

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Canterbury Jockey Club	Date:	Saturday, 13 August 2016
Weather:	Raining/Showery		
Track:	Heavy (10), Heavy (11) retrospective to race 3		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	M Davidson (Chairman), J McLaughlin, N McIntyre, S Wallis		
Typist:	C McMullan		

GENERAL:

A selection of horses were pre-race blood tested.	
Due to the Heavy (11) track conditions the Grand National Steeplechase was a flag start.	

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	SECOND INNINGS, DERBY DAN, RUMPELSTILTSKIN, GLENGOYNE, HENI, ONEFORTHEDITCH, UPPER CUT, MR MOR, ZENTANGLE, DUFFERS CREEK, STOKERS ROCK, MEGABLAST		
Suspensions:	Nil		
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Race	5	K Mudhoo (THE KNIGHT) Excessive use of the whip prior to the 200 metres [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)]. Fined \$400
		9	S Wynne (MISS THREE STARS) Excessive use of the whip prior to the 200 metres [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)]. Fined \$300
		11	J Lowry (I'LLBEYOURPLATINUM) Unable to make contract weight [Rule 330(3)(c)]. Fined \$200
Warnings:	Race	2	S Karnicnik (YARDSTICK) Shifting ground 700 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
		3	L Hemi (PARISDOTCON) Excessive use of the whip prior to the 200 metres [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)]
		10	A Chan (LUKE) Unnecessary use of the whip after winning post [Rule 638(3)(b)(i)]
		10	S Wynne (STOKERS ROCK) Shifting ground 1500 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
Horse Actions:	Nil		
Medical Certificates:	Nil		
Rider Changes:	Race	11	I'LLBEYOURPLATINUM – H Bennet replaced J Lowry (overweight)
Late Scratchings:	Race	6	AVOW – at 12.30 pm on veterinary advice
		11	VILLA ELBA – at 3.30 pm due to track downgrade

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	SPEIGHT'S MID ALE PREMIER HURDLE (3100m)
BAYRUM (S Fannin) – raced wide in the early and middle stages.	
LOOSE GOOSE (E Goodinson) – poor leap at the fence at the 1700 metres unbalancing rider who was dislodged. Rider attended to by St John Paramedics and cleared to fulfil her remaining engagements. A post-race veterinary inspection did not reveal any obvious abnormalities.	
SHAMAL (M Cropp) – improved wide from the 1000 metres, poor leap at the last fence.	
BILLY ELLIOT (M Gillies) – retired from the race prior to jumping the last fence. Rider reported that the gelding did not	

handle today's Heavy track conditions.	
Race 2	JUMPS JOCKEY REUNION PREMIER MAIDEN HURDLE (3100m)
<p>TO THE MAX (C Studd) – underwent a pre-race veterinary inspection and was cleared to race. Raced wide from the 2200 metres.</p> <p>THE GRUBBYDUCK (W Gordon) – jumped the first fence very high and landed awkwardly.</p> <p>RUNNY HONEY (A Kuru) – made a poor leap at the fence near the 1200 metres, retired from the race passing the 400 metres. Rider reported that the mare failed to handle the prevailing track conditions.</p> <p>YARDSTICK (S Karnicnik) – shifted out off the heels of the tiring COOLANGATTA passing the 700 metres crowding PLATINUM SONG. S Karnicnik was warned for careless riding.</p> <p>PLATINUM SONG (M Cropp) – Crowded and lost momentum passing 700 metres. Put in a poor leap at the last fence.</p>	
Race 3	GIANT'S STEPS AT LINWOOD PARK PREMIER (1200m)
<p>KILLA QUESTION (S Wynne) – shifted outwards abruptly at the start crowding outside runners.</p> <p>KUZANOV (D Bothamley) – crowded at the start and lost ground.</p> <p>MASTER PLATINUM (J Riddell) – crowded at the start and lost ground.</p> <p>FLICKA OF GOLD (K Kalychurun) – crowded at the start by runners either side shifting ground.</p> <p>PAINTBALL (D Chin) – momentarily crowded passing the 600 metres.</p> <p>PARISDOTCON (L Hemi) – rider warned in regard to excessive use of the whip prior to the 200 metres.</p> <p>ITSAGEM (M Tanaka) – when questioned regarding performance rider advised that the mare was unsuited to the prevailing track conditions and the drop back in distance.</p> <p>Retrospective to this race the track was downgraded to Heavy (11).</p>	
Race 4	ZILCO PREMIER (1400m)
<p>HEAVEN KNOWS (K Kalychurun) – slow to begin.</p> <p>NESTA (C Johnson) – began awkwardly, raced keenly in the early stages.</p> <p>FUN FAIR (H Bennet) – crowded and buffeted at the start losing ground.</p> <p>BALLERINE (S Collett) – over raced early stages and had to be restrained off heels passing the 1100 metres for some distance and continued to over race through the middle stages.</p> <p>MIGHTY MAK (L Callaway) – lay out for the majority of the race.</p> <p>HELL BOUND (T Moseley) – raced wide throughout, momentarily crowded 200 metres when CIVIC RECEPTION shifted outwards under pressure.</p>	
Race 5	MILLENNIUM HOTELS & RESORTS PREMIER OPEN (1400m)
<p>PLATINUM COMMAND (M Tanaka) – trainer L Latta advised that rider would carry a whip but had been instructed to not use it aggressively; this information was disseminated where possible.</p> <p>THE KNIGHT (K Mudhoo) – momentarily crowded at the 1300 metres, steadied at the 1200 metres when racing keenly and awkwardly placed on heels. Apprentice K Mudhoo was fined \$400 by the Judicial Committee for excessive use of the whip prior to the 200 metres.</p>	
Race 6	BRACKENFIELD HUNT PREMIER (1400m)

AVOW – late scratched at 12.30 pm on veterinary advice after found to be suffering an injury to the near front leg.

