STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Hawkes Bay Racing Date: Saturday

30th April 2016

Weather: Overcast
Track: Dead (4)
Rail: Out 4 Metres

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

Typist: L Goodwin

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SUPPLEMENTARY:

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: ASH PALACE, GENTIL TONTON, MIHAUL, RYAN JIM, LEGNANI, SOUTHERN ICON, LADY ZAFIRA,

HUNTA PENCE

Suspensions: Race 1 C Johnson – (Briar Rose)

[Rule 638(1)(d) – Careless riding 1500 metres – Suspended 8th May to 15th May

inclusive (4 days)

Protests: Race

Fines: Race

Warnings: Race

Bleeders: Race

Horse Actions: Race 1 PERCY'S JAZZ – must barrier trial prior to next racing

1 **ZEE ZEE TOP** – must barrier trial prior to next racing

2 Warning ECHEZEAUX – racing manners

Medical Certificates:

Rider Changes: Race

Late Scratchings: Race 1 **ZEE ZEE TOP** – 12.32pm – veterinary advice at start

1 **PERCY'S JAZZ** – 12.33pm – at start

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 HAWKE'S BAY OWNERS AND BREEDERS ASSOCIATION MILE (1600 metres)

ZEE ZEE TOP (J Riddell) was declared a late scratching after becoming fractious in the gate, rearing and dislodging rider J Riddell who was uninjured.

PERCY'S JAZZ (M Tanaka) was declared a late scratching after refusing to load.

HIGH SPIRITS (R Myers) was slow to begin and settled at the rear.

CASTING CALL (L Satherley) was checked prior to going into the first turn when **BRIAR ROSE** (C Johnson) was angled inwards when not clear. C Johnson admitted a subsequent charge of careless riding under [Rule 638(1)(d)] and had his licence suspended from the conclusion of racing on Saturday 7th May up to and including racing on the 15th May (4 days) Also affected in the movement was **ROC 'N' IT** which had to be steadied. Rider D Bradley reported that his mount was overracing which was considered a contributing factor.

CASTING CALL (L Satherley) was then obliged to race three wide for the remainder.

OSCAR'S SHADOW (M Hills) was held up early in the home straight.

When questioned into the run of ROC 'N' IT rider D Bradley stated the gelding was unsuited to the slow early pace and

sprint home.

When questioned into her ride on **HIGH SPIRITS** rider R Myers advised that her instructions were to race handy if possible but was unable to do so after missing the start. From there her intention was to follow the favourite **ROC 'N' IT** into the race, but when that runner was urged forward passing the 600 metres, her mount was unable to quicken.

A subsequent veterinary inspection was clear. R Myers was of the opinion **HIGH SPIRITS** may be better suited to a longer distance.

Race 2 FIBRE FRESH 2100 (2100 metres)

ECHEZEAUX (D Bradley) hung inwards abruptly shortly after the start and lost ground.

JACK'S BOY (K Smith) was posted three wide prior to being taken forward near the 1200 metres to sit outside the leader.

A post-race veterinary inspection of **ECHEZEAUX** was clear. Connections advised that the mare would be spelled. Stewards advised that a warning is placed against **ECHEZEAUX** regarding its racing manners.

V Gatu was reminded of her obligation to ride her mounts out fully to the finish when circumstances permit after she was observed to relax her ride near the finish, holding third place by a short head margin.

Race 3 TRINITY HILL 2YO (1200 metres)

BLUESUEDE CHOUXS (J Riddell) jumped in at the start making contact with HALL OF FAME (M Tanaka).

BLUESUEDE CHOUXS then dipped losing ground and settled back.

MOCCA (R Myers) began awkwardly and raced very wide over the initial stages when racing greenly.

PLATINUM RAIDER (D Bradley) made the first bend awkwardly and raced up onto the heels of **SMILING MORE** (C Johnson) and when being steadied shifted back onto **FINE TAYLOR** (H Tinsley) which had to be steadied for some distance.

TEMPTRESS (L Hemi) was inclined to shift inwards in the home straight when racing greenly.

