

# Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Quorn Racecourse  
by the Quorn Racing Club on Saturday, 21 August  
2021



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Stewards: T. Vanderstok (A/Chairman) & M. Zarb (HT) (Steward), E. Scott (F) (Cadet Steward),  
A. Deakin (Deputy Steward), Dr R. Absalom (Veterinary Surgeon).

TRACK: Good / Dirt

RAIL: True

WEATHER: Fine

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RACE 1: GLANVILLE HOTEL/TRANSCONTINENTAL HOTEL/ CROMBIE'S BULK HAULAGE/  
BURY PLUMBING MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 Metres

CHOOSE YOURSELF (E. Wong) - slow to begin.

MEGAPHONE (M. Vassallo) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

SPIRITED SEDITION (E. Annells) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 2: MAX CRANES/QUANDONG CAFE/QUORN IGA/DENTAL ON COMMERCIAL  
BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

VEGAN (D. Stra) - near the 900 metres lost its position when it was obliged to be restrained to avoid the heels of CHUCKLES, which shifted in.

CHUCKLES (E. Wong) - near the 900 metres shifted in onto VEGAN, which was obliged to be restrained and lost its position. Rider was reprimanded under AR131(a) for careless riding.

SCALLOP (E. Annells) - slow to begin.

RACE 3: T&C DISTRIBUTORS AUSTRALIA/CARLING FUEL DISTRIBUTORS/P&C MARTIN  
CONTRACTORS BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1400 Metres

LUGA LAD (E. Wong) - 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 fined \$100. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for the totality of the use of the whip by E. Wong and noted that he used it on seven occasions over the concluding 100 metres of the event.

DUKE OF CHRISTOPHE (S. Fawke) - unable to jump away with the field when its barrier gate was delayed in opening, placing the gelding at a disadvantage and was subsequently declared a non-runner. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.



RACE 3: T&C DISTRIBUTORS AUSTRALIA/CARLING FUEL DISTRIBUTORS/P&C MARTIN CONTRACTORS BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1400 Metres (cont'd)

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow S. Fawke (DUKE OF CHRISTOPHE), placed fifth, to view the vision of the start. After doing so S. Fawke made a submission to Stewards that he was denied a fair start. After viewing the vision, taking evidence from the Starter, A. Lowery, and S. Fawke, Stewards declared DUKE OF CHRISTOPHE a non-runner as they were of the opinion that the horse was denied a fair start under AR204. Stewards ordered that the monies invested on DUKE OF CHRISTOPHE prior to the time of its withdrawal be subject to the deductions of 49 cents in the dollar for the win and 26 cents in the dollar for the place.

RACE 4: LION NATHAN BREWERY/LKM HAIR DESIGNERS/REX DAVIES CRASH REPAIR/NUTRIEN AG SOLUTIONS BM 54 HCP - 1400 Metres

Prior to the running of this race the starting gates were inspected by the Starter to ensure they functioned correctly.

The start of this event was delayed approximately four minutes.

ANOTHER WHISPER (D. Stra) - fractious in the barriers. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to start. Rider was examined by the First Care Medical personnel and was passed fit to fulfil her remaining engagements.

OUR TREASURE TROVE (E. Wong) - hung out under pressure rounding the home turn.

ART MUSIC (S. Fawke) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

CHOUX BACQUAT (NZ) (M. Vassallo) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

RACE 5: OZ MINERALS CARRAPATEENA QUORN CUP - 1900 Metres

GRINZINGER STAR (NZ) (A. Livesey) - contacted on jumping away.

SIZZLING BULLET (E. Wong) - jumped away awkwardly.

BALDY (M. Henderson) - shifted out on jumping away contacting GRINZINGER STAR (NZ).

RACE 6: TABCORP/CRITERION HOTEK/RJC EVANS & CO/ELDERS INSURANCE BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1100 Metres

CASE CLOSED (M. Vassallo) - jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin.

KISSABLE EIGHT (S. So) - raced wide without cover from in the vicinity of the 800 metres. Rider reported that in her opinion the mare may not have handled the dirt track. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ZIPADEE (A. Livesey) - rider reported that her mount hung out throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

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GENERAL:

Stewards questioned trainer, Mr M. Moosha, in relation to him presenting CASE CLOSED into the parade ring for race 4 when CHOUX BACQUAT (NZ) had accepted for this event. After considering his explanation, Mr Moosha pleaded guilty to a charge under AR99(b) in that he failed to present the correct horse and was fined \$500. In determining penalty Stewards took into account that there was no intent on the part of Mr Moosha and that he had been involved in the racing industry for approximately 20 years and had not committed an offence of this nature previously.

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ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (2):

Race 2 - ADDICTIONS (winner)  
Race 5 - GRINZINGER STAR (NZ) (winner)  
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SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 3 - E. Wong (LUGA LAD) - Fined \$100 - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+3]. Race 4 - Mr M. Moosha - Fined \$500 - AR99(b) - Failed to present the correct horse in the mounting enclosure.
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Race 2 - E. Wong (CHUCKLES) - AR131(a) - Careless riding.
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Nil
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil