STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Racing Te Aroha Date: Monday 21 May 2012

Weather: Fine
Track: Slow (8)
Rail: 5 Metres

Stewards: J Oatham (Chairman), A Coles, M Williamson, L Tidmarsh

Stenographer: P Scott

GENERAL:

No issues to report.

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: OBERON, IRA BEAN, BURMA, DIABLO, TREPIDATION, GOLD HUNTER, GLITZABEEL, TEN BELLES

Suspensions: Race 5 L Satherley SOPHIE'S GEM

Careless riding 200m [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 24–30 May 2012 inclusive, 4 days

Fines: Nil

Warnings: Nil

Bleeders: Race 4 LIGHT N TASTY – 3 month stand down

5 TRULY RUBY – bled 2nd occasion, now ineligible to race in NZ

6 O'RIGHT ZEN – 3 month stand down

Horse Actions: Nil

Medical Certificates: Nil

Rider Changes: Nil

Late Scratchings: Race 2 ANYTHING GOES, 10.18am on vet advice

5 OCEANA SANDS at 2.44 pm on vet advice

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 PALACE HOTEL 2200

GREVE (L Satherley) had to be steadied off the heels of ROSSITA (C Grylls) which shifted out on jumping away.

LUCKY CHARM (B R Jones) was slow away.

ROSSITA over-raced in the early stages.

VARNISH (C Dell) raced wide around the first bend.

LUCKY CHARM (B R Jones) raced wide without cover throughout.

TE KINGI (L Cropp) hung out around the final turn with **CARBONADO** (S Spratt) being held up behind that runner until near the 300 metres.

JUST GOT HOME (S Shirahama) was held up when racing in restricted room near the 300 metres.

When questioned regarding the performance of **ROSSITA**, rider C Grylls advised that the mare had over-raced badly early before he had been able to get it to settle in the back straight, but **ROSSITA** had failed to respond once placed under pressure and had been disappointing. Trainer L Anderson advised that the mare appeared to have pulled up well, but undertook to advise Stipendiary Stewards if anything untoward becomes apparent.

Race 2 THE NUNNERY 2200

SKYLA JAY (L Cropp) began awkwardly.

BIG BROWNIE (L Satherley) raced three wide from the 1300 metres.

PHYSICIST (J Waddell) lay out throughout the race and was a beaten runner early in the final straight being eased down. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any abnormalities. The stable representative advised that **PHYSICIST** is unlikely to be persevered with.

Race 3 KINGSCLERE STABLES 1400

ARTEMIS (J Waddell) began awkwardly making contact with RAIVAC (M Sweeney).

DANDEE BOY (C Grylls) began awkwardly forcing GOTHIC LADY (P Turner) in on to BEAUTIFUL BROTHER (L Cropp) further

hampering SKYE BUIE (C Dell) which had begun awkwardly and lost ground as a result.

MARTINA OF SYDNEY (M Cameron) and SEEKING REDEMPTION (N Collett) were slow away.

BEAUTIFUL BROTHER and **DANDEE BOY** both raced wide without cover.

BURMA (L Innes) lay out rounding the turn near the 450 metres taking **MARTINA OF SYDNEY** out on to **DANDEE BOY** which was forced wider.

ALPENA ROSEA (S Spratt) shifted out to obtain clear running near the 300 metres making contact with **BEAUTIFUL BROTHER**.

EMMA'S CHOICE (A Forbes) was held up near the 300 metres and then had some difficulty obtaining clear running until near the 100 metres.

ZABINELLA (M Coleman) was unable to obtain clear running over the final 200 metres.

Race 4 PGG IAN MORGAN & ALLISTER COOMBE 1200

DIAMONDS ARE BLUE (M Coleman) began awkwardly making contact with the hind quarters of **CORIANDER** (T Thornton) which shifted out when unbalanced further hampering **DIAMONDS ARE BLUE**.

ELUDE (C Dell) knuckled when jumping away and shifted out forcing **LIGHT N TASTY** (N Collett) outwards causing crowding to **LILLIE RUSH** (R Norvall) and **AUTOKEEPER** (A Collett) which both lost ground.

CORIANDER over-raced when being restrained near the 900 metres.

DIABLO (L Cropp) and **GENERAL LEE** (M Hills) both raced wide throughout.

LIGHT N TASTY was eased down by its rider from the 400 metres. **LIGHT N TASTY** returned to the enclosure with blood flowing from both nostrils and after being examined by the veterinarian was confirmed as a bleeder. **LIGHT N TASTY** is therefore subject to the mandatory three month stand down from racing.

J Collet (ASON) dropped his whip near the 300 metres.

Race 5 PGG PETER LISSINGTON 1200

OCEANA SANDS dislodged rider R Hutchings on the way to the start. After being recaptured **OCEANA SANDS** was declared a late scratching on veterinary advice at 2.44 pm as it was found to have a laceration in the chest region.

SOPHIE'S GEM (L Satherley) began awkwardly and lost ground after being further hampered when **LADY OF TROY** (M Sweeney) shifted in.

MEDIADOR (N Collett) began awkwardly.

PHARSALUS (S Spratt) jumped in the air as the start was made losing ground.

PURR (R Norvall) stumbled on jumping away losing ground.

DANERIO (C Dell) began awkwardly losing ground.

SNIPPECHEE (T Thornton) over-raced in the early and middle stages, and had to be firmly restrained off the heels of **TRULY RUBY** (C Grylls) which was being eased near the 800 metres. C Grylls was advised to exercise care. When being steadied **SNIPPECHEE** shifted out taking **LADY OF TROY** into the line of **MANDERLEY** (J Waddell) which had to be steadied. **LADY OF TROY** then shifted back in with **MEDIADOR** which was racing greenly reacting to this movement and shifting in crowding **SOPHIE'S GEM** near the 750 metres.

PURR had to be steadied when laying out near the 600 metres.

NAB THE MOMENT (M McNab) raced wide throughout.

Passing the 400 metres TREPIDATION (J Collett) lay in making contact with MANDERLEY.

SNIPPECHEE was disappointed for a run approaching the 200 metres and shifted to the inside of **NAB THE MOMENT** (M McNab) to obtain clear running.

L Satherley admitted a breach of careless riding in that near the 200 metres she permitted her mount **SOPHIE'S GEM** to shift out under pressure when not clear of **MANDERLEY** which was checked. The JCA suspended L Satherley's licence to ride in races from 24 to 30 May inclusive (4 days).

TRULY RUBY returned to the enclosure with blood present in both nostrils. **TRULY RUBY** was confirmed as a bleeder and as this is the second occasion on which it has bled is now ineligible for further racing in New Zealand.

Race 6 PGG JOHN SISLEY 1200

GOLD HUNTER (P Turner) was crowded at the start.

DIRECT LINE (M Wenn) was held up when disappointed for a run near the 300 metres.

GOLD HUNTER was held up near the 250 metres when HUG A GINGA (R Norvall) lay in.

KITTY RUSSELL (J Collett) lay in under pressure over the concluding stages.

O'RIGHT ZEN (J Waddell) returned to the enclosure with blood present in both nostrils. After being examined by the veterinarian was confirmed as a bleeder.

C Dell (LA TOURNEAU) was of the opinion that the mare was holding its breath and recommended to the horses trainer that a tongue tie be applied for its next start.

Race 7 PGG WRIGHTSON REAL ESTATE 1600

IRENE ALICE (T Thornton) and **CARNIVAL QUEEN** (A Taylor) were both hampered on jumping away between **COOL ONE** (A Collett) and **DONNA MARIE** (M Cameron) when both those runners shifted ground.

Approaching the junction on to the course proper near the 1450 metres IRENE ALICE (T Thornton) went off stride when being steadied when crowded for room between COOL ONE which shifted out when being steadied and OLD GOLD (A Forbes) which shifted in. A Forbes was advised to exercise care.

Race 8 PGG GET WELL JIM 1400

COPPER BLONDE (B R Jones) and **POPPY ROSE** (J Waddell) began awkwardly and came together with **COPPER BLONDE** losing ground as a result.

PRICELESS (H Kasim) shifted out abruptly when jumping away forcing **GO PADDY** (L Cropp) on to **PRINCESSABEEL** (S Collett) which blundered.

Co-trainer D Olson reported that **LA CHATTE VITE** (M Cropp) had got its tongue over the bit and they would be looking to make an appropriate gear change prior to the mare racing next.