



## STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

### MEETING DETAILS:

<b>Club:</b>	Manawatu Racing Club at Woodville	<b>Date</b>	Saturday 11 February 2017
<b>Weather:</b>	Fine		
<b>Track:</b>	Dead 4 – upgraded to Good 3 following race 3.		
<b>Rail:</b>	True		
<b>Stewards:</b>	N Goodwin (Chairman) G Whiterod, D Balcombe and B Bateup.		
<b>Vet:</b>	L Russell		
<b>Typist:</b>	P Penketh		

### SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	PRINCE OZ; MARGOT; FIBONACCI; MISS WILSON; SHADOW FOX; IRISH CHAT; HANDFULL; SCOOTA BROWN		
Suspensions:	Race	6	D Bradley – careless riding [(Rule 638 (1) (d))] Suspended from close of racing on 18 February 2017 until close of racing on 25 February 2017. (4 days)
Protests:	Race		
Fines:	Race		
Warnings:	Race	1	R Goldsbury – careless riding - Rule 638 (1) (d)
Horse Actions:	Race		
Follow Up:	Race	6	GARFUNKEL
Medical Certificates:			
Rider Changes:	Race		
Late Scratchings:	Race	5	SHADOWS CAST @ 7.50am on vet’s advice

### GENERAL:

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### SUPPLEMENTARY:

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### RACE COMMENTS:

<b>Race 1</b>	<b>MURRAY FREE CONTRACTING LTD MAIDEN</b>
<b>PRINCE OZ</b> (R Elliot) – Awkwardly away.	
<b>THATS AMORE</b> (M Tanaka) - Jumped out abruptly at the start dictating SEA STAR onto RUSTY IN MELBOURNE which settled back.	
<b>SEA STAR</b> (S Collett) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.	
<b>CASSINO TO TRIESTE</b> (S McKay) – Had to steady near the 1100 metres when crossed by MAN IN THE MOON (R Goldsbury) which was not sufficiently clear. R Goldsbury was issued with a warning under Rule 638 (1) (d).	
<b>MAN IN THE MOON</b> (R Goldsbury) – Hung rounding the final bend and into the home straight.	

<b>NESBO</b> – Trainer reported the gelding got its tongue over the bit during the running.	
<b>Race 2</b>	<b>CHRIS GOMMANS CONTRACTING 3YO MAIDEN</b>
<p><b>MARGOT</b> (R Myers) – Began awkwardly</p> <p><b>MIRI’S BELT</b> (R Elliot) – Tightened shortly after the start and settled back.</p> <p><b>DON BLANCO</b> (D Bradley) – Over-raced throughout having to be restrained on several occasions. Had to be angled off heels passing the 400 metres and bumped with SAINT CROIX when doing so.</p> <p><b>SAINT CROIX</b> (S McKay) – Hung in when under pressure in the home straight.</p>	
<b>Race 3</b>	<b>ROWDEN ELECTRICAL HANDICAP</b>
<p><b>DEJA ROO</b> (L Hemi) – Very slow away</p> <p><b>CLASSIC TOUCH</b> (D Turner) – Bumped start settled back.</p> <p><b>THE BANDITO</b> (S Collett) – Bumped start.</p> <p><b>AWATANE</b> (R Elliot) – Over raced approaching the 800 metres.</p> <p><b>ASCENT FORTUNE</b> (E Farr) – Jumped outwards abruptly at the start.</p> <p><b>PLATINUM VALENCE</b> (S McKay) – Raced three-wide without cover. Lay out under pressure near the 100 metres and was unable to be ridden out to full advantage.</p> <p><b>DANMULAN</b> (D Bradley) – Over-raced early. Was inclined to lay in under pressure in the home straight.</p>	
<b>Race 4</b>	<b>ARANUI HARVESTERS HANDICAP</b>
<p><b>ABBAY ROAD</b> (S McKay) – Blundered on leaving the barrier dislodging rider S McKay who was uninjured. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to have suffered a slight abrasion to the near foreleg fetlock.</p> <p><b>MISS WILSON</b> (S Collett) – Shifted out to allow riderless horse through near the 800 metres. Had to shift ground outward to avoid the riderless horse near the 150 metres.</p> <p><b>PAKAPUNCH</b> (M Tanaka) – Shifted out near the 800 metres to allow riderless horse through. Dictated wide by the riderless horse on the home turn.</p> <p><b>ALL IN LUCK</b> (C Waddell) – Dictated wide by the riderless horse on the home turn</p>	
<b>Race 5</b>	<b>CARTERS ASHHURST-POHANGINA CUP</b>
<p><b>BLATHWAYT</b> (R Elliot) - Was slow to begin.</p> <p><b>ETERNITY</b> (S Collett) - Bumped at start.</p> <p><b>MORSE CODE</b> (L Hemi) – Bumped at start</p> <p><b>SHADOW FOX</b> (D Turner) – Made contact with the running rail near the 300 metres.</p>	
<b>Race 6</b>	<b>WENHAM GRAIN &amp; SEED HANDICAP</b>

**SANJARA** (R Elliot) – Raced wide without cover throughout. Checked when weakening near the 200 metres by COOL TART (D Bradley) which was angled out to obtain clear running. D Bradley admitted a charge of careless riding under Rule 638 (1) (d) in that he angled his mount out when not clear and was suspended by the JCA from the close of racing on Saturday 18 February 2017 until the close of racing on Saturday 25 February 2017 (4 days).

COOL TART (D Bradley) held up early in home straight.

**DR WATSON** (S Collett) – Was bumped on a number of occasions early in the home straight.

**GARFUNKEL** (E Farr) - Raced wide throughout. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a delayed recovery with an elevated respiratory rate indicating possible heat exhaustion.

**CHISPA DE LA VIDA** (L Hemi) – Held up rounding the home turn.

**YODELAY** (S McKay) – Finished some distance last. Rider reported the mare was unsuited to the firm going underfoot.

<b>Race 7</b>	<b>THE TANK GUY MAIDEN</b>
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**CULLEN BOHANNON** (E Farr) – Underwent a veterinary inspection at the start and was cleared to race after dislodging the rider during the preliminary and galloping a short distance. Bumped entering the home straight.

**STAROSSA** (C Perrett) – Slow away.

**LORD OF LIGHT** (H Tinsley) – Raced four-wide throughout.

**CLASS ABOVE** (N Teeluck) – Checked near the 800 metres and lost ground after being tightened while racing to the inside of AUDACIOUS middle and CULLEN BOHANNON on the outer which was hanging inwards. Video footage proved inconclusive but after interviewing riders Stewards were satisfied with the explanation given by Miss Farr that the movement was beyond her control due to the geldings hanging tendency.

**HOLLYPOP** (R Elliot) – Held up for a short distance prior to the home turn.

**TREBBIANO** – Shifted out and bumped CULLEN BOHANNON entering the home straight.

**THE RIPPA** (M Tanaka) – Finished well back. Rider reported the gelding may have held its breath during the running.

<b>Race 8</b>	<b>ASHHURST INN BUSINESS HOUSE HANDICAP</b>
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**JUDI ANNE** (D Hirini) - Slow away. Had to ease approaching the turn when in restricted room.

**EEPA NEEMA** (D Bradley) – Over-raced in the early and middle stages.

**ALPINE JULZ** (N Teeluck) – Held up shortly after entering the final straight.

**TARAHIRA** (R Myers) – Held up for some distance approaching the 400 metres.

**THE DUKE OF JAZZ** (E Farr) – Rider E Farr was reminded of her obligation to ride her mount out fully to the finish after relaxing her ride over the final stages. Stewards were satisfied her finishing position was not compromised on this occasion.

