STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Dargaville Racing Club Date: Friday 19 April 2013

Weather: Showers

Track: Dead 5, upgraded to Dead 4 retrospective to Race 1

Rail: True

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

Typist: M Gemmell

JPPLEMENTARY:		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: ROSE TATTOO, EVEN BETTER, SMEDLEY, MELODY CELEBRE, ALPHABET STREET, CHEVREMONT,

MT EDEN

Suspensions: Nil

Protests: Nil

Fines: Nil

Warnings: Nil

Bleeders: Nil

Horse Actions: Race 5 SARNIA. Must barrier trial to satisfaction of Stewards prior to racing next.

Medical Certificates: Nil

Rider Changes: Nil

Late Scratching: Race 3 SHIPSTERNS, Vet advice – 2.02pm.

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	McKay Electrical Dargaville Mdn 1200
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CATLIKE (T Thornton) was slow to begin.

SHEENA O'REILLY (D Johnson) began awkwardly making contact with the hind quarters of **EDGE OF FAME** (A Collett) which became unbalanced.

EDGE OF FAME and **ROSE TATTOO** (M Cameron) raced ungenerously when being steadied going into the bend near the 800 metres.

EDGE OF FAME hung out making the final turn running wide and then was not persevered with over the final 200 metres.

EDGE OF FAME dislodged Rider A Collett following the race. A Collett was uninjured.

HE'S MAGIC lost the off front plate during the running.

Race 2 Lion Red R75 1800

SAVASONG (R Hutchings) shifted out abruptly when leaving the barriers crowding **RE DEEL** (D Johnson) and forcing **EVEN BETTER** (S Collett) wider on the track with **HIGH ROLLER** (M Cameron) shifting away from that runner.

RE DEEL made the first turn awkwardly passing the 1600 metres.

DESIGNACAT (A Collett) raced a little ungenerously when being restrained in the early stages.

CLASSIC KANGA (S Spratt) raced wide throughout.

SAVASONG was held up early in the final straight.

HIGH ROLLER lay in when placed under pressure in the final straight and could not be ridden to full advantage.

When questioned regarding the performance of **HIGH ROLLER** Rider M Cameron advised that **HIGH ROLLER** had hung throughout and had felt uneven in its action. **HIGH ROLER** underwent a post race veterinary examination which revealed

no abnormalities. Race 3 Dargaville Ford R65 1400 SHIPSTERNS (M Cameron) underwent a veterinary examination on arrival at the barriers and was declared a late scratching at 2.02pm after found to be mildly lame in the off foreleg. FLICKA OF GOLD (S Spratt) began awkwardly shifting out and crowding MIUCCIA BELLE (M Hills). **SHANSTAR** (D Nolan) raced keenly in the middle stages. PRINCESS HOLLY (A Collett) raced three wide without cover throughout. SHANSTAR raced greenly when placed under pressure in the final straight shifting in passing the 250 metres inconveniencing SMEDLEY (T Thornton) and then shifting out inconveniencing MIUCCIA BELLE. Williamson Spreaders and Cartage R65 1200 Race 4 GOLD 'N MAC (M Cameron), PIPELINE (S Spratt) and TSAR REFORMER (S Collett) began awkwardly. CHARLIE FARLEY (D Nolan) was crowded when leaving the barriers between ORAKA PRINCE (R Hutchings) and **MYTSHARP** (T Thornton). MELODY CELEBRE (A Collett) knuckled when leaving the barriers. Shortly after the start LITTLE ROCKET (C Dell) shifted away from AIMEES GOLD (M Hills) making heavy contact with with LADY GAGA (D Johnson). **TSAR REFORMER** raced ungenerously when being restrained in the early and middle stages. LADY GAGA raced disappointingly and was not persevered with over the final 200 metres. When questioned Rider D Johnson felt the mare was making abnormal breathing noises. The mare underwent a post race veterinary inspection which revealed no abnormalities. The connections advised they would have the mare undergo an endoscopic examination on return to its stable. Near the 50 metres PIPELINE had to steady when in restricted room to the outside of GOLD 'N MAC which shifted out marginally under pressure. Funky Fish Café & Cams Auto Mdn 3YO 1400 Race 5 SARNIA (A Collett) reared when the start was affected and was slow to begin as a consequence (10L). improved forward to race there wide without cover for the remainder of the race. Trainer M Ledington was advised that **SARNIA** would have to barrier trial to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to racing next. **KAYSIXTEEN** (M Hills) and **HOLLY ROSE** (S Collett) were slow to begin. Rhys Dackers Livestock Agent @ Elders R65 2000 MAKERS MARK (M Hills) and INDY RULER (A Collett) both began awkwardly. I CHIANTI (M Cameron) raced keenly in the early stages. CHARLI JAY (T Thornton) raced wide around the final turn. LA MANZANILLA was not persevered with over the final 200 metres with Apprentice Jockey R Hutchings reporting the mare being lame. A post race veterinary examination revealed the LA MANZANILLA to have significant swelling to the offside foreleg above the fetlock. Connections advised that LA MANZANILLA would now be retired. **Dargaville Volunteer Fire Brigade Centennial Mdn 1400** Race 7 **DUEL OF HONOUR** underwent a veterinary inspection after being kicked and was passed fit to run. BITETHEBULLET (C Dell) was slow to begin. NANCYLEE (M Cameron) was crowded when leaving the barriers between TOMMY RIKI (T Thornton) and MT EDEN (S Spratt) both of which began awkwardly. **DUELA VERA** (S Collett) and **TOMMY RIKI** both raced greenly crossing on to the Course Proper near the 1100 metres. **MAYFLOWER** (M Hills) raced wide without cover throughout. Riders S Spratt and C Dell were reminded of their obligations with whip use prior to the 200 metres.