STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Oamaru Jockey Club Date: Monday 8th July 2013

Weather: Fine

Track: Heavy 10 – Slow 9 Race three onwards.

Rail: True

Stewards: N Ydgren (Chairman), M Zarb & M Davidson

Typist: K Jones

GENERAL:

SUPPLEMENTARY

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: SUSPEND US, AUTHENTIC PADDY, COURT THE TOSS, RESPLENDENT, CHEEKY TART, CITY CHIC,

UNRELENTING LADY.

Suspensions: Race Nil
Protests: Race Nil

Fines: Race 4 T Moseley (PAZERAE)

[Rule 638(3)(c)] – Using whip forward of the shoulder. Fined \$100.

Warnings: Race Nil Bleeders: Race Nil

Horse Actions: Race 4 ALOTTA MOJO – Warned racing manners.

Medical Certificates: Nil

Rider/Driver Changes: Race Nil

Scratching Penalties: n/a

Late Scratchings: SMARTYMARTY – On Veterinary advice at barrier gates.

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 OAMARU PUNTER OF THE YEAR MAIDEN

SMARTYMARTY was a late scratching at 12.39 pm on Veterinary advice when it was found to have blood coming from a nostril

DOWN HERE UP THERE got its head up and raced keenly through the early stages.

A post race veterinary examination was carried out on **FORGOTTEN HERO** which returned to the birdcage with blood present in the mouth revealing a slight laceration on the horses tongue.

A veterinary examination of **SMARTYMARTY** deemed this horse not to be a bleeder.

Race 2 SPORTS CENTRAL BREWHOUSE R85 BENCHMARK

HEZA KOOL KAT raced keenly throughout the early stages and tended to throw its head in the air.

Racing towards the 1200 metres **ELECTRONIC MOTION** had to be restrained when crowded for racing room by **AUTHENTIC PADDY** which was shifting down the track. After speaking with riders R Hannam (**AUTHENTIC PADDY**) and A Frye (**ELECTRONIC MOTION**) Stewards advised Mr Hannam that he was expected to make a greater effort to afford other runners sufficient room than he had done so on this occasion.

When questioned in regards to the performance of **STORMPATROL** rider A Denby explained that her gelding had not handled its weight handicap of 61 kilograms. Trainer M Pitman added that although the horse had previously performed well on similarly rated tracks felt the sticky nature of today's surface had impacted on its run.

Race 3 GORDON HANDY MACHINERY LTD MAIDEN

Prior to this race the track was upgraded to Slow 9.

KING KONG shifted outwards sharply on jumping checking LADY GUINEVERE which lost ground.

MADAM and BLUSHING were slow to begin.

MAGIC EPIC raced wide and without cover throughout.

Racing past the 400 metres **BLUSHING** had to be steadied when becoming awkwardly placed close to the heels of the tiring **KING KONG**.

LADY GUINEVERE after being held up on the final turn had to be steadied and shifted outwards racing past the 250 metres when awkwardly placed close to the heels of the tiring **PIPPILONGSTOCKINGS**.

DYNAFLIGHT was inclined to lay in under pressure throughout the final straight.

Both **KING KONG** and **PIPPILONGSTOCKINGS** were sent to be examined by the vet after this race due to weakening considerably inside the final 400m however no abnormalities were detected with either runner.

PIPPILONGSTOCKINGS was reported by the connections to have not handled the sticky nature of today's track, who advised that it was their intention to race the horse on firmer tracks where possible in future.

Race 4 SPEIGHT'S MAIDEN 3YO

ELDANTE began awkwardly, shifted outwards and bumped **ALLISAR** shortly after jumping causing this runner to lose ground.

ALOTTA MOJO raced keenly in the early stages.

From the 400 metres onwards **ALOTTA MOJO** hung outwards causing **MISSCATTLECREEK** to be taken wider. The connections of **ALOTTA MOJO** advised that they would reassess the racing future of this horse in the upcoming days. A warning was placed on the filly's racing record. T

Stewards issued rider T Moseley with a charge under Rule 638(3)(c) which alleged that he had used his whip upon **PAZERAE** forward of the shoulder. Mr Moseley defended the charge however it was upheld by the JCA who imposed a fine of \$100.

Race 5 EASY MADE MARMALADE R65 BENCHMARK

ORAKA PRINCE jumped inwards after the start and bumped **MY REASON** causing rider K Williams to become unbalanced. **ORAKA PRINCE** then shifted outwards sharply crowding the racing room of **SHOWCASE** which had to be steadied and lost ground.

JACKSANFIVES bounded as the start was made losing ground.

BENJY HULLAH was slow to begin.

Racing into the first turn at about the 1000 metres MR COSTA CUGAT briefly raced keenly when being steadied.

Shortly after this **ORAKA PRINCE** shifted down the track causing it to bump **MANGAROA LAD** onto **VALENCIA'S IMAGE** with both of these runners also having to be steadied. .

Racing towards the 400 metres JACKSANFIVES was held up behind the tiring VALENCIA'S IMAGE.

When questioned with regards to the performance of **JACKSON STREET** rider R Hannam explained that his gelding had travelled well throughout but not responded as he had anticipated when asked for an effort inside the final 200 metres. Mr Hannam further advised that he felt the horse may benefit from a wetter track and had also recommended the addition of a tongue-tie for future racing.

Race 6 CROMBIE & PRICE LTD R75 BENCHMARK F&M

NO ROSETTES jumped awkwardly and made contact with MISS EL BEE DEE after the start.

NO ROSETTES raced keenly in the middle stages.

MISS EL BEE DEE raced wide throughout the running.

When questioned with regards to the performance of **DELITEFUL HALO** rider T Direen explained the mare had travelled well throughout but failed to respond when asked for an effort inside the final 400 metres. A post race veterinary examination of **DELITEFUL HALO** revealed no abnormalities.

Race 7 GLENMOA FARMS LTD R65 BENCHMARK

BALLYRINA was slow to begin.

After about 200 metres **LUCKY NEMO** shifted outwards abruptly and in doing so took **VALLEY DIAMOND** wider on the track.

VALLEY DIAMOND, GANADOR and LUCKY NEMO raced keenly through the early stages.

At approximately the 350 metres **FLYING STORM** shifted up the track causing **GANADOR** to briefly race in restricted room. Soon after this **FLYING STORM** shifted downwards crowding the racing room of **LUCKY NEMO**.

WAITING raced wide and without cover throughout.