

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Racing Rotorua	Date:	Sunday 26 July 2015
Weather:	Overcast		
Track:	Heavy(10)		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	B Jones (Chairman), J Oatham, W Robinson		
Typist:	P Laboyrie		

GENERAL:

Nil

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	MAGNA CARTA, TALLYHO TWINKLETOE, THE ARABIAN DUKE, RUSSIAN MAGIC, WOOSTER, LAUTARO, KINDALEICA, BLACKJACK MAN, THE TALISMAN
Suspensions:	Nil
Protests:	Nil
Fines:	Nil
Warnings:	Nil
Bleeders:	Race 5 CHINESE WHISPER – 3 month stand down, vet clearance required prior to trialing or racing next
Horse Actions:	Race 7 NOTHING – warning racing manners
Medical Certificates:	Clearances received from H McNeill, J Oliver and A Kuru
Rider Changes:	Race 2 AMANOOD LAD – D Miller for T Harris (unwell)
Late Scratching:	Race 8 BEYOND REACH – at 3.50 pm

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	PHELAN RACING STABLES HURDLE
<p>NGATIRA GOLD (M Mitchell) landed awkwardly after jumping the second fence.</p> <p>MAGNA CARTA (T Harris) misjudged the third fence.</p> <p>ZAVAMAR (C Studd) misjudged the fence near the 250 metres on the first occasion.</p> <p>VITALI (D Miller) was inclined to run its fences down throughout.</p> <p>ZAVAMAR and BIG MEADSY (A Kuru) were both retired from the race prior to jumping the second last fence when well beaten.</p> <p>VITALI badly misjudged the second last fence and blundered on landing losing considerable ground and momentum with the saddle shifting sideways.</p> <p>JUST COLLIE (E Farr) hit the last fence.</p> <p>VITALI lay out under pressure over the concluding stages.</p> <p>When questioned regarding the poor performance of ZAVAMAR rider C Studd advised that the gelding had failed to handle today's track conditions. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any abnormality.</p>	
Race 2	TOWNLEY TRENCHING & ELECTRICAL HURDLE
<p>Following race one T Harris advised that he was feeling unwell and was stood down by the on course doctor. T Harris was replaced by D Miller on AMANOOD LAD.</p> <p>ZENOCOIN (H McNeill) and LUCKY TONIGHT (M Mitchell) were both slow to begin.</p> <p>AMANOOD LAD began awkwardly shifting out crowding BRAVE BUCCANEER (S Phelan) and MONI NUI (E Farr) with MONI NUI losing ground.</p> <p>AMANOOD LAD over-raced in the early and middle stages.</p> <p>D'LLARO (A Kuru) and LUCKY TONIGHT (M Mitchell) both hit the fence near the 100 metres on the first occasion.</p> <p>AMANOOD LAD misjudged the fence near the 1050 metres.</p> <p>ISTIMAGIC (R Cole) was pulled up prior to jumping the final two fences when well beaten.</p> <p>D'LLARO hit the second last fence.</p>	

TALLYHO TWINKLETOE (M Gillies) ran down the final fence and landed awkwardly.	
Race 3	MILLS REEF WINERY & RESTAURANT 1950
GINGERBREAD MAN (S Wynne) and SOUTHERNMAN (R Elliot) were both slow to begin. THE ARABIAN DUKE (A Jones) raced wide without cover for the majority of the race. SOUTHERNMAN contacted the running rail near the 50 metres when laying in under pressure.	
Race 4	HOSPICE DINNER & AUCTION – 12 SEPT 3YO
UNDERTHEMOONLIGHT (A Jones) began awkwardly shifting out forcing WHITTAKER (S McKay) out on to KING BOLT (C Lammas) and DANICA (U Holmquist) with KING BOLT and DANICA losing ground. RUSSIAN MAGIC (T Thornton) lay in when placed under pressure in the final straight. When questioned regarding the performance of MADALYN rider C Grylls advised Stewards that the filly had failed to handle today's track conditions.	
Race 5	CHAPMANS BUFFET @ HOLIDAY INN ROTORUA 1200
FRODO (M Hills) and LADY QUASAR (A Jones) were slow to begin. WOOSTER (C Grylls) raced keenly in the early and middle stages, and then raced greenly in the final straight. DELLA LAMOUR (U Holmquist) and WOTUONABOUT (R Elliot) came together passing the 100 metres. CHINESE WHISPER (B Hutton) returned to the enclosure with blood present in both nostrils. A veterinary inspection including an endoscopic examination confirmed CHINESE WHISPER to have bled with the mare now being subject to the mandatory three month stand down from racing with a veterinary clearance being required prior to trialing or racing next. Trainer Mr T Mitchell advised that the mare would now likely be retired.	
Race 6	KNOX ENGRAVERS ROTORUA 1400
LAUTARO (S Wynne), REMIND ME AGAIN (B R Jones) and BORNINASANDPIT (C Grylls) were all slow to begin. BON MARCHE (C Lammas) and REMIND ME AGAIN came together on several occasions in the final straight when both runners shifted ground.	
Race 7	VERN & DORIS NICKEL MEMORIAL 1400
Shortly after the start NOTHING (J Oliver) commenced to race ungenerously having to be firmly restrained approaching the 1200 metres, and continued to prove difficult for the remainder of the race. When questioned rider J Oliver advised Stewards that NOTHING had locked its jaw and had been very difficult to control. The Stewards placed a warning on the racing manners of NOTHING .	
Race 8	MACMILLAN ACCOUNTANTS ROTORUA 1400
BEYOND REACH (J Oliver) was a late scratching on veterinary advice at 3.50 pm after suffering a laceration to the left stifle leaving the birdcage. TRICKLE DOWN (C Grylls) and CULLCH FORTY FIVE (S Collett) were both slow to begin. GOODN'TARG (M McNab) raced in restricted room rounding the bend near the 300 metres. HEY MR (P Holmes) was inclined to lay in when placed under pressure in the final straight.	
Race 9	ESCAPE TO RYDGES ROTORUA 2200
No racing incidents to report.	