# STIPENDIARY STEWARD'S REPORT



#### **MEETING DETAILS:**

Club: Woodville-Pahiatua Racing Club Date: Saturday, 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2015

Weather: Fine
Track: Good(2)
Rail: True

**Stewards:** L Tidmarsh(Chairman), R Neal and B Bateup

**Typist:** P Penketh

#### **GENERAL:**

Rider J Parkes advised Stewards that he was still suffering from the effects of yesterday's fall at Tauherenikau and was unable to attend the meeting today.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY:

# AUCKLAND RACING CLUB - 26th December 2014

#### Race 9: ZABEEL CLASSIC 2000 metres

Subsequent to this race, Trainer Mr D Hayes reported that upon returning to his training facility,

**WEREGOINGTOGETCHA** had suffered a bout of colic and dehydration which resulted in the horse being treated at Massey University.

#### **SUMMARY:**

Swabbing: THE BEAUT; BENOIT; VEININSKY; MAXSSISTAR; NIPPIN

Suspensions: Race Nil Protests: Race Nil

Fines: Race 1 N Teeluck STAR EMERALD

[(Rule 638 (3) (b)] Unnecessary use of the whip – fined \$200

Warnings: Race Nil Bleeders: Race Nil

**Horse Actions:** Race 2 INA CANTA – must trial before next racing.

**Medical Certificates:** 

**Rider Changes:** Race 1 THE BEAUT – R Myers replaced J Parkes (Injured)

**2 ENSHRINE** – M Dee replaced J Parkes

3 COURT A RIPA – R Myers replaced J Parkes

Late Scratchings: Race 2 INA CANTA – at 1.53pm on veterinary advice

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**MAGIC TRICKS** – at 3.35pm on veterinary advice

## **RACE COMMENTS:**

### Race 1 TUI 'BACKING A WINNER SINCE 1889' STAYERS

**LORD CASANOVA** (B Lammas) shifted out leaving the barriers hampering **TWILIGHT DOLL** (V Johnston) which lost ground.

MYMINKCOAT (R Hannam) and STAR EMERALD (N Teeluck) came together leaving the barriers.

SINGAPORE GIRL (C O'Beirne) was slow to begin.

**STAR EMERALD** over-raced in the lead through the early and middle stages.

Apprentice rider N Teeluck admitted a breach of Rule 638(3)(b) in that he used his whip unnecessarily on STAR

EMERALD over the final 150 metres when not in contention. After considering all submissions, the Judicial Committee

imposed a fine of \$200.

# Race 2 TARARUA CLUB JUVENILE

**INA CANTA** (J Riddell) was declared a late scratching at 1.53pm after the colt became fractious in its barrier stall, rearing over and escaping before being recaptured. Trainer G Vile was advised that **INA CANTA** must trial to the satisfaction of Stewards before next racing.

**ENSHRINE** (M Dee) charged its barrier gate prior to the start and was removed, undergoing a veterinary examination and declared a late scratching at 1.55pm as it had sustained an abrasion to the left eye.

As a result the start of this race started 8 minutes late.

**NAKI GIRL** (V Johnston) had to be steadied near the 500 metres when awkwardly placed to the inside of **CHARKEE** (D Bradley).

# Race 3 TERI DYERS/CROWLEY FORGE MASTER FARRIERS LTD DASH

**VEININSKY** (J Shackleton) and **OUR DELIGHT** (V Johnston) came together leaving the barriers after both runners had begun awkwardly.

**ENDURE** (H Tinsley) shifted outleaving the barriers.

FANCY NANCY (R Hannam) raced three-wide without cover throughout.

**OUR DELIGHT** hung outwards rounding the bend near the 400 metres.

**LANZARA** (C O'Beirne) was held up for some distance near the 350 metres and had to be angled inwards near the 200 metres to obtain clear running.

**VEININSKY** was steadied when improving up onto the heels of **FANCY NANCY** near the 300 metres, with **VEININSKY** then having to shift ground outwards across that runner's heels to obtain clear running.

When questioned regarding the performance of **COURT A RIPA**, rider R Myers was of the opinion the mare may be better suited to a rain affected track.

# Race 4 MCI & ASSOCIATES DASH

**REMATCH** (R Goldsbury) lay out leaving the barriers inconveniencing **SAMOGON** (R Hannam).

**RATPACK** (R Myers) lay in under pressure near the 150 metres placing **SAMOGON** and **POROTENE RIPA** (M Dee) in restricted room.

Stewards questioned apprentice rider M Dee regarding his apparent lack of vigour over the final 100 metres on **POROTENE RIPPA**. Rider M Dee in response stated that **POROTENE RIPPA** had come to the ends of its run and had little left to offer. Stewards advised apprentice Dee that while **POROTENE RIPPA** may have been battling at that point of the race it nonetheless was still in possible contention for a minor stake bearing position. Apprentice Dee was told that in the Steward's view he had erred by not pursuing **POROTENE RIPPA** at this point of the race. In conclusion, the Stewards determined that notwithstanding apprentice Dee relaxing his ride, this had not compromised the chances of **POROTENE RIPPA** of finishing in a better position.

#### Race 5 PRENTERS READY MIX CONCRETE SPRINT

**MAGIC TRICKS** (M Dee) was declared a late scratching at 3.35pm on veterinary advice after the mare made heavy contact with the barrier prior to loading.

**CATWOMANDU** (K Myers) lay out under pressure passing the 150 metres.

### Race 6 GOLDEN BAY CEMENT METRIC MILE

This event was delayed 4 minutes late due to the field arriving at the barriers behind schedule and several runners proving difficult to load.

**CRACKLING ROSIE** (M Dee) over-raced in the early and middle stages.

**PIT A PAT** (R Myers) raced three-wide without cover passing the 1200 metres before being improved to sit outside the leader near the 800 metres.

**TAIPA TIGER** (K Myers) was held up early in the final straight and when being angled outwards near the 200 metres to obtain clear running, bumped with **CRACKLING** ROSIE which was briefly unbalanced.