STIPENDIARY STEWARD'S REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: OTAKI –MAORI RACING CLUB Weather: Fine Track: Dead 4 Rail: Out 7.75m Stewards: Messrs N Goodwin (Chair); R Neal and B Bateup Stenographer: Pauline Penketh

GENERAL:

A clearance was received from Australian Jockey Club for J Riddell

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	HEMINGWAY; PRINCESS MARY; LET'S GO FRATELLI; THE AFTERSHOCK; RUEBEN THORN; AMBERIO;			
-	LORD BO	DRIS		
Suspensions:	Race	4	H Kasim – Rule 638 (i) (d) careless riding – suspended from close on	
			2 May until close of racing on 8 May 2012. (4 days)	
Fines:	Race	1	K Myers – failed to declare rider for HEMINGWAY – fined \$50	
		2	M Ivil – failed to declare rider for MONACO DREAM – fined \$50	
		6	L Matthews – presented LITTLE STORM without blinkers – fined \$50	
Warnings:	Race			
Bleeders:	Race			
Horse Actions:	Race	1	Taylor Zane – veterinary certificate received	
		2	Kindacool – veterinary certificate required	
		3	Elusive Law – must barrier trial	
		7	Sir Thomas - veterinary certificate required	
Medical Certificates:				
Rider/Driver Charges:	Race			
Scratching Penalties:	Race	4	Enterprise Lady – late scratching on veterinary advice at 8.07 am	
		4	Elusive Law – late scratching on veterinary advice at 2.36pm	

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	THE DOMINION POST JUMPERS FLAT		
TAYLOR ZANE (S Doyle) raced keenly in the home straight on the first occasion.			
Race 2	MILLS REEF WINERY MAIDEN		
GUEST SELECTOR (H Tinsley) began awkwardly and got back.			
THAT SNOW ATHLETE (B Lammas) and SILVER VEIL (J Parkes) were both slow to begin.			
BEAU AGEN (C Jo	phnson) raced wide throughout.		
SILVER VEIL raced greenly throughout and approaching the 400m ran wide dictating GOLDEN JUBILEE (L Allpress) wide on			
the track. SILVER VEIL then lay in throughout the final straight.			
THAT SNOW ATHLETE raced greenly in the straight and shifted in near the 350 hampering GUEST SELECTOR.			
GRANUAILE (J W	addell) was held up near the 200m when seeking a run to the outside of SARAH JANE (K Myers) which hung		
outwards under pressure into its line			
TWELVE KINGDOMS (J Riddell) was held up in the early part of the home straight.			
BEAU AGEN hung outwards rounding the turn.			
Race 3	EL CHEAPO CARS HIGHWEIGHT MAIDEN		
KINDACOOL (D Oakden) shifted out on jumping crowding MONACO DREAM (C Perrett) which lost ground.			
LET'S GO FRATELLI (M Gillies) lost ground at the start when crowded by runners either side.			
PEARLS (J Riddell) had to change ground near the 100 metres in order to continue to improve.			
When questioned regarding the run of PEARLS which failed to run on as expected, rider J Riddell reported that the filly			
raced greenly throughout. J Riddell was of the opinion the filly would improve with experience			

Date: 1 May 2012

When questioned regarding the performance of KINDACOOL, rider D Oakden advised KINDACOOL travelled indifferently throughout and he was reluctant to place pressure on the mare as he was of the opinion it was sore. A post-race veterinary examination of KINDACOOL revealed the mare to be lame in the near hind leg with a suspected ligament strain. Trainer M Oulaghan was advised that a veterinary clearance will be required prior to its next start.

Race 4

94.3FM THE SOUND OF KAPITI MAIDEN

LA BELLA SANDS (J Parkes) underwent a veterinary examination at the barrier before being cleared to start after making contact with the birdcage fence prior to its preliminary.

PINOCCHIO BOY (H Kasim) underwent a veterinary examination at the barrier before being cleared to start.

ELUSIVE LAW was a late scratching on veterinary advice at 2.36pm after becoming fractious in the barrier. Trainer K Gray was advised that the gelding must barrier trial to the satisfaction of Stewards before next racing.

ALPENA ROSEA (M Cameron) jumped out at the start bumping with TJAPAKI (J Riddell) which in turn shifted out and bumped with LA BELLA SANDS.

GLENBROOK RUN (C Johnson) shifted in on jumping crowding PASTORAL LANE (L Whelan) in onto VINCENT VEGA (E Lloyd) which was tightened and lost ground.

LA ROUGE (L Allpress) was slow to begin losing several lengths.

TJAPAKI was held up rounding the turn and for the majority of the home straight was unable to obtain clear running. VINCENT VEGA had difficulty obtaining clear running in the final straight.

Apprentice jockey H Kasim the rider of PINOCCHIO BOY admitted a charge of careless riding under Rule 638 (i) (d) after permitting his mount to shift inwards near the 1000m when not clear of FRAGGLE ROCK (J Waddell) which was taken inward into the line of ALPENA ROSEA which was checked. After hearing submissions the JCA suspended H Kasim's licence to ride in races from the close of racing on Wednesday 2 Mayy 2012 until the close of racing on Tuesday 8 May 2014 (4 days).

Race 5 VISIQUE KAPITI EYECARE HANDICAP

DIAMOND TANGO (L Whelan) raced four-wide without cover throughout.

Shortly after the start ALIGNADREAMS (K Smith) was crowded for several strides when tightened by ALWAYS DREAMING (M Cameron) which was on an inward movement. M Cameron was advised to exercise care.

Race 6 HAUNUI FARM STALLIONS LTD

Stable representative L Matthews admitted a breach of Rule610 (3) in that she presented LITTLE STORM to race without blinkers which was its declared gear and was fined \$50.

POETIC LICENCE (S Doyle) jumped out at the start hampering GOLDEN QUEEN (B Lammas).

ARD RI (L Whelan) was slow away.

TOMSK (K Smith) began awkwardly.

When questioned into the run of ADRIATICO, J Waddell advised that despite being wide throughout he could offer no tangible excuse. A post-race veterinary inspection failed to reveal any abnormalities.

Race 7 POWER FARMING HANDICAP

SIR NEIL (J Shackleton) was slow.

BAREFOOT (C Singer) was awkward over the early stages.

AGNOPAK (H Kasim) was inclined to lay in over the final stages and had to be straightened.

LORD FALCON (D Walker) raced three-wide throughout.

METRIX (E Lloyd) raced in restricted room in the final straight.

When questioned regarding the performance of SIR THOMAS which tailed off throughout, rider C Johnson said he was of the opinion that something was amiss with the gelding. A post-race veterinary examination of SIR THOMAS revealed a very slow recovery rate. Connections advised they would monitor SIR THOMAS over coming days. Trainer C Eagle was advised that a veterinary clearance will be required before SIR THOMAS next races.