STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Rotorua Racing Club Date: Saturday 9 May 2015

Weather: Fine
Track: Heavy(11)
Rail: True

Stewards: J Oatham (Chairman), M Williamson, W Robinson, L Tidmarsh

Typist: P Laboyrie

GENERAL:

No issues to report.

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: SINGLE SHOT, TAIPA TIGER, KEEPING TOM, ILLUMINATI, JACQUI ICKX, PUMP UP THE VOLUME,

MISS MOSSMAN, PEACEFULEASYFEELIN, FASCINATION STREET, PLATINUM WITNESS,

THORNBIRD LASS

Suspensions: Nil Protests: Nil

Fines: Race 1 Mr S McKee HOT LADY

\$50 [Rule 537(a)] Late declaration of rider

2 A Tata VICKI ANNE

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

3 Mr J Williams ARITE GURU

\$50 [Rule 537(a)] Late declaration of rider

Warnings: Nil Bleeders: Nil

Horse Actions: Race 2 IMPATIENT DREAMS – vet cert required prior to racing next

Medical Certificates: Neurological clearance received covering E Farr

Required from S Phelan

Rider Changes: Nil

Late Scratchings: Race 2 FIELD DAZE – at 11.58 am, no available rider

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 TOWNLEY TRENCHING & ELECTRICAL 1950

WEE BISKIT (D Bradley) was slow to begin.

BOKKA (C Grylls), **THE TALISMAN** (C Lammas) and **SUZERAIN** (M Cameron) all began awkwardly before being crowded when **BROTHER BAM BAM** (V Gatu) shifted outwards abruptly with **BOKKA** and **THE TALISMAN** losing ground.

SIR MANAWA (R Myers) and **MINTED BLACK** (R Smyth) both began awkwardly.

ZAH OFF (D Johnson) raced keenly in the early stages becoming awkwardly placed on heels for a distance near the 1600 metres.

SUZERAIN over-raced for a distance passing the winning post on the first occasion.

BROTHER BAM BAM over-raced in the early to middle stages.

HOT LADY (A Collett) over-raced in the middle stages.

SINGLE SHOT (M Hills) raced keenly for a distance through the middle stages shifting off heels approaching the 1000 metres. **LADY JESSICA** (U Holmquist) was briefly crowded between runners entering the final straight near the 300 metres.

EL DISPARO (S Collett) lay out under pressure in the final straight.

Race 2 LOCHINVER STATION HIGHWEIGHT

FIELD DAZE was declared a late scratching at 11.58 am as rider S Karnicnik had not arrived on course after experiencing transport delays, and there was no replacement rider available. S Karnicnik was questioned after arriving on course with his explanation being accepted.

BAHHTON (E Farr) was removed from the barriers after becoming fractious, undergoing a veterinary examination before being passed fit to run.

GAGARIN (M Gillies), IMPATIENT DREAMS (S Phelan) and TIFFANY'S (T Harris) were all slow to begin.

VICKI ANNE (A Tata) was hampered leaving the barriers.

IMPATIENT DREAMS ran off passing the 800 metres. After leaving the area of the course proper when attempting to be brought under control by its rider, **IMPATIENT DREAMS** lost its footing and fell. Rider S Phelan was attended to by ambulance personnel for a finger injury requiring x-ray which subsequently confirmed a small fracture to a finger. S Phelan was advised that a medical clearance would be required prior to riding next. When questioned, S Phelan advised that **IMPATIENT DREAMS** had commenced to feel indifferent in its action prior to running off. **IMPATIENT DREAMS** was attended to by the course veterinarian requiring treatment as it was lame in the right hind leg. Trainer Mrs K McQuade was advised that a veterinary certificate of fitness would be required prior to the gelding racing again.

Race 3 FIBER FRESH-CELEBRATING 30 YEARS 3YO

SOMBREUIL (M Coleman) was removed from the barriers after becoming fractious to undergo a veterinary examination before being passed fit to run.

SOMBREUIL was slow away.

TORNADO ALLEY (L Innes) over-raced when being restrained passing the 1200 metres.

WON TON (U Holmquist) had to be steadied off heels when awkwardly placed passing the 900 metres.

When questioned regarding the poor performance of **TAKEN THE LIBERTY** (C Grylls) and **AMBER RAYNE** (R Smyth) the respective riders were both of the opinion that their mounts had failed to cope with today's very testing track conditions.

Race 4 BURTON CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE LTD 1560

TRONIC ROSE (A Collett) and BROADWALK (R Myers) were both slow away.

TRONIC ROSE commenced to over-race near the 1200 metres, and continued to do so through the middle stages.

Race 5 CRAIG THOM MEMORIAL 1200

HYSTERIA LANE (M Coleman) began awkwardly making contact with the hind quarters of **NECTACOLECTA** (D Johnson) losing ground.

STRALIS (R Schistl) began awkwardly losing ground.

AIRWORTHY (R Myers) was a little slow to begin.

HYSTERIA LANE shifted outwards approaching the 200 metres inconveniencing ELETIST (C Grylls).

A post-race veterinary examination of AIRWORTHY found the mare to have a poor recovery rate with an elevated heart rate.

Race 6 CAMPBELL INFRASTRUCTURE ROTORUA CUP

INTRANSIGENT (K Smith) was very slow to begin (5L).

SEA EAGLE (C Lammas) began awkwardly.

SPRING CHEER (R Myers) and PUMP UP THE VOLUME raced in restricted room passing the 2000 metres.

SEA EAGLE came under pressure near the 1200 metres, failing to respond to its rider's urgings becoming tailed off. C Lammas advised that the mare had failed to cope with today's testing track conditions. A post-race veterinary examination of **SEA EAGLE** did not reveal any abnormality.

Race 7 METALCRAFT ROOFING 1400

RED KING (L Innes), SWEETAZCUZ (B R Jones) and PEACEFULEASYFEELIN (A Jones) were all slow to begin.

ROCKNROLLA (S Collett) began awkwardly.

PEACEFULEASYFEELIN was inconvenienced near the 150 metres when improving onto the heels of COMMETT (M Cameron).

Race 8 WINDSOR PARK STUD ROTORUA STAKES

ETERNITY (D Johnson) made the first turn awkwardly having to be steadied away from the heels of THE FILLY (M Hills).

C Grylls (QUEENS ROSE), L Innes (THE KNIGHT'S QUEEN) and M Cameron (STAR O'FRAAJ) both advised that their respective mounts had failed to handle today's track conditions once placed under pressure.

THE FILLY lost the right front plate during the running.

Race 9 KIDS STAY & EAT FREE@RYDGES ROTORUA 1400

ELROI (M Coleman) was slow to begin.

ST SATURNIN (S Collett) began awkwardly.

ROCKET QUEEN (M Hills) was hampered soon after leaving the barriers losing ground.

KLITSCHKO (C Grylls) was crowded soon after leaving the barriers.

FEELIN THE LOVE (L Innes) lay in under pressure across the heels of **OOMPA** (A Jones) passing the 150 metres inconveniencing **HOT SPOT** (R Myers).