

STIPENDIARY STEWARD'S REPORT

MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Waipukurau JC Date: Sunday 9th December,2012

Weather: Fine Track: Good 3
Rail: True

Stewards: N Goodwin (Chairman); B Bateup and L Tidmarsh

Stenographer: Lesley Goodwin

GENERAL:

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: PAY THE FOX, TURQUOISE, PETITE BRIGITTE, PHOENIX TYCOON, MISS SERENA, CAJUN, KAIRANGA, TSAR REFORMER

Suspensions:

Fines: Race 5 G Vile \$50 Rule 616 presented Stormy River without notified gear (tongue tie) Race 5 P Nelson \$50 Rule 614(2) wrong number cloth at plate inspection area.

Race 9 S Collett \$150 Rule 638(2) gave a celebratory gesture prior to the winning

post

Warnings:

Horse Actions: Race 4: DALPHANTOM. Uncompetitive, must trial satisfactorily prior to

racing again.

Dal Cheraw. Uncompetitive, must trial satisfactorily prior to its next start **Bleeders:** Race 4: **INCA PARK**. Stood down for a mandatory three months.

Medical Certificates: Rider Changes:

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 AON NZ INSURANCE BROKERS 2100

Track conditions were upgraded to a Good 3 prior to the first event.

PAY THE FOX (J Shackleton) began awkwardly.

KIA KAHA (M Hills) was slow away.

MISS PROFESSIONAL (B Grylls) was buffeted at the start.

THE TOOTHFAIRY (S Collett) shifted out when leaving the barrier hampering **ITSANOBRAINA** (L Allpress) which was forced out into the line of **FLYING DAI**SY (H Tinsley) which lost ground.

HIGH ON MAGIC (B Lammas) raced wide without cover throughout.

ITSANOBRAINA and BARMASI (J Parkes) travelled wide in the early stages.

THE TOOTHFAIRY was obliged to make its run wide rounding the home turn.

SLIPPERY MISTAKE (V Johnstone) was inclined to shift ground under pressure in the home

straight.

MISS PROFFESSIONAL was held up early in the home straight and was unable to obtain clear running until near the 200 metres.

When questioned into the run of **FLYING DAISY** which finished well back rider H Tinsley could offer no excuses.

When questioned into the improved performance of **PAY THE FOX** trainer D Cunningham advised stewards that he had eased the gelding's workload of late and considered this to be a factor in its improved performance.

Race 2 PGG WRIGHTSON SPRINT

MACADAMIA (B Lammas) began awkwardly and was slow away.

LA SOMMELIERE (D Walsh) raced keenly in the early stages.

Rider D Walsh reported **LA SOMMELIERE** hung throughout placing him at a disadvantage and as a result was unable to take advantage of a run which presented passing the 200 metres and over reacted when **LA VIE ONZE** (H Tinsley) shifted in.

FLORAL SCENT (L Allpress) had to be steadied momentarily when **TURQUOISE** (R Hutchings) shifted out under pressure over the concluding stages

L Allpress the rider of third placed **FLORAL SCENT** looked at video footage of the final stages with a view to protesting against the winner **TURQUOISE** but elected not to proceed with an objection. After the event, Trainer S Brown reported the mare **OUR DELIGHT** (J Riddell) had come into season.

Race 3 NEW WORLD WAIPUKURAU 3YO FILLIES

BAY DANCER (R Hutchings) travelled wide throughout.

Rounding the turn near the 700 metres **FASHION LASS** (L Allpress) when racing keenly shifted out making contact with the hind quarters of **APLOMB** (K Smith).

When questioned into the performance of **SILVER PLATTER** rider M Hills said the filly was outpaced throughout.

Race 4 | CR GRACE / CENTRALINES 1400

LA ROSA (B Grylls) began awkwardly and was further hampered when **CHINA ROYALE** (L Allpress) shifted out.

SARTOBY (R Hutchings) and PARTY GIRL (J Shackleton) were slow away.

CLAN O'CEIRIN (J Parkes) raced wide throughout.

