STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Hawke's Bay Racing Inc. Date: Saturday 23 September 2017

Weather: Overcast Track: Slow(9) Rail: 4 Metres

Stewards: J Oatham (Chairman), N Goodwin, D Balcombe, B Bateup

Vet: M Newall, A Gibbs

Typist: L Goodwin

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: ITELLYOUONETHING, HIGHLAD, HAUSSMANN, WATCH THIS SPACE, ARRAIGNMENT,

ADONIS, DIJON BLEU, FLORENCE JEAN, NYMPH MONTE, GINGERNUTS, CLOSE UP, KAWI,

DEALS IN HEELS

Suspensions: Race 5 D Johnson ARRAIGNMENT

Careless riding concluding stages [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 28/9-6/10

inclusive (5 days)

Protests: Nil

Fines: Race 10 R Bergerson BEEFEATER

\$400 [Rule 534(1)] Scratched without required permission

Warnings: Race 1 M Singh ITELLYOUONETHING

[Rule638(1)(d)] Shifting ground final stages

8 R Jones SAMPSON

[Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] Use of the whip prior to 100 metres

10 Linnes PROMISE TO REIGN

[Rule638(1)(d)] Shifting ground 400 metres

Horse Actions: Race 10 **ALMO STREET** - Required to barrier trial

Follow Up: Race 9 VOLPE VELOCE

AIDE MEMOIRE

Medical Certificates: Nil

Rider Changes: Race 4 MIGHTY SOLOMON - J Riddell replaced T Harris (overweight)

7 **DIJON BLEU** – V Colgan replaced T Harris (overweight)

Late Scratchings: Race 10 BEEFEATER @ 3.44pm without authorisation

GENERAL:

No issues to report.

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 BOSTOCK NEW ZEALAND SPRING CARNIVAL 2200

HEISTHEONE (C Lammas) - Slow away, briefly held up on the heels of the weakening NOM DU BEEL passing the 200 metres.

GET SCHROEDER (L Allpress) – Jumped away awkwardly, when questioned into the performance rider advised the step up in distance and the muddling pace had not suited the gelding.

NOM DU BEEL (T Harris) - Raced wide without cover from the 1400 metres.

BLACKMAGICWOMAN (S Weatherley) - Hampered when ITELLYOUONETHING (M Singh) shifted outwards under pressure inside the final 50 metres. **M Singh** was issued with a warning.

LOVETOKEEPHIM (H Andrew) - When questioned regarding performance rider was of the opinion the gelding may have been feeling the effects of recent racing. Trainer K Clapperton confirmed that LOVETOKEEPHIM would be freshened prior to racing next.

J Riddell – Spoken to regarding his whip use prior to the 100 metres.

Race 2 CONGRATULATIONS HBHS FIRST XV 2100

HIGH QUALITY (S O'Malley) - Awkwardly away.

MR COOL BOY (T Johnson) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

STROLLING VAGABOND (M Singh) - Raced in restricted room when improving into a narrow run to the inside of HAMILTONIAN making contact with that runner near the 250 metres.

HAMILTONIAN (L Allpress) – Bumped with STROLLING VAGABOND near the 250 metres, briefly steadied when placed in restricted room between HIGHLAD (M Cameron) and STROLLING VAGABOND near the 150 metres.

SACRED EMPIRE (V Colgan) - When questioned regarding performance rider advised the gelding had not been suited by the muddling pace and was not entirely comfortable in today's track conditions.

Race 3 WINDSOR PARK STUD 3YO

REBELLIOUS (L Allpress) - Ran wide making the bend awkwardly passing the 800 metres.

LINCOLN HILLS (J Riddell) - Made contact with VAN HALEN when racing in restricted room between HAUSSMANN (L Innes) and VAN HALEN (M Du Plessis) passing the 600 metres.

Race 4 L I REDSHAW MEMORIAL

MIGHTY SOLOMON - Connections opted to replace T Harris, who was 0.5kg overweight, with J Riddell. T Harris was reminded of his obligations when accepting rides.

SNAPSHOT (D Johnson) - Bounded as the gates opened and settled back, had to be steadied away from the heels of MIGHTY SOLOMON when racing keenly going into the bend near the 800 metres.

MORSE CODE (H Andrew) - Awkwardly away.

FERRANDO (R Elliot) - Lay in under pressure passing the 200 metres, when questioned regarding performance rider advised that the entire had travelled comfortably enough but had been unable to quicken when placed under pressure in todays' track conditions.

Race 5 BAY FORD NZ PUNTER OF THE YEAR 7TH OCT

DUPLICITY (R Myers) - Tightened at the start when BARNABY jumped outwards abruptly dictating SHERIDAN outwards.

SHERIDAN (V Colgan) - Inconvenienced start.

DIG IT UP (L Innes) - Shied crossing the junction onto the course proper near the 1300 metres and shifted outwards abruptly hampering CHARLIE CHINE and MISTRAHMA with ARRAIGNMENT then shifting away from DIG IT UP hampering POKER FACE and CONSTANT BARRAGE, a post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any abnormality.

CHARLIE CHINE (R Elliot) - Hampered 1300 metres.

MISTRAHMA (M Cameron) - Hampered 1300 metres.

POKER FACE (S Weatherley) - Hampered 1300 metres, checked over the concluding stages.

CONSTANT BARRAGE (J Parkes) - Hampered 1300 metres, checked over the concluding stages.

