

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Otago Racing Club	Date:	26 th April 2017
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Slow 8 – Downgraded to Slow 9 after Race 2		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	M Davidson (Chairman), J Oatham, L Tidmarsh and C Boyd		
Veterinarian:	S Bransgrove		
Typist:	M O'Brien		

GENERAL: (All comments pertaining to this meeting – e.g. drivers/riders not attending, delays and all other issues)

Apprentice K Kwo advised Stewards the night before the races he was unwell and would not be attending today's meeting and was replaced on his 2 mounts as per schedule below. Mr Kwo was advised he would require a medical certificate prior to riding next.

SUPPLEMENTARY: (All adjourned inquiries and follow up information relating to previous meetings)

Nil

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	YWAHOO, LIN, TOMM JONES, LORD SIBFORD, CANTILENA, BLACK ESTATE, HUNGRY EYES, MINERVA, AUCTIONEER.		
Suspensions:	Race		Nil
Protests:	Race		Nil
Fines:	Race	2	D Turner (MIO KIWI) Unable to make contract weight [Rule 330(3)(c)] – Fined \$200
Warnings:	Race	1	J Lowry (JANEFIELD JEWEL) Shifting ground 600 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
	Race	1	C Barnes (YES YOU DID) Shifting ground 50 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
Follow Up	Race	9	MAJIC EL
Horse Actions:	Race	4	DIORISSIMO Barrier manners warning
Medical Certificates:	Nil		
Rider Changes:	Race	2	GO GO GONZO – A Collett replaced K Kwo (Unwell)
		2	MIO KIWI – P Shaikh replaced D Turner (Overweight)
		5	WERIO – T Comignaghi replaced K Kwo
Late Scratching:	Race		Nil

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	CATERING BY KERRY 800 800m
THE ROSY GLOW (K Williams) – Bounded leaving the barrier. Raced wide without cover throughout. When questioned regarding performance rider K Williams advised that after being caught wide throughout the event the filly was left without a finishing effort over the concluding stages.	
PRINCESS JUBILEE (D Turner) – Slow to begin.	
TWILIGHT METEOR (L Callaway) – Rider lost use of offside iron as the start was affected and was unable to regain the iron	

placing the rider at a disadvantage throughout.

FLY THE FLAG (A Bohorun) – Crowded shortly after the start and had to steady losing momentum.

BEFIFTYTWO (R Yatim) – Crowded and had to steady passing the 600 metres when YWAHOO was dictated in marginally by JANEFIELD JEWEL (J Lowry) which stepped in on the point of the turn. J Lowry was issued with a warning.

YWAHOO (P Shaikh) – Lay outwards rounding the bend near the 400 metres. Bumped heavily by YES YOU DID over the concluding stages. When asked to comment on the improved performance trainer M Pitman advised that the mare had been trapped wide in its previous start and after a good run from a handy draw today combined with the drop back to the 800 metre distance had led to the improved performance in his opinion.

YES YOU DID (C Barnes) – Shifted inwards under pressure throughout the final straight and over the concluding stages bumped heavily with YWAHOO in the shadows of the winning post. C Barnes was issued with a warning.

Race 2	LIVING CORPORATION 2200 2200m
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D Turner admitted a breach of Rule 330(3)(c) in that he failed to make the contract weight for MIO KIWI and was replaced by P Shaikh with a fine of \$200 being imposed under the minor infringement system.

GO GO GONZO (A Collett) – Slow to begin.

OOR WULLIE (C Barnes) – Raced wide without cover in the early stages until near the 1400 metres.

ODI ET AMO (R Yatim) – Raced wide throughout.

INDIANA PEARL (K Kalychurun) – Steadied entering the bend near the 1800 metres when awkwardly placed on the heels of SOUTHERN POWER which was also being steadied. Held up for a distance passing the 500 metres.

REGALO REAAL (R Firdhaus) – Crowded and had to steady at the 1800 metres when MIO KIWI who was laying in shifted in and away from DARCI INN who was improving forward at this point.

VILLA ELBA (T Moseley) – Held up rounding the final bend.

LIN (G Jogoo) – Shifted outwards under pressure over the final 200 metres having to be straightened on a number of occasions. Rider G Jogoo was spoken to advisedly in relation to his use of the whip over the concluding stages.

Race 3	KB CONTRACTORS 1400 1400m
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DALWHINNIE (K Mudhoo) – Jumped outwards abruptly leaving the barrier making heavy contact with TOMM JONES.

TOMM JONES (T Comignaghi) – Bumped heavily at the start.

FULL COUNT (T Moseley) – Crowded shortly after the start. Got its head up when making the bend by the 800 metres awkwardly.

Race 4	TERRY KENNEDY OF CAREFREE STABLES 1200 1200m
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DIORISSIMO (A Collett) – Slow to begin (seven lengths). The connections were advised that a warning was placed on the barrier manners record of the filly. Had difficulty obtaining clear running passing the 150 metres.

ABOLI (R Cuneen) – Began awkwardly.

