

# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



## MEETING DETAILS:

<b>Club:</b>	WELLINGTON RACING CLUB	<b>Date:</b>	Saturday 25 April 2015
<b>Weather:</b>	Fine		
<b>Track:</b>	Dead 6		
<b>Rail:</b>	Out 10 metres		
<b>Stewards:</b>	N Goodwin (Chair); G Whiterod and B Bateup		
<b>Typist:</b>	P Penketh		

## GENERAL:

No issues to report.
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## SUPPLEMENTARY:

Nil
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## SUMMARY:

<b>Swabbing:</b>	<b>DARCI MAC; HOVER; DANCER'S TALE; ROCK BAND; FIGURAC; REGAL STEPS; ETERNITY; HEZA REBEL</b>		
<b>Suspensions:</b>	Race		<b>N TEELUCK (PASS IT ON)</b> – careless riding – suspended from 1 May until close on 16 May – 4 days [(Rule 638 (1) (d))]
<b>Protests:</b>	Race	3	<b>SILVER BUBBLES (4<sup>th</sup>) vs PASS IT ON (2<sup>ND</sup>)</b> - dismissed
<b>Fines:</b>	Race		
<b>Warnings:</b>	Race		
<b>Bleeders:</b>	Race		
<b>Horse Actions</b>	Race	1	<b>ELUSIVE BEN</b> – racing manners
<b>Medical Certificates:</b>	<b>B LAMMAS</b> – received		
<b>Rider Changes:</b>	Race		M McNelis was stood down due to illness following race 3 and replaced as follows:
		5	<b>KEWZERO</b> – replaced by D Mo
		6	<b>FRUITION</b> – replaced by N Teeluck
<b>Late Scratchings:</b>	Race		

## RACE COMMENTS:

<b>Race 1</b>	<b>HIREMASTER MAIDEN</b>
<b>PERSERVERE (L Allpress)</b> began awkwardly and settled back. <b>DAN CUGAT</b> and <b>BEN'S LEGACY</b> both over-raced in the early stages when being steadied into trailing positions. <b>ELUSIVE BEN (L Hemi)</b> hung outwards when racing onto the course proper and lost contact with the remainder of the field finishing a distant last. Trainer <b>A Bidlake</b> was advised that a warning would be placed on the horse's racing manners. When questioned regarding the run of <b>FAALTLINE, H Tinsley</b> said he was of the opinion the gelding, having its first start since September, would benefit from the run.	
<b>Race 2</b>	<b>MILLS REEF WINERY 2YO</b>
<b>ALWAYS READY (M Dravitzki)</b> began a little awkwardly and settled back. <b>THE AXE (S Doyle)</b> hung outwards in the home straight.	
<b>Race 3</b>	<b>GAZLEY HANDICAP</b>
<b>FLOSCEES GOLD (K Myers)</b> and <b>HENI (R Myers)</b> were both away awkwardly. <b>HENI</b> then commenced to race keenly in the early and middle stages. <b>PASS IT ON (N Teeluck)</b> shifted out a significant distance in the home straight under hard riding dictating <b>SILVER BUBBLES (L Chiong)</b> and <b>HENI</b> over considerable extra ground.	

