THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville Parks Racecourse by the South Australian Jockey Club on Saturday, 23 June 2018

Stewards: J. Petzer (Chairman), M. Santoro (HT), & J. Adams (M) (Stewards), K. Lemay-Robins

(F) & M. Adams (Cadet Stewards), D. Jonas, K. Boddington, B. Schmidt & A. Deakin

(Deputy Stewards) Dr P. Horridge & Dr B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeons)

TRACK: (Morphettville Parks track) Soft 5

(Main track) Soft 6

WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: Morphettville Parks track: Out 2 metres entire.

Main track: Out 15 metres 1200 to Winning Post, out 6 metres remainder.

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
8	COPERNICUS	R. Sakai		Emergency – notified.

RACE 1: IRISH RACE DAY -1ST SEPTEMBER AT MORPHETTVILLE HURDLE - 3200 metres (Run on the main track)

CABLE BAY (NZ) (D. Horner (Jnr)) – contacted the last hurdle and landed awkwardly. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a minor laceration to the near foreleg. First aid administered.

ALLEZ TARA (J. Matthews) – over-raced in the early stages of the event. Was eased out of the event near the 500 metres and failed to jump the final two hurdles. Co-trainers, Mr N. O'Shea and Miss A. Downing, were advised that in view of the fact that this is the second occasion on which ALLEZ TARA has failed to finish in a hurdle race ALLEZ TARA would now be required to complete a jumps trial to the satisfaction of the Stewards and the Jumps Review Panel prior to a future jumps race. Mr O'Shea advised Stewards that it is the intention of the stable to retire ALLEZ TARA from racing. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

All other runners underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 2: M&J CHICKENS HANDICAP - 1250 metres

JUANITO UVEZ (C. Newitt) – shortly after the entrance to the straight near the 350 metres was inclined to lay out and rolled out tightening EASY TIGER onto GUIDING LIGHT. Thereafter did not finish the race off. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SOCIAL SPIN (J. Bowditch) – shifted in at the start and contacted GRABBING GLORY. Shortly after entering the straight was obliged to shift in to obtain clear running.

BURN OFF (A. Chan) – raced wide without cover throughout the event.

GUIDING LIGHT (P. Gatt) – trainer, Mr W. Hunter, advised Stewards prior to the event that he would instruct his rider to attempt to lead or settle on pace in today's event. Shortly after the entrance to the straight near the 350 metres rolled in marginally and tightened EASY TIGER, which was taken out by JUANITO UVEZ. Rider explained that the filly raced keenly in the early stages and in his opinion may have held its breath during the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a slower than expected recovery.

RACE 2: M&J CHICKENS HANDICAP - 1250 metres (cont'd)

EASY TIGER (R. Clark) – near the 350 metres was tightened and had to be steadied when racing between GUIDING LIGHT, which rolled in marginally, and JUANITO UVEZ, which was inclined to lay out and rolled out.

GRABBING GLORY (E. Boyd) – slow to begin, shifted out and contacted SOCIAL SPIN, which shifted in. Raced greenly and laid out in the straight.

RACE 3: MEDALLION HOMES THREE-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 metres

SCOUT'S HONOUR (J. Holder) – awkward to begin. Shifted out approaching the entrance to the straight and contacted CROWN REWARDS, which was taken out onto ZAGATO STAR, resulting in that horse being taken wider.

CROWN REWARDS (A. Chan) – approaching the entrance to the straight was contacted by SCOUT'S HONOUR as that horse shifted out to improve and was taken out making contact with ZAGATO STAR taking that horse wider on the track.

FACTUAL (R. Hurdle) – rider explained that the filly travelled well; however, when asked for an effort it peaked on its run and raced flat today in comparison to its previous start. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the filly to be lame in the off hind leg. Trainer, Mr J. O'Connor was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

LASANTA (O. Ridge) – raced keenly in the early stages of the event. Laid out rounding the home turn.

ZAGATO STAR (R. Sakai) – contacted by CROWN REWARDS approaching the entrance of the straight as that horse was taken out by SCOUT'S HONOUR, and as a consequence was taken wider and inconvenienced.

RACE 4: SEE THE MAGIC OF MATT TARRANT AT MORPHETTVILLE HANDICAP - 1250 metres

SIRBIBLE (E. Boyd) – rider reported the gelding felt awkward in its action in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ASPECT (P. Gatt) – rider explained that the gelding failed to respond to his riding in the straight and was disappointing. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FRANCE'S BOY (K. Bishop) – had difficulty obtaining clear running for a short distance shortly after the entrance to the straight.

RACE 5: DOMINANT HANDICAP - 1000 metres

CASHED (R. Sakai) – raced keenly in the early stages of the event and near the 600 metres was taken out slightly by RIZIZ, which rolled out. Shifted in slightly near the 450 metres. Lost its near hind plate during the event.

RIZIZ (A. Chan) – near the 600 metres rolled out slightly taking CASHED a little wider. Near the 450 metres raced in restricted room between INVISIBLE GIRL and CASHED, which both shifted ground slightly, had to be checked and lost its position. Examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the horse to be deceased, which he attributed to cardiac arrest.

INVINCIBLE AL (R. Clark) – near the 600 metres shifted in slightly onto STREETCAR ILLUSION, which was tightened for several strides when taken in onto CASHED. Rider was reprimanded and advised to take greater care when her mounts commence to shift ground in future.

TINTAGEL ROCKER (K. Bishop) – over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

DEL PIERO (C. Newitt) – slow to begin.

