

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED  
 STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

 Report on Race Meeting held at Murray Bridge Racecourse  
 by the Murray Bridge Racing Club on Wednesday, 9 September 2020

**Stewards:** M. Santoro (A/Chairman) & S. Callanan (MT), A. Milne (HT) (Stewards), A. Steckbein (F) (Cadet Steward), A. Bittner, K. Rayson & J. Hittmann (Deputy Stewards), Dr P. Horridge (Veterinary Surgeon).

**TRACK:** Soft 5 (Track with a reasonable amount of give in it)  
 Upgraded to a Good 4 at 11.30 am (Track with some give in it)

**RAIL:** Out 5 metres 800 metres to Winning Post, including 1200 metres Chute; True Remainder

**WEATHER:** Fine

**RIDER CHANGES:**

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	NATURE DEEL	K. Crowther	J. Toeroek	Indisposed
5	AMERICAN STORM	S. So		Late notification
6	CHALLICUM	J. Potter	J. Holder	Dual Engagement - Explanation accepted
7	LITTLE HEATH	T. Voorham		Notified

**RACE 1: CARLTON DRAUGHT RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 900 Metres**

**ROCK HARD** (D. Caboche) - inclined to lay out under pressure in the straight.

**PHANTOM DATE** (S. Fawke) - inclined to shift about under pressure in the straight. In the vicinity of the 100 metres rolled out into the running line of NATURE DEEL.

**BLIND CHANCE** (J. Opperman) - jumped away awkwardly. Laid in under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed atrial fibrillation. Trainer Mr T. Doudle advised the results of an ECG are to be forwarded to the TRSA Veterinary Surgeon and a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to the gelding performing satisfactorily in an Official Barrier Trial.

**EXALTED GOLD** (S. So) - rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) for using her whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

**NATURE DEEL** (J. Toeroek) - jumped away awkwardly. In the vicinity of the 100 metres had to alter course to the inside of PHANTOM DATE, which shifted out.

**VIETTI** (M. Collett) - raced wide without cover throughout the event. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) for using her whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

**RACE 2: GOLD CUP FRIDAY 16 OCTOBER / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1800 Metres**

**FERGO'S BOYS** (C. Jones) - taken out on jumping away onto ROUGH BEAUTY. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) for using her whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

**OUR JOURNEYMAN** (M. Collett) - shifted out on jumping away onto FERGO'S BOYS. Inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

**ALL ON HER ROAN (NZ)** (K. Zechner) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**EAGLE EYES** (B. Vorster) - rider could offer no explanation for the gelding's performance. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**ROUGH BEAUTY** (S. Logan) - hampered and lost its position on jumping away when tightened onto MYSTIC ENDEAVOUR by FERGO'S BOYS. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

**RACE 3: FIBRETRACK / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1400 Metres**

**CLUB DOUBLE** (J. Toeroek) - inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

**JAGERNAUT** (D. Caboche) - jumped away awkwardly. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

**SOUMAH** (M. Collett) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

**BOUDOIR** (A. Jordsjo) - raced fiercely in the early and middle stages of the event. Raced wide without cover throughout the event.

**THE OLYMPIAN** (B. Vorster) - raced keenly in the early stages of the event. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

**RACE 4: MAGIC MILLIONS / SABOIS THREE YEAR OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 Metres**

**HALOGEN** (B. Vorster) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**IMPOSSIBLE ACTION** (J. Toeroek) - shifted in on jumping away bumping SHE'S DREAMING.

**MUFFLA** (D. Tourneur) - inconvenienced when contacted shortly after the start. Had difficulty obtaining clear ground from the entrance to the straight until inside the 300 metres.

**PEARL DYNASTY** (T. Voorham) - rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) for using her whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

**TABLOID STAR** (D. Caboche) - shifted out on jumping away contacting ORDER IS RESTORED and shortly after shifted back in contacting MUFFLA. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) for using his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

**YE HELLA** (C. Lions) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

**BIARCHI** (M. Collett) - raced wide without cover throughout the event. Rider reported the filly raced greenly in the straight.

