STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

| Club: | Waipa Racing Club (Te Awamutu) Date: Monday, 16 April, 2012 | | | |
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| Weather: | Fine | | | |
| Track: | Good (3) | | | |
| Rail: | True | | | |
| Stewards: | M Williamson (Chairman), J Oatham, A Coles, P Kinsey | | | |
| Stenographer: | P C Scott | | | |

GENERAL:

L Cropp did not attend today's meeting due to injuries sustained in an accident. L Cropp is to produce a medical clearance before riding next.

D Nolan advised Stewards he was still ill and would not be attending today's meeting.

M McNab was found to have ridden in a body protector that had not been approved by NZTR and was fined \$500.

Stewards took possession of the said body protector [Rule 610(3)].

SUMMARY:

| Swabbing: | Pay Attention, Chief Toroa, Silverdale, Veronica Hall, Quest, Monarch, Le Couguar | | | |
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| Suspensions: | Nil | | | |
| Fines: | Race | 2 | M McNab (Gordyfromgreatbarr) | |
| | | | \$500, rode in unapproved body protector [Rule 610(2)(a)] | |
| | | 7 | B Gillovic (Amazing Force) | |
| | | | \$50, presented horse to race without notified gear (Side Winkers) [Rule 616] | |
| Warnings: | Race | 6 | J Collett (Sand'ior) | |
| | | | Careless riding final straight [Rule 638(1)(d)] | |
| Bleeders: | Nil | | | |
| Horse Actions: | Nil | | | |
| Medical Certificates: | Nil | | | |
| Rider Changes: | Race | 1 | The Lions Rule – J Collett for L Cropp | |
| | | 2 | Lifeline – R Norvall for D Nolan | |
| | | 2 | Gordyfromgreatbarr – M McNab for L Cropp | |
| | | 5 | La Grande Dame – C Grylls for L Cropp | |
| Late Scratchings: | Nil | | | |

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 Rosetown Glass 1580

The Lions Rule (J Collett) shifted out jumping away dictating Fortuito (L Satherley) out on to Pay Attention (M Cameron) which was crowded losing ground.

Black Attack (L Allpress) began awkwardly.

Black Attack raced ungenerously in the early and middle stages, running wide passing the 1150 metres.

Seven Fifty (C Dell) raced wide without cover.

Black Attack shifted out near the 300 metres to obtain clear running making contact with **Seven Fifty** for a short distance. **The Lions Rule** which was racing to the outside of **Seven Fifty** was inconvenienced as a result.

Black Attack ducked out over the concluding stages when under pressure.

When questioned regarding the racing manners of **Black Attack**, L Allpress advised Stewards that she had recommended to the connections to remove the blinkers in an attempt to settle the gelding.

Race 2 Waipa Stable Complex For Lease 1580

Lifeline underwent a veterinary inspection after striking the gate when leaving the parade enclosure and was cleared fit to race.

Gordyfromgreatbarr (M McNab) and Chief Toroa (L Allpress) made contact on jumping away with both runners losing ground.

The Nemesis (M Cameron) was slow away, and then shortly after, stumbled, losing its footing for several strides. Shortly after the start **Chief Toroa** had to be steadied when in restricted room to the inside of **Miss Jaydeejay** (J Collett) which shifted in. J Collett was advised to exercise care.

Gordyfromgreatbarr raced ungenerously approaching the 1100 metres making the corner awkwardly.

C'mon (A Forbes) raced ungenerously approaching the 1100 metres making the corner awkwardly forcing **Torque Her Up** (C Dell) wide on the track. **Torque Her Up** was then allowed to improve forward to race outside the leader approaching the 800 metres.

Istis Lass (H Kasim) made contact with **Lifeline** (R Norvall) near the 300 metres when both runners shifted ground. **Torque Her Up** lay out under pressure early in the final straight.

Torque Her Up shifted away from Chief Toroa over the concluding stages making brief contact with C'mon.

When questioned regarding the performance of **Istis Lass**, apprentice jockey H Kasim could offer no tangible excuse for the mare's performance. **Istis Lass** underwent a post-race veterinary examination which failed to find any obvious abnormality.

Race 3 Race Images 1150

Streets Ahead (M Hills) and **Parvati** (R Hutchings) were both crowded jumping away losing ground between **Capistrano Magic** (L Satherley) which shifted out and also contributing was inward movement from **Brondan** (A Forbes). **Parvati** raced ungenerously through the middle stages.

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Domineer (L Allpress) was briefly crowded turning for home when **Streets Ahead** lay out under pressure.

When questioned regarding the performance of **Parvati**, apprentice jockey R Hutchings advised that **Parvati** had become worked up prior to the start of the race and after beginning awkwardly had raced ungenerously throughout. **Parvati** underwent a post-race veterinary examination which failed to find any obvious abnormalities.

Race 4 Waipa Subdivision For Sale 1400

Coil (M McNab) went in the air on jumping away losing ground.

Pride Of Lions (T Thornton) over-raced through the early and middle stages.

Doolgunna (H Kasim) over-raced through the middle stages.

Near the 200 metres **Coil** had to steady and shift out when awkwardly placed on heels making contact with **Alley Cat** (M Hills)

Race 5 Te Awamutu Training Centre 2000

Quest (M Hills) shifted out on jumping away making firm contact with Medieval (R Hutchings).

Strenua (L Allpress) went in the air on jumping away losing ground.

Double Deelight (M Sweeney) was slow away.

Medieval was held up rounding the final turn.

Quest shifted out making contact with **Medieval** near the 200 metres when looking to obtain clear running with both runners jostling for several strides.

Race 6 El Hermano @ Cheval Stud 1150

Ritual (R Hutchings) and **Newyork Bakerboy** (L Allpress) had difficulty finding clear racing room rounding the final turn. Approaching the 200 metres **Country Danroad** (M Hills) shifted out into the line of **Ritual** which had to steady and shift inside **Country Danroad** to obtain clear running.

Country Danroad commenced to give ground and was not persevered with from the 150 metres. M Hills advised that **Country Danroad** felt indifferent in its action had commenced to hang outwards rounding the final turn. **Country Danroad** underwent a post-race veterinary examination which found the gelding to have lost its off hind plate and be stepping short behind. Trainer B Gillovic advised Stewards the gelding would now be spelled.

Sand'ior (J Collett) shifted in under pressure approaching the 100 metres with **Newyork Bakerboy** becoming awkwardly placed on that runner's heels when laying out, being hampered as a result. J Collett was issued with a warning.

Apprentice jockey C Dell was questioned regarding his ride on **Towkay Warrior**, particularly in the early stages where he had become detached from the body of the field. C Dell advised Stewards that he had been asked to ride the gelding in a rearward position with **Towkay Warrior** being lost for speed in the early stages of the race, further adding that **Towkay Warrior** had found the line fairly when asked for an effort in the final straight. Trainer G Sanders confirmed these riding instructions.

Race 7 Simtrack Running Rail 1150

B Gillovic was fined \$50 for presenting Amazing Force to race without notified gear (Side Winkers).

The saddle on **Le Couguar** (M Hills) slipped during its preliminary with the horse travelling a distance before being pulled up. **Le Couguar** underwent a veterinary examination and was cleared fit to start.

Morticia (M Sweeney) was crowded on jumping away.

Amazing Force (A Calder) was hampered on jumping away losing ground.

Oscarsgold (D Hain) over-raced in the middle stages when being crowded by Vanilla Queen (C Grylls) which lay out.

Call The Shots (C Dell) raced wide without cover.

Amazing Force (A Calder) lay in rounding the final turn becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of **Chill Bill** (J Collett) and continued to hang in for the remainder of the race.

Near the 50 metres **Chill Bill** was crowded between **Msongari** (M Cameron) which shifted out under pressure and **Amazing Force** which had continued to hang in. M Cameron was advised to exercise care.