

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED  
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Strathalbyn Racecourse  
by the Strathalbyn Racing Club on Sunday, 5 January 2020

**Stewards:** S. Callanan (A/Chairman), J. Petzer (HT), N. Laskey (F) Stewards, K. Lemay-Robbins M) (Cadet Steward), A. Bittner, H. Matthews K. Reyson (Deputy Stewards), Dr P. Horridge (Veterinary Surgeon)

**TRACK:** Good 4 (Track with some give in it)  
*Downgraded to a Soft 5 at 11.55 am* (Track with a reasonable amount of give in it)

**RAIL:** True

**WEATHER:** Overcast

**RIDER CHANGES:**

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
2	MAGLEV	P. Gatt	B. Vorster	Indisposed
4	WICKED WARRIOR	"	D. Tourneur	"
5	RAPID RAISER	"	"	"
6	MINT TO BE	"	"	"
6	SCALLOP	D. Tootell		Emergency - Notified
7	CHUCKLES	P. Gatt	K. Crowther	Indisposed

**RACE 1: MIGHTY FARM EQUINE / SABOIS THREE-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1350 metres**

**BRIMARVI ROOBOY** (D. Tourneur) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**MANOR KING** (J. Potter) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Hung out under pressure in the straight. Rider reported his mount travelled well during the event however, when asked for an effort, was inclined to hang out, in particular, in the straight and failed to let down as he had expected.

**STAR CENTRAL** (L. Neindorf) - slow into stride. Held up for clear running from rounding the home turn until in the vicinity of the 150 metres.

**RACE 2: GOOLWA CENTRAL MEATS MAIDEN / CLASS ONE PLATE - 1600 metres**

**MAGLEV** (B. Vorster) - slow to begin. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**NEAR MAGIC** (S. Fawke) - jumped away awkwardly. 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.

**CALYPSO STORM** (K. Crowther) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

**RAYLEIGH** (S. Logan) - contacted a perimeter fence on leaving the mounting yard. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and passed fit to race.

**STOLEN AWAY** (NZ) (J. Holder) - lost it near hind plate during the event.

**RACE 3: MILANG CARAVAN PARK / SABOIS FILLIES AND MARES MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 metres**

**ARCTIC FLORA** (E. Boyd) - slow into stride.

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

**CHARADE** (S. Logan) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

**CHERRY COLA** (D. Tourneur) - inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

**ANTRIM'S SECRET** (J. Chau) - held up for clear running from inside the 400 metres until in the vicinity of the 100 metres. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**LUNAR LIGHT** (B. Vorster) - jumped away awkwardly.

**RACE 4: HAPPY 18<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY AMBER NUTT / SABOIS COLTS, GELDINGS & ENTIRES MADIEN PLATE - 1200 metres**

The start of this event was delayed approximately one minute.

**CHEEKY ATOM** (J. Holder) - contacted on jumping away by **MANRAHAN**, which shifted out. Hung out from rounding the home turn until the finish and in the vicinity of the 200 metres shifted out and contacted **OURKEED**. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**KING SLIM** (K. Crowther) - inclined to lay in under pressure in the early part of the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**TRUE ILLUSION** (J. Chau) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event and got its head up on a number of occasions when being restrained.

**MANRAHAN** (R. Hurdle) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and contacted **CHEEKY ATOM**.

**MEADOWS YOUNG BUCK** (J. Potter) - proved difficult to load. Trainer Mr G. Young was advised a warning had been placed on the gelding.

**OURKEED** (D. Tootell) - in the vicinity of the 200 metres was contacted by **CHEEKY ATOM**, which was hanging out and shifted out

**WICKED WARRIOR** (D. Tourneur) - shortly after the start was restrained and shifted in behind runners.

**RACE 5: NORTHPOINT FLEURIEU FOUR-YEAR-OLD & OVER CLASS TWO HANDICAP - 1200 metres**

**MANNIX** (J. Holder) - inclined to lay out under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**MOVANDI** (S. Cahill) - inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

**RAPID RAISER** (D. Tourneur) - held up for clear running from the 500 metres until shortly after the entrance to the straight.

**CHARMIST** (B. Vorster) - approaching the 800 metres was obliged to be eased and became awkward in its action for a short distance when tightened onto **AURORA RISING** as **MOVANDI** rolled in. In the vicinity of the 500 metres raced in restricted room for a number of strides when racing between **RAPID RAISER** and **SCOUT'S HONOUR**. In the vicinity of the 400 metres was obliged to be momentarily eased when awkwardly placed on the heels of **RAPID RAISER**, which rolled out. Rider reported the mare felt short in its action over the concluding stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**RACE 5: NORTHPOINT FLEURIEU FOUR-YEAR-OLD & OVER CLASS TWO HANDICAP  
- 1200 metres (Cont'd)**

**CAITLIN'S ANGEL** (M. Collett) - jumped away awkwardly.

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

**RACE 6: MIDDLETON TAVERN RATING 0-58 HANDICAP - 2050 metres**

**TUFF CAT** (S. Logan) - raced keenly in the early stages of the event and raced wide through the middle stages. Approaching the 400 metres rolled in slightly onto SCALLOP, which was taken in onto MINT TO BE, which shifted in onto STOPPETT, which was obliged to be checked and lost its position.

**JUST ROLLING** (L. Neindorf) - Trainer Mrs S. Jaensch advised Stewards prior to the event that she would instruct the rider to attempt to be more forward in today's event. Settled at the rear. Slow to begin.

**MINT TO BE** (D. Tourneur) - approaching the 400 metres was taken in by SCALLOP onto STOPPETT, which was obliged to be checked.

**STOPPETT** (K. Bishop) - approaching the 400 metres was obliged to be checked when MINT TO BE was taken in by SCALLOP, which was taken in by TUFF CAT, which rolled in slightly.

**BARSHONTI** (B. Vorster) - rider explained in relation to the gelding's disappointing performance that BARSHONTI did not handle today's track conditions. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**SCALLOP** (D. Tootell ) - Stewards permitted D. Tootell to ride the filly 0.5 kg over its declared weight of 54.5kg as there was no other suitable rider available at the weight. Approaching the 400 metres was taken in by TUFF CAT, which rolled in marginally and was taken in onto MINT TO BE.

**RACE 7: GOOLWA HOTEL BANCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1350 metres**

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes owing to SASSY MANEUVER.

**INVINSKI** (M. Collett) - slow to begin. Rider reported that her mount did not feel comfortable in its action during the event and for this reason elected not to ride the gelding out in her normal manner. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**RED DAZZLE** (J. Chau) - hung out under pressure from rounding the home turn until the finish.

**SASSY MANEUVER** (S. Cahill) - became fractious in its barrier after being loaded. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and ruled unfit to start. Acting on this advice Stewards withdrew SASSY MANEUVER at 4.56 pm. Trainer Mr S. Cahill was advised that the mare was required to complete an Official Barrier Trial or Approval to Race Jump Out prior to accepting for a future race.

**GROOVE WITH ME** (D. Tourneur) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

**CHUCKLES** (K. Crowther) - in the vicinity of the 800 metres was obliged to be eased when racing tight to the inside of MAORI MAGIC. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**STREKOZA** (T. Voorham) - slow to begin.

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**ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (7):**

Race 1 - STAR CENTRAL (winner)  
 Race 2 - STOLEN AWAY (winner)  
 Race 3 - LUNAR LIGHT (winner)  
 Race 4 - LOVE 'N' PEACE (winner)  
 Race 5 - ONE MORE JACK (winner)  
 Race 6 - SHAKOPEE (GB) (winner)  
 Race 7 - ETHICAL SOLUTION (winner)

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<b>SUMMARY</b>	
<b>FINES</b>	Nil
<b>SEVERE REPRIMANDS</b>	Nil
<b>REPRIMANDS</b>	Race 2 - S. Fawke (NEAR MAGIC) - AR132(7)(a)(ii)[+2] - Whip offence.
<b>SUSPENSIONS</b>	Nil
<b>HORSE ACTIONS</b>	Race 5 - MEADOWS YOUNG BUCK - Warned - Difficult to load. Race 7 - SASSY MANEUVER - Suspended - Required to complete an Official Barrier Trial or Approval to Race Jump Out prior to accepting for a future race - Fractious in barriers.
<b>ADJOURNED INQUIRIES</b>	Nil
<b>MEDICAL CLEARANCE</b>	P. Gatt