

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Port Augusta Racecourse
by the Port Augusta Racing Club on Friday, 17 May 2019

Stewards: C. Deakin (A/Chairman), S. Callanan (F) & M. Williams (HT) (Stewards), J. Perry (M) & C. Edson (Deputy Stewards), Dr D. Anderson (Veterinary Surgeon).

TRACK: Good / Dirt

RAIL: True

WEATHER: Fine

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
8	ZAAZOE	D. McWhinney		Emergency - notified

RACE 1: BURY PLUMBING BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1200 metres

PANDEIA (S. Fawke) - jumped away awkwardly.

DOWNS AFTER DARK (K. Bishop) - jumped away awkwardly.

FANDANGO (E. Boyd) - jumped away awkwardly and a result was slow to begin. Laid out throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow the Stewards to view the vision of the start.

RACE 2: JM DELI BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1600 metres

QUIERO (E. Boyd) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

KARADOC KID (S. Price) - inclined to lay out in the straight.

DUST 'N' DIAMONDS (R. Hurdle) - laid out in the straight.

RACE 3: PORT AUGUSTA STEEL CENTRE BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1100 metres

GEORDIE'S SECOND (S. Fawke) - at the entrance to the straight was inconvenienced by GET IN THE BOWL, which rolled out. Laid in, in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

REAL EASY (S. Price) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. In the vicinity of the 800 metres improved onto the heels of LADY LA MANCHA when the tempo steadied and was obliged to be steadied.

GET IN THE BOWL (R. Hurdle) - laid out at the entrance to the straight and inconvenienced GEORDIE'S SECOND. Rider could offer no explanation for the disappointing manner in which the gelding raced today. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding was lame in the near hind leg. Trainer, Mr S. Oxlade, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

RACE 3: PORT AUGUSTA STEEL CENTRE BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1100 metres (Cont'd)

MAYBE THIS TIME (C. Lions) - jumped away awkwardly and as a result was slow to begin.

LADY LA MANCHA (G. Lo) - rider was advised of his obligations when leading to ensure he maintains a steady tempo.

SHE'S RENELDASGIRL (K. Lau) - jumped away awkwardly and as a result was slow to begin.

RACE 4: WESTSIDE VEGIE PATCH BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1867 metres

DANCE OF HEROES (GB) (R. Hurdle) - laid out under pressure over the concluding stages of the event.

ANOTHER MARTINI (K. Bishop) - laid out from the 300 metres until the entrance to the straight.

STRICTLY MAMBO (D. McWhinney) - eased out of the event in the vicinity of the 1400 metres. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to have fractured its off side humerus and was humanely euthanased.

RACE 5: DATGAW SERVICES / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 metres

BLAZING ROW (C. Lions) - laid in, in the straight and prove difficult to ride out over the concluding stages.

GO BALLISTIC (G. Lo) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination as it had not raced in over twelve months and was passed fit to start. Slow into stride. In the vicinity of the 900 metres laid in inconveniencing **ALWAYS BE TRUE**. Rider explained that his instructions were to be forward in today's event; however, after being slow to begin he was obliged to push forward to obtain a position outside the leader. He added that the gelding laid in, in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

TURESH (S. Fawke) - inside the 800 metres laid in onto the heels of **ALWAYS BE TRUE** and was obliged to be steadied.

WURLIES LASTCHANCE (L. Goomany) - laid out from the 400 metres until the entrance to the straight.

ALWAYS BE TRUE (K. Lau) - in the vicinity of the 900 metres was inconvenienced by **GO BALLISTIC**, which laid in.

MENGJUN GLORY (M. Henderson) - jumped away awkwardly.

Correct weight was delayed to allow C. Lions (**BLAZING ROW**) placed fourth to view the photo finish.

RACE 6: CROMBIES BULK HAULAGE / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1396 metres

DE VONIC (K. Lau) - laid out in the straight.

DEXTER'S NIBBLE (S. Fawke) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

GOOD NIC (E. Boyd) - rider reported that the mare never travelled throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PARIS ON FIRE (G. Lo) - in the vicinity of the 150 metres was obliged to be steadied to avoid the heels of **DE VONIC** and alter course to the inside of that horse to obtain clear ground.

RACE 7: PASTORAL HOTEL MOTEL BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1396 metres

MASKING (S. Fawke) - inconvenienced on jumping away and as a result was slow to begin. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MANTILLA (K. Bishop) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted in and inconvenienced MASKING.

RACE 8: PKB ELECTRICAL SERVICES BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1396 metres

IRISH MAMBO (E. Boyd) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted in and tightened STRONG AS onto MISS INSOMNIA.

AQUANAUT (R. Hurdle) - in the vicinity of the 800 metres laid out across the heels of MISS INSOMNIA, which laid in and was obliged to be steadied thereafter raced greenly for a short distance.

BANRI DE HERO (S. Price) - slow to begin.

AY OH WHEY OH (L. Goomany) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination as it had not raced for the past 10 months and passed fit to race.

MISS INSOMNIA (K. Bishop) - in the vicinity of the 800 metres laid in. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare had bled from both nostrils. Trainer, Ms N. Bruggemann, was advised that as this was the mare's second bi-lateral bleed MISS INSOMNIA would now be banned from racing in accordance with AR79(6).

GENERAL:
PORT AUGUSTA - FRIDAY, 17 MAY 2019

Following the running of Race 6 Stewards received a complaint from the mounting yard gate attendant, club official Ms Julie Stanley, in relation to an incident in the mounting yard prior to the running of race 6. Evidence was taken from Ms Stanley, licensed track work riders Ms Theresa Hawkins and Ms Amy Bush. After considering the evidence the Stewards charged Ms T Hawkins under AR228 (c) in that prior to the running of race 6 she engaged in insulting behaviour towards a club official in that she directed foul and insulting language towards Ms Stanley. Ms Hawkins was found guilty of the charge. In assessing penalty, Stewards took into account Ms Hawkins record and her personal circumstances and was fined \$250. Acting under AR283(5) Stewards wholly suspended the fine on the proviso that she does not re-offend any conduct rule within a period of 12 months.

Ms J. Stanley was reminded of her obligations under the rules and advised that in future under similar circumstances she should not respond and or instigate matters during her duties.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (3):

Race 2 - ART MUSIC (winner)
Race 5 - GO BALLISTIC (second)
Race 7 - STONECAST (winner)

SUMMARY

FINES	Miss T. Hawkins - Fined \$250 - AR228(c) - Engaged in insulting behaviour.
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Nil
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 3 - GET IN THE BOWL - Not to race - Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race - Lamé near hind leg. Race 8 - MISS INSOMNIA - AR79(6) - Bled 2 nd time - Barred for life
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil