

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Wellington Racing Club	Date:	13 th July 2013
Weather:	Overcast		
Track:	Heavy 11		
Rail:	Out 10 metres		
Stewards:	R Neal (Chairman); N Goodwin N Ydgren and L Tidmarsh		
Typist:	P Penketh		

GENERAL:

Riders K Myers; R Myers; R Cully and K Veenendaal did not attend the meeting due to injuries sustained subsequent to the declaration of riders.

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Nil

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	PALERMO; MAHANADI; THATZ DAVID; WAITAHA TOA; TALK THE TORQUE; KAAP KRUIS; GET THE MESSAGE; BRUSHMAN; SOLID STEAL; SEA EAGLE; MATOST; LIL MER Pre-race bleeding was carried out.
Suspensions:	Race
Protests:	Race
Fines:	Race 6 D O'Leary (CARINYA) [Rule 537 (a)] - Late rider declaration – Fined \$50
Warnings:	Race
Bleeders:	Race 1 EL MARINO – mandatory stand-down of three months
Horse Actions:	Race 7 SHOOTING DAGGERS veterinary clearance required before next start
Medical Certificates:	
Rider Changes:	Race 1 BALLY HEIGHTS – M Cropp replaced R Cully (injury) 1 ROBERTY BOB – C Studd replaced K Veenendaal (injury) 2 MAHANADI – J Rathbone replaced K Veenendaal (injury) 2 YORKIE – C Studd replaced R Cully (injury) 4 PEWTER – B Lammas replaced R Myers (injury) 4 RESPLENDENT – A Taylor replaced K Myers (injury) 5 THE BROWN BOMBER – D Walker replaced K Myers (injury) 5 MUSUKO KING – C Johnson replaced R Myers (injured) 7 SOLID STEAL - J Riddell replaced R Cully (injured) 8 BROMPTON – K Whelan replaced K Myers (injured) 8 NGARIO – M Dravitzki replaced R Myers (injured) 9 ORMOND ROAD – R Hannam replaced R Myers (injured) 9 LIV'N PARADISE – C Johnson replaced K Myers (injured) 10 PLATINUM LINCOLN – J Riddell replaced K Myers (injured)
Late Scratchings:	Race

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	NORM BEVAN MEMORIAL STEEPLECHASE
OHOPEE raced keenly into the first fence, landed awkwardly and lost ground. OHOPEE then continued to race keenly for some distance.	
MISTER DEEJAY lost ground at fences in the early stages of the event and put in a poor jump at the third fence.	
AYATOLLAH raced keenly in the middle of course on the first circuit.	

<p>EL MARINO put in a poor jump at the fence near the 700 metres on the first occasion, losing ground.</p> <p>OHOPEE misjudged the fence near the 700 metres on the first round and fell. Rider G Walsh was uninjured.</p> <p>VITORY MORGAN gave ground in the final circuit and was retired from the event after jumping the fence near the 1200 metres.</p> <p>ROBERTY BOB misjudged the fence near the 700 metres on the final occasion, landed awkwardly and lost ground.</p> <p>BINKLEBONK misjudged the fence near the 700 metres on the final occasion, became unbalanced and dislodged rider N Quinn who was uninjured.</p> <p>DUMINY landed awkwardly at the final fence.</p> <p>BALLY HEIGHTS hit the last fence and lost momentum.</p> <p>MISTER DEEJAY ran down the last fence when well back.</p> <p>EL MARINO returned to the enclosure with blood present in both nostrils. A subsequent veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be a bleeder. Owner/Trainer P Stewart advised that EL MARINO would now be retired.</p> <p>OHOPEE returned to the scale with blood in the nostril. A veterinary examination confirmed this to have resulted from a laceration in the nostril.</p> <p>When questioned regarding the performance of VICTORY MORGAN, S Phelan reported that the gelding had travelled poorly throughout. A post-race veterinary examination of VICTORY MORGAN revealed no abnormalities.</p> <p>PALEMO returned to the enclosure minus the off-front plate.</p>	
Race 2	MARTIN BOSLEY'S RESTAURANT OF THE YEAR HURDLES
<p>STAINLEY and DERBY DAN were tightened at the start when runners either side shifted ground.</p> <p>SUSPEND US hit the fence near the 1400 metres and fractured the off-front elbow broke down. After being attended to by veterinary staff the gelding was humanely euthanased.</p> <p>YORKIE made a poor jump at the fence near the 200 metres unbalancing rider C Studd</p> <p>STAINLEY shifted in and bumped MAHANDI prior to the second last fence, MAHANADI then shifted out after jumping the fence and bumped with STAINLEY</p> <p>The saddle on CALGACUS shifted forward in the early stages placing rider S Houston at a disadvantage resulting in the horse being unable to be restrained and racing freely in the lead for some distance.</p> <p>CALGACUS was eased out of the race in the final straight when out of contention.</p> <p>S Houston the rider of CALGACUS was reminded of her obligations to other riders after she allowed her mount to shift in prior to jumping the second fence tightening JAMIE LEE.</p> <p>When questioned regarding the run of IMA DANCER, which gave ground passing the 800 metres, S Phelan reported that the gelding was unsuited to the Heavy track and impost of 69kgs.</p>	
Race 3	NATURAL FARM WELLINGTON HURDLES – Prestige Jumping Race
<p>HONEY was slow to begin.</p> <p>WOTABUZZ was bumped by CONQUISTADOR on landing after jumping the first fence.</p> <p>AINTREE hit the second fence in the home straight on the first occasion.</p> <p>WOTABUZZ misjudged the fence near the 700 metres dislodging rider H Curran with Miss Curran making firm contact with the running rail but suffering no injury.</p> <p>When questioned regarding the performance of ZENOCOIN, which faded in the final straight, rider M Mitchell was of the opinion the gelding was unsuited to the Heavy 11 track.</p>	
Race 4	THE INFORMANT PREMIER
<p>NORTH AND SOUTH began awkwardly and shortly after shifted out and away from BY THE POWERS.</p> <p>SALUTE ME shifted in abruptly leaving the barrier.</p> <p>TALK THE TORQUE was slow to begin.</p> <p>Passing the 600 metres SALUTE ME, when racing greenly, shifted in abruptly inconveniencing NORTH AND SOUTH.</p> <p>RAMARRO was inclined to hang out under pressure in the final straight.</p> <p>When questioned into the run of PEWTER which finished well back, rider B Lammas stated that the gelding was totally unsuited to the Heavy 11 track.</p>	
Race 5	NEW WORLD STOKES VALLEY PREMIER
<p>ALDEBARAN STAR and THE BROWN BOMBER were crowded on jumping away when runners on either side shifted ground. Shortly after, THE BROWN BOMBER shifted out making contact with DON'TLIKEMONDAY which became unbalanced momentarily.</p> <p>THE LONE RANGER raced ungenerously in the early and middle stages proving difficult to settle.</p> <p>ALDEBARAN STAR was inclined to lay out throughout the final straight.</p> <p>When questioned regarding the performance of MUSUKO KING, rider C Johnson reported that the gelding travelled well until placed under pressure passing the 600 metres, and failed to finish the race off as anticipated.</p>	
Race 6	CENTURY 21 WELLINGTON AGENTS "SMARTER, BOLDER, FASTER" PREMIER
<p>CARINYA was slow to begin.</p> <p>STAGEHAND and SELWYN came together and bumped near the 600 metres.</p>	

<p>When questioned regarding the performance of TRABALDY, which finished well back, Apprentice K Chiong reported that the gelding was never comfortable in the Heavy 11 track.</p> <p>CARINYA returned to the enclosure minus the off-front plate.</p> <p>B Lammas (STAGEHAND) was reminded of his obligations with regard to his whip use prior to the 200 metres.</p>	
Race 7	GRANT PLUMBING WELLINGTON STEEPLECHASE – Prestige Jumping Race
<p>ERIC THE VIKING underwent a veterinary inspection at the start before being declared fit to run after being kicked by another runner.</p> <p>TOM’S MYTH jumped the first fence extravagantly resulting in rider S Phelan losing the use of his off-side iron for a short distance</p> <p>ROSETOWN JOE raced keenly in the early and middle stages.</p> <p>SOLID STEAL hit the fence near the 700 metres on the second occasion and landed awkwardly.</p> <p>When questioned into the run of TOM’S MYTH, rider S Phelan reported that, in his opinion, the gelding raced indifferently throughout and after settling back was unable to make any discernible amount of ground at any time during the event.</p> <p>When questioned on the run of RIOCH, rider J Rathbone reported that, notwithstanding the gelding racing keenly at various stages of the event, it nevertheless was still travelling well prior to entering the final straight, however on entering the course proper near the 400 metres began to struggle in the testing going and was unable to finish off as expected.</p> <p>ROSETOWN JOE was eased out of the event in the home straight when out of contention and did not jump the final fence.</p> <p>SHOOTING DAGGERS returned to the enclosure in a distressed state and was attended to by the veterinary surgeon which revealed the gelding was suffering from exhaustion. After a period of time SHOOTING DAGGERS recovered, however trainer R Liefthing was advised that a veterinary clearance would be required before the gelding next races.</p>	
Race 8	METROHOTELS.COM.AU PARLIAMENTARY HANDICAP
<p>TIME FOR GOLD shifted out on jumping crowding INTRANSIGENT.</p> <p>SEA EAGLE was slow to begin.</p> <p>NGARIO was crowded shortly after leaving the barriers by CARNIVAL QUEEN which was taken in by I’M NOT TICKLISH and TIME FOR GOLD which shifted out.</p> <p>RISING TIDE was held up for a short distance passing the 600 metres.</p> <p>INTRANSIGENT shifted ground out under hard riding over the final stages crowding RISING TIDE near the post.</p> <p>When questioned on the run of THE MUFFIN MAN rider C Johnson reported that the gelding had travelled well throughout until the 400 metres and in his opinion may not have seen out the distance.</p>	
Race 9	EKRAAR@LINWOOD PARK WHYTE HANDICAP
<p>THRIVE began awkwardly.</p> <p>ART BEAT blundered on jumping away however recovered quickly.</p> <p>KARLA BRUNI shifted ground inward under pressure over the final 200 metres.</p> <p>When questioned on the performance of JOSEPHINE rider D Walsh advised the mare never travelled comfortably and was unsuited to the track conditions.</p> <p>When questioned on the performance of ORMOND ROAD rider R Hannam reported that the mare was never comfortable in the deep going.</p> <p>KALGOORLIE BOMBER returned to the enclosure with blood in the nostril area. A subsequent post-race veterinary inspection revealed a minor laceration to the nasal region.</p>	
Race 10	ASCEND SALES TROPHIES PREMIER
<p>RUNNING LATE shifted out on jumping crowding KITCH.</p> <p>PLATINUM LINCOLN and LIL MER were slow.</p> <p>MR DARCEE’S GOLD began awkwardly and settled back.</p> <p>J Riddell reported that PLATINUM LINCOLN failed to handle the prevailing track conditions.</p>	