

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Avondale Jockey Club	Date:	Monday, 25 April 2016
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Dead (5), upgraded to Dead (4) after Race 1		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	A Coles (Chairman), J Oatham, M Davidson, B Jones		
Typist:	M Gemmell		

GENERAL:

D Johnson was unable to attend today's meeting due to being injured at the Auckland Racing Club meeting on Saturday 23 April 2016.
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SUPPLEMENTARY:

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SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	BRONZEGATE, FOUR DEGREES, THE SNOW QUEEN, DIVORCEE, MYSTERY SHOW, IRISH GEM, CLASSIC WARRIOR, PLAYBOY PRINCE
Suspensions:	Race 7 S Spratt NOVELTY Careless riding 400 metres [Rule 638(1) (d)] Suspended 1/5 – 14/5/16 inclusive, 5 days.
Protests:	Nil
Fines:	Nil
Warnings:	Nil
Bleeders:	Nil
Horse Actions:	Race 5 FULLY PUMPED. Must barrier trial to satisfaction of Stipendiary Steward prior to racing next.
Medical Certificates:	Nil
Rider Changes:	Race 1 ALMARIE. S Collett replaced D Johnson (injured) Race 2 CARDINAL SIN. M Coleman replaced D Johnson Race 4 MONEY TRAIL. L Innes replaced D Johnson Race 5 FULLY PUMPED. C Grylls replaced D Johnson Race 7 MEDICINE MAN. S Collett replaced D Johnson Race 8 LADY CONRAAD. B Hutton replaced D Johnson
Late Scratching:	Race 5 FULLY PUMPED. Refusing to enter barrier, 3.23pm

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	Graeme Thomson Antique Jewellery 1600
HANDLES (T Wenn) began awkwardly and was slow away.	
DAS BLUES (C Grylls) jumped away awkwardly before being further hampered and crowded losing ground.	
HANDLES over-raced when being restrained near the 1200 metres. DAS BLUES then had to be steadied to avoid the heels of HANDLES .	
NAMBASSA (S Spratt) shifted inwards away from HIGH FINANCE (G Cooksley) making contact with the hind quarters of QUAALUP (M Coleman) passing the 1000 metres.	
HIGH FINANCE raced three wide without cover.	
HOUGHTON (A Collett) shifted out under pressure making contact with NAMBASSA with that runner shifting away making contact with DAS BLUES forcing that runner wider on the track passing the 250 metres. HOUGHTON then continued to lay	

