

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville Racecourse
by the South Australian Jockey Club on Saturday, 21 July 2012

Stewards: G. Loch (Chairman), J. Petzer (HT), A. Hayles (M) & S. Callanan (F) (Stewards), N. Castle, D. Southgate, C. Parks & A. Thriscutt (Deputy Stewards), Dr. P. Horridge & Dr. B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeons).

BOTH TRACKS: Slow 6

WEATHER: Overcast

RAIL – BOTH TRACKS: True

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	BANKABUL	L Horner		Late notification

RACE 1 : LESLIE SHORT HURDLE - 3100 metres (run on Morphettville Parks Track)

Mr B Brook, the Trainer of RAMPUR, advised Stewards he would instruct Jockey R Molloy to attempt to ride the gelding more forward than in its previous start if possible, as in his opinion it had not performed genuinely when ridden back.

ROCK LEGEND (P Gallagher) jumped away awkwardly.

From the 500 metres ROCK LEGEND (P Gallagher), RAMPUR (R Molloy) and BANKABUL (L Horner) were eased out of the event.

CHAMPION CHESTNUT was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding had sustained a minor laceration to the off fore cannon.

BANKABUL was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding to have a slower than expected heart rate.

RAMPUR and ROCK LEGEND were examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 2 : SPRING RACING AT MORPHETTVILLE HANDICAP - 1200 metres

JACKS JOURNEY, which struck the perimeter fence behind the barriers, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon and ruled fit to start.

On jumping away TRUSTAM (J Hill) shifted in and brushed BARISTA MISS (J Todd).

HEART 'N' SPIRIT (A Herrmann) jumped away awkwardly.

BUTTERFLY QUEEN (J Potter) was slow to jump.

Approaching the 1000 metres HEART 'N' SPIRIT (A Herrmann) was obliged to ease when tightened for room by TRUSTAM (J Hill), which shifted in.

RACE 3 : IRISH DAY 1ST SEPTEMBER HANDICAP - 2000 metres

RICH FAITH (T Pannell) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out onto CONSTANT MOMENTUM (S Westover), which became awkward as it was tightened onto MARLBOROUGH (NZ) (A Patterson).

Shortly after the start RICH FAITH (T Pannell) was hampered by MAPLE LANE (T Zanker), which shifted out abruptly, tightening RICH FAITH onto CONSTANT MOMENTUM (S Westover).

Over the crossing, in the vicinity of the 1800 metres, CONSTANT MOMENTUM (S Westover) was inclined to get its head up and race ungenerously when being restrained.

In the straight LOVASOVA (J Hill) was inclined to lay in under pressure.

RACE 4 : EXPRESS COLOUR PRINTING HANDICAP - 2500 metres

RIKBAT (A Patterson) was slow to jump.

C. Lindop, the rider of DOUBLY SURE (NZ), which performed below expectations, explained that in contrast to its previous start the gelding was off the bit chasing from the 800 metres and despite her riding struggled to make ground whereas it had previously strode into the race of its own accord.. She stated she had persisted in seeking to make ground inside the field as DOUBLY SURE (NZ) was not travelling well enough to improve around other runners. She added she had noted DOUBLY SURE (NZ), which was three weeks between runs, had a blow after the race. Ms. K. Byrnes, the Trainer of DOUBLY SURE (NZ), stated the gelding had done well between runs and although it did not go to the track regularly, felt she had kept the work up to the gelding. She said that with hindsight, looking at DOUBLY SURE (NZ) after the race, the gelding might have done too well between runs. DOUBLY SURE (NZ) was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

P Gatt, the rider of SKY PHAROAH, reported that over the concluding stages the gelding felt short in front. SKY PHAROAH was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

DOC HENNESSY and CASH ADVANCE were examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

FAINEANT was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding had a lower than expected heart rate.

RACE 5 : MEDALLION HOMES HANDICAP - 1600 metres

ALROUZ (J Todd) was inclined to rear as the gates opened.

Inside the 100 metres LIGHT TAN (P Gatt) rolled in and brushed RIVER'S LANE (S Westover).

Correct Weight for this event was delayed to permit T Pannell, the rider of the third placegetter VIMA, to view the official footage in the straight.

Correct Weight was further delayed to permit the Stewards to review the footage over the concluding 150 metres in which LIGHT TAN (P Gatt) and RIVER'S LANE (S. Westover) raced in close proximity.

RACE 6 : CHRISTMAS TWILIGHT 14TH DECEMBER HANDICAP - 1200 metres

TILLA BELL RINGS (J Hill) was slow to jump.

From the 500 metres, and for some distance, EMMOOKI'S DASH (D Tourneur) was inclined to lay out.

Throughout the event PRESIDIUM (J Frew) was inclined to get its head up and race ungenerously.

