STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Rotorua Racing Club Date: Tuesday 27 December 2016

Weather: Fine Track: Dead(4) Rail: 1 Metre

Stewards: B Jones (Chairman), J Oatham, W Robinson, D Wadley

Vet: R Costello Typist: P Laboyrie

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: MYSTERY MAN, DIG IT UP, JA JA BINKS, HIGHLY EXCESSIVE, LAMASON, ENDEAN ROSE,

NOVELTY, FOREIGNER

Suspensions: Nil Protests: Nil Fines: Nil

Warnings: Race 7 O Bosson NOVELTY

Shifting ground 350 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]

8 V Gatu DAINTY ROSE

Shifting ground 150 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]

Horse Actions: Race 1 RUN FORREST RUN – vet clearance including ECG required prior to racing next

7 **JET CHARGED** – vet clearance required prior to racing next

8 NO DOUBT A STAR – must trial prior to racing next

Follow Up: Nil

Medical Certificates: Nil

Rider Changes: Race 3 GOLDCHI – S Collett for D Prastiyou

Late Scratchings: Race 7 LADY PIMPERNEL – 4.04 pm on vet advice at start

GENERAL:

Nil			

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Nil			

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 RYDGES HOTEL ROTORUA 2200

SAVASON (R Elliot) – Reared at the start losing ground.

HAKKASAN (D Johnson) – Was hampered leaving the barriers when RUN FORREST RUN began awkwardly and shifted outwards.

BOYDY (Z Nor Azman) – Began awkwardly. Raced wide without cover throughout.

EL CORREDOR (S Weatherley) – Raced ungenerously when being restrained near the 1600 metres.

RUN FORREST RUN (M Du Plessis) – A post-race veterinary examination of RUN FORREST RUN found the gelding to have a high heart rate and a slow rate of recovery, with trainer Mr S Wenn being advised that a veterinary certificate of fitness including satisfactory ECG results is now required prior to racing again.

Race 2 MIKE HARNETT BUILDERS 1215

FEISTY JANE (C Grylls) – Jumped away very awkwardly losing ground (4L). When questioned regarding the performance rider C Grylls advised Stewards that after beginning awkwardly and settling back the filly had been unable to make up any ground.

COLLAY (D Johnson) – Was slow to begin before being further hampered when POPPY STAR shifted outwards leaving the barriers.

POUR IT ON (S Spratt) – Raced greenly when placed under pressure in the final straight.

POPPY STAR (R Elliot) – Was held up having to shift ground outwards approaching the 100 metres to obtain clear running.

NIGHTCAP (T Thornton) – Had to steady when placed in restricted room just short of the winning post.

Race 3 TE NGAE MOBIL 1215

SECRET DREAMS (L Satherley) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

DRAGON KINGDOM (C Grylls) – Commenced to race ungenerously passing the 1100 metres having to be firmly restrained for a distance, and as a result dropped back on to JANE'S SECRET which had to be firmly restrained. Made the bend near the 800 metres awkwardly.

JANE'S SECRET (T Miles) – Became awkwardly placed on heels near the 1000 metres having to be firmly restrained. Made the bend near the 800 metres awkwardly.

ORAISTE (A Collett) – Was steadied when placed in restricted room near the 800 metres when DRAGON KINGDOM (C Grylls) which was racing ungenerously shifted in with JANE'S SECRET (T Miles) which was also racing ungenerously shifting away from that runner. Apprentice T Miles was advised to exercise greater care.

RINGLOCK (R Elliot) - Raced wide without cover.

Race 4 BURTON CONSTRUCTION 1560

RED RAVEN (R Elliot) – Was slow to begin.

BATTLE ROYAL (A Jones) – Was slow to begin.

SEA BLINKA (V Gatu) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

Race 5 INTERISLANDER 1560

THE TALISMAN (S Spratt) – Was slow away.

WAWRINKA (B Hutton) – Became awkwardly placed on heels having to be restrained near the 1200 metres.

