



## STIPENDIARY STEWARD'S REPORT

### MEETING DETAILS:

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| <b>Club:</b> Wanganui Jockey Club                                    | <b>Date:</b> Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> November 2012 |
| <b>Weather:</b> Fine   |   |
| <b>Track:</b> Good (3)   |   |
| <b>Rail:</b> Out 6 metres back straight / Out 4 metres home straight |   |
| <b>Stewards:</b> G Whiterod (Chairman), R Neal and B Bateup          |   |
| <b>Typist:</b> V Perry   |   |

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### SUMMARY:

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| <b>Swabbing:</b>             | ON THE HILL, ZUMBA, LA STELLINA, ROHAISE, SAMSI, MR ALIBI, FIREKEEPER, FREDRICK WILLIAM and MINT                                       |
| <b>Suspensions:</b>          |  |
| <b>Fines:</b>                | R Connors - Rule 616 (3) MR IDEAL incorrect gear – fined \$50.00<br>D Turner – Rule 638 (3) (b) excessive use of whip – fined \$150.00 |
| <b>Warnings:</b>             | R1 - B Grylls – shifting ground at finish  |
| <b>Bleeders</b>              |  |
| <b>Horse Actions:</b>        | R8 - DOVERS DREAM – racing performance - must trial prior to next starting   |
| <b>Medical Certificates:</b> |  |
| <b>Rider Changes:</b>        | R4 – HAND OF GOD – B Grylls replaced L Allpress  |

### RACE COMMENTS:

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| <b>Race 1</b>   | <b>94.4 THE SOUND MAIDEN 1340M</b> |
| <p>JACKSON STREET was slow to begin then shortly after leaving the barriers commenced to race fiercely proving difficult to control. JACKSON STREET then made the turn near the 800 metres awkwardly running wide and taking ACUTELYGOLD out over extra ground. JACKSON STREET continued to over-race for some distance.</p> <p>SANIANI got its head up and over-raced for some distance approaching the 800 metre mark.</p> <p>JOE COOL had difficulty obtaining clear running in the early part of the final straight.</p> <p>Apprentice B Grylls the rider of JACKSON STREET was shown video film of the end of the race in the presence of her employer and issued with a warning after she allowed her mount to shift inwards after the winning post resulting in GEARBOX having to check.</p> |                                    |
| <b>Race 2</b>   | <b>G BRISTOL &amp; SONS 1340M</b>  |
| <p>DONTLIKEMONDAY and QUEEN OF THE CASTLE were slow to begin and settled at the rear of the field.</p> <p>LA SOMMELIERRE led in the early and middle stages of the race but despite being well tried dropped out in the home straight and finished several lengths last. When questioned Rider L Allpress stated that the filly felt sore in its galloping action and a veterinary inspection</p>   |                                    |

