200 metres to the inside of BAND PRACTICE and was obliged to shift out to improve.

RACE 6: AIRMASTER AUSTRALIA BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1200 metres

SNIP OF MAGIC (A. Lindsay) – over-raced in the early stages of the event. In the vicinity of the 300 metres was severely hampered after UPALINNA LAD was taken in by COMMANDING DIVA.

KING'S SPIRIT (E. Boyd) – hampered on jumping away.

VICTOR VICTOR (K. Lau) – began awkwardly and as a result was slow to begin. Raced wide without cover throughout the event.

COMMANDING DIVA (G. Lo) – in the vicinity of the 300 metres shifted in when insufficiently clear of UPALINNA LAD, which was taken in onto SNIP OF MAGIC. Rider was severely reprimanded.

RACE 6: AIRMASTER AUSTRALIA BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1200 metres (Cont'd)

FORCE OF THREE (B. Paterson) – hung out rounding the home turn. In the vicinity of the 100 metres was momentarily inconvenienced after UPALINNA LAD rolled in.

MINT COLLECTOR (C. Collins) – began awkwardly, shifted out making contact with KING'S SPIRIT.

GOLDPHON (D. Tootell) - hampered on jumping away.

UPALINNA LAD (M. Henderson) – underwent a pre-race veterinary examination as it had not raced in the past twelve months and was passed fit to start. Laid in under pressure in the straight. In the vicinity of the 100 metres rolled in tightening FORCE OF THREE.

RACE 7: TAYLORS WINES BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1100 metres

ROEBUCK (D. McWhinney) – hung out when placed under pressure in the straight.

SHES GOT THE GOODS (Jemma Frew) - raced greenly in the straight.

ADDTINA (A. Lindsay) – in the vicinity of the 1050 metres had to be restrained to avoid the heels of DOUBLE DUX, which shifted in when insufficiently clear.

DOUBLE DUX (B. Paterson) – in the vicinity of the 1050 metres shifted in when insufficiently clear of ADDTINA. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge of careless riding under AR137(a) in that he shifted ground when insufficiently clear and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence at midnight on Monday, 2 April and to conclude at midnight on Sunday, 8 April 2018: a period of three meetings. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES ():

Race 1 – MISS PONDEROSA (winner)

Race 2 – SURF 'N' TURF (winner)

Race 3 – AUTMED (winner)

Race 4 – SET TO CRUISE (winner)

Race 5 – LITTLEBITFUNNY (winner)

Race 6 - CALL ME PENNY (winner)

Race 7 – ON APPRO (winner)

SUMMARY			
FINES	Race 1 – Jemma Frew (STAR GAIS) – Fined \$100 – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+3] – Whip offence.		
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 6 – G. Lo (COMMANDING DIVA) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.		
REPRIMANDS	Nil		
SUSPENSIONS	Race 7 – B. Paterson (DOUBLE DUX) – AR137(a) – Careless riding – From midnight 2/4/18 and to conclude at midnight on 8/4/18 – 3 meetings.		
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 4 – FEARLESS FIGHTER – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitess required prior tot future trial or race – Elevated ehart rate.		
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil		
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	S. Price		