STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: LEVIN RACING CLUB Date: Thursday 26th September 2013

Weather: Fine

Track: Heavy (10) upgraded to Slow (9) following Race 5.

Rail: Out 6 metres

Stewards: N Goodwin(Chairman), G Whiterod, B Bateup and L Tidmarsh

Typist: S Shirriffs

GENERAL:

Apprentice B Grylls did not attend the meeting due to injury.

SUPPLEMENTARY:

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: BUFFALO LASS, SINGLE GIRL, KEEPTHESECRET, TINKA TINKA, BONNY HEIGHTS, BAZINGER, ZINIKA,

ISHIAROSE, RED RUBY.

Suspensions: Race
Protests: Race

Fines: Race 7 A Taylor (ZINIKA) - \$200

[Rule 638(3)(b)] – excessive use of whip prior to the 200 metres.

8 Trainer S Crutchley (EARL OF DONCASTER) - \$50

Rule 616(2) – presenting a horse without notified gear (blinkers)

Warnings: Race 3 Trainer K Gray

6 [Rule 537(a)] – late declaration of rider (DIAMOND BELLE) and (PAIGE ME)

Bleeders: Race

Horse Actions: Race 2 DANCE IN THE PARK – veterinary clearance required

Medical Certificates:

Rider Changes: Race
Late Scratchings: Race

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 104.2 MORE FM 2YO – 800 METRES

JACKOFALL shifted out on jumping away, crowding ASTUTE, which lost ground.

FERNLIN was slow to begin.

Nearing the 200 metres **JACKOFALL** which was racing greenly when being ridden with vigour, shifted in and hampered **DON'T CHANGE** for a short distance. **JACKOFALL** and **DON'T CHANGE** came together and bumped again near the finish. Connections of the 3rd placed **DON'T CHANGE** viewed footage of the home straight but elected not to proceed with an objection against the 2nd placed **JACKOFALL**. J Riddell, the rider of **JACKOFALL** was advised that in future he is expected to straighten his mount quicker than he did on this occasion.

When questioned into the run of **FERNLIN**, rider J Parkes stated that the filly raced greenly but would improve with the experience.

Race 2 KAPITI NEWS MAIDEN – 2000 METRES

THORA BOB began awkwardly.

ST'RUTH and **AMIES ANGEL** came together and bumped at the start.

When questioned into the disappointing performance of **DANCE IN THE PARK**, which was under pressure some distance prior to entering the home straight, rider R Myers had no tangible excuse. A subsequent veterinary examination revealed a

heart fibrillation. Connections were advised that a clearance is required prior to DANCE IN THE PARK'S next start.

Race 3 NEW WORLD LEVIN MAIDEN – 1200 METRES

FLASH MAN shifted out abruptly on jumping away making contact with LET ME THINK.

FLASH MAN raced keenly in the early stages.

Shortly after the start **JOE BONANNO** when racing greenly shifted in and away from **KEEPTHESECRET** and in doing so tightened **DIAMOND BELLE**, which settled back.

WATCH YOUR MAN hung outwards throughout and dictated **SANJARA** wide near the 800 metres. WATCH YOUR MAN incurred a cut to the inside of the gum during the running.

When questioned into the run of **LET ME THINK**, rider D Bradley had no tangible excuse but was of the opinion the mare may be better suited to a longer distance.

Race 4 TRACKSIDE VILLAS – LEVIN MAIDEN – 1200 METRES

GO BEAUTY was slow to begin (3L).

SIR JASPER when racing keenly had to be steadied near the 800 metres when awkwardly placed on the heels of **MISS INTERPRETED**.

AMARETTA raced ungenerously throughout and was steadied when in restricted room near the 800 metres.

MIGHTY SOLOMON shifted out abruptly near the finish.

LAPSAGLO raced three wide without cover throughout.

Race 5 OTAKI CHRISTMAS AT THE RACES – LEVIN RACING CLUB HANDICAP – 1400 METRES

FLIPPANT was slow to begin.

REPLACE raced three wide without cover throughout.

D Bradley reported that **NGAWHINI** over-raced in a fresh state throughout.

JOJO was inclined to shift outwards in the home straight.

Following the running of this event the track was upgraded to Slow9.

Race 6 GRAEME BAGRIE CONTRACTS LTD HANDICAP – 1400 METRES

ROYAL VI began awkwardly and settled back.

PERSIAN DANCER jumped away awkwardly making bumping with WOW WHATA PRINCESS.

WOW WHATA PRINCESS raced wide without cover throughout and finished well back. A post-race veterinary inspection failed to reveal any abnormality. Trainer F Auret advised that he would spell **WOW WHATA PRINCESS**.

Apprentice jockey M Ulucinar the rider of **SHARBEELA** was shown video footage of his ride in the presence of senior rider D Walsh. M Ulucinar concurred with the stewards' observation that he displayed a lack of judgment on this occasion in placing his mount under pressure well before entering the home straight when a more patient ride could have been more advantageous.

Race 7 MADGE COACHLINES MAIDEN – 1600 METRES

MISS COMANECI raced three wide without cover throughout.

When questioned into the improved performance of the winner, **ZINIKA**, co-trainer C Taylor advised that the mare always had ability in his opinion, and the addition of a nose band was beneficial to its chances today.

When questioned into the disappointing performance of **VIEW**, rider H Tinsley could not offer any tangible excuse. Apprentice jockey A Taylor, the rider of the winner, **ZINIKA**, admitted a charge under Rule 638(3)(b) in that she used her

Race 8 O'MALLEYS SUPER LIQUOR LEVIN HANDICAP – 1600 METRES

whip excessively prior to the 200 metres and was fined the sum of \$200.

EARL OF DONCASTER was slow to begin.

EARL OF DONCASTER had to be eased going into the 800 metre turn when racing in restricted room to the inside of **PUMP UP THE VOLUME**.

GOLDEN MISS raced three wide without cover throughout.

Trainer S Crutchley was fined the sum of \$50 for presenting **EARL OF DONCASTER** in the enclosure without its notified gear (blinkers).

Race 9 B.S. YOUNG LTD HANDICAP – 1600 METRES

The race was held up due to a broken stirrup iron on **CEVICHE**, which had to be replaced.

MIBACHELORBOY dipped and went off stride passing the 800 metres when hanging out.

C Johnson (ZENNO ROLLS ROYCE) was advised to exercise care after he shifted out near the 350 metres hampering CEVICHE.