

Date: Saturday 12 May 2012

STIPENDIARY STEWARD'S REPORT

MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Taranaki Thoroughbred Racing Weather: Fine Track: Dead (6) Rail: Out 1m Stewards: R Neal (Chairman); G Whiterod and B Bateup Typist: K Smart

GENERAL:

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	KOHI ROAD, CROWN OF THORNS, GEARIGURU, MADAM KIRK, TE TORO
	LASS, OUR ZARA, VONUSTI, GREEN MANNER
Suspensions:	R5 - K Smith-[Rule 638(1)(d)]- Careless Riding- Suspended 13 th -26 th May
-	2012 inclusive. (3 days).
Fines:	
Warnings:	Nil
Bleeders:	Nil
Horse Actions:	GOLDMINER – Declared Non-Starter (Rule 632)
Medical Certific	cates: R Hannam (Received)
Rider Changes:	Nil

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 HIREQUIP 1800

JOKRAAR was slow to begin and then over raced for a short distance near the winning post on the first occasion.

KOHI ROAD (R Hannam) raced wide around the first bend before being taken forward to lead near 1500m, shortly after AGNOPAK, ATHENRY, BOBBY AND JOKRAAR all had to steady when the pace ahead slackened. R Hannam the rider of KOHI ROAD was cautioned regarding slowing the pace excessively once obtaining the lead.

STORM RIDER raced wide from 1000m.

AGNOPAK was denied clear running near the 150m and had to be taken wider to continue to improve.

ROSENELLIS was inclined to lay out in the final straight.

Race 2 SEATON PARK 1400

SHAMTAARI began awkwardly and was slow away.

DAIELLO raced keenly in the run through the back straight and had to be continually steadied.

YARDSTICK over-raced passing the 1000m and then raced wide for the remainder.

DAIELLO was held up rounding the turn.

SNAGGLEPUSS was held rounding the turn and near the 250m was buffeted for several strides by ZUMBA which shifted in. SNAGGLEPUSS continued to be held up until gaining

clear running near the 150m.

ZUMBA was held up for a short distance near the 250m.

Race 3 THE KIWI BUTCHER MDN

AMAZING FORCE and RIA'S PRIDE were both slow to begin and settled back.

BIG CHAP raced greenly in the early stages and was obliged to race three wide in the run through the back straight.

COOL RECEPTION raced greenly throughout the final straight.

BLACK HENNESSY was obliged to make its finishing run 5 wide from the 700m and was inclined to race greenly in the final straight.

Race 4 TIGER PRAWN 1200

BROKEBACK MOUNTAIN shifted in abruptly at the start bumping with SLICK CHIC which shifted in onto VUELA which was severely hampered and lost ground. Also contributing to this incident was SEALIGN which shifted out on jumping.

SLICK CHIC over-raced in the early stages and near the 1000m had to be restrained off the heels of BLUE NILE for some distance

AMERICANIDOL lay out rounding the first turn dictating MARASHINO wider. AMERICANIDOL continued to lay out in the final straight and bumped with MARASHINO on several occasions.

When questioned regarding the performance of BROKEBACK MOUNTAIN jockey B Lammas stated that the gelding travelled only fairly in the ground and failed to respond when tested passing the 800m. A post-race veterinary examination of BROKEBACK MOUNTAIN revealed no obvious abnormalities.

Race 5 BARRY DANIELS & SONS PAINTER

GOLDMINER (J Misbah) proved fractious after being loaded and lost considerable ground when the barriers were released. The Stewards requested a ruling under Rule 632 with respect to GOLDMINER being declared a non-starter, after it was established that GOLDMINER was being held by a starter's assistant when the start was affected. The JCA subsequently declared GOLDMINER to be a non-starter.

Shortly after leaving the barriers LA MUCHACHA which was tightened and lost ground when inside MAJOR RIO which was dictated inward by DI'S BOY (K Smith) which was improving forward to lead. K Smith admitted a resultant breach of Rule 638(1)(d) in that he shifted ground inwards when not clear. After consideration the Judicial Committee suspended jockey Smith's licence to ride in races from close of racing on Saturday 12th May up to and including the close of racing on Saturday 26th May (3 days).

REMEMBA HOWE had difficulty obtaining clear running throughout the final straight and passing the 100m had to be steadied off heels and taken wider.

NEW ORDER had to steady for several strides near the 100m when on the heels of QUEEN OF THE CASTLE.

When questioned regarding the run of LA MUCHACHA rider S Doyle stated despite losing ground in the early stages he could offer no excuses. Trainer A Sharrock advised that LA MUCHACHA would now be spelled.

Race 6 STELLA ARTONS 2000

THE MISSING LINK shifted out abruptly on jumping hampering TORRADO and ASCOLINI which both lost ground.

HAERE MAI was hampered at the start and got back when runners either side shifted ground.

ELECTRONIC SOCKS was slow to begin.

ADCOLINI made the first turn awkwardly when wide.

HAERE MAI was held up when awkwardly placed inside the heels of HERMAN MUNSTER near the 700m and only obtained clear running near the 200m.

MONKEY BRISCOE was obliged to race wide without cover throughout.

Race 7	ENERGY CITY FORD OPEN
BEAU DANE jumped out at the start tightening I AM SAM and FEARS NOTHING.	
MATOST raced ungenerously in the early stages.	
BEAU DANE was obliged to race wide without cover throughout.	
MATOST shifted out abruptly near the 200m bumping with VONUSTI.	
The Stewards opened and adjourned an investigation into an incident near the 100m	
where I AM SAM was tightened and checked.	
Race 8	NEWLOOK DECORATORS 1400
GO THUNDER began awkwardly and lost ground.	
THE CHARGIN PEANUT was obliged to race three wide without cover throughout.	
When questioned regarding the run of KARLA BRUNI rider H Kasim stated the mare had	
travelled comfortably in the running however when pressured passing the 800m failed to	
respond. A subsequent veterinary examination revealed no obviously abnormality.	