STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: South Canterbury Racing Club	Date:	Friday 13 July 2012
Weather: Fine		
Track: Dead 4		
Rail: Out 4 metres		
Stewards: J McLaughlin (Chairman), A Ray, M Davidson		
Typist: C McMullan		

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SUPPLEMENTARY:

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SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	GOLDEN CROWNS, NUMERO DE LAGO, VALLEY OF KINGS,					
	WANNABEAWALLABETOO, LAUTENSCHLAGER, REWA, CLOUDY PETE, FLYING					
	STORM	, NIGHT LIFE, LADY POMPALLIER				
Suspensions:	Race	Nil				
Protests:	Race 1	3 rd versus 2 nd upheld.				
Fines:	Race	Nil				
Warnings:	Race	Nil				
Bleeders:	Race 10	CELESTIAL – stood down for 3 months.				
Horse Actions:	Race 4	SWEET BUT NEAT – racing manners, to trial prior to racing next.				
	Race 5	NADS – veterinary clearance required prior to racing next.				
	Race 10	HADLOW – veterinary clearance required prior to racing next.				
Medical Certificates:	Nil					
Rider Changes:	Race	Nil				
Scratching Penalties:	Race	Nil				

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	TIMARU SIGNS & GRAPHIX MAIDEN HURDLES 3000m

AU NATUREL lugged in throughout.

KIWI HUSSLER made the jump near the 2400 metres awkwardly.

GOLDEN CROWNS and DAY CENTRE made the fence near the 2100 metres awkwardly.

AU NATUREL made a poor leap at the fence near the 1200 metres.

In the run to the fence at the 300 metres **AU NATUREL** which was laying in shifted in and made contact with **DALAMO**. **DALAMO** dipped on landing at the fence near the 300 metres losing momentum.

Approaching the last fence **AU NATUREL** (C Singer) which had been laying in shifted in making heavy contact with **DALAMO** whilst jumping the last fence. M Mitchell, the rider of **DALAMO** became unbalanced for several strides on landing. The connections of 3rd placed **DALAMO** lodged a protest under the provisions of Rule 642(1) in respect of the gelding's chances of running 2nd being affected. After hearing all evidence the JCA upheld the protest with the placings now reading 3, 2, 4, 1, 5.

HELIOS made a poor leap at the last fence.

Race 2 LION BEVERAGE HURDLES 3000m

SOUTH ROAD which underwent a pre race veterinary examination was cleared fit to race.

MOONLIGHTNING tended to sky its head when being restrained in the early stages.

SOUTH ROAD made a poor leap at the fence near the 2400 metres.

KIDUNOT made heavy contact with the fence by the 2000 metres.

MOONLIGHTNING mixed its jumping throughout.

SOUTH ROAD pulled hard throughout.

SOUTH ROAD made a faulty leap and fell at the second to last fence dislodging rider G Walsh.

SOUTH ROAD sustained a fractured distal radius of the left foreleg and was humanely euthanased.

G Walsh was examined by St John paramedics and cleared to continue riding. **HIGH FORTY** had to take evasive action to miss the fallen runner.

KIDUNOT made a poor leap at the last fence.

When questioned regarding the performance of **CEE GEE JAY**, rider S Moir stated that after getting further back than anticipated the mare had failed to quicken off a strong pace but had finished well over the concluding stages.

Race 3 PORT FM SPRINT MAIDEN 1200m

The start of this event was delayed due to the horses arriving late at the start area.

TOM DOOLEY was slow to begin.

LIZZIES GIRL raced wide in the early stages.

BLUSHING tended to sky its head when racing ungenerously in the early stages.

EMM GEE had to steady when racing up on heels passing the 1000 metres.

TOMAHAWK raced wide throughout.

BLUSHING raced in restricted room for some distance passing the 600 metres.

BLUSHING was held up in the early part of the home straight having to shift ground outward passing the 300 metres to obtain clear running.

When questioned regarding the performance of **REUBEN**, rider D Walsh stated that the gelding had received a good trip throughout however when placed under full pressure inside the final 300 metres had failed to quicken and had disappointed in the run to the finish. He added that in his opinion **REUBEN** may be better suited over more distance. A post race veterinary examination of **REUBEN** did not reveal any obvious abnormalities.

