



STIPENDIARY STEWARD'S REPORT

MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Hawke's Bay Racing Incorporated	Date: 21.4.12
Weather: Fine	
Track: Dead 4	
Rail: Out 1m	
Stewards: N Goodwin (Chairman) R Neal, C George, B Bateup	
Typist: L Goodwin	

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

Trainer P Campbell reported that 'ER INDOORS was reported to be mildly in season following its disappointing performance at Woodville on Thursday 19th April.

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	La Sommeliere, Urunga, Howbadami, The Knight, Jakob Gambino, Aldebaran Star, Flemington, La Vienne, Options, Ginner Hart, Miko Pre race bloods were obtained from all runners in Race 7
Suspensions:	R1 -R Myers- Rule 638(1)(d) - Careless riding- Suspended 29 th April - 2 nd May (inclusive) 4 days. R7 -M Hills- Rule 638(1)(d)- Careless riding- suspended 29 th April – 2 ND May (inclusive) 4 days
Fines:	
Warnings:	
Horse Actions:	R8- FAIRWAY WISH -Vet clearance required
Bleeders:	
Medical Certificates:	J Waddell (received)
Rider Changes:	Race 7 C Dell (Fromelles) for M Cameron

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	DUNSTAN HORSEFEEDS 2YO
ARTDEVIVRE was slow to begin. WATCH KING, COAT DU ROAN, FOOTPRINT, LA SOMMELIERE, PETONE PRINCE & KONTIKI all over-raced in the early stages. CATALAN KING raced three wide throughout. FOOTPRINT was held up passing the 200m and went to the line untested. ARTDEVIVRE was held up in the early part of the home straight and near the 200m and when attempting to improve into a narrow run was buffeted for some distance, became unbalanced and lost momentum. COAT DU ROAN was held up and unable to improve throughout the final straight and went to the line untested.	

The connections of ARTDEVIVRE (fourth) and CATALAN KING (fifth) viewed video footage of the final stages but elected not to proceed with objections against the winner LA SOMMELIERE which shifted ground in the home straight.

R Myers (LA SOMMELIERE) admitted a breach of Rule 638(1)(d) in that over the final stages she permitted her mount to shift in causing CATALAN KING (J Collett) to check. After considering submissions the Judicial Committee suspended Apprentice R Myer's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Saturday 28th April up to and including racing on Wednesday 2nd May 2012 (4 days)

Race 2	STELLA ARTOIS 1400
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ST SATIONAL raced keenly in the early stages.
 URUNGA over-raced in the early stages and near the 1100m shifted in when awkwardly placed on the heels of SUESS.
 BOUVIER over-raced passing the 1000m.
 SUESS returned the enclosure with blood present in its mouth. A post- race veterinary inspection revealed a minor abrasion to the gum.
 When questioned regarding the disappointing performance of PEARLE LUSTRE L Allpress stated that her mount travelled well in the early and middle stage however when placed under pressure rounding the home turn the filly had failed to respond and finished the race off disappointingly. A post-race veterinary inspection of PEARLE LUSTRE revealed no abnormalities.
 A post-race veterinary inspection of TOSSED AGAIN revealed no abnormalities.

Race 3	BBI STAYERS
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CALIFORNIA raced three wide without cover in the early stages.
 HOWBADAMI lay in under pressure throughout the home straight.
 BELFAST LAD over-raced in the early and middle stages.
 A post- race veterinary inspection of CALIFORNIA failed to reveal any abnormality.
 When questioned regarding the improved performance of HOWBADAMI, trainer P Nelson was of the opinion the gelding was better suited to the Dead 4 track conditions

Race 4	THE ELBOW ROOM SPORTS BAR 1200
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MRS MAC was held up rounding the home turn and laid in during the early stages of the home straight.
 BLACK ASH and MRS MAC were crowded at the start when SHOOTIM shifted in.
 FRANK WHITTAKER and KENNYS CHANCE were slow to begin.
 ADY CAROLYN began awkwardly and lost ground. EBONY DREAM raced wide in the early and middle stages.
 KENNYS CHANCE hung out passing the 800m.
 Near the 100m BLACK ASH got its head up when awkwardly placed on heels after being bumped by MRS MAC which was taken in by CITY CHIC.
 When questioned regarding the run of FRANK WHITTAKER J Waddell stated that the gelding raced greenly throughout and hung outwards rounding the turn. J Waddell was advised to ride his mount out fully to the finish when circumstances permit.
 BLUE NILE lost the off front plate during the running.

Race 5	LEST WE FORGET METRIC MILE
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JOKRAAR jumped out at the start and hampered FIREKEEPER and GO PADDY causing them to lose ground.
 SAVVY DANCER was slow away.
 AINT NO LOLLYGAGGA got its head up rounding the first turn.
 DEE DEE SMASH raced keenly in the early and middle stages.
 FIREKEEPER hung in under pressure in the home straight.
 Rider H Tinsley reported BLACK N BLUE raced greenly throughout and proved a difficult

ride.

BEYOND ALL DOUBT needed veterinary treatment following the running after being galloped on when being pulled up.

When questioned regarding the run of LOST WORLD apprentice J Collett stated that after over-racing throughout, the gelding had little left when pressured.

DEE DEE SMASH underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which revealed no abnormalities.

Race 6	THOMSON'S SUITS 1600
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ALDEBARAN STAR jumped in at the start crowding MACKADOO in onto DEFIANT.

THE INNKEEPER, HAERE MAI, SEIGAL and LANGDON were all slow to begin.

THE INNKEEPER made the first turn awkwardly and almost unseated the rider and then commenced to over-race and bumped HAERE MAI which became unbalanced and lost ground.

GRAND BELT raced wide throughout.

Trainer H Matthews reported to the stewards that MUSUKO KING would be sent for a spell after disappointing. A post- race veterinary inspection of MUSUKO KING failed to reveal any abnormality.

Jockey M Hills (The Innkeeper) admitted a breach of Rule 638(1)(d) in that he allowed his mount to shift out near the 500m when not clear of VOLKSWOOD which was checked.

Also affected in this incident was MUSUKO KING which was hampered.

After considering submissions the Judicial Committee suspended Jockey M Hills licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Saturday 28th April up to and including racing on Wednesday 2nd May 2012 (4 days)

Race 7	LYNN ELECTRICAL HAWKE'S BAY GOLD CUP
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M Cameron was unable to make the weight for the balloted runner FROMELLES and was replaced by C Dell.

SEAFLYTE jumped out at the start hampering DOCTOR FREMANTLE which lost ground

JEU DE CARTES shifted out on jumping bumping with BACK IN BLACK.

FROMELLES was slow away.

INTRANSIGENT stood flat footed when the barriers was released losing several lengths.

JEU DE CARTE raced three wide without cover rounding the first turn.

FAST LOVE raced wide without cover from the 1200m.

FLEMINGTON had to steady off heels near the 400m and went back onto LA VIENNE and INTRANSIGENT which had to take evasive action to avoid that runners heels.

OPTIONS had to change ground near the 200m to improve.

LA VIENNE made contact with the running rail on several occasions in the final straight.

When questioned into the disappointing run of JEU DE CARTES, which finished last, rider J Collett stated that after racing wide throughout the mare had little left at the finish.

JEU DE CARTES underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which revealed no abnormalities.

Race 8	EDWARDS & HARDY WELLINGTON SPRINT
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I AM SAM and SANRIBA bumped at the start and shifted out onto BASES LOADED which lost ground.

STARGURU over-raced in the trail throughout and near the 500m, when being steadied went back onto GINNER HART.

FAIRWAY WISH hung throughout, and ran wide when making the turn near the 800m and lost considerable ground. A subsequent veterinary examination of FAIRWAY WISH revealed the gelding to have a mouth ulcer. Connections were advised that a veterinary clearance would be required prior to FAIRWAY WISH next racing.

STARGURU was held up rounding the turn and near the 300m was denied clear running between SHAHBAB and THE HOMBRE which lay in.

A short distance further STARGURU was taken out to improve and in doing so dictated GINNER HART, which was improving rapidly to its outside. This resulted in GINNER HART shifting out and bumping with PRINCESS KATIE which was taken wider. After questioning riders concerned, stewards deemed the incident to be accidental.
Rider C Grylls had no excuse for the poor run of SHAHBAB.
A post-race veterinary examination of SHAHBAB, which finished last, revealed no abnormalities.

Race 9	MAINSTREAM HEATING & INSULATION NZ 1400
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MIKO dislodged rider M Cropp in the preliminary and travelled a short distance before being recaptured. MIKO subsequently underwent a veterinary inspection and was cleared to run.
KINDRED lay out shortly after leaving the barriers crowding MIKO which had to steady.
BEYOND BELIEF raced wide without cover rounding the first turn.
DANCING DEE had difficulty obtaining clear running in the early part of the final straight.
MCLAREN was inclined to over-race throughout and had little left at the finish.
Rider H Tinsley reported that SKITTLE may be feeling the effects of recent racing after it failed to finish the race off as expected.