

# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



## MEETING DETAILS:

<b>Club:</b>	Marlborough Racing Club	<b>Date:</b>	Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> April 2016
<b>Weather:</b>	Fine		
<b>Track:</b>	Dead 5, Upgraded to Dead 4 prior to Race 1		
<b>Rail:</b>	True		
<b>Stewards:</b>	M Davidson (Chairman), R Neal and J McLaughlin		
<b>Typist:</b>	H Taylor		

## GENERAL: (All comments pertaining to this meeting – e.g. drivers/riders not attending, delays and all other issues)

Nil
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## SUPPLEMENTARY: (All adjourned inquiries and follow up information relating to previous meetings)

Nil
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## SUMMARY:

<b>Swabbing:</b>	AFFINEE, CARAMAC, GARFUNKEL, THIRD TIME LUCKY, KOLAMAN, MASTER WILLIAM, HUSHED		
<b>Suspensions:</b>	<b>Race</b>		Nil
<b>Protests:</b>	<b>Race</b>		Nil
<b>Fines:</b>	<b>Race</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>J Lowry</b> - Rule 648(5)(a)- weighed in .6kg over weigh out weight- fined \$400
<b>Warnings:</b>	<b>Race</b>		Nil
<b>Bleeders:</b>	<b>Race</b>		Nil
<b>Horse Actions:</b>	<b>Race</b>		Nil
<b>Medical Certificates:</b>			
<b>Rider Changes:</b>	<b>Race</b>		Nil
<b>Late Scratching:</b>	<b>Race</b>		Nil

## RACE COMMENTS:

<b>Race 1</b>	<b>ROYAL HOTEL MAIDEN</b>
<p>A false start was declared when barriers two (<b>EZICARE</b>) and three (<b>AFFINEE</b>) failed to open. The gates were retested and all horses were returned to the barrier and underwent a veterinary examination and were passed fit to start. This resulted in the race being delayed about 8 minutes.</p> <p><b>DANNY WIZZ BANG</b>, <b>EZICARE</b> and <b>GLENGOYNE</b> were slow to begin.</p> <p><b>VENLA</b> began awkwardly.</p> <p><b>ENTREE</b> raced wide without cover throughout.</p> <p><b>GLENGOYNE</b> was obliged to make its finishing run wide rounding the final turn.</p> <p><b>FASCINO LASS</b> lay inwards in the home straight with rider R Hannam having to stop riding and straighten his mount passing the 100 metres.</p> <p>Apprentice rider Te Baker (<b>VENLA</b>) was reminded of his obligations in relation to the use of the whip on runners that are not in contention.</p>	
<b>Race 2</b>	<b>SO LONG OSSIE RATING 85</b>
<p><b>VICE MARSHALL</b> began awkwardly and got back.</p> <p>Approaching the 600 metres <b>CARAMAC</b> became unbalanced and lost its footing behind.</p> <p><b>UNCONQUERED</b> made the crossing near the 600 metre awkwardly and shifted outwards. <b>VICE MARSHALL</b>, which had commenced to over race, became awkwardly placed to the inside of <b>UNCONQUERED</b> as a result. Rider A Chan was shown a replay of this incident and advised he should use better judgement when improving into a run which was not available.</p>	

On returning to scale apprentice D Hirini (**CARAMAC**) advised that her horse had lost its footing in behind approaching the crossing near the 600 metres. Stewards initiated an inspection of that area of the track which included jockeys and trainers. Stewards then convened a meeting of all riders who were unanimous that racing should continue.

**Race 3** | **MORE FM MAIDEN**

**MOTHER SUPERIOR** was slow to begin.

**JONA MAC** raced keenly through the early stages.

**NOT TODAY** raced wide and ungenerously in the early stages and made the bend by the 1000m awkwardly.

**WOODBINE LADD** raced wide without cover from the 800 metres.

**LETIZIA** wide early in the middle.

**GARFUNKEL** had to be steadied passing the 300 metres and shifted ground outwards to find clear racing room.

Passing the 250 metres rider D Chin (**WINDERMERE LASS**) dropped his inside rein with the mare shifting outward abruptly and making firm contact with **BLACK ESTATE** which was dictated outwards taking **GRACIELLA** and **JONA MAC** both wider on the track.

Apprentice D Chin was shown a replay of this incident in the presence of his employer Mr K Rae with the matter being further referred to the Apprentice Riding Master.

**SHAMROCK KING** was held up early in the run home only gaining clear racing ground in the final 200 metres.

S Collett the rider of **BLACK ESTATE** reported her mount had hung throughout.