**SHE'S DREAMING** (A. Jordsjo) - contacted on jumping away.

### **RACE 5: FUNCTIONS AT BRIDGES EVENT CENTRERATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1400 Metres**

The start of this event was delayed approximately three minutes.

**PROMOTER** (J Eaton) shifted out on jumping away bumping **OUR DEEP AGENDA**. Hung out throughout the event. In the vicinity of the 200 metres shifted out onto **SPY DECODER (NZ)**. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**SPY DECODER (NZ)** (M. Henderson) - had to be steadied in the vicinity of the 200 metres when tightened between **SADENTE** and **PROMOTER**.

**XINGYUN** (K. Zechner) - inside the 1000 metres shifted in and away from **DEEJAY BOBO (NZ)** onto **OUR DEEP AGENDA**. Raced greenly throughout the event. Inside the 200 metres laid in onto **SADENTE**. At the entrance to the straight, shifted out slightly onto **DEEJAY BOBO (NZ)**.

**MISSISSIPPI GRIND** - fractious on arrival at the start and kicked the barrier structure. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and ruled unfit to race. Acting on this advice **MISSISSIPPI GRIND** was a late scratching at 3.41 pm by order of Stewards.

**LI'L HANK** (D. Tourneur) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

**SADENTE** (T. Pannell) - in the vicinity of the 200 metres shifted in and away from **XINGYUN** onto **SPY DECODER (NZ)**.

**JACK'S A CRACKER** (C. Jones) - contacted at the entrance to the straight by **DEEJAY BOBO (NZ)**, which had been taken out slightly by **XINGYUN**. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

**OUR DEEP AGENDA** (B. Vorster) - shifted in on jumping away and bumped **PROMOTER**. Inside the 1000 metres had to be steadied and lost its position when **XINGYUN** shifted in and away from **DEEJAY BOBO (NZ)**. Forced to race in restricted room for a number of strides in the vicinity of the 250 metres and again near the 200 metres when **ANNIKA** shifted in slightly. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**DEEJAY BOBO (NZ)** (J. Potter) - at the entrance to the straight was taken out slightly by **XINGYUN** and as result bumped **JACK'S A CRACKER**.

**WITCHACHAR STAR** (C. Lions) - slow into stride. Hung out throughout the event.

**ANNIKA** (J. Toeroek) - laid in under pressure in the straight. In the vicinity of the 250 metres and again near the 200 metres, shifted in onto **OUR DEEP AGENDA**. Rider reported in his opinion the mare may have chocked down. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**AMERICAN STORM** (S. So) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

**NONE BETTER** (J. Opperman) - inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a minor laceration to the off side hip.

### **RACE 6: TAB RATING 0-58 HANDICAP - 1600 Metres**

**HIGHLY DECORATED** (S. So) - in the vicinity of the 200 metres was hampered and taken out onto **CHALLICUM** when contacted by **LISETTE**.

**IS THAT SO** (C. Jones) - shifted in on jumping away. Held up from the entrance to the straight until in the vicinity of the 150 metres. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**CHALLICUM** (J. Holder) - jumped away awkwardly. Shortly after was hampered when **IS THAT SO** shifted in. In the vicinity of the 200 metres was hampered when contacted by **HIGHLY DECORATED**, which had been taken out.

**RACE 6: TAB RATING 0-58 HANDICAP - 1600 Metres (Cont'd)**

**CONCONI** (S. Cahill) - held up from the entrance to the straight until approaching the 200 metres.

**LISETTE** (B. Vorster) - in the vicinity of the 200 metres shifted out abruptly away from the heels of **PIERRO'S PROMISE** and in doing so made contact with **HIGHLY DECORATED**.

