# Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Murray Bridge Racecourse by the Murray Bridge Jockey Club on Saturday, 5 March 2022

## Stewards: J. Petzer (Chairman), A. Hayles (HT) & C. Deakin (F) (Stewards), A. Deakin, K. Rayson, J. Hittmann, L. Martin & E. Santoro (Deputy Stewards), Dr B. Angew & Dr M. Taylor (Veterinary Surgeons).

TRACK: Good 4

(Track with some give in it)

RAIL: Out 3 metres 1800m to 1000m including, true remainder.

WEATHER: Fine.

# **RIDER CHANGES:**

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	ONE MORE JACK	J. Potter	B. Vorster	Indisposed
2	FAMOUS PRINCE	66 33	66 33	66 33
4	HE EKSCELS (NZ)	66 33	D. Tourneur	66 33
5	SGHIRRIPA	66 33	P. Gatt	(í 3)
7	BLUESTONE LANE	L. Neindorf	E. Wong	Not riding at meeting
7	HE'S EXCLUSIVE (NZ)	C. Rawiller	S. Logan	Overweight
8	JACK'S A CRACKER	E. Finnegan	S. Metcalfe	Overweight
8	MUG'S GAME		K. Crowther	Emergency - Notified
9	TULLYS GOLD		J. Opperman	Late declaration
9	RISING THUNDER		J. Maund	Emergency - Notified

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# RACE 1: SPRY CIVIL CONSTRUCTION HANDICAP - 1400 Metres

FAROOQ (A. Chung) - had difficulty obtaining clear running in the early part of the straight. Approaching the 200 metres improved into a tight run between RITRATTO and WILD WILLY and brushed WILD WILLY.

ONE MORE JACK (B. Vorster) - approaching the 300 metres rolled in and inconvenienced MAGNETIC EDGE, which was taken in.

MAGNETIC EDGE (J. Maund) - was inclined to lay in, in the straight. Approaching the 300 metres became held up for a number of strides behind WILD WILLY when taken in slightly by ONE MORE JACK, which rolled in.

STREET LIFE (T. Pannell) - late scratching by order of the Stewards at 8.27 am acting on confirmed advice from Trainer, Mrs K. Byrnes, that the gelding had sustained a head injury at the stables and would be unfit to start. Trainer, Mrs K. Byrnes, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.



# RACE 1: SPRY CIVIL CONSTRUCTION HANDICAP - 1400 Metres (cont'd)

WILD WILLY (J. Opperman) – raced keenly in the early stages of the event. Near the 200 metres was brushed by FAROOQ, which improved to its inside.

MASTER OF ZERPRISE (P. Gatt) – which had not raced since March 2021, underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to race. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

#### RACE 2: NORTHPOINT MURRYLANDS MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 Metres

A FEW GOOD MEN (P. Gatt) - awkward to begin, shifted in and contacted HEAVENLY AWARD. Raced keenly in the early stages of the event.

BOOGIE NIGHTS (J. Toeroek) – awkward to begin, shifted in and contacted ALPINE BEAU. A postrace veterinary examination revealed the gelding's off hind leg had been galloped on and had a laceration to its posterior mid cannon. First aid was administered. Co-trainer, Mr R. Jolly, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

VINO DECASA NOSTRA (NZ) (S. Logan) - Lost its off fore plate during the event. Inclined to lay in, in the straight.

NOTA SINGLE SECRET (A. Jordsjo) – following the declaration of acceptances, Trainer, Mr A. Bain, made a gear application to add blinkers and a tongue tie to the mare's race gear. Stewards acceded to his request for a late gear change, and Mr A. Bain was reprimanded and advised that, in future, a stronger penalty may be imposed. Near the 1000 metres got its head up when being restrained and raced ungenerously for a number of strides. Commenced to weaken noticeably from inside the 200 metres and as a consequence A. Jordsjo did not ride her mount out in her normal manner over the final 100 metres of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

BELLA SOO (J. Maund) – proved difficult to load and was fractious in the barrier. Co-trainer, Mr J. Hickmott, was advised that a warning had been placed on the filly in relation to its loading and barrier manners.

LOCKDOWN SALLY (T. Pannell) - began awkwardly, shifted out and contacted DANCING STREAM.

DANCING STREAM (D. Caboche) - contacted by LOCKDOWN SALLY at the start.

HEAVENLY AWARD (A. Chung) – awkward to begin, shifted out and contacted A FEW GOOD MEN. Had difficulty obtaining clear running for a short distance approaching the 300 metres and thereafter was able to improve into a clear run between VINO DECASA NOSTRA (NZ) and BOOGIE NIGHTS.

ALPINE BEAU (E. Finnegan) – awkward to begin, shifted out and contacted BOOGIE NIGHTS. Shortly after the entrance to the straight had difficulty obtaining clear running when racing behind A FEW GOOD MEN and COSTA MARGO. Shifted in near the 300 metres, to the inside of A FEW GOOD MEN to obtain a clear run, and thereafter was obliged to shift out wider, near the 200 metres, to continue to improve.

#### RACE 3: BEACHY'S MANNUM HOTEL AND TERMINUS HOTEL BALAKLAVA HANDICAP - 1000 Metres

BRIMARVI VEHERO (C. Rawiller) – contacted at the start by STAR HILLS. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the near hind leg. Trainer, Mr S. Burford, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

STAR HILLS (E. Wong) - awkward to begin, shifted in and contacted BRIMARVI VEHERO.

OCTANE (K. Crowther) – awkward to begin. Momentarily inconvenienced inside the 100 metres by LARIMER STREET, which shifted in.

#### RACE 3: BEACHY'S MANNUM HOTEL AND TERMINUS HOTEL BALAKLAVA HANDICAP - 1000 Metres (cont'd)

LARIMER STREET (P. Gatt) - shifted in inside the 100 metres and momentarily inconvenienced OCTANE.

THE DIFFERENCE (T. Voorham) - rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) in that she used her 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 T. Voorham and noted that she used it on five occasions over the final 100 metres of the event.

# RACE 4: ADELAIDE EVENT CATERING HANDICAP - 2500 Metres

CALL ME SHAMUS (K. Crowther) – rider reported that the gelding raced flat during the event and as a consequence she was unable to take up a midfield position with cover, as intended. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

OATH OF OMERTA (J. Eaton) - raced keenly in the early stages of the event.

TANAKA SON (H. Coffey) – awkward and slow to begin. Rider reported that as a consequence of the gelding being awkward and slow to begin, he was unable to take up a more forward position, as intended. 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 H. Coffey and noted that he used it once over the final 100 metres of the event.

## RACE 5: MAGIC MILLIONS SA 2YO CLASSIC - 1200 Metres

SGHIRRIPA (P. Gatt) – laid in, in the straight and raced greenly over the concluding stages of the event. 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 P. Gatt and noted that he used it once over the final 100 metres of the event.

SHESABOMB (B. Vorster) - rider reported that the filly failed to raise a gallop and took no competitive part from near the 600 metres when placed under pressure, and for that reason he did not ride his mount out in his normal manner from near the entrance to the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the filly to be heavily in season.

ALL SASSED UP (J. Eaton) – awkward to begin. Raced greenly during the event. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) in that she used her 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 J. Eaton and noted that she used it once over the final 100 metres of the event.

# RACE 6: MAGIC MILLIONS SA 3 & 4YO CLASSIC - 1400 Metres

TANKER (D. Tourneur) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

YULONG JUSTIFY (T. Pannell) – approaching the 300 metres when racing behind SHOW SOME DECORUM shifted out to improve and in doing so tightened ANOTHER AWARD onto ZOIST, resulting in ANOTHER AWARD having to be checked to avoid the heels of YULONG JUSTIFY, resulting in ANOTHER AWARD losing its position. Thereafter brushed the hind quarters of ZOIST turning that horses hind quarters. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge of careless riding under AR131(a) for shifting ground when insufficiently clear and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence midnight Monday, 14 March 2022 and to conclude midnight Wednesday, 23 March 2022, a period of 4 meetings. In determining penalty, Stewards took into account T. Pannell's good record and his guilty plea.



ZOIST (B. Vorster) – approaching the 300 metres was brushed by YULONG JUSTIFY, which shifted out, had its hind quarters turned, and became momentarily unbalanced.

# RACE 6: MAGIC MILLIONS SA 3 & 4YO CLASSIC - 1400 Metres (cont'd)

STRIKE EAGLE (R. Hurdle) - co-trainer, Mr T. McEvoy, advised Stewards prior to the event of a change of tactics in that he would instruct his rider to settle back with cover if possible. Settled back with cover. Raced keenly in the middle stages of the event.

ANOTHER AWARD (J. Eaton) – approaching the 300 metres was tightened by YULONG JUSTIFY, which shifted out, onto ZOIST and as a consequence had to be checked and lost its position. Thereafter was obliged to shift to the inside of YULONG JUSTIFY in an attempt to obtain a clear run; however, was disappointed for a run and inside the 200 metres had to be steadied away from the heels of YULONG JUSTIFY, shift out and became held up for clear running between the heels of YULONG JUSTIFY and RATHLIN, which had improved to its outside and had to shift wider on the track approaching the 100 metres before obtaining clear running.

## RACE 7: IRON GATE AUSTRALIA HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

CROWN MINT (J. Opperman) - awkward to begin.

YOUNG JIMMY (B. Price) – approaching the 300 metres was tightened by COOL MAGNUM, which shifted in and as a consequence had to be checked and lost its position. Held up for clear running from near the 200 metres until near the 100 metres.

QUIETLY DISCREET (K. Crowther) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to have post-race colic. First aid was administered. Trainer, Mr T. Stokes acting on behalf of Trainer, Mr P. Stokes, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

BLUESTONE LANE (E. Wong) – approaching the 100 metres was disappointed for a run between QUIETLY DISCREET and DESIRED and was obliged to be steadied and shift to the outside of DESIRED to obtain clear running.

COOL MAGNUM (J. Maund) – approaching the 300 metres shifted in onto YOUNG JIMMY, which was tightened onto the inside running rail resulting in that horse having to be checked and losing its position. Rider was found guilty of a charge of careless riding under AR131(a) for allowing his mount to shift ground when insufficiently clear and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence midnight Monday, 14 March 2022 and to conclude midnight Wednesday, 23 March 2022, a period of 4 meetings.

GRANDMA GAIL (D. Tourneur) – raced keenly in the middle stages of the event and had difficulty obtaining clear running from near the entrance to the straight until near the 200 metres and was obliged to shift out wider to obtain clear ground.

# RACE 8: TOTAL WORK FORCE SOLUTIONS HANDICAP - 1800 Metres

DEEPSTRIKE (NZ) (B. Price) – tightened and hampered at the start by JACK'S A CRACKER, which shifted in on jumping away. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

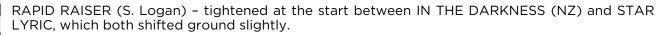
FLOW METER (J. Maund) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to race. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PRINCE OF FENCES (J. Eaton) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be exhibiting signs of the thumps. First aid was administered.

JACK'S A CRACKER (S. Metcalfe) - shifted in on jumping away and tightened DEEPSTRIKE (NZ).

# RACE 9: DAISH IRRIGATION & FODDER HANDICAP - 1600 Metres

DOES IT (NZ) (A. Chung) – contacted at the start by ETERNAL BLAZE. Approaching the finish shifted in and tightened PITRAIN, which had to be steadied for several strides. Rider was severely reprimanded under AR131(a) and advised to straighten his mounts as soon as they commence to shift ground.



# RACE 9: DAISH IRRIGATION & FODDER HANDICAP - 1600 Metres (cont'd)

HARBOURING (T. Pannell) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to race. Got its head up shortly after the start when being restrained and raced a little ungenerously for a short distance thereafter.

