



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Otago Racing Club	Date: Tuesday the 1 st of November 2011
Weather: Fine	Track: Dead 5 Rail: True
Stewards: M Davidson (Chairman), A Ray and J McLaughlin	
Typist: M O'Brien	

GENERAL:

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SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	GOLD LEAF, HERNANDEZ, ON THE TAKE, ORTEM FIRE, MR TRIMBOLE, IMTHEJOKER, GRAND ADMIRAL, THE PEARLER, CONFUSED, NIGHT LIFE.
Suspensions:	R 2 – C Johnson – careless riding 75m, Rule 638(1)(d) – suspended from the 2 nd to the conclusion of racing on 8 th November (4 Days) R 3 – A Webb – careless riding 300m, Rule 638(1)(d) – suspended from the 2 nd to the conclusion of racing on 9 th November (1 week)
Fines:	R 7 – B and S Anderton – presenting MAIN EVENT to race in un-notified gear – Rule 616(3) – fined \$100
Warnings:	R 7 – S Muniandy – careless riding 638(1) (d) shifting ground 150m
Embargos:	R 1 – SENEGAL – Must barrier trial R 3 – GINTY'S CHOICE – Must barrier trial
Horse Actions:	
Bleeders:	
Medical Certificates:	T Direen - certificate of clearance received
Rider Changes:	

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	MORNINGTON TAVERN 1200
<p>GOLD LEAF was slow to begin. LA GEE, DRUMHILL and HOWITWAS all raced keenly over the early stages. APPARENT got his head up and raced keenly approaching the first turn. HOWITWAS who continued to race keenly shifted out on the bend at the 800m shifting TAPDANO and PUDDLE ALLEY wider on the track. IGLESIA BAY raced fiercely for some distance approaching the first turn. HOWITWAS again shifted out passing the 600m making contact with PUDDLE ALLEY who was again forced wider on the track. GOLD LEAF was inclined to lay in throughout the final straight. Passing the 200m PUDDLE ALLEY was denied a marginal run to the inside of MISS SAN JOSE who shifted in and away from APPARENT. SENEGAL which hung out badly throughout was pulled up passing the 400m. Trainer S Prince was advised SENEGAL must trial to the satisfaction of the Stewards prior to racing again. Trainer S Prince advised the Stewards that they would be reviewing the status of SENEGAL as a racing proposition. When spoken to about the performance of DEL CAMPO rider C Johnson advised the Stewards that the filly had raced greenly throughout in its first start but had run on fairly over the concluding stages and would benefit from today's</p>	

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Race 2	MORNINGTON TAVERN 1200
<p>Shortly after the start CEEJAY CYCLONE had to steady when ZOE BROOK shifted in when only marginally clear. Rider L Robinson was advised to exercise care. ZOE BROOK raced keenly through the middle stages. CEEJAY CYCLONE had to be steadied rounding the turn near the 800m when awkwardly placed close to the heels of BLOSSOM FESTIVAL and again had to be steadied and lost ground when restraining away from the heels of BLOSSOM FESTIVAL near the 500m. CEEJAY CYCLONE was held up for clear running in the early part of the home straight. MCMIGHTY was obliged to race wide throughout. HERNANDEZ was inclined to hang in when under pressure in the early stages of the home straight. FOUR ROSES was held up passing the 150m having to steady and change ground. Rider C Johnson admitted a breach of Rule 638(1)(d) careless riding in that he allowed his mount HERNANDEZ to shift out passing the 75m crowding ZOE BROOK who had to steady. After the hearing of evidence and submissions the JCA suspended his licence to ride from the end of racing today up to the end of racing on Tuesday 8 November 2011 (4 Days). In the shadows of the post PRINCESS VITAL was buffeted and had to check when crowded between HERNANDEZ who was continuing to shift out and SEASPRITE who was laying in.</p>	
Race 3	GEN I TROPHY 1200
<p>The start of this event was delayed 4 minutes 50 seconds when GINTY'S CHOICE refused to load. GINTY'S CHOICE was declared a late scratching at 2.21pm with the connections being advised that the mare must trial to the satisfaction of the Stewards prior to racing again. RIC O'SHEA and ON THE TAKE were slow to begin. IMA BARBIE DOLL was obliged to race wide throughout. SPLIT DECISION got its head up and raced keenly for some distance approaching the turn near the 800m. REMEMBRANCE was obliged to race wide throughout. ON THE TAKE was held up for clear running for some distance rounding the turn and in the early stages of the home straight. A Webb the rider of JAGGARD admitted a breach of Rule 638(1)(d) in that he allowed his mount to shift out passing the 200m crowding RIC O'SHEA and dictating him over extra ground. JAGGARD continued to shift out and in the shadows of the post shifted into the line of SHOW THE CASH who had to steady. After the hearing of evidence and submissions the JCA suspended his licence to ride from the end of racing today up to the end of racing on Wednesday 9 November 2011. Stewards ordered a veterinary inspection of IMA BARBIE DOLL which finished in last place which revealed no abnormalities.</p>	
Race 4	DUNEDIN CASINO 1400
<p>YAZOOM began awkwardly losing ground. BETHUNE BILLY was slow to begin. SUSPEND US over raced in the early stages. Passing the 1000m ORTEM FIRE had to steady momentarily when BRAMPTON STAR crossed to the lead. SUSPEND US had to be steadied away from heels passing the 900m when racing keenly. When questioned regarding the tactics adopted on JUST FRANK who sat outside the leader FRAGRANT from the 900m apprentice I Miller advised that she had been instructed to take a sit during the running but had been unable to hold the gelding who was racing keenly. Passing the 100m YAZOOM had to shift ground inwards to obtain clear running and then raced in restricted room for a short distance.</p>	
Race 5	ARTHUR BARNETT / BRENT WEATHERALL 1400
<p>MONEYORTHEBOX shifted out on jumping and crowded ELBEESUTINA which was slow to begin. MR TRIMBOLE was inclined to race keenly during the early stages. HARRY HILL was inclined to lay in over the concluding stages having to be straightened. When questioned regarding the performance of STRANGER DANGER rider J Bullard explained that the gelding did not finish the race off as expected inside the final 400m and in his opinion the gelding would appreciate racing over more distance.</p>	
Race 6	SPEIGHT'S / DUNEDIN CLUB 3200

KNOCKYASOXOFF and HEZA KOOL KAT were slow to begin. ARONSAY was inclined to race keenly during the early stages. IMTHEJOKER raced keenly for some distance approaching the winning post on the first occasion. Passing the 800m KNOCKYASOXOFF improved onto the heels of APARIMA DAN as the pace steadied resulting in KNOCKYASOXOFF clipping heels and losing ground. Passing the 300m ARONSAY was crowded between SWEET ABOUT ME and DECEPTIVE which hung out.

Race 7 | **SHARP 1600**

MAIN EVENT and VITAL LAYDEE were slow to begin. MAIN EVENT got his head up and raced keenly in the early stages. Racing down the back straight near the 1400m NORAH hung in and crowded WAR PAINT onto NEWS FLASH who became unbalanced making contact with the running rail. The saddle on ZENYATTA slipped during the running placing the rider at a disadvantage. HIGH JINKS was held up in the early part of the run home and passing the 250m had to change ground inwards to find clear running. NORAH (S Muniandy) who was continuing to lay in shifted in near the 150m dictating BAD NEWS BROWNE down into the line of HIGH JINKS who was checked. After hearing from all riders concerned Stewards took into account the racing manners of the horse NORAH and issued Rider S Muniandy a warning. GRAND ADMIRAL hung in under pressure in the home straight. When questioned regarding the performance of WAGONWHEEL rider T Moseley explained that although the gelding was obliged to race wide throughout it was disappointing when placed under full pressure inside the 600m. A post-race veterinary examination of WAGONWHEEL revealed no abnormalities.

Race 8 | **DUNEDIN CITY MOTORS TROPHY 1400**

OUR BEE JAY raced keenly through the early stages. Rider C Johnson was questioned regarding DRACONIC and he explained that it was his intention to ride the gelding in a handy position during the early stages. However DRACONIC did not settle as hoped and was inclined to race keenly during the early and middle stages. He said that he followed the eventual winner THE PEARLER into the race rounding the home turn, however when placed under full pressure could not quicken with that runner but worked home strongly over the concluding stages.

Race 9 | **BRANCOTT ESTATE 1400**

VITAL PRINCESS was slow to begin. ELEANOR COUP was obliged to race wide throughout. JAYLAH was held up in the early part of the home straight and had to shift inwards to obtain clear running. When spoken to regarding the performance of favoured runner WHATA DELIGHT rider S Muniandy advised the Stewards that he had a nice run over the early stages but had only battled on during the concluding stages and disappointed. A vet check of the mare revealed no abnormalities.

Race 10: | **REDPATHS 1600**

KLASSICPINS blundered as the gates opened and lost considerable ground. CEE GEE JAY stood flatfooted as the gates opened and also lost considerable ground. WHAT A FIND put its head up and raced keenly during the early stages. CARLA DONNA tended to race keenly through the middle stages. HALO FLIGHT and WHAT A FIND were both held up for clear running for a short distance passing the 300m. HOWBADDOUNEEDIT bumped with CEE GEE JAY which was improving outside it resulting in HOWBADDOUNEEDIT shifting in making contact with the running rail.