STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Southland Racing Club Date: 1st April 2017

Weather: Overcast/Fine

Track: Slow 8 Rail: True

Stewards: M Davidson (Chairman), L Tidmarsh and C Boyd

Veterinarian: A Wezenbeek **Typist:** B Gutsell

GENERAL:

Nil

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Wyndham Racing Club @ Gore 23rd March 2017 Race 7 Woodlands Tavern/Les Frisby R65 1200 metres

Rider T Moseley defended a breach of Rule 638(3)(b)(ii) in that he used his whip excessively on his mount KRUGER RAND. After viewing replays and hearing from all parties the JCA dismissed the charge.

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: BIG HITTER, TWIZEL GURU, FRIAR TUCK, SHOWEMUP, IRISH EXCUSE, DOUBLE TAP, TANIWHA,

PATRICK ERIN, KEEP THE COURAGE, LIZZIE BORDON.

Suspensions: Race Nil
Protests: Race Nil

Fines: Race 8 J & K Parsons (REVELATOR)

[Rule 614(2)] – Neglectful in saddling (omitted towel) - admitted. Fined \$200.

Warnings: Race 9 R Beeharry (FULL COUNT)

[Rule 638(1)(d)] – Shifting ground 200 metres.

Follow Up Race Nil

Horse Actions: Race 1 MACHINEGUN KELLIE – To barrier trial on two occasions.

Race 1 SERGEANT SAKHEE – To trial to show competitiveness.

Race 3 RUBY MARIE – Barrier manners warning.

Race 8 GUNNA FLY – Veterinary clearance required.

Medical Certificates: R Cuneen – Medical Clearance required.

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Race

Rider Changes: Race 1 C Barnes replaced K Williams due to a miscommunication (SERGEANT SAKHEE)

Race 4 T Moseley replaced R Cuneen (CARMENIZE)

Race 6 K Williams replaced R Cuneen (MADAM DE SOIR)

Race 8 L Callaway replaced R Cuneen (MOTORBOAT MIKE)

Race 10 J Lowry replaced R Cuneen (HIGHER AUTHORITY)

Late Scratchings: Race 1 MACHINEGUN KELLIE – at 11.57am - Refusing to enter the barriers.

Race 2 PORTERS PASS – at 12.28pm – By order of the Stewards.

Race 3 MAKS LEGEND – at 12.42pm – No suitable replacement rider available.

Race 4 POLLY'S SISTER – at 1.37pm – Veterinary advice.

Race 7 FRANCONI – 1.58pm – No suitable replacement rider available.

L Callaway replaced R Cuneen (ROBBIE ROOSTER)

Race 10 WILD JACK – 3.20pm – Veterinary advice.

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 HOMESTEAD COBB & CO / HOMESTEAD VILLA MOTEL MAIDEN (1600M)

MACHINEGUN KELLIE (T Comignaghi) – Late scratching at 11.57am when refusing to enter the barriers with the connections advised the gelding must barrier trial to the Stewards satisfaction on two separate occasions prior to racing next. Trainer T Beckett advised that he would no longer be persevering with the gelding as a racing proposition from his stable.

DOPPELGANGER (K Kalychurun) – Slow to begin. When questioned regarding the performance rider K Kalychurun advised the gelding had been under pressure when the tempo of the race increased near the 800 metres and in his opinion may not have been suited by the prevailing track conditions.

PAYMENT PENDING (L Callaway) – Blundered on jumping away losing ground. Raced wide throughout. Rider L Callaway reported that the gelding had shifted in the ground rounding the bend near the 800 metres.

BY MAGIC (R Cuneen) – Raced keenly through the early stages.

SERGEANT SAKHEE (C Barnes) – Slow to begin. Trailed the field throughout despite the efforts of rider C Barnes. Connections were advised the gelding must trial to prove its competitiveness prior to racing next. Trainer G Robinson advised she would no longer be persevering with the gelding as a racing proposition from her stable.

PORTUMNA LASS (G Jogoo) - Over-raced in the early stages.

Following the running of this event a delegation comprising Stewards, senior riders and club officials conducted a track inspection in particular the area near the 800 metres and after consultation with all riders it was decided to continue with the meeting.

Race 2 ILT CENTREPOINT & SOUTH CITY LIQUORLAND MAIDEN (1600M)

PORTERS LASS (R Cuneen) – Reared up after leaving the birdcage dislodging rider R Cuneen who was unable to fulfill his engagement with the gelding subsequently declared a late scratching by order of the Stewards at 12.28pm. R Cuneen was examined by the St John Ambulance Paramedics and stood down for the remainder of today's programme with replacement riders as detailed in the Summary. R Cuneen was advised a medical clearance would be required prior to him riding next.

TILLY DUNNAGE (L Callaway) – Raced wide for the majority of the event.

OLAF (R Yatim) – Raced keenly for several strides passing the 1000 metres having to be steadied.

