

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Auckland Racing Club	Date:	Saturday, June 15, 2013
Weather:	Overcast		
Track:	Heavy 11		
Rail:	8 Metres		
Stewards:	M J Williamson (Chairman), N McIntyre, A Coles, W Robinson, T Davies		
Typist:	M Gemmell		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	SAVED BY THE BELL, GUEVARA, FLUORO LITE, MAGIC BELLE, CORNELIUS, MAGNA CARTA, DANZA LAD		
Suspensions:	Race	5	M McNab BORRETT BOY Careless riding shortly after start [Rule 638(1)(d)], suspended 6 days
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Nil		
Warnings:	Race	3	M Wenn OUI Shifted ground after start [Rule 638(1)(d)]
	Race	6	D Johnson COOL CRUISING Shifted ground 1400 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
Bleeders:	Nil		
Horse Actions:	Race	2	RUSTY DEVIL. Must provide clear results of ECG after undergoing a trial.
	Race	3	LIVING THE DREAM. Must provide clear results of ECG after undergoing a trial.
Medical Certificates:			
Rider Changes:	Nil		
Late Scratching:	Nil		

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	Bidvest Mile
<p>TOP CHOICE (M Du Plessis) shifted in when leaving the barriers. TOP CHOICE then lay in crowding MR RIMFIRE (D Nolan) which clipped a heel. The Stewards were satisfied the actions of TOP CHOICE were beyond the control of Rider M Du Plessis.</p> <p>TOP CHOICE and SHE'S INSATIABLE (O Bosson) both over-raced in the early stages.</p> <p>Approaching the 1200 metres SAVED BY THE BELL (C Grylls) shied shifting out making contact with TOP CHOICE.</p> <p>SNEAKY SHAN (A Taylor) over-raced when being restrained in the middle stages.</p> <p>POSTAGE (P Turner) raced wide until being allowed to improve forward and shift in to lead passing the 1100 metres.</p> <p>Passing the 1000 metres SNEAKY SHAN had to steady when crowded to the inside of MR RIMFIRE which shifted in. D Nolan was advised to exercise greater care and ensure he is sufficiently clear when shifting ground.</p> <p>MR RIMFIRE raced keenly through the middle stages.</p> <p>Passing the 400 metres SNEAKY SHAN shifted in slightly when placed under pressure making contact with BEVERLEY BECK which then shifted away from that runner making contact with the hind quarters of MR RIMFIRE and becoming unbalanced.</p> <p>TOP CHOICE lay in when placed under pressure in the final straight and shifted in over the concluding stages.</p>	
Race 2	Rentokil Initial 1200
<p>TAKEOVER (B Hutton) began awkwardly, losing ground.</p> <p>GINJA NINJA (S Spratt) was slow away.</p> <p>RUSTY DEVIL (O Bosson) was crowded jumping away.</p> <p>DANROSE (M Du Plessis) lay out for the majority of the race.</p> <p>MAXIMUM HEIGHT (T Thornton) lay out under pressure in the final straight.</p> <p>Approaching the 400 metres MAXIMUM HEIGHT was held up before shifting to the inside of POGUE (M Cameron) to obtain clear running.</p> <p>RUSTY DEVIL returned to the enclosure in a distressed state. After undergoing a post-race veterinary examination it was</p>	

found to have suffered cardiac arrhythmia. The Stable Representative was advised that **RUSTY DEVIL** must provide clear results of an ECG after undergoing a trial.

When questioned regarding the performance of **SWEET SUITOR** Apprentice Jockey R Hutchings advised that the gelding had raced disappointingly and in his opinion may have held its breath.

Race 3	Southern Hospitality 1200
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ONE COOL MESSAGE (O Bosson) began awkwardly.

GOING PLACES (V Gatu) was slow away.

PERFECT FLOW (R Hutchings) jumped in the air at the start losing ground.

Shortly after leaving the barriers **OUI** (M Wenn) shifted in crowding **ROSIE'S REVENGE** (M Cameron) and **PERFECT FLOW** both of which steadied losing ground. Shortly after **OUI** continued to shift in dictating **JUST IDEAL** (S Spratt) in on to **HOLY AFFAIR** (D Johnson) which was crowded making contact with the hind quarters of **BRONDAN** (M Cheung) which was also had to steady losing ground. Contributing was outward movement from **OSCARSGOLD** (M Sweeney). Footage of this incident proved inconclusive and M Wenn was advised that a warning would be placed on her record.

Approaching the 1000 metres **BRONDAN** improved into a run to the inside of **OSCARSGOLD** which shifted in slightly with **BRONDAN** then becoming awkwardly placed on that runner's heels and having to steady losing ground.

Passing the 400 metres **BRONDAN** shifted out making contact with **HOLY AFFAIR** with both runners becoming briefly unbalanced.

LIVING THE DREAM (C Grylls) became tailed off passing the 300 metres and then was not persevered with for the remainder of the race. **LIVING THE DREAM** then underwent a post-race veterinary examination which was found to have suffered cardiac arrhythmia. The Stable Representative was advised that **LIVING THE DREAM** must provide clear results of an ECG after undergoing a trial.

Race 4	Broderick Print 1400
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The Stewards gave permission to Trainer M Dromgool to remove the blinkers from **THE SHACKLER** due to the existing track conditions.

ASGOODASITGETS (M McNab) began awkwardly, losing ground.

ESSENTIAL (C Dell) was slow away then over-raced through the early stages when being steadied.

MAGIC BELLE (M Sweeney) shifted out under pressure in the final straight.

Apprentice Jockey B Hutton (**PYCOK FLYER**) and Jockey R Norvall (**THE SHACKLER**) were both advised that they must always ride their mounts fully to the finish when circumstances permit them to do so.

Race 5	Shamrock Group 1400
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MUSIC (C Grylls) and **RICH N' ROSES** (R Norvall) were both slow away.

ROYALTY (S Spratt) and **KING PANAMERA** (R Smyth) both began awkwardly.

FULL ON JACKS (T Thornton) reared as the start was effected, losing ground.

COOLIBAH (M Sweeney) began awkwardly and then was hampered shortly after when **REEPERBAHN** (M Du Plessis) shifted in and away from **I DREAM OF JEANNIE** (M Wenn).

BORRETT BOY (M McNab) shifted in shortly after the start crowding **I DREAM OF JEANNIE** which was checked losing ground. As a result **REEPERBAHN** and **COOLIBAH** were further hampered. Jockey M McNab defended a resultant breach of careless riding. After hearing submissions the charge was found proven by the JCA and M McNab's license to ride in races was suspended 20 – 29 June inclusive, 6 riding days.

Passing the 500 metres **RUSTA** (A Taylor) became awkwardly placed on the heels of **MUSIC** which was tiring with **RUSTA** further being hampered due to being crowded between **ROYALTY** and **REEPERBAHN**.

When questioned regarding the performance of **LANDLORD** Jockey O Bosson advised that the gelding had not been suited by today's existing track conditions which he described as holding.

COOLIBAH lost the left hind plate during the running.

Race 6	Scot Thrust Mile
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SPARE A FORTUNE (BR Jones) began awkwardly and then was further crowded between **MAGNA CARTA** (M Hills) and **JOHN GRAY** (T Thornton) when both those runners shifted ground.

Passing the 1400 metres **COOL CRUISING** (D Johnson) shifted in, dictating **GURUS SPIRIT** (P Turner) inwards which in turn crowded **TAKING THE MICKEY** (R Norvall) and **OLD DRUMBLE** (R Hutchings) with those runners making contact with **TAKING THE MICKEY** then racing ungenerously, shifting in further crowding **OLD DRUMBLE** which was steadied losing ground. Rider D Johnson was advised that a warning would be placed on her record and she must ensure she leaves sufficient room for riders to her inside with Stewards taking into account the racing manners of **TAKING THE MICKEY** at the time.

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

Passing the 250 metres **MATOST** (M Wenn) shifted out making contact with **WORTHING** when looking to obtain clear running to the outside of **MAGNA CARTA** which shifted out.

Passing the 200 metres **OLD DRUMBLE** (R Hutchings) shifted out under pressure inconveniencing **THRIVE** (M Cameron).

When questioned regarding the performance of **THRIVE** Rider M Cameron advised that **THRIVE** had travelled well in the early and middle stages but failed to respond once placed under pressure in the final straight and had been disappointing.

Race 7	Neatmeat High Steaks
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The start of this race was delayed 1 minute at the request of TAB Raceday Control.

NATSINGA (S Wong) began awkwardly making contact with **HE'S DAN** (M Hills) which lost ground.

Passing the 1200 metres **BUCKLES** appeared to knuckle , falling and dislodged Rider R Norvall. **UNCLE SHAYNE** was inconvenienced as a result. R Norvall was cleared by medical staff following the incident. **BUCKLES** was examined by the Veterinarian and found to have blood present in both nostrils which was consistent with external trauma.

Passing the 250 metres, **BARSTORM** improved into a marginal run to the outside of **HE'S DAN** then had to be steadied and shift ground to the inside of **BARSTORM** to obtain clear running.

The meeting was abandoned at 3.42pm after the track was inspected following the fall of **BUCKLES** where there was found to be a significant hole, that on first inspection appears to be an old sewerage drain which became evident approximately 4 metres off the rail.