

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Ashburton Racing Club	Date:	Monday, 20 th October 2014
Weather:	Overcast		
Track:	Dead (4)		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	J McLaughlin (Chairman), N McIntyre, S Renault		
Typist:	C McMullan		

GENERAL:

Nil

SUPPLEMENTARY

Nil

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	MY CHINO
Suspensions:	Nil
Protests:	Nil
Fines:	Nil
Warnings:	Nil
Bleeders:	Nil
Horse Actions:	Nil
Medical Certificates:	Nil
Rider Changes:	Nil
Late Scratchings:	Nil

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	YOUNG MICHELLE MEMORIAL RATING 85 (2100m)
<p>PHEASANT and COMMANDING OAK were restrained to the rear on jumping. ASTROTURF raced keenly for a short distance after the start. COMMANDING OAK over raced into the first bend and lay outwards. SOLDIER OF LOVE made the crossing awkwardly near the 1600 metres. WOODYEVA over raced for a distance passing the 1400metres. Passing the 900 metres FLYNN was steadied off heels and faltered ,being retired from the event shortly thereafter. FLYNN was attended to by the veterinarian and humanely euthanised. Near the 550 metres PHEASANT blundered. Passing the 100 metres WOODYEVA lay inwards having to be straightened. JIMMY THE ONE was eased over the concluding stages with rider L Callaway reporting the gelding had failed to handle the prevailing track conditions.</p> <p>Following this race riders expressed concerns with the entire track circumference, stating they had no confidence to ride competitively with the shifty nature of the track. Upon inspection by Stewards, trainer and rider representatives, and club officials, Stewards determined that the meeting would be abandoned for safety reasons.</p>	