

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Otago Racing Club	Date:	Thursday 26 th January 2017
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Dead (4)		
Rail:	+3 metres, true position in home straight		
Stewards:	L Tidmarsh (Chairman), M Davidson, C Boyd		
Vet:	S Bransgrove		
Stenographer:	M O'Brien		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	MAJORCA, DARCI INN, WHAT A DEEZA, SILVERMIST, LITTLE MISS, INTENSE, COUNTESS RUBY, DOUBLE BLUE, DONTPOKETHETIGER.		
Suspensions:	Race		Nil
Protests:	Race		Nil
Fines:	Race		Nil
Warnings:	Race		Nil
Horse Actions:	Race	8	BRIDGET TOWN – Proved reluctant to load – barrier warning
Follow Up:	Race		Nil
Medical Certificates:			Nil
Rider Changes:	Race		Nil
Late Scratchings:	Race		Nil

GENERAL:

Nil

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Nil

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	THEO DITFORT MEMORIAL 820M
WESTEND MADAM (S Collett) – Slow to begin. Held up rounding the home turn and through the early stages of the final straight until near the 150 metres.	
NEVER YOU MIND (C Barnes) – Slow to begin. Had difficulty obtaining clear racing room in the early stages of the final straight.	
SUPATWISTA (A Collett) – Began awkwardly losing ground. Angled wider on the track near the 300 metres to obtain clear running.	
ZESPRIT (S Wynne) – Began awkwardly.	

PRINCESS JUBILEE (S Wahab) – Raced wide and without cover throughout. Shifted inwards under pressure near the 250 metres and had to be straightened.

RICHIE ROX (T Wenn) – Steadied momentarily passing the 100 metres when attempting a narrow run to the inside of GOLD CHARM which lay inwards.

LITTLE BOSSING (S Muniandy) – When questioned regarding performance rider S Muniandy could offer no tangible explanation stating that the gelding had been under pressure throughout.

Race 2 CB RENTALS 2200M

DARCI INN (G Jogoo) – Began awkwardly losing ground. Shifted outwards under pressure over the concluding stages.

ENVIRO MAN (S Muniandy) – Began awkwardly and shifted outwards bumping with ONTHESAUCE. Rider S Muniandy was spoken to advisedly regarding the use of his whip prior to the 200 metres.

ONTHESAUCE (E Farr) – Bumped leaving the barriers.

BLACK EYED SUSAN (S Collett) – Crowded at the start.

WINGS OF VICTORY (L Callaway) – Over-raced in the early stages and near the 1150 metres had to be steadied when awkwardly placed near the heels of JUSTRUSH.

MADAM DE SOIR (R Cuneen) – Held up for some distance passing the 450 metres.

Race 3 BEEYU 2200M

LADY LINDAUER (T Wenn) – Slow to begin. Outpaced in the early stages despite the efforts of its rider.

KEEP THE LOT (G Jogoo) – Slow to begin.

GOTTAGETMYWOOHOO (T Jonker) – Raced four wide in the early stages.

ASOMA (K Williams) – Over-raced for a short distance passing the 1100 metres. Shifted inwards under pressure near the 250 metres and had to be straightened.

WHAT A DEEZA (S Collett) – Raced three-wide without cover through the early and middle stages. Shifted inwards under pressure near the 250 metres inconveniencing RISING SON and when being corrected shifted outwards. Continued to lay inwards under pressure for the remainder of the event.

RISING SON (C Barnes) – Inconvenienced near the 250 metres.

STARBUCK (K Kalychurun) – Held up rounding the final bend and near the 200 metres had to be steadied momentarily when placed in restricted room between ASOMA which shifted inwards under pressure and WHAT A DEEZA which shifted outwards when being corrected by its rider.

Race 4 THE MILLBROOK MAIDEN 1200M

PATROMIA (J Lowry) – Slow to begin. Held up for a short distance near the 350 metres. Had difficulty obtaining clear racing room near the 150 metres having to be shifted outwards across heels to obtain clear running.

PLOWSHARE (R Cuneen) – Jumped outwards leaving the barrier crowding DIORISSIMO. Raced three-wide without cover throughout.

DIORISSIMO (E Farr) – Crowded at the start.

FRESHMAN (L Callaway) – Began awkwardly and shifted inwards crowding PRETTY WHAIHINE.

PRETTY WHAIHINE (S Muniandy) – Crowded at the start. When questioned regarding performance rider S Muniandy was of the opinion the filly may be better suited to a more rain affected going.

MISS KNAPDALE (C Barnes) – Lost contact with the field passing the 500 metres and was not persevered with. When questioned regarding the performance rider C Barnes was unable to offer any tangible explanation. Connections advised that they would be reassessing the racing future of the mare.

JANEFIELD JEWEL (S Wahab) – Held up momentarily near the 300 metres.

GRACIOUS LUCK (S Collett) – When questioned regarding the seemingly disappointing performance rider S Collett advised that the filly had raced greenly throughout and may benefit from today's experience.

SILVERMIST (K Williams) – Rider K Williams advised that the mare had felt indifferent in its action upon return to scale, with a subsequent veterinary examination revealing superficial abrasions consistent with being galloped on during the running.

Race 5	COLIN WALTERS OF METRO REALTY 1200M
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QUIZ (S Wynne) – Blundered leaving the barrier. Steadied momentarily passing the 100 metres.

