STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Avondale Jockey Club Date: Monday, 25 February 2013

Weather: Fine
Track: Good (3)
Rail: 3 Metres

Stewards: M Williamson (Chairman), A Coles, P Kinsey

Typist: M Gemmell

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: FOXY BELLE, BRANDY BELLE, DOUBLE PARKED, RAFFAELLA, MAREKA MISS, EL DORADO SUN,

MOVIDA

Suspensions: Nil Protests: Nil

Fines: Race 5 M Walker MAREKA MISS

Rule 638 (3)(b) Excessive use of whip, fined \$150

Warnings: Nil

Bleeders: Race 2 ZABERTO. Subject to 3 month stand down.

Horse Actions: Race 2 ZABERTO. Vet certificate required.

Medical Certificates: Nil
Rider Changes: Nil
Late Scratching: Nil

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 Wynyard Wood 1200

PRINCESS NICOLE (S Collett) shifted in abruptly jumping away, making contact with THEODORE (M Wenn) which lost ground and was forced out making contact with the hind quarters of FOXY BELLE (A Calder) who became briefly unbalanced. Shortly after CAPEZZANA (S Spratt) lay in crowding PRINCESS NICOLE and THEODORE which were both hampered. PRINCESS NICOLE then commenced to over-race and was placed in restricted room for a short distance. S Spratt was advised to exercise greater care with Stewards taking into consideration the racing manners of CAPEZZANA. FOXY BELLE was held up for clear running early in the final straight.

Passing the 300 metres **CAPEZZANA** shifted out when struck with the whip and then continued to lay out under pressure in the final straight.

Race 2 Crombie Lockwood 1400

RISING FORCE (M Du Plessis) began awkwardly.

MAN OVERBOARD (L Allpress) shifted in shortly after jumping away and became awkwardly placed on the heels of **BRANDY BELLE** (M Cameron).

Passing the 1100 metres **BIG BANG BABY** (M Wenn) commenced to over-race when being restrained off the heels of **BRANDY BELLE** and continued to over-race through the middle stages.

BO ON THE GO (S Dye) raced wide without cover throughout.

Rider M Walker reported that **ZABERTO** had hung outwards throughout the race.

On return to the enclosure **ZABERTO** had blood present in both nostrils and underwent a veterinary examination which found the gelding to have bled. **ZABERTO** was also showing signs of lameness in the near fore leg. Trainers P & D Williams were advised that **ZABERTO** would face a mandatory three month stand down from racing in New Zealand and would require a veterinary certificate of fitness prior to racing or trialling next.

Race 3 NZ All Golds Cosmopolitan Club 1200

KING PANAMERA (M Hills) shifted out abruptly jumping away, hampering TWILIGHT DRAGON (A Calder), ROSE TATTOO (L Allpress) and TAHITI PEARL (M Du Plessis).

Shortly after the start **KING PANAMERA** commenced to over-race and then was contacted on its hind quarters by **ROSE TATTOO** which shifted in and away from **TAHITI PEARL** which lay in. **KING PANAMERA** then raced fiercely in the middle stages and approaching the 800 metres shifted out off heels forcing **TAHITI PEARL** wider on the track. **KING PANAMERA** was then asked to improve forward to sit outside the leader.

KING PANAMERA which weakened in the home straight was not persevered with over the final 150 metres.

KING PANAMERA underwent a veterinary examination which found the gelding to have a slow post-race recovery. Stable Representative A Peard was asked to report the progress of **KING PANAMERA**.

Race 4 Avondale JC Supporters Club 2200

JUSTROY (T Thornton) shifted out jumping away, crowding RIBBONY ROSE (M Sweeney).

RAFHIKI (M Du Plessis) over-raced through the early and middle stages.

RIBBONY ROSE lay in throughout.

RAFFAELLA (R Hutchings) was obliged to race three wide without cover around the first turn before being allowed to improve forward to lead passing the 1000 metres.

Passing the 700 metres RAFHIKI which was over-racing, clipped a heel of TABLE ONE (S Spratt) and blundered.

Approaching the 600 metres **TIMELY MAGIC** (M Walker) shifted out off the heels of **RAFFAELLA** making contact with **JUSTROY** which was then forced to race three wide.

Approaching the 300 metres **MISS EVERGREEN** (L Allpress) shifted out to obtain clear running, inconveniencing **RIBBONY ROSE.**

DEFIANT ROSE (M Hills) shifted out near the 50 metres to obtain clear running, inconveniencing **MISS EVERGREEN**. When questioned regarding the performance of **TABLE ONE** Rider S Spratt could offer no excuses other than the mare may prefer some easing of the ground.

Race 5 The Informant 1400

I CHIANTI (L Allpress) stumbled jumping away.

L Allpress advised Stewards that I CHIANTI had felt indifferent in its action once placed under pressure in the final straight. I CHIANTI underwent a post-race veterinary examination which could find no obvious abnormalities. M Walker (MAREKA MISS) was fined \$150 by the Judicial Committee for using the whip in an excessive manner prior to the 200 metres.

Race 6 Feed Direct 1200

OVER AND ABOVE (M Walker) began awkwardly.

FRANCILIENNE (L Allpress) began awkwardly making contact with PIPELINE (S Spratt).

LE COUGUAR (T Thornton) was held up behind the tiring FRANCILIENNE until passing the 300 metres.

EL DORADO SUN (M Du Plessis) raced greenly when placed under pressure passing the 200 metres and continued to do so for the remainder of the race.

Race 7 Auckland Co-op Taxis 1600

SECRET LOVE (M Walker) began awkwardly and shifted out, dictating **HELLHATHNOFURY** (M Hills) and **SILK CHARDONNAY** (P Turner) wider on the track.

Near the 1100 metres SATIN SLIPPER (M Cameron) shifted out abruptly off heels when the pace eased.

MOVIDA (M Du Plessis), **SATIN SLIPPER** and **SILK CHARDONNAY** over-raced when the pace steadied passing the 1000 metres.

When shifting out to obtain clear running **SILK CHARDONNAY** made contact with **SATIN SLIPPER** passing the 200 metres.