Race 3 WAXY O'SHEAS IRISH PUB MAIDEN (1200M)

MAKS LEGEND (R Cuneen) – Late scratching at 12.42pm due to no suitable replacement rider being available.

RUBY MARIE (K Kalychurun) – Proved very difficult to load with the mare being placed on a barrier manners warning. Slow to begin. Buffeted and unbalanced when attempting a marginal run between EDWARD and NEVER YOU MIND who shifted out passing the 250 metres.

RITA (K Kwo) – Crowded at the start and lost ground then tailed the field throughout.

FRIAR TUCK (R Yatim) – Shifted out at the start crowding RITA who lost ground. When questioned regarding the seemingly improved performance trainer B Howden advised that on its debut run the gelding had been caught wide throughout and he had not been overly disappointed with that effort. Mr Howden further advised that FRIAR TUCK had worked well in the lead up and he had been confident of a forward showing today.

NEVER YOU MIND (R Firdhaus) - Raced wide throughout.

LITTLE BOSSING (K Williams) - Race wide throughout.

EDWARD (C Barnes) – Crowded and buffeted at the 900 metres. Buffeted and unbalanced near the 250 metres. When spoken to regarding the performance rider C Barnes advised the gelding had been trapped wide albeit with cover and buffeted on a number of occasions during the running and under the circumstances she believed it had been a fair effort.

THE COVER GIRL (A Sharpe) – Crowded and buffeted momentarily when EDWARD was taken in by FRIAR TUCK (R Yatim) who shifted in passing the 950m metres. R Yatim was advised to exercise greater care. Shifted ground inwards in the shadows of the post.

BLACK LIZZIE (R Beeharry) – Made the bend near the 800 metres awkwardly shifting out and crowding DOUBLE CHOICE who lost ground.

DOUBLE CHOICE (G Jogoo) – Crowded near the 800 metres losing ground.

JANEFIELD JEWEL (J Lowry) – Placed in restricted room in the shadows of the post when THE COVER GIRL (A Sharpe) shifted in. A Sharpe was advised she must straighten her mounts sooner than she did on this occasion.

PROMISING (L Callaway) – When questioned regarding the performance rider L Callaway reported he had obtained the leading position with ease however had been under pressure some distance from the finish and had proved disappointing.

Race 4 NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE (1200M)

POLLY'S SISTER (G Jogoo) – Late scratching at 1.37 pm on veterinary advice after being found to have a laceration to the left hind coronet.

ENTRÉE (S Toolooa) – Began very awkwardly losing ground. Raced wide throughout.

SUPATWISTA (R Beeharry) – Began awkwardly losing ground. Held up for several strides passing the 400 metres.

KATANGO (R Yatim) – Rider R Yatim accidentally dropped his whip passing the 150 metres.

Race 5 MACAULAY MOTORS FIRESIDE CUP (1200M)

SHAARA (K Kalychurun) – Began awkwardly and got back and was then crowded and had to steady shortly after the start losing further ground when NEWS FLASH was dictated outwards by SECRET POWER which was laying out. Rider K Kalychurun lost the use of his inside iron for several strides in this incident.

SECRET POWER (T Moseley) – Shifted out when laying out shortly after the start. Made the bend by the 400 metres awkwardly with the rider reporting the gelding had not handled the shifty nature of today's track. Crowded and had to steady passing the 300 metres when ALL DRESSED UP (S Toolooa) shifted out to find clear racing room. Apprentice rider S Toolooa assisted by Apprentice Jockey Mentor Mr W Harnett was shown a replay of this incident for educational purposes and advised he must exercise greater care when shifting ground.

FIVE KINGS (R Beeharry) – Began very awkwardly losing ground. Raced wide through the early to middle stages.

RUMPELSTILTSKIN (C Barnes) – Knuckled as the start was made.

ROBIN CHARLES (G Jogoo) – Raced wide for the majority of the event.

VICE MARSHALL (R Yatim) – Raced keenly when taking a trailing position passing the 900 metres and had to be steadied.

Race 6 ASCOT PARK HOTEL HANDICAP (2100M)

DOUBLE TAP (R Firdhaus) – Shifted out abruptly at the start crowding MADAM DE SOIR which had to be steadied momentarily.

JIMMY (R Beeharry) – Began awkwardly. Improved wide from the 1300 metres to assume the lead passing the 900 metres. Apprentice rider R Beeharry was reminded of his obligations to ride his mount out fully to the finish line where circumstances permit.

WILD WINGS (G Jogoo) – Slow to begin.

DARCI INN (T Comignaghi) – Raced wide throughout.

MADAM DE SOIR (K Williams) – Steadied momentarily at the start when DOUBLE TAP shifted out. Obliged to improve wide from the 600 metres.

KINA WIN (R Yatim) – Raced wide in the final straight.

THE BRAVE ONE (J Lowry) – Rider reported the gelding had failed to handle the Slow 8 track today. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no obvious abnormalities. Connections advised the gelding would now be sent for a spell.

MISS TUSCAN (K Kalychurun) – Rider reported the mare had failed to handle the prevailing track conditions.

Race 7 LONE STAR CAFÉ & BAR HANDICAP (2100M)

FRANCONI (R Cuneen) – Late scratching at 1.58pm due to no suitable replacement rider being available.

GARGAMEL (T Moseley) – Slow to begin.

DOUBLE PANDA (R Beeharry) – Slow to begin. Apprentice rider R Beeharry was spoken to advisedly regarding his use of the whip on a runner out of contention.

ODI ET AMO (L Callaway) – Began awkwardly making firm contact with HIGH FORTY.

ADDITUP (C Barnes) – Raced wide in the early stages.

PETER PARKER (K Kalychurun) – Raced wide throughout.

THE ENERGIZER (R Yatim) – Raced wide from the 1000 metres.

CHICAGO (G Jogoo) – Rider reported the gelding had failed to handle the prevailing track conditions.

TAPILIZE (R Firdhaus) – Held up rounding the final bend when attempting a marginal run to the inside of DELACROIX and continued to be held up until early in the run home. Denied a marginal run passing the 150 metres, having to steady and shift ground outwards to find clear racing room. Apprentice rider R Firdhaus assisted by Apprentice Jockey Mentor Mr W Harnett was shown a replay of this incident and advised that in future he would be expected to show better judgement rather than attempting a marginal run which had not fully established rounding the final bend.

Race 8 PGG WRIGHTSON AON INSUANCE BROKERS WYNDHAM CUP (2100M)

INDIANA PEARL (R Yatim) – Slow to begin.

MISS THREE STARS (S Toolooa) – Bounded at the start losing ground. Held up briefly rounding the final bend.

REVELATOR (T Comignaghi) – Raced wide throughout. Apprentice rider T Comignaghi weighed in .3kg under her weigh out weight due to a towel that she had weighed out with being missing from her gear on weighing in. As the discrepancy did not exceed the .5kg stipulated under Rule 648(3) all placings were duly authorised. After investigation the towel was located in the stabling area with trainers J & K Parsons admitting a subsequent breach of Rule 614(2) and after hearing penalty submissions the JCA imposed a fine of \$200.

MOTORBOAT MIKE (L Callaway) – Briefly obliged to race four wide when THOUGHT THAT who was racing keenly had to shift ground outwards across heels near the 1700 metres.

THOUGHT THAT (K Williams) – Raced keenly in the early stages and passing the 1700 metres shifted ground outwards to avoid heels then continued to race keenly through the middle stages. When questioned regarding the performance rider K Williams advised the gelding had raced keenly throughout and this had taken its toll when placed under pressure over the concluding stages.

OOR WULLIE (C Barnes) – Raced keenly for a distance passing the 1500 metres as the pace of the race eased slightly. Improved wide from the 1000 metres.

GUNNA FLY (T Moseley) – Raced keenly for a distance passing the 1500 metres as the pace of the race eased slightly. Not persevered with over the concluding stages with rider T Mosley believing the gelding to have broken down. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be suffering a suspected tendon injury. Connections were advised a veterinary clearance would be required prior to GUNNA FLY racing next.

Race 9 KEVIN HOTEL HANDICAP (1600M)

FULL COUNT (R Beeharry) - Slow to begin. Raced wide for the majority of the event. Shifted out under pressure passing the 200 metres crowding an outside runner. Rider dropped his rein and became unbalanced passing the 100 metres losing momentum. R Beeharry was shown a replay of this incident and will be referred to the NZTR Apprentice Mentor.

TAKE FIRE (C Barnes) – Slow through the early stages.

THE BARMAID (G Jogoo) – Denied a marginal run passing the 200 metres between KEEP THE COURAGE and FULL COUNT (R Beeharry) who shifted out under pressure. R Beeharry was issued with a warning under Rule 638(1)(d).

Race 10 WAIKIWI TAVERN & THE FOUNDRY RESTAURANT HANDICAP (1600M)

WILD JACK (R Yatim) – Late scratching on veterinary advice at 3.20 pm after having injured both hocks on route to the course.

NO NO NO YES (R Beeharry) – Began awkwardly.

HARDY'S REVENGE (K Kwo) - Slow to begin.

TAPONISME (R Firdhaus) – Raced wide throughout.

HE AIN'T HEAVY (L Callaway) – Held up from the 400 metres only gaining clear racing room inside the final 200 metres.

THE BELIEVER (A Sharpe) – Shifted in under pressure passing the 100 metres momentarily inconveniencing CENTAVADA. Apprentice rider A Sharpe was advised to exercise care.

HIGHER AUTHORITY (J Lowry) – Lay in over the concluding stages with rider J Lowry advising that the mare had not handled today's Slow 8 track conditions.