

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Greymouth Jockey Club	Date:	Saturday, 4 January 2014.
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Heavy 10		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	M Zarb (Chairman), N McIntyre, J McLaughlin.		
Typist:	Angela Keenan		

GENERAL:

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SUPPLEMENTARY:

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SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	SIR JACK REMINGTON, RED RIPPER, LAKERS BAY, MILK IT, FINTORRO, OUR ALCHEMIST, SCAPOLO, DUFFERS CREEK		
Suspensions:	Race		
Protests:	Race		
Fines:	Race	1	L McGregor (ALL GINGER) [Rule 619] – Changing vest – Fined \$100
Warnings:	Race	6	L Magorrian (REGALO REAAL) – warning whip use
Bleeders:	Race		
Horse Actions:	Race	2	GOOGLE ME - warning barrier manners
		8	BLACK BERRY PUNCH – Hung out in straight
Medical Certificates:			
Rider/Driver Changes:	Race		

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	GREYMOUTH STAR/COUPLAND'S BAKERY MAIDEN.
<p>Shortly after the start OTAUTAHI BOY shifted inwards. SEASONED GEM raced wide in the early stages. Approaching the 1300metres KIATERE which was racing keenly had to be steadied momentarily when crowded by LADY PRIVATEER which shifted inwards.</p> <p>KIATERE, ASSASSIN, OTAUTAHI BOY and SIR JACK REMINGTON all raced keenly in the early stages. KIATERE also raced wide in the early and middle stages.</p> <p>Approaching the 900metres ASSASSIN had to be steadied when crowded by OTAUTAHI BOY, which when racing keenly, shifting outwards away from the heels of SIR JACK REMINGTON which also lost ground when being steadied in front.</p> <p>Approaching the 600metres NEGEV raced in restricted room. SEASONED GEM hung outwards from the 600metres and weakened quickly from the 400metres.</p> <p>Rounding the home turn near the 300metres SIR JACK REMINGTON hung out. When questioned in regards to favoured runner ASSASSIN, rider D Bothamley, advised in his opinion the gelding failed to handle the tight nature of the track. Rider D Walsh (AREUFORREEL) reported his mount also failed to handle today's tight circuit.</p> <p>L McGregor, rider of ALL GINGER, admitted a minor infringement under Rule 619 in that she changed her vest after weigh out and rode in a different vest. She was fined the sum of \$100.</p>	
Race 2	RECREATION HOTEL RATING 65
<p>GOOGLE ME stood flat footed at the start and lost ground. Connections were advised that a warning would be placed against the gelding's barrier manners. GREYRAY and IVENOIDA raced keenly in the early stages.</p> <p>Approaching the 900metres KEEP A FORTUNE, which was racing keenly, had to be steadied and lost ground. IVENOIDA, which was following, was hampered as a consequence.</p> <p>Approaching the 500metres GOOGLE ME shifted outwards when endeavoring to improve.</p>	

BILL BREAKER was held up and unable to improve from the 500metres until near the 300metres.
Over the concluding stages **RIGHT ROYAL ROSE** had difficulty obtaining clear running and was eased momentarily before shifting inwards to improve.
When questioned in regards the performance of favoured runner **YIPSON**, rider A Frye advised after racing keenly in the middle stages the mount failed to respond when placed under pressure.
IVENOIDA lost its left front plate during the running.

Race 3 | **KEVIN LALOR MEMORIAL RATING 75**

UPPLAND underwent a pre-race veterinary inspection and was cleared to race - this delayed the start.
BACK BURNER and **KARAKA JACK** both jumped awkwardly and lost ground.
When questioned in regards to the performance of favoured runner **FLYNN**, rider D Walsh explained that the gelding was not suited by today's heavy weight and the fast pace of the race and in his opinion would appreciate more ground.
J Bates, rider of **MAYFLOWER**, reported his mount failed to handle today's heavy conditions.

Race 4 | **JACK CURRAGH MEMORIAL/GREG DALY REAL ESTATE MAIDEN.**

Shortly after the start **TATANKA** blundered after clipping the heels of **ZAH TART** which jumped awkwardly and shifted out.
DESERT VIEW raced fiercely in the middle stages.
GIVEIT TO JACK raced wide throughout.
Over the concluding stages **ZAH TART** was shifted inwards to obtain clear running.

Race 5 | **VERNON AND VAZEY RATING 65**

HUMADAKI and **DELZZUP** were slow at the start.
SHES ALL CLASS raced keenly in the middle stages.
Near the 150metres **INCONTROL** and **DO UNO WHOIAM** bumped.
Apprentice rider, J Wong reported **SHES ALL CLASS** had difficulty with today's tight circuit, hung out rounding the home turn and proved difficult to ride in the straight.

Race 6 | **MONTEITH'S BREWING COMPANY GREYMOUTH CUP.**

REGALO REAAL improved wide between the 700metres and 500metres.
Apprentice rider L Magorrian (**REGALO REAAL**) was issued with a warning in regards to the use of his whip prior to the 200metres.

Race 7 | **GREYMOUTH BUSINESSES SPRINT.**

HEZA KOOL KAT was a little slow to begin and then got his head up when being restrained near the 850metres.

Race 8 | **PARKLANE DECORATORS RATING 75.**

On jumping **KILLA QUESTION** was crowded between **DUFFERS CREEK** and **A BOB SHORT** which jumped awkwardly and shifted in.
KILLA QUESTION raced wide for the majority of the race.
In the straight **BLACK BERRY PUNCH** hung outwards when placed under pressure, finishing wide on the track. **DUFFERS CREEK**, who was racing on the outside of **BLACK BERRY PUNCH**, was forced wider in consequence.
When questioned in regards to the performance of favoured runner **A BOB SHORT**, trainer P O'Malley explained that the gelding was having its first start in near 3 months and would benefit from today's run.