**AZDAJA** (J. Potter) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

**DANGERPET** (T. Voorham) - held up from the entrance to the straight until in the vicinity of the 200 metres.

**LITTLEBITFUNNY** (M. Collett) - reared on jumping away. Raced keenly in the middle stages of the event. Held up from the entrance to the straight until inside the 200 metres.

**PIERRO'S PROMISE** (J. Eaton) - lost its off fore plate in the vicinity of the 1400 metres. Laid in under pressure in the straight. In the vicinity of the 200 metres shifted in onto **LISETTE**. Rider severely reprimanded and advised in future to make a greater effort to keep her mounts straight when they commence to shift ground.

**RACE 7: BRIDGES EVENT CENTRE RATING 0-58 HANDICAP - 1200 Metres**

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes.

**MAGIC PHANTOM** (J. Opperman) - knuckled on jumping away. Held up from the entrance to the straight until the vicinity of the 200 metres. Shortly after, became held up again when **LITTLE HEATH** rolled in slightly and was only able to obtain clear ground approaching the 100 metres.

**JAAMINT** (S. Logan) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

**TWICE FORGOTTEN** (K. Zechner) - knuckled on jumping away severely unbalancing its rider.

**VICTORY SPOILS** (S. Fawke) - raced extremely fiercely in the early and middle stages of the event. Held up from the entrance to the straight until the vicinity of the 300 metres.

**FERGIE** (P. Gatt) - rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) for using his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

**NEWBAY FLYER (NZ)** (S. So) - lost is near hind plate en route to the barrier. Had to be re-shod. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and passed fit to race. Laid out under pressure in the straight.

**VINDEX** (M. Collett) - raced wide without cover throughout the event. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

**LITTLE HEATH** (T. Voorham) - jumped away awkwardly. Rolled in slightly inside the 200 metres onto **MAGIC PHANTOM**. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) for using her whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

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**ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (7):**

- Race 1 - VIETTI (winner)
- Race 2 - NAKEEL (winner)
- Race 3 - THE OLYMPIAN (winner)
- Race 4 - BOTTOM LINE (winner)
- Race 5 - THE ANT'S PANTS (winner)
- Race 6 - CONCONI (winner)
- Race 7 - VINDEX (winner)

**SUMMARY**

<b>FINES</b>	Race 5 - Mr G. Young - Fined \$100 - LR19.1 - Late notification of rider fore AMERICAN STORM.
<b>SEVERE REPRIMANDS</b>	Race 6 - J. Eaton (PIERRO'S PROMISE) - AR131(a) - Careless Riding.
<b>REPRIMANDS</b>	Race 1 - S. So (EXALTED GOLD) - AR132(7)(a)(ii)[+2] - Whip offence. Race 1 - M. Collett (VIETTI) - AR132(7)(a)(ii)[+1] - Whip offence. Race 2 - C. Jones (FERGO'S BOYS) - AR132(7)(a)(ii)[+1] - Whip offence. Race 4 - T. Voorham (PEARL DYNASTY) - AR132(7)(a)(ii)[+1] - Whip offence. Race 4 - D. Caboche (TABLOID STAR) - AR132(7)(a)(ii)[+1] - Whip offence. Race 7 - P. Gatt (FERGIE) - AR132(7)(a)(ii)[+2] - Whip offence. Race 7 - T. Voorham (LITTLE HEATH) - AR132(7)(a)(ii)[+1] - Whip offence.
<b>SUSPENSIONS</b>	Nil
<b>HORSE ACTIONS</b>	Race 1 - BLIND CHANCE - Suspended - Results of an ECG are to be forwarded to the TRSA Veterinary Surgeon prior to the gelding performing satisfactorily in an Official Barrier Trial - Atrial Fibrillation. Race 1 - BLIND CHANCE - Not to race - Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to an Official Barrier Trial - Atrial Fibrillation .
<b>ADJOURNED INQUIRIES</b>	Nil
<b>MEDICAL CLEARANCE</b>	Nil