Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville Parks Racecourse by the South Australian Jockey Club on Saturday, 26 March 2022



Stewards: J. Petzer (Chairman) & G. Rudolph (MT) (Stewards), E. Scott (HT) (Cadet Steward), K. Rayson, E. Santoro & L. Murch (Deputy Stewards), Dr B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeon).

PARKS TRACK: Good 4 (Track with some give in it)
MAIN TRACK: Good 4 (Track with some give in it)

PARKS TRACK RAIL: True.

MAIN TRACK RAIL: Out 3 metres 1200 metres to winning post, true remainder.

WEATHER: Fine.

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
3	RISING THUNDER		J. Potter	Late declaration – explanation accepted
5	BAMYAN BUDDA		D. Holland	Late declaration - explanation accepted
7	SAUCEY HORSEY		M. Poy	Late declaration – explanation accepted

RACE 1: THOMAS FARMS HANDICAP - 1000 Metres

AITCH TWO OH (J. Toeroek) - awkward to begin, shifted in and hampered SEPORIA.

PRINCE TIKEA (P. Gatt) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SUPER SHARP (T. Voorham) - proved very difficult to load. Co-trainer, Mr L. Macdonald, was advised that a warning had been placed on the colt in relation to its loading manners. Raced greenly and laid in, in the straight.

AESCULUS (D. Tourneur) - raced greenly in the straight.

MERCHELLE (J. Opperman) - inclined to lay in, in the straight.

SEPORIA (K. Crowther) - awkward and slow to begin, and shortly thereafter was hampered by AITCH TWO OH, which began awkwardly and shifted in. Held up for clear running from near the 400 metres until approaching the 300 metres.

SUPER ALANA (NZ) (B. Vorster) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed the filly to have shin soreness in both forelegs. Co-trainer, Mr G. Kent, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start. Co-trainer, Mr G. Kent added that the horse would now go for a spell.

RACE 2: FURPHY HANDICAP - 1250 Metres

MUNSTER (NZ) (C. Rawiller) - obliged to race wide without cover in the early stages of the event. When being restrained near the 1100 metres, to obtain cover, got its head up and raced a little ungenerously; however, was able to obtain cover thereafter. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

AIGUILETTE (M. Collett) - had its tongue tie refitted at the barriers.

OFFICE JIM (D. Holland) - shortly after the start shifted out slightly and brushed CROWNED KING. Thereafter approaching the 1200 metres was contacted by CROWNED KING, which shifted in and as a consequence had its hind quarters turned slightly.

RIALTOR (S. Logan) - reared on jumping away and as a consequence was very awkward to begin. Settled back in the field. Rider reported that as a consequence of being awkward and slow to begin she was unable to take up a forward position and lead as intended, and was obliged to settle back with cover.

CALL ME CURTIS (T. Voorham) - awkward to begin.

WONAEAMIRRI (A. Jordsjo) - difficult to load. Trainer, Mr S. Irlam, was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its loading manners.

CROWNED KING (E. Wong) - shortly after the start was contacted by OFFICE JIM, which shifted out slightly. Approaching the 1200 metres shifted in and contacted the hind quarters of OFFICE JIM, inconveniencing that horse. Rider was reminded of his obligations to ensure that he keeps his mount on a straight course at all times.

RACE 3: DOMINANT HANDICAP - 1950 Metres

ALL HARD WOOD (M. Lawrence) - rider explained that her instructions were to take up a forward position and she intended to do so; however, from the wide barrier, she was unable to obtain a forward position in the early stages of the event and was obliged to settle further back in the field. She added that the gelding never travelled during the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FRENCH WAR (USA) (B. Vorster) - had to be re-saddled upon arrival at the barriers. Lost its off hind plate during the event. Rider reported that the gelding became awkward in its stride near the 600 metres. Unable to improve its position for a short distance inside the 500 metres owing to the position of runners in front. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MASTER OF ZERPRISE (P. Gatt) - had to be re-saddled upon arrival at the barriers.

PRINCE OF FENCES (J. Eaton) - rider reported that the gelding raced keenly in the early stages of the event.

LEONARDA (K. Crowther) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Inside the 1100 metres got its head up and raced ungenerously for a number of strides.

RISING THUNDER (J. Potter) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to race. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 4: CHARLES MELTON WINES HANDICAP - 1000 Metres

THREE TEARS (L. Lafferty) - laid out from the near the 100 metres.

ALL IMPORTANT (J. Opperman) - slow to begin. Rider explained that as a consequence of being slow to begin he was obliged to settle further back than intended.

COLLIVER (D. Caboche) - laid out under pressure in the straight.