ONEFORTHEDITCH (D Hirini) – slow to begin, improved wide from the 1000 metres.

COOL ISA (C Johnson) – broke down badly passing the 700 metres dislodging rider. A subsequent veterinary inspection found the mare to have fractured the off foreleg and accordingly was humanely euthanased. C Johnson was attended to by St John Paramedics and cleared to fulfil his remaining riding engagements.

MULBERRY (R Cuneen) – had to angle inwards passing the 50 metres when improving onto the heels of **ONEFORTHEDITCH**.

NOWHERE MAN (S Wynne) – rider reported that the gelding had not handled the prevailing track conditions.

Race 7	RACECOURSE HOTEL & MOTOR LODGE 142ND GRAND NATIONAL STEEPLECHASE (5600m)
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UPPER CUT (P Hamblin) – landed awkwardly after jumping the second fence unbalancing the rider, landed awkwardly after jumping the last fence.

GET FLASH (K Walters) – raced keenly in the early stages, retired from the race passing the 500 metres.

SNODROPTWINKLETOES (S Fannin) – mixed its jumping throughout and made a poor leap at the 1800 metres landing awkwardly and unbalancing the rider.

GARGAMEL (A Browne) – put in a poor leap at the fence near the 1300 metres.

THE BIG OPAL (M Gillies) – landed awkwardly and lost its footing near the 1200 metres with the rider losing the use of both irons, dislodged rider when making a poor leap jumping the last fence. M Gillies was attended to by St John Paramedics and cleared of any injury. A post-race veterinary inspection did not reveal any obvious abnormalities.

BUNKERED (B McLean) – poor leaps at the double fence near the 1300 metres and pulled up. Attended to by the course veterinarian and found to have fractured the off hind stifle, and accordingly was humanely euthanased.

ERIC THE VIKING (S Karnicnik) – dipped on landing after jumping the fence near the 1000 metres, retired from the race passing the 500 metres.

BRER (A Kuru) – retired from the race passing the 500 metres.

MENDOZA (C Studd) – retired from the race passing the 500 metres.

MR MOR (M Cropp) – lay out badly after jumping the last fence and shifted wider on the track.

Race 8	HEATSTORE PREMIER (2000m)
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MASTER KARSTEN (K Mudhoo) – slow to begin. Rider reported gelding had only battled in today's Heavy (11) track.

LADY LINDAUER (T Direen) – crowded and buffeted shortly after the start and then severely restrained when becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of **RUBY TUESDAY**.

NO CHANGE (S Collett) – raced wide throughout.

Race 9	CHRISTCHURCH CASINO WINTER CLASSIC (1800m)
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FIVE KINGS (S Collett) – got its head up when racing keenly in the early stages, raced wide throughout.

OUR GAZZA (M Tanaka) – rider reported that the gelding had failed to run on when placed under pressure and had disappointed. A post-race veterinary inspection did not reveal any obvious abnormalities.

MISS THREE STARS (S Wynne) – admitted a charge of excessive use of the whip prior to the 200 metres with the Judicial Committee imposing a fine of \$300.

Race 10	VERNON & VAZEY PREMIER (1600m)
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WISE MOVE (R Cuneen) – began awkwardly and got back, tailed the field despite the rider's efforts through the middle stages. R Cuneen advised that in his opinion the gelding had not handled today's track conditions.

HUNGRY EYES (K Kalychurun) – crowded on jumping and lost ground when outside runners shifted in abruptly.

MYSTIC POWER (D Hirini) – shifted in abruptly at the start.

SECRET POWER (C Johnson) – crowded, buffeted and lost ground passing the 1500 metres.

LAAFFAIRE (K Williams) – had to be steadied when crowded for room passing the 1500 metres.

STOKERS ROCK (S Wynne) – shifted ground outwards marginally passing the 1500 metres crowding outside runners. **S Wynne** was issued with a warning.

LINCOLN BAY (J Riddell) – crowded and buffeted at the 1500 metres, shifted outwards at the 200 metres to find clear racing room.

TEDDYTWINKLETOES (L Hemi) – crowded momentarily and had to steady passing the 1450 metres.

LUKE (A Chan) – lay in throughout the run home and had to be straightened on a number of occasions. **A Chan** was warned for unnecessary use of the whip after the winning post.

MYSTIC POWER (D Hirini) – had to steady and shift ground outwards passing the 500 metres when improving onto the heels of **WERIO**.

Race 11	LINDAUER PREMIER (2000m)
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VILLA ELBA (C Johnson) – late scratched at 3.30 pm due to track downgrade.

I’LLBEYOURPLATINUM – **H Bennet** replaced J Lowry who could not make the contracted weight. **J Lowry** was fined \$200.

MILLY QUE (S Collett) – began awkwardly and lost ground.

TARIHIRA (D Hirini) – raced wide and keenly throughout.

MEGABLAST (S Wynne) – lay in passing the 350 metres with the rider swapping the whip to the left hand.

SWEET TIME (R Bishop) – momentarily placed in restricted room 300 metres.