J Hill, the rider of TILLA BELL RINGS, explained he had been instructed to ride TILLA BELL RINGS, where it was comfortable with a preference that it settle mid field. He said he had expected TILLA BELL RINGS to settle in the field, however, after missing the start, he was surprised the gelding was reluctant to stride despite his efforts. He stated that in the vicinity of the 800 metres when the gelding shifted wider on the track to avoid kick back, TILLA BELL RINGS had grabbed the bit and thereafter had raced genuinely. TILLA BELL RINGS was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 7 : SLOANS SANDS HANDICAP - 1200 metres

Mr D Jolly, the Trainer of CONDUCTION, advised Stewards that he would instruct Jockey J Potter that if circumstances permitted he would prefer he not use the whip as he considered in recent starts CONDUCTION had resented the use of the whip.

AVOCA STREET (A Herrmann) was slow to jump.

MEADOWS JIM (J Bowditch) jumped away awkwardly.

Near the 1100 metres BERMONDSEY (A Patterson) was inconvenienced when obliged to shift away from the heels of LAST CHARGE (C Lever), which shifted in.

SHIMANO MISS (NZ) (K Bishop) raced wide without cover throughout the event.

RACE 8 : TATSBET HANDICAP - 1050 metres

KING BUDDY (J Hill) reared as the gates opened.

On jumping away LEVITATOR (D Tourneur) shifted in abruptly hampering BELSYND (J Holder), which was forced to check and lose its position.

In the vicinity of the 600 metres STRATUMSPHERE (J Frew) was obliged to steady off the heels of LEVITATOR (D Tourneur), which rolled in.

In the vicinity of the 200 metres BELSYND (J Holder) shifted in onto SHOT IN JEST (T Pannell) tightening that gelding onto DROSTE (L Stojakovic). Shortly after BELSYND shifted in onto SHOT IN JEST, which was obliged to steady to avoid the heels of BELSYND. In being steadied SHOT IN JEST, which had been inclined to shift in of its own accord, briefly over-reacted. In consequence STRATUMSPHERE (J. Frew), which had commenced to improve into a run inside the heels of SHOT IN JEST, was disappointed and altered course. J Holder was severely reprimanded and advised in similar circumstance in future he would be required to make an effort to straighten his mount.

From the 100 metres LEVITATOR (D Tourneur) was inclined to lay in. LEVITATOR was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a slow recovery

KING BUDDY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

GENERAL

RACE 2 : SPRING RACING AT MORPHETTVILLE HANDICAP - 1200 metres

Mr L Macdonald, the Trainer of LUCKY LIVI, which was withdrawn from this event, has advised that the filly had suffered a fracture to the off fore knee, which required surgery.

RACE 3 : IRISH DAY 1ST SEPTEMBER HANDICAP - 2000 metres

Mr A Harrison, representing Mr D Harrison, the Trainer of HAVELOCK EXPRESS, was questioned regarding the late collection of the saddle for the gelding and the late presentation of that gelding into the mounting yard. After considering his explanation, Mr Harrison was charged with an offence under ARR.124. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$100.

RACE 4 : EXPRESS COLOUR PRINTING HANDICAP - 2500 metres

Mr D O'Leary, the Trainer of PRESIDIUM, was questioned regarding the late presentation of that gelding into the mounting yard. After considering his explanation, Mr O'Leary was charged with breaching ARR.124. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$100.

PRE RACE SAMPLES (21):

Blood Samples were taken from the following horses for the purpose of TCO₂ testing:

- Race 1 VIVA DELSPEC, TRENCHTOWN (IRE), BANKABUL.
- Race 3 CONSTANT MOMENTUM, LOVASOVA, SPIRIT LINE.
- Race 4 FLAMING MOE, RIKBAT, OKAMAN.
- Race 5 MONTJEU MADAME, (NZ), VIMA, ALROUZ.
- Race 6 EMMOOKI'S DASH, TILLA BELL RINGS, TESTANOVA.
- Race 7 ANYWAYS, AVOCA STREET, BRIEFED.
- Race 8 DROSTE, VALUE AS, LEVITATOR.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (9):

- Race 1 LORD OF THE SONG (winner)
- Race 2 MAYBE DISCREET (winner)
- Race 3 HAVELOCK EXPRESS (winner)
- Race 3 RICH FAITH (beaten fav.)
- Race 4 FLAMING MOE (winner)
- Race 5 LIGHT TAN (winner)
- Race 6 SNIP 'N' RUN (winner)
- Race 6 TILLA BELL RINGS (beaten fav.)
- Race 7 LAST CHARGE (winner)
- Race 8 BELSYND (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 3 – Mr D Harrison - Fined \$100 - ARR124 – Late collection of saddle and late presentation of HAVELOCK EXPRESS in mounting yard. Race 8 Mr D O'Leary - Fined \$100 - ARR 124 - Late presentation of PRESIDIUM in mount yard.
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 8 – J Holder (BELSYND) – ARR.137(a) – Careless Riding.
REPRIMANDS	Nil
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil

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