

Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Morphetville Parks
Racecourse by the South Australian Jockey Club on
Friday, 30 July 2021



RACINGSA

Stewards: M. Santoro (A/Chairman), S. Callanan (F) (Stewards), E. Scott (HT) & B. Jarman (Cadet Steward), J. Hittmann, L. Martin & E. Santoro (Deputy Stewards), Dr P. Horridge & Dr B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeons).

TRACK: Soft 7 (More rain affected track that will chop out)

RAIL: Out 2 metres 1000 metres to 400 metres, true remainder.

WEATHER: Fine

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	MISS NARRANGA	A. Jordsjo		Late notification - explanation accepted
2	MODRIC	J. Toeroek		"

RACE 1: QUAYCLEAN TWO-YEARS-OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately one minute.

MARDENE (P. Gatt) - inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

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

STARS THE LIMIT (J. Toeroek) - jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin.

YEATS MAHAL (D. Caboche) - slow to begin.

GRACEFUL EAGLE (E. Finnegan) - inconvenienced when contacted on jumping away.

MYSTIC STORM (K. Zechner) - inconvenienced on jumping away when tightened onto GRACEFUL EAGLE by ROYAL DRESS. Inclined to lay out under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ROYAL DRESS (B. Vorster) - shifted in on jumping away and contacted MYSTIC STORM. Raced wide without cover throughout the event.

SMILING FROM ABOVE (S. Metcalfe) - jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin.

STAR ESPRESSO (D. Tournour) - fractious in its barrier after being loaded. Trainer, Mr C. Bieg, was advised that a warning had been placed on the filly in relation to its barrier manners.



RACE 2: BAROSSA FINE FOODS MAIDEN PLATE - 1250 Metres

ARTIFICER (S. So) – jumped away awkwardly. Stewards questioned trainer, Ms D. Wilson, in relation to her leaving the course with ARTIFICER approximately twenty minutes after her race. After considering her explanation Stewards charged Ms Wilson under AR165(3) in that she had removed ARTIFICER from the course prior to thirty minutes after its race. Ms Wilson pleaded guilty and was fined \$200. As ARTIFICER was unable to be examined by the on-course veterinary surgeon as required Ms Wilson was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

MODRIC (J. Toeroek) – laid out over the concluding 100 metres of the event.

SLIPSLOPSLAP (T. Pannell) – underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival at the barriers and was found to be lame in the near hind leg. Acting on this advice Stewards withdrew SLIPSLOPSLAP at 12.50 pm.

SPELMAN (K. Zechner) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Hung out rounding the home turn.

COYOTE (NZ) (J. Eaton) – inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 3: 36° SOUTH BEEF HANDICAP - 1400 Metres

GOING GAGA (J. Eaton) – had difficulty obtaining clear ground from the entrance to the straight until near the 200 metres when awkwardly placed behind WINGS OF PASTRAMI and inside GREETINGS NED.

GREETINGS NED (D. Tourneur) – raced wide without cover throughout the event.

CONSTANZIA (S. Logan) – laid in under pressure in the straight.

RACE 4: GH MUMM HANDICAP - 1000 Metres

BLACK OPAL (J. Eaton) – approaching the 200 metres was inconvenienced when taken wider. Rider reported that in her opinion the gelding had choked down approaching the finish and on pulling up. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

BLUDOG (D. Tourneur) – jumped away awkwardly.

SITTING BULL (J. Toeroek) – approaching the 200 metres became awkwardly placed on the heels of BLACK OPAL and was obliged to alter course to the outside of that gelding and in doing so contacted LIBERALIZED.

LIBERALIZED (R. Hurdle) – raced wide without cover throughout the event. Near the 200 metres was contacted by SITTING BULL, became unbalanced and lost its position when tightened onto MAGIC PHANTOM. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the near foreleg. Trainer, Mr B. Brisbane, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

STAR OF MANHATTAN (M. Aitken) – slow to begin. Shifted out approaching the 200 metres in an attempt to improve and in doing so shifted out onto BLACK OPAL, which was taken out into the running line of SITTING BULL. Rider was reprimanded for careless riding under AR131(a) and advised to make a greater effort to keep his mounts straight when they commence to shift ground.

RACE 5: FLEURIEU MILK COMPANY HANDICAP - 1000 Metres

OLD TIME ROCK (J. Eaton) – laid out under pressure in the straight.

SOUTHERN MAGNOLIA (NZ) (P. Gatt) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.



