# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



#### **MEETING DETAILS:**

Club: Avondale Jockey Club Date: Wednesday 17 September 2014

Weather: Overcast Track: Heavy (10) Rail: 9 Metres

**Stewards:** A Coles (Chairman) J Oatham, P Kinsey

Typist: M Gemmell

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SUPPLEMENTARY:

### **SUMMARY:**

Swabbing: NANCYLEE, ALL ZEDIN DONE, STEFFI'S SECRET, SEA OF SPEED, KNIGHT COURT,

CHECKOUTTHEMISSES, NIGHEAN, BELIAL, BLUE STREAK, EL SPARKY

Suspensions: Race Protests: Race

Fines: Race 9 D Nolan BULLDOZER

Excessive use of the whip [Rule 638(3)(b)] fined \$150

Race 10 A Schwerin SCHOLES

Excessive use of the whip [Rule 638(3)(b)] fined \$150

Warnings: Race
Bleeders: Race
Horse Actions: Race

Medical Certificates: Received for R Smyth

Rider Changes: Race Late Scratching: Race

#### **RACE COMMENTS:**

Ash Street 2000

**EL CORBY** (J Oliver) began awkwardly.

**COOLIBAH** (M Du Plessis) shifted outwards on jumping away inconveniencing **NANCYLEE** (D Johnson) which made contact with **EL CORBY**.

**COOLIBAH** and **CORNELIUS** (K Leung) raced keenly when being restrained in the early stages.

**EDWARD THE EIGHTH** (M Cameron) had to be steadied when crowded for room by **EL CORBY** near the 1700 metres. J Oliver was advised to exercise care.

**COOLIBAH** hung outwards rounding the final turn with **CARBONADO** (S Spratt) shifting away from that runner hampering **EL CORBY** which had to steady when becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of **NANCYLEE**. **COOLIBAH** continued to lay out in the straight.

Race 2 Tulloch Café 2000

SIR AL SYD (R Norvall) was crowded when leaving the barriers having to be steadied.

BAD TASTE (V Colgan) got its head up and over-raced when being restrained in the early stages.

CAPTAIN EARNIE (M Wenn) over-raced in the early stages.

CHLOE KEEPER (S McKay) raced wide without cover until improving forward to sit outside the leader near the 800 metres.

**ALL ZEDIN DONE** (J Oliver) and **INA JAM** (M Du Plessis) both lay out under pressure in the final straight finishing wide out on the track.

C Dell reported that his mount IZZANORANGE had made abnormal breathing noises.

Race 3 Avondale Business Centre 1400

BELINDA'S GIRL (R Norvall) was slow away and continued to lose ground over the initial stages.

**BELINDA'S GIRL** commenced to over-race on a moderate pace near the 1000 metres and improved forward to sit outside the leaders racing three wide without cover. **BELINDA'S GIRL** then ran wide rounding the final turn taking **STEFFI'S SECRET** (U Holmquist) wider on the track.

AMBER RAYNE (R Smyth) shifted outwards abruptly near the 200 metres having to be straightened by its rider.

When questioned into the performance of the favourite **HIGH TAIL IT** Rider M Cameron advised the mare travelled well until being placed under pressure early in the final straight, failing to respond. He also indicated that the mare had pulled up well and could offer no excuses. A post race veterinary examination did not reveal any abnormality.

Race 4 Sandy Lane Development 1200

**ELFEE** (D Johnson) began awkwardly.

THEWAYYOURAVE (K Leung) was slow away.

**SEA OF SPEED** (S Collett) was steadied when awkwardly placed inside the heels of **MARY QUANT** (M Coleman) near the 900 metres.

LOS VARGAS (M Sweeney) raced three wide without cover.

MARY QUANT shifted inwards under pressure near the 200 metres inconveniencing LOS VARGAS.

LOS VARGAS went off stride and ducked inwards passing the 50 metres.

