

**THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED**  
**STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT**

**Report on Race Meeting held at Murray Bridge Racecourse**  
**by the Murray Bridge Racing Club on Wednesday, 30 April 2008**

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**Stewards:** M. Santoro (A/Chairman), J. Petzer (M), P. Anderson (HT) & L. Smith (Stewards), M. White (F) (Deputy Steward), Dr. P. Horridge (Veterinary Surgeon)

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**TRACK:** Dead 4

**WEATHER:** Overcast

**Rail:** True

**RACE 1 : WINNING EDGE PRESENTATIONS / SABIS 2YO SPECIAL CONDITIONS**  
**HANDICAP - 1000 metres**

The start of this event was delayed two minutes owing to D. Robinson being dislodged from IMPOSSIBLE en route to the barriers and that filly galloping riderless for a short distance. D. Robinson was uninjured. After being recaptured IMPOSSIBLE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon at the barriers and passed fit to start.

BRING THEM ON (G. Hoobin) was slow to begin.

MISTY WOODS (D. Tourneur) shifted out on jumping away and inconvenienced FIRER ME (L. Hopwood).

ZARBIKA (J. Potter), which raced greenly throughout the event, became awkwardly placed on the heels of BE ELLE KAY (P. Gatt) in the vicinity of the 800 metres and had to be restrained. In consequence LEFTBANK LADY (J. Lyon) had to be eased off the heels of ZARBIKA.

Approaching the 400 metres EMEYESIXBEE (J. Maund) shifted out slightly in an attempt to improve and brushed LIGHTNING LLOYD (C. Lindop).

Near the 400 metres IMPOSSIBLE (D. Robinson) shifted out and brushed the hindquarters of GO LIZZY (T. Baker), which rolled back in slightly.

BE ELLE KAY (P. Gatt) was inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

P. Gatt, the rider of BE ELLE KAY, explained the filly had been a touch slow to begin but he found himself positioned slightly forward of mid-field and he felt the filly had not travelled from the vicinity of the 900 metres until inside the 600 metres, however, at this stage it grabbed the bit and he felt it would run on well. He added that BE ELLE KAY was inclined to lay in, in the straight, and in his opinion had only finished off the race fairly. BE ELLE KAY, which performed below expectations, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

**RACE 2 : CARLTON DRAUGHT DISTANCE MAIDEN PLATE - 2200 metres**

MAXIMUS GOLD (M. Hoppo) shifted out on jumping away making contact with NUCLEAR GLOW (D. Tourneur).

BASIE BLUES (B. Claridge) was slow to begin.

BOOKER TEE (D. Tootell) raced keenly in the early stages of the event when being restrained off the heels of BITOFADREAMER (J. Lyon).

## **RACE 2 : CARLTON DRAUGHT DISTANCE MAIDEN PLATE - 2200 metres (Cont'd)**

In the vicinity of the 500 metres BASIE BLUES (B. Claridge) became held up for a short distance when that gelding improved onto the heels of BOOKER TEE (D. Tootell), which had commenced to weaken.

In the vicinity of the 400 metres BOOKER TEE (D. Tootell), which had commenced to give ground, shifted out slightly and had to be restrained off the heels of TOMS RAGE (D. Robinson).

BASIE BLUES (B. Claridge) was inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight and in the vicinity of the 200 metres shifted in behind the heels of NUCLEAR GLOW (D. Tourneur) obliging B. Claridge to stop riding and alter course to the outside of that gelding.

Inside the 50 metres BASIE BLUES (B. Claridge) shifted in under riding onto NUCLEAR GLOW (D. Tourneur), which was forced to race in restricted room for a short distance. B. Claridge was reminded of his obligations when shifting ground.

BITOFADREAMER was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the filly had suffered a bi-lateral bleeding attack during the event. Mr. D. Aldridge, the Trainer of BITOFADREAMER, was advised the filly was now suspended from racing for a period of three months in accordance with ARR.53A.

BOOKER TEE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding was tying up over the hindquarters. First Aid was administered.

## **RACE 3 : MURRAYLANDS OFFROAD AND BOATING / SABIS FILLIES & MARES MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 metres**

On jumping away CALL CENTRE (C. Lever) shifted out, tightening CREATIVE SONG (D. Tourneur), which was inconvenienced, onto DISCO SCENE (M. Hoppo).

PRIDELANDS (G. Hoobin) raced keenly in the early stages of the event and was inclined to get its head up and race greenly.

In the vicinity of the 400 metres DISCO SCENE (M. Hoppo) was retired from the event. DISCO SCENE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the filly had fractured its off foreleg and was humanely euthanased.

In the vicinity of the 300 metres DELTA DANE (T. Zanker) shifted in slightly under pressure onto PRIDELANDS (G. Hoobin), which had to be eased, In being eased PRIDELANDS over-reacted and became severely unbalanced for a short distance. T. Zanker was reprimanded and advised in future she would be required to make a greater effort to keep her mounts straight.

GERNALY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the mare had suffered a bi-lateral bleeding attack during the event. Mr. M. Clarken, the Trainer of GERNALY, was advised the mare was now suspended from racing for a period of three months in accordance with ARR.53A.

