

Thoroughbred Racing S.A. Limited
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Hawker Racecourse
by the Hawker Racing Club on Saturday, 26 May 2018

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

TRACK: Dirt / Soft

WEATHER: Overcast

RAIL: True

RACE 1: HAWKER / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 metres

DOUG'S JOURNEY (B. Sweeney) – lost its position shortly after the start when tightened for room between THE GREYMOUTH GIRL, which shifted in, and COLD GOLD, which shifted out.

COLD GOLD (G. Lo) – jumped away awkwardly shifting out and tighteneing DOUG'S JOURNEY.

LOOK ABOUT (M. Henderson) – trainer, Mr L. Murray, was advised that a warning had been placed on the mare for being difficult to load.

THE GREYMOUTH GIRL (R. Hancock) – underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course as it had not raced in over twelve months and was passed fit to start. Jumped away awkwardly shifting in and inconvenienced DOUG'S JOURNEY.

RACE 2: K.S RASHEED MEMORIAL BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1100 metres

LADY ANDRESS (NZ) (W. Cave) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MANTILLA (A. Lindsay) – contacted at the start by WHITE JADE, which shifted out.

WHITE JADE (K. Lau) – shifted out on jumping away contacting MANTILLA. Laid in, in the straight.

LETHAL LILY (D. Morgan) – jumped away awkwardly and as a result was slow to begin.

RACE 3: ELDERS / SABOIS TWO-YEARS-OLD & OVER MAIDEN PLATE – 1400 metres

ROBBO'S RESET (R. Hancock) – laid in, in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 4: TOYOTA AUSTRALIA HAWKER CUP – 1750 metres

IT'S HUMPHREY (D. McWhinney) – unable to jump away with the field when its barrier gates were delayed in opening, placing the gelding at a disadvantage. Acting under AR134A Stewards declared IT'S HUMPHREY to be a non-runner. Stewards determined that the following deductions be made: 31c in the win and 21c in the place.

NEW EMPIRE (M. Henderson) – in the vicinity of the 400 metres shifted in inconveniencing TOMMY GUN. Rider severely reprimanded and advised in future to only shift ground when he is entitled to do so.

RACE 4: TOYOTA AUSTRALIA HAWKER CUP – 1750 metres (Cont'd)

OVERSTREET (K. Lau) – in the vicinity of the 1600 metres shifted in inconveniencing CERUTTY (NZ). Rider severely reprimanded and advised in future only to shift ground when entitled to do so. Rider was reminded of his obligations under AR175(p) and the Stewards' direction in regards to making celebratory gestures past the winning post. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(4)(b) in that he used his whip in a manner which raised his arm above shoulder height and was fined \$100.

CERUTTY (NZ) (R. Hancock) – knuckled on jumping away. Inconvenienced in the vicinity of the 1600 metres by OVERSTREET, which shifted in.

TOMMY GUN (G. Lo) – in the vicinity of the 400 metres was in inconvenienced and obliged to be steadied when NEW EMPIRE shifted in. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

UNDOUBTABLE (A. Lindsay) – laid out from the vicinity of the 1400 metres until the end of the event. Rider reported that after UNDOUBTABLE commenced to lay out in the vicinity of the 1400 metres she was of the opinion that the horse may have chocked down and for that reason she was unable to encourage her mount to maintain contact with the field. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. Trainer advised a warning had been placed on the gelding.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow D. McWhinney (IT'S HUMPHREY) to make a submission to Stewards that his horse was denied a fair start. After considering his submission, evidence taken from the Starter and acting on their own observations Stewards determined that IT'S HUMPHREY had been denied a fair start and in the circumstances declared this horse to be a non-runner.

RACE 5: XXXX GOLD / WONOKA BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP – 1400 metres

JUST PEGGY (G. Lo) – shifted out abruptly shortly after the start onto THE MOSHIRE, taking that runner wider. In the vicinity of the 200 metres rider dropped his outside reign resulting in JUST PEGGY shifting in and inconveniencing FINNISS MOMENT. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FINNISS MOMENT (Jemma Frew) - in the vicinity of the 200 metres was inconvenienced by JUST PEGGY, which shifted in.

SHE'S GOT RHYTHM (K. Lau) – shortly after the start inconvenienced and taken wider by THE MOSHIRE.

THE MOSHIRE (A. Lindsay) – shortly after the start was taken wider by JUST PEGGY, which shifted out.

LATIN HERO (C. Collins) – shortly after the start lost its position when tightened for room by SHE'S GOT RHYTHM, which was taken wider.

ALITAKA (D. Morgan) – in the vicinity of the 100 metres rider accidentally dropped his whip. Rider reprimanded under AR137(a) for carelessness in dropping his whip.

PARENTIVE (R. Hancock) – slow into stride.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow Mrs S. Ratsch, the trainer of GRANDMASTER DASH, placed third, to view the Official Image.

JOCKEY TESTING

All twelve (12) riders were breathalysed prior to taking their first ride of the day. All returned negative.

Two (2) riders provided urine samples – D. McWhinney and Jemma Frew.

ROUTINE SWABS (2):

Race 2 – WHITE JADE (winner)

Race 4 – OVERSTREET (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 4 – K. Lau (OVERSTREET) – Fined \$100 – AR137A(4)(b) – Use of his whip in a manner which raised his arm above shoulder height.
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 4 – K. Lau (OVERSTREET) – AR137(a) – Careless riding. Race 4 – M. Henderson (NEW EMPIRE) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.
REPRIMANDS	Race 5 – D. Morgan (ALITAKA) – AR137(a) – Carelessness in dropping the whip.
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 – LOOK ABOUT – Warned – Difficult to load. Race 4 – UNDOUBTABLE – Warned – Racing manners.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil