



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Canterbury Jockey Club	Date:	Saturday, 5 November 2016
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Dead (4), upgraded to Good (3) after Race 3		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	J Oatham (Chairman), N McIntyre, J McLaughlin, M Davidson		
Typist:	C McMullan		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	CASAQUINMAN, IRISH CALL, BLOODSTREAM, MARGARITA MOVER, DAIFUKU, LADY ZAFIRA, KINAGAT, TIGER TIM, UGO FOSCOLO, SAVILE ROW, HEROIC VALOUR, WILLIAM WALLACE, NYMPH MONTE, SAINT KITT, SUZERAIN Pre-race blood testing was undertaken on a selection of runners.		
Suspensions:	Race 8	C Johnson CZARISTA Careless riding 400 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 13-25/11 incl, 5 days K Mudhoo MOREIRA Careless riding 350 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 13/11-7/12 incl, 4 days (suspension dates amended following application to the JCA)	
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Race 7	M McNab HEROIC VALOUR \$500 [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] Excessive use of the whip	
Warnings:	Race 1	M McNab STROWAN Shifting ground 500 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]	
Horse Actions:	Race 5	KING MONTROSE – Humanely euthanased	
	10	BOBBY AL – Veterinary certificate of fitness required prior to racing next	
Follow Up:	Race 6	KOLONEL KEV	
	7	MONGOLIAN FALCON	
	7	HALL OF FAME	
	7	JON SNOW	
	9	MAYGROVE	
	9	GENTIL TONTON	
Medical Certificates:	H Bennett – medical clearance required		
Rider Changes:	Nil		
Late Scratchings:	Race 10	BOBBY AL – 5.41pm on veterinary advice at start	

GENERAL:

Apprentice H Bennett did not attend the meeting due to injury and is required to provide a medical clearance prior to riding next.
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RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	CHRISTCHURCH CASINO PREMIER (1400m)
MASTERS CHOICE (M Cameron) – Blundered as the start was made.	
DANIELLE (S Muniandy) – Steadied when placed in restricted room to the inside of RADIANT (R Firdhaus) going into the turn near the 1000 metres. Apprentice R Firdhaus was advised to exercise greater care. Firmly restrained when	

becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of CASAQUINMAN passing the 700 metres. Trainer M McCann reported that the mare had got its tongue over the bit and choked down, advising he would be adding a tongue tie at its next start.

RUAIRI (R Cuneen) – Raced keenly early stages, lost left hind plate during the running.

STROWAN (M McNab) – Shifted inwards making contact with MADAME LIBRE near the 1000 metres. Rider **M McNab** was advised to exercise greater care.

MADAME LIBRE (S Wynne) – Bumped 1000 metres. Held up near 350 metres.

DROUGHT BREAKER (L Callaway) – Steadied when awkwardly placed inside the heels of STROWAN (M McNab) which rolled in near the 500 metres. **M McNab** was issued with a warning.

TABARD (R Myers) – Held up passing the 400 metres and continued to have difficulty obtaining clear running until near the 200 metres.

OLIGARCH (C Johnson) – Held up rounding the final turn and did not obtain clear running until near the 200 metres, inclined to lay inwards over final stages.

Apprentice **S MacNab** (BIG MAC) was spoken to regarding her whip use on a runner out of contention.

Race 2	WINNING EDGE PRESENTATIONS PREMIER (1400m)
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The start was officially delayed 5 minutes on TAB request due to co-mingling issues.

BOOTS 'N' ALL (M Coleman) – Began awkwardly shifting inwards making contact with GOLD ALLURE.

GOLD ALLURE (R Myers) – Hampered at start losing ground.

IRISH CALL (S Wynne) – Over raced when being restrained in early to middle stages. Held up early in run home.

DOCKET (M Du Plessis) – Commenced to over race badly when being restrained to avoid the heels of TORBA near 1000 metres, with the saddle shifting forward disadvantaging its rider for the remainder of the race not being persevered with in the final straight. M Du Plessis was dislodged from DOCKET when pulling up but was uninjured.

Race 3	ONE GOOD HORSE AT AVONHEAD TAVERN PREMIER (2000m)
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ONEFORTHEDITCH (C Johnson) – Fractious in the barriers before bounding jumping away losing ground.

ANGEL FALLS (S Wynne) – Raced wide through early stages.

FRANCIS DRAKE (C Grylls) – Got its head up on a number of occasions when being steadied in early stages, held up early in run home.

Following this race the track was upgraded to Good (3).

Race 4	MURITAI MARKETING PREMIER (1100m)
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DERMOTT BROWN (R Cuneen) – Began awkwardly losing ground, hampered shortly after start.

MARGARITA MOVER (D Johnson) – Buffeted between runners at start.

MAXSSISTAR (L Innes) – Bumped shortly after start.

ENZO'S LAD (S Wynne) – Over raced early stages.