## **RACE 4 : CARLTON DRAUGHT / SABIS 3YO CLASS 2 HANDICAP - 1400 metres**

CHAVELLI (T. Zanker) reared on jumping away and shifted out, making contact with SHORTBRED (G. Hoobin).

Shortly after entering the straight JALEO (NZ) (C. Lindop) raced in restricted room and was unable to obtain clear ground until approaching the 100 metres when positioned behind SAINTS BAY (S. Price) and inside SEA FINNISS ZIP (T. Baker).

**RACE 5 : MURRAYLANDS TOURISM MARKETING 4UP RATING 0 – 62 HANDICAP - 1400 metres**

Inside the 600 metres DON'T TELL KEL (J. Maund) shifted out taking MA J'ANNA (K. Stra) and BOSS VEGAS (T. Zanker) wider on the track.

From the 500 metres until the entrance to the straight HOODWINKER (C. Lindop) was unable to obtain clear ground when racing behind WELL ACTED (J. Potter), which had commenced to weaken.

In the vicinity of the 300 metres WELL ACTED (J. Potter) shifted in slightly and inconvenienced SHAKLA ZULU (M. Hoppo), which had commenced to give ground.

**RACE 6 : SELECT WEALTH SOLUTIONS RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 1600 metres**

OOLITE (M. Neilson) raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

From the vicinity of the 600 metres until inside the 500 metres BELLA GRANDE (S. Bailey) became held up when racing on the heels of SANDBUNKER (NZ) (L. Hopwood) and inside of ROY RAJAS (T. Baker).

In the vicinity of the 400 metres VIVONNE BAY (B. Petherick) became held up when disappointed for a tight run between BRENNUS (D. Tourneur) and ONDELAY (T. Zanker) and was unable to obtain clear ground until the vicinity of the 300 metres. B. Petherick was advised in future to ensure there was sufficient room before attempting runs.

Approaching the 200 metres VIVONNE BAY (B. Petherick) was forced to be checked and lose its position when attempting a run between BRENNUS (D. Tourneur), which rolled in slightly, and ONDELAY (T. Zanker), which shifted out slightly.

MISS ECHUCA, which performed poorly, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

**RACE 7 : REQUEST PERSONNEL RATING 0 – 75 HANDICAP - 1000 metres**

Acting on confirmed advice from Mr. J. O'Connor, the Trainer of GO GIGGLE, that the gelding was unfit to race, Stewards withdrew GO GIGGLE at 9.19 am.

POSITIVE ACTION (L. Hopwood) reared on jumping away and shortly after was inconvenienced by MASTER MOOD (T. Zanker), which shifted out and made contact with that gelding.

Shortly after entering the straight AMENGEE (B. Petherick) and SHANGHAI LIL (M. Hoppo) came together and bumped. These two horses made contact on a number of occasions until near the 300 metres.

BILLY BAROO (M. Neve) became held up for a short distance inside the 400 metres until near the 300 metres when racing on the heels of SHOWING (D. Tootell).

HAPPY LARRY (C. Lindop) was inclined to lay in over the concluding 200 metres.

Correct Weight for this event was delayed to allow B. Petherick, the rider of the third placegetter AMENGEE, to view the official footage in the straight.

**RACE 8 : HOTELIERS RACEDAY – 21 MAY COLTS, GELDINGS AND ENTIRES MAIDEN  
PLATE - 1200 metres**

DYONYSIS (D. Tourneur) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out making contact with GIFT OF KNOWLEDGE (S. Price).

KENFORCE (M. Vassallo) was slow to begin.

BOS BOVIS (C. Lever) got its head up shortly after jumping away.

The saddle on PERIGEE slipped forward shortly after the start placing jockey G. Hoobin at a disadvantage for the remainder of the race. As a consequence of the saddle slipping, PERIGEE made the turn in the vicinity of the 800 metres extremely awkwardly and shifted out taking KENFORCE (M. Vassallo) wide on the track.

DANCE WICKED (C. Lindop) raced keenly in the early stages of the event.

In the vicinity of the 200 metres GIFT OF KNOWLEDGE (S. Price) shifted in abruptly and inconvenienced ZIPPYAZ (T. Baker), which was forced to steady.

Inside the 200 metres MOGGADEN (J. Maund) shifted in under pressure inconveniencing BARTER TIME (M. Hoppo), which was tightened onto DANCE WICKED (C. Lindop). J. Maund was reminded of his obligations when his mounts commence to shift ground.

Correct Weight for this event was delayed to allow M. Hoppo, the rider of the fourth placegetter BARTER TIME, and that gelding's Trainer, Mr. P. Macdonald, to view the official footage in the straight.

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**SWAB SAMPLES:**

Race 4 - WHERE'S SPOGGY (second)

Race 7 - BILLY BAROO (winner)

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**RIDER CHANGES:**

<b>Race</b>	<b>Horse</b>	<b>Rider</b>	<b>Replaced By</b>	<b>Reason</b>
5	MORGANITE	T. Baker		Late notification – Trainer Mr. P. Potter fined \$50 LR.18.1.
5	KULIG	J. Lyon		Notified.
5	UPMARKET ANGLAISE	B. Petherick		“

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