

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	WELLINGTON RACING CLUB	Date:	Saturday 11 April 2015
Weather:	Cloudy		
Track:	Slow 9		
Rail:	Out 10 metres		
Stewards:	N Goodwin (Chairman); R Neal; B Bateup and L Tidmarsh		
Typist:	P Penketh		

GENERAL:

No issues to report.

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Nil

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	JUST A LOVER; HOVER; SHE'S SLINKY; FLOSCEE'S GOLD; ROCK BAND; SANJARA; JACKFROST; TAURUS; FIGURAC		
Suspensions:	Race		
Protests:	Race	6	AWESOME PRINCESS 3rd v. REGAL STEPS 2nd – upheld
		7	RUNNING LATE 2nd v JACKFROST 1st – dismissed
Fines:	Race		
Warnings:	Race	6	R Hutchings - careless riding Rule 638 (1) (d)
Bleeders:	Race	9	CORNWALL – stood down for three months
Horse Actions	Race		
Medical Certificates:			
Rider Changes:	Race		
Late Scratchings:	Race		

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	SAVARIA CUP
ANGELICA ROX (R Hutchings) was inclined to shift outward under pressure in the home straight resulting in the rider having to swap his whip into the right hand in an attempt to rectify the filly's tendency.	
Race 2	MARKY MARK CUP
SHOCKTILLYOUDROP (M Dravitzki) was slow to begin and was then further hampered by HOVER (J Riddell) which shifted in abruptly.	
JACQUETTA (R Hutchings) hung outwards throughout the final straight having to be straightened on a number of occasions.	
SHOCKTILLYOUDROP raced greenly when placed under pressure in the final straight.	
ELECTRIC AURA (M McNab) was inclined to hang inwards in the early stages of the home straight and then raced in restricted room near the 100 metres.	
Rider K Myers reported that PLATINUM LOOKER was never comfortable in the track conditions.	
Race 3	DANICA GUY RACING GAULTIER CUP
MR DARCEE'S GOLD (K Chiong) and PLATINUM LINCOLN (M McNab) were slow to begin.	
STUNNING PRINCESS (K Myers) began awkwardly.	
PASHA SUMORE (M Dravitzki) shifted outwards near the 400 metres dictating PLATINUM LINCOLN wider on the track.	
Rider M McNab (PLATINUM LINCOLN) accidentally dropped his whip approaching the 200 metres.	
STUNNING PRINCESS lay out under pressure near the 100 metres having to be steadied when awkwardly placed near the heels of SHE'S SLINKY (L Hemi) .	

Race 4	SACRED STAR CUP
<p>THANQUE was slow to begin and was then further hampered when SABER shifted in on jumping.</p> <p>THE SHEIK (M McNab) and PAUA EYES (C O'Beirne) came together on jumping away.</p> <p>MARQUATEER (M Dravitzki) and RED BORDEAUX (R Goldsbury) bumped heavily leaving the barriers, with MARQUATEER becoming unbalanced losing ground.</p> <p>When questioned into the run of THE SHEIK rider M McNab reported the gelding raced greenly and was inclined to shift ground outwards under pressure in the home straight.</p>	
Race 5	MAYGROVE CUP
<p>EYEFUL TOWER (J Parkes) shifted inwards leaving the barriers crowding LOVE ME MOORE (R Hutchings) in onto MICHELIN (K Myers) which had to be steadied.</p> <p>ROCK BAND (K Smith) was slow to begin.</p> <p>DIAMOND THORN (M McNab) hung inwards in the home straight. M McNab was reminded of his obligations and he is expected to ride his mounts out fully to the line and leave nothing to query. Stewards were satisfied that on this occasion his failure to do so did not compromise his chances of finishing in a higher position.</p>	
Race 6	DAL CIELO CUP
<p>ZARTAN (M Dravitzki) was tightened leaving the barriers between AWESOME PRINCESS (K Smith) which shifted outwards and SANJARRA (K Myers) which shifted inwards.</p> <p>REGAL STEPS (R Hutchings) got its head up when being restrained in the early stages.</p> <p>Prior to the authorisation of dividends the connections of the 3rd placed AWESOME PRINCESS lodged a protest against the 2nd placed REGAL STEPS alleging interference near the 100 metres. After hearing all evidence and submissions the JCA upheld the protest and placings now read 6-7-2-1-9-10. R Hutchings was issued with a warning with the advice that he straightens his mount sooner than he had on this occasion.</p>	
Race 7	THE DIAMOND ONE CUP
<p>JACKFROST (R Hutchings) was tightened at the start and settled back.</p> <p>JACKFROST had to shift inwards across heels near the 200 metres to obtain clear running.</p> <p>Near the 50 metres RUNNING LATE and JACKFROST bumped when both runners shifted ground.</p> <p>Prior to the authorisation of dividends the connections of the 2nd placed horse RUNNING LATE lodged an objection against the winner JACKFROST alleging interference near the 50 metre mark. The JCA, after hearing all evidence and submissions dismissed the protest.</p> <p>Rider K Myers reported the track was too heavy on this occasion for TEDDYTWINKLETOES.</p>	
Race 8	PUCCINI CUP
<p>DON'T GLOAT (S Doyle) jumped away awkwardly.</p> <p>WEISSMULLER (K Chiong) raced three-wide throughout.</p> <p>MAROTIRI MISS (J Parkes) was unable to find clear racing room for the majority of the home straight.</p> <p>When questioned on the run of DON'T GLOAT, rider S Doyle reported the gelding did not handle the track conditions.</p> <p>R Hutchings could offer no excuses for the performance of COSMIC CUBE.</p>	
Race 9	EL CHEAPO CARS
<p>FIGURAC (H Tinsley) and MOI OH MA (M McNab) were both slow to begin.</p> <p>HEZA REBEL (R Goldsbury) over-raced in the middle stages.</p> <p>ONE KAY (D Mo) was held up near the 400 metres and had to change ground inward in order to obtain clear racing room.</p> <p>Rider R Hutchings (PASS IT ON) accidentally dropped his whip near the 100 metres. PASS IT ON was then inclined to hang outwards over the final stages and could not be ridden out fully.</p> <p>CORNWALL was eased down over the final stages and returned to the enclosure having bled from both nostrils. A subsequent veterinary examination confirmed the gelding as a bleeder and connections were advised that the gelding would now be subject to the mandatory three month stand down period.</p>	