RACE 5: FLEURIEU MILK COMPANY HANDICAP - 1000 Metres

WIJDAAN (S. So) – raced keenly in the early stages of the event and approaching the 600 metres improved onto the heels of OLD TIME ROCK and had to be steadied momentarily. Continued to race keenly until the entrance to the straight.

EIGHTBALSIDEPOCKET (C. Lions) – jumped away awkwardly.

RACE 6: THE JUNCTION HANDICAP - 1250 Metres

MORIALTA (K. Crowther) – approaching the 200 metres was taken out by PIVOTAL FORCE, contacting TAHNEE TRADITION.

LOMAX (J. Potter) – jumped away awkwardly.

VISTABELLE (NZ) (D. Tourneur) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

RINGFORT (T. Pannell) – shifted out on jumping away onto PIVOTAL FORCE. Laid out making the home turn and weakened from the vicinity of the 200 metres. Rider reported that the mare travelled well in the early and middle stages of the event; however, had not made the home turn and then felt uncomfortable in its action. He added that on return to scale he had become aware that the mare had its tongue over the bit. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ROYAL GUN SALUTE (J. Toeroek) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

GRIMESY (K. Zechner) – raced wide without cover throughout the event.

TAHNEE TRADITION (P. Gatt) – lost its position on jumping away when taken out across the heels of PREAKNESS (NZ) by PIVOTAL FORCE. Approaching the 200 metres became unbalanced for a short distance when its hindquarters were contacted by MORIALTA. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PIVOTAL FORCE (B. Vorster) – taken out on jumping away onto TAHNEE TRADITION. Inside the 300 metres shifted out and away from PREAKNESS (NZ) onto MORIALTA.

AZZURO BIANCO (J. Maund) – in the vicinity of the 300 metres had to be steadied momentarily when it improved onto the heels of RINGFORT and altered course to obtain clear ground.

RACE 7: IRISH RACE DAY AT MORPHETTVILLE - SATURDAY AUGUST 14 HANDICAP - 1250 Metres

MUNSTER (NZ) (J. Eaton) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the rear hind leg. Trainer, Mr M. Hickmott, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

STAR OF UMA (S. So) – raced wide without cover throughout the event. Laid in under pressure in the straight. Rider reported that filly felt short in its action in front on pulling up. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MAGNETIC EDGE (J. Maund) – laid in under pressure in the straight. Stewards questioned J. Maund in relation to his riding of the gelding, in particular over the concluding stages. J. Maund explained that the gelding had commenced to lay in to the extent that he had become concerned that he was entering the running line of STAR OF UMA as he went past that filly. He added that for this reason close to the finish he had stopped riding and taken a stronger hold on his outside rein to correct his mount. Stewards noted J. Maund's explanation, however, reminded him of his obligations under AR131(b) in relation to riding his mounts out to the end of the race.

EXALTED MAXINE (C. Jones) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Laid out under pressure in the straight.

SMART ALICK (S. Metcalfe) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Lost its off fore and near hind plates during the event.



RACE 8: PIKE & JOYCE HANDICAP – 1950 Metres

TIBETAN (NZ) (M. Aitken) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

BUSKER'S BALLAD (D. Tourneur) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for the totality of the use of the whip by D. Tourneur and noted that he used it on four occasions over the final 100 metres of the event.

SWIFT SURE (J. Eaton) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the off foreleg. Co-trainers, Mr M. Price & Mr M. Kent (Jnr), were advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

FRIDAY FUNDAY (K. Zechner) – rider reported that in his opinion the gelding had not handled the track condition. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (8):

Race 1 – ROYAL DRESS (winner)
Race 2 – CELESTIAL ILLUSION (winner)
Race 3 – ZOIST (winner)
Race 4 – STAR OF MANHATTAN (winner)
Race 5 – CHAMPAGNE AFFAIR (winner)
Race 6 – PREAKNESS (NZ) (winner)
Race 7 – LAKE'S FOLLY (winner)
Race 8 – CAMPOBASSO (NZ) (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 2 – Ms D. Wilson – Fined \$200 – AR165(3) – Removed ARTIFICER from the course prior to the prescribed time.
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Race 8 – D. Tourneur (BUSKER'S BALLAD) – AR132(7)(a)(ii) – Whip offence [+2].
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 – STAR ESPRESSO – Warned – Fractious in the barrier. Race 2 – ARTIFICER – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race start – Left the course prior to being examined by the on-course vet. Race 4 – LIBERALIZED – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race start – Lamé near foreleg. Race 7 – MUNSTER – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race start – Lamé near hind leg. Race 8 – SWIFT SURE – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race start – Lamé off foreleg.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil