

Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Balaklava
Racecourse by the Balaklava Racing Club on
Wednesday, 22 November 2023



RACINGSAA

Stewards Panel: P. Ryan (A/Chairman), M. Zarb (HT) & C. Deakin (F)
Deputy Stewards: L. Martin, C. Benson & A. Turner.
Veterinary Surgeons: Dr T. Koenig.

TRACK: Good 4 (Track with some give in it)
Upgraded to Good 3 at 1.27pm retrospective to Race 1
(Track with good grass coverage and cushion)

RAIL: Out 3 metres 950m to 450m, true remainder.

WEATHER: Fine

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	CALL OUT FEE	S. Tomlinson		
1	PRETENTIOUS DIVA	H. Yuen		Emergency - notified
7	LEBANESE TRADER	S. Fawke	L. Neindorf	Dual engagement
7	MAGIC MORRISS	T. Pannell		Emergency - notified

RACE 1: AUDREY'S ACCOMMODATION, MALLALA FOUR-YEARS-OLD AND OVER MAIDEN
PLATE - 1050 Metres

HISWAY (J. Holder) - began awkwardly. Raced wide without cover throughout the event.

JACKS 'N' DANIEL'S (M. Collett) - near the 900m was steadied to avoid the heels of MANUKA BAY (NZ), which shifted in when insufficiently clear. Near the 300m raced in restricted room for a short distance between ICONIC MISSILE and WORLD AFFAIRS.

LAVA LAD (S. Payne) - hampered at the start when bumped by RICH LADY, which began awkwardly and shifted out.

WORLD AFFAIRS (D. Caboche) - change of tactics - attempt to settle midfield with cover - settled back of midfield. Hampered at the start by MANUKA BAY (NZ), which began awkwardly and shifted out.

MANUKA BAY (NZ) (D. Tourneur) - began awkwardly, shifted out and hampered WORLD AFFAIRS. Near the 900m shifted in when insufficiently clear of JACKS 'N' DANIEL'S resulting in that gelding being steadied off the heels of MANUKA BAY (NZ). Rider was reprimanded and advised to ensure he was sufficiently clear of other runners when shifting ground in future.

OOH LA LILLY (J. Doyle) - raced extremely greenly in the early stages and got its head up on several occasion when being steadied.

RICH LADY (J. Potter) - began awkwardly, shifted out and bumped LAVA LAD. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

RACE 1: AUDREY'S ACCOMMODATION, MALLALA FOUR-YEARS-OLD AND OVER MAIDEN PLATE - 1050 Metres (cont'd)

PRETENTIOUS DIVA (H. Yuen) - slow to begin.

RACE 2: TANIA-LOUISE MAKE UP ARTIST THREE-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1050 Metres

ASTAIRES (L. Neindorf) - raced wide without cover throughout the event. Near the 400m had to be steadied when racing tight between MORLAIX and JAMAICAN GOLD, which shifted in before being straightened by its rider. Rider reported that he felt there may have been something amiss with the gelding's action on pulling up. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CARE TOO MUCH (J. Potter) - hampered at the start by JAMAICAN GOLD, which began awkwardly and shifted out. Near the 400m laid in, and was then obliged to steady off the heels of ALIBIS, which shifted out after being brushed by REGAL DANCER. Held up for clear running from the 400m until near the 200m.

JAMAICAN GOLD (H. Yuen) - began awkwardly, shifted out and made contact with CARE TOO MUCH. Raced wide without cover throughout the event. Near the 400m shifted in before being straightened by its rider. Rider was reminded of her obligations under AR131(a) to stop riding and straighten her mounts when then commence to shift ground.

ME NAME'S HARRY (A. Jordsjo) - raced wide without cover throughout the event. Gave ground quickly over the concluding stages. Rider could offer no explanation for the gelding's performance. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to have jarred up.

ALIBIS (D. Caboche) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course and was deemed suitable to start.

AM I THE DRAMA (S. Logan) - on jumping away was hampered when tightened between COLORADO BULLDOG and CARE TOO MUCH, which was taken out by JAMAICAN GOLD.

MORLAIX (M. Collett) - raced wide without cover throughout the event. Rider reported that the filly was inclined to lay out throughout the event.

RACE 3: MAI & JEAN FASHION / FRANCESCO OLIVE OIL MAIDEN PLATE - 1600 Metres

BOLD DISCENT (A. Jordsjo) - near the 300m had to be checked when tightened for room between MR NAFPLION (NZ) and WHOOPTI FIZZ, which shifted out when insufficiently clear.

CHARLIE'S BRO (T. Pannell) - slow to begin. Held up from near the 400m until near the 200m.

DERVISH (S. Logan) - began awkwardly and lost ground.

HIT THE SLOPES (J. Toeroek) - slow to begin.

MR NAFPLION (NZ) (E. Finnegan) - raced keenly in the early stages of the event. Raced wide without cover for the majority of the event. Near the 300m was hampered when bumped by BOLD DISCENT, which had been taken out and tightened for room by WHOOPTI FIZZ.

NOT SO SHOCKING (NZ) (J. Holder) - held up for a clear run from near the 500m until near the 400m, and again for a short distance near the 300m.

PARSONAGE LANE (D. Caboche) - slow to begin.

URRIPIE (S. Payne) - rider weighed in, in excess of 0.5kg over his declared weight. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR211 and was fined \$200.

ZESTY SPICE (R. Milnes) - went through a plastic running rail on arrival at the start. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and deemed suitable to start. Trainer, Mr B. Campbell, was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding. Raced keenly in the early stages of the event.



RACE 3: MAI & JEAN FASHION / FRANCESCO OLIVE OIL MAIDEN PLATE - 1600 Metres
(cont'd)

MONEY OR THE BOX (M. Collett) – held up from near the 500m until near the 200m.

THAT'S SETTLED (S. Metcalfe) – laid in, in the straight.

WHOOPTI FIZZ (H. Yuen) – raced keenly in the early stages of the event. Near the 300m shifted out when insufficiently clear of BOLD DISCENT, tightening that horse out onto MR NAFPLION (NZ), resulting in BOLD DISCENT being checked. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge of careless riding under AR131(a) and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence at midnight Sunday, 26 November 2023 to conclude midnight Saturday, 2 December 2023, a period of three meetings.

RACE 4: ADELAIDE GALVANISING INDUSTRIES BENCHMARK 62 HANDICAP - 1600 Metres

FLEURIEU FLIPPER (S. Payne) – slow to begin. Rider explained that his saddle shifted back shortly after the start and this may have contributed to the gelding's poor performance. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the near hind leg (2/5). Trainer, Ms R. Day, was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start. Ms Day advised Stewards that the gelding would now be spelled.

ARTERO (S. Metcalfe) – change of tactics – attempt to race more forward – led. Passing the 1000m shifted in when insufficiently clear of WILLYBEAFCTOR resulting in that horse having to be checked to avoid the heels of ARTERO. 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 Wednesday, 29 December 2023 to conclude midnight Sunday, 3 December 2023, a period of three meetings.

WILLYBEAFCTOR (S. Logan) – over-raced in the early stages of the event. Passing the 1000m had to be checked when over-racing to avoid the heels of ARTERO, which shifted in when insufficiently clear.

MISS LANGTRY (S. Fawke) – slow to begin.

MORTGAGE MAN (T. Voorham) – laid in, in the straight.

SIPSMITH (D. Tourneur) – slow to begin.

OFF THE CUFF (A. Jordsjo) – passing the 1000m had to be steadied to avoid the heels of WILLYBEAFCTOR. Held up from near the 500m until the 400m. Lost both hind plates during the event.

RACE 5: GAWLER SOUTH BAKERY RATING 0 - 56 HANDICAP - 1050 Metres

JIMMYS EDGE (S. Metcalfe) – rider reported that in her opinion the gelding was not suited to today's firm track conditions. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to have jarred up.

EASTSIDE DIAMOND (T. Pannell) – near the 100m was obliged to be eased to avoid the heels of WATERHEAD.

RUSTYDUSTYSUNSHINE (R. Milnes) – held up from near the 500m until near the 300m.

