STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Central Otago Racing Club Date: 3rd January 2017

Weather: Overcast Track: Dead 5 Rail: True

Stewards: M Davidson (Chairman), N McIntyre and L Tidmarsh

Veterinarian: Dr P Gillespie **Typist:** M O'Brien

GENERAL:

Pre-race blood testing was carried out at today's meeting.

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Nil

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: LIN, PLAY FOR TIME, LUKANDER, SKEEN, FLAG THE GROOM, THE BRAVE ONE, MELS EVIE, SECRET

POWER, ACCIDENTAL OFFSIDE.

Suspensions: Nil Race **Protests:** Nil Race Fines: Race Nil Warnings: Race Nil Follow Up Race Nil **Horse Actions:** Nil Race

Medical Certificates:

Race Nil

Nil

Late Scratching: Race 2 YOUNG URSULA – Veterinary advice at 11.54 a.m.

9 ALICE WEBB ELLIS – Veterinary advice at 4.19 p.m.

RACE COMMENTS:

Rider Changes:

Race 1 RURAL TRANSPORT LTD / HENNY PENNY MAIDEN 2000m

RED HOT PIRATE (C Barnes) – Slow to begin.

DISCUSSING FLAGS (L Callaway) – Raced wide from the 1000 metres.

GAZZA THE GURU (K Kalychurun) – Attempted to improve wide from the 800 metres.

TANIWHA (K Williams) – Lay out rounding the final bend.

Race 2 DUNSTAN HOTEL / OMAKAU AUTO CENTRE / SPEIGHT'S MAIDEN 1100m

YOUNG URSULA (P Shaikh) – Declared a late scratching on veterinary advice at 11.54 am after being found to be lame in the right front leg upon arrival at the race track.

PRETTY WHAIHINE (C Kwo) – Slow to begin. Angled wider for clear racing room at the 200 metres and over reacted shifting wider on the track inconveniencing GOLD CHARM. Then shifted in abruptly when struck with the whip passing the 150 metres momentarily inconveniencing UNICO. Apprentice C Kwo was shown a replay of his ride over the concluding stages

for educational purposes and advised he must make a better effort to keep his mount straight where possible.

GALWAY GARRY (K Kalychurun) – Began awkwardly and got back. Rider reported had raced greenly throughout.

UNICO (R Cuneen) – Got its head up when racing keenly in the early stages. Inconvenienced 150 metres. Raced in restricted room and buffeted over the concluding stages when racing tight between PRETTY WHAIHINE and THE LIKELY LAD who was laying out.

GOLD CHARM (R Yatim) – Raced greenly in the early stages and shifted wider on the track passing the 900 metres. Raced wide throughout. Inconvenienced at 200 metres.

HOOFBEAT (K Mudhoo) – Raced wide throughout. When spoken to regarding the performance of favoured runner rider K Mudhoo advised that he had been trapped wide throughout on a good tempo with the effort telling on the gelding over the concluding stages.

LITTLE BOSSING (S Muniandy) – Shifted in abruptly passing the 225 metres and had to be straightened.

Race 3 Z ALEXANDRA / PGG WRIGHTSON AON INSURANCE BROKERS HANDICAP 2000m

There was a delay to the start of this event when BLUES BREAKER (K Kalychurun) underwent a veterinary inspection after kicking out at the gates and was cleared to start.

LET'S (M Tanaka) – Began awkwardly. Had to be steadied when improving quickly onto the heels of the tiring BLUES BREAKER passing the 450 metres.

HE AIN'T HEAVY (L Callaway) – Slow to begin. Wide throughout.

ELVERA (S Wynne) – Began awkwardly losing ground. Improved wide from the 1000 metres.

BLUES BREAKER (K Kalychurun) – Underwent vet check prior to the race. Wide early stages. Gave ground from the 600 metres.

LUKANDER (P Shaikh) - Improved wide from the 1000 metres to lead at the 700 metres.

THE MAN (J Lowry) – When spoken to regarding the performance of favoured runner rider J Lowry reported that he had a nice trip throughout the running however when placed under pressure the gelding failed to respond and had been very disappointing.

Race 4 KAIMAI GRASSLANDS HANDICAP 2000m

ROSHEEN (K Williams) – Momentarily steadied passing the 1800 metres when RISING SON shifted in. Taken forward to sit outside the leader passing the 1500 metres. When spoken to regarding the performance rider K Williams reported that the mare had not travelled favourably when runners had improved round her mount and in her opinion the mare had not let down and believed that ROSHEEN felt awkward in its action. Miss Williams further added that in her opinion the mare had not backed up from its previous start two days ago. Stewards ordered a post-race veterinary inspection of ROSHEEN which revealed minor lacerations to the left hind leg consistent with striking itself during the running.

RISING SON (G Jogoo) – Got its head up when racing keenly in the early stages. Then had to be steadied off the heels of ROSHEEN when making the bend by the 1600 metres awkwardly and taken outwards by WILD JACK which was also making the bend awkwardly. Continued to race keenly through the early to middle stages getting its head up on a number of occasions.

WILD JACK (L Callaway) – Keen early and made first bend awkwardly shifting out taking RISING SON wider on the track across the heels of ROSHEEN.

STARBUCK (R Yatim) - Wide early stages.

HARDY'S REVENGE (M Tanaka) – Improved wide from the 800 metres.

QUINTASTICS (K Kalychurun) – Improved wide from the 800 metres.

KONA (S Muniandy) – Lay in across heels at the 100 metres and had to be steadied. When spoken to regarding the disappointing performance rider S Muniandy stated that in his opinion the tempo of the race had been unsuitable for the gelding after being taken back through the field through the early stages. Mr Muniandy added that in his opinion the gelding may be better suited to a more rain affected going.

Race 5 WHITE ROBE LODGE CLARE MEMORIAL GOLD CUP 2000m

TAKE FIRE (K Mudhoo) – Bounded at the start losing ground. Held up early in the run home. Raced in restricted room in the shadows of the post.

GALLANT DAN (J Lowry) – Got its head up passing the 1800 metres when being restrained to take a position.

GUNNA FLY (T Moseley) – Had to be steadied off heels at the 1200 metres as the pace of the race eased slightly.

KEEP THE COURAGE (K Kalychurun) – Attempted to improve wide from the 700 metres.

VANTAA (K Williams) – Held up for the majority of the run home and went to the line not fully tested by its rider.

Race 6 RANFURLY HOTEL / BREEN CONSTRUCTION MAIDEN 1400m

ENSIGN (R Cuneen) - Slow to begin.

TOBY TYLER (K Kalychurun) – Shifted out at the start hampering HAKA STAR with both runners losing ground.

HAKA STAR (T Moseley) – Hampered start losing ground.

SMOKE 'EM WILSON (D Bothamley) – Raced keenly when leading through the early to middle stages.

THE STYLE (S Wynne) – Lay out rounding the final bend.

EDWARD (C Barnes) – Lay out passing the 100 metres and had to be steadied off the heels of THE BRAVE ONE which shifted in slightly.

Race 7 TIGERHILL LODGE HANDICAP 1400m

MELS EVIE (R Cuneen) – Underwent vet inspection after contacting Birdcage post enroute to the start and was cleared to start. Got its head up for several strides at the 1200 metres when making the first bend awkwardly. Continued to race keenly through the early stages.

HOT TEMPO (M Tanaka) – Slow into stride and shortly afterwards was crowded and had to steady when SIR SINGO was taken in by ENZED JEWEL which lay in shortly after the start losing ground.

ENZED JEWEL (K Williams) – Lay in shortly after the start crowding inside runners. Raced keenly early stages.

FANTAMO (R Yatim) – Wide throughout.

SALLY GETCHA GUN (T Moseley) – Held up rounding the final bend and for the majority of the run home, improved into a marginal run at the 75 meters and raced in restricted room from that point.

THE BARMAID (J Lowry) – Rider J Lowry reported that the mare had felt flat throughout the running and was of the opinion that it may be better suited to a more rain affected going.

Race 8 ALEXANDRA NEW WORLD CENTRAL OTAGO SUMMER CUP 1400m

GALLANT BOY (J Lowry) – Blundered as the start was made.

ANOTHER COUP (K Mudhoo) – Very slow to begin.

FASTFOOT (S Wynne) – Was slow to begin. Race wide throughout.

SECRET POWER (K Williams) – Raced very wide into the first bend.

FULL COUNT (T Moseley) – Got its head up on several occasions when racing keenly in the early stages.

LOCHAN ORA (K Kalychurun) – Held up for the majority of the run home when attempting a marginal run to the inside of NEWS FLASH (C Barnes) which was laying in. After viewing replays and interviewing riders Stewards determined that LOCHAN ORA had never been established into the run but advised Miss Barnes that she must exercise great care and attempt to keep her mount straight at all times.

TIMY TYLER (D Bothamley) – When questioned regarding the performance rider D Bothamley could offer no tangible explanation, advising that the gelding had been under pressure a long way out from the finish.

Race 9 DUNCAN AGRICULTURAL SERVICES HANDICAP 1400m

ALICE WEBB ELLIS (M Tanaka) – Late scratching on veterinary advice at 4.19 pm when found to have a swollen knee after knocking it in a yard at the race course.

BACK IN THE DAY (C Kwo) – Was slow through the early stages. Had to change ground outwards at the 200 metres to find clear racing room.

THEM OR US (S Wynne) – Had to be steadied passing the 1100 meters when racing keenly. Held up for the majority of the run home only gaining clear racing room inside the final 50 metres and then had to steady in the shadows of the post when awkwardly placed on the heels of HE'S MI BROTHER.

KING PIN (G Jogoo) – Wide throughout.

SHOWEMUP (K Kalychurun) – Held up rounding final bend and early in the run home then shifted ground outwards passing the 150 metres and in doing so inconvenienced ALL THINGS NICE. Held up the final 75 metres and went to the line under a hold.

ALL THINGS NICE (C Barnes) - Held up early in the run home. Inconvenienced 150 metres.