

# Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Hawker Racecourse  
by the Hawker Racing Club on Saturday, 30 May  
2026



Stewards Panel: R. Kenny (A/Chairman), M. Zarb (F) & A. Deakin (MT).  
Deputy Stewards: D. Jonas  
Veterinary Surgeons: Dr D. Anderson.

TRACK: Good/Dirt (More loosened surface than fast, some kickback may be evident)

RAIL: True.

WEATHER: Overcast.

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
3	SHA NA NA	S. Terachi		Late notification - Explanation accepted
5	SAZERAC	M. Henderson		"

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RACE 1: HAWKER GENERAL STORE & POST OFFICE / INTEGRATED SHEARING MAIDEN  
PLATE - 1400 Metres

KOHALA (A. Webb) - near the 850m when racing in restricted room shifted out and bumped VALOR BOUND.

ASHREIGN (D. Caboche) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

VALOR BOUND (W. Cave) - near the 1300m rider had to take hold of his mount to avoid the heels of CALVISIO, which made the turn awkwardly. Raced wide without cover throughout the event. Near the 850m was bumped by KOHALA. Hung in under pressure in the straight.

CALVISIO (J. Gutte) - made the turn near the 1300m awkwardly and shifted out onto VALOR BOUND. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 2: ELDERS MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 Metres

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

MERCHANT OF GREECE (NZ) (S. Terachi) - after becoming fractious in the horse transport vehicle enroute to the course underwent a pre-race veterinary examination which revealed the gelding to have minor abrasion to the offside hip and therefore would be unsuitable to start. Acting on this advice Stewards declared MERCHANT OF GREECE (NZ) a late scratching at 12.56pm.

FOXY GISELLA (J. Gutte) - laid in rounding the home turn and under pressure in the straight.

MIZ ARYA (W. Cave) - began awkwardly.

RACE 3: SMULDERS CONTRACTING BENCHMARK 58 HANDICAP - 1100 Metres

CHEF MILITAIRE (M. White) - Hung in, in the straight.

TANNA (M. Henderson) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

ME NAME'S HARRY (A. Stone) - rider reported that she had difficulty obtaining clear running at the 250m.

MY CRACKLING (J. Gutte) - rider reported that she had to steady her mount near the 250m when racing tightly to the inside of TANNA.

LADY MEMPHIS (S. Metcalfe) - on arrival on course underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed suitable to start.

SHA NA NA (S. Terachi) - jumped away awkwardly.

EASTSIDE DIAMOND - as there was no rider available, Stewards declared EASTSIDE DIAMOND a late scratching at 8.53am.

RACE 4: PORT AUGUSTA TOYOTA HAWKER CUP (HEAT 1 OUTBACK CUPS SERIES)- 1750 Metres

ICHIBANSAN (J. Gutte) - rider reported that the gelding is better suited when able to settle on pace and resented the kickback in today's event. She further added that the gelding responded well to her riding in the straight and finished the event off strongly. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

DOCTOR ROBERT (NZ) (A. Webb) - following the declaration of acceptances trainer, Mr G. Lynch, made a gear application to add an offside bubble cheeker to the gelding's race gear. Stewards acceded to this request and acting under AR206(2) fined Mr Lynch \$100.

POOL PONY - as there was no rider available, Stewards declared POOL PONY a late scratching at 8.08am.

QUICK QUDOS (GB) (A. Stone) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

STAR CASINO (A. Goindasamy) - rider reported that the gelding did not handle today's track conditions, resented the kickback and did not respond to his riding when placed under pressure. A post-race veterinary examination which revealed no visible abnormalities.

CARASHAN CHLOE (S. Metcalfe) - jumped away awkwardly.

RACE 5: HAWKER EARTHMOVERS RATING 0-52 HANDICAP - 1400 Metres

HAMILTON BROWN (A. Webb) - rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) in that she used her whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100m and was fined \$200. In determining penalty, Stewards had regard for the totality of the use of the whip by A. Webb and noted that she used her whip on eight occasions over the last 100 metres. Rider was reprimanded under AR132(7)(a)(i) in that she used her whip in consecutive strides prior to the 100m.

SAZERAC (M. Henderson) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

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PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (3):

Blood samples were taken from the following horses for, but not limited to, TCO<sub>2</sub> purposes:

Race 1: TO CATCH A SPIETH.  
Race 4: ICHIBANSAN, DOCTOR ROBERT (NZ).  
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ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (2):

Race 3 - LADY MEMPHIS (winner)

Race 4 - CARASHAN CHLOE (winner)

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SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 4 - Mr G. Lynch - Fined \$100 - AR206(2) - Late gear application for DOCTOR ROBERT (NZ). Race 5 - A. Webb (HAMILTON BROWN) - Fined \$200 - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+8].
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Race 5 - A. Webb (HAMILTON BROWN) - AR132(7)(a)(i) - Use of the whip in consecutive strides.
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Nil
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil

