

STIPENDIARY STEWARD'S REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Beaumont Racing Club at Wingatui	Date:	Sunday 22 nd April 2012
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Good 3		
Rail:	Out 3 meters		
Stewards:	M Davidson (Chairman), A Ray and J McLaughlin		
Stenographer:	M O'Brien		

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

Trainer S Price will be spoken to in regard to the gear worn by HALO FLIGHT in Race 7.
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SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	PHOENICIAN, SHOWBRERA, HERNANDEZ, RECORDING, SEMPER PLUS, GALLIVANT, PETER PORTER, PRENUPTIAL.
Suspensions:	Race 4 S Yusoff – Rule 638(1)(d) – Careless riding – suspended from the end of racing today up to and including 29 April (2 days)
Fines:	Race
Warnings:	Race 4 C Johnson – Rule 638(1)(d) – Careless riding
Bleeders:	Race
Horse Actions:	Race
Medical Certificates:	
Rider/Driver Charges:	Race
Late Scratchings:	Race

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	FRED BOOTH BENDERBURN STATION / UPPER CLUTHA TRANSPORT R75 1200m
PARTY CAT began awkwardly losing ground. PARTY CAT had to steady and change ground passing the 250m. When spoken to regarding the performance of PARTY CAT rider C Johnson advised that he had to steady and change ground in the straight but it only battled over the concluding stages and had disappointed and could offer no tangible excuse. Trainer M Hamilton was spoken to regarding the performance also advising the Stewards that he was disappointed with today's effort and he would monitor the mare's progress and keep the Stewards advised of any developments.	
Race 2	ETRUSCO AT THE SAVOY / THE REEF STEAK & SEAFOOD RESTAURANT MAIDEN 1200m
URBANA lay inwards throughout the home straight having to be straightened. MISS MIYAGI raced wide throughout. In the shadows of the post TOMMY TUCKER had to steady when awkwardly placed on the heels of SHOWBRERA. On pulling up THE LOGIC collapsed and died. Rider A Tempelman was excused from weighing in under Rule 647(1). Miss Tempelman was examined by ambulance staff and cleared to ride.	
Race 3	WALTER PARKER MEMORIAL R65 1200m
CAPTAIN OATES began awkwardly with MIDNITE MURMA'S being slow to begin. Passing the 700m JEAN GENIE had to be steadied momentarily when racing keenly. Passing the 500m ROYAL EXCUSE had to be steadied when awkwardly placed on the heels of HERNANDEZ. Passing the 250m COUP ROCKY ROAD shifted in momentarily making contact with HERNANDEZ who was shifted down onto CAPTAIN OATES who was buffeted and became unbalanced momentarily. JEAN GENIE was held up in the initial part of the run home only gaining clear running inside the final 250m.	
Race 4	DYNES TRANSPORT TAPANUI LTD MAIDEN 1400m
NIGHT ON THE TOWN and TITHING were both slow over the early stages. AQUALUNG raced keenly through the early to middle stages and passing the 1100m had to be steadied off the heels of PATTY HEARST. THE BODYGUARD also raced keenly over the early stages. LOOSE GOOSE raced wide throughout. THE BODYGUARD was held up rounding the final bend until inside the final 325m. Passing the 250m PRINCESS VITAL (S Yusoff) shifted in off the heels of LOOSE GOOSE resulting in TITHING having to be checked. Apprentice S Yusoff in the presence of his employer P Richards defended a breach of Rule 638(1)(d) careless riding with the Judicial Committee finding the charge proved and imposing a suspension from the end of racing today up to and including the 29 April (2 days).	

Passing the 150m THE BODYGUARD (C Johnson) shifted out dictating PRINCESS VITAL out onto LOOSE GOOSE who was forced out across the heels of GURUS RESPONSE and had to steady. C Johnson was issued a warning under Rule 638(1)(d). RECORDING lay in throughout the concluding stages and shifted in abruptly but was always well clear of other runners.

Race 5 | **LYNDSAY MOYLE MEMORIAL R75 F&M 1400m**

NOT MY RUBY was buffeted at the start when runners either side shifted ground. FRAGRANT was obliged to race wide throughout. THE CHOICE raced very keenly in the early stages having to be severely restrained passing the 1000m and again passing the 700m. When spoken to regarding the performance of THE CHOICE rider A Tempelman advised the Stewards that the mare had raced far too keenly in the early stages and had nothing left at the finish. The connections of THE CHOICE advised the Stewards it was their intention to now give the mare a break.

Race 6 | **BEAUMONT SUPPORTERS MAIDEN 2070m**

THATS THAT was slow to begin. DUBAI BEAR raced keenly through the middle stages. L Callaway the rider of LEEBOY dropped his whip passing the 275m. Passing the 250m DUBAI BEAR (C Johnson) shifted out to find clear racing room resulting in DAADS IMAGE having to steady inwards to avoid heels. C Johnson was advised to exercise care. When spoken to regarding the performance of LOGAN JAMES which tailed the field throughout rider L Robinson advised the Stewards that he believed the gelding had not handled the strong pace throughout the race which meant he had been unable to maintain contact with the field. He also stated that the firm nature of the track had not been in favour of LOGAN JAMES but he would appreciate extra distance and was actually doing his best work towards the end of today's race. A post-race veterinary examination of LOGAN JAMES revealed no abnormalities.

Race 7 | **PUBLICANS CUP R85 BENCHMARK 1600m**

FLIGHT POINT began awkwardly and then commenced to race keenly skying its head. FLIGHT POINT raced wide throughout. NIGHT LIFE was held up throughout the run home and had to steady and change ground outwards at the 200m to gain clear racing room. When spoken to regarding the performance of favourite TREAT who had battled into 6th place the connections advised that the horse had not been suited to today's firm track and would appreciate tracks with more moisture in them.

Race 8 | **TEMUKA TRANSPORT R65 1600m**

CINNAMON blundered on jumping away losing ground with TUNZA VITALITY being slow. IMA DUDE began awkwardly. SLAM DUNK raced wide throughout. Passing the 800m BARRIBA (L Robinson) who was laying in shifted in crowding PRENUPTIAL which clipped a heel. L Robinson defended a breach of Rule 638(1)(d) careless riding and after viewing replays and hearing evidence the Judicial Committee dismissed the charge. The saddle on IT'S ESSENTIAL slipped forward passing the 800m placing the rider in difficulty for the remainder of the race. VITAL PRINCESS and CEE GEE JAY were both held up throughout the run home. ROBBIE ROOSTER (KC Walters) shifted in over the concluding stages placing WHAT A FIND in restricted room. KC Walters was advised to exercise care. TUNZA VITALITY also raced in restricted room over the concluding stages.