<p>Prior to the authorisation of dividends the connections of the 4<sup>th</sup> placed <b>SILVER BUBBLES</b> lodged a protest against the 2<sup>nd</sup> placed <b>PASS IT ON</b> alleging interference inside the final 100 metres. The JCA, after hearing all evidence dismissed the protest and placings stood.</p> <p><b>N Teeluck</b> subsequently admitted a charge of careless riding under Rule 368 (1) (d) and had his jockey's licence suspended from the close of racing on 1 May 2015 until the close of racing on 16 May 2015 (4 days).</p> <p>When questioned regarding the run of <b>PLATINUM LINCOLN</b>, <b>D Bradley</b> was of the opinion that the gelding was feeling its joints. Connections advised they would assess the geldings future. <b>M McNellis</b> advised Stewards he was feeling the effects of the flu suffered during the week so was stood down for his remaining rides.</p>	
<b>Race 4</b>	<b>JOHN TURKINGTON FORESTRY HANDICAP</b>
<p><b>ROCK BAND (K Smith)</b> began awkwardly and got back.</p> <p><b>THE BEAUT (K Chiong)</b> raced wide without cover for the majority</p> <p>Prior to the declaration of dividends the Stewards requested a ruling as to whether <b>PICCADILLY (K Myers)</b> received a fair start after being very slow away. After viewing the evidence the JCA declared the horse did receive a fair start and was therefore confirmed a runner.</p> <p>When questioned into the run of <b>BEAU AGEN</b>, <b>R Goldsbury</b> advised that the gelding felt lethargic throughout. Trainer <b>C Eagle</b> advised the gelding may now be freshened prior to next racing.</p>	
<b>Race 5</b>	<b>TRENTAM ARMY CAMP TRIBUTE 3YO</b>
<p><b>BUSHFIRE (L Hemi)</b> jumped outwards abruptly at the start hampering <b>FIGURACE (H Tinsley)</b> which settled back as a result. <b>OCEAN EMPEROR (K Myers)</b> over-raced in the lead throughout.</p> <p><b>POROTENE DIVA</b> had to be steadied when racing adjacent to the outside fence at approximately the 200 metre mark after racing up onto the heels of <b>OUTSPOKEN (K Chiong)</b> which shifted out.</p> <p><b>BUSHFIRE</b> had to be angled out when racing in restricted room near the 250 metres and then tended to lug out over the final 200 metres.</p> <p>A post-race veterinary examination of <b>OCEAN EMPEROR</b> which failed to finish the race off as expected, did not reveal any abnormalities. Rider <b>K Myers</b> advised the gelding over-raced when in the lead and had failed to settle, having little left when asked to produce in the home straight.</p>	
<b>Race 6</b>	<b>WELLINGTON MOUNTED RIFLES REMEMBRANCE MAIDEN</b>
<p><b>KEEN TEMPO (R Goldsbury)</b> bounded at the start but recovered quickly to lead.</p> <p><b>MASTER JACK (L Allpress)</b> hung out shortly after the start hampering <b>NITRO TED (B Lammas)</b> which settled back.</p> <p><b>MASTER JACK</b> and <b>REGAL STEPS (K Myers)</b> raced keenly in the early stages.</p> <p><b>AWESOME PRINCESS (K Smith)</b> was tightened shortly before straightening when attempting a marginal run between <b>PAMPAS PRINCESS (H Tinsley)</b> racing to its inside and <b>YOU'LL DO ME (D Mo)</b> to its outside. As a result <b>AWESOME PRINCESS</b> had to steady and change ground to the inside to find clear room.</p>	
<b>Race 7</b>	<b>ZEPHYR CONSULTING HANDICAP</b>
<p><b>SOU'EAST (L Hemi)</b> was slow to begin. (3 lengths)</p> <p><b>WRITTEN COMMAND (R Hannam)</b> raced three-wide without cover throughout.</p> <p><b>R Hannam</b> was reminded of his obligations with regard to his whip use prior to the 200 metres.</p>	
<b>Race 8</b>	<b>TUI-BACKING A WINNER SINCE 1889</b>
<p><b>LET'S (R Goldsbury)</b> and <b>ATHENRY (D Mo)</b> were both slow away.</p> <p><b>OUTOFTIME (K Chiong)</b> raced wide without cover throughout.</p> <p>A charge of excessive use of the whip prior to the 200 metres under Rule 638 (3) (b) was laid against apprentice <b>N Teeluck (ADRIENNE)</b> and adjourned to a time to be confirmed to allow rider <b>Teeluck</b> to confer with his employer, trainer <b>K Zimmerman</b>.</p>	