STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Rotorua Racing Club Date: Saturday, 11 May, 2013

Weather: Fine
Track: Heavy (10)
Rail: True Position

Stewards: M J Williamson (Chairman), R Neil, W Robinson, B Jones

Typist: P C Laboyrie

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: FIELD DAZE, SURPASS, SILVERDALE, IDIDIT, COPACABANA, INDIKATOR, DARK BISHOP, CITY CHIC, I

DO, NO EXCUSE MAGGIE, MR KANTON

Suspensions: Nil

Protests: Nil

Fines: Race 1 D Turner AUTHENTIC

Fined \$200 [Rule 330(3)(c)] Unable to claim to published riding weight

1 N Kelly ISTIMAGIC

Fined \$50 [Rule 616(3)] Presented ISTIMAGIC to race without notified gear

(blinkers)

6 B R Jones INDIKATOR

Fined \$200 [Rule 638(2)] Made celebratory gesture prior to winning post

Warnings: Nil

Bleeders: Race 8 TWILIGHT GRANITA

8 TEN BELLES

Horse Actions: Race 1 ISTIMAGIC – vet cert of fitness required prior to racing next

8 TWILIGHT GRANITA – 3 month stand down

8 TEN BELLES – 3 month stand down

Medical Certificates: Nil
Rider Changes: Nil
Late Scratching: Nil

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 ESCAPE TO RYDGES ROTORUA '2200'

D Turner (AUTHENTIC) was fined \$200 for failing to claim down to his published riding weight.

N Kelly was fined \$50 by the JCA for presenting **ISTIMAGIC** (R Hutchings) to race without notified gear (blinkers).

ROMPERS (M Du Plessis) was slow to begin.

GRENADE (O Bosson) raced keenly in the early stages.

Approaching the 1800 metres **FIELD DAZE** (L Allpress) raced ungenerously when being steadied off the heels of **ISTIMAGIC** (R Hutchings) which shifted in. R Hutchings was advised to exercise greater care.

ROSEVALE (M Cameron) raced keenly when being restrained off the heels of FIELD DAZE near the 1700 metres.

INARUSH (M Tanaka) was inclined to lay out throughout the race.

FIELD DAZE was inclined to lay out in the final straight inconveniencing **MILKWOOD** (M Coleman) inside the final 100 metres.

ISTIMAGIC compounded passing the 500 metres and was not persevered with over the final stages. The Stewards ordered a veterinary inspection on **ISTIMAGIC** which found the gelding to be lame in behind. Trainer N Kelly was advised a veterinary certificate of fitness would be required for **ISTIMAGIC** prior to racing again.

Race 2 BURTON CONSTRUCTION HIGHWEIGHT

PAY THE FOX (M Cropp), **POST ONLINE** (C Studd), **AFFAIRE D'HONNEUR** (R Hutchings), **KHAPTION** (C Leveque) and **HAERE MAI** (G Walsh) all began awkwardly losing ground.

Passing the 1700 metres **WEST END** (S Phelan) shifted in slightly with **TED'LL DO** (S Houston) racing ungenerously and shifting away from that runner crowding **POST ONLINE** which was dictated into the line of **REGAL SECRET** (W Cafferty) which was hampered losing ground. The Stewards were satisfied that no rider was at fault as the racing action of **TED'LL**

DO at the time had contributed to the incident.

AFFAIRE D'HONNEUR was inclined to lay out in the final straight.

SURPASS (P Ormsby) was obliged to race wide without cover for the majority of the race.

Passing the 250 metres **POST ONLINE** became awkwardly placed on heels and was hampered, then taken wider to obtain clear running.

Race 3 FIBER FRESH 3YO HANDICAP

IVENOIDA (M Sweeney) and EVA DIVA (P Turner) were both slow to begin.

BATMAN (L Allpress) raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

OUR FOXY LADY (R Myers) and **IVENOIDA** commenced to race ungenerously when making the bend near the 800 metres with **IVENOIDA** becoming awkwardly placed inside the heels of **PERFECT START** (N Harris) and steadying, losing ground.

Race 4 FIRTH CERTIFIED CONCRETE '1560'

CLASSCOROC (M Sweeney) and **LIKEAPINS** (R Myers) were both slow to begin.

FASTNFREE (S Collett) raced wide without cover throughout.

COOL CRUISING (M Coleman) raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

MOSH PIT (N Harris) commenced to give ground approaching the 600 metres and was not persevered with in the final straight. **MOSH PIT** underwent a veterinary examination by order of the Stewards which failed to find any obvious abnormality. Trainer G Richardson undertook to report the progress of **MOSH PIT** in days subsequent.

SMARTLY (A Forbes) was inclined to lay out when placed under pressure in the final straight.

Race 5 CRAIG THOM MEMORIAL '1200'

GOLD HUNTER (M Sweeney) was crowded shortly after the start when runners on either side shifted ground.

MANAIA ROSE (S Collett) was inclined to lay out in the final straight.

L Allpress reported to Stewards that **SNOW LINE** had not felt entirely comfortable in its action. **SNOW LINE** underwent a post-race veterinary examination which failed to find any obvious abnormalities.

M Sweeney (GOLD HUNTER) dropped his whip near the 300 metres.

Race 6 CAMPBELL INFRASTRUCTURE ROTORUA CUP

The Stewards gave permission to trainer B Dyke to engage N Harris (**DARK BISHOP**) at 1 kg over the horse's handicapped weight due to no other suitable rider being available.

ARCENCIEL (M Du Plessis) was slow to begin then raced ungenerously in the early and middle stages.

BONINSKY (M Sweeney) raced keenly in the middle stages.

B R Jones (INDIKATOR) was fined \$200 by the Judicial Committee for making a celebratory gesture prior to the winning post.

Race 7 LOWE SCHOLLUM & JONES '1400'

CALL ME MAYBE (R Myers) and MALBEC (C Dell) were both slow to begin.

ELUSIVE GOLD began awkwardly with jockey O Bosson becoming unbalanced.

Race 8 WINDSOR PARK STUD ROTORUA STAKES

TESTA SECRET (L Allpress) and ART BEAT (M McNab) both began awkwardly losing ground.

FLEUR DE LUNE (J Jago) shifted out rounding the final turn placing I **DO** (O Bosson), **TEN BELLES** (M Coleman) and **NO EXCUSE MAGGIE** (D Walsh) in restricted room with **NO EXCUSE MAGGIE** having to steady when adjacent to the outside fence. **NO EXCUSE MAGGIE** when being corrected then shifted in dictating **TEN BELLES** inwards forcing that runner in on to **ART BEAT** which shifted in crowding **FLEUR DE LUNE** who shifted into the line of **TESTA SECRET** which was hampered and had to steady losing ground. Riders J Jago and O Bosson were advised to exercise more caution.

TEN BELLES (M Coleman) returned to the enclosure with blood present in both nostrils. A subsequent veterinary examination determined that the mare had bled. The connections were advised that **TEN BELLES** is now subject to the mandatory three month stand down from racing.

TWILIGHT GRANITA (M Du Plessis) returned to the enclosure with blood present in both nostrils. A subsequent veterinary examination determined that the filly had bled. Trainer A Forsman was advised that **TWILIGHT GRANITA** is now subject to the mandatory three month stand down from racing.

M Cameron (THRIVE) was reminded of his obligation to ride fully to the line when circumstances permit.

When questioned regarding the performance of **FLEUR DE LUNE** J Jago advised that the mare had travelled well through the early and middle stages, but had failed to respond as anticipated when placed under pressure entering

the final straight.

Race 9 METALCRAFT ROOFING '1400'

EXCUSE ME MADAM (P Turner) which proved difficult to load was slow to begin when the start was effected. **MR KANTON** (M McNab) shifted in near the 100 metres and inconvenienced **LIVING THE DREAM** (M Du Plessis).