

# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



## MEETING DETAILS:

<b>Club:</b>	Marton Jockey Club	<b>Date:</b>	28 February 2013
<b>Weather:</b>	Fine		
<b>Track:</b>	Good3		
<b>Rail:</b>	Out 6 metres		
<b>Stewards:</b>	N Goodwin (chair), G Whiterod, B Bateup		
<b>Typist:</b>	S Shirriffs		

## GENERAL:

No issues to report.
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## SUPPLEMENTARY:

Nil
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## SUMMARY:

<b>Swabbing:</b>	<b>ADOLAY, FURIO, HAMMER, REVELSTOKE, MY PENTIRE, LA MUCHACHA, EXCEEDING A DREAM, SURVIVED</b>		
<b>Suspensions:</b>	Race	3	M Dravitzki – Rule 638(1)(d) – careless - suspended 3-9 March 2013 inclusive (4 days)
		6	M Cropp – Rule 638(1) – careless – suspended 7-13 March 2013 (4 days)
<b>Protests:</b>	Race	3	Rule 642(1) – protest - 3 <sup>rd</sup> placed horse, WISH YOU WERE HERE (A Morgan) against the 2 <sup>nd</sup> placed horse, QUEEN OF EXCUSES (M Dravitzki) alleging interference over the final stages. Protest dismissed.
<b>Fines:</b>	Race	4	T Russell, fined \$150 – Rule – 638(3)(b) – excessive use of the whip prior to the 200 metres.
<b>Warnings:</b>	Race	1	R Hutchings – warning – Rule 638(1)(d) – careless.
<b>Bleeders:</b>	Race		
<b>Horse Actions:</b>	Race	3	GODZILA GIRL – must trial
		5	Veterinary clearance received for COLJOY.
<b>Medical Certificates:</b>			
<b>Rider Changes:</b>	Race		
<b>Late Scratchings:</b>	Race		

## RACE COMMENTS:

<b>Race 1</b>	<b>THE TUI BREWERY...LEADING ALL THE WAY SINCE 1889 HANDICAP</b>
<p>ADOLAY began awkwardly.</p> <p>Approaching the home turn, SHERBORNE had to be steadied after RACEY RED (R Hutchings) shifted in when only marginally clear. R Hutchings was issued with a warning under Rule 638(1)(d). Also hampered was RAMPANTEXCUSE.</p> <p>When questioned into the run of RACEY RED, which disappointed, finishing last, rider R Hutchings said that despite having to race three wide early, he had no tangible excuse but was of the opinion that the mare may improve with the race. A post-race veterinary inspection failed to reveal any abnormality.</p>	
<b>Race 2</b>	<b>WAIKATO STUD 3YO MAIDEN</b>
<p>ROSEHIP shifted out and hampered FACET and PUFF at the start, with both runners losing ground.</p> <p>The following runners were hampered near the 1200 metres when the pace ahead eased, FURIO, ALLEZ ROSE, PLATINUM PROVENCE and PLATINUM MARSEILLE, which had to be angled wide to avoid the heels of PLATINUM PROVENCE.</p>	

FACET was held up near 600 metres and had to be steadied off heels.  
 PLATINUM PROVENCE was forced wider on the turn when JUSTASUGGESTION was angled out.  
 PLATINUM MARSEILLE was held up near the 200 metres prior to being angled outwards to improve.  
 MASTER THOMAS shifted out under pressure near the 150 metres and had to be steadied off the heels of ROSEHIP.

<b>Race 3</b>	<b>POWER FARMING MAIDEN</b>
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ZENOUKA lay on the side of its gate immediately prior to jumping away and as a result began awkwardly.  
 GODZILA GIRL was very awkward in its action over the initial 200 metres and attempted to dislodge rider M Cropp. Mr J Taylor, the trainer of GODZILA GIRL, was advised that the filly must trial to the satisfaction of a stipendiary steward before next racing.  
 Following the running of Race 3 a protest was lodged under Rule 642(1) by the connections of the 3<sup>rd</sup> placed horse, WISH YOU WERE HERE (A Morgan) against the 2<sup>nd</sup> placed horse, QUEEN OF EXCUSES (M Dravitzki) alleging interference over the final stages. After hearing submissions the protest was dismissed.  
 M Dravitzki (QUEEN OF EXCUSES) admitted a charge of careless riding under Rule 638(1)(d) after allowing her mount to shift out over the final stages, hampering WISH YOU WERE HERE. After submissions M Dravitzki had her licence to ride in races suspended from the conclusion of racing on Saturday, 2 March 2013 up to and including racing on Saturday, 9 March 2013 (4 days).  
 COURT A SNEEK dropped out in the home straight and finished near the rear. Connections advised the gelding would be finished as a racing proposition.

<b>Race 4</b>	<b>MILLS REEF WINERY MAIDEN</b>
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ROYAL SPI began awkwardly and was slow away.  
 PROHIBITION shortened stride and appeared to balk at the crossing prior to entering the back straight and in doing so went back on to GREY GURU which was steadied.  
 GREY GURU raced keenly rounding the final turn and was held up for some distance prior to entering the home straight.  
 T Russell the rider of GREY GURU admitted a breach of Rule 638(3)(b) in that he used his whip in an excessive manner prior to the 200 metres. After deliberations a fine of \$150 was imposed.  
 Connections of ROYAL SPI advise that the mare is retired.

<b>Race 5</b>	<b>RURAL ITM MAIDEN</b>
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LED THE WAY raced three wide without cover throughout.  
 EARL SPENCER was hampered for several strides near the 400 metres behind the rapidly tiring FANTAZI.  
 EARL SPENCER when attempting to improve wide out was taken over extra ground when MY PENTIRE shifted out under pressure. Also forced wide was LIEUTENANT LINCOLN.

<b>Race 6</b>	<b>GALLAGHER HANDICAP</b>
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MISS CENTREFOLD began awkwardly and got back.  
 Apprentice M Cropp the rider of POWELKA admitted a breach of Rule 638(1)(d), in that he allowed his mount to shift inwards shortly after the start when not clear of KINDRED which was checked. After deliberations M Cropp had his licence to ride in races suspended from the conclusion of racing on Wednesday, 6 March 2013 up to and including racing on Wednesday, 13 March 2013 (4 Days). KINDRED then commenced to over race for some distance.  
 POWELKA shifted in under pressure near the 200 metres, momentarily hampering DESI GIRL.  
 When questioned into the run of KINDRED, which finished well back, apprentice jockey D Turner considered there may have been something amiss with the mare but a post-race veterinary inspection failed to reveal any abnormalities.

<b>Race 7</b>	<b>FARMLANDS/IPLEX PIPELINES MAIDEN</b>
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KING'S STRIKE blundered at the start and was slow away.  
 IRISH SPRING jumped outwards at the start and made firm contact with TACO.  
 POMPOUS PEARL and RED SUNSET were slow away.  
 POMPOUS PEARL commenced to over race in the run along the back straight.  
 WORD'S OUT, KING'S STRIKE and EXCEEDING A DREAM all raced wide without cover in the back straight.  
 MEO raced keenly in the trail rounding the final turn.  
 The rider of the winner EXCEEDING A DREAM, A Collett, was dislodged on pulling up but was uninjured and weighed in correctly.

<b>Race 8</b>	<b>MERIAL ANCARE HANDICAP</b>
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LITTLE DRAGON GIRL got back at the start from its wide draw.  
 LIGHTNING LUCY was obliged to race four wide prior to obtaining cover near the 900 metres.  
 IAMISHWARA raced three wide without cover throughout.  
 ON THE HILL hung outwards over the final stages and had to be straightened.

When questioned into run of STYLEE, which finished well back, rider H Tinsley said although racing wide throughout he was of the opinion the filly was still inexperienced and would benefit with racing. A post-race veterinary inspection failed to reveal any abnormality.

MYBACK was held up in the early part of the home straight so was angled outwards near the 200 metres to improve.