CIVIQUE ROSE (T Thornton) – Had a tendency to over-race in the middle stages.

FLANDERS (M Cameron) – When questioned regarding performance rider M Cameron advised that the mare may benefit from some easing of the ground. A post-race veterinary inspection did not reveal any abnormality.

AHJAY (M Coleman) – Rider M Coleman advised Stewards that his saddle shifted forward early in the running placing him at some disadvantage.

LAMASON (R Elliot) – When questioned regarding the improved performance of the gelding trainer Mr G Alton attributed the performance to the addition of blinkers, and he had been schooling the gelding as he had been very disappointed with its recent efforts.

Race 6 MACMILLAN ACCOUNTANTS 1950

PRIVATE HERO (D Johnson) – Was slow to begin.

BEYOND REACH (K McCulloch) – Began awkwardly making firm contact with CURIOUS. As a result BEYOND REACH lost ground.

ARCHDUCHESS (O Bosson) – Raced in restricted room approaching the 100 metres when improving into a marginal run between CURIOUS and VARRO.

JESDEMONA (S Spratt) – Lost the left front plate during the running.

Race 7 NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE

LADY PIMPERNEL (S Spratt) – Was removed from the barriers after becoming fractious being declared a late scratching acting upon veterinary advice at 4.04 pm.

KNIGHT'S PRINCESS (C Lammas) – Was slow to begin.

BLUE LAGOON (D Johnson) – Blundered leaving the barriers. Had to be steadied away from the heels of LEICA GLORY which shifted outwards when being restrained near the 1050 metres.

SHAMELESS (D Danis) – Raced three wide without cover.

QIKCAT (M Vance) – Raced ungenerously for a distance near the 1100 metres.

LEICA GLORY (M Coleman) – Commenced to over-race when being restrained near the 1050 metres.

LADY SHABEEL (B Hutton) – NOVELTY (O Bosson) shifted out approaching the 350 metres when not fully clear of LADY SHABEEL which was placed in restricted room when weakening having to be steadied. O Bosson was issued with a warning.

JET CHARGED (M Du Plessis) – When questioned regarding the performance rider M Du Plessis advised Stewards that the mare made abnormal breathing noises upon pulling up. A post-race veterinary examination, including endoscopic examination, revealed the mare to have an increased respiratory rate with increased mucous in the trachea requiring veterinary treatment. Trainer Mr B Hawtin was advised that a veterinary certificate would be required prior to JET CHARGED racing next.

Race 8 LIME CAFFETERIA 1400

MAJIC EL (R Elliot) – Knuckled leaving the barriers.

NEEDLEPOINT (D Johnson) – Began awkwardly.

NO DOUBT A STAR (C Grylls) – Shortly after the start commenced to buck for a distance losing ground. Co-trainer Mr T Cruz was advised that the gelding must trial to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to racing next. Steadied when crowded near the 150 metres by DAINTY ROSE (V Gatu) which shifted in. Also inconvenienced was TAAZMAN. Apprentice V Gatu was issued with a warning.

NEAT AZA PIN (S Weatherley) – Raced keenly when being restrained approaching the 1200 metres. Momentarily held up passing the 350 metres.

PLASTIC BERTRAND (M Cameron) – Lay out across heels rounding the turn near the 1200 metres forcing SCARLET PRINCESS outwards crowding TAAZMAN and FOREIGNER.

SCARLET PRINCESS (C Lammas) – Forced outwards approaching the 1200 metres.

FOREIGNER (O Bosson) – Crowded near the 1200 metres.

TAAZMAN (B R Jones) – Crowded near the 1200 metres, inconvenienced near the 150 metres.

DAINTY ROSE (V Gatu) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

SECRET LIAISON (A Collett) – Had to be firmly restrained when awkwardly placed on heels near the 700 metres dropping back on to NEAT AZA PIN.

SOLDIER FIELD (M Coleman) – Was denied clear running passing the 150 metres having to be steadied.

CHECKOUT (S Spratt) – Was unable to obtain clear running in the final straight going to the line untested.