GRANITE RIDGE (H Andrew) - Raced wide without cover.

LEADING ROLE (S MacNab) - Inconvenienced near the 100 metres when POKER FACE was dictated inwards by ARRAIGNMENT.

D Johnson - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that she permitted her mount ARRAIGNMENT to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear of POKER FACE and CONSTANT BARRAGE which were checked over the concluding stages. After hearing submissions D Johnson had her licence to ride in races suspended from the conclusion of racing on Wednesday the 27th September up to and including Friday 6th October (5 riding days).

Race 6 TRINITY HILL 1300

WITCH HAZE (M Singh) - Jumped outwards abruptly at the start bumping STYLISH APPLAUSE which was dictated outwards bumping ONE PRIZE ONE GOAL.

STYLISH APPLAUSE (C Lammas) - Bumped at the start then further hampered when crowded shortly after, hampered near 1100 metres.

ONE PRIZE ONE GOAL (J Waddell) - Bumped at the start, steadied when placed in restricted room to the inside of SECRET SQUIRREL (O Bosson) which shifted inwards when being restrained near the 1100 metres. When being steadied ONE PRIZE ONE GOAL went back onto WITCH HAZEL which was taken inwards crowding LODI. When being corrected by its rider WITCH HAZEL shifted outwards hampering STYLISH APPLAUSE. Raced keenly in the middle stages.

LODI (L Allpress) - Crowded near the 1100 metres.

LONDARO (T Harris) - Had a tendency to lay in and race greenly in the final straight.

ADONIS (G Cooksley) - When questioned regarding improved performance trainer T Bambry advised that the gelding had been suited by today's track conditions.

MONGOLIAN BEAUTY (M Cameron) - When questioned regarding performance rider advised had raced keenly in the lead and had been unable to finish the race off, adding that the filly may be better being attempted to be ridden with cover.

Race 7 HAWKE'S BAY BREEDERS GOLD TRAIL STAKES (Group 3)

DIJON BLEU - Connections opted to replace T Harris, who was 0.5kg overweight, with V Colgan.

PRINCESS RIHANNA (S Weatherley) - Slow away.

HASAHALO (S Spratt) - Briefly inconvenienced approaching the 900 metres when CHARLI ROSE (M Cameron) shifted inwards when being steadied to avoid the heels of DIJON BLEU.

Race 8 AON 2000

ROCK ON (D Bradley) - Slow away, over-raced when being restrained near the 1700 metres.

KING KROVANH (H Andrew) - Had to be steadied to avoid the heels of WOODSMAN which shifted inwards when not fully clear near the 1700 metres. A Jones was advised to exercise more care when shifting ground.

ENDURE (L Allpress) - Raced in restricted room when weakening near the 400 metres. When questioned into performance rider L Allpress advised that in her opinion the mare was unsuited to the increase in distance from 1200 to 2000 at this stage of its preparation. A subsequent veterinary inspection did not reveal any abnormality.

R JONES (Sampson) – Issued with a warning for his whip use prior to the 100 metres.

Race 9 WINDSOR PARK PLATE (Group 1)

STOLEN DANCE (L Innes) - Jumped away awkwardly losing ground.

UNDERTHEMOONLIGHT (C Lammas) - Slow to begin.

COLDPLAY (M Cameron) - Slow to begin.

SOFIA ROSA (T Harris) - Jumped away awkwardly.

MIME (M Coleman) - Held up from the 600 metres having to be angled inwards to obtain clear running approaching the 300 metres.

AIDE MEMOIRE (M Du Plessis) - Made contact with KAWI when attempting to obtain clear running near the 500 metres. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the mare had a tendency to over-race, had been quickly beaten once placed under pressure and had been disappointing. A post-race veterinary inspection did not revealed any obvious abnormality.

VOLPE VELOCE (J Parkes) - When questioned regarding performance rider J Parkes advised that the mare had received a nice run but had not felt entirely comfortable in today's track conditions and had been unable to finish the race off adding that the mare may be better suited dropping back in distance. Co-trainer G Richardson advised that he would be looking to freshen the mare and confirmed she was likely to drop back in distance for her next start.

KAWI (J Waddell) - Steadied just short of the finish when placed in restricted room between CLOSE UP (G Cooksley) and GINGERNUTS (O Bosson).

Race 10 HASTINGS – HEART OF HAWKE'S BAY 1400

R Bergerson trainer of BEEFEATER requested permission to late scratch based on issues relating to track conditions. Given that official track conditions were still as declared prior to the official scratching time on race morning Stipendiary Stewards were not satisfied that there were circumstances which warranted the horse being scratched filing a Request for a Ruling with the Judicial Committee under Rule 534(2)(b). After hearing submissions the Judicial Committee ruled that there were not circumstances to warrant the scratching of BEEFEATER. Mr Bergerson elected to scratch BEEFEATER without the required authorisation and after admitting a charge under the provisions of Rule 534(1) was fined \$400 by the Judicial Committee.

ALMO STREET (D Johnson) - Refused to leave the barriers when the start was effected taking no part in the race trainer L Latta being advised that the gelding is now required to barrier trial to the satisfaction of a Stipendiary Steward prior to racing next.

CAPELLA (J Waddell) - Slow to begin, when questioned regarding performance rider advised that the mare had been unable to quicken in today's track conditions once placed under pressure.

ZORRALI (T Wenn) - Slow to begin.

GOODSAV (L Allpress) - Raced