STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Wairarapa Racing Club Date: Friday 6th February 2015

Weather: Fine Good (3) Rail: True

Stewards: R Neal (Chairman); N Goodwin and B Bateup.

Typist: P Penketh

GENERAL:

SUPPLEMENTARY:

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: EYESONYOU; SKYWARDS; WILLS ROAD; PLATINUM DRAGON; IRION; TIE ME DOWN; ARROW IN

THE SAND; BENZINI; IRISH CHAT

Fines: Race 5 C Grylls CAULFIELD

[Rule 330 (3) (c)] – Unable to make required weight – Fined \$100.00

Suspensions: Race
Protests: Race
Warnings: Race

Bleeders: Race
Horse Actions: Race

Medical Certificates:

Riding Changes: Race 5 K Myers replaced G Grylls on PHOENIX TYCOON – unable to make weight

Late Scratchings: Race

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 THE WAIRARAPA TIMES AGE 1000

FRANCOME (G Grylls) was held up for a short distance rounding the home turn.

Rider C Grylls reported that **FRANCOME** had been inclined to race greenly in the early part of the final straight taking some time to unwind into its finishing run.

Race 2 BLAIR STEVENS NZR REAL ESTATE MAIDEN

CASH DEAL (H Tinsley) jumped out at the start hampering FRANKLYMYDEAR (K Smith) which lost ground.

CASH DEAL then had to be steadied when racing greenly approaching the first turn.

FRANKLYMYDEAR made contact with the rail near the 1100 metres when racing greenly.

SHANKLY (R Myers) lay out rounding the final turn.

Race 3 PROPERTY BROKERS 1400

PLATINUM COMMAND (D Bradley), RIPE (B Lammas) and CAFE CULTURE (H Tinsley) were slow away.

IRISH STRINGS (K Smith) over-raced in the early stages.

CAULFIELD (R Myers) raced three-wide without cover throughout.

WILLS ROAD ducked in abruptly passing the 100 metres.

When questioned regarding the run of **PLATINUM COMMAND**, **D Bradley** reported that after settling back from a wide draw the filly had been unable make any discernable ground.

Race 4 KURIPUNI SPORTS BAR WAIRARAPA RACING CLUB 150TH JUBILEE PLATE

SCIMITAR (J Parkes) was tightened shortly after jumping away when HYPERVELOCITY (C Grylls) shifted out.

Race 5

TUI BACKING A WINNER SINCE 1889 MILE

PETITE BRIGITTE (M Cameron) began awkwardly and lost ground.

MAKO (H Tinsley) raced wide without cover throughout.

MISS BENCI (R Goldsbury) improved onto the heels of PHOENIX TYCOON (K Myers) passing the 700 metres and had to be steadied.

R Myers was cleared to continue riding by medical personnel after being dislodged from MAE WEST on pulling up.

Race 6

PIONEER FINANCE WAIRARAPA THOROUGHBRED BREEDERS' STAKES - Listed

ARROW IN THE SAND (R Myers) shifted out shortly after leaving the barrier crowding MAGIC TRICKS (B Lammas) out onto THE LAST SHOWER (J Parkes) which was buffeted and lost ground.

When questioned on the tactics adopted on **MOOZOON** which established a discernible lead in the middle stages, rider **H Tinsley** reported that his instructions were to race outside the leader or in front. However, once in the lead the mare commenced to over-race and failed to settle through the middle stages of the race, resulting in her having little left when pressured.

When questioned regarding the improved performance of the winner **TIE ME DOWN** which ran last at its previous start, trainer **R Bergerson** was of the view that the mare had been better suited by the genuine tempo of today's race. A post-race veterinary examination of **MAGIC TRICKS** which appeared to be short in its action over the line revealed no abnormalities.

Race 7

FARMAN TURKINGTON FORESTRY WAIRARAPA CUP

PIRINITETE fell and dislodged rider **K Smith** during the preliminary. Both horse and rider were cleared to start at the barrier.

LADY PLATINUM (K Myers) and MISS ANA (M Dravitzki) were slow to begin.

LADY PLATINUM had some difficulty obtaining clear running in the early part of the home straight.

When questioned regarding the performance of **DUQUESA**, rider M Cameron stated the mare travelled well throughout but when placed under pressure failed to respond and was disappointing. A post-race veterinary examination of **DUQUESA** revealed no abnormality.

Race 8

THE MARQUIS HOTEL CATERTON 2050

LINCOLN'S SUNSET (D Bradley) was slow away.

MR CHEVALIER (K Myers) failed to make the first turn correctly and hung out impeding ANNIEVEGAS (C Grylls) for a short distance.

MICHELIN (R Myers) pulled hard outside the leader in the early and middle stages.

IRISH CHAT (B Lammas) raced three-wide in the early stages and near the 1300 metres shifted in and bumped with **SHEEZABABE (J Parkes).**