PITRAIN (B. Vorster) – shortly prior to the winning post had to be steadied for several strides when awkwardly placed inside of the heels of DOES IT (NZ), which shifted in under pressure.

GOGOLF GURU (J. Toeroek) - lost its near hind plate during the event.

STAR LYRIC (K. Crowther) – shifted out at the start and tightened RAPID RAISER. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ETERNAL BLAZE (S. Metcalfe) – awkward to begin, shifted out and contacted DOES IT (NZ). Rider reported that the filly laid out for a short distance from inside the 800 metres.

IN THE DARKNESS (NZ) (J. Eaton) – shifted in at the start and tightened RAPID RAISER. Rider reported that the filly hung out badly during the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

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#### PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (23):

Blood samples were taken from the following horses for, but not limited to, TCO<sub>2</sub> purposes:

Race 2 - LORD MORTON, VINO DECASA NOSTRA (NZ), NOTA SINGLE SECRET, LOCKDOWN SALLY, DANCING STREAM.

- Race 4 CALL ME SHAMUS, OATH OF OMERTA, BUSKER'S BALLAD, TANAKA SON.
- Race 6 TANKER, YULONG JUSTIFY, SHOW SOME DECORUM, ZOIST, LADY DUNMORE
- Race 7 THRILL KILL, BLUESTONE LANE

Race 8 - DEEPSTRIKE (NZ), MONTEPULCIANO, FLOW METER

Race 9 - RAPID RAISER, SHE'S A KARAKA (NZ), GOGOLF GURU, STAR LYRIC

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ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (10):

- Race 1 ONE MORE JACK (winner)
- Race 2 TWO TIMES TWICE (winner)
- Race 3 LARIMER STREET (winner)
- Race 4 OATH OF OMERTA (winner)
- Race 5 TWIN STARS (winner) Race 5 - ALL SASSED UP (second)
- Race 6 ZOIST (winner)
- Race 7 MUNSTER (NZ) (winner)
- Race 8 SANBLAS (winner)
- Race 9 TULLYS GOLD (winner)

ace 9 - TOLLTS GOLD (WITHER)

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SUMMARY				
FINES	Race 9 - Mr R. Balfour - Fined \$200 - LR18.1 - Late rider declaration for TULLYS GOLD.			
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 9 - A. Chung (DOES IT (NZ)) - AR131(a) - Careless Riding.			
REPRIMANDS	Race 2 - Mr A. Bain - AR206(2) - Late gear notification for NOTA SINGLE SECRET. Race 3 - T. Voorham (THE DIFFERENCE) - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+1]. Race 4 - H. Coffey (TANAKA SON) - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+2]. Race 5 - P. Gatt (SGHIRRIPA) - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+2]. Race 5 - J. Eaton (ALL SASSED UP) - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+2]. Race 7 - C. Rawiller - AR190(3) - Overweight and having to be replaced on HE'S EXCLUSIVE (NZ) Race 8 - E. Finnegan - AR190(3) - Overweight and having to be			
	replaced on JACK'S A CRACKER			
SUSPENSIONS	Race 6 - T. Pannell (YULONG JUSTIFY) - AR131(a) - Careless Riding. From midnight 14/3/22 and to conclude at midnight 23/3/22 - 4 meetings. Race 7 - J. Maund (COOL MAGNUM) - AR131(a) - Careless Riding. From midnight 14/3/22 and to conclude at midnight 23/3/22 - 4 meetings.			
HORSE ACTIONS	<ul> <li>Race 1 - STREET LIFE - Not to race - Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race - Head injury.</li> <li>Race 2 - BOOGIE NIGHTS - Not to race - Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race - Laceration to posterior mid cannon (off hind leg).</li> <li>Race 2 - BELLA SOO - Warned - Loading and barrier manners.</li> <li>Race 3 - BRIMARVI VEHERO - Not to race - Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race - Lame near hind leg.</li> <li>Race 7 - QUIETLY DISCREET - Not to race - Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race - Post-race colic.</li> </ul>			
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil			
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil			