

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Otaki-Maori Racing Club	Date:	Tuesday, 5 November 2013
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Good(3)		
Rail:	Out 5 metres		
Stewards:	G Whiterod (Chairman), R Neal, N Goodwin, B Bateup		
Typist:	S Shirriffs		

GENERAL:

Nil

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Nil

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	SAMPSON, REDLINE, QUEEN OF UR, DELECTA DREIMS, PURE BLONDE, OLLIE'S NOTE, ALLEYOOP, PINOCCHIO BOY, GWYNETHANNE.		
Suspensions:	Race	3	R Myers (SATANYA) – 7-11 November 2013 inclusive (4 days) [Rule 638(1)(d)] - careless
Protests:	Race		
Fines:	Race	8	Apprentice jockey D Turner (FLINT) - \$250 [Rule 638(3)(b)] – excessive use of the whip prior to the 200 metres
Warnings:	Race	1	Trainer H Renall (SARABI) [Rule 616(2)] - failing to declare gear
		9	R Hannam (IF I CAN I CAN) [Rule 638(1)(d)] – careless riding
Bleeders:	Race	9	REPLACE – three month stand down.
Horse Actions:	Race		
Medical Certificates:	R Myers - required		
Rider Changes:	Race	7	K Myers replaced R Myers on CATWOMANDU
		8	D Bradley replaced R Myers on PALMERS PRIDE
		9	K Smith replaced R Myers on MINT
Late Scratchings:	Race	6	FANCY NANCY at 3.24pm after dislodging and injuring rider R Myers in the enclosure

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	LEVIN TRUCK SERVICES MAIDEN (1400 METRES)
<p>BAYRUM shifted out abruptly on jumping away and tightened BOOSTING ELEANOR, which got back. LAST TO DANCE began awkwardly and got tightened when TIMELY MAGIC shifted out. VIA DOLOROSA raced keenly throughout. STORMY ENCOUNTER raced wide without cover throughout. Apprentice D Turner, the rider of SARABI, was advised to exercise care after shifting out near the 700 metres, forcing I'M BELLA over extra ground. A short distance further SARABI was dictated outwards when MASTER THOMAS was eased off heels when racing keenly with the result that I'M BELLA was hampered.</p>	

VIA DOLOROSA was held up for some distance rounding the turn and early in the home straight but when gaining clear running near the 200 metres, finished the race off only fairly.	
Race 2	SARAH HAWORTH @ HARVEYS 3YO MAIDEN (1400 METRES)
<p>KIWI ROSE was bumped at the start and when being corrected shifted in simultaneously as KASHIKA shifted out, which resulted in tightening to the following runners, HEDGE FUND, EASY TIGER and EYEFUL TOWER, which clipped a heel and blundered.</p> <p>Shortly after entering the home straight HEARSAY (B Lammas) had to be steadied when improving into a narrow run between SPEED KING, which was racing to its inside, and KASHIKA (R Myers) on the outer. HEARSAY on being steadied shifted outwards and dictated KASHIKA across the heels of EASY TIGER, clipping that runners heels and blundering, resulting in rider R Myers becoming severely unbalanced and almost being dislodged. After questioning all riders and viewing video coverage it was considered the incident to be beyond the control of B Lammas.</p>	
Race 3	LISA LATTA RACING STABLES 3YO MAIDEN (1200 METRES)
<p>R Myers (SATANYA) admitted a charge of careless riding under Rule 638(1)(d) in that she allowed her mount to shift in when not clear of DANNY BOY, QUEEN OF UR and FIVE TARTS, which clipped a heel and blundered. After hearing submissions the judicial committee suspended R Myers license to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Wednesday, 6 November, up to the conclusion of racing on Sunday, 11 November (4 days). DANNY BOY after being tightened raced fiercely for the remainder of the race.</p>	
Race 4	EL CHEAPO CARS RAUKAWA CUP (2100 METRES)
<p>LES SYLPHIDES and RUMOUR HAS IT NOW both blundered on jumping away.</p> <p>ALL IN CLOVER was slow away.</p> <p>FLIPPANT over-raced in the early stages.</p> <p>VOLKSWOOD was inclined to over-race in the middle stages.</p> <p>Apprentice jockey M Dravitzki (JOSEPHINE) was questioned into her decision not to take advantage of a narrow run near the 350 metres when the opportunity for her to do so was presented. Ms Dravitzki stated that she was in some doubt whether there was sufficient room for her to improve into at the time, however after reviewing video footage in the company of the riding master, agreed with the stewards' opinion that she may have erred on this occasion. Ms Dravitzki was advised that she is expected to exercise better judgment when placed in similar circumstances in future.</p> <p>Apprentice rider A Taylor reported to the stewards that in her opinion LES SYLPHIDES had felt indifferent in its action in the early stages. Stewards ordered a veterinary examination of the mare which revealed a minor laceration to the off hind coronet band.</p>	
Race 5	EQUINE & FARM VETERINARY SERVICES – OTAKI MAIDEN (1200 METRES)
<p>MISS SING began awkwardly and was further hampered when FASHION LASS, which had blundered on jumping away, shifted in abruptly when being corrected.</p> <p>PURE BLONDE shifted in abruptly at the start resulting in ANTONIO and BRECON BELLE being hampered.</p> <p>CLAN O'CEIRIN over-raced in the middle stages.</p> <p>Apprentice jockey N Teeluck (EDGE OF GLORY) was questioned into the tactics he employed on the mare after he failed to capitalize on a good beginning from barrier one and restrained his mount to be near the rear of the field. Apprentice jockey Teeluck, in the presence of his employer Mrs K Zimmerman, stated that in his opinion the mare was better ridden back in the field but conceded he had erred in his judgment on this occasion and that it would have been more advantageous to have ridden his mount in a forward position. Notwithstanding apprentice jockey Teeluck's inexperience he was told that he is expected to exercise better judgment in future.</p>	
Race 6	PROFESSIONALS OTAKI CLASSIC MAIDEN (1400 METRES)
<p>FANCY NANCY was a late scratching at 3.24pm after it became fractious in the enclosure, dislodging rider R Myers, who required medical attention and was stood down for her remaining rides today and was advised that a medical clearance is required.</p> <p>SUPRIZED was slow away and settled back.</p> <p>HAZY DAZE began awkwardly and shifted out.</p> <p>SHOW WILLING raced three wide without cover around the bend from the 800 metre mark.</p> <p>HAZY DAZE hung out under pressure in the home straight.</p>	
Race 7	GREENMANTLE ESTATE LODGE HANDICAP (1200 METRES)
<p>K Myers replaced R Myers on CATWOMANDU.</p> <p>CATWOMANDU blundered on jumping and lost ground.</p> <p>ALLEYOOP shifted out at the start bumping with ROHAISE.</p> <p>ROHAISE was obliged to race three wide without cover throughout.</p>	

