

**THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT**

**Report on Race Meeting held at Murray Bridge Racecourse
by the Murray Bridge Racing Club on Sunday, 8 September 2019**

Stewards: J. Petzer (Chairman), N. Laskey (F) C. Deakin (HT) (Stewards), T. Vanderstok (M) & A. Streckbein (Cadet Stewards), E. Tickner & H. Matthews (Deputy Stewards), Dr P. Horridge (Veterinary Surgeon).

TRACK: Soft 6 (Moist but not a badly effected track)
Upgraded to a Soft 5 @ 12.05 pm (Track with a reasonable amount of give in it)

RAIL: Out 8 metres 1200 metre chute, 10 metres 800 metres to winning post, 5 metres remainder

WEATHER: Fine with strong winds

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
2	LIVERPOOL LANE	S. Price	D. Tourneur	Overweight
4	EXLATED HANDS	J. Potter		Late declaration

RACE 1: DUTTONS HYUNDAI / SABOIS PLUS MAIDEN/CLASS ONE PLATE - 2000 metres

LORD ROSENTHAL (J. Toeroek) - awkward to begin. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

UNRELATED (T. Voorham) - slow to begin. Inclined to lay in, in the straight.

GRABBING GLORY (R. Clark) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

LE DUPE (D. Tourneur) - awkward to begin. Raced keenly in the early stages of the event. Laid in, in the straight.

SILVER JEWEL (P. Gatt) - Trainer, Mr J. MacMillan advised Stewards prior to the event of a change of tactics in that he would instruct his rider to attempt to settle more forward in today's event. Raced keenly in the early stages of the event.

RACE 2: CARLTON DRAUGHT / SABOIS FILLIES & MARES MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately four minutes.

LIVERPOOL LANE (D. Tourneur) - off hind plate had to be refitted by the farrier prior to the horse proceeding to the barriers. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival at the barriers and was passed fit to race. Laid in, in the early part of the straight and shortly thereafter inside the 400 metres was severely hampered when its running was taken by HOLY DANCER (NZ), which shifted out. As a consequence was taken out across the heels of LOMON TEMBY and onto BUBBLES MCGINTY, resulting in that horse being taken wider and being severely hampered. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 2: CARLTON DRAUGHT / SABOIS FILLIES & MARES MAIDEN PLATE
- 1000 metres (Cont'd)

BUBBLES MCGINTY (J. Chau) - inside the 400 metres was severely hampered by LIVERPOOL LANE, which was taken out by HOLY DANCER (NZ).

HOLY DANCER (NZ) (K. Crowther) - shortly after the entrance to the straight had difficulty obtaining clear running when racing behind and to the inside of WHISHAW'S REWARD. Shortly thereafter inside the 400 metres, shifted to the outside of WHISHAW'S REWARD to obtain clear running and improve its position, as a consequence took the running of LIVERPOOL LANE, which was taken out across the heels of LOMON TEMBY and was severely hampered and shifted out onto BUBBLES MCGINTY, which was taken wider and severely hampered. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge of careless riding under AR131(a) in that she shifted ground when insufficiently clear and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence at midnight on Saturday, 14 September and to conclude at midnight on Saturday, 28 September 2019: a period of five meetings. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 3: BREMERTON WINES / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1400 metres

DR CHOCCY (A Jordsjo) - raced keenly for a short distance approaching the 800 metres and thereafter near the 300 metres, after initially racing in restricted room, was contacted by LET'S GET MARRIED (IRE), which shifted out and thereafter became tightened to the inside of MACSWEEN, which laid in and shifted in. As a consequence, had to be checked and lost its position. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MACSWEEN (G. Lo) - fractious in its barrier stall before the start was affected and as a consequence was slow to begin. Raced keenly for a short distance approaching the 800 metres. Laid in, in the straight and shifted in onto DR CHOCCY near the 300 metres tightening that horse. Rider severely reprimanded and advised to make a greater effort to straighten his mounts when they commence to lay in.

LET'S GET MARRIED (IRE) (S. Logan) - approaching the 300 metres shifted out under riding and contacted DR CHOCCY, which was tightened onto MACSWEEN as that horse shifted in. Rider severely reprimanded and advised to only shift ground when entitled to do so.

REBEL ROMANCE (B. Vorster) - held up from the entrance to the straight for a short distance and thereafter was unable to obtain clear running until near the 200 metres.

ROYAL RING (J. Chau) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SISTER DEE (J. Toeroek) - rider reported the mare was galloped on during the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed lacerations just above the point of the hock and above the fetlock on the near hind leg.