out for the remainder of the race.	
Race 2	AJC Members 2100
<p>BE YOURSELF (Z Moki) jumped away awkwardly, getting its head up losing ground.</p> <p>GOSHAWK (R Jones) over-raced in the early stages.</p> <p>CENTILLY (A Collett) lay out rounding the turn near the 600 metres.</p> <p>GOSHAWK had to be steadied when held up near the 500 metres and shifted inwards briefly crowding READY TO RUMBLE (A Sims).</p> <p>KAURI MAN (U Holmquist) was held up until shifting in across heels to obtain clear running passing the 300 metres.</p> <p>READY TO RUMBLE and FOUR DEGREES (S McKay) were held up early in the final straight.</p> <p>SUPER MARIO (M Cameron) shifted outwards under pressure over the final 100 metres making slight contact with FOUR DEGREES just short of the finish.</p> <p>When questioned into the performance of BE YOURSELF Rider Z Moki advised that the gelding had lay in throughout the race and had proved difficult to ride but could offer no other reason for the gelding's performance.</p> <p>GOSHAWK lost the left hind plate during the running.</p>	
Race 3	Avondale Sunday Markets 2100
<p>THENAMESBOND (Z Nor Azman) over-raced outside the leader in the early and middle stages.</p> <p>DEVIANT MISS (A Collett) had to be firmly restrained passing the 1100 metres when awkwardly placed inside the heels of MAASHKA (H Moki).</p> <p>THE SNOW QUEEN (M Cameron) shifted outwards near the 600 metres forcing TIARA CONCERTO (S Collett) over extra ground.</p> <p>BOMBER JET (L Innes) was briefly held up early in the final straight.</p> <p>MISS PARETO (E Smith) was held up near the 200 metres having to shift ground outwards to obtain clear running.</p> <p>When questioned into the performance of TIARA CONCERTO Rider S Collett) advised that the mare was disappointing and was unable to offer any other reason. The trainer advised that the mare is likely to be spelled prior to racing again.</p>	
Race 4	Stewards 1200
<p>L Innes, the rider of MONEY TRAIL, lost his whip when leaving the barriers.</p> <p>BERNETTA (L Magorrian) and SHONALI (M Coleman) were slow away.</p> <p>JANE BLONDE (S Collett) jumped away awkwardly before being further hampered by ULYSSES (T Thornton) which was taken outwards by AUCTIONEER (S McKay).</p> <p>ITS OUR SHOWTIME (M Cameron) over-raced in the early and middle stages when racing greenly. When questioned Rider M Cameron advised that the filly may derive some benefit from today's race and was unable to offer any other reason.</p>	
Race 5	Mullins Tyres Pearl Series Fillies Classic
<p>FULLY PUMPED (C Grylls) was declared a late scratching at 3.23pm after refusing to enter the barriers. Trainer Mr R Yuill was advised that FULLY PUMPED must barrier trial to the satisfaction of a Stipendiary Steward prior to racing next.</p> <p>MISS PROTOCOL (S McKay) jumped away awkwardly.</p> <p>SAVE THE STARS (L Magorrian) and SPINDLE (S Spratt) were slow away.</p> <p>ONSTAGE (M Coleman) was buffeted between GANGSTERS LASS (B Hutton) and PINCANTO (M Cameron) shortly after leaving the barriers.</p> <p>SPINDLE (S Spratt) raced three wide without cover.</p> <p>IRISH MISSILE (A Collett) made the bend near the 900 metres awkwardly.</p> <p>IRISH MISSILE lay out throughout the race and was unable to be fully ridden out in the final straight.</p> <p>MYSTERY SHOW (L Innes) hung out around the bend passing the 600 metres and continued to in the final straight.</p>	
Race 6	Rosebank Business Association Governor General's Cup
<p>SIERRA BEEL (A Schwerin) began awkwardly and shifted inwards abruptly hampering LETMEBY (S Collett) and inconveniencing AL PACINO (C Grylls).</p> <p>IRISH GEM (S Spratt) jumped away awkwardly.</p> <p>AL PACINO raced keenly outside the leader in the early to middle stages.</p> <p>SIERRA BEEL raced three wide without cover throughout.</p> <p>BANBURY LAD (A Collett) was held up early in the final straight and was unable to obtain clear running until near the 100 metres. When shifting outwards passing the 100 metres BANBURY LAD inconvenienced LETMEBY.</p>	
Race 7	Precinct Realty 1400
<p>MEDICINE MAN (S Collett) and THE KAIHU KID (Z Moki) were slow away.</p> <p>MIGHTY MAK (M Du Plessis) began awkwardly hampering ESPRIT DE CORPS (M Cameron) which lost ground.</p> <p>NAKURU (T Thornton) began awkwardly hampering O'CAROL (M Coleman).</p> <p>BRIGHT DIAMOND (A Schwerin) jumped away awkwardly and raced ungenerously in the early stages when being restrained.</p> <p>NOVELTY (S Spratt) had to be firmly restrained when awkwardly placed inside the heels of NINA ARORA (L Tiley) which shifted in when not fully clear near the 1200 metres. Rider L Tiley was advised to exercise care when shifting ground. As a</p>	

result **MIGHTY MAK** (M Du Plessis) had to be firmly restrained and dropped back on to **MEDICINE MAN** which got its head up when being firmly restrained. **MEDICINE MAN** continued to over-race badly for the majority of the race. **BRIGHT DIAMOND** had to be steadied off the heels of **MEDICINE MAN** passing the 1100 metres. Passing the 800 metres **MIGHTY MAK** got its head up when being steadied making the bend awkwardly. Passing the 500 metres **NINA ARORA** lay out until into the final straight. Near the 400 metres **NOVELTY** was held up and when shifting out to obtain clear running hampered **THEIA** (A Collett) and then continuing to shift out made contact with **ESPRIT DE CORPS** which became badly unbalanced losing ground. Rider S Spratt admitted a breach of careless riding under Rule 638(1)(d) and was suspended from the conclusion of racing on 30 April 2016 up to and including racing on 14 May 2016, 5 riding days. **MIGHTY MAK** raced in restricted room for a distance passing the 200 metres having to shift out across heels of **NINA ARORA** to obtain clear running passing the 150 metres. **CLASSIC WARRIOR** (L Magorrian) lay in under pressure passing the 50 metres with **NINA ARORA** having to be briefly steadied.

Race 8	Bidding Starts Tonight On gavelhouse.com
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CAMBRIDGE (M Du Plessis) was slow away. **ANNABELINDA** (S McKay) began awkwardly. **SISTERHOOD** (A Collett) shifted away from **PLAYBOY PRINCE** (BR Jones) shortly after the start crowding **ZAH CHAMP** (T Wenn) on to **ANNABELINDA** which had to be steadied. **ASTON PARK** (T Thornton) over-raced when being restrained when placed in restricted room to the inside of **PLAYBOY PRINCE** near the 1200 metres. **ASTON PARK** then continued to over-race badly through the middle stages shifting outwards abruptly to avoid heels near the 700 metres. **DYNAMO** (C Grylls) and **SUCKER PUNCH** (L Innes) both raced wide without cover throughout.