Passing the 300 metres **THE RAHTWO REBEL** ducked in abruptly making heavy contact with the hind quarters of **RACEY RED** which was unbalanced for a short distance.

CATWOMANDU had to be eased over the final stages and was unable to improve when in restricted room.

Passing the 700 metres **PATIENCE** was crowded and had to steady when inside **CATWOMANDU**, **EDENSONG** and **ROHAISE**. Rider H Tinsley (**ROHAISE**) defended a charge of careless riding under Rule 638(1)(d) after it was alleged by the stewards that he shifted ground when not clear. After considering the evidence the judicial committee found the charge not proved.

Race 8 | **WHEN KIWI WON THE CUP – SPONSORED BY BEACH FM HANDICAP (1400 METRES)**

D Bradley replaced R Myers on **PALMERS PRIDE**.

MISS CLAWDY was crowded at the start when runners either side shifted ground.

TIKVAH raced wide throughout.

DESERT STAR raced three wide without cover from near the 1000 metres.

FLINT was forced over extra ground near the 400 metres after **GREAT OF FAVOURS** shifted out abruptly.

Apprentice jockey D Tuner (**FLINT**) admitted a breach of Rule 638(3)(b) in that he used his whip excessively prior to the 200 metres. After consideration the judicial committee imposed a fine of \$250.

Race 9 | **FARMLANDS HANDICAP (1600 METRES)**

K Smith replaced R Myers on **MINT**.

DARBY SHAW was crowded at the start and got back.

TAIKOMOCHI had to steady when making the junction near the 1400 metres after being crowded when adjacent to the rail.

VALLEY QUEEN was obliged to race three wide without cover throughout.

R Hannam the rider of **IF I CAN I CAN** was issued with a warning under Rule 638(1)(d) – careless riding, in that passing the 200 metres he permitted his mount to shift in crowding **DR PAUL**, which was placed in restricted room and had to be steadied.

REPLACE returned to the enclosure with blood present in both nostrils. A subsequent veterinary examination confirmed the mare to have bled with Trainer K Zimmerman advised that **REPLACED** will be subjected to the mandatory three month stand down from racing.

On returning to scale, rider S Doyle (**STORMIN NORMAN**) reported that he had concerns with the horse's actions throughout the event. Stewards ordered a veterinary examination of **STORMIN NORMAN**, which failed to reveal any abnormalities.

TAIKOMOCHI returned to the enclosure with blood present in a nostril. A subsequent veterinary examination revealed a minor laceration.