When questioned regarding the performance of **LIZZIES GIRL**, rider R Hannam stated that the mare had travelled well but over the concluding stages had given ground noticeably. The connections of **LIZZIES GIRL** undertook to advise the Stewards if anything becomes apparent with the mare in subsequent days which may have led to the performance.

Race 4 TAS ANSWERING SERVICES SPRINT MAIDEN 1200m

FLASH CHOICE which was fractious in the barriers was slow to begin and raced wide throughout. **GARFIELD** began awkwardly and was further hampered when runners to the inside shifted ground and as a result got back.

LETHAL AS made the bend by the 1000 metres awkwardly and continued to race ungenerously for a short distance.

SWEET BUT NEAT which was laying out ran off rounding the final bend extinguishing its chances. Trainer S Blair-Edie was advised that the filly must trial to the satisfaction of the Stewards prior to next racing.

Passing the 200 metres **BLACK BERRY PUNCH** shifted out and made contact with **GOLDFINGER** on a number of occasions over the concluding stages. Rider L Callaway was reminded of his obligations in regard to shifting ground.

Race 5 EQUINE VETERINARY SERVICES STEEPLECHASE 4280m

NADS made a poor jump at the third fence making contact with **LAUTENSCHLAGER** with both horses becoming unbalanced.

DEES ROCK made a poor leap at the fence by the 1000 metres in the final round.

NADS jumped indifferently throughout and was retired from the race passing the 600 metres. A post race veterinary examination of **NADS** revealed the gelding to be showing signs of tie up. Trainer K Thompson was advised that a veterinary certificate of fitness would be required prior to **NADS** racing again. Trainer K Thompson advised it was his intention to retire **NADS**. **NADS** was reported to have lost its near front plate during the running.

Race 6 D'CASH DASH RATING 85 1200m

PHOENICIAN was slow to begin.

POSH BEC was obliged to race wide throughout.

Race 7 CENTRAL SI OWNERS & TRAINERS MAIDEN MILE 1600m

TUESDAY GIRL began awkwardly losing ground.

ADDITUP tended to sky its head passing the 1400 metres when being restrained off heels and raced ungenerously for a short distance thereafter.

Passing the 600 metres **ELECTRONIC MOTION** was held up for some distance by the tiring **PERFECT THYMING**.

Race 8 WASHDYKE WONDERS MAIDEN MILE 1600m

SHAYLEE WILDE and **JUST AS NOSEY** were slow in the early stages.

SHORT BLACK raced fiercely in the early stages proving difficult for its rider to control.

SHORT BLACK continued to race ungenerously for some distance before settling passing the 900 metres.

SHAYLEE WILDE tended to lay out rounding the final bend.

Race 9 SPEIGHT'S RATING 85 MILE 1600m

LIVANA underwent a pre race veterinary examination after being kicked at the start area and was cleared fit to race.

KOKIID was slow in the early stages.

After beginning awkwardly and losing ground **ORLOV** raced wide into the first bend when improving forward.

When questioned regarding the performance of **CANGOWEST**, rider R Hannam stated that the mare had travelled well throughout however had only battled over the concluding stages and had disappointed. He added that in his opinion the mare had not seen out the 1600 metre journey.

Race 10 SHAWEIGH STAYERS RATING 65 2100m

GORGEOUS and **CELESTIAL** came together as the start was made, making firm contact and jostling for some strides.

WINNIPEG raced keenly in the early stages.

GORGEOUS raced wide throughout.

Rider S Muniandy reported that **HADLOW** had felt indifferent in its action over the concluding stages. A post race veterinary examination of **HADLOW** revealed the gelding to be lame in its near foreleg. The connections were advised that a veterinary certificate of fitness will be required prior to racing again.

When questioned regarding the improved performance of **LADY POMPALLIER**, trainer M Pitman stated that the mare has been working well for some time however has disappointed in its races. He stated that in his opinion being able to lead today attributed to **LADY POMPALLIER** racing in an improved manner. He added that it would now be the stable's intention to ride **LADY POMPALLIER** forward in its future races.

CELESTIAL which returned to the birdcage with blood present in both nostrils underwent a post race veterinary examination and was declared a bleeder and stood down for the mandatory three months.

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