



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Cambridge Jockey Club	Date:	Saturday 29 April 2017
Weather:	Showery		
Track:	Good(3) downgraded to Dead(4) at 12pm, Dead(5) after R3, Dead(6) after R5		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	J Oatham (Chairman), A Coles, W Robinson, D Wadley		
Vet:	M Brightwell, L Smith		
Typist:	P Laboyrie		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	VICTORY DRIVE, KILLARNEY, PRINCE HAREEM, MIME, ENDEAN ROSE, SPLURGE, SWEET LEADER, HONEY RIDER, SELFIE		
Suspensions:	Race	2	M Coleman THATSFORSURE Careless riding 1000 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 7-20/5 inclusive (4 days)
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Nil		
Warnings:	Nil		
Horse Actions:	Race	2	LIGHT SHADOW - required to barrier trial prior to racing next
Follow Up:	Nil		
Medical Certificates:	Nil		
Rider Changes:	Race	5	BIGGIN HILL – K McCulloch for L Innes (injured)
		6	MISS DALGHAR – A Jones for L Innes
Late Scratchings:	Nil		

GENERAL:

No issues to report.

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Auckland Racing Club – Saturday 22 April 2017 Race 6 - MARKS EWEN - FASTTRACK \$5K (1400 metres) ELUSIVE EMPIRE (A Collett) – Co-trainer Mr T Cruz advised blood tests had been conducted upon return to his stable which revealed the colt to be suffering from a mild infection which has since been treated and ELUSIVE EMPIRE sent for a spell.
Wellington Racing Club - Saturday 22 April 2017 Race 3 - THE HANLEY FORMULA AUTUMN SPRINT QUALIFIER MANHATTEN STREET (J Riddell) - Trainer Ms L Latta advised that she was satisfied with the recovery of the gelding and that it is her intention to continue on with its current preparation. Race 8 REGISTER FOR PUNTERS CHALLENGE 27TH MAY HANDICAP EXCEPTIONAL (A Chan) - Trainer Mr R Bergerson advised that the filly has now been sent for a spell.
Avondale Jockey Club - Tuesday 25 April 2017 Race 3 - VIV THOMSON MEMORIAL 1400

RIKKI TIKKI TAVI (A Collett) – Co-trainer C Gibbs advised that they were satisfied with the recovery of the filly and that it is their intention to freshen RIKKI TIKKI TAVI prior to racing next.

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	THINK WATER CAMBRIDGE PREMIER
<p>EPAE ROAD (M Du Plessis) - Jumped away awkwardly.</p> <p>LATE DECISION (S Sprat) - Jumped away awkwardly hampering SMEDLEY and ZAPALI. Came together with ZAPALI near the 250 metres, then lay out under pressure, again making contact with ZAPALI near the 200 metres.</p> <p>SMEDLEY (K McCulloch) - Hampered start.</p> <p>ZAPALI (A Collett) - Hampered start. Came together with LATE DECISION near the 250 metres. Bumped 200 metres.</p>	
Race 2	HARNESS RACING WAIKATO PREMIER
<p>LIGHT SHADOW (D Johnson) - Refused to leave the barriers with the remainder of the field losing considerable ground and effectively its chance in the race. Trainer Ms C Cameron was advised that the gelding is required to barrier trial to the satisfaction of a Stipendiary Steward prior to racing again.</p> <p>THATSFORSURE (M Coleman) - Jumped away awkwardly then lay out in the early stages.</p> <p>M Coleman - Defended a charge of careless riding in that he permitted his mount THATSFORSURE to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear of MARKY MARK which was checked near the 1000 metres going back onto FRANCIS DRAKE which was also checked. After hearing all relevant evidence and submissions the Judicial Committee found the charge to be proven with M Coleman's license to ride in races being suspended from the conclusion of racing on 6 May up to and including racing on 20 May, 4 riding days.</p> <p>MARKY MARK (L Innes) - Checked 1000 metres.</p> <p>FRANCIS DRAKE (E Farr) - Raced ungenerously when being restrained passing the 1100 metres. Checked 1000 metres.</p> <p>SILHOUETTE NOIRE (S Spratt) - Raced three wide without cover. Rider was unable to offer any excuses for poor performance. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any abnormality other than a minor over-reach to the left foreleg.</p> <p>LET HER RIP (S Weatherley) - Held up near the 300 metres having to be steadied away from the heels of SILHOUETTE NOIRE.</p>	
Race 3	THE CLUBHOUSE CAFÉ & SPORTS BAR PREMIER
<p>JUSTACANTA (M Coleman) - Slow to begin.</p> <p>NOTHINGLEFTTOLOSE (M Du Plessis) - Raced ungenerously when being restrained near the 1400 metres.</p> <p>JUSTACANTA (M Coleman) - Had difficulty obtaining clear running until near the 200 metres.</p> <p>TIPTRONIC (M McNab) - Shifted outwards abruptly passing the 200 metres having to be straightened by its rider and losing momentum.</p>	
Race 4	TRAVIS STAKES

ENDEAN ROSE (A Collett) - Removed from the barriers after being fractious to undergo a pre-race veterinary examination being passed fit to run.

ECHEZEAUX (O Bosson) - Jumped inwards being slow away.

CHINA STAR (K McCulloch) - Slow to begin then raced wide in the early stages before improving forward to lead near the 1500 metres.

EL PISTOLA (T Thornton) - Had to be briefly steadied to avoid heels near the 1700 metres.

CHARMONT (M Cameron) - When questioned regarding performance rider M Cameron advised that the mare had felt a little flat and may be better suited racing over a shorter distance in a fresher state.

Following this race **L Innes** was stood down from his remaining rides by the Course Doctor after aggravating a back injury.

Race 5	AON INSURANCE BROKERS PREMIER
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IRISH MOON (C Grylls) - Jumped in the air at the start. Unbalanced for a distance after receiving contact to hind quarters near the 200 metres. Checked when severely crowded due to movement from runners to either side near the 100 metres.

DANCING FLAMES (M Du Plessis) - Jumped away awkwardly, then being further hampered when **PASSING SHOT** jumped inwards.

ILLUMINATI (G Saejorhor) - Was steadied when racing in restricted room passing the 1100 metres.

UNDERTHEMOONLIGHT (M Coleman) - Raced three wide without cover. Stepped inwards away from **SPLURGE** making contact with **STRADIVARIUS** near the 100 metres.

BIGGIN HILL (K McCulloch) - Held up passing the 250 metres before shifting outwards across the heels of **DANCING FLAMES** to improve into a run to the inside of **IRISH MOON** making contact with the hind quarters of that runner which shifted inwards slightly. As a result **IRISH MOON** lay in when unbalanced with **BIGGIN HILL** and **IRISH MOON** continuing to come together for a distance. **BIGGIN HILL** then lay out away from **DANCING FLAMES** when that runner shifted outwards under pressure making further contact with **IRISH MOON**, with **IRISH MOON** then being checked near the 100 metres. Contributing to this incident was **UNDERTHEMOONLIGHT** stepping inwards away from **SPLURGE** bumping **STRADIVARIUS** which was crowded inwards onto **IRISH MOON**.

STRADIVARIUS (T Thornton) - Hampered when crowded 100 metres.

PASSING SHOT (A Collett) - Shifted outwards under pressure near the 100 metres having to be straightened.

Race 6	INGLIS SALES CAMBRIDGE BREEDERS STAKES
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SWEET LEADER (C Grylls) - Slow to begin.

O'RACHAEL (S Spratt), **AKOYA** and **ELUSIVE METEOR** came together and jostled for a distance leaving the barriers.

AKOYA (V Colgan) - Jostled leaving the barriers.

ELUSIVE METEOR (T Thornton) - Jostled leaving the barriers. Over-raced for a distance when being restrained passing the 1000 metres.

MEMORIES ONLY (R Norvall) - Had to be steadied passing the 1000 metres. Raced wide throughout.

MISS DALGHAR (A Jones) - Was steadied when racing in restricted room to the inside of HALL OF FAME near the 1000 metres.

MCPHOEBE (M Du Plessis) - Had to steady and shift inwards abruptly to avoid the heels of ELUSIVE METEOR near the 250 metres.

Race 7

MANELINE CAMBRIDGE PREMIER FASTTRACK \$5K BONUS

SUFFIRE (C Grylls) - Jumped away awkwardly making contact with MONEY TRAIL.

MONEY TRAIL (S Spratt) - Bumped start.

WHISPERING (A Chan) - Jumped away awkwardly, then making contact with the hind quarters of SILVER COURT shortly after the start losing ground. Was held up for a short distance near the 100 metres.

TERRIFIQUE (D Johnson) - Slow away. Had a tendency to over-race in the middle stages. Steadied when crowded passing the 100 metres.

CHATHAM WHISPER (T Thornton) - Raced three wide without cover.

WOODEN EDGE (H Marzuki) - Raced wide throughout. Raced in restricted room early in the final straight when inclined to lay in away from SUFFIRE.