

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	MARLBOROUGH RACING CLUB	Date:	Friday 26 April 2013
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Slow 7		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	J McLaughlin (Chairman), S Renault ,N Ydgren		
Typist:	H Taylor		

GENERAL:

Race 3 DUDEHAKA late scratched at 9.18 am due to a communication error. Track upgraded to Dead 6 retrospective to race 3.
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SUPPLEMENTARY:

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SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	HUMADAKI, VENETIAN RAIDER, SPRING CHEER, SUMMER'S BOY, POROTENE TEKEELA, CONSCIOUS MISTAKE, OUR ALCHEMIST, GAGARIN		
Suspensions:	Race		Nil
Protests:	Race		Nil
Fines:	Race		Nil
Warnings:	Race	1	C Johnson Rule 638 (1)(d) shifting ground
Bleeders:	Race		Nil
Horse Actions:	Race	1	KING'S HAWK must trial to stewards satisfaction and veterinary clearance required.
	Race	3	TANA GEESH veterinary clearance required.
Medical Certificates:			
Rider Changes:			Nil
Late Scratchings:			DUDEHAKA 9.18am

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	SPEIGHTS 2YO+ MAIDEN 1000 1000M
<p>The start of this event was delayed when the blinkers on KING'S HAWK (Kylie Williams) required attention on loading. BRAVE CAT (Robert Hannam) became fractious in the barriers due to this delay. INCONTROL (Brittany Pitman) and NICMAJAC (Buddy Lammas) were both slow to begin. Passing the 800 metres KING'S HAWK was retired from the event after proving difficult to control. Rider K Williams stated to the Stewards that the gelding had raced fiercely and could not be steered and as a result she retired KING'S HAWK from the race. A post -race veterinary inspection of KING'S HAWK revealed the gelding to be lame in the right foreleg . The connections were informed that the gelding must trial to the satisfaction of the stewards and have a veterinary clearance prior to next racing. WARLOCK (Chris Johnson) raced wide through the early stages. Passing the 650 metres EIGHT TO SEPT (Ryan Bishop) had to steady when in tight racing quarters when WARLOCK shifted inwards on the point of the turn. HOOVER (Ashley Frye) was also hampered as a result. Rider C Johnson was issued with a warning and reminded of his obligations when shifting ground. NICMAJAC raced wide when improving from the 600 metres .</p>	
Race 2	COUPLANDS BAKERIES R85 1000 1000M
<p>TOSSED AGAIN (Matthew Cameron) and MELS EVIE (Rosie Myers) both began awkwardly. Passing the 900 metres TOSSED</p>	

AGAIN got its head up whilst being restrained. NAPATAP (Robert Hannam) raced wide over the early stages. AUNT DAISY (Lisa Whelan) raced wide from the 600 metres when improving. When spoken to about the performance of MELS EVIE rider R Myers informed the stewards that the filly was dropping back in distance and hadn't been suited to the strong tempo early in the race, however she further added the filly was somewhat disappointing over the concluding stages despite her urgings.	
Race 3	MORE FM MAIDEN 1950M
Retrospective to this race the track was upgraded to a dead 6. Rider R Bishop underwent treatment from the St John's staff after he received a knock to an eye on the way to the start. After treatment R Bishop was declared fit to ride. BILLY ELLIOTT (David Walker) began awkwardly getting back as a result. RAGGIO SPERANZA (Chris Johnson) tended to race fiercely through the early stages when being restrained. BILLY ELLIOTT improved wide from the 1000 metres. TANA GEESH (Robert Hannam) gave ground from the 700 metres and returned to the birdcage lame on its front right leg. A post-race veterinary inspection revealed a strained right front suspensory ligament. The connections were advised that a veterinary certificate of fitness would be required prior to the gelding racing next. Passing the 250 metres TROOPER (Jamie Bullard) which had lay in for some distance rounding the bend shifted wider on the track to obtain clear running. Shortly after TROOPER again lay inwards having to be straightened. Rider J Bullard reported to stewards that TROOPER had been difficult to ride throughout. Trainer M Pitman advised the stewards that he would add a cheek burr to the gear of TROOPER for its next start.	
Race 4	BURKHART FISHERIES MAIDEN
IRISHIMPORT (David Walker) was slow to begin. WHY WAIT (Lisa Allpress) was obliged to race wide through the early stages. WOTSITTOYOU (KC Walters) and SUMMER'S BOY (Ryan Bishop) raced wide through the middle stages with SUMMER'S BOY being allowed to improve forward to sit outside the leader from the 600m mark. BEYOND OUR SHORES (Chris Johnson) had difficulty obtaining a clear run over the final 150 metres and went to the line without being fully tested by its rider. MACCOOL (Te Baker) lay in under pressure over the concluding stages.	
Race 5	LEE & LAURIE WILDE R65 1400
The start of this event was delayed due to LADY BELLEVUE (Ashley Frye) requiring farrier attention at the barriers. LADY BELLEVUE raced bare in front after being unable to be replated prior to the start. SEE THRU (Te Baker) began awkwardly and raced wide throughout. LADY BELLEVUE over raced passing the 1000 metres. DR PAUL (Lisa Whelan) raced fiercely passing the 1000 metres proving difficult for its rider to control before settling near the 600 metres. Passing the 300 metres LADY BELLEVUE became unbalanced for a short distance. LADY BELLEVUE attempted a narrow gap to the inside of INDIVIDUAL (Robert Hannam) passing the 250 metre mark and was unable to obtain clear running from that point on and went to the line without being fully tested by its rider.	
Race 6	ROYAL HOTEL R75 1400M
KICK BACK (T Kahlon) was slow through the initial stages. TREAT (Jamie Bullard) raced wide throughout. Passing the 600 metres KICK BACK made the bend awkwardly shifting wider on the track. Stewards enquired into the ride of KICK BACK . Of concerns to the stewards was the lack of vigor shown by Miss Kahlon over the early stages. Apprentice jockey T Kahlon, in the presence of her employer Mr K Myers and apprentice mentor Mr W Harnett, explained it was her intention to ride the mare from back in the field. Miss Kahlon agreed that she had erred by restraining the mare over the early stages when in hindsight it would have been prudent to have the mare handier to the second last runner in the race. When considering this matter Stewards took into account Miss Kahlon's limited race day riding experience and she was reminded of her obligations and was advised that a repetition may result in action being taken against her license.	
Race 7	YEALANDS ESTATE WINES CUP PRELUDE R85 1950m
The start of this event was delayed when FLYNN (Lisa Whelan) burst through the barriers. FLYNN began awkwardly getting back as a result. DANE RULER (Ryan Bishop) was slow to begin. Passing the 150m CONFUSED (Chris Johnson) shifted ground outwards under pressure.	
Race 8	BRYANT EARTHWORKS LTD R65
AIR CADET (Ryan Bishop) raced wide in the early stages. EKSTRA SPECIAL (Brittany Pitman) raced wide from the 1000m mark. TRICKJAH (Lisa Whelan) made the final bend awkwardly. Over the concluding stages PILLAR TO POST (R Myers) shifted outwards under pressure.	