STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT



Date: Wednesday 18 April 2012

MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Racing Te Aroha		
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Dead (4)		
Rail:	True, 1.5m 900m to 500m		
Stewards:	J Oatham (Chairman), A Coles, W Robinson, L Tidmarsh		
Stenographer:	P Scott		

GENERAL:

M Wenn did not attend the meeting as she was unwell and is required to provide a medical clearance prior to riding next.

SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT:

Waipa Racing Club – Monday 16 April 2012

Race 6 El Hermano @ Cheval Stud 1150

Trainer Mr R McCarroll advised that **SAND'IOR** had been galloped on during the running with initial scans of the injury revealing bruising to a tendon in the right hind leg.

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: Suspensions:	PALEMO, KING DAN, DORIAN GREY, COLD SNAP, AMERICANIDOL, BILLIE JEAN KING, SECRET WHISPER, POLYANTHA Nil			
Fines:	Race	7	M McNab (COMTE DE JEU) Fined \$100 [Rule 330(3)(c)] Failed to make weight	
Warnings:	Nil			
Bleeders:	Nil			
Horse Actions:	Nil			
Medical Certificates:	Received covering L Cropp and B R Jones			
Rider Changes:	Race	4 5 7 8 8	ACTION MAN – L Cropp for M Wenn (unwell) LA BELLA VISTA – L Cropp for M Wenn THE CAPTAIN – M Hills for M Wenn COMTE DE JEU – H Kasim for M McNab (overweight) ATHASI – C Lammas for M Wenn HEADSHOLDTHEMONEY – S Collet for A Calder (injured in R7)	
Late Scratchings:	Nil			

RACE COMMENTS:

ace 1 Super Liquor Te Aroha 2900 HWT				
CLIMBING HIGH (S Houston) raced three wide without cover in the early and middle stages until improving forward outside				
the leader near the 1400 metres.				
The saddle shifted forward on BELINDA'S GIRL near the winning post on the first occasion badly inconveniencing rider M				
Cropp for the remainder fo the race with BELINDA'S GIRL not being persevered with from the 800 metres.				
PALEMO (M Gillies) which was improving into a tight run between MORPHEUS (R Cully) and CLIMBING HIGH was crowded				
for room near the 300 metres when both those runners shifted ground.				
When questioned regarding his ride on MOCHACCINO MISS, G Walsh advised he had been instructed that the mare was				
one paced and when BELINDA'S GIRL commenced to give ground near the 800 metres he elected to improve around that				
runner to roll forward with FLYING LEGEND (P Turner) also electing to improve forward to the outside of CLIMBING HIGH				
at that point resulting in MOCHACCINO MISS being caught four wide around the bend. The explanation of G Walsh was				
noted.				
ace 2 Barry Brown Winners Circle 2200				
DESERT BEAU (R Aukett) was inclined to lay out around the first bend.				
Aace 3 McConnochies Service Station 1200				

DANNY THE IMP (B R Jones) and ROSE OF VIRGINIA (M Coleman) were both slow to begin.

ALUKA (A Collett) jumped away awkwardly losing ground.

PENTAROSE (N Collett) and DANNY THE IMP were both hampered shortly after leaving the barriers.

DANNY THE IMP over-raced in the early and middle stages.

PENTAROSE got its head up when being steadied going into the bend near the 700 metres and was then crowded for room between **DANNY THE IMP** and **QUEEN OF CLUBS** (J Collett).

DANNY THE IMP shifted out across the heels of ROSE OF VIRGINIA (M Coleman) passing the 400 metres hampering PENTAROSE.

AURORA LIGHTS (M Cameron) was held up near the 200 metres and shifted out abruptly across heels to obtain clear running near the 150 metres.

PENTAROSE was held up over the concluding stages when **EXCELLENT REWARD** (A Calder) lay out away from **AURORA LIGHTS**.

Race 4 Te Aroha Joinery Services 1200

ARNIE (R Norvall) jumped away awkwardly from its outside barrier and ran out losing ground.

SARTOBY (P Turner) was slow to begin and then was further hampered when runners on either side shifted ground.

SARTOBY raced wide without cover throughout.

Race 5 Te Aroha Memorial RSA 1200

BEAU RANSOM (M Sweeney) jumped away awkwardly losing ground.

MY CRACKER (L Satherley) had to be steadied off the heels of I'M A TAART (C Dell) near the 500 metres.

When questioned N Collett (**MEANT TO BE MINE**) advised that in her opinion the gelding would appreciate some easing of the ground.

Race 6 Cyril & Joy Teaz Memorial 1400

EL FELINO (R Norvall) began awkwardly and shifted out badly hampering **HANAMICHI** (L Innes) which lost ground. **SHE'S ASSERTIVE** (M Hills) and **JEEPERS KEEPERS** (R Hutchings) were both slow away.

MANDY O'REILLY (M Cameron) and SHE'S ASSERTIVE over-raced in the early and middle stages.

SOPHIE'S GEM (L Satherley) made the bend near the 900 metres awkwardly and shifted out crowding **EL FELINO**.

Race 7 Ecolab Ltd 1400

M McNab was unable to make the weight for **COMTE DE JEU** and was replaced by H Kasim. M McNab was fined \$100. **SECRET WHISPER** (M Cameron) which had blood present in its mouth was passed fit to run following a veterinary examination at the start.

NEEDLLY (C Lammas) was slow away.

ELLIE'O (J Collett) and HANDSOME AS (D Nolan) both began awkwardly.

SORA DAWNING (A Calder) fell passing the 800 metres hampering **NEEDLLY**, **HANDSOME AS** and **COMTE DE JEU**. **SORA DAWNING** was attended to by the veterinarian and humanely euthanased as it had suffered a compound fracture of the left foreleg. A Calder was attended to by the ambulance personnel and transferred to Waikato Hospital for x-rays of a shoulder injury. An inquiry into the fall of **SORA DAWNING** was adjourned due to the unavailability of A Calder.

BEAM ME UP (A Collett) raced wide without cover throughout.

BEAM ME UP returned to the enclosure with blood present in the nostril area. A veterinary examination found the gelding to have lacerations in both nostrils.

Race 8 Jan Revell Memorial 1600

SIR CLIFFORD (J Jago) was slow away.

MORGAN LE FAY (J Collett) began awkwardly.

OVERTHROW (R Norvall) over-raced through the middle stages.

SOLDIER'S LEAP (L Innes) raced keenly going into the bend near the 900 metres and had to be steadied.

ROSSITA (C Dell) and BEAUTIFUL BROTHER (M Coleman) both raced wide without cover throughout.

SOLDIER'S LEAP was held up rounding the final turn.

MORGAN LE FAY had difficulty obtaining clear running until passing the 200 metres.

When questioned regarding the performance of **SOLDIER'S LEAP**, L Innes stated that once placed under pressure in the straight the gelding had been inclined to get its head up and been reluctant to improve into a run ahead.