RACE 4: CHARLES MELTON WINES HANDICAP - 1000 Metres (cont'd)

SOMEWATT FABULOUS (J. Toeroek) – awkward to begin, shifted out and contacted SPELMAN. Rider reported that the filly hung out throughout the event. He also explained that it was his intention to settle slightly more forward in running than he did; however, he was neutral on the filly out the barriers and allowed it to find its stride in the early part of the event. He stated that the filly did not show enough natural speed early to take up a slightly more forward position. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SPELMAN (P. Gatt) - contacted at the start by SOMEWATT FABULOUS and raced keenly in the early stages of the event.

EMINENT SON (B. Vorster) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the off hind leg. Trainer, Mr C. Reardon, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

RACE 5: GRAND SYNDICATES - SUPPORTING SA RACING HANDICAP - 1550 Metres

MAX FIRE (C. Rawiller) - rider reported that the gelding raced flat and was disappointing in its effort. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

HARLEYMOVEN (R. Hurdle) - awkward to begin and shifted out at the start.

RESIDUE (J. Eaton) – very awkward to begin, shifted out onto ALPINE BEAU, which was hampered and was then obliged to shift in across the heels of HARLEYMOVEN. Disappointed for clear running at the entrance to the straight and was obliged to shift to the outside of BOOLCUNDA KING to obtain clear running and in doing so took CHARM SLINGA (NZ) wider on the track.

MARACOURT (J. Opperman) - raced wide without cover in the early and middle stages of the event.

CHARM SLINGA (NZ) (B. Vorster) - slow to begin. Raced keenly in the early stages of the event. Shortly after the entrance to the straight was taken wider on the track by RESIDUE, which shifted out to improve.

BAMYAN BUDDHA (D. Holland) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to race.

ALPINE BEAU (J. Maund) - hampered at the start by RESIDUE, which shifted out on jumping away.

RACE 6: THE JUNCTION HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

STRUCK BY (C. Rawiller) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MR MARATHON MAN (GB) (J. Opperman) - lost both hind plates during the event.

EXTRA MILE (J. Toeroek) - rider reported that the gelding laid out under pressure in the straight.

QUIETLY DISCREET (K. Crowther) – rider explained that her instructions were to allow the mare to settle where comfortable. She added that there was limited speed on paper and in her assessment she considered that STRUCK BY would be the likely leader in the event and that she would settle just outside that horse. She further added that her instructions at the mare's previous start, were to obtain cover just behind the speed, having regard for the anticipated pace in the event and her wide barrier. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 7: CLARE LINDOP STAKES - 1600 Metres

MAC 'N' CHEESE (B. Vorster) – approaching the 300 metres was disappointed for a run between SAUCEY HORSEY and FJORD, was contacted by FJORD, which shifted in abruptly of its own accord and as a consequence was severely hampered when taken in over the heels of SAUCEY HORSEY, had to be checked and shifted to the inside of SAUCEY HORSEY to continue its running.

RACE 7: CLARE LINDOP STAKES - 1600 Metres (cont'd)

SAUCEY HORSEY (M. Poy) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed the filly to be lame in the off hind leg. Co-trainers, Mr C. Maher & Mr D. Eustace, were advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

THE MAP (B. Price) - obliged to be momentarily steadied at the entrance to the straight when awkwardly placed outside the heels of STARSONGARI, which shifted out.

RICH GINA (D. Tourneur) - raced keenly in the early stages of the event.

TOROPEAK (R. Tan) - inside the 100 metres was obliged to shift to the inside of FJORD to obtain clear running.

STARSONGARI (P. Gatt) - near the entrance to the straight shifted out to improve and inconvenienced THE MAP, which had to be momentarily steadied.

FJORD (D. Holland) – awkward to begin, shifted out and hampered IN THE DARKNESS (NZ). Shifted in abruptly of its own accord near the 300 metres and contacted MAC 'N' CHEESE, which had attempted a run between this horse and SAUCEY HORSEY. As a consequence, MAC 'N' CHEESE was severely hampered, when taken in over the heels of SAUCEY HORSEY, had to be checked and was obliged to improve to that horses' inside.

LAST GIRL LOVE (J. Toeroek) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed the filly to be lame in the near hind leg. Co-Trainers, Mr T. & C McEvoy, were advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

IN THE DARKNESS (NZ) (J. Eaton) - hampered at the start by FJORD, which shifted out.

RACE 8: CHARLIE HOILE HANDICAP - 1550 Metres

WORDY (J. Opperman) - over the concluding stages of the event and approaching the winning post had its running taken by CAFE RIZU, which initially laid in and then shifted in under riding and as a consequence, clipped the heels of CAFE RIZU, stumbled and was hampered.