RACE 5: DOMINANT HANDICAP - 1000 metres (cont'd)

STREETCAR ILLUSION (P. Gatt) – in the vicinity of the 600 metres raced in restricted room inside INVINCIBLE AL, which shifted in slightly, and had to be steadied for several strides when tightened onto CASHED to its inside.

INVISIBLE GIRL (J. Bowditch) – shifted out slightly near the 450 metres.

WHITE KAPS (A. Jordsjo) – rider reported that the gelding raced keenly in the early stages of the event and failed to finish the event off as expected.

RACE 6: GUSTO'S 40TH BIRTHDAY HANDICAP - 1250 metres

AMPLE ON OFFA (E. Boyd) – very awkward to begin unbalancing its rider and was slow into stride as a consequence. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FEDEROSA (NZ) (P. Gatt) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare had suffered a bilateral bleeding attack. Trainer, Mr R. Jolly, was advised that as this was the mare's first blleding attack, FEDEROSA (NZ) would now be suspended from racing for a period of three months in accordance with AR53A and would be required to gallop 1000 metres in the presence of a Steward prior to accepting for a future trial or race.

STRYKINGLEE (C. Newitt) - laid out in the straight.

LUCKY FLIPPER (D. Caboche) – rider explained that his instructions were to settle mid-field or better if the mare jumped well, which were the same instructions at this horse's previous start where it was slow to begin.

AUTUMN STREET (A. Jordsjo) – near the 200 metres shifted out and away from LUCKY FLIPPER, which shifted out slightly and as a consequence became awkward on the heels of TOO TUFF TARA for a number of strides. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

GOLD BLUSH (T. Pannell) – trainer, Mr W. Clarken, advised Stewards prior to the event that he would instruct his rider to attempt to settle further back with cover in today's event. Laid in, in the straight.

FLIGHT ACADEMY (J. Potter) – became awkward on the heels of AUTUMN STREET at the entrance to the straight and was obliged to shift in to obtain clear running.

SNOWBROOK (J. Bowditch) – raced keenly in the early stages of the event.

TOO TUFF TARA (R. Clark) – rider weighed in, in excess of half a kilogram over the weight at which she weighed out at and was reprimanded.

RACE 7: UBET HANDICAP - 1550 metres

BROWN BEN (J. Holder) – near the 400 metres was awkward when racing in restricted room between the heels of LITTLE AKIE and O'REILLY'S REVENGE (NZ) and was held up for a short distance before obtaining clear running.

SOHOOL (J. Bowditch) – laid out in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FLOW METER (K. Bishop) – rider weighed in, in excess of half a kilogram over the weight at which she weighed out at and was reprimanded.

RACE 8: SCHWEPPES HANDICAP - 1400 metres

BIANMAGIC (A. Jordsjo) – clipped the heels of FORCE OF THREE shortly after the start as that horse laid in and shifted into its running line, stumbled and unbalanced its rider. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SANDHILL WARRIOR (P. Gatt) – contacted near the 100 metres by LAURE ME IN, which rolled out.

RACE 8: SCHWEPPES HANDICAP - 1400 metres (Cont'd)

FEDERAL COURT (C. Newitt) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MR STEAL (NZ) (K. Bishop) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the near foreleg. Trainer, Mr J. Dodgson, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

VIA BALCIANO (J. Bowditch) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

LAURE ME IN (J. Holder) – near the 100 metres rolled out and contacted SANDHILL WARRIOR.

COPERNICUS (R. Sakai) – laid out in the straight.

FORCE OF THREE (J. Potter) – laid in sharply despite the efforts of its rider shortly after the start, shifted into the running line of BIANMAGIC, which clipped its heels and stumbled

PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (17):

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

- Race 1 HONEY STEEL'S GOLD, COUGAR EXPRESS, SIR LOPEZ, TUNES, ALLEZ TARA.
- Race 2 UNFAIR DISMISSAL, GUIDING LIGHT.
- Race 4 SIRBIBLE, STRAGUN.
- Race 6 STRYKINGLEE, GOLD BLUSH.
- Race 7 TRIED AND TIRED, VICTORY DOWNS, SIGA LA VACA, SOHOOL.
- Race 8 LORD SMEDLEY, VIA BALCIANO.

POST-MORTEM SAMPLE (1)

Race 5 - RIZIZ

POST-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (3):

Race 3 – MASTER CHUM (winner)

Race 4 – EXALTED ADAM (winner)

Race 8 – BUNGALALLY BELLE (winner)

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (9):

Race 1 – COUGAR EXPRESS (winner)

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Race 2 – POISED TO STRIKE (winner)

Race 3 – MASTER CHUM (winner)

Race 4 – EXALTED ADAM (winner)

Race 5 – INVINCIBLE AL (winner)

Race 6 – EMBECEE LIL (winner)

Race 7 – TRIED AND TIRED (winner)

Race 8 – BUNGALALLY BELLE (winner)

SUMMARY		
FINES	Nil	
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil	
REPRIMANDS	Race 6 – R. Clark (TOO TUFF TARA) – AR145 – Weighed in, in excess of half a kilogram at which she weighed out at. Race 7 – K. Bishop (FLOW METER) – AR145 – Weighed in, in excess of half a kilogram at which she weighed out at. Race 8 – J. Bowditch (VIA BALCIANO) – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+2] – Whip offence.	
SUSPENSIONS	Nil	
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 3 – FACTUAL – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lame off hind leg. Race 6 – FEDEROSA (NZ) – Suspended 3 months – Bi-lateral bleed – Required to gallop 1000 metres before the Stewards prior to a future trial or race. Race 8 – MR STEAL (NZ) – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lame near foreleg.	
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil	
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil	