

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Canterbury Jockey Club	Date:	Wednesday, 7 th August 2013
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Heavy (10)		
Rail:	Out 2 metres		
Stewards:	M Zarb (Chairman), R Neal, N McIntyre and S Wallis		
Typist:	C McMullan		

GENERAL:

A selection of horses were pre-race blood tested.

SUPPLEMENTARY:

<u>Oamaru Jockey Club – Monday 29th July 2013</u>
<u>Race 6 – GLENMOA FARMS LTD MAIDEN</u>
Further tests conducted on XHALE deemed the filly to be a bleeder. In accordance with Rule 651 XHALE was stood down for the mandatory three month period.

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	KINGS DEEP, BOYSZONE, KRASE, READY EDDIE, KICK BACK, SHASPIC, BARBERRY ROZE, MAHANADI, YAMANAURA, BACK BURNER, GET FLASH		
Suspensions:	Nil		
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Race	2	B Smith (MOONOFKLAIRESSA) [Rule 636(1)(c)] - Failing to ride his mount out to the end of the race - Fined \$500
Warnings:	Nil		
Bleeders:	Race	1	APPLAUD - stood down for 3 months
Horse Actions:	Race	4	CRISPNCOOL - veterinary clearance required prior to racing next
	Race	10	HOWLONGDOWEWAIT - to barrier test to the satisfaction of the Stewards prior to racing next
	Race	10	BOKKIE BOKKIE - to barrier test to the satisfaction of the Stewards prior to racing next
Medical Certificates:	D Walker - medical certificate required		
Rider Changes:	Race	5	SPARK IT UP - T Moseley replaced D Walker (unwell)
	Race	9	SHEEZA RULER - K Williams replaced D Walker
	Race	10	EL BEE DEE - K Williams replaced D Walker
Late Scratchings:	Race	10	HOWLONGDOWEWAIT - at 4.35 pm at start
	Race	10	BOKKIE BOBBIE - at 4.38 pm at start

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	TREVINOS BAR & RESTAURANT MAIDEN HURDLES (3100m)
MUZZA was inclined to race keenly in the lead for the majority of the race and at the fence near the 1400 metres put in a poor leap losing ground. Thereafter MUZZA jumped indifferently and made heavy contact with the last hurdle, landing	

awkwardly. **APPLAUD** was retired from the race near the 1000 metres. A post race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to have bled from both nostrils, with the connections advised that **APPLAUD** was stood down for the mandatory three month period.

GIOCCHINO was retired prior to the second last fence.

Race 2	THE CLASSIC VILLA AMATEUR RIDERS MAIDEN (2000m)
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MOONOFKLAIRESSA got its head up when racing keenly in the early stages. D Frye, the rider of **KING FILOU** dropped his whip shortly after passing the 400 metres.

When questioned regarding the apparent disappointing performance of **HOLD THE DREAM**, rider L Wheeler advised that the gelding travelled well in the early and middle stages however when placed under pressure failed to respond. A post race veterinary inspection revealed no obvious abnormalities.

Over the concluding 200 metres **KING FILOU** was bumped on a number of occasions by **MOONOFKLAIRESSA** which shifted inwards under pressure.

Amateur rider Mr B Smith, defended a charge under Rule 636(1)(c) in that he failed to ride his mount (**MOONOFKLAIRESSA**) out to the end of the race when it had a reasonable chance of running third to which there was prize money and a dividend payable. After hearing evidence the JCA upheld the charge and fined B Smith the sum of \$500.

Race 3	RACECOURSE HOTEL & MOTOR LODGE 0-1 WIN STEEPLECHASE (3200m)
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HIGH FORTY made a poor leap over the jump near the 1000 metres. Rounding the home turn **THE ROSE** was inclined to hang out.

Race 4	VERO INSURANCE MAIDEN (1600m)
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DESERT GIRL was slow to begin. **LADY PRIVATEER** jumped awkwardly and bumped **FAIR SPOKEN** which lost ground.

Shortly after the start **STARQUEST** was crowded between **D'CHAPARRAL** and **MISSCATTLECREEK** which jumped awkwardly and shifted out.

Passing the 1400 metres **LADY PRIVATEER** was crowded for room and lost ground when racing between **INDIANA JONES** which was taken inwards slightly by **CRISPNCOOOL** and **FAIR SPOKEN** which was taken outwards by **MISS PIETERSEN** which when racing keenly shifted outwards slightly. As it was the opinion of the Stewards that the interference good not be directly attributed to any particular rider, no further action was taken.

Approaching the 600 metres **COUP ROTORUA** was momentarily held up behind the weakening **CRISPNCOOOL** and shortly after was bumped by that runner when it continued to give ground.

FAIR SPOKEN raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.

In the straight **COUP ROTORUA** hung out.

A post race veterinary inspection of **CRISPNCOOOL** which weakened noticeably from the 800m revealed the mare to be slightly tied up and showing early signs of a respiratory infection. **CRISPNCOOOL** will require a veterinary clearance prior to racing next. Trainer M McCann advised it is his intention to retire **CRISPNCOOOL**.

Race 5	MAJESTIC-INTER ISLAND HORSE TRANSPORT FILLIES & MARES RATING 75 (1500m)
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Passing the 1200 metres **KASHIN GIRL** which was racing keenly got its head up on a number of occasions when being restrained. **BELLE D'OR** raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.

SPARK IT UP weakened quickly shortly after the 400 metres.

Race 6	COASTER'S TAVERN MAIDEN (1250m)
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Near the 1200 metres **WAITIN AWHILE** was steadied when crowded between runners. Passing the 1000 metres **ALLSTARS** shifted in and bumped **BLU MACH** which became unbalanced. Shortly after both horses commenced to race keenly.

Approaching the 900 metres **BLU MACH** lost further ground when reluctant to race in tight quarters.

NOT COURT raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.

Passing the 500 metres **GALLARU** was held up behind runners and after shifting wide to improve made good ground.

When questioned regarding the performance of **RICCIOLI**, apprentice R Doherty explained that the gelding usually races over more ground however due to today's expected track conditions they dropped the horse back in distance. He added in the middle stages **RICCIOLI** was under hard riding and when under greater pressure in the straight continued to make good ground. R Doherty stated in his opinion the gelding is better suited over longer journeys.

Race 7	MCMILLAN EQUINE FEEDS RATING 65 (1250m)
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PRETTY TO WATCH raced wide without cover for the majority of the race. R Hannam, the rider of **JACKSON STREET**, reported it was the connections' intention to have the gelding ridden further back than it has been in its most recent starts. He advised as a result **JACKSON STREET** raced keenly in the middle stages getting its head up on a number of occasions however when placed under pressure passing the 400 metres failed to respond. R Hannam stated he advised the trainer in his opinion the gelding is better suited to racing in a forward position.

MIND READER raced wide from the 600 metres.

Passing the 400 metres **RESPLENDENT** (Apprentice D Prastiyou) was held up behind runners and when shifting out to

improve bumped **JACKSON STREET** on a number of occasions. Apprentice D Prastiyou was shown a replay of the incident and advised to exercise greater care in similar circumstances.

Stewards filed an information with the JCA under Rule 649(1)(a) in respect of rider B Lammas (HAILES ABBEY) changing gear after weighing out. The matter will be concluded on Saturday, 10 August 2013.

Race 8	HOSPITALITY NEW ZEALAND CANTERBURY 124TH GRAND NATIONAL HURDLES (4200m)
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YAMANAURA raced keenly in the early stages.

CONQUISTADOR made heavy contact with the hurdle near the 4000 metres. Approaching the 3600 metres **WOTABUZZ** was placed in restricted room to the inside of **ARONSAY** (M Cropp). M Cropp was advised to exercise greater care in similar circumstances.

GARGAMEL jumped outwards whilst negotiating the hurdle near the 800 metres.

AINTREE made heavy contact with the hurdle near the 400 metres and landed awkwardly.

ARONSAY was retired from the race after jumping the 400 metres hurdle.

AINTREE was retired after jumping the second last hurdle.

CONQUISTADOR landed very awkwardly after jumping the last hurdle losing all momentum and unbalancing its rider. A Browne, the rider of **GARGAMEL**, dropped his whip shortly after the last hurdle.

Race 9	HOTELIERS CHALLENGE CUP RATING 65 (2000m)
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NOLAWOOD shied approaching the crossing near the 1900 metres becoming briefly unbalanced.

SHEEZARULER and **CONTADOR** raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.

BACK BURNER raced wide rounding the home turn.

When questioned regarding the performance of **CONTADOR**, rider H Tinsley was unable to offer any tangible excuse for the performance other than it drew wide and raced keenly early.

When questioned regarding the performance of **SABHRAJ**, rider R Doherty stated that the gelding had come to the end of its campaign and would now be spelled.

Race 10	LINDAUER RATING 65 (1600m)
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HOWLONGDOWEWAIT was a late scratching at 4.35 pm on veterinary advice after becoming fractious in the barriers. The connections were advised that the gelding must barrier test to the satisfaction of the Stewards prior to racing next.

The start was further delayed when **BOKKIE BOKKIE** refused to load and was declared a late scratching at 4.38 pm. The connections were advised that the mare must barrier test to the satisfaction of the Stewards prior to racing next.

REEPERBAHN underwent a veterinary inspection and was cleared to race after becoming fractious in the barriers.

BURSTING STONE jumped very awkwardly with its head up losing ground.

LOGAN TOWN jumped awkwardly, shifted outwards abruptly and in doing so hampered **TOUCHDOWN**.

COURT THE TOSS raced wide throughout.

JIMMY THE ONE which tailed the field throughout underwent a veterinary inspection with no obvious abnormalities detected.

When questioned regarding the performance of **AINT NO LOLLYGAGGA**, rider D Prastiyou was unable to offer any tangible excuse. Trainer P Richards advised it is his intention to give the mare a short spell before racing again.