STIPENDIARY STEWARD'S REPORT



Date: 7 July 2012

MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Marton Jockey Club

Weather: Fine
Track: Heavy 10
Rail: True

Stewards: Messrs N Goodwin; R Neal; B Bateup

Typist: Pauline Penketh

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

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: AUTHENTIC PADDY; GOLD'N'CASINO; THE DOLPHIN; MISS LINCOLN; RISING TIDE; DUBAI BELLE; I

AM SAM; SAFE ACCESS

Suspensions: Race

Fines: Race 1 R Stam – Failed to make the weight Rule 330 (3) (c) – fined \$100

Warnings: Race
Bleeders: Race

Horse Actions: Race 1 MASTER FINLAY – must trial before next starting

Medical Certificates: K Smith – clearance required before next riding

Rider/Driver Charges: Race 3 BARMASAI – B Lammas replaced M Cropp due to injury

DESERT SABOTEUR – M Dravitski replaced M Cropp
 KALGOORLIE BOMBER – M Dravitski replaced M Cropp

3 ROSE AND STORM – T Russell replaced K Smith due to injury

8 OUR CENTREFOLD – J Shackleton replaced K Smith

Scratching Penalties: Race 6 KENNY'S CHANCE at 1.25pm – lame in right hind leg.

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 RANGITIKEI TYRE CENTRE 2YO HANDICAP

R Stam was permitted to ride **MISS MIDDLETON** 1kg overweight after no suitable riders were available. R Stam was fined \$100 under Rule 330 (3) (c) for failing to make the carded weight.

MASTER FINLAY (K Smith) attempted to buck shortly after leaving the barrier and lost ground. Trainer T Collis was advised that the gelding must trial to the satisfaction of the Stewards before next starting. K Smith was stood down by the Club Doctor after injuring his hand in this incident. K Smith was advised that a medical clearance will need to be produced before he next rides.

CORSICANA (T Russell) began awkwardly and shifted out bumping with **DRAGON PRINCESS** (D Bradley) which in turn shifted out and made contact with **OUR ENTOURAGE** (K Myers).

FASTFOOT (B Grylls) began slowly then near the 1000m commenced to over-race and had to be steadied firmly off heels near the 800 metres for some distance prior to being angled out wider into clear running and in doing so hampered CORSICANA

When questioned regarding the performance of **NAPATAP**, L Allpress was of the opinion that the top weight and wide draw were a factor in the gelding's performance. A Morgan **(TARTLET)** dropped her whip near the 200 metres.

Race 2	COOMBE SMITH CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS 3YO HANDICAP

MICKEN (K Myers) was slow to begin.

Race 3 KELLY & ASSOCIATES MAIDEN

PENCURI (R Hannam) and THE DOLPHIN (H Tinsley) were slow away.

BEAU ZED (D Walsh) was crowded shortly after leaving the barriers.

When questioned on the performance of **NGAWHINI**, D Bradley said the filly was agitated prior to the start which he believed may have had a detrimental effect on the filly's performance.

CHRISTINE RANKIN underwent a veterinary examination at the barrier before being cleared to start after received a blow to the mouth '

CHRISTINE RANKIN (R Stam) **and DESERT SABOTEUR** (M Dravitski) came together when the start was made resulting in the latter loosing ground.

MONTEPULCIANO (L Allpress) had to steady when on the heels of **ARGENTEUIL** (D Bradley) shortly after leaving the barrier.

PRINCESS LINCOLN (B Grylls) was inclined to lay-out down the final straight.

Race 5 RAYNER BUILDING/P J RAYNER DECORATING HANDICAP

INTRANSIGENT (D Walsh) and WAITAHA TOA (T Russell) were slow to begin.

RISING TIDE (L Allpress) and **WAITAHA TOA** bumped over the final stages. L Allpress was reminded of her obligation to keep her mount straight when circumstances permit.

When questioned on the performance of **NO EXCUSE MAGGIE**, J Riddell said the mare was not entirely comfortable in the track at this distance.

A post-race veterinary examination of **KEEPEREEL** failed to reveal any abnormalities.

Race 6 RICHARDS CONSTRUCTION HANDICAP

KENNY'S CHANCE was a late scratching on veterinary advice after being found to be lame in the right hind leg at 1.25pm. Trainer T Collis was advised that a veterinary clearance is required prior to its next start.

THEE OLD SHEILA (D Bradley) and MCRAE (D Walker) were both slow away.

When questioned into the run of **DONNA DIVA** rider L Allpress said that after racing keenly in the early and middle stages the mare had little left at the finish.

Race 7 EVANS HENDERSON WOODBRIDGE HANDICAP KING VICTOR (D Walsh) and BALTIS (R Hannam) were slow to begin. Race 8 BONNY GLEN LANDFILL HANDICAP

HEIR SUPPLY was declared a late scratching at 10.20am after becoming injured.

Connections were advised that a clearance will be required prior to its next start.

JENNY'S OKAY underwent and passed a veterinary examination at the barrier after slipping after arriving at the start.

SHEZREGAL (M Dravitzki) began awkwardly and was slow away.

STORM HOME (M Hills) and JENNY'S OKAY were both slow away.

MADANSKE (T Baker) had to change ground near the 300 when on the heels of RIVERMAN JACK (S Collett).

When questioned on the performance of CANSO, L Allpress said the mare was unsuited to the track conditions.