# STIPENDIARY STEWARD'S REPORT



#### MEETING DETAILS:

Club: WAIRARAPA RACING CLUB

Date: 2<sup>nd</sup> January 2013

Weather: Fine Track: Good 3 Rail: True

Stewards: N Goodwin(Chairman), R Neal, B Bateup & L Tidmarsh

**Stenographer:** Pauline Penketh

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

## RUSSELL ROADS CITY OF HASTINGS CUP - Tuesday 1 January 2013

Trainer S Crutchley reported that MI PAYDAY which had returned to the enclosure lame in the right fore has been officially

retired.

#### **SUMMARY:**

Swabbing: SADLER'S ROCK; BENZINI; LA CLAIRETTE; DELIRIUM; REBOUND; SCARLET O'HARA, DAL DANTRIX;

WAIVE THE RULES.

Suspensions: Race

Fines: Race

Warnings: Race

Bleeders: Race

Horse Actions:
Medical Certificates:

Rider Changes: Race 5 K Myers replaced L Allpress on MELS EVIE

Late Scratchings: Race 8 MIBACHELORBOY at 9.35am

Race

#### RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1
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**KINDACOOL** over raced throughout.

# Race 2 B&B CONTRACTING MAIDEN 3YO

**ST'RUTH** lay on the side of its gate and was slow away.

**APLOMB** was inclined to lay in down the home straight.

## Race 3 carfinance.co.nz 1300

SUNSEKA blundered at the start but recovered quickly.

**EXCEEDING A DREAM** was held up for a short distance prior to entering the home straight.

**MR WOOHOO** was trapped wide throughout. Rider K Smith considered this to be a factor in the gelding's failure to run on over the concluding stages.

## Race 4 MARQUIS HOTEL CARTERTON 1250

The start of this race was delayed by 2 minutes at the request of the TAB.

**LIGHTNING LUCY** blundered badly at the start and dislodged rider L Allpress who was stood down for one race.

LIGHTNING LUCY suffered superficial abrasions to the mouth and nose area as well as the hind legs.

FLORAL SCENT was shifted wide on the turn and had its chance affected by the riderless LIGHTNING LUCY.

#### Race 5 THE WAIRARAPA TIMES AGE DASH

K Myers replaced L Allpress on MELS EVIE

I'M SAM was tightened at the start and settled back.

Shortly after the start, **WEE JEAN** was tightened after **MISS SING** shifted in and away from **REBOUND** when racing greenly. H Tinsley (**REBOUND**) was advised to exercise care when in similar circumstances.

R Hannam (WOLVERHAMPTON) was reminded of his whip use prior to the 200 metres.

Race 6 RAT TAT 1400

**JERRICO** was slow away.

JACK'S BOY lost its footing at the start.

# Race 7 POPE & GRAY CONTRCTORS LTD 1600

MAJOR LINCOLN lost ground on jumping away when runners either side shifted ground.

C Dell (MISS SERENA) dropped his whip near the 200 metres.

When questioned on the performance of **KEVILDO**, **B Lammas** said the gelding may prefer the cut out of the ground.

# Race 8 QULITY DEMOLITION & CONTRACTING (2011) LTD MAIDEN

**LAJUCCA** began awkwardly and lost ground.

**RUGER** raced keenly in the early and middle stages. **C Dell** reported that **RUGER** may have held its breath.

LAJUCCA and SANIANI bumped when both runners were under hard riding near the 250 metres.

**MADAM ZENNO** dropped out to finish a long last after racing wide without cover throughout. Rider **D Walsh** said he felt something was amiss with the mare. A post-race veterinary examination of the mare failed to reveal any abnormality.