

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Otago Racing Club at Cromwell	Date:	Sunday 27 th November 2016
Weather:	Overcast/Fine		
Track:	Dead 4		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	M Davidson (Chairman), J Oatham and J McLaughlin		
Typist:	M O'Brien		

GENERAL:

Rider breath testing was carried out at today's meeting. All riders provided clear samples.

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Nil

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:		FLYING SARDINE, LIZZIE BORDON, OPIHI RANGER, ELUSIVE BOXERS, BARCLAY CREEK, MEURSAULT, MISSTEEFLYING, REVELATOR, MULBERRY, FASCINATE.
Suspensions:	Race 4	S Wynne FLYTIME Careless riding 200 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended from Sunday 4 th December to Thursday 15 th December inclusive (5 days)
	Race 10	K Williams MULBERRY Careless riding 50 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended from Saturday 3 rd December to Friday 16 th December inclusive (3 days)
Protests:	Race	Nil
Fines:	Race 2	J Lowry HERBIE Unable to claim down to his declared riding weight [Rule 330(3)(c)] Fined \$200
	Race 3	R Black THE GORE HARPOON Overweight [Rule 330(3)(c)] Fined \$100
Warnings:	Race 3	S Wahab GALLANT BOY Shifting Ground 700 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
	Race 5	R Black MADAM DE SOIR Unnecessary use of whip [Rule 638(3)(b)(i)]
	Race 6	G Jogoo RIDEITLIKEYOUSTOLEIT Shifting Ground 350 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
	Race 7	C Johnson MEURSAULT Shifting Ground 900 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
	Race 7	A Collett SIGNIFY Shifting Ground 150 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
Horse Actions:	Race 1	STEP INSIDE LOVE – Vet clearance required
	Race 1	CARD SHARK – Required to barrier trial satisfactorily
	Race 9	GUNNA FLY – Vet clearance required
	Race 10	SNIPARINDA – Barrier manners warning
Follow Up:	Race	Nil
Medical Certificates:		Nil
Rider Changes:	Race 3	THE GORE HARPOON - T Moseley replaced R Black (Overweight)
	Race 4	DAIFUKU - L Callaway replaced C Spittles (Aggravated wrist injury)
	Race 6	SAPERAVIOUS - T Moseley replaced C Spittles

Late Scratchings:	Race 1	CARD SHARK - At 12.11 pm – refusing to parade at the start
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RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	CENTRAL LAKES EQUESTRIAN CENTRE MAIDEN 1400m
<p>CARD SHARK (R Black) – Was late scratched at 12.11 pm when refusing to parade to the start. The connections were advised the gelding must trial before returning to the races. The connections advised that they will not be persevering with CARD SHARK as a racing prospect.</p> <p>RAISE THE BELLE (T Moseley) – Was slow away.</p> <p>KARAYAH (M Tanaka) – Jumped away awkwardly before being further hampered shortly after the start when FITSANDGIGGLES lay out. Hampered approaching the 100 metres when KWEZI shifted outwards.</p> <p>FITSANDGIGGLES (C Barnes) – Raced wide without cover and made the bend near the 700 metres awkwardly.</p> <p>BOBTAIL (G Jogoo) – Had to be restrained at the 700 metres when improving onto the heels of KWEZI.</p> <p>KWEZI (C Johnson) – Had to be firmly restrained when improving onto heels passing the 700 metres.</p> <p>SHOWYOUHOW (K Williams) – Hung inwards in the final straight and was unable to be fully ridden out as a result. Rider K Williams advised that she had recommended gear changes to the trainer.</p> <p>STEP INSIDE LOVE (L Callaway) – Rider reported the mare to be sore on return to the scale. A post-race veterinary inspection revealed a left foreleg suspensory ligament injury. The connections were advised the mare would require a vet clearance before resuming racing.</p>	
Race 2	THE BROOKLYN BARBER MAIDEN 1400m
<p>HERBIE (J Lowry) – Was slow away. Rider J Lowry admitted a breach of Rule 330(3)(c) in that he was unable to claim down to his declared riding weight. As there was no suitable replacement rider available J Lowry was permitted to ride HERBIE at the carded weight.</p> <p>ANGEL (K Kalychurun) and SUSIE WOLFF (S Wynne) – Bumped when leaving the barriers.</p> <p>SEBRING DRAGON (R Black) – Began awkwardly crowding OH NOVA onto SATIN JITTERBUG.</p> <p>OH NOVA (R Hannam) – Crowded at the start.</p> <p>SATIN JITTERBUG (T Moseley) – Crowded at the start.</p> <p>STRATEGUS (K Williams) – Raced wide throughout.</p> <p>TAXIHOME (A Collett) – Had to be steadied off heels passing the 1200 metres when racing keenly. Rider reported that the gelding had hung throughout and pulled up sore. A post-race veterinary inspection revealed no abnormalities.</p> <p>EDWARD (D Bothamley) – Was crowded and had to steady passing the 175 metres when STRATEGUS shifted in and away from SEBRING DRAGON which was also laying in at this point. Rider advised that although he had to work early to obtain a position he was disappointed with the gelding’s effort and could offer no tangible excuse.</p> <p>PLOWSHARE (C Johnson) – Held up briefly early in the run home gaining clear racing room inside the final 200 metres.</p> <p>SUSIE WOLFF (S Wynne) – Held up rounding final bend and early in the run home only gaining clear racing room inside the final 150 metres.</p> <p>MY PLAN (L Callaway) – Held up rounding the final bend and early in the run home.</p>	
Race 3	OTAGO LIFE MEMBERS RATING 85 1220m
<p>THE GORE HARPOON – R Black was unable to make the weight being replaced by T Moseley. R Black was fined \$200 under the minor infringement schedule.</p>	

ALL SPICE (D Bothamley) – Began awkwardly.

IRISH CALL (S Wynne) – Was steadied when placed in restricted room to the inside of **GALLANT BOY** which shifted inwards going into the bend near the 700 metres. Apprentice S Wahab was warned under Rule 638(1)(d). Received contact to hind quarters near the 150 metres.

GALLANT BOY (S Wahab) – Made contact with the hind quarters of **IRISH CALL** when taken out by **GALLANT DAN** (C Barnes) near the 150 metres. C Barnes was advised she must exercise greater care.

PINZANO (K Williams) – Shifted outwards under pressure in the final straight finishing wider on the track.

Race 4	QUARTZ REEF WINES RATING 65 1220m
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DONTPOKETHETIGER (A Collett) – Was slow away. Had to be severely restrained off the heels of **KASUNDI** which was being steadied near the 500 metres when placed in restricted room to the inside of **FLYTIME** (S Wynne) which had **MACY** (C Johnson) racing to its outside. With footage of the incident proving inconclusive riders Wynne and Johnson were advised on this occasion to exercise greater care. **PATRICK ERIN** had to be steadied off the heels of **DONTPOKETHETIGER** at this point as well.

KASUNDI (G Jogoo) – Had to be steadied near the 500 metres.

PATRICK ERIN (J Lowry) – Steadied off heels 500 metres. Held up momentarily passing the 100 metres.

SHOWEMUP (C Barnes) – Was slow away. Finished a distance last. Rider reported the filly was making unusual breathing noises during the running. Stewards ordered a post-race veterinary inspection revealed a suspected soft palate displacement. Trainer S McKay advised that she believed the tongue tie had moved forward during the running.

FLYTIME (S Wynne) – Shifted outwards leaving the barriers making contact with **KNUTQUACKER** resulting in crowding to **THEM OR US**, **PATRICK ERIN**, **ENTRÉE** and **IN DANGER**.

THEM OR US (D Bothamley) – Had to be steadied for some distance passing the 700 metres when crowded by **IN DANGER** which shifted in when being steadied off the heels of the runner in front.

PASSITO (K Kalychurun) – Crowded and buffeted at 200 metres.

S Wynne – Admitted a charge of careless riding in that she permitted her mount **FLYTIME** to shift outwards near the 200 metres when there was insufficient room to do so buffeting **PASSITO** which was checked. After hearing submissions the Judicial Committee suspended Miss Wynne's licence to ride in races from Sunday 4th December until Thursday 15th December (5 days) inclusive.

Race 5	WINGATUI FUNCTION CENTRE MAIDEN 2030m
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DARCI INN (D Bothamley) – Was slow away.

MADAM DE SOIR (R Black) – Crowded leaving the barriers. R Black warned for unnecessary use of the whip over the concluding stages.

EYES WIDE SHUT (K Kalychurun) – Was allowed to stride forward through the middle stages to lead passing the 1000 metres.

SMOKEM UP (S Wynne) – Had to be steadied in the shadows of the post when awkwardly place on the heels of **BARCLAY CREEK**.

SHE ROCKS (G Jogoo) – Rider advised the mare had never travelled throughout and had been disappointing.

GAZZA THE GURU (R Hannam) – Lay in over the final 200 metres and had to be straightened on a number of occasions.

Race 6	STEINLAGER TOKYO DRY RATING 75 1400m
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The start of this race was delayed due to **MR CONDUCTOR** arriving late in the Birdcage.