A THOUSAND DEGREES (C. Munro) – reared and stood flat-footed as the start was effected losing considerable ground. Trainer, Mr T. Montgomerie, was advised that the gelding would now be required to jump with the field to the satisfaction of Stewards in either an Official Barrier Trial or Approval to Race Jump-out prior to accepting for a future race.

SAMESYN (D. Tourneur) – fractious in the barriers. Trainer, Mr J. O'Connor, was advised that a warning had been placed on the mare. Slow to begin and slow to muster early speed despite the efforts of its rider.

UTAH JOE (J. Potter) – held up from near the 500m until near the 300m.



RACE 6: TQCSI FOUR-YEAR-OLD & UP MARES BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

MYRTLE CREEK (NZ) (J. Opperman) - near the 300m was taken in by STAR ESPRESSO, then had difficulty obtaining clear running near the 200m for a short distance. Rider reported that in his opinion the mare did not appreciate racing to the inside of runners today. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

DASH IT (J. Doyle) - slow to begin.

LOOKS LIKE A LADY (S. Logan) - rider reported that her saddle shifted in the straight and for this reason she had difficulty riding her mount out in her normal manner over the concluding 200m of the event.

LOTTO FIGHT (D. Tourneur) - near the 700m had to be steadied to avoid the heels of MAGICCOURT, which had been checked.

MAGICCOURT (L. Neindorf) - near the 700m raced in restricted room to the inside of JURA MAC, which was racing tight to the inside of FLUFFY BUNNY FEET. After passing the 700m became extremely unbalanced resulting in the rider having to check his mount and losing ground. As the Stewards could not hold any one rider fully responsible for this incident no action was taken other than to instruct riders to do their best to protect their fellow riders when in similar circumstances. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a small laceration to the off fore fetlock.

ZERO INN (A. Jordsjo) - laid out rounding the home turn.

RACE 7: TAYLORS WINES FOUR-YEAR-OLD & UP ENTIRES & GELDINGS BENCHMARK 58 HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

POOL PONY (C. Reynolds) - slow to begin.

SUPER SHARP (H. Yuen) - hung in, in the straight. Rider reported that near the 400m she lost the use of her near side rein for a short distance and as a result became unbalanced whilst trying to regain it. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CHARLESFORT (J. Toeroek) - rider reported that the gelding may not have been suited by today's firm track conditions. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PLAISIR (S. Tomlinson) - over-raced in the early stages of the event. Rider reported that the gelding laid in under pressure in the straight.

ALPINE BEAU (D. Caboche) - slow to begin.

MAGIC MORRISS (T. Pannell) -trainer, Ms R. Day, made a submission to Stewards that the gelding be a late scratching due to the track upgrade. Stewards acceded to the request and declared MAGIC MORRISS a late scratching at 3.47pm.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (7):

- Race 1 - LITTLE BIT CHAI (winner)
 - Race 2 - REGAL DANCER (winner)
 - Race 3 - HIT THE SLOPES (winner)
 - Race 4 - ENTERPRISE JEWEL (winner)
 - Race 5 - CATALINA BLUE (winner)
 - Race 6 - ZERO INN (winner)
 - Race 7 - COSTLESS (winner)
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SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 3 - S. Payne (URRIPIE) - Fined \$200 - AR211 - Weighed in, in excess of 0.5kg over his declared weight.
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Race 1 - D. Tourneur (MANUKA BAY (NZ)) - AR131(a) - Careless riding.
SUSPENSIONS	Race 3 - H. Yuen (WHOOPTI FIZZ) - AR131(a) - Careless riding - From midnight 26/11/23 to midnight 02/12/23 - 3 meetings. Race 4 - S. Metcalfe (ARTERO) - AR131(a) - Careless riding - From midnight 29/11/23 to midnight 3/12/23 - 3 meetings.
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 3 - ZESTY SPICE - Warned - Pre-race behaviour. Race 4 - FLEURIEU FLIPPER - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start - Lameness near hind leg (2/5). Race 5 - A THOUSAND DEGREES - Suspended - Must jump away with the field to the Stewards satisfaction prior to a future race start - Reared and stood-flat footed. Race 5 - SAMESYN - Warned - Fractious in the barriers.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil

