

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Hawke's Bay Racing	Date:	Thursday, 16 July 2015
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Slow (9)		
Rail:	Out 11 metres		
Stewards:	N Goodwin (Chairman), J Oatham, L Tidmarsh		
Typist:	S Shirriffs		

GENERAL:

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SUPPLEMENTARY:

<u>STRATFORD RACING CLUB – Thursday 9 July 2015</u> Race 2 - Fieldtorque Taranaki Maiden and Race 3 - NZ Farmers Livestock/Regal Fern Lodge Rating 65 S Cookson, the Trainer of both KATIE O'CEIRAN (Race 2) and O'CEIRANS WHISPER (Race 3) reported that both runners underwent blood tests after performing disappointingly in their respective races with KATIE O'CEIRAN having a minor respiratory infection and O'CEIRANS WHISPER being all clear. S Cookson reported that both runners would be spelled for 10 days prior to resuming training.

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	DONNA BEEL, LUCKY EDIE, EARL'S COURT, TIGER TIM, BLUE WAGON, FORTUNE KEPT, O'REILLY'S GOLD, CHARLESTON GIRL.		
Suspensions:	Race		
Protests:	Race		
Fines:	Race		
Warnings:	Race		
Bleeders:	Race		
Horse Actions:	Race		
Medical Certificates:			
Rider Changes:	Race		
Late Scratchings:	Race	7	TEMPLE TIGER, at 10.30am, injured.

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	WATER SUPPLY PRODUCTS MAIDEN 3YO (1200 metres)
<p>MISS VARA began awkwardly. PERCY'S JAZZ and DREAMCRUZA were slow away. SASANOF'S HERO raced greenly near the 1000 metres and when being steadied shifted out abruptly. SASANOF'S HERO continued to race greenly for some distance. DIRTY BERTIE had to be steadied off heels near the 800 metres when the pace eased and DIRTY BERTIE continued to race greenly throughout. PERCY'S JAZZ raced wide without cover from near the 800 metres. DREAMCRUZA had to be straightened near the finish when inclined to shift ground under pressure. INTO THE WILD raced in restricted room for a short distance near the 200 metres. When questioned regarding the disappointing performance of MISS VARA, rider R Hannam could offer no tangible excuse other than the filly had a tendency to lay inwards throughout. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any abnormality.</p>	
Race 2	FRUITFED SUPPLIES 2YO DASH (800 metres)

BUFFALO BABE shifted out abruptly at the start tightening **SCOUT** which shifted into the line of **RED DUST**, which was tightened and got back.

ELLA LOUISE had to be steadied off heels approaching the home turn and taken wider to improve.

Race 3 | **PGG WRIGHTSON MAIDEN 1600 (1600 metres)**

STORMY HABIT and **EARL'S COURT** were slow away.

HAVATASTE got its head up when being steadied near the 1400 metres.

LYRIC'S WAY raced wide around the first turn when improving forward to lead.

PAMPAS PONY (T Johnson) over-raced in the middle stages and raced wide without cover for the majority of the event.

Apprentice Jockey T Johnson was shown footage of his ride in the presence of the riding master for educational purposes.

EARL'S COURT was held up rounding the turn near the 400 metres and when shifting outwards to obtain clear running near the 200 metres made contact with **DEEBEE BLACK**.

JO SO FINE made contact with the hind quarters of **REAL WINNERS** when attempting to obtain clear running near the 350 metres.

Race 4 | **FRUITFED SUPPLIES CUSTOMER SERVICES 1600 (1600 metres)**

SUGGEST GOLD and **HORIZON** were slow away.

ZED LEPELIN commenced to over-race when being restrained passing the 1400 metres and continued to over-race during the middle stages.

TIGER TIM over-raced early in the back straight and continued to race keenly after being allowed to improve forward.

HORIZON raced wide without cover throughout.

ZED LEPELIN was held up near the 400 metres and continued to be held up behind the weakening **PADDY OWEN** early in the home straight.

SEIGAL was held up entering the final straight and continued to have difficulty obtaining clear running until near the 200 metres.

DON'T BLAME BUSTER and **HORIZON** came together near the 50 metres.

When questioned into the disappointing performance of **LINCOLN PARK**, rider D Bradley reported that after being caught wide throughout, the gelding failed to let down when placed under pressure in the home straight.

Race 5 | **BALLANCE AGRI-NUTRIENTS LTD 1600 (1600 metres)**

HIPPIE was tightened at the start and got back when bumping with **GOLDYSOX**, which began awkwardly.

DUCATI and **ANOTHER BACHELOR** were slow away.

GOLDYSOX raced three wide without cover throughout.

DUCATI raced wide throughout.

PARTY GIRL and **BLUE WAGON** bumped several times in the home straight when both runners shifted ground under pressure.

HIPPIE and **CYCLONE TRACY** came together and bumped near the 250 metres and again a short distance from the finish.

Race 6 | **SYNGENTA CROP PROTECTION MAIDEN SPRINT (1400 metres)**

HONEY QUEEN and **SANDALLY** were slow away.

KIRRA BELLE hung throughout when racing in the lead.

FORTUNE KEPT was inclined to shift ground inwards in the home straight and had to be straightened when shifting in hampering **HONEY QUEEN** near the 200 metres.

FORTUNE KEPT raced greenly over the final stages.

Passing the 100 metres **HONEY QUEEN** shifted outwards across the heels of **FORTUNE KEPT** dictating **DE GAULLE** outwards inconveniencing **QUANTUM MAELSTROM**, which was laying in.

QUANTUM MAELSTROM raced greenly in the home straight.

S Collett had no tangible excuse for the disappointing run of **LUCKY TO BE COOL**. Stewards ordered a post-race veterinary examination of **LUCKY TO BE COOL** which did not reveal any abnormality.

Race 7 | **DOW AGROSCIENCES SPRINT (1200 metres)**

TEMPLE TIGER was a late scratching at 10.30 am after being injured on race morning.

CAUGHT BEHIND underwent and passed a veterinary inspection prior to the start.

KING SAMBO was slow away.

BALLYBAY had to be steadied away from **BOXAMOS** which lay in and away from **BUFFALO LASS** shortly after the start.

O'REILLY'S GOLD was momentarily held up near the 300 metres prior to being angled outwards to improve.

FASHION GURU became unbalanced near the 200 metres when shifting in and bumping **BALLYBAY**, which was inclined to lay inwards away from **HENI** which was improving to its outside.

KING SAMBO raced in restricted room passing the 100 metres.

BUFFALO LASS returned to the enclosure with blood present in a nostril. A subsequent veterinary inspection confirmed trauma consistent with having hit the front of its gate.

When questioned regarding the performance of **BOXAMOSA**, rider J Parkes was unable to offer any tangible excuse, advising that the gelding had travelled comfortably until placed under pressure when it had been unable to quicken. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any significant abnormality, finding small superficial nicks to the right foreleg.

Race 8

ADAMA WINTER SPRINT (1200 metres)

FOIBLES and **GOLAN EXPRESS** were slow away.

GOLAN EXPRESS raced wide throughout.

Following the running of race 8, D Bradley reported that his mount **THEODORE** pulled up sore. A subsequent veterinary inspection revealed possible soreness in the back. Connections advised that the gelding would spell.