WHOLELOTAROSIE (C Barnes) – Crowded shortly after the start losing ground.

FRIDAY KNIGHT (R Beeharry) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

OLYMPIA (S Wynne) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

NAPOLEON DYNAMITE (G Jogoo) – Raced wide early.

MUZZA'S MATE (K Kalychurun) – Raced keenly through the early stages.

PREDICTION (C Johnson) – Steadied near the 450 metres when awkwardly placed on heels.	
Race 5	RAY & ALLISON KEAN OF SOUTHERN WIDE REAL ESTATE 1200m
<p>ULTRASONIC (C Campbell) – Began awkwardly losing ground.</p> <p>CANTILENA (S Wynne) – Slow to begin.</p> <p>HE'S MI BROTHER (P Shaikh) – Raced wide into the first bend.</p> <p>ALL DRESSED UP (S Toolooa) – Raced wide without cover throughout. Rider S Toolooa was reminded of his obligations to ensure he rides his mount out fully to the finish line when circumstances permit. Apprentice Toolooa was also shown a replay of the whole race in the presence of the jockey mentor for educational purposes.</p> <p>SYDNEY'S SHOT (A Collett) – Raced wide in the early stages and when being restrained near the 900 metres got its head up. Steadied near the 350 metres. When questioned regarding the performance rider A Collett advised that she believed the gelding had been trapped wide throughout and may have held its breath during the running. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities.</p> <p>WERIO (A Comignaghi) – Held up rounding the final bend and through the early stages of the final straight until near the 200 metres.</p> <p>PIPPI REA (C Johnson) – Shifted ground outwards under pressure over the concluding stages.</p>	
Race 6	MOSGIEL TAVERN 1200 1200m
<p>ENZEDJEWEL (T Comignaghi) – Proved difficult to load. Lay inwards under pressure throughout the final straight having to be straightened passing the 150 metres.</p> <p>ELUSIVE BOXERS (K Williams) – Slow to begin.</p> <p>VERNA AUDREY (G Jogoo) – Slow to begin.</p> <p>DOCKET (C Barnes) – Raced wide without cover throughout. Rider C Barnes reported the gelding may have held its breath during the running.</p> <p>GALLANT DAN (C Campbell) – Raced wide without cover throughout.</p> <p>BLACK ESTATE (S Wynne) – Held up rounding the final bend only obtaining clear running near the 250 metres.</p>	
Race 7	NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE 1400m
<p>BURWOOD (S Wynne) – Began awkwardly losing ground.</p> <p>WINDERMERE LASS (C Spittles) – Bumped heavily with DUALIS as the start was affected. Raced keenly in the early stages and had to be steadied off heels when over racing passing the 800 metres.</p> <p>DUALIS (K Williams) – Bumped heavily with WINDERMERE LASS as the start was affected and then shifted out hampering QUEEN SERENE who lost ground.</p> <p>QUEEN SERENE (C Johnson) – Hampered at start and lost ground. Held up rounding the final bend by the tiring ROSSI THE RIFLE and then had to be steadied for some distance before gaining clear racing room inside the final 250 metres.</p> <p>CARMENIZE (C Barnes) – Raced wide through the early and middle stages.</p> <p>LADY BEALEY (R Cuneen) – Lay inwards under pressure near the 150 metres and had to be straightened.</p>	
Race 8	WINGATUI TOP TRACK TEAM 1600 1600m
<p>VELVET ROSE (C Barnes) – Crowded as the start was affected losing ground.</p> <p>METAL GURU (L Callaway) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.</p>	

AHYUM (C Johnson) – Raced keenly in the early to middle stages.

NEVER YOU MIND (K Kalychurun) – Shifted inwards abruptly near the 150 metres having to be straightened.

ROYAL MISTRESS (R Cuneen) – Steadied passing the 100 metres when crowded for room to the inside of PAHAU (K Williams) which when laying in, shifted inwards under pressure. K Williams was advised to exercise care.

Race 9	THE WINGATUI FUNCTION CENTRE 1600 1600m
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ROYAL DOLLAR (D Turner) – Rider was given permission to ride this horse 1 kg overweight as there was no suitable replacement rider available. Began very awkwardly losing ground.

DREAM DIVINE (T Moseley) – Slow to begin. Held up rounding the final bend.

SIR SINGO (P Shaikh) – Raced keenly in the early stages. Brushed with TWIZEL GURU which was taken in by MAJIC EL (S Wynne) which shifted in momentarily passing the 1100 metres. S Wynne was advised to exercise greater care.

TWIZEL GURU (K Williams) – Taken in by MAJIC EL and brushed with SIR SINGO passing the 1100 metres.

HARDY'S REVENGE (L Callaway) – Raced three wide without cover throughout. Momentarily crowded near the 300 metres and had to steady when tiring.

MAJIC EL (S Wynne) – Rider reported the gelding returned to the Birdcage in a distressed state. A post-race veterinary inspection revealed a poor recovery rate. Stewards will follow up with trainer C Anderton in following days.