Race 5 Elm 1200

**NO TRICKS** (M Cameron) began very awkwardly and shifted inwards abruptly badly hampering **PARISDOTCON** (M Sweeney) which was crowded on to the hind quarters of **SISTERHOOD** (M Du Plessis). **NO TRICKS** then blundered, further hampering **PARISDOTCON** which lost ground.

Race 6 Rosebank 1200

**NULLA CREEK** (S Spratt) and **ALL THE WAY** (M Du Plessis) began awkwardly and came together with both runners losing ground.

DYLAN DE LAGO (O Bosson) began awkwardly making contact with CHECKOUTTHEMISSES (J Wong).

**SNOW CHARM** (D Johnson) over-raced in the early to middle stages when inclined to get its head up.

**CAILEAG** (K Joyce) raced wide throughout.

Near the 400 metres **DYLAN DE LAGO** shifted out and away from **CHECKOUTTHEMISSES** inconveniencing **CAILEAG**.

The favourite **AZ GIVEN** (M Cameron) raced handy until the 400 metres and then when placed under pressure failed to respond and was not persevered with over the final 200 metres. When questioned, M Cameron advised the mare may be feeling the effects of recent racing. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no obvious abnormalities. Trainer L Anderson advised the mare would now be spelled.

Race 7 Main Street Avondale 1200

ZAH BEST (J Wong) began awkwardly hampering DIAMOND CITI (C Dell).

JAFA JILL (K Joyce) began awkwardly.

**ZAH BEST** hung outwards throughout the race.

The favourite **JUST ENUFF** (L Innes) raced mid field in the early stages but was quickly beaten when placed under pressure passing the 400 metres and was not persevered with. Jockey L Innes was unable to offer any explanation. A subsequent post-race veterinary examination revealed a small laceration to the off hind fetlock. Stable representative also advised that they believed **JUST ENUFF** got its tongue over the bit during the running.

Race 8 Saintsco 1200

BIGGIN HILL (D Nolan) began a little awkwardly.

**BIGGIN HILL** had to be firmly restrained to avoid the heels of **EEZEMOOVA** (U Holmquist) which was steadied near the 700 metres. When being restrained **BIGGIN HILL** shifted outwards hampering **DELVEEN** (D Johnson).

**DOLORES O'RIORDAN** (C Dell) raced mid field but was quickly under pressure approaching the 300 metres and was not ridden out for the remainder of the race. A post-race veterinary examination failed to reveal any obvious abnormalities. Trainer C Evans advised that the mare would not be persevered with as a racing proposition.

Race 9 Avondale Appliance Centre 1400

**DRAW THE LINE** (R Hutchings) began awkwardly crowding **ISTIMAGIC** (J Oliver) on to **MAKERS MARK** (M Cameron). **KING PANAMERA** (V Colgan) over-raced in the early stages.

The connections of **DRAW THE LINE** which finished second instigated a protest alleging interference by the winner **BLUE STREAK** (R Smyth) in the final straight. After hearing evidence from the connections of both runners and the Stewards the protest was dismissed.

**D Nolan**, the rider of BULLDOZER, was charged under Rule 638(3)(b) excessive use of the whip and fined the sum of \$150.

## Race 10 Battersby Funeral Services 1400

After charging the front of its barrier stall **GOLD VAULT** (S Collett) was removed from the starting gates to undergo a veterinary examination, being passed fit to run.

GOLD VAULT began awkwardly making contact with ZUCCHERO (M Du Plessis).

CHASING AMY (M Sweeney) began awkwardly.

EL SPARKY (J Wong) was slow away.

When questioned into the performance of the favourite **CHASING AMY** Rider M Sweeney could offer no reason for the mare's performance. Trainer M Murdoch advised that the mare would now be spelled.

**A Schwerin**, the rider of SCHOLES, was charged under Rule 638(3)(b) excessive use of the whip and fined the sum of \$150.