STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Feilding Jockey Club Date: 25th April 2013

Weather: Overcast then raining

Track: Heavy 11
Rail: Out 5metres

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

Typist: Pauline Penketh

GENERAL:

No issues to report.

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Nil

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: MUSOKO KING; WILD ROCK; I GOTTA FEELING; ELATED; PERFECT SYMBOL; MIBACHELORBOY;

TESTA SECRET; I DO; POLLY FLINDERS

Suspensions: Race

Protests: Race

Fines: Race 3 G Freeman – [Rule 616 (3)] – Aintree presented without blinkers

Warnings: Race 4 LIGHT UP THE NIGHT – barrier manners

7 R Hannam – allowed mount to shift in when not clear 638(1)(d)

Bleeders: Race

Horse Actions: Race

Medical Certificates:

Rider Changes: Race

Late Scratchings: Race 5 ASTUCIOUS at 10:55am

5 MISS LINCOLN at 2.45pm6 DESTINY COVE at 8:15am

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 MILLS REEF HANDICAP

MUSOKO KING and SIR COSWORTH were both slow to begin.

SIR COSWORTH was held up rounding the turn and early part of the home straight.

MISS CENTREFOLD raced keenly in the early stages.

Race 2 PGG WRIGHTSON 3YO MAIDEN

VETTRIANO was crowded leaving the barriers when runners either side shifted ground.

ETERNITY was angled out in the straight in order to obtain better footing.

L Allpress reported that **ETERNITY** failed to handle the heavy track conditions.

Race 3 ASCEND SALES TROPHIES HANDICAP

Trainer G Freeman admitted a breach of Rule 616 (3) and was fined \$50 after presenting **AINTREE** to race without notified gear (blinkers).

AINTREE and REGAL SECRET came together leaving the barriers.

SAN PEDRO shifted in leaving the barriers making contact with THATZ DAVID.

THATZ DAVID slipped and blundered shortly after passing the finish line.

Race 4 DESIGN BUILDERS MANAWATU MAIDEN

This race started 5 minutes behind schedule due to the field arriving late at the barrier and being several runners proving slow to load.

A warning was placed against the barrier manners of LIGHT UP THE NIGHT after the mare was fractious in its gate.

OH SO NAUTI was slow away.

JUST A CHARLIE and ELATED were both tightened leaving the barriers when runners either side shifted ground.

A post-race veterinary examination of **LIGHT UP THE NIGHT** which finished a distant last failed to find any obvious abnormality.

Race 5 P & C INSURANCE BROKERS HANDICAP

ASTUCIOUS was a late scratching at 10:55am after sustaining an injury.

MISS LINCOLN was a late scratching at 2.45pm due to a material change in track conditions following constant rain throughout the early part of the meeting.

NO EXCUSES underwent a veterinary examination behind the barriers and was cleared to start after contacting the gate when leaving the enclosure.

PAY THE FOX bounded at the start.

J Shackleton reported that PAY THE FOX had failed to handle the Heavy 11 track conditions.

Race 6 ELDERS LIVESTOCK HANDICAP

DESTINY COVE was a late scratching at 8:15am after sustaining an injury.

Permission was given for **ORMOND ROAD** to race without pacifiers due to the track conditions.

COATOFMANYCOLOURS shifted out shortly after leaving the barriers making contact with **JUST ISHI** and became unbalanced.

Race 7 MANAWATU ITM ANZAC 1600 (LISTED)

INNOVATION and **I DO** bumped heavily at the start.

MUNGO JERRY was slow away.

TWILIGHT GRANITA slipped and lost its footing near the 900 metres.

R Hannam (DUBAI BELLE) was issued with a warning after he allowed his mount to shift in passing the 200 hundred metres hampering **INTRANSIGENT**.

When questioned regarding the performance of **VILLIFYE**, **M Tanaka** advised that the mare was never travelling comfortably at any stage in the going.

When questioned regarding the performance of **ZENNISTA**, **J Riddell** said the mare travelled a little keenly and may be improved by the run.

Following the event all riders participating in race eight were questioned regarding the state of the track and agreed that the track was suitable for them to continue riding.

Race 8 FEILDING BUSINESS HOUSES HANDICAP

GOLDIE CANTRIDE was slow to begin.

DRIFT hung inwards near the end of the back straight and in doing so forced NENA GREENA across the heels of **POLLY FLINDERS** resulting in **NENA GREENA** having to be checked.

A post-race veterinary examination of **BIG ROCKET** failed to reveal any abnormalities.

When questioned regarding the performance of **FLINT, J Riddell** said the gelding was unsuited by the track conditions. When questioned regarding the performance of **LIBERATOR, J Parkes** said that carrying the topweight of 59 kgs in the Heavy 11 told on the gelding over the final stages.