# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



### **MEETING DETAILS:**

Club: Woodville-Pahiatua Racing Club Date: Thursday, 15 October 2015

Weather: Fine
Track: Dead (5)
Rail: True

Stewards: G Whiterod (Chairman), N Goodwin, B Bateup

**Typist:** S Shirriffs

#### **GENERAL:**

Lee Magorrian was unable to attend the meeting due to medical reasons. A medical clearance is required prior to his next race day ride.

### **SUPPLEMENTARY:**

Nil			

#### **SUMMARY:**

Swabbing: KATIE O'CEIRIN, PERFECT MIX, KONOHIKI, ISOLA BELLA, WONDERBAR, GOODSAV, STORMY

RAY, GOLDEN BAY, CHINA STAR.

Suspensions:RaceProtests:RaceFines:RaceWarnings:RaceBleeders:RaceHorse Actions:Race

Medical Certificates: L Magorrian – required

**Rider Changes:** Lee Magorrian was replaced as follows:

Race 4 QUEENOFHARPZ – R Hannam
7 I'MA COLOMBIAN – D Mo
8 DONNA BEEL – D Turner

9 DA BEAST – S Wynne

Late Scratchings: Race

### RACE COMMENTS:

# Race 1 THE FLOAT FACTORY STAYERS (2100 metres)

TONY SOPRANO underwent a veterinary inspection and was passed fit to race after being fractious in its gate.

**HIP HOORAY** was slow away.

**OUR SPICE** and **MOORISH** bumped at the start.

**GREAT GURU** and **KATIE O'CEIRIN** raced keenly early.

**ALTIPLANO** raced three wide without cover throughout.

**TONY SOPRANO** was held up for a short distance passing the 400 metres.

**PAMPAS PONY** shifted out under pressure over the final stages.

KINGS KITE raced wide throughout.

BLACK IZIAH failed to stay and finished a distant last. Trainer T Dravitzki advised that the gelding would now be spelled.

Race 2 CALTEX WOODVILLE STAYERS (2200 metres)

**SANJARA** was slow away.

**PERFECT MIX** lugged inwards throughout.

**ZEDBEE** was under pressure from near the 1000 metres and finished some distance last despite the rider's urgings. When questioned, R Hannam was of the opinion that the gelding would be better suited to a more rain-affected track.

### Race 3 THE ROB CHRISTIAN HANDICAP (1100 metres)

**AWESOME DIVA** began awkwardly and was slow away after being fractious in its gate.

**POSTER GIRL** and **CAUGHT BEHIND** were tightened and lost ground at the start when there was movement from runners either side.

**LINCOLN STREET** was slow away.

**LIME STREET** had to be steadied going into the first turn when racing keenly.

**AUDEN** raced three wide without cover throughout and then made the 400 metre turn awkwardly.

# Race 4 NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE (1200 metres)

**CRAFTY CRIM** began awkwardly and settled back (3L).

MANEO INVICTUS jumped sideways at the start bumping with KEEP US HAPPY which settled back.

**PLATINUM MONARCH (D Bradley)** shifted in near the 800 metres when over-racing and this resulted in **MAYBE BABY** having to be steadied and the filly also shifted in placing **KEEP US HAPPY** in difficulties for a short distance. **D Bradley** was shown video footage of the incident and advised to exercise more care when in a similar situation.

When being corrected KEEP US HAPPY shifted out and momentarily hampered LADY PETEALI and DIVERSITY.

QUEENOFHARPZ was held up in the home straight prior to being angled in near the 200 metres to improve.

LEDBURY shifted in and away from QUEENOFHARPZ near the 200 metres and momentarily hampered MAYBE BABY.

# Race 5 MARSH RACING SPRINT (1200 metres)

PINDY'S SECRET began awkwardly and was slow away (5L).

WONDERBAR began awkwardly and was slow away.

WESTERN raced keenly in the lead and had difficulty making the 400 metre bend when being inclined to shift out.

**WONDERBAR** was held up for a short distance near the 400 metres prior to gaining clear running in the home straight.

**CASAQUINMAN** hung inwards in the home straight and had to be straightened near the post.

O'CEIRINS CHOICE was held up early in the home straight until near the 250 metres.

Rider R Myers reported that **SIDART** pulled up short in the near foreleg. Stewards ordered a subsequent veterinary inspection which revealed indications of muscle injury in the cranial left shoulder.

#### Race 6 OSSIAN MILLER SPRINT (1200 metres)

**RAWINIA** was slow away.

MARA NA EIRE had to be momentarily steadied when GOODSAV improved to its outside near the 200 metres.

Near the top of the straight **RAWINIA** lay out and away from **CASTLE OF BOOM** which shifted out resulting in **FALCONS REACH** being bumped. **FALCOLNS REACH** then shifted in near the final 50 metres and made further contact with **RAWINIA**. Connections of the 5<sup>th</sup> placed **FALCONS REACH** viewed footage of the home straight with a view to protesting against the 4<sup>th</sup> placed **RAWINIA**, but elected not to proceed.

**SIR HIKO** raced wide without cover throughout.

**BELLONTHEROCKS** raced three wide without cover throughout.

### Race 7 SCALETEC WEIGHING TECHNOLOGY 1400 (1400 metres)

WAITUNA HEIGHTS was slow away.

AL MUNROE was tightened at the start when runners either side shifted ground.

**DREAMCRUZA** raced greenly in the early stages and made contact with the running rail near the 900 metres.

**STORMY RAY** was observed to be racing greenly on the home turn and was held up for a short distance behind the leader until able to secure clear running near the 300 metres.

I'MA COLOMBIAN raced greenly and shifted ground inwards under pressure in the home straight.

Ride A Jones reported that her mount, LADY QUASAR hung out and raced wide throughout.

### Race 8 PUKEMANU FARMS SPRINT (1400 metres)

**B Hutton**, the rider of **SLIMLINE** lost the use of his irons on jumping away placing him at a disadvantage for the remainder of the race. B Hutton advised that the saddle slipped when the mare began awkwardly resulting in him becoming unbalanced then losing his irons.

PERONI was tightened at the start and settled back when runners either side shifted ground.

LINCOLN PARK settled back.

**WAIPATIKI GIRL** was awkwardly placed in restricted room on the home turn and had to be steadied to avoid heels and this resulted in **LINCOLN PARK**, which was following, also being hampered for a short distance.

**SOUTHERN SECRET** lay out rounding the 400 metres bend dictating **DOING TIME** wider on the track.

PERONI had to be steadied near the 350 metres when angled for a run which did not eventuate.

**GODZILA GIRL** raced greenly in the straight and shifted in abruptly near the 200 metres bumping **WAIPATIKI GIRL** and **PERONI**. **PERONI** and **WAIPATIKI GIRL** raced in restricted room over the concluding stages.

# Race 9 MURRAY CONTRACTORS HANDICAP (1600 metres)

THE QUIET MAN was tightened and got back at the start when runners either side shifted ground.

**KEWZERO** was slow away.

**KEWZERO** raced wide throughout.

**ALL GINGA** had to steady off the heels of **GOLDYSOX** when that runner shifted in near the 800 metres.

**SAVARHYS** raced in restricted room for a short distance near the 50 metres.

**DAL LAUREON** had to steady when **JANDAKOT** shifted out under pressure over the final stages.

When questioned into run of **THE QUIET MAN** rider D Bradley was of the opinion the gelding would be better suited to a more rain affected track.