CAFE RIZU (B. Price) – inclined to lay in from shortly after the entrance to the straight. Over the concluding stages of the event and approaching the winning post initially laid in and then shifted in under riding, taking the running of WORDY, which was hampered and clipped the heels of CAFÉ RIZU and stumbled, further resulting in ZOUSTORM, which was racing to the inside of WORDY, being inconvenienced. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge of careless riding under AR131(a) and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence midnight on Wednesday, 30 March 2022 and to conclude midnight on Sunday, 3 April 2022, a period of three meetings. In determining penalty, Stewards took into account B. Price's very good record and his guilty plea and other relevant factors. A post-race veterinary examination revealed that the mare was galloped on and had a laceration to the point of its near hind hock. Trainer, Mr W. Clarken, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

TIME WARRIOR (R. Hurdle) - raced very keenly in the early stages of the event.

THE LADIES MAN (D. Tourneur) - after being crossed by EVENTUALLY near the 1200 metres, became very keen and raced ungenerously for a short distance when awkward on the heels of EVENTUALLY. Rider reported that the gelding raced very keenly in the early stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FOX D'OR (J. Eaton) - awkward to begin.

ZOUSTORM (J. Potter) - shortly after the entrance to the straight when attempting to improve between CAFE RIZU and WORDY was disappointed for clear running and was obliged to shift to the inside of WORDY to obtain clear running and thereafter approaching the winning post was inconvenienced when racing to the inside of WORDY, which was hampered and taken in by CAFE RIZU, which shifted in.



RACE 9: ADELAIDE RACING CARNIVAL APRIL 30TH TO MAY 21ST HANDICAP - 1400 Metres

LORD BOUZERON (NZ) (J. Eaton) - on the day of declaration of acceptances, Trainer, Mr M. Hickmott advised Stewards that he had difficulty effecting an online gear application to remove Blinkers from the gelding's race gear. Stewards gave effect to the gear change, however note that some publications still reflected the horse to race in Blinkers. Inside the 600 metres raced in restricted room between CUBAN TOONITE to its inside, and SORRIDERE to its outside which rolled in slightly.

WITCHFULTHINKING (B. Vorster) - rider reported that the mare shortened noticeably in its stride over the concluding 50 metres of the event when it commenced to tire.

GOING GAGA (T. Voorham) - tightened at the start between SORRIDERE and KERMY, which both shifted ground.

KERMY (K. Crowther) - shifted out and tightened GOING GAGA. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

HE'S EXCLUSIVE (NZ) (B. Price) – 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 B. Price and noted that he used his whip on four occasions over the last 100 metres.

TRADEWIND (P. Gatt) - inside the 200 metres was obliged to shift to the outside of KERMY to obtain clear ground.

SORRIDERE (E. Wong) - shifted in at the start and tightened GOING GAGA. Inside the 600 metres rolled in slightly and inconvenienced LORD BOUZERON (NZ) for a number of strides.

PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (6):

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

Race 7 - MAC 'N' CHEESE, SAUCEY HORSEY, THE MAP, PERCEPTIVE, TOROPEAK, FJORD

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ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (9):

Race 1 - AITCH TWO OH (winner)

Race 2 - OFFICE JIM (winner)

Race 3 - SANBLAS (winner)

Race 4 - ASTON RAPOVA (winner)

Race 5 - HARLEYMOVEN (winner)

Race 6 - ANOTHER AWARD (winner)

Race 7 - MAC 'N' CHEESE (winner)

Race 8 - CAFE RIZU (winner)

Race 9 - IMPOSSIBLE ACTION (winner)



SUMMARY				
FINES	Nil			
SEVERE	Nil			
REPRIMANDS				
REPRIMANDS	Race 9 - B. Price (HE'S EXCLUSIVE (NZ)) - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+1].			
SUSPENSIONS	Race 8 - B. Price (CAFE RIZU) - AR131(a) - Careless Riding - From midnight 30/3/22 and to conclude midnight 3/4/22 - 3 meetings.			
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 - SUPER SHARP - Warned - Difficult to load. Race 1 - SUPER ALANA (NZ) - Not to race - Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race - Bi-lateral shin soreness in front. Race 2 - WONAEAMIRRI - Warned - Difficult to load. Race 4 - EMINENT SON - Not to race - Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race - Lame off hind leg. Race 7 - SAUCEY HORSEY - Not to race - Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race - Lame off hind leg. Race 7 - LAST GIRL LOVE - Not to race - Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race - Lame near hind leg. Race 8 - CAFE RIZU - Not to race - Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race - Laceration to the point of its near hind hock.			
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil			
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil			

