

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Rotorua and Bay Of Plenty Hunt Inc	Date:	Friday, 20 September 2013
Weather:	Showers becoming fine.		
Track:	Heavy(10), downgraded Heavy(11) After Race 4		
Rail:	Out 4.5 Metres from winning post to 900 Metres, then remainder True		
Stewards:	A Coles (Chairman), M Williamson, W Robinson, B Jones		
Typist:	P Laboyrie		

GENERAL: (All comments pertaining to this meeting – e.g. drivers/riders not attending, delays and all other issues)

SUPPLEMENTARY: (All adjourned inquiries and follow up information relating to previous meetings)

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	READY EDDIE, HOUNDSCRY, MCCULLEY, CALGACUS, ARAKI, VITALI, SPRING CHEER, DUBAI WOLF, CONQUERING KENNY		
Suspensions:	Race	6	S Fannin ANYTHING GOES Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(b)] Suspended 21 – 29 September 2013 inclusive (1 day), plus fine (see below)
		6	K Peterson CARINYA Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(b)] Suspended 21 – 29 September 2013 inclusive (1 day), plus fine (see below)
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Race	6	S Fannin ANYTHING GOES \$100
		6	K Peterson CARINYA \$100
Warnings:	Race	3	D Miller PARTY HORSE Excessive use of whip prior to 200 metres [Rule 638(3)(b)]
Bleeders:	Nil		
Horse Actions:	Nil		
Medical Certificates:	Nil		
Rider Changes:	Nil		
Late Scratching:	Nil		

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	LAND OWNERS HURDLES
<p>READY EDDIE (D Miller) and JACK ROMANOV (K Veenendaal) were a little slow to begin.</p> <p>JACK ROMANOV and HUNKY DORY (C Studd) put in a poor jump at the first fence.</p> <p>AMANPULO (M Mitchell) and OUR DESTINY (C Thornton) were both inclined to race keenly in the early stages.</p> <p>READY EDDIE put in a poor jump near the 1000 metres on the second occasion.</p> <p>SECOND IN COMMAND (M Cropp) put in a poor jump approaching the 900 metres.</p> <p>The favourite OUR DESTINY was under pressure passing the 600 metres finishing well back. When questioned rider C Thornton advised that the gelding was possibly feeling the effects of recent racing.</p> <p>HUNKY DORY was pulled up passing the 500 metres and did not jump the final two fences.</p> <p>SECOND IN COMMAND put in a poor jump at the final fence.</p>	

AMANPULO (M Mitchell) was inclined to run its fences down throughout.	
Race 2	FARMLANDS CO OPERATIVE HURDLES
<p>BALLYRINA (C Studd) and THE LAST AL (C Singer) were slow to begin. WEE BISKIT (D Miller) raced ungenerously when being restrained in the early stages. NO CREDIT (R Cully) jumped indifferently throughout. BALLYRINA jumped the fence approaching the 1000 metres poorly. WEE BISKIT made contact with the fence approaching the 900 metres losing momentum with the rider becoming unbalanced. At the same fence AFFAIRE D'HONNEUR (M Mitchell) put in a poor jump losing momentum. AFFAIRE D'HONNEUR and NO CREDIT were pulled up prior to jumping the final two fences when well back. BALLYRINA was retired from the race when passing the 500 metres. Rider C Studd advised the Stewards that after putting in a poor jump at the fence near the 1000 metres the mare had gone amiss when approaching the 500 metres so did not persevere pulling the mare up prior to jumping the final two fences. The mare underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any obvious abnormality. Trainer M Hamilton undertook to advise the Stewards if anything should show up in the ensuing days. HOUNDSCRY (K Veenendaal), WEE BISKIT, WAI NOT (M Cropp) and REAL TREASURE (S Phelan) all jumped the last two fences poorly when tiring.</p>	
Race 3	TEAM WEALLEANS HURDLES
<p>IT'S A MESSAGE (M Mitchell) began awkwardly. TRALEE (W Cafferty) put in a poor jump at the first fence. JACHIL (M Cropp) over-raced in the early stages. PARTY HORSE (D Miller) jumped indifferently throughout. TRALEE over-raced in the middle stages. TRALEE and IT'S A MESSAGE put in poor jumps at the 1800 metres and 1700 metres. JACHIL became tailed off passing the 1000 metres and was not persevered with for the remainder of the race. JULES VERNE (R Cully) became tailed off near the 400 metres and was pulled up prior to jumping the final two fences. D Miller the rider of PARTY HORSE was issued with a warning under Rule 638(3)(b), for excessive use of the whip.</p>	
Race 4	SWEENEY TOWNSEND ROTORUA & BAY OF PLENTY HUNT CUP
<p>STAINLEY began awkwardly with I Lupton losing the use of his left side stirrup iron until shortly after jumping the first fence. KRASE (K Veenendaal) put in a poor jump at the second fence. CALGACUS (M Cropp) hit the fence approaching the 900 metres. JOEROK (J Forbes) put in a poor jump at the fence near the 900 metres landing awkwardly with its rider becoming unbalanced. AROSE (W Cafferty) jumped the last two fences poorly losing momentum. STAINLEY was pulled up prior to jumping the last fence.</p>	
Race 5	AONGATETE COOLSTORES LTD 1950
<p>RATATUI (A Taylor) and ARAKI (S Collett) were both slow to begin. EVASIVE TRACY (C Grylls) and CHEQUESINTHEMAIL (A Forbes) both began awkwardly. Passing the 1500 metres CHEQUESINTHEMAIL commenced to lay in becoming awkwardly placed clipping a heel of BLACKWOOD (D Hain) and blundering dislodging rider A Forbes who was uninjured. Near the 1100 metres BLACKWOOD had to be steadied when crowded by the riderless CHEQUESINTHEMAIL.</p>	
Race 6	BURTON CONSTRUCTION LTD – FLAIR AMATEUR RIDERS SERIES
<p>CARINYA (K Peterson) began awkwardly losing ground. CISKAY (S MacNab) was slow to begin. DESI GIRL became fractious in the barriers beginning awkwardly losing considerable ground with rider R Goldsbury becoming unbalanced. R Goldsbury was spoken to by Stewards and her explanation was noted. ASWORTHY (S Wenn) was steadied shortly after leaving the barriers when crowded between ANYTHING GOES (S Fannin) which shifted in and VITALI (J McKay) which shifted out. Passing the 1400 metres HAPPY MAN (W Donald) was steadied when becoming awkwardly placed inside the heels of ANYTHING GOES. The saddle on VITALI commenced to shift forward passing the 1000 metres placing rider J McKay at a disadvantage. K Peterson the rider of CARINYA admitted a breach of Rule 638(3)(b) excessive use of the whip and was suspended for one day and fined \$100 and was also reminded of his obligations when striking his horse on the shoulder. S Fannin admitted a breach of Rule 638(3)(b), unnecessary use of the whip on ANYTHING GOES and was suspended for one day and fined \$100.</p>	
Race 7	T W MOORE LTD HIGHWEIGHT
YANGMING (S Phelan) was very slow to begin.	

XALTED (D Miller) was crowded shortly after leaving the barriers by **SPRING CHEER** (K Veenendaal) which shifted out and away from **CARBONADO** (W Cafferty) which was hanging out. **CARBONADO** then hung outwards for the remainder of the race.

Race 8 | **THE PATRONS 1200**

ASON (A Collett) began awkwardly making contact with **POGUE** (A Taylor) losing ground. **ASON** continued to be crowded for a short distance when **POGUE** was laying out.

A Collett the rider of **ASON** dropped her whip near the 250 metres.

Race 9 | **BALLANCE AGRI-NUTRIENTS 1200**

The start of this race was delayed due to a dog running loose on the course.

DAHLS DELIGHT (M Dee) and **HANNAH MARY** (B Grylls) began a little awkwardly.

WHITNEY SPICE (D Johnson) lay in under pressure inside the final 200 metres inconveniencing **ROCKY ROAD** (A Forbes).

When questioned into the performance of the favourite **ROCKY ROAD**, apprentice jockey A Forbes could offer no reason apart from the gelding possibly not being suited by today's very heavy track conditions.