SARTOBY when being angled outwards took **ZUM ZING** (T Baker) over extra ground.

When questioned into the run of **CHINA ROYALE** rider L Allpress said the mare had jarred up on the good track and may have got its tongue over the bit after the tongue tie became dislodged during the running. A post- race veterinary inspection revealed soreness in the mare's mouth and in addition was uncomfortable in the left foreleg.

When questioned into the run of **DALPHANTOM** rider B Lammas had no excuse. A post-race veterinary inspection failed to reveal any abnormalities. The connections were advised that the gelding must trial satisfactorily prior to its next start.

A post-race veterinary inspection of **INCA PARK** (M Hills) revealed that the gelding had bled so is subject to the mandatory three month stand down period.

When questioned into the disappointing run of **CLAN O'CEIRIN** rider J Parkes stated the gelding raced wide throughout and would prefer any easing of the ground. A post-race veterinary failed to reveal any abnormalities.

Race 5 SILVER FERN FARMS 1600

After presenting **STORMY RIVER** at the plate inspection area without its notified gear (tongue tie) trainer G Vile was fined \$50.

Trainer P Nelson presented **NO ESCAPE** at the plate inspection areas with the wrong saddle cloth number.

TULLYHO (D Walker) bounded when leaving the barrier and lost ground.

FORASONG (M Hills) and PETONE PRINCE (J Riddell) raced wide without cover throughout.

BANG (L Allpress) was steadied off heels approaching the 1000 metres when the pace of the race eased.

MAJOR LINCOLN (K Myers) was held up near the 350 metres.

STORMY RIVER (D Turner) was held up near the 300 metres prior to angling inwards to improve.

Race 6 NEW ZEALAND BLOODSTOCK LTD METRIC MILE

SLOSHED (R Hutchings) was slow to begin.

VICTOR ALBERTO (D Walsh) got its head up on several occasions near the 1300 metres when being restrained and then passing the 800 metres made the bend awkwardly.

CAJUN (J Riddell) was angled outwards across the heels of **DAL DANTRIX** (J Parkes) near the 300 metres in order to improve.

D Turner the rider of **THE BACHELOR** was reminded of his obligations regarding his use of the whip prior to the 200 metres.

Race 7 LEOPARD HOTEL CHRISTMAS CUP

FLOAISHA (J Parkes) began awkwardly.

Connections of **ALL IN CLOVER** (L Allpress) looked at video footage of the final straight with a view to protesting against the second placed **SADLERS ROCK** (K Myers) and third placed **FLOAISHA** which both shifted ground under pressure passing the 350 metres but elected to not proceed with an objection.

When questioned into the run of DESI GIRL rider R Hutchings considered the mare was better suited to any easing of the ground.

When questioned into the improved performance of **KAIRANGA** (D Walsh) trainer B McDermott advised the addition of blinkers as well as the gelding being best suited to racing in the lead which it was unable to do so at its previous start at Otaki on 30th November were factors in the improved run.

Race 8 AWASSI / CHB RAM BREEDERS 1200

TSAR REFORMER (S Collett) shifted out leaving the barrier taking **NOVA SCOTIA** (L Allpress) into the line of **MR WOOHOO** (K Smith) which then shifted in hampering **NOVA SCOTIA**.

TSAR REFORMER raced keenly in the early stages.

RUGER (B Lammas) raced keenly for some distance in the run down the back straight.

ZEDETTA (J Shackleton) raced wide throughout.

Rider M Hills reported **LAPSAGLO** hung throughout and in his opinion was mildly shin sore. Rider R Hutchings advised that his mount **DAL CHERAW** which finished many lengths behind the second last horse raced greenly and proved difficult to control. A post-race veterinary inspection failed to reveal any abnormalities. Connections of **DAL CHERAW** were advised that the gelding must trial satisfactorily on more than one occasion prior to its next start after again proving uncompetitive.

Rider S Collett (**TSAR REFORMER**) was charged under Rule 638 (2) in that she gave a celebratory gesture prior to the winning post and was fined \$150.