LOVE FROM LUCY (S. Fawke) - shortly after the entrance to the straight became awkward on the heels of ROYAL RING for a number of strides.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow Stewards, the Starter and Apprentice G. Lo to view the start in relation to the manner in which MACSWEEN began. It was determined just prior to the gates being released MACSWEEN became fractious and dropped its head despite the efforts of the barrier attendant. As a consequence MACSWEEN was not able to begin on terms and was slow to begin. Having regard for the fact there was no external factor impacting on the manner in which MACSWEEN began and that it was its own manners, which contributed to it being slow to begin, Stewards were satisfied that it be declared a runner.

RACE 4: MURRAY BRIDGE RACING CLUB GOLD CUP - FRIDAY 18 OCTOBER / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes owing to an interstate delay.

RACE 4: MURRAY BRIDGE RACING CLUB GOLD CUP - FRIDAY 18 OCTOBER / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 metres (Cont'd)

LOHN RANGER (C. Lions) - held up for clear running from near the entrance to the straight until approaching the 200 metres.

WITCHACHAR STAR (K. Crowther) - laid out in the straight. Near the 200 metres became awkward on the heels of **TINNY BAR BLUE** and as a consequence had to alter course to the outside of that horse to obtain clear running.

EXALTED HANDS (J. Potter) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

POYSED TO REIN (P. Gatt) - laid in, in the straight. Had difficulty obtaining clear running for a short distance after the entrance to the straight and was obliged to shift to the outside of **ROYALTY** to obtain clear running inside the 300 metres.

ROYALTY (B. Vorster) - shifted in under riding over the concluding stages and momentarily inconvenienced **SKILLED WIZARD**. Rider reminded of his obligations when his mounts commence to shift ground.

SKILLED WIZARD (G. Lo) - held up for a short distance at the entrance to the straight. Over the concluding stages was momentarily inconvenienced by **ROYALTY**, which shifted in under riding.

UNDESIRE (J. Holder) - raced keenly in the early stages of the event.

SMART VISION (S. Fawke) - 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.

TINNY BAR BLUE (K. Bishop) - in the vicinity of the 600 metres had to be momentarily steadied when racing in restricted room.

DREAM FACTOR (T. Pannell) - laid in, in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 5: TRANS AUSTRALIAN BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1200 metres

PIERRO'S PROMISE (R. Clark) - had difficulty obtaining clear running from near the entrance to the straight until inside the 300 metres when racing inside the heels of **COLLECTIVELY**, which was inclined to lay in.

WITH GRAVY (L. Neindorf) - tightened at the start and near the 600 metres momentarily rolled in onto **LIBERTY'S GIFT** inconveniencing that horse.

OUR BENEVENTO (S. Logan) - lost its near fore plate during the event. Awkward to begin, shifted out and tightened **WITH GRAVY** onto **COLLECTIVELY**.

COLLECTIVELY (T. Pannell) - contacted at the start and was inclined to lay in, in the straight.

HILUMIERE (K. Bishop) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SPARKLING CURRENCY (E. Boyd) - near the 600 metres got its head up when awkward inside the heels of **OUR BENEVENTO** for a number of strides.

BUNDLE O' DIAMONDS (T. Voorham) - awkward to begin, shifted out and contacted **MADNESS INVALENCIA**.

RACE 5: TRANS AUSTRALIAN BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1200 metres (Cont'd)

LIBERTY'S GIFT (K. Lau) - near the 600 metres raced in restricted room to the inside of **WITH GRAVY**, which rolled in and had to be steadied. Thereafter near the entrance to the straight, when attempting to improve to the outside of **ZUME FORWARD** was unable to obtain clear ground as that horse shifted into that run, had to be checked and was obliged to shift to the inside of **ZUME FORWARD** to obtain clear running. Over the concluding stages when attempting to shift his mount to the outside of **WITH GRAVY**, rider was unable to do so when the mare was inclined to lay in.

MADNESS INVALENCIA (J. Potter) - fractious in its barrier stall after being loaded and had to be removed. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to race. Contacted at the start. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ZUME FORWARD (D. Tourneur) - shifted out near the entrance to the straight to improve its position.

RACE 6: NATIONAL JOCKEYS TRUST BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1000 metres

WING SNIPPER (S. Fawke) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding had bled from both nostrils. Trainer, Mr P. Nolan, was advised that as this was a first bi-lateral bleed **WING SNIPPER** was now suspended from racing for a period of three months in accordance with AR79(4) and would be required to gallop 1000 metres in the presence of a Steward prior to accepting for a future race. On further examination, the veterinarian surgeon revealed the gelding to be lame in the near foreleg. Trainer Mr P. Nolan was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the horse for a future trial or race. Trainer Mr Nolan advised Stewards on Monday 9 September 2019 that the gelding would now be retired.

