STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Hawkes Bay Racing Inc Date: 27th June, 2015

Weather: Fine
Track: Slow 8
Rail: Out 7.5m

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

Typist: L Goodwin

GENERAL:						

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Nil			

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: COOLIBAH, BOY, GAGARIN, GREY GURU, ZARDETTO, MR MOR, VERACIOUS, SIR KINGSWOOD,

LED ZEPPELIN,

Suspensions: Race
Protests: Race

Fines: Race **D Jensen** (KINGIESSTAR)

[Rule 638(3)(b)] – Excessive use of whip – Fined \$300

Warnings: Race 7 C Grylls (RED THUNDER)

[Rule 638(1)(d)] – Shifting ground 1100 metres

Bleeders: Race
Horse Actions: Race

Medical Certificates: D Jensen - clearance received

Rider Changes: Race
Late Scratchings: Race

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 HAWKE'S BAY HUNT MAIDEN HURDLE

The respective gates of MAILLY (M Gillies) and THATS HOW WE ROLL (M Mitchell) were marginally slow to open as the start was made. Prior to the authorisation of dividends, stewards requested a ruling from the JCA as to whether MAILLY and THAT'S HOW WE ROLL had their chances of finishing in a higher placing affected by the start. After hearing evidence from riders, both Mitchell and Gillies were of the opinion the incident had little or no bearing on their finishing positions. Following a recommendation from the stewards the JCA declared both horses as starters.

NGATIRA GOLD (A Kuru) over-raced in the early stages and got its head up when being restrained.

MY MAGICIAN (G Walsh) had to be momentarily steadied going into the bend near the 1600m when **REVEAL** (R Cully) shifted in. R Cully was reminded of his obligation when shifting ground.

MY MAGICIAN landed awkwardly when jumping the fence near the 1200m and again at the second last fence.

LE BON FIN (R Cole) hit the fence near the 1100m.

I'LL'AVA'ALF (D Miller) ran down the last fence the landed awkwardly losing ground.

REVEAL was retired from the event in the home straight when well back and out of contention.

A subsequent post-race veterinary inspection failed to reveal any abnormality.

Rider D Jensen (KINGIESSTAR) admitted a breach of [Rule 638(3)(b)] in that he used his whip unnecessarily on his mount when well back and out of contention and was fined \$300.

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Race 2	MOIFAA MAIDEN HURDLE	

Prior to the start of Race 2 the starting stalls underwent testing.

LUCKY RUBY (D Miller) slowed up at the first fence and lost ground.

PREFECTLY RED (L Kennedy) and **ZA BRUTE** (M Cropp) collided at the second fence resulting in both runners landing awkwardly.

LUCKY RUBY fell at the second fence hampering **JUST ISHI** (G Walsh). **LUCKY RUBY** underwent a post-race veterinary inspection and was cleared of injury. Rider D Miller was examined by paramedics and was cleared to fulfil his remaining engagements.

PAYDAY (S Phelan) hit the fence hard near the 900m and then commenced to give ground rapidly.

MAGNA CARTA (M Mitchell) hit the fence near the 600m and blundered on landing.

JUST ISHI and TALLYHO TWINKLETOE (S Fannin) hit the last fence and lost momentum.

Race 3 TE WHANGAI ROMNEYS HAWKE'S BAY HURDLE

BRAVE BUCCANEER (C Studd) made the bend near the 2300m awkwardly.

THENAMESBOND (D Miller) and BRAVE BUCCANEER both hit the fence near the 1200m.

KINGS DEEP (R Cully) hit the fence near the 800m.

BRAVE BUCCANEER ran down the fence at the 600m inconveniencing **KINGS DEEP**. When questioned into the disappointing performance of **KINGS DEEP** rider R Cully reported that the gelding was under pressure from near the 800m and failed to run on as expected in the home straight. Stewards ordered a subsequent veterinary examination of **KINGS DEEP** which did not reveal any abnormality.

PROLOGUE (A Kuru) returned to the enclosure with blood present in both nostrils. A subsequent veterinary inspection confirmed the gelding to have bled.

Race 4 BIRCHLEIGH POLO CLUB DUKE OF GLOUCESTER CUP

ALL IN BLUFF (J Lupton) was slow to begin.

DANCE IN THE PARK (S Barlow) was slow to begin (4 Lengths)

REGAL STEPS (R Simpson) raced wide without cover rounding the first bend.

CRIMSON PRINCE (M Northcott) commenced to give ground rapidly near the 500m and was further hampered when racing in restricted room between **SANJARA** (M Roustoby) and **REDEEM** (M Wallace)

REDEEM made the final bend awkwardly and shifted in dictating **REGAL STEPS** into the line of **SANJARA** which was momentarily hampered.

The saddle on **TEDDYTWINKLETOES** (S MacNab) shifted forward near the 1400m placing the rider at a significant disadvantage for the remainder. During this incident the lead bag was dislodged and as a result **TEDDYTWINKLETOES**, which finished well back, did not carry its allocated weight so was therefore disqualified under [Rules 648 (3)/647(1)]

Race 5 JUST A SWAGGER HAWKE'S BAY HUNT MAIDEN CHASE

TIZZA SECRET (M Gillies) raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

JIMMY CAT (S Fannin) slowed up and lost ground at the fence near the 1200m.

ZARDETTO (A Kuru) shifted in abruptly after jumping the fence at the top of the straight and hampered **TIZZA SECRET**.

ZARDETTO then ran the last fence down further hampering **TIZZA SECRET**.

Race 6 ANIMAL HEALTH DIRECT HAWKE'S BAY STEEPLECHASE

SNODROPTWINKLETOES (S Fannin) got its head up and raced ungenerously shortly after the start.

MISTER DEEJAY (M Cropp) was inclined to run down its fences through the early and middle stages.

SNODROPTWINKLETOES and **UPPER CUT** (D Miller) bumped approaching the fence at the 800m.

UPPER CUT blundered after jumping the fence at the 800m and lost several lengths.

Race 7 TARADALE CLUB MAIDEN SPRINT

EMBRACEABLE YOU (V Gatu) jumped inwards abruptly leaving the barriers hampering **VITALIA** (J Parkes) which lost ground.

LULU BELLE (K Smith) began awkwardly losing ground.

A short distance after the start **QUEENOFHARPZ** (J Riddell), **LYRIC'S WAY** (L Hemi) and **EMBRACEABLE YOU** (V Gatu) were tightened when **ALLEZ VOUS** (M Singh) shifted inwards marginally. M Singh was shown footage of his ride and was advised to exercise care.

MALONE (H Tinsley) had to be steadied off the heels of **RED THUNDER** (C Grylls) which crossed when not clear near the 1100m. C Grylls was issued with a warning.

Race 8 WAIROA WANDERERS PREMIER WINTER HANDICAP

SEA EAGLE (V Gatu) was slow away.

LUCKY FEATHER (D Bradley) over-raced in the early stages when wide.

YES (C Grylls) disappointed finishing well back after being under pressure some distance out. Rider C Grylls could offer no explanation. A subsequent veterinary examination revealed an elevated respiratory /heart rate with a poor post-race recovery. Trainer G Old advised that the gelding would undergo blood tests in the coming days with the results to be advised.

ROCKY (L Hemi) was inclined to shift ground under pressure in the final straight and had to be straightened.

Race 9 SPRING CARNIVAL STARTS 29 AUGUST SPRINT

HEY MR (V Gatu) jumped out abruptly leaving the barriers hampering **SIR KINGSWOOD** (N Teeluck) and **YIN DRAGON** (L Hemi).

JUSTLIKEYASISTER (R Hannam) shifted out on jumping bumping heavily with LIL MER (K Smith).

SIR KINGSWOOD over-raced in the early stages.

Race 10 TRINITY HILL WINTER HANDICAP

When the start was affected, the barrier blanket on **ZED LEPPELIN** (R Hannam) remained on the gelding over the first few strides prior to becoming dislodged. No other runner was affected by the dislodged blanket. Starter R Ripikoi was addressed by the Stewards and acknowledged a breakdown in communication between himself and barrier attendants. **LAWRIES IMPACT** (L Hemi) raced wide without cover throughout.

LED ZEPPELIN raced wide throughout.

Shortly after entering the home straight **MARTINEZ SPECIAL** (J Parkes) shifted in abruptly when struck with the whip bumping **HOT SPOT** (N Teeluck) which became unbalanced. Prior to the authorisation of dividends the connections of the fourth placed **HOT SPOT** considered lodging an objection against the third placed **MARTINEZ SPECIAL** but after viewing video footage elected not to proceed.

SHE'S POPPY (R Goldsbury) raced in restricted room for a short distance near the 300m.

PONEKE (K Smith) steadied of the heels of **ZETOW** (M Dravitzki) near the 250m.

When questioned into the performance of **EXCUSE ME BAYBEE** rider C Grylls could offer no tangible excuse. A post-race veterinary examination failed to reveal any abnormality.

Race 11 HAWKE'S BAY RACING MEMBER'S WINTER FINALE

SUSSED (J Shackleton) jumped out abruptly leaving the barriers severely hampering **CELTIC BOY** (M McNelis) **SUPER SCOT** (K Smith) was slow to begin.

THE QUIET MAN (R Hannam) raced three wide without cover.

When questioned into the performance of **OUR KING SWAY** rider H Tinsley could offer no excuse. A post-race veterinary examination failed to reveal any obvious abnormality but the gelding returned to the enclosure minus the near front plate.