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| <p>was ordered on LA SOMMELIERRE which revealed a left-hind pastern wound.<br/>D Walsh the rider of the third placed runner GUS was reminded of his obligations to ride his mounts out fully to the line however the Stewards are satisfied that GUS'S finishing position had not been compromised on this occasion.</p>   |   |
| <b>Race 3</b>  | <b>UDC – NZ'S FINANCE COMPANY MAIDEN 1200M</b>      |
| <p>OUR SONARE began awkwardly and shifted out hampering TEXAS YELLOW ROSE.<br/>BACHELOR MAN was slow to begin.<br/>SARTOBY began awkwardly losing several lengths.<br/>V Johnston the rider of CHIMES was questioned regarding the lack of vigour shown in the home straight. Miss Johnson stated that there was insufficient room ahead in to which her mount could improve. However after viewing the head-on video film Miss Johnston agreed with the Stewards that while there may not have been room immediately ahead she had nevertheless erred in her judgement by not attempting to move wider when this was an option open to her.</p>   |   |
| <b>Race 4</b>  | <b>CENTRAL CITY AUTOMOTIVE LTD 3YO MAIDEN 1200M</b> |
| <p>B Grylls replaced L Allpress on HAND OF GOD due to L Allpress being stood down for one race by St John medical personnel.<br/>BENZINI was slow away.<br/>TINKA TINKA and CRISPNCOOOL were both slow to begin.<br/>HAND OF GOD was observed to check near the 800 metre mark when racing adjacent to the running rail. When questioned Apprentice Jockey B Grylls stated that her mount over-reacted when being steadied as there was only a marginal gap ahead.</p>   |   |
| <b>Race 5</b>  | <b>WANGANUI TROTTING CLUB 1200M</b>                 |
| <p>YARDSTICK which was slow to begin was further hampered shortly after between MISS CENTREFOLD which was taken out by MAGIC TRICKS and BRIGHT GLO which shifted in.<br/>I AM LEO got its head up when being steadied approaching the first turn.<br/>MAGIC TRICKS made the turn awkwardly when over-racing.<br/>MISS CENTREFOLD was obliged to race wide without cover throughout.<br/>BRIGHT GLO returned to the enclosure with blood present in its nostril. A subsequent veterinary examination revealed this to be the result of a minor laceration.<br/>MISS CENTREFOLD lay in rounding the final turn bumping with BRIGHT GLO. This resulted in MISS CENTREFOLD becoming unbalanced and shifting wider.</p>   |   |
| <b>Race 6</b>  | <b>TAKE IT EASY TOURS MAIDEN 2040M</b>              |
| <p>THAT SNOW ATHLETE shifted out on jumping crowding FLYING DAISY and FALSE EMPATHY.<br/>PADDY JO over-raced in the lead during the early stages and skied its head for some distance when being restrained. PADDY JO continued to race in or near the lead until entering the home straight and despite being well tried the gelding drifted and finished several lengths last. When questioned Rider K Smith stated that in his opinion PADDY JO raced too keenly which resulted in it having nothing left at the end of the race.<br/>WAIVE THE RULES raced ungenerously in the back straight when the pace ahead eased so the rider elected to go forward near the 800 metre mark to race outside the leader.<br/>DRESSTOEMPRESSNOW raced three-wide without cover from the 800 metres.<br/>THAT SNOW ATHLETE was held up passing the 400 metres until passing the 200 metres.<br/>TJAPAKI was inclined to lay in under pressure over the final 300 metres and had to be continually straightened.</p> |   |
| <b>Race 7</b>  | <b>RACEWAY MOTEL 2040M</b>                          |
| <p>Trainer R Connors admitted a breach under Rule 616 (3) in that MR IDEAL was presented with incorrect gear.<br/>POST ONLINE bounded at the start and lost ground.<br/>THE MAILMAN began very awkwardly losing ground.<br/>KASH UP was slow away.</p>   |   |

HOW TRUE was held up for several strides soon after entering the home straight and again near the 150 metres and once able to obtain clear racing room HOW TRUE finished on into 4<sup>th</sup> place.

When questioned regarding the run of VICKI ANNE Jockey J Parkes advised that the filly was unsuited to the Good 3 track and the step-up in grade.

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| <b>Race 8</b> | <b>WANGANUI GREYHOUND RACING CLUB MAIDEN 1600M</b> |
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DOVERS DREAM and CELTIC THUNDER were both slow to begin.

FRATELLI TONITE was obliged to race wide without cover throughout.

DOVERS DREAM lost contact with the body of the field in the middle stages and was distanced at the finish. When questioned Apprentice Jockey A Morgan stated that the gelding was very field shy and although well tried could not regain contact. DOVERS DREAM was examined by the club's veterinarian with this revealing no obvious abnormalities. As this was the second consecutive occasion that DOVERS DREAM had performed poorly connections were advised that the gelding must trial to the satisfaction of the Stewards before next starting.

JUSTA CHARLIE hung in badly throughout the final straight and near the 250 metres shifted in inconveniencing FRATELLI TONITE.

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| <b>Race 9</b> | <b>CAMBRIDGE THOROUGHBRED LODGE 1600M</b> |
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HIS PET failed to make the first turn and ran out hampering LADY SHANNON. HIS PET then raced ungenerously for a short distance and made the turn near the 1,000 metres awkwardly and shortly after gave ground being distanced at the finish.

VICTOR ALBERTO raced fiercely and got its head up when being restrained rounding the first turn.

ZENNO ROLLS ROYCE was obliged to race wide without cover throughout.

COVENTINA was inclined to lay in under pressure in the final straight.

ZENNO ROLLS ROYCE and COVENTINA came together and brushed on several occasions inside the final 100 metres when both shifted ground.

Apprentice D Turner admitted a breach of Rule 638 (3) (b) in that he used his whip unnecessarily in the early part of the final straight. After consideration the Judicial Committee imposed a fine of \$150.