PAPALET (P. Gatt) - laid out in the straight.

DEVONTE (J. Toeroek) - over-raced in the early stages of the event.

RACE 7: DUTTONS ST GEORGE CLASS ONE HANDICAP - 1400 metres

ALLUSION (B. Vorster) - awkward to begin, shifted in and contacted **BEL MOSHE**, which was taken in onto **PANZER PRINCESS**, which in turn was taken in onto **ESCALATOR (NZ)**, which was then obliged to be steadied off the heels of **MISS ELEGANCE**.

ESCALATOR (NZ) (J. Toeroek) - tightened at the start and obliged to be steadied off the heels of **MISS ELEGANCE**. Near the 1000 metres had to be restrained when awkward on the heels of **PANZER PRINCESS**, and got its head up for a short distance. Held up for a short distance near the entrance to the straight.

SUMMER BLAZE (NZ) (K. Crowther) - shifted out at the start and contacted **TATTIES**.

SHINING BRIGHTLY (R. Clark) - awkward to begin. In the vicinity of the 1000 metres shifted out and away onto **COOL FONZY**, which was inconvenienced.

MISS ELEGANCE (T. Voorham) - Near the 1000 metres, after initially racing inside **BEL MOSHE**, elected to shift to the outside of that horse as that horse commenced to shift in slightly. As a consequence, shifted into the running of **PANZER PRINCESS**, which was tightened onto **ALLUSION**. As a result, **PANZER PRINCESS** had to be checked and was unable to maintain its position. As a consequence of this incident **SHINING BRIGHTLY**, shifted out and away onto **COOL FONZY**, which was inconvenienced. As a further consequence **ESCALATOR (NZ)**, which was following **PANZER PRINCESS** got its head up when being restrained and raced ungenerously for a short distance thereafter. Had difficulty obtaining clear running for a short distance shortly after the entrance to the straight.

RACE 7: DUTTONS ST GEORGE CLASS ONE HANDICAP - 1400 metres (Cont'd)

TATTIES (D. Tourneur) - awkward to begin, shifted in and contacted SUMMER BLAZE (NZ), which shifted out at the start.

PANZAR PRINCESS (A. Jordsjo) - had to be checked near the 1000 metres and lost its position.

BEL MOSHE (J. Chau) - contacted at the start. Laid out in the straight.

Following an inquiry into the incident in which PANZER PRINCESS was tightened and had to be checked near the 1000 metres and after taking evidence from A Jordsjo, T. Voorham, J. Chau, B. Vorster, R. Clark and J. Toeroek, Apprentice T. Voorham was charged under AR131(a) for shifting ground when insufficiently clear tightening PANZER PRINCESS onto ALLUSION resulting in PANZER PRINCESS having to be checked and losing its position. The inquiry was adjourned to allow Apprentice T. Voorham to have her Master or another substitute present to assist her at the inquiry. The inquiry was adjourned until Tuesday, 10 September 2019 at the offices of TRSA.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (7):

- Race 1 - GRABBING GLORY (winner)
- Race 2 - SISSTAR (winner)
- Race 3 - GWENT (winner)
- Race 4 - POYSED TO REIN (winner)
- Race 5 - ZUME FORWARD (winner)
- Race 6 - THOMPSON'S REWARD (winner)
- Race 7 - ESCALATOR (NZ) (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 4 - Mr G. Young - Fined \$200 - LR18.1 - Late declaration of rider for EXLATED HANDS.
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 3 - G. Lo (MACSWEEN) - AR131 (a) - Careless riding. Race 3 - S. Logan (LET'S GET MARRIED (IRE)) - AR131 (a) - Careless riding.
REPRIMANDS	Race 2 - S. Price - AR79(4) - Overweight and having to be replaced on LIVERPOOL LANE. Race 4 - S. Fawke (SMART VISION) - AR132(7)(a)(ii)[+3] - Whip offence.
SUSPENSIONS	Race 2 - K. Crowther (HOLY DANCER (NZ)) - AR131(a) - Careless riding - From 14/9/19 and to conclude at midnight 28/9/19 - 5 meetings.
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 6 - WING SNIPPER - AR79(4) - Suspended 3 months - Required to gallop 1000 metres in the presence of a Steward prior to accepting for a future race - Bi-lateral bleed. Race 6 - WING SNIPPER - Not to race - Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future trial or race - Lameness in near foreleg.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Race 7 - Inquiry (T. Voorham) - TRSA Offices - 10/9/19
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil