

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	South Canterbury Racing Club	Date:	Friday, 16 June 2017
Weather:	Overcast		
Track:	Dead (6)		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	M Davidson (Chairman), J McLaughlin and D Wadley		
Veterinarian:	Equine Veterinary Services Limited (Dr D Williamson)		
Typist:	C McMullan		

GENERAL:

Nil

SUPPLEMENTARY:

<u>Riverton Racing Club, 21 May 2017 – RIVERTON BUTCHERY/NA & MA EVANS & BALANCE R65 (2147m)</u>
Stewards concluded an inquiry into the ride on BLUES BREAKER by apprentice rider R Yatim . After taking evidence from Mr Yatim, trainer K Tyler and trainer N Ridley (R Yatim's employer), stewards advised Mr Yatim that in their opinion he erred when establishing such a lengthy lead in the early stages and he should have given the gelding some respite in the middle stages. Stewards also took into account that the horse blundered at the 600 metres losing momentum. Taking all matters into account Stewards deemed no further action was necessary on this occasion but advised Mr Yatim that a repeat of such a ride would lead to charges being laid.
<u>South Canterbury Racing Club, 2 June 2017 – THE JOLLY POTTER R65 (1200m)</u>
Trainer M Daly reported that followings its fall in this race DEEBEE BLACK has recovered well and will continue on its current campaign.
<u>Waimate Racing Club, 11 June 2017 – PGG WRIGHTSONS WAIMATE & MCALPINE R65 (2200m)</u>
Trainer G Robinson reported that following the performance of LIMOUSINE which hung for the majority of the event, the gelding has been sent for a spell.

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	ZENTANGLE, GO GO GONZO, RIO TENILLE, MAL D'MOUR, IRISH DUDE, ELLERSTINA, STUMBLIN IN, WHO DARES WINS		
Suspensions:	Race	7	C Barnes ROYAL ROAD Shifting ground 1400 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] – Suspended 2 days effective 23 to 30 June 2017 inclusive 7 S Wynne STUMBLIN IN Excessive use of the whip prior to the 200 metres [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] – Suspended 2 days effective 17 to 23 June 2017 inclusive
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Race	2	K Myers OURS Failed to scratch by required time [Rule 534(1)] – Fined \$100
Warnings:	Race	8	S Wynne WHO DARES WINS Shifting ground 1700 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
Follow Up	Race	1	DRUMGOLD
Horse Actions:	Race	1	ADDITUP – Veterinary clearance required
		6	ROBIN CHARLES – Bleeder -Stood down for three months.
Medical Certificates:	G Bourke – Full medical clearance required prior to riding next		
Rider Changes:	Nil		

Late Scratchings: **Race** 2 **OURS** at 8.15 am (failed to scratch by retired time)

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	ROBBIES WASHDYKE BAR & BISTRO HURDLE (3000m)
<p>THE ENERGIZER (G Bourke) – Put in a poor leap at the fence by the 1000 metres momentarily unbalancing the rider. Rider dropped his whip near the 200 metres.</p> <p>DRUMGOLD (W Gordon) – Put in a poor leap at the 650 metres falling and dislodging rider W Gordon who was uninjured in this incident. A post-race veterinary inspection of DRUMGOLD revealed low grade lameness to the right hind leg. Stewards will follow up with the connections in coming days.</p> <p>ADDITUP (S Higgins) – Failed to rise at the second last fence falling and dislodging rider S Higgins who was uninjured in this incident. A post-race veterinary inspection revealed the gelding to have suffered a large haematoma on the left thorax. The connections were advised that a veterinary clearance is required prior to racing next.</p> <p>DELLEUD (E Farr) – Made an awkward leap at the second last fence and was inconvenienced by the fallen runner shortly after.</p>	
Race 2	HARDGRAVE DECORATING LTD HURDLE MAIDEN HURDLE (3000m)
<p>SPEEDY JAX (H McNeill) – Raced keenly through the early to middle stages, put in a poor leap at the third fence unbalancing the rider and losing momentum.</p> <p>THE YOUNG PRETENDA (S Higgins) – Put in an awkward leap at the fence passing the 1100 metres.</p> <p>THE QUIET MAN (G Bourke) – Put in a poor leap at the second to last fence falling and dislodging rider G Bourke who was attended to by on-course paramedics, treated for concussion and transferred to hospital. G Bourke was advised he will require a full medical clearance prior to riding next. THE QUIET MAN underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which did not reveal any obvious abnormalities.</p> <p>BITETHEBULLET (C Price) – Made a faulty leap at the last fence and landed awkwardly.</p> <p>Trainer K Myers, via agent R Lockett, admitted a breach of Rule 534(1) in that he failed to scratch OURS by the required time, with the Judicial Committee imposing a fine of \$100.</p>	
Race 3	SMALLBONE HOLDEN SPRINT MAIDEN (1200m)
<p>DRUMSTORM (K Kwo) – Slow to begin, raced keenly through the early to middle stages, held up for several strides passing the 200 metres.</p> <p>SWISS DREAM (R Firdhaus) – Began awkwardly.</p> <p>DIRECTOR (S Wynne) – Raced wide in the early stages, shifted in when laying in under pressure passing the 200 metres and had to be straightened.</p> <p>MIMIMAC (T Jonker) – Raced greenly early stages, lay out on the home bend and early in the run home, crowded at the 200 metres when DIRECTOR (S Wynne) lay in under pressure and had to be steadied. S Wynne was advised she must straighten her mounts sooner.</p> <p>OPIO ROSE (C Barnes) – Momentarily steadied passing the 1100 metres.</p> <p>RIO TENNILLE (A Collett) – Crowded momentarily passing the 950 metres when MIMIMAC (T Jonker) which was improving forward shifted in. T Jonker was advised to exercise greater care, lay in at the 150 metres and had to be straightened.</p> <p>ATAAHUADREAMSRFREE (H Bennet) – Raced wide throughout.</p> <p>EL FAMOSO (C Johnson) – Raced wide throughout.</p>	
Race 4	POWER FARMING TIMARU LTD DASH R75 (1200m)
<p>BONAPARTE (T Jonker) – Began awkwardly, shifting out and hampering ELUSIVE BOXERS which was forced over extra</p>	

ground.

ELUSIVE BOXERS (S Wynne) – Forced wider at start. Inconvenienced concluding stages.

TICKETS ON HER (G Jogoo) – Began awkwardly, shifting in and bumping with MAL D'MOUR.

MAL D'MOUR (C Johnson) – Lay in and shifted inwards over the final 75 metres inconveniencing ELUSIVE BOXERS. The connections of ELUSIVE BOXERS viewed replays of this incident before deciding not to proceed with a protest. C Johnson was shown replays of this incident and advised he must attempt to straighten his mount sooner than he did on this occasion.

Race 5	D'CASH & PORT FM STEEPLECHASE RST OPN STEEPLE (4280m)
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IRISH DUDE (E Farr) – Raced keenly in the early stages.

KINA WIN (S Higgins) – Put in a hesitant leap at the fence passing the 800 metres on the first occasion, put in a poor leap at the fence passing the 650 metres. Rider S Higgins was reminded of his obligations regarding use of the whip on a runner out of contention. When spoken to regarding performance the rider advised that in his opinion the gelding did not handle today's better track conditions.

MISTER DEEJAY (C Price) – Put in a faulty leap at the fence by the 2000 metres.

SEEKING REDEMPTION – Rider H McNeill advised that in his opinion the gelding had only battled in today's better track conditions and he believed it would take natural benefit from today's first up outing for six weeks.

Race 6	WATERFORCE R65 1200 (1200m)
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OLYMPIA (A Collett) – Began awkwardly and got back, raced wide throughout.

ELLERSTINA (T Moseley) – Shifted in abruptly at the starting crowding ROBIN CHARLES which lost ground.

ROBIN CHARLES (K Kwo) – Crowded at the start and lost ground, restrained passing the 900 metres when racing keenly. Returned to the birdcage with blood present in both nostrils. A post-race veterinary inspection revealed the gelding to be a bleeder and accordingly is subject to the mandatory three month stand down from racing.

PIPPY REA (C Johnson) – Raced keenly in the early stages and had to be severely restrained off heels passing the 900 metres.

ZAKYNTHOS (S Wynne) – Raced wide throughout.

VERGARA (K Kalychurun) – Crowded at the 900 metres when CZARISTA lay in and MOTHER SUPERIOR (R Yatim) which was racing greenly shifted out off the heels of the over racing PIPPI REA. Shortly after this MOTHER SUPERIOR continued to shift ground outwards when racing keenly, forcing VERGARA and CZARISTA wider on the track. Stewards interviewed the riders involved and although it was established that the horses were racing in tight quarters, several were racing greenly which contributed to this incident. Taking all factors into account Stewards took the matter no further however advised apprentice R Yatim that he should show he is making a greater effort to keep his mount straight at all times.

Race 7	NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES MILE R65 (1600m)
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VELVET ROSE (S Wahab) – Slow to begin.

KEEP THE LOT (G Jogoo) – Slow to begin.

SHOW LOVER (L Callaway) – Crowded between runners shortly after the start and had to steady momentarily.

ROYAL ROAD (C Barnes) – Raced keenly in the early stages, raced wide from the 600 metres.

LETMEGO (H Bennet) – Raced wide throughout.

PENNY PERFECT (A Collett) – Crowded and checked passing the 1400 metres when SHE ROCKS was dictated inwards by ROYAL ROAD (C Barnes) which shifted in when not sufficiently clear. Rider **C Barnes** admitted a charge of careless riding under Rule 638(1)(d) with the Judicial Committee suspending her licence to ride at race meetings for 2 days effective 23 to

30 June inclusive. Crowded and had to steady passing the 150 metres when YOU ARE AMAZING which was laying in shifted in.

STUMBLIN IN – Rider **S Wynne** admitted a breach of Rule 638(3)(b)(ii) excessive use of the whip prior to the 200 metres, with the Judicial Committee suspending her licence to ride at race meetings for 2 days effective 17 to 23 June 2017 inclusive. Stable representative attributed the improved performance to today's track conditions.

Race 8	SKYLINE BUILDINGS STAYERS R75 (2100m)
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CAN YOU HEAR ME (R Firdhaus) – Raced wide in the early stages and made the first bend awkwardly shifting wider on the track.

SKEEN (K Kalychurun) – Raced keenly in the early stages.

OPIHI RANGER (C Johnson) – Raced wide from the 1000 metres.

BABILLONI (C Campbell) – Crowded racing into the first bend and had to steady when WHO DARES WINS (S Wynne) shifted in. **S Wynne** was issued with a warning.