

# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

## MEETING DETAILS:

<b>Club:</b>	South Canterbury Racing Club	<b>Date:</b>	Friday, 24 August 2012
<b>Weather:</b>	Fine		
<b>Track:</b>	Heavy 11		
<b>Rail:</b>	Out 5 metres		
<b>Stewards:</b>	J McLaughlin (Chairman), M Davidson, N Ydgren		
<b>Typist:</b>	C McMullan		

## GENERAL:

Jockey M Misbah produced a clearance from the Malayan Racing Association. R7 – <b>GALLIANO</b> was a late scratching at 12.48 pm on veterinary advice.
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## SUPPLEMENTARY: (All adjourned inquiries and follow up information relating to previous meetings)

Nil
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## SUMMARY:

<b>Swabbing:</b>	<b>ARONSAY, THE SYDNEY EXPRESS, SPARK IT UP, WEDGIE, HEZA KOOL KAT, CHASUBLE, MEDIEVAL, ELECTRONIC MOTION, INFORMANT</b>		
<b>Suspensions:</b>	<b>Race</b>	<b>4</b>	C Barnes, [Rule 638(1)(d)], shifting ground 1100. Licence to ride in races suspended 2 days effective 1 to 7 September 2012 inclusive.
		<b>5</b>	R Doherty, [Rule 638(1)(d)], shifting ground 250m. Licence to ride in races suspended 2 days effective 1 to 7 September 2012 inclusive.
<b>Protests:</b>	<b>Race</b>		Nil
<b>Fines:</b>	<b>Race</b>		Nil
<b>Warnings:</b>	<b>Race</b>		Nil
<b>Bleeders:</b>	<b>Race</b>		Nil
<b>Horse Actions:</b>	<b>Race</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>CEEJAY CYCLONE</b> – vet clearance required.
		<b>3</b>	<b>ZOLATOI</b> – racing manners warning.
		<b>4</b>	<b>ALEXSTONYSAPRANO</b> – racing manners warning.
		<b>7</b>	<b>GALLIANO</b> – vet clearance required.
<b>Medical Certificates:</b>	L Callaway & J Bullard – medical clearances received.		
<b>Rider Changes:</b>	<b>Race</b>		Nil
<b>Scratching Penalties:</b>	Nil		

## RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	SPEIGHT'S MAIDEN HURDLE (3000m)
<p><b>MR ZHOU</b> was slow to begin.</p> <p><b>SILK N SATIN</b> and <b>HELIOS</b> made poor leaps at the first fence, with <b>MR ZHOU</b> dipping on landing.</p> <p>Due to the lack of pace through the early stages <b>ARONSAY</b> and <b>CEEJAY CYCLONE</b> tended to over race. <b>ARONSAY</b> made a poor leap at the fence by the 2400 metres.</p> <p>Passing the 2400 metres <b>MR ZHOU</b> made a poor leap and dislodged rider J Maguire on landing. J Maguire was examined by St John paramedics and cleared fit to continue riding.</p> <p>At the fence near the 1100 metres <b>CEEJAY CYCLONE</b> made a poor leap dislodging rider M Mitchell. M Mitchell was examined by St John paramedics and cleared fit to continue riding.</p> <p><b>ARONSAY</b> hit the fence by the 600 metres hard.</p> <p><b>AU NATUREL</b> made a poor leap at the 600 metres and lost momentum.</p>	



