STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	WELLINGTON RACING CLUB	Date:	27 April 2013		
Weather:	Overcast				
Track:	Heavy 10 – upgraded to a Slow 9 after race 4 and a Slow 8 after race 6.				
Rail:	True				
Stewards:	Messrs N Goodwin; M Zarb; B Bateup and L Tidmarsh				
Typist:	Pauline Penketh				

GENERAL:

No issues to report.

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Connections advised that PERO which disappointed at Hastings on 20th April, 2013 was subsequently sore and has been spelled.

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	DAIELL	.O; P(OST ONLINE; BACHELOR MAN; BASEER;PETITE BRIGITTE; WHO SHOT THEBARMAN;
	TAURU	JS; BE	ETTER KEEPER, MASH
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Suspensions:	Race		
Protests:	Race		
Fines:	Race		
Warnings:	Race	7	R Myers -638(1)(d) Careless Riding
Bleeders:	Race		
Horse Actions:	Race	2	KOOL RETURN – must trial
		6	WHATAHASSLE – veterinary clearance required before next racing
Medical Certificates:			
Rider Changes:	Race		
Late Scratchings:	Race		

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	WELCOME SYDNEY SWANS HANDICAP			
UNBELIEVEABELLE shifted out on leaving the barriers making contact with YOUTOOFAST.				
ELUSIVE RED raced keenly over the early stages.				
YOUTOOFAST over-raced in the early stages.				
DAIELLO was held up for some distance in the home straight until near the 200 metres.				
ELUSIVE RED was held up in the home straight until near the 150 metres.				
GOSSIPING was inclined to shift out under pressure over the final stages.				
SUPER BOY was administered veterinary treatment following the event to a cut to the right hind cannon.				
Race 2	MOTHER'S DAY HIGH TEA AT TRENTHAM HANDICAP			
BELINUS was slow to begin.				
KOOL RETURN hung outwards badly rounding the first turn and could not be ridden to advantage.				
When questioned rider R Myers stated that passing the winning post on the first occasion KOOL RETURN which was racing				
in blinkers for the first time commenced to race fiercely and then hung out for the remainder of the race.				

Trainer M Oulaghan was advised the gelding must trial to the satisfaction of stewards prior to its next start. M Oulaghan advised that it was his intention to spell **KOOL RETURN**.

Rider M Dravitzki reported that LUCKY SPUR was unsuited to the Heavy 10. Race 3 **CENTURY 21 WELLINGTON AGENTS 'SMARTER, BOLDER, FASTER' MAIDEN** MADAM PEGASUS which was fractious in the barrier prior to the start, began awkwardly and lost ground. SERGEANT LINCOLN was slow to begin. In the final straight, **PERSIAN DANCER** hung out under pressure and had to be straightened. J Shackleton reported that GOLD LANE travelled comfortably but when placed under pressure in the home straight, failed to produce. She further added that the filly may not have appreciated the Heavy 10 track conditions. HAPPY 60TH COLIN DALLAS 2YO HANDICAP Race 4 BRAH SPRING blundered a stride after the start. RED MELODY began awkwardly and was further inconvenienced when BASEER shifted in. **CELTIC WOMAN** was slow into stride and settled back. **RACEY TRACEY** had to be steadied off the heels of **ULTRA EXPLOSIVE** when that runner lugged in shortly after the start. ULTRA EXPLOSIVE which was hanging out, shifted out abruptly near the 700 metres hampering TRUE SPIRIT. **CELTIC WOMAN** had to change ground near the 100 metres in order to continue to improve. ROADTOPLATINUM hung out over the final stages and momentarily hampered BRAH SPRING. Race 5 MASTERTON RACING CLUB HANDICAP Prior to the running of Race 5 the track was upgraded to Slow 9 following consultation with riders after continued drying. MASTER CHIEF shifted out leaving the barriers and crowded TEXAS YELLOW ROSE which settled back. **MIGHTY MATT** raced keenly in the early stages when being restrained. Near the 400 metres, EDENSONG shifted out making contact with the hindquarters of WORKINGCLASS which became unbalanced briefly. WORKINGCLASS hung inwards during the final straight and had to be straightened on several occasions. ZED @ GRANGEWILLIAM STUD MAIDEN Race 6 **GRENADE** was slow to begin. TIME FOR GOLD began awkwardly. ACUTELYGOLD raced keenly in the early stages. TIME FOR GOLD and TAIPA TIGER raced wide without cover throughout. Following this event the track was upgraded to a Slow 8. A post-race veterinary inspection of WHATAHASSLE revealed an elevated heart rate. Trainer B Revell was advised that a veterinary clearance will be required before the filly next races. B Revell advised that consideration would be given to retiring the filly. Race 7 FORTUNA SYNDICATORS HANDICAP SCARLET O'HARA and KARLA BRUNI came together leaving the barrier. **ME AROHA** was slow to begin. R Myers was issued with a warning after she allowed her mount SCARLET O'HARA to shift out over the final stages hampering JACK'S POINT which had to steady and a short distance further on making contact with TAURUS. Race 8 KINGSGATE HOTEL WELLINGTON HANDICAP ASHALINI was cleared by the veterinary surgeon at the start after presenting at the barrier with blood in the mouth area. MR KEENINSKY lay out leaving the barriers inconveniencing LA DANSEUR which lost ground as a result. LOVES THE SHOW jumped inwards at the start bumping MASH. The saddle on LEGAL ADVICE slipped forward approaching the 1200 metres placing rider M Dee at a distinct disadvantage for the remainder of the race. R Hannam could offer no excuses for the run of MR KEENINSKY which finished in last placing. WELCOME ST KILDA SAINTS HANDICAP Race 9 BRACKENWOOD, MADONNA MIA and SEDUCER were all slow away.