D Mo (**MIHAU**L) was advised that he is expected to straighten his mount sooner than he did on this occasion after he allowed the gelding shift inwards some distance in the home straight prior to straightening.

SMILING MORE (C Johnson) had to be straightened on two occasions when shifting out under pressure over the final stages.

PLATINUM RAIDER (D Bradley) was momentarily hampered by the inward movement of **MIHAUL** (D Mo) in the home straight.

HALL OF FAME was inclined to shift outwards under pressure over the final stages.

Race 4 DUNSTAN FEEDS AUTUMN SPRINT CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFIER (1200 metres)

HOSKINS (H Andrew) shifted out abruptly at the start into the line of **WHATWEDO** (M Hills) which clipped a heel and lost ground.

KENYA (R Myers) was tightened at the start and settled back.

THE NEON ICON (D Mo) over-raced and had to be steadied going into the first turn.

LADY PINOT (L Hemi) hung outwards into the first turn hampering STEPPENWOLF (J Riddell) near the 800 metres.

RUBY BLOOM (V Gatu) raced three wide without cover throughout.

WHATWEDO had to be steadied off the heels of FLOSCEES'S GOLD (L Satherley) near the 450 metres.

THE NEON ICON became awkwardly placed on the heels of **LADY PINOT** near the 350 metres.

HOSKINS over reacted when attempting a run near the 200 metres and shifted out further than rider H Andrew anticipated resulting in a check to **LADY PINOT** which was weakening.

HOSKINS continued to hang outwards over the final stages.

JACKOFALL (M Tanaka) failed to gain clear running throughout the home straight and went to the line without being fully tested.

RYAN JIM (H Tinsley) was held up for some distance prior to the 200 metres before gaining a clear run near 100 metres.

Race 5 NZB WEANLING, BROODMARE & MIXED BLOODSTOCK SALE (1400 metres)

NOMIMA (R Elliot) began awkwardly and shifted out tightening **ISOLA BELLA** (D Mo), **MISS DAISY** (M Hills) and **SILVER BUBBLES** (H Tinsley) and as a result settled back.

TEMPLE TIGER (L Satherley) was slow away (3 lengths).

ISOLA BELLA, MISS DAISY and TEMPLE TIGER raced keenly into the first turn.

LEGNANI (V Gatu) raced three wide in the early and middle stages.

TEMPLE TIGER (L Satherley) was held up from the 200 metres before obtaining clear running near the 100 metres.

NOMISMA had to be angled wide to improve in the home straight.

When questioned into the run of **SILVER BUBBLES** rider H Tinsley stated that after missing the start the mare was unable to obtain its usual forward position and was outpaced throughout.

A subsequent veterinary examination was clear.

When questioned into the improved performance of **LEGNANI** trainer C Thornton advised that the mare was unsuited to the Slow (7) track at its previous start and had been working very well prior to racing today.

Race 6 FASTTRACKINSURANCE HB AUTUMN STAKES (1400 metres)

ELUSIVE GOLD (M Tanaka) began awkwardly but recovered quickly.

MADONNA MIA (D Bradley) was slow to begin and settled back.

SHEZGORGEOUS (C Johnson) had to be steadied for some distance rounding the turn when on the heels of ELUSIVE GOLD.

Race 7 LIVAMOL MILE (1600 metres)

SUMMER DAY (R Elliot) began awkwardly but recovered quickly to be in trailing position.

LADY ZAFIRA (R Myers) shifted out and had to be straightened near the finish.

When questioned into the run of **KAIRANGA LAD** rider D Bradley was of the opinion that the gelding may be feeling the effects of recent racing.

Race 8 VERTIGO CATERING @ HB RACING MILE (1600 metres)

DA SHINDIG (V Gatu) was slow away from its wide draw.

BUGLE CALL (L Hemi) raced three wide without cover throughout.

DE GAULLE (J Riddell) raced in restricted room over the final stages and could not be ridden out to full advantage.

When questioned into the improved performance of **HUNTA PENCE** (D Mo) trainer P Campbell reported that the gelding had got too far back at its previous start after rearing at the start.