# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



#### MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Avondale Jockey Club Wednesday 18 February 2015 Date:

Weather:

Track: Dead(4), upgraded to Good(3) after Race 1

Rail

**Stewards:** A Coles (Chairman), M Williamson, P Kinsey

Typist: M Gemmell

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SUPPLEMENTARY	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
SUMMARY:	
Swabbing:	REINE DE TOUT, SOMETHINGVAIN, MONGOLIAN STORM, WEALTH PRINCE, SNOW PETAL,
	PROMISES, WHAKATANE

**Suspensions:** Race

**Protests:** Race

Fines: Race

Warnings: Race

**Bleeders:** Race

**Horse Actions:** Race

**Medical Certificates:** 

**Rider Changes:** Race **Late Scratching:** Race

#### RACE COMMENTS:

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**RED RED WINE** (R Smyth) and **FLYING SKIRT** (T Thornton) were slow to begin.

**STELLAR WAY** (C Lammas) began awkwardly losing ground.

Approaching the 900 metres **FLYING SKIRT** had to steady when awkwardly placed.

**BLISS STREET** (S Spratt) had to steady off the heels of **RED RED WINE** passing the 600 metres when racing ungenerously.

**GLAMAZON** (M Cameron) hung out around the final bend.

**CHAPRISE** (M Coleman) was briefly held up early in the final straight.

When questioned into the performance of the favourite GLAMAZON Rider M Cameron advised that the filly had had a nice trip through the early and middle stages but when placed under pressure was unable to quicken and could offer no other reason.

Race 2 **NZB Insurance Pearl Series Race 1400** 

MIDNIGHT HOUR (M Coleman) and SNAPTOIT (O Bosson) were both crowded when leaving the barriers between WINDERMERE LASS (M Cameron) and SOMETHINGVAIN (S Spratt) which had both shifted ground when beginning awkwardly with **MIDNIGHT HOUR** losing ground.

YOU ARE AMAZING (M Sweeney) and IFFITEL (T Thornton) came together when leaving the barriers with YOU ARE **AMAZING** becoming unbalanced and losing ground.

**SNAPTOIT** over-raced in the early to middle stages.

IFFITEL and YOU ARE AMAZING both had to be steadied off heels when over-racing passing the 1000 metres.

**YOU ARE AMAZING** had to steady when racing in restricted room to the inside of **MIDNIGHT HOUR** which lay in passing the 800 metres.

YOU ARE AMAZING raced greenly over the final 200 metres.

When questioned into the performance of **SNAPTOIT** Rider O Bosson advised the Stewards that the filly was unsuited by the early tempo the race was run at but was unable to offer any other reason for the filly's performance.

MIDNIGHT HOUR received veterinary attention for a minor laceration to the right fore leg.

# Race 3 Isle of Man 1981 NZ Derby Winner 1600

**VOLDINI** (A Jones) and **THORNBURY** (R Smyth) were both slow to begin.

**IRISH GEM** (S McKay) was crowded and hampered when leaving the barriers between **THE GOOD DUKE** (T Abel) and **MIA ROSE** (U Holmquist) both of which had begun awkwardly with **MIA ROSE** continuing to shift in hampering **THE GOOD DUKE** which made contact with **BACHELOR BRAVE** (Z Moki) unbalancing that runner.

**BACHELOR BRAVE** was a little slow to begin.

PERFECT ROSE (J Whiteside) over-raced in the early and middle stages.

**THORNBURY** had to steady when awkwardly placed on the heels of **VOLDINI** dropping back on to **IRISH GEM** which had to be firmly restrained for a short distance near the 600 metres.

### Race 4 Arrow Security & Protection 1200

**BE YOURSELF** (S Collett) began awkwardly and shifted in crowding **SOVEREIGN** (S Spratt) which had to steady losing ground.

QUICK ANSWER (C Grylls) began awkwardly losing ground.

**SOVEREIGN** raced a little ungenerously when being steadied in the early stages.

ALMIGHTY SUN (M Cameron) over-raced for a distance approaching the 800 metres when being steadied.

**RIGHT SAID FRED** (T Thornton) over-raced for a distance passing the 800 metres.

**BE YOURSELF** over-raced for a distance passing the 700 metres and shifted out to avoid heels.

**RIGHT SAID FRED** was held up for a short distance early in the final straight.

## Race 5 NZB Insurance Pearl Series Race 1600

**SNOW PETAL** (M Du Plessis) shifted in when leaving the barriers crowding **OUR KISMET** (M Coleman) on to **OUR SERAFINA** (R Smyth) which was hampered and forced in on to the hind quarters **DE KENSINGTON OVAL** (O Bosson) which became unbalanced. **OUR SERAFINA** lost ground as a result.

**OUR KISMET** and **DREAMWORLD** (Z Moki) both raced keenly in the early to middle stages on a slow tempo.

### Race 6 Red Diamond Racing 1600

**DASHIN** (T Thornton) shifted in making contact with the barrier gate forcing it in on to **MIZ OLDFIELDS ROAD** (P Holmes). On return to the enclosure it was observed that **MIZ OLDFIELDS ROAD** had sustained a minor laceration above the eye which required veterinary attention.

MIZ OLDFIELDS ROAD was crowded and steadied soon after leaving the barriers when awkwardly placed.

**STAIRWAY** (S Spratt) raced keenly for a distance when being steadied passing the 1400 metres.

#### Race 7 Battersby's Funeral Services 1400

**WHAKATANE** (L Innes) was inconvenienced shortly after jumping away.

MARCIANO (M Du Plessis) and BRASSONI (T Thornton) both over-raced for a distance in the early stages.

**ZEUS** (M Cameron) got its head up passing the 1100 metres when being restrained off the heels of **BRASSONI**.

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