BONAPARTE (M Du Plessis) – Over raced early stages.

INTENSE (L Callaway) – Raced wide throughout. When questioned regarding his ride L Callaway advised that he had been instructed to ride INTENSE in the open as it can react poorly when being restrained and that the gelding was inclined to lug outwards rounding the bend. He added that it was his understanding INTENSE would not be persevered with as a racing proposition. Co-trainer Ms N Lloyd confirmed that INTENSE was unlikely to be persevered with from their stable.

TIEBREAKER (S MacNab) – Over raced when being restrained shortly after the start becoming awkwardly placed inside the heels of UNCONQUERED. RIVERTAINNE COUP then shifted outwards to avoid the heels of TIEBREAKER, making contact with MAXSSISTAR and hampering DERMOTT BROWN as a result.

RIVERTAINNE COUP (M Cameron) – Made contact with another runner shortly after the start. Held up near 200 metres being placed in restricted room.

Race 5 | **YESBERG INSURANCE SERVICES PEGASUS STAKES HANDICAP (1000m)**

LADY ZAFIRA (M Du Plessis) – Jumped away awkwardly.

FIRST SERVE (S Wynne) – Dipped shortly after start, over raced in early to middle stages, held up rounding final turn and early in straight then being reluctant to improve into a tight run between SUPER TROUPER and REILLY LINCOLN before obtaining clear running near 150 metres. When questioned regarding performance, rider S Wynne advised that the mare had become rather worked up prior to the start which may have been detrimental to its chances and had been reluctant to improve into a run in the final straight possibly due to the whip action of rider C Barnes (SUPER TROUPER). S Wynne added that FIRST SERVE had had little experience racing amongst other runners.

CARAMAC (R Myers) – Got its head up and over raced when being restrained to take cover in early stages, had difficulty obtaining clear running until near 100 metres.

KING MONTROSE (O Bosson) – Broke down badly passing 500 metres when racing free of interference. KING MONTROSE was attended to by the on-course veterinarian and humanely euthanased after suffering fractures to the right hind leg.

SIGNIFY (R Cuneen) – Severely hampered by KING MONTROSE passing the 500 metres and forced over extra ground.

Race 6 | **GRAND MILLENNIUM AUCKLAND PREMIER (1600m)**

KOLONEL KEV (J Riddell) – Jumped away awkwardly. When questioned regarding performance, rider J Riddell was unable to offer any excuses. A post race veterinary inspection did not reveal any obvious abnormalities.

LAAFFAIRE (K Williams) – Slow to begin.

ANOTHER COUP (D Bradley) – Slow to begin.

FLAG THE GROOM (M McNab) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

SANASAR (C Johnson) – Held up early in the final straight.

PRETTY GOOD EXCUSE (M Cameron) – Placed in restricted room passing the 150 metres.

Race 7 | **SOTHYS 44TH NEW ZEALAND 2000 GUINEAS (1600m)**

CHA SIU BAO (C Grylls) – Removed to undergo a pre race veterinary inspection after being fractious in the barriers being passed fit to run.

UGO FOSCOLO (M Coleman) – Lay out in early stages. Rider **M Coleman** was spoken to regarding making a celebratory gesture just short of the finish.

O'REILLY'S CHOICE (J Riddell) – Had to be steadied shortly after the start to avoid the heels of HEROIC VALOUR which shifted inwards when not fully clear. Rider **M McNab** was advised to exercise greater care. HEROIC VALOUR then lay in making contact with HALL OF FAME which was crowded onto COBLERTOTHESTARS. HEROIC VALOUR and HALL OF FAME continued to come together for a distance with HEROIC VALOUR then having to be steadied when crowded onto the hindquarters of JON SNOW near the 1300 metres.

HALL OF FAME (M Cameron) – Bumped with another runner for a distance approaching the 1300 metres. Rider was unable to offer any tangible excuse for poor performance. A post race veterinary inspection did not reveal any obvious abnormalities.

HEROIC VALOUR (M McNab) – Bumped with another runner for a distance before having to be steadied near the 1300 metres. Rider **M McNab** admitted a breach of Rule 638(3)(b)(ii) in that he used his whip excessively prior to the 200 metres with the Judicial Committee imposing a fine of \$500.

JON SNOW (O Bosson) – Raced three wide without cover throughout. Bumped 1300 metres. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that although trapped wide the colt had never travelled comfortably and had made abnormal respiratory noises after the finish. A post race veterinary inspection did not reveal any obvious abnormalities.

MONGOLIAN FALCON (L Innes) – When questioned regarding performance, rider advised that the colt had travelled well but once placed under pressure had been unable to quicken on today's firm racing surface and in his opinion may be suited by some easing of the ground.

Race 8	NEW ZEALAND BLOODSTOCK INSURANCE PREMIER (1200m)
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STAR OF GREENBEEL (S MacNab) – Jumped away awkwardly before being further hampered by ELUSIVE BOXERS which knuckled on jumping and shifted outwards. Bumped 400 metres. Crowded 350 metres.

ELUSIVE BOXERS (K Williams) – Knuckled at start. Crowded for a distance 400 metres before being checked passing the 350 metres.

WILLIAM WALLACE (R Myers) – Slow away.

MOREIRA (K Mudhoo) – Jumped away awkwardly, blundered crossing the junction onto the course proper near the 700 metres. Hampered when crowded 400 metres.

HUGO THE BOSS (C Grylls) – Commenced to over race when being restrained near the 1100 metres. Inconvenienced 1000 metres.

FLYTIME (R Cuneen) – Commenced to over race near the 1100 metres and shifted outwards to avoid the heels of GREY SAPPHIRE near the 1000 metres inconveniencing HUGO THE BOSS.

C Johnson - admitted a breach of careless riding in that he permitted his mount CZARISTA to shift outwards near the 400 metres when not sufficiently clear, forcing GREY SAPPHIRE outwards onto MOREIRA and ELUSIVE BOXERS which were hampered with ELUSIVE BOXERS being forced onto STAR OF GREENBEEL. After hearing submissions the Judicial

Committee suspended **C Johnson**'s licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Saturday 12 November until the conclusion of racing on Friday 25 November, 5 riding days.

GREY SAPPHIRE (D Johnson) – hampered when crowded 400 metres.

K Mudhoo - defended a charge of careless riding in that he permitted his mount MOREIRA to shift outwards near the 350 metres when not sufficiently clear of ELUSIVE BOXERS which was checked when crowded onto STAR OF GREENBEEL. After hearing submissions the Judicial Committee found the charge to be proven suspending K Mudhoo from the conclusion of racing on Wednesday 9 November until the conclusion of racing on Friday 2 December, 4 riding days.

OVERNIGHTSENSATION (L Callaway) – Held up near the 350 metres becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of LOVE ACTUALLY for a distance.

LOVE ACTUALLY (M Cameron) – Inconvenienced near 250 metres when MR TYPHON which was improving into a tight run to the outside of LOVE ACTUALLY was taken in slightly by JACKOFALL. Rider S Wynne reported she lost the use of her left stirrup iron in this incident and had been unable to regain use of the iron for the remainder of the race.

MR TYPHON (S Wynne) - Rider lost the use of left stirrup iron near the 250 metres and had been unable to regain use of the iron for the remainder of the race.

JAKOB GAMBINO (G Jogoo) – Held up near the 200 metres.

Race 9	GOLD CLUB METROPOLITAN TROPHY HANDICAP (2500m)
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BRAD THORN (R Myers) – Dislodged rider and escaped en route to the barriers. Rider R Myers was attended to by St John Paramedics and found to be uninjured. BRAD THORN underwent a veterinary inspection and was cleared to race. A post race veterinary inspection following poor performance found the gelding to be sore in the right hind leg with superficial abrasions to the right stifle and right hind cannon bone.

IMPERIUM (M Cameron) – Began awkwardly then further hampered when crowded losing ground.

TESSASTOCK (S Wynne) – Slow to begin.

SOUTHERN SAV (D Bradley) – Raced keenly and wide in the early stages before being allowed to improve forward to lead near the 1600 metres.

SAINT KITT (C Johnson) – Over raced early to middle stages.

SUREASYOUWEREBORN (K Williams) – Held up rounding the bend approaching 400 metres.

GENTIL TONTON (C Grylls) – When questioned regarding performance, rider advised that the gelding had found the line well but would appreciate some easing of the ground.

MAYGROVE (O Bosson) – When questioned regarding performance, rider advised that the gelding had not let down on the firm footing.

Race 10	BLUE STAR TAXIS PREMIER (1600m)
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BOBBY AL (D Johnson) – Underwent a veterinary inspection at the start after rider reported had felt sore being declared a late scratched at 5.41 pm on veterinary advice as it was found to be lame in the right foreleg. A veterinary certificate of fitness is required prior to BOBBY AL racing next.

O'REILLY'S DANCER (J Riddell) – Slow to begin.

THE BEAUT (M McNab) – Slow to begin.

MINUTES TO MIDNITE (S Wynne) – Steadied when racing in restricted room near the 1000 metres.

KOLAMAN (M Cameron) – Raced three wide without cover throughout. Inconvenienced 250 metres.

SUZERAIN (D Bradley) – Held up rounding the final turn until shifting outwards to obtain clear running near the 250 metres inconveniencing KOLAMAN.

TAVIGARDE (C Grylls) – Made contact with EVADIR LA BALA when shifting outwards to obtain clear running near the 400 metres with those two runners continuing to come together for a distance.

EVADIR LA BALA (R Myers) – bumped 400 metres then continuing to come together with TAVIGARDE for a distance.