MR CONDUCTOR (R Hannam) – Hampered leaving the barriers when ZUCCHERO jumped inwards.	
ZUCCHERO (D Bothamley) – Crowded and forced outwards making contact with POP ‘N’ LINDAUER having to steady when RIDEITLIKEYOUSTOLEIT shifted out at the 350 metres. G Jogoo was issued with a warning under Rule 638(1)(d).	
FANTAMO (K Kalychurun) – Wide throughout.	
Race 7	PAUL FERRIS MEMORIAL TROPHY 1400m
FULL COUNT (L Callaway) – Slow to begin. Steadied near the 900 metres when placed in restricted room to the inside of EL CHICO which shifted inwards when being steadied to avoid the heels of MEURSAULT (C Johnson) which shifted in when also being steadied. C Johnson was issued with a warning.	
TIMY TYLER – Keen through the early stages.	
MEURSAULT and THYME ZONE (T Moseley) were both crowded and buffeted momentarily passing the 150 metres when SIGNIFY (A Collett) shifted out under pressure. Rider A Collett was issued with a warning.	
Race 8	SPEIGHT’S RATING 65 2030m
HARDYS REVENGE (R Black) – Reared in the barriers and underwent a vet check before being cleared to start.	
SERVE DE AUNT (J Lowry) – Began awkwardly and raced wide throughout.	
MISSTEEFLYING (T Moseley) – Momentarily crowded on jumping. When spoken to about the improved performance of the mare trainer A Carston advised the mare had been unlucky in its second last start and raced very wide at its previous start and was aided today by the addition of a senior rider.	
CONSOLIDATE (S Wynne) – Passing the 1000 metres had to shift out to avoid heels. Had to be steadied passing the 800 metres when the pace of the race eased momentarily.	
SHANTAV (S Wahab) – Commenced to over race passing the 1000 metres then improved to the inside of CONSOLIDATE with those two runners racing in restricted room for some distance.	
SKEEN (R Hannam) – Held up rounding the final bend until early in the run home.	
SHEZATOUCHA (A Collett) – Held up for the majority of the run home and went to the line untested by its rider.	
Race 9	INVERCARGILL LICENSING TRUST 2030m
SADLERS ROCK (M Tanaka) – Was slow away.	
GUNNA FLY (T Moseley) – Commenced to over race when being restrained near the 1800 metres continuing to do so into the middle stages. Weakened over the concluding stages with the rider reporting he was not happy with the horse’s action. Stewards ordered a post-race veterinary inspection which found the gelding to have suffered from cardiac arrhythmia. The connections were advised that the appropriate veterinary clearance is now required prior to GUNNA FLY racing again.	
KEEP THE COURAGE (K Kalychurun) – Raced wide without cover throughout.	
STOKERS ROCK (S Wynne) – Rider dropped whip passing the 300 metres. Brushed with REVELATOR (K Williams) approaching the 100 metres. REVELATOR then lay out from this point and made contact again with STOKERS ROCK near the 50 metres.	
Race 10	OTAGO RACING CLUB MEMBERS RATING 65 1400m
The start of this event was delayed significantly due to SNIPARINDA proving difficult to load with the connections advised SNIPARINDA was on a barrier manners warning.	
BURWOOD (D Bothamley) – Began awkwardly.	
MULBERRY (K Williams) – Was hampered at the start losing ground. K Williams admitted a breach of Rule 638(1)(d) careless riding in that she allowed her mount to shift in crowding and checking KING PIN passing the 50 metres.	

CENTAVADA and **PRINCE RANSOM** were also shifted inwards off their racing line. After hearing submissions the Judicial Committee suspended Miss William's licence to ride in races from Saturday 3rd December until Friday 16th December inclusive (3 days).

CENTAVADE (J Lowry) – Crowded and shifted inwards passing the 50 metres.

PRINCE RANSOM (S Wynne) – Crowded and shifted inwards passing the 50 metres.

THE ENERGIZER (K Kalychurun) – Was slow to begin.

ROBIN CHARLES (R Black) – Raced keenly through the early stages.

TAPILIZE (C Johnson) – Raced wide throughout.

KING PIN (R Hannam) – Held up early in the run home. Connections viewed replays of the incident passing the 50 metres before deciding not to lodge a protest.

JIMMY (L Callaway) – When questioned regarding its performance rider L Callaway was unable to offer any tangible excuses.

Race 11	SEE YOU NEXT YEAR CROMWELL! RATING 65 1400m
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WILD WINGS (R Hannam) – Was slow to begin.

OPIHI JADE (R Black) – Jumped away awkwardly getting its head up and then racing ungenerously in the early stages. Had difficulty obtaining clear running in the home straight until near the 100 metres.

ALICE WEBB ELLIS (K Williams) – Shifted away from **FASCINATE** near the 1000 metres inconveniencing **JUSTICE WELL**. Raced three wide without cover.

BUSHIDO (C Johnson) – Raced keenly through the early and middle stages. When spoken to regarding the performance rider C Johnson advised that the gelding had been keen through the early and middle stages and had failed to respond when under pressure and had been disappointing.

QUINTASTICS (G Jogoo) – Held up early in the run home.