

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Counties Racing Club	Date:	Saturday, 28 January 2017
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Dead (4), upgraded to Good (3) retrospective to Race 5		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	M Williamson (Chairman), A Coles, B Jones, W Robinson		
Vet:	Dr I Bridge		
Typist:	P Laboyrie		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	DALEZINGA, ITS OUR SHOWTIME, AIM SMART, IRISH MOON, STRADA CAVALLO, SACRED WAY, CONSENSUS, MONGOLIAN WOLF		
Suspensions:	Nil		
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Nil		
Warnings:	Race	2	V Colgan SWISS MOMENTS Shifting ground 400 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
		7	A Collett CONSENSUS Shifting ground 1400 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
Horse Actions:	Nil		
Follow Up:	Race	4	SARACINO
		8	CAPRIKOSA
Medical Certificates:	Nil		
Rider Changes:	Nil		
Late Scratchings:	Nil		

GENERAL:

Nil

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Nil

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	SSANGYONG 2100
IMPERIUM (C Lammas) – Was slow to begin.	
SMEDLEY (S McKay) – S McKay was reminded of his obligations with regard to whip use prior to the 200 metres.	
Race 2	MOUNT SHOP 1200
CHATHAM WHISPER (T Thornton) – Began awkwardly shifting in and crowding BABE.	

BABE (D Prastiyou) – Crowded at the start losing ground.

SWISS MOMENTS (V Colgan) – Was crowded shortly after the start having to be steadied. Was held up early in the final straight before shifting ground outwards passing the 400 metres to obtain clear.

MELODY CELEBRE (A Collett) – Crowded and briefly hampered passing the 400 metres by **SWISS MOMENTS** (V Colgan) which shifted out when not fully clear. Rider **V Colgan** was issued with a warning.

FIERTE (R Elliot) – Began awkwardly and shifted outwards abruptly with the rider becoming unbalanced with **FIERTE** losing considerable ground.

ITS OUR SHOWTIME (C Lammas) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

BOLD BACHELOR (H Marzuki) – Raced in restricted room early in the final straight.

Race 3	HAUNUI FARM 2YO
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TARZAN (S Spratt) – Was crowded shortly after the start having to be steadied.

SUMMER PASSAGE (C Grylls) – Raced keenly in the early and middle stages, and as a result was obliged to race wide without cover for the majority of the race.

ONEZEROFIVE (D Prastiyou) – Became awkwardly placed on heels when making the bend near the 900 metres and steadied with **JOYFILLY** then improving on to that runner's heels and steadying.

JOYFILLY (M Hills) – Steadied when awkwardly placed 900 metres.

Race 4	NRM 1200
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FORTUNE KNIGHT (H Marzuki) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

CARTELL (A Collett) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

SOMETHINGVAIN (S Spratt) – Lay in under pressure approaching the 200 metres placing **WATCH THIS SPACE** (B R Jones) in restricted room. **WATCH THIS SPACE** then continued to race in restricted room for a distance making contact with **SOMETHINGVAIN** which lay in and away from **CARTELL** (A Collett) which had shifted in slightly with **SOMETHINGVAIN** and **WATCH THIS SPACE** then buffeting for a distance with **SOMETHINGVAIN** being steadied near the 100 metres. Riders B R Jones, S Spratt and A Collett were all advised to exercise greater care in similar circumstances.

WATCH THIS SPACE (B R Jones) – Raced in restricted room passing the 200 metres then making contact for a distance.

SARACINO (C Grylls) – Made the bend awkwardly passing the 900 metres. When questioned regarding the performance, rider C Grylls advised that the colt travelled well throughout but when placed under pressure near the 300 metres had failed to run on as expected. **SARACINO** underwent a post-race veterinary examination which could find no obvious abnormality.

Race 5	FASTTRACK INSURANCE 1300
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SELFIE (A Collett) – Was slow to begin. Over-raced becoming awkwardly placed passing the 700 metres.

CLOVELLY PARK (J Fawcett) – Began awkwardly making contact with **LET HER RIP** which also had begun awkwardly. Over-raced when the pace steadied passing the 900 metres making the bend awkwardly.

LET HER RIP (S Weatherley) – Began awkwardly losing ground. Over-raced when the pace steadied passing the 900 metres making the bend awkwardly, then being steadied to obtain cover. LET HER RIP had to shift out passing the 200 metres to obtain clear running.

LATIN ROSE (C Lammas) – Was steadied when awkwardly placed inside the heels of CHACHAR (C Grylls) which shifted in passing the 1200 metres. Rider C Grylls was reprimanded and advised he must exercise greater care.

MARTINIZ SPECIAL (M Hills) – Over-raced in the early to middle stages. Lay out under pressure in the final straight becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of LATIN ROSE on a number of occasions.

SABOTAGE (V Colgan) – Received veterinary attention following the race after being found to be to be mildly lame in near foreleg.

Race 6	SSANGYONG 1400
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BARABAS (A Collett) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

KINGSMAN (C Lammas) – Commenced to over-race and was hampered passing the 1300 metres when becoming awkwardly placed inside the heels of ICHIBAN which commenced to race ungenerously.

ICHIBAN (C Grylls) – Raced ungenerously in the early and middle stages, making the bend awkwardly passing the 900 metres.

BOJANGLES (D Prastiyou) – Raced in restricted room making brief contact passing the 250 metres.

Race 7	LONE STAR PUKEKOHE OPEN MILE
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OUR KING SWAY (S McKay) – Was crowded leaving the barriers having to be steadied.

GENTIL TONTON (B R Jones) – Was slow to begin.

RONCHI (G Cooksley) – Approaching the 1400 metres RONCHI commenced to over-race when awkwardly placed inside of CONSENSUS (A Collett) which shifted in when not fully clear. RONCHI then steadied and shifted to the outside of CONSENSUS and improved forward to sit outside the leader. **A Collett** was advised a warning would be placed on her record. RONCHI then over-raced in the early to middle stages on a slow pace.

MAID OF STEEL (V Colgan) – Over-raced in the early to middle stages on a slow pace.

MARCIANO (D Prastiyou) – Over-raced in the early to middle stages on a slow pace.

CONSENSUS (A Collett) – Lost the left front plate during the running.

Race 8	NRM 1600
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RYKER (B Hutton) – Was slow to begin.

FIVE OFF THE TEE (S Weatherley) – Was briefly steadied approaching the 400 metres after becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of IRISH MIST (S Spratt) which shifted in. S Spratt was advised she must exercise greater care in similar circumstances.

MONGOLIAN WOLF (C Grylls) – Lay in under pressure passing the 200 metres inconveniencing SLICE OF CAKE.

SLICE OF CAKE (V Colgan) – Inconvenienced 200 metres.

CAPRIKOSA (D Prastiyou) – When questioned regarding performance rider D Prastiyou advised that the impost of 59 kilograms had not suited the mare today. CAPRIKOSA underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any obvious abnormality.