TWIZEL GURU (S Muniandy) – Bumped by NITE FLIGHT at the start, blundered shortly after. Held up for a short distance near the 300 metres.

BRUNELLO (R Cuneen) – Over-raced in the early stages. When questioned regarding the performance rider R Cuneen reported the gelding had proved disappointing when placed under pressure in the final straight however could offer no tangible explanation. Rider Cuneen added that in his opinion the gelding was now searching for a further distance at this stage of its preparation.

TAXIHOME (K Williams) – Raced three-wide without cover throughout. Rider K Williams reported that the gelding was inclined to hang inwards throughout.

MAJIC EL (D Bothamley) – Steadied for a short distance near the 500 metres when awkwardly placed near the heels of BRUNELLO.

NITE FLIGHT (S Wahab) – Began awkwardly. Rider lost his whip passing the 400 metres.

LITTLE MISS (A Collett) – Shifted outwards under pressure passing the 100 metres momentarily hampering QUIZ. Rider A Collett was advised to exercise greater care.

Race 6	KB CONTRACTORS 1200M
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COFFEE (W Papier) – Slow to begin. Over-raced in the early stages and passing the 800 metres had to be steadied when awkwardly placed to the inside of ALL THINGS NICE.

INTENSE (K Kalychurun) – Began awkwardly.

DAN CUGAT (S Wynne) – Steadied near the 1100 metres when racing to the outside of GOOD MAMA (K Williams) which shifted inwards. Rider K Williams was advised to exercise greater care. Raced four-wide without cover

throughout.

TIGER CLAWS (D Bothamley) – Over-raced in the early stages.

EAGLE MAGIC (S Wahab) – Raced three-wide without cover throughout.

ALL THINGS NICE (A Collett) – Steadied when placed in restricted room passing the 400 metres.

CRYSTALIGHT (T Moseley) – Steadied passing 400 metres when awkwardly placed near heels of ALL THINGS NICE.

FLICKA OF GOLD (T Wenn) – Held up passing the 200 metres having to shift ground outwards across heels to obtain clear running. Inconvenienced over the concluding stages

THE MUSIC GURU (E Farr) – Inconvenienced over the concluding stages.

PASSITO (R Cuneen) – Shifted outwards under pressure over the final 150 metres inconveniencing THE MUSIC GURU and FLICKA OF GOLD. Rider R Cuneen was advised to exercise greater care and in future is expected to make a greater effort to straighten his mounts sooner than he did so on this occasion.

Race 7 | **VANESSA CELEBRATING 70 IN FEBRUARY 1600M**

THE STYLE (S Wynne) – Slow to begin. Steadied when awkwardly placed near heels passing the 600 metres. Held up momentarily near the 250 metres.

NASA (J Lowry) – Came together and bumped with SILVER SPIER at the start. Weakened from the 400 metres. When questioned regarding the performance rider J Lowry advised that despite being taken on during the early and middle stages the gelding had failed to respond to his urgings from the 500 metres. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities.

SILVER SPIER (T Moseley) – Came together and bumped with NASA at the start.

SHARP ELLE (K Williams) – Blundered leaving the barrier. Heavily restrained and became held up passing the 400 metres when trailing the weakening NASA.

RED TEMPEST (A Collett) – Shifted inwards abruptly on jumping making heavy contact with MISTY TRELLA. Raced three-wide without cover throughout.

MISTY TRELLA (W Papier) – Heavily contacted by RED TEMPEST at the start. Raced wide for the majority of the event.

SEBRING DRAGON (G Jogoo) – Over-raced in the early and middle stages.

NETHERTOWN EXPRESS (S Collett) – Improved wide from the 800 metres.

Race 8 | **POSITIVE SIGNS 1500M**

BRIDGET TOWN (T Jonker) – Proved reluctant to load into the barrier with a barrier warning being placed against the mare's record. Tightened and checked passing the 300 metres when racing between DOUBLE BLUE (T Moseley) which angled outwards and NEWS FLASH (S Wahab). Rider T Moseley defended a charge of careless riding under Rule 638(1)(d) and after hearing all evidence and viewing the available video footage the JCA dismissed the charge.

GALLANT DEFENDER (S Muniandy) – Slow to begin. When questioned about the performance rider S Muniandy could offer no tangible explanation stating that the gelding had been under pressure a long way from home. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities.

LANDALES GOLD (S Collett) – Slow to begin.

JACKFROST (L Callaway) – Slow to begin.

NEWS FLASH (S Wahab) – Raced three wide throughout.

ALL JOKES ASIDE (K Kalychurun) – Raced keenly in the early stages.

Race 9

CHAMPIONS DAY AT WINGATUI 4TH FEB 1600M

WILD WINGS (R Yatim) – Slow to begin. Held up passing the 150 metres, and then had difficulty obtaining clear racing room over the concluding stages.

GALELLA (C Barnes) – Raced wide and without cover throughout.

TANTELLA (G Jogoo) – Over-raced in the early stages.

TWILIGHT REBEL (L Callaway) – Held up for a distance passing the 400 metres.

FLYING SARDINE (K Kalychurun) – Held up rounding the final bend and through the early and middle stages of the final straight until passing the 100 metres.