A post race veterinary examination of <b>CEEJAY CYCLONE</b> revealed the mare to be lame in the off foreleg. The connections were advised that a veterinary clearance is required prior to <b>CEEJAY CYCLONE</b> racing again.	
<b>Race 2</b>	<b>EQUINE VETERINARY SERVICES HURDLE (3000m)</b>
<p><b>POWER PACK</b> made a poor leap at the first fence.</p> <p><b>KIDUNOT</b> made a poor leap at the fence passing the 2400 metres.</p> <p>Passing the 600 metres <b>THE SYDNEY EXPRESS</b> made a poor leap.</p> <p><b>WELSH TOWN</b> jumped indifferently throughout.</p> <p><b>HIGH FORTY</b> dipped on landing after jumping the last fence.</p> <p>Rider M Mitchell reported that <b>KIDUNOT</b> failed to handle the prevailing track conditions.</p>	
<b>Race 3</b>	<b>PORT FM MAIDEN (1200m)</b>
<p><b>ZOLATOI</b> was slow to begin and lost contact with the field through the early stages.</p> <p>Passing the 150 metres <b>EL CASTELLO</b> was inconvenienced and had to shift ground outwards to avoid the heels of the tiring <b>FLASH CHOICE</b>. Also inconvenienced was <b>ZOLATOI</b> which had to steady.</p> <p>When questioned regarding the performance of favoured runner <b>GOLDFINGER</b>, rider T Direen stated that the gelding had travelled well but had been unable to quicken when placed under full pressure and in her opinion may not have backed up from its previous start.</p> <p>When questioned regarding his ride on <b>ZOLATOI</b>, C Johnson advised that his mount was very green and after jumping slowly had improved wide on the home turn and failed to respond when placed under full pressure. He added that passing the 150 metres <b>ZOLATOI</b> when steadied had proved difficult to control. A racing manners warning was placed on <b>ZOLATOI</b>. A post race veterinary examination of <b>ZOLATOI</b> revealed no abnormalities.</p>	
<b>Race 4</b>	<b>ROLL ON SPRING MAIDEN SPRINT (1200m)</b>
<p><b>WEDGIE</b> was hampered as the start was made when <b>WILLOW PARK</b> shifted in on jumping.</p> <p><b>ALEXSTONYSAPRANO</b> raced greenly throughout. A racing manners warning was placed on <b>ALEXSTONYSAPRANO</b>.</p> <p>Passing the 1100m <b>LITTLE FAITH</b> which was being taken forward to the lead shifted in and in doing so dictated <b>OUR ZULU GIRL</b> down into the running line of <b>TARANTO</b> which was checked and lost ground. Apprentice rider C Barnes admitted a breach of Rule 638(1)(d) in that she permitted her mount to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear. After hearing all evidence the JCA suspended C Barnes' licence to ride in races for 2 days effective 1 to 7 September 2012 inclusive.</p> <p>Passing the 1000 metres <b>BLUSHING</b> over raced for some distance when in restricted room.</p> <p>Inside the final 100 metres <b>LETS TALK GOLD</b> shifted inwards inconveniencing <b>OUR ZULU GIRL</b> momentarily.</p>	
<b>Race 5</b>	<b>D'CASH DASH (1200m)</b>
<p><b>SNEAKY</b> began awkwardly and was inclined to sky its head whilst being restrained in the early stages.</p> <p>Passing the 400 metres <b>HEZA KOOL KAT</b> shifted inwards to obtain clear running.</p> <p>Passing the 250 metres <b>SNEAKY</b> had to check and shift ground inwards when <b>URBANA</b> (R Doherty) shifted outwards . Apprentice rider R Doherty admitted a breach of Rule 638 (1) (d) in that he permitted his mount to shift ground when not clear. After hearing all evidence the JCA suspended R Doherty's licence to ride in races for 2 days effective 1 to 7 September 2012 inclusive.</p> <p>When questioned regarding his ride on <b>URBANA</b> over the concluding stages, R Doherty advised the Stewards that the mare had been well tried during the run home and had shifted ground late in the concluding stages when striking a very heavy section of ground. R Doherty was reminded of his obligations in respect of riding his mounts out.</p>	
<b>Race 6</b>	<b>KIRWAN BERRY FAREWELL MILE (1600m)</b>
<p>The start of this event was delayed due to <b>ELEGANTE</b> being fractious in the barriers.</p> <p><b>MASTERZED</b>, <b>COUP ROTORUA</b> and <b>HOWLONGDOWE WAIT</b> were slow to begin.</p> <p><b>HOWLONGDOWE WAIT</b> tended to run inwards under pressure in the final straight.</p>	
<b>Race 7</b>	<b>CENTRAL SI OWNERS &amp; TRAINERS ASSN MAIDEN (1600m)</b>
<p><b>AQUALUNG</b> which dislodged its rider and escaped during the preliminary underwent a veterinary examination and was cleared fit to race.</p> <p><b>ITS HAPPENEN</b> was slow to begin.</p> <p><b>BRAEHILL</b> raced ungenerously through the early stages.</p>	
<b>Race 8</b>	<b>LION BEVERAGES HANDICAP (1600m)</b>



**ASTRONOMICAL** began awkwardly with **ZANE BAY** and **CONFUSED** slow over the early stages.  
**ZANE BAY** and **SHACKLETON** were reported to have not handled today's track conditions.  
A post race veterinary examination of **SHACKLETON** which gave ground late in the straight did not reveal any obvious abnormalities.

<b>Race 9</b>	<b>ROBBIES WASHDYKE BAR &amp; BISTRO SPRINT (1200m)</b>
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**BLAST OUT** raced ungenerously in the early stages.  
Passing the 150m **REPLACE** lay in under pressure having to be straightened.