

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

Report on Race Meeting held at the Port Augusta Racecourse
by the Port Augusta Racing Club on Saturday, 19 May 2018

Stewards: C. Deakin (A/Chairman), K. Lemay-Robbins (HT) (Cadet Steward), R. Packard (F), C. Edson & B. Schmidt. (Deputy Stewards), Dr. D. Anderson (Veterinary Surgeon)

TRACK: Dirt / Good

WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: True

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
6	QUEDOUTES	G. Lo		Explanation accepted
7	TICKLE ME ERNIE	D. McWhinney		Notified

RACE 1: PORT AUGUSTA REFRIGERATION / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 metres

NIGHT OF DREAMS (D. Morgan) – inconvenienced in the vicinity of the 200 metres. Laid out approaching the finish. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ROBBO'S RESET (W. Cave) – 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 \$100.

SHE'S RENELDASGIRL (R. Hancock) - jumped away awkwardly.

WITCH KID (A. Lindsay) – approaching the 200 metres shifted out across the running of NIGHT OF DREAMS. Rider reminded of her obligations when shifting ground.

RACE 2: D & G TYRES / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1396 metres

ENEMY OF THE STATE (S. Fawke) – near the 1200 metres taken in by AUSTIN RAIDER tightening AL AQUILAH.

STRONG AS (J. Maund) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted in tightening WARRASIDE FAIRY.

AL AQUILAH (D. Morgan) – in the vicinity of the 1200 metres was obliged to be steadied when tightened for room between HOFF'S OFF and ENEMY OF THE STATE, which was taken in. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

HOFF'S OFF (Jemma Frew) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted out tightening WARRASIDE FAIRY. In the vicinity of the 300 metres raced in restricted room between ENEMY OF THE STATE and MAPLE'S IMAGE.

WARRASIDE FAIRY (W. Cave) – shortly after the start lost its position when tightened for room between STRONG AS and HOFF'S OFF.

AUSTIN RAIDER (A. Lindsay) – in the vicinity of the 1200 metre shifted in taking ENEMY OF THE STATE in. Rider severely reprimanded and to only shift ground when entitled to do so.

CARIBBEAN SILK (D. McWhinney) – slow to begin. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 3: FIRST NATIONAL REAL ESTATE BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1600 metres

MASKING (R. Hurdle) – over-raced in the early stages of the event.

RACE 3: FIRST NATIONAL REAL ESTATE BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1600 metres (Cont'd)

UNDOUBTABLE (E. Boyd) – raced keenly in the middle stages of the event. Inside the 400 metres raced in restricted room and was obliged to shift to the outside of CERUTTY to obtain clear ground.

GRANDMASTER DASH (W. Cave) – laid out in the straight.

AMINO (NZ) (A. Lindsay) – slow into stride. Laid out throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 4: ROSSIGNS & MULTI PRINT BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1200 metres

KUNGSLEDEN (K. Lau) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out. 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 reprimanded.

PRETIOSA (A. Lindsay) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SOCIAL LANE (J. Huxtable) – lost its position shortly after the start when tightened for room by KUNGSLEDEN, which shifted out.

Correct weight was delayed to allow S. Fawke (IMPULSE BUY), placed third, to view the official photo finish.

RACE 5: TERRY GARDINERS MEATS & SALTBUSH LIVESTOCK BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1100 metres

ZARACE (A. Lindsay) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR175K in that she negligent in that she weighed out with the incorrect claim, which may have led to the breach of the rules and was fined \$300.

ON APPRO (J. Huxtable) – rider reported the mare did not begin as well as expected and was off the bridle in the middle stages. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

WHITE JADE (W. Cave) – reared on jumping away.

Correct weight was delayed to allow D. Morgan (SAINT VALENTINE), placed third, to view the official photo finish.

RACE 6: PETER KITTLE FLYING DOCTOR CUP (90TH ANNIVERSARY) BENCHMARK 64 - 1867 metres

EIGELSTEIN (GB) (K. Lau) – inside the 100 metres rider obliged to take hold to avoid the heels of LITTLEBITFUNNY, which shifted out.

LITTLEBITFUNNY (A. Lindsay) – laid from the 400 metres until the entrance to the straight. Inside the 100 metres shifted out under riding when insufficiently clear of EIGELSTEIN (GB), resulting in the rider having to take hold to avoid the heels of EIGELSTEIN (GB). Rider pleaded guilty to a charge of careless riding under AR137(a) in that She shifted ground when insufficiently clear and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence at midnight on Saturday, 26 May and to conclude at midnight on Saturday, 2 June 2018: a period of three meetings. In arriving at this penalty, Stewards took into account A. Lindsay's guilty plea. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

KING CADEL (E. Boyd) - slow to begin. Over-raced in the early stages of the event.

RACE 7: PASTORAL HOTEL MOTEL BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1396 metres

IN THE FAST LANE (G. Lo) – shifted out on jumping away tightening LATIN HERO.

RACE 7: PASTORAL HOTEL MOTEL BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1396 metres (Cont'd)

FINNISS MOMENT (Jemma Frew) – in the vicinity of the 300 metres shifted out inconveniencing AY OH WHEY OH taking that runner wider on the track. Rider severely reprimanded and advised to shift ground when entitled to do so.

LATIN HERO (W. Cave) – jumped away awkwardly. Shortly after the start lost its position when tightened for room by IN THE FAST LANE, which shifted out. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

AY OH WHEY OH (E. Boyd) – in the vicinity of the 300 metres was taken wider on the track by FINNISS MOMENT, which shifted out.

SHEANNA (K. Lau) - jumped away awkwardly.

TICKLE ME ERNIE (D. McWhinney) – laid out rounding the home turn. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be 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.

PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (6):

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

Race 1 – OPTIMISTIC HEART, CELTIC BLAST

Race 2 – HOFF'S OFF, LEMON ZEST

Race 3 – O'FENNESSY, JUST PAST MIDNIGHT

POST-RACE BLOOD SAMPLE (1):

Race 1 – CELTIC BLAST (winner)

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (3):

Race 1 – CELTIC BLAST (winner)

Race 4 – KUNGSLEDEN (winner)

Race 5 – AWESOME STAR (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 1 – W. Cave (ROBBO'S BEST) – Fined \$100 - AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+4] – Whip offence. Race 5 – A. Lindsay (ZARACE) – Fined \$300 – AR175K – Negligence in weighing out.
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 2 – A. Lindsay (AUSTIN RAIDER) – AR137(a) – Careless Riding. Race 7 – Jemma Frew (FINNISS MOMENT) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.
REPRIMANDS	Race 4 – K. Lau (KUNGSLEDEN) - AR137A(4)(b)[+2] – Whip Offence.
SUSPENSIONS	Race 6 – A. Lindsay (LITTLEBITFUNNY) – AR137(a) – Careless riding – From midnight 26/5/18 – 2/6/18 – 3 meetings.
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 7 – TICKLE ME ERNIE – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future trial or race – Lameness near foreleg.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil