STIPENDIARY STEWARD'S REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Woodville-Pahiatua Racing Club Date: 19 April 2012

Weather: Overcast Track: Good 3

Rail: True (out 2m from the 800m to the 400m)

Stewards: R Neal (Chairman), N Goodwin, B Bateup

Stenographer: S Shirriffs

GENERAL: (All comments pertaining to the meeting – e.g. drivers/riders not attending, delays and all other issues)

Trainer M Oulaghan admitted a charge under Rule 537(a) in that he failed to declare a rider for CASSINI by the required time at the Manawatu RC meeting on 13 April 2012 and was fined \$50.

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: AMBITIOUS PRINCE, ADIDAZLER, RED RHAPSODY, HACHI, BUTCH JAMES, KINGS COURT, THE

PHOENIX, TIBERIUS.

Suspensions: Race

Fines: Race 6 A Sharrock - Rule 537(a) - late declaration of rider - Fined \$100.

M Oulaghan – Rule 537a – late declaration of rider – Fined \$50.00

Warnings: Race 1 A Forbes - Rule 638(1)(d) – shifting ground 900m.

6 D Fuge - Rule 613(c) – racing plates.

Bleeders:

Horse Actions: Race 1 'ER INDOORS - warning placed - racing manners

2 LILL - warning placed - racing manners

8 CAPTAIN FRANCIS – veterinary clearance required

Medical Certificates:

Rider/Driver Charges: Scratching Penalties:

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 DANNEVIRKE PROPERTY BROKERS DASH

BIG CHAP began awkwardly and was slow away.

Approaching the 900m ELUSIVE LAW was tightened for several strides when inside RACEY RED, which was taken in by 'ER INDOORS (A Forbes), which shifted in. Apprentice A Forbes was issued with a warning and advised that he must ensure he is fully clear when shifting ground.

BIG CHAP had to be restrained off heels for several strides passing the 500m. BIG CHAP was then inclined to hang out in the final straight.

'ER INDOORS hung out badly in the final straight and could not be ridden to advantage. Trainer P Campbell was advised that a warning had been placed on 'ER INDOORS in respect to her racing manners. Trainer Campbell advised Stewards that he would apply to race the filly in a one-cup blinker prior to its next start in an effort to remedy its hang tendencies. A veterinary examination of 'ER INDOORS revealed a poor post-race recovery rate.

When questioned regarding the run of RACEY RED, apprentice R Myers stated that the mare had travelled comfortably in the running however when pressured had failed to respond and was disappointing. A subsequent veterinary examination of RACEY RED revealed no obvious abnormalities.

Race 2 MJ & MI HICKEY/JAMES AND SON DISTANCE

O'TIGER underwent a veterinary examination and was cleared fit to start, after being kicked when arriving at the barriers. BARADO began awkwardly and lost ground.

HEMPSTEAD was slow to begin.

DIANNA RIGG raced keenly in the early stages.

LILL commenced to race ungenerously shortly after leaving the barriers and ran wide passing the winning post on the first occasion, taking PROSPERO wider for a short distance. LILL continued to hang out and raced wide in the early and middle stages. Connections were advised that a warning had been placed on LILL in respect to its racing manners.

PROSPERO was inclined to lay in throughout the final straight.

Race 3 TARARUA HELIWORK/WOLLAND CONTRACTORS STAYERS

MR CHARLIE BROWN began awkwardly and got back. MR CHARLIE BROWN then commenced to race keenly in the run down the straight on the first occasion.

Race 4 AFFCO/POWER FARMING MANAWATU SPRINT

DANELIZEE was crowded shortly after the barriers then commenced to over-race and had to be steadied for some distance when wide in the back straight.

HULA DASH raced ungenerously in the early stages and passing the 1000m, when being restrained off the heels of CIRON, hung inward tightening CLAN, which was tightened and lost ground. Also affected in this incident were BELLE RAINE and JACK ZANCE, which had to be steadied for a short distance.

Passing the 500m LADY LUNCHALOT, when over-racing improved on to the heels of HACHI and when being restrained shifted out crowding CIRON out on to the heels of DANELIZEE, resulting in CIRON having to be steadied for a short distance.

Race 5 HOFFMAN FORD/LIC STAYERS

BUTCH JAMES was slow to begin and lost ground in the early stages.

PORTRUSH raced keenly in the early stages.

TIM lay out rounding the turn and bumped with SHOTGUN START.

Race 6 QUALITY SHEDS/MACDOUGALLS SPRINT

A Sharrock admitted a breach of Rule 537(a) and fined \$100.00 after failing to declare a rider for THEMONEYZMINE by the required time.

Trainer D Fuge was issued with a warning under Rule 613(c) after presenting JUSTAHULA in plates which were showing signs of wear.

BURRA BOY jumped in at the start hampering DOING TIME which lost ground. DOING TIME then over raced in the early stages.

JUSTAHULA was obliged to race three wide without cover throughout.

BELLA RHI raced four wide from the 800m.

M Hills was questioned regarding his apparent lack of vigour on RAPIDPOWER over the final stages. M Hills stated that after travelling comfortably in the running the mare had come to the end of her run near the 200m and in his opinion was feeling the effects of the Good (3) track. M Hills further advised that in his opinion RAPIDPOWER would be better suited to more rain affected going.

Race 7 BALANCE FARMLANDS/BISSETT HONDA SPRINT

GOLDMIST was slow away.

Race 8 DANNEVIRKE ITM BUILDING CENTRE/DANNEVIRKE DAIRY SUPPLIES 3 YEAR OLD

H Tinsley was given permission to ride WENDY 1kg overweight due to no suitable senior rider being available.

CAPTAIN FRANCIS was a late scratching at 4.24 pm after swelling was detected in the off side fore tendon prior to the gelding being saddled. Connections were advised that CAPTAIN FRANCIS would require a veterinary clearance before next racing.

EVASIVE TRACY began awkwardly and lost ground.

NIAMH and COLIOY were crowded shortly after leaving the barriers when runners either side shifted ground resulting in both getting back.

WENDY raced wide without cover in the early and middle stages.

GOLDEN JUBILEE raced greenly in the final straight and near the 200m shifted out and had to be straightened.