**Race 4** | **BURKHART FISHERIES & DOMINION SALT RATING 65**

**HE'S A BIGDEEL** raced wide for the majority of the race and keenly in the early to middle stages.

**KISS LIKE THIS** raced keenly in the early stages.

Passing the 1200 metres **BISOU BISOU** had to be steadied when racing keenly.

**ZAH GIRL** raced wide throughout and finished some distance from the winner. Stewards ordered a post-race veterinary examination of the mare which revealed that **ZAH GIRL** was suffering a slow recovery but no other obvious abnormalities.

**THIRD TIME LUCKY** had to be steadied momentarily passing the 800 metres when racing keenly.

**PERFECTLY SECRET** was held up for several strides passing the 100 metres.

**PLACID PRINCESS** raced in restricted room at the 100 metres.

**PLACID PRINCESS** made contact with **MAGGIE'S SECRET** and jostled in the shadows of the winning post.

**Race 5** | **WOODBOURNE TAVERN RATING**

**PAINTBALL**, **ZENTANGLE** and **ONEFORTHE DITCH** were slow to begin.

**PAINTBALL** had to be angled wider passing the 300 metres to get clear racing room.

**KOLAMAN** was held up for some distance passing the 150 metres shifting ground outwards and in doing so momentarily inconvenienced **WHISKEY BOLERO** who was taken wider on the track, then **KOLAMAN** raced tight to the inside of **DOUBLE BLUE** over the concluding stages.

When spoken to regarding the performance of favoured runner **STILL WATERS**, rider J Lowry advised that in his opinion the mare was feeling the effects of recent racing.

Rider R Hannam could offer no tangible excuses for the disappointing performance of **BRAVE KAT**.

**Race 6** | **BOB PAGE MEMORIAL MAIDEN**

**SCARAMOUCHE** bounded at the start.

**PERFECTLY PEARL** shifted ground abruptly inwards at the start and had to be straightened.

**MACROTH** shifted out at the start bumping heavily with **MIO KIWI** which lost ground.

**ALLABUZZ** over raced in the early stages and made the bend at the 1600 metres awkwardly.

**SLIPSLOPSLAP** raced keenly when leading through the early to middle stages.

**MACROTH** raced wide through the early to middle stages.

**MASTER WILLIAM** raced wide from the 1200 metres.

**ALLABUZZ** was held up passing the 500 metres for some distance when awkwardly placed on the heels of the tiring **COUNTDOWN**.

**MASTER WILLIAM** lay out in the straight.

**SCARAMOUCHE** lay in at the top of the straight and had to be straightened.

When spoken to regarding the performance of favoured runner **COUNTDOWN** rider T Moseley advised that after the gelding had been steadied to take cover passing the 1200 metres he had been under pressure from that point and had failed to respond to his urgings and had been disappointing.

**Race 7**

**WEISSMULLER** raced keenly in the early stages in the lead.

**BRAH SPRING** raced wide from the 800 metres.

When spoken to regarding the performance of **WILLIE DUGGAN** rider S Wynne advised that in her opinion the gelding had battled on fairly over the concluding stages and would take natural benefit from today's race which was its first up run for two months.

Stewards ordered a post-race veterinary inspection of favourite **CHEESE MAKER** after rider L Allpress advised she had been disappointed with gelding's performance and indifferent feel during the race. The subsequent inspection revealed no obvious abnormalities.

**Race 8**

**SPEIGHT'S & PGGWRIGHTSON RATING**

**NEWSTEAD** began awkwardly at the start making firm contact with the starting gates.

**NEWSTEAD** which was racing keenly shifted outwards off the heels of **PATRICIO** and made firm contact with **IT AINT OVER** passing the 1800 metres.

**IT AINT OVER** then raced ungenerously through the early stages.

**SKYLLA** raced very wide throughout and lay inwards passing the 500 metres and continued to lay inwards for some time.

**BILLY ELLIOT** and **KRASE** both raced very wide throughout.

Passing the 900 metres as the pace eased slightly **FASCINATE ME** charged onto the heels of **SKILLS** clipping a heel and blundered losing momentum.

**IT AINT OVER** was steadied passing the 500 metres when awkwardly placed on heels.

**NEWSTEAD** was momentarily held up early in the run home.

**PATRICIO** was steadied in the shadows of the post when crowded by **SKYLLA**.

Following the running of this event rider R Cuneen was attended to by the paramedics for an injury to his right foot which occurred when making contact with the starting gates. Mr Cuneen was transferred to hospital for further attention.

On weighing in after this race apprentice J Lowry the rider of **FASCINATE ME** weighed in at .6kg over the weight he weighed out at. J Lowry admitted a breach of rule 648(5)(a) and after hearing submissions from all parties the JCA imposed a fine of \$400.