STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Waipa Racing Club Date: Tuesday 13 March 2012

Weather: Fine Good (3)

Rail: 2 Metres 800 – 200 metres

Stewards: J Oatham (Chairman), M Williamson, L Tidmarsh

Stenographer: P Scott

GENERAL:

No issues to report.

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: BRAGGING RIGHTS, TOWKAY WARRIOR, OPAL CREEK, STINGRAY, SCHOONER BAY, JUNGLE JOY,

RANSOMS GOLD, MALANDRINO

Suspensions: Race 8 N Collett ADHIRA

Careless riding [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 18-22 March (inclusive)

Fines: Race 4 J Nicholson GINGER GEM

\$50 Failed to declare rider by the required time [Rule 537(a)]

Warnings: Nil

Bleeders: Nil

Horse Actions: Race 4 ROBBEN ISLAND – Must trial and produce vet cert of fitness including ECG

Race 8 BLOOMING HELL – Barrier warning

Medical Certificates: Nil

Rider Changes: Nil
Late Scratchings: Nil

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 Waipa Stable Complex For Lease 1400

GINA MAY (L Satherley) was crowded leaving the barriers by ST KAZAK (M McNab), which shifted out and away from BRAGGING RIGHTS (J McDonald), and BELORUSSIYA (C Grylls) which began awkwardly shifting in.

DANGERZONE (C Lammas) began awkwardly.

ST KAZAK had to steady passing the 1300 metres when racing in restricted room to the inside of VITE CELEBRE (M Coleman) which shifted away from ROMAN RASCAL (A Forbes). A Forbes was advised to exercise care.

ROMAN RASCAL made the bend passing the 1200 metres awkwardly when racing keenly. ROMAN RASCAL continued to over-race and was inclined to lay in away from VITE CELEBRE crowding PRINCE OF THRACE (M Sweeney) which was checked near the 900 metres and dropped back on to ALREADY PERFECT (C Dell) which also had to be checked and shift out across that runner's heels inconveniencing BRAGGING RIGHTS.

ROMAN RASCAL lay in approaching the 400 metres crowding MICKEY'S MATE (J Waddell).

ST KAZAK ran wide around the final turn.

Race 2 Guthrie Bowron Te Awamutu 1400

LIFELINE (D Nolan), VESPOLINA (J McDonald) and ISTIS LASS (M Hills) were all slow to begin.

MANGAROA SOPHIE (R Hutchings) began awkwardly.

LIFELINE had difficulty obtaining clear running from the 400 metres and was unable to find clear racing room over the final 150 metres.

ONEWORLD ONEDREAM (L Innes) lay in under pressure making contact with TOWKAY WARRIOR (C Dell) near the 100 metres.

Race 3 Gourmet Delicious Caterers 1400

TE KINGI (C Grylls) and ZERPOURGURU (S Spratt) both began awkwardly.

AMADEO (M Coleman) began awkwardly losing ground.

PARAGLIDE (S Shirahama) and PASSILENTE (J McDonald) were both slow to begin.

TE KINGI hung outwards and raced ungenerously in the early and middle stages.

STORM BREW (C Dell) raced wide without cover throughout.

RIOAVIADOR (A Collett) over-raced through the middle stages.

When questioned regarding the performance of RIOAVIADOR rider A Collett was of the opinion that the filly may not have backed up after having a hard run at its most recent start.

Race 4 Waipa RC Subdivision For Sale 2000

Trainer J Nicholson was fined \$50 for late declaration of rider for the horse GINGER GEM.

GINGER GEM (L Satherley) began awkwardly.

KING DAN (C Grylls) raced wide without cover until passing the 1400 metres.

Approaching the 250 metres ROBBEN ISLAND (J McDonald) was crowded to the inside of GINGER GEM which shifted in when awkwardly placed on the heels of SAVANA FROM HAVANA (R Hutchings).

When questioned regarding the performance of ROBBEN ISLAND, J McDonald was unable to offer any excuses. ROBBEN ISLAND underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed the filly to have cardiac arrhythmia. Trainer R Otto was advised that ROBBEN ISLAND must trial satisfactorily with a veterinary certificate of fitness, including satisfactory ECG results also required.

When questioned regarding the performance of DREAMLINER, M Hills advised Stewards that the gelding was holding its breath. DREAMLINER underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormalities.

C Dell (IF BY KIPLING) reported that his mount had been making abnormal breathing noises. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormalities.

Race 5 Waipa Working Mens Club 1150

DEL MONDO (N Collett) was slow to begin.

MONEYTREE (L Satherley), SCHOONER BAY (J McDonald) and COPPER SPUR (C Lammas) all began awkwardly.

MAJOR FIZZ (M Cropp) raced ungenerously when being steadied in the middle stages.

MONEYTREE was held up for clear running rounding the final turn.

Race 6 Fairview Motors 1150

MY MOJITO (C Dell) shifted out when leaving the barriers hampering A COOL CHANGE (M McNab). MY MOJITO then ducked inwards shortly after jumping away hampering SMART MOVE (P Taylor) and inconveniencing CAPTAIN BRO (D Nolan).

SMART MOVE over-raced in the middle stages.

A COOL CHANGE had to be steadied when running up on to heels near the 600 metres.

MONARCH (A Forbes) and HERITAGE (M Coleman) both raced wide without cover throughout.

SMART MOVE was held up near the 400 metres and did not obtain clear running until passing the 200 metres.

PAPER LACE (N Collett) was held up rounding the final turn and did not obtain clear running until being steadied across heels near the 150 metres.

When questioned regarding the performance of MY MOJITO rider C Dell advised that the mare had been fractious at the barriers prior to the race and had begun awkwardly, but had then received a nice trip and he was unable to offer any excuses.

Race 7 National F&M Series 1580

ANYTHING GOES (H Kasim) was slow to begin.

SHAN'S JOY (A Forbes) and SERENADE (J McDonald) both began awkwardly.

ITSA FLUKE (L Satherley) raced ungenerously passing the 1200 metres when being steadied off the heels of SHAN'S JOY which shifted in. A Forbes was advised to exercise care. ITSA FLUKE continued to race ungenerously through the middle stages.

PAY ATTENTION (S Spratt) raced wide without cover throughout.

IMPY LUIS (J Waddell) had to be steadied passing the 800 metres after becoming awkwardly placed inside the heels of PAY ATTENTION.

IMPY LUIS raced wide when endeavouring to improve forward from the 600 metres.

SERENADE made the bend near the 600 metres awkwardly.

PAY ATTENTION lay out rounding the final turn making contact with IMPY LUIS near the 250 metres.

When questioned regarding the performance of PAY ATTENTION, rider S Spratt was of the opinion that the filly had held its breath. Ms Spratt was also of the opinion that PAY ATTENTION was not suited by the turning nature of the track and would be better suited to racing on a roomier course.

Race 8 VE Veterinary Services Ltd 1580

BLOOMING HELL (L Satherley) was reluctant to load. Trainer R Sherwin was advised that a barrier warning would be placed against the filly.

VIVA LA VIDA (C Dell), MALANDRINO (J McDonald) and CUGAR PARK (A Forbes) all came together shortly after leaving the barriers losing ground.

MALANDRINO made contact with VIVA LA VIDA which became unbalanced near the 1200 metres.

N Collett admitted a charge of careless riding in that passing the 1200 metres she permitted her mount ADHIRA to shift in when not sufficiently clear of MY BYRON BAY (R Hutchings) which was hampered and taken inwards crowding BRICK HOUSE (M Cropp) which was checked. Also hampered as a result were SUPERCHARGED (M Coleman),

MALANDRINO (J McDonald) and VIVA LA VIDA. N Collett's licence to ride in races was suspended from the conclusion of racing on Saturday 17 March until the conclusion of racing on Thursday 22 March, four riding days.

BLOOMING HELL had to be steadied when crowded by MY BYRON BAY which momentarily shifted in near the 900 metres.

VIVA LA VIDA raced wide without cover throughout.

PINTSIZEDPUNT (M McNab) shifted in under pressure crowding MY BYRON BAY near the 100 metres.

M McNab was firmly reminded of his obligation to ride his mounts out fully to the finish whenever circumstances permit.