

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Balaklava Racecourse
by the Balaklava Racing Club on Wednesday, 20 May 2020

Stewards: S. Callanan (A/Chairman) (Steward), T. Vanderstok (HT), A. Streckbein (M) & J. Ho (F) (Cadet Stewards), A. Bittner, H. Matthews, K. Rayson & L. Martin (Deputy Stewards), Dr P. Horridge (Veterinary Surgeon).

TRACK: Good 4

(Track with some give in it)

RAIL: True

WEATHER: Overcast

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
7	BARSHONTI	P. Gatt	D. Caboche	Indisposed
8	PIERRO'S PROMISE	"	D. Tourneur	"

RACE 1: CHEAP AS CHIPS / SABOIS FILLIES & MARES MAIDEN PLATE - 1400 Metres

COOGEE DANCER (S. So) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. In the vicinity of the 400 metres was held up for a short distance and was obliged to shift out to obtain clear running. Laid in from in the vicinity of the 200 metres until the finish.

STRATEGIC AFFAIR (D. Caboche) - weakened from the 400 metres. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 2: AGFERT / SABOIS MAIDEN HANDICAP - 1600 Metres

ALLAYEZ (L. Neindorf) - shortly after the entrance to the straight raced in restricted room inside JAY PEE BEE (NZ) for a number of strides. In the vicinity of the 200 metres raced in restricted room to the inside of JAY PEE BEE (NZ) for a number of strides.

SHOTS (M. Collett) - slow to begin. Hung in under pressure in the straight. Rider explained in relation to the gelding's performance that SHOTS travelled well during the event however, from in the vicinity of the 450 metres hung in and proved difficult for her to ride out. She added the gelding would benefit from today's run. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PRINCE ZACHERY (A. Lindsay) - raced in restricted room on jumping away and was unable to improve its position when racing tight between SISTER DEE, which jumped away awkwardly and shifted out and ALLEYEZ.

SISTER DEE (E. Finnegan) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out. 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 fined \$300.

RACE 3: SCHWEPPE / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1050 Metres

KANZO (L. Neindorf) - rider was dislodged shortly after exiting the mounting yard. Rider was examined by the First Care Medical Personnel and passed fit to fulfil his remaining engagements. Jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and contacted PEARL DRAGON. Hung out throughout the event.

ALPHEUS (S. Fawke) - raced greenly and was inclined to shift about under pressure in the straight.

BAY WAVE (J. Toeroek) - jumped away awkwardly.

PEARL DRAGON (S. So) - on jumping away contacted with KANZO, which shifted out. Inclined to lay out under pressure in the straight.

ROCKATANSKY (A. Lindsay) - raced greenly throughout the event. In the vicinity of the 200 metres raced in restricted room to the inside of ALPHEUS for a number of strides.

CHARADE (S. Logan) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

AUSSIE SOJOURN (P. Gatt) - on jumping away bounded. Shortly after the start raced in restricted room and lost its position when tight between ROCKATANSKY and SHE'S KRUP. Laid out over the final 200 metres of the event.

SHE'S KRUP (D. Tourneur) - hung in under pressure in the straight. In the vicinity of the 200 metres shifted in abruptly and was corrected by its rider, from that point on continued to hang in. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 4: GAWLER SOUTH BAKERY BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1050 Metres

MIHANY (E. Finnegan) - inside the 200 metres was obliged to be restrained as WONDER IF (NZ) shifted in abruptly and RUSHWA rolled out slightly. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RUSHWA (T. Pannell) - over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event. Inside the 200 metres rolled out slightly. Rider reported in relation to the gelding's disappointing performance that the tempo of the race did not suit RUSHWA in today's event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

DOWNS AFTER DARK (C. Jones) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

WONDER IF (NZ) (P. Gatt) - slow to begin and shortly after bumped with PONTYPAUL. Over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event. Inside the 400 metres shifted out to obtain clear running. Inside the 200 metres was inclined to hang in and shifted in abruptly onto MIHANY, which was obliged to be restrained and steadied when tightened onto RUSHWA, which rolled out slightly. Rider was severely reprimanded under AR131(a) and advised to take greater care in future.

PAM'S JOURNEY (S. Cahill) - inside the 100 metres rolled out.

SECRET CHARGE (C. Lions) - held up for clear running from inside the 200 metres until inside the 100 metres where it was disappointed when attempting a tight run between TWICE FORGOTTEN and PAM'S JOURNEY, which rolled out and was obliged to shift in to obtain clear running.

PONTYPAUL (D. Tootell) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and bumped WONDER IF (NZ). Over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event. Inside the 400 metres shifted out to obtain clear running.

RACE 5: HEINIGER / SABOIS TWO-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1050 Metres

AFRICAN AWESOME (T. Voorham) - slow to begin and shortly after shifted in to obtain cover.

ALLEBOOM (C. Jones) - inside the 800 metres shifted in onto **ASTON RAPOVA**, which was over-racing and obliged to be restrained.

ASTON RAPOVA (S. Cahill) - proved difficult to load. Co-Trainer Mr G. Kent was advised a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its loading manners. Inside the 800 metres when over-racing was obliged to be restrained as **ALLEBOOM** shifted in.

ENLIST (L. Neindorf) - on jumping away brushed with **EXALTED FIRE**, which shifted out.

EROKI (D. Tourneur) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted in. In the vicinity of the 400 metres shifted out and away from **EXALTED FIRE**, which rolled out slightly onto **AMBER HAZE**, which was hanging out and was obliged to be checked. Rider was severely reprimanded under AR131(a) and advised to take greater care in future.

EXALTED FIRE (T. Pannell) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and brushed **ENLIST**. Held up for clear running near the entrance to the straight for a short distance and in the vicinity of the 400 metres rolled out slightly. Approaching the 200 metres raced in restricted room and was obliged to be steadied when racing tight between **GHETTO**, which was racing greenly and rolled out and **ZOULY**, which was racing greenly and rolled in. From that point onwards, was held up until in the vicinity of the 150 metres. Thereafter raced greenly for the remainder of the event.

MONTEPULCIANO (J. Toeroek) - jumped away awkwardly.

SO YOU CAN (J. Holder) - jumped away awkwardly. Held up for clear running at the entrance to the straight until in the vicinity of the 300 metres and attempted a run between **GHETTO** and **ASTON RAPOVA**, which was reluctant to improve into that run and therefore continued to be held up until approaching the 200 metres, where it obtained clear ground.

SUPER STRIKER (S. So) - slightly slow to begin and shortly after shifted in to obtain cover.

AMBER HAZE (S. Logan) - hung out rounding the home turn. In the vicinity of the 400 metres was obliged to be checked as **EROKI** shifted out and away from **EXALTED FIRE**.

GHETTO (M. Collett) - raced keenly and greenly throughout the event. In the vicinity of the 200 metres rolled out and proved difficult for the rider to ride out in her normal manner for the remainder of the event.

LEMON TART (S. Fawke) - shortly after the start clipped the heels of **EROKI** and as a result dipped and unbalanced the rider.

ZOULY (B. Vorster) - raced greenly under pressure in the straight. Approaching the 200 metres rolled in.

RACE 6: TAYLORS WINES BENCHMARK 62 HANDICAP - 1050 Metres

BEEOKAY (R. Hurdle) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

DOMINATION (S. Logan) - Stewards received a request from Trainer Mr G. Young prior to the running of Race 1, to remove the Norton bit and add a lugging bit from the gelding's gear for today's event. Stewards acceded to the request and made the relevant announcement.

PAPALET (C. Jones) - over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event. Laid out under pressure in the straight.

SIDESTREET (D. Tourneur) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

RACE 6: TAYLORS WINES BENCHMARK 62 HANDICAP - 1050 Metres (Cont'd)

DASKULYA (K. Bishop) - jumped away awkwardly.

RACE 7: COOPERS RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1600 Metres

RAPID RAISER (L. Neindorf) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Held up for clear running from the entrance to the straight until in the vicinity of the 200 metres.

DIAMOND TYCOON (T. Voorham) - shifted in shortly after the start from its wide barrier in an attempt to gain cover. In the vicinity of the 400 metres dipped for no apparent reason. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FLYING ARION (J. Holder) - raced wide without cover throughout the event. Hung in under pressure in the straight and proved difficult for its rider to ride out in his normal manner. Inside the 100 metres was obliged to be eased as **LAST ONE NAMED** rolled out. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

UNSCOPEABLE (J. Toeroek) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

BARSHONTI (D. Caboche) - slow to begin.

CHARMIST (E. Boyd) - raced in restricted room over the concluding stages of the event and inside the 100 metres rolled out and did not feel comfortable in its action shortly after and for this reason, the rider did not ride her mount out in her normal manner.

HAPPY ATOM (E. Finnegan) - slow to begin.

LAST ONE NAMED (S. Fawke) - inside the 100 metres shifted out and away from **CHARMIST**, which rolled out onto **FLYING ARION**, which was hanging in severely and was obliged to be eased. Rider was reminded of his obligations under AR131(a) and advised to take greater care in future.

RACE 8: ADELAIDE GALVANISING INDUSTRIES BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1300 Metres

ANCIENT HISTORY (IRE) (B. Vorster) - inside the 100 metres when being ridden out, appeared to put in an awkward stride momentarily unbalancing the rider.

HE WILL BOOM (J. Holder) - in the vicinity of the 400 metres became awkward in its action, shifted in and out over a number of strides. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CANIDAE (K. Zechner) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

DOUBLE POCKETS (R. Hurdle) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

VIVALDI'S QUEST (K. Crowther) - in the vicinity of the 400 metres steadied momentarily when tight between **ZUME FORWARD** and **HELPENY**.

SCOUT'S HONOUR (E. Finnegan) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course and passed fit to race. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ORLEANS (J. Potter) - slow to begin losing many lengths. Trainer Mr B. Holtham was advised a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to the way it began.

PIERRO'S PROMISE (D. Tourneur) - held up for clear running from the entrance to the straight until in the vicinity of the 400 metres.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (8):

Race 1 - DISTANT PROMISE (winner)
 Race 2 - HOLY SANGRIA (winner)
 Race 3 - BRIMARVI ROOBOY (winner)
 Race 4 - WONDER IF (NZ) (winner)
 Race 5 - ALLEBOOM (winner)
 Race 6 - DOMINATION (winner)
 Race 7 - RAPID RAISER (winner)
 Race 8 - VIVALDI'S QUEST (winner)

PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (3):

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

Race 8 - HE WILL BOOM, SCOUT'S HONOUR, ZUME FORWARD

SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 2 - E. Finnegan (SISTER DEE) - Fined \$200 - AR132(7)(a)(ii)[+5] - Whip offence.
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 4 - P. Gatt (WONDER IF (NZ)) - AR131(a) - Careless riding. Race 5 - D. Tourneur (EROKI) - AR131(a) - Careless riding.
REPRIMANDS	Nil
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 5 - ATON RAPOVA - Warned - Loading manners Race 8 - ORLEANS - Warned - Slow to begin.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	P. Gatt