

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at the Mindarie-Halidon Racecourse
by the Mindarie-Halidon Racing Club on Sunday, 13 September 2015

Stewards: A. Hayles (A/Chairman), J. Adams (F) & M. Williams (HT) (Stewards), N. Henry & M. Featherston (Deputy Stewards) & Dr. P. Horridge (Veterinarian)

TRACK: Good 4

WEATHER: Fine

Rail: Normal

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
7	FLASH MICK	J. Maund		Emergency
7	GRIGIO NOW	S. Carr		"

RACE 1 : MALLEE DIPPING & MULESING/RIVERLAND FLOOR CENTRE/SABOIS
CG&E MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 metres

CHOICE DISCOVERY (T. O'Donnell) was slow to begin.

PRINCE LUKAS (R. Bell) and SURF CRUISER (J. Potter) raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

In the vicinity of the 150 metres WARRASIDE EDDY (K. Brooks) laid in under pressure for a short distance.

RACE 2 : NORM HUMPHRYS MEMORIAL / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1380 metres

Acting on a confirmed telephone call from Trainer Mr B. Potter that LORDS VELOCITY was proving difficult to load onto the float at its stables, Stewards withdrew that mare at 11.05 am.

R. Hurdle was dislodged in the mounting yard when KOOP CREEK reared and contacted the mounting yard fence. KOOP CREEK was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding to be lame and acting on that advice Stewards withdrew KOOP CREEK at 1.13 pm. R. Hurdle was examined by the First Care Medical Personnel and passed fit to fulfil his remaining engagements. Trainer, Ms C. Cooper was advised a warning had been placed on the gelding's pre-race manners.

In the vicinity of the 800 metres JUST DEMANDING (J. Potter) had to be steadied and lost its position when DRESSER (D. Tourneur) shifted in. As a result IT'S FINE NOW (P. Marks), which was trailing was also momentarily inconvenienced. D. Tourneur was severely reprimanded and advised to take greater care when shifting ground in future.

RACE 3 : KELVIN WESTBROOK TRANSPORT / LOXTON IRRIGATION / SABOIS F&M
MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 metres

Acting on a confirmed telephone call from Trainer Mr B. Potter that JAWS AND MINE was proving difficult to load onto the float at its stables, Stewards withdrew that mare at 11.05 am.

ULTIMATE THRILL (D. Caboche) was slow to begin.

**RACE 3 : KELVIN WESTBROOK TRANSPORT / LOXTON IRRIGATION / SABOIS F&M
MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 metres (Cont'd)**

COCO RHYTHM (R. Hurdle) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out bumping MADAM ZEPP (G. Willoughby).

LAUVASSA (Z. Spain) laid in under pressure in the straight.

In the vicinity of the 100 metres ULTIMATE THRILL (D. Caboche) shifted in under pressure for a short distance. ULTIMATE THRILL was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

CRUSIN' KATE (J. Toeroek) shifted out under pressure over the concluding stages.

MADAM ZEPP was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

**RACE 4 : ZADOW WELL DRILLING / TONY NOLAN BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP
- 1380 metres**

ELECTRIC PUSSYCAT (J. Kah) was inconvenienced shortly after the start when BRAWNY HUNTER (D. Tootell) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out.

In the vicinity of the 700 metres CALL ME PENNY (T. O'Donnell) had to be steadied and lost its position when LIBERTY HILL (Z. Spain), which was laying in, shifted in abruptly. Z. Spain was reminded of his obligations when shifting ground in future. LIBERTY HILL was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

In the vicinity of the 400 metres IMPULSE BUY (G. Willoughby) was momentarily inconvenienced when taking a tight run to the inside of SHISO (D. Tourneur). SHISO was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the mare to be lame in the near hind leg. Trainer's Mr and Mrs Frew was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the mare for a future trial or race.

J. Toeroek, the rider of BOLD SENATOR, explained that in his opinion the gelding jarred up on today's track. BOLD SENATOR was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding to have a shortened stride in both forelegs.

IMPULSE BUY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding to be mildly distressed. First aid administered.

RACE 5 : COLLINS INDUSTRIAL MINDARIE-HALIDON CUP - 1800 metres

E. Finnegan, the rider of VILLE DE BERNE explained that it was not her intention to lead in this event but after beginning well and due to the lack of speed of the runners to her inside, she was able to find the lead easily.

J. Potter, the rider of PRETTY BLONDE, was questioned regarding his arm action when using the whip inside the 100 metres. J. Potter 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 over the concluding stages of the event and was reprimanded.

EIGELSTEIN (GB), which performed below expectations, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding to be lame in the near forelegs. Trainer Mr G. Young was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the gelding for a future trial or race.

RACE 6 : RADIO 801-5RM / RADIO 5MU & POWER FM RATING 0-58 HANDICAP
- 1800 metres

STEP DANCE (R. Bell) was slow to begin.

In the vicinity of the 1700 metres BIT OF A HERO (S. Price) had to momentarily steady when LOCOMOTION LUCY (D. Tourneur) shifted in. D. Tourneur was severely reprimanded and advised to take greater care in future when shifting ground.

J. Potter, the rider of PILOT'S LANE, reported the gelding felt awkward in its action during the event. PILOT'S LANE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 7 : FLEA DOUG FULLSTON MEMORIAL RATING 0-58 HANDICAP -
1380 metres

Acting on a confirmed telephone call from Trainer Mr S. Tootell that LIMBO QUEEN was lame, Stewards withdrew that mare at 1.08 pm.

FAMOUS FLING (E. Boyd) was slow to begin.

R. Bell, the rider of BOURBONDETTA, explained he could offer no explanation into the poor performance of the mare. BOURBONDETTA was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

CON NOW was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

GENERAL

PORT AUGUSTA, SUNDAY, 30 AUGUST 2015

RACE 6: ACACIA ART FLORIST BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP – 1396 metres

On Monday, 14 September 2015, Stewards concluded an inquiry into an incident adjourned from Port Augusta on Sunday, 30 August 2015. D. Caboche, the rider of OUR PROSPECT was found guilty of a charge of an improper act under AR175(a) in that he attempted to manipulate the reading of the scales when weighing in after the running of this event. D. Caboche was fined \$1000.

PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (6)

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

Race 5 STIMULATTE, WICKED TYCOON, EIGELSTEIN (GB), DAYDREAM CHARLIE,
VILLE DE BERNE, BRIMMING

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (3):

Race 2 – IT'S FINE NOW (winner)

Race 5 – STIMULATTE (winner)

Race 6 – NO DOUBTFIRE (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	<i>Port Augusta, Sunday, 30 August 2015</i> Race 6 – D. Caboche (OUR PROSPECT) – Fined \$1000 – AR175(a) – Improper act
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 2 – D. Tourneur (JUST DEMANDING) – AR137(a) – Careless riding. Race 6 – D. Tourneur (LOCOMOTION LUCY) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.
REPRIMANDS	Race 5 – J. Potter (PRETTY BLONDE) - AR137A(4)(b) – Whip offence.
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 2 – KOOP CREEK – Warned – Pre-race manners. Race 4 – SHISO – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to accepting for a future race – Lameness near hind leg. Race 5 – EIGELSTEIN (GB) - Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to accepting for a future race – Lameness near forelegs.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil