



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Ashburton Racing Club @ Ashburton	Date:	Friday 7 th July 2017
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Heavy (10)		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	J McLaughlin (Chairman), M Davidson, N McIntyre;		
Vet:	Premier Equine Vets (A Corser)		
Typist:	M Cameron		

GENERAL:

R Firdhaus (Race 1) and T Jonker (Race 2) were replaced on their respected rides after arriving late on course due to transport difficulties
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SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	HUNGRY EYES, ELFEE, GREY GHOST, FADE TO GREY, NAKYAMA, TENFOLD, DYNAMIC, BULLITT, BELLE BOY, MOBY		
Suspensions:	Race 6	J Lowry	FIRE LILY [Rule 638(1)(d)] Careless riding. Suspended from 8 th July until the 28 th July (3 days)
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Race 6	B Middlewood	CROYDE Late declaration of rider [Rule 537(a)] - Fined \$50.00
Warnings:	Race 7	D Hirini	-CARAMAC Shifting ground shortly after the start [Rule 638(1)(d)]
Horse Actions:	Nil		
Follow Up:	Race 4	PROMISING	
	Race 7	CARAMAC	
Medical Certificates:	Nil		
Rider Changes:	Race 1	HUNGRY EYES – D Hirini replaced R Firdhaus	
	Race 2	DU UNO WHOIAM – D Hirini replaced T Jonker	
Late Scratchings:	Nil		

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	SMALLBONE LIMITED HANIDCAP 1600M
<p>STANDREWS MASONIC (T Moseley) – Held up early part of the home straight and shifted ground outwards 200 metres to obtain clear running.</p> <p>HUNGRY EYES (D Hirini) – Held up early stages of the home straight.</p> <p>ZAKYNTHOS (C Johnson) – Raced keenly in the early stages. Lay out rounding the final bend. Rider reported that in his opinion the gelding failed to see out the distance of today's race.</p> <p>REDESDALE (A Collett) – Hung throughout.</p>	

SWEET TIME (P Shaikh) – Raced wide early stages.	
FUNNY (J Morris) – Raced ungenerously shortly after the start and got back.	
Race 2	QUIGLEY CONTRACTING HANDICAP 1600M
WHAT'S UP ALF (S Wahab) – Raced keenly early stages. Saddle shifted forward passing the 1400 metres placing the rider at some disadvantage.	
ELFEE (S Wynn) – Restrained to the rear on jumping.	
AMUN RA (L Callaway) – Raced keenly early stages.	
GALLANT DEFENDER (J Lowry) – Slow to begin.	
SPIDER LILY (C Johnson) –Keen early stages.	
BRIGET TOWN (S Collett) – Raced in restricted room early stages of the home straight.	
Race 3	GARY MCCORMICK TRANSPORT/JOHN MCCORMICK SPRAYING 1600M
WEAPON OF CHOICE (Lee Callaway) - Contacted at the 150 metres.	
GREY GHOST (S Wahab) – Lay inwards near the 150 metres making contact with WEAPON OF CHOICE.	
LORD SIBFORD (D Turner) – Rider D Turner was reminded of his obligations in regards to the use of his whip prior to the 200 metres.	
WAYLAY (J Lowry) – Rider J Lowry reported that the mare had failed to handle the sticky nature of today's track.	
MADAME LIBRE (S Wynne) – Restrained to the rear after jumping.	
Race 4	NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES 1200M
HEAVEN KNOWS (J Lowry) – Stood flat footed as the start was effected losing ground (5 l)).	
PROMISING (K Kwo) – Wide early. A post-race veterinary inspection revealed no obvious abnormalities. Stewards will follow up with trainer K Tyler in the following days.	
TOETWOTOE (C Johnson) – Raced fiercely in the early stages. Shifted ground outwards near the 250 metres placing TWILIGHT METEOR in restricted room. Rider C Johnson reminded of his obligations when shifting ground.	
FUN FAIR (P Shaikh) – Placed in restricted room near the 250 metres making firm contact with TWILIGHT METEOR. Shifted inwards under a ride near the 100 metres. Rider P Shaikh reminded of his obligations when shifting ground.	
TWILIGHT METEOR (L Callaway) – Firmly contacted and unbalanced when placed in restricted room near the 250 metres. Steadied near the 100 metres when again placed in restricted room .	
FADE TO GREY (S Wynne) – Keen early.	
MOTHER SUPERIOR (D Turner) – Steadied 75 metres when placed in restricted room.	
Race 5	RURAL TRANSPORT HANDICAP 1200M
MAL D'MOUR (S Wahab) – Wide throughout.	
BLACK ESTATE (J Morris) – Steadied when awkwardly placed on heel shortly after the start. In restricted room early part of the home straight.	

NATKINGCOLE (A McKay) – Began awkwardly.

ELUSIVE BOXERS (S Wynne) – Keen early.

KILLA QUESTION (P Shaikh) – Lost a near fore plate during the running.

Race 6

JJ LTD 1400M

NESTA (S Wahab) –Began awkwardly.

AL BE CIVICS (L Callaway) – Raced keenly in the early stages.

FLAVOURING (T Moseley) – Wide early. Buffeted and steadied near the 200 metres.

SCOOBY (S Wynne) – Slow to begin. Dictated inwards near 75 metres.

WHISKEY IN THE JAR (R Bishop) – Slow to begin. Bumped and shifted wider near the 350 metres.

FIRE LILY (J Lowry) – Shifted out over the final 100 metres placing LADY DAVONE in restricted room having to be checked at the 50 metres. Rider J Lowry admitted a breach of Rule of 638(1)(d). After hearing all relevant submissions the JCA suspended his licence to ride from the conclusion of racing today up to and including the 28th July. (3 days)

BOBTAIL (L Hemi) – Wide early.

LADY DAVONE (A Collett) – Shifted outwards 350 metres making firm contact with WHISKEY IN THE JAR. Checked near the 50 metres,

ADVENT (S Collett) – Wide throughout. Shifted inwards near the 75 metres dictating SCOOBY inwards.

Race 7

RD PETROLEUM ASHBURTON WINTER CUP 1400M

MISS THREE STARS (S Wynne) – Lay out throughout. Rider S Wynne reported that the mare was uncomfortable with today's track conditions.

PEPPER MILL (K Williams) - Shifted inwards near the 250 metres and made contact with TWOZNOTENOUGH.

TWOZNOTENOUGH (L Hemi) - Shifted outwards near the 250 metres and made contact with PEPPER MILL.

CARAMAC (D Hirini) – Shifted inwards shortly after the start. Rider D Hirini warned for shifting ground. Poor performance A post-race veterinary inspection revealed a slow recovery rate. Stewards will follow up with trainer K Myers in the coming days.

FIVE KINGS (S Collett) – Steadied shortly after the start.

LUKE (K Kwo) – Hampered shortly after the start when awkwardly placed inside the heels of CARAMAC.

Race 8

RYAL BUSH TRANSPORT HANDICAP 2100M

SKEEN (T Moseley) – Steadied near the 1800 metres and got its head up on a number of occasions making the first bend awkwardly.

PAYMENT PENDING (K Kwo) – Wide from the 1400 metres. Awkward on heels passing the 350 metres.

BULLITT (J Lowry) - When questioned regarding the improved performance, trainer S Cameron reported the gelding was unsuited to the stop start nature of the race at its' previous start and had appreciated the step up in distance today.

MORE IN STORE (S Wynne) – Began awkwardly.

LADY EM (S Collett) – Began awkwardly.

SHE'S PAYBACK (C Barnes) – Wide from the 900 metres.

Race 9

DRUMMOND & ETHERIDGE OPEN 2100M

THE GORDONIAN (R Bishop) – Keen early.

DELACROIX (C Johnson) – Began awkwardly.

ODI ET AMO (L Callaway) – Wide from the 1400 metres. Lay inwards passing the 250 metres under pressure.

Race 10

STUART TARBOTTON CONTRACTORS HANDICAP 2100M

LONDONDERRY AIR (J Lowry) - Lay out over concluding stages. Rider J Lowry was reminded of his obligations when shifting ground

MASTER KARSTEN (S Wahab) – A post-race veterinary examination revealed no obvious abnormalities.

DARCI INN (A Morgan) – Wide throughout.

MOBY (D Turner) – In restricted room for a short distance shortly after the start. Shifted wider passing the 200 metres. Brushed with ZANOTTI 100 metres. Connections viewed the films before deciding not to proceed with a protest.

LOCALLY SAUCED (C Johnson) – Raced keen through the early and middle stages.

RAPT N RED (S Wynne) –Began awkwardly. Blundered passing the 1000 metres. Rider S Wynne reminded of her obligations to ride her mount out fully to the finish.

MORGAN BET (K Kwo) – Began awkwardly.

CAN YOU HEAR ME (L Callaway) – Wide throughout.

ZANOTTI (T Moseley) - Brushed with MOBY 100 metres. Connections viewed the films before deciding not to proceed with a protest.