

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED  
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Port Augusta Racecourse  
by the Port Augusta Racing Club on Sunday, 30 August 2020

**Stewards:** C. Deakin (A/Chairman), M. Santoro (HT) (Stewards) & A. Streckbein (MT) (Cadet Steward) & B. Hallett, C. Edson (Deputy Stewards), Dr D. Anderson (Veterinary Surgeon)

**TRACK:** Good

**RAIL:** True

**WEATHER:** Overcast

**RIDER CHANGES:**

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
7	AMBERTONE	R. Hurdle		Notified - Late declaration

**RACE 1: DAVIES FAMILY 50 YEARS BENCHMARK 58 HANDICAP - 1498 Metres**

**TUFF CAT** (D. Caboche) - rider reported the gelding travelled well until placed under pressure in the vicinity of the 400 metres and in his opinion, TUFF CAT did not handle the track conditions. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**ORLEANS** (K. Zechner) - laid in, in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed ORLEANS had bled from both nostrils. Trainer, Mr B. Holtham, was advised that as this was the gelding's first bi-lateral bleed it would now be suspended from racing for a period of three months in accordance with AR79(4) and would be required to gallop 1000 metres in the presence of a Steward prior to accepting for a future race.

**PLAYFUL HOST** (D. Tootell) - jumped away awkwardly.

**RACE 2: DARRYL FULLERTON MEMORIAL / SABOIS MAIDEN HANDICAP - 1396 Metres**

**JAY PEE BEE (NZ)** (L. Halliday) - bumped on jumping away.

**ILLUSION DATE (NZ)** - a late scratching at 7.44 am by order of Stewards acting on confirmed advice from Trainer Mr P. Holtham that the gelding was found to be lame in the near hind leg.

**RASHYATHERE** (D. Caboche) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and bumped JAY PEE BEE (NZ). Laid out in the straight. Rider explained that rounding the home turn, the gelding resented the kick back and got its head up for a number of strides.

**RIVER** (D. Tootell) - buped on jumping away.

**SNIP OF TIME** (S. Logan) - laid out throughout the event. 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 reprimanded.

**RACE 2: DARRYL FULLERTON MEMORIAL / SABOIS MAIDEN HANDICAP - 1396 Metres (Cont'd)**

**MENGJUN GLORY** (C. Lions) - shifted out on jumping away and bumped RIVER. Raced ungenerously in the early stages. Laid out in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed soreness in the near hind leg. Trainer, Mr D. Bonetti, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

**RACE 3: BONNETRY / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 Metres**

**ANOTHER WHISPER** (S. So) - reared on jumping away.

**KAMALA KHAN** (K. Zechner) - rider explained the mare did not feel comfortable in its action over the final 100 metres and for that reason, he did not ride out in his normal manner. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**SIMPLY VEIN** (M. Vassallo) - rider was found guilty to a charge under AR131(b) in that he failed to ride his mount out to the finish and was fined \$100.

**TERELLI** (T. Voorham) - laid in, in the straight.

**STRIP CLUB** (C. Lions) - rider explained it was her intention to settle in the lead however, after jumping away well, the filly failed to muster her normal speed in the early stages and laid out from the 800 metres until the entrance to the straight. She added that STRIP CLUB finished the race off well and was of the opinion that the filly may not have appreciated the dirt track. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**RACE 4: AUGUSTA COURTYARD MOTEL BENCHMARK 62 HANDICAP - 1600 Metres**

**SIZZLING BULLET** (M. Collett) - slow to begin.

**PORTAMAGGIORE** (R. Hurdle) - rider explained the gelding travelled well throughout the event however, when placed under pressure in the straight was one paced.

**DANGERPET** (T. Voorham) - knuckled on jumping away.

**RACE 5: HAWKER EARTHMOVERS BENCHMARK 62 HANDICAP - 1100 Metres**

**KNOTTED** (D. Cabcohe) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**PANAGIOTA** (S. Fawke) - shortly after the start became unbalanced, shifted in abruptly tightening the running of MY LESSON.

**MY LESSON** (T. Voorham) - shortly after the start was obliged to be steadied to avoid the heels of PANAGIOTA.

**RACE 6: NORTHPOINT BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1396 Metres**

**MY MOTHER SAYS** (L. Halliday) - tightened on jumping away between AMERICAN STORM and BLUE BALLOONS

**AMERICAN STORM** (R. Hurdle) - shifted in on jumping away tightening MY MOTHER SAYS.

**BLUE BALLOONS** (J. Potter) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out. Rider reminded of his obligations and to ensure that he rides his mounts out to the finish.

**PREDICTS** (S. Fawke) - shifted out on jumping away.

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**RACE 7: THANK YOU TREVOR MORGAN BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1200 Metres**

**AUSSIE JACK** (M. Collett) - raced keenly in the early stages of the event. Raced in restricted room over the concluding stages and as a result was not tested to the line.

**AMBERTONE** - a late scatching at 4.44 pm as the mare refused to proceed to the start. Trainer Mr S. Oxlande was advised a warning would be placed on AMBERTONE.

**PARIS ON FIRE** (D. McWhinney) - knuckled on jumping away.

**CRY OUT LOUD** (L. Halliday) - slow to begin. Shortly after the start was obliged to be steadied when tightened for room between ALL THINGS NICE, which shifted out and A THOUSAND DEGREES, which shifted in.

**JUST KAUTO** (S. So) - laid out in the straight.

**NO PAROLE** (J. Potter) - held up for clear running from the 400 metres until the entrance to the straight. Laid out in the straight.

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**ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (3):**

Race 3 - JETTA JAE (winner)

Race 4 - EAST WEAT (3<sup>rd</sup>)

Race 7 - HABANERO (winner)

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SUMMARY	
<b>FINES</b>	Race 3 - M Vassallo - Fined \$100 - AR131(b) - Failed to ride SIMPLY VEIN out to the finish.
<b>SEVERE REPRIMANDS</b>	Nil
<b>REPRIMANDS</b>	Race 2 - S. Logan (SNIP OF TIME) - AR132(7)(a)(ii)[+2] - Whip offence. Race 7 - Mr S. Oxlade - LR19.1 - Late notification of rider for AMBERTONE.
<b>SUSPENSIONS</b>	Nil
<b>HORSE ACTIONS</b>	Race 1 - ORLEANS - Suspended - AR79(4) - 3 months - Required to gallop 1000 metres in the presence of a Steward prior to accepting for a future race - bi-lateral bleed Race 2 - MENGJUN GLORY - Not to race - Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future trial or race - Soreness near hind leg. Race 7 - AMBERTONE - Warned - Pre-race behaviour.
<b>ADJOURNED INQUIRIES</b>	Nil
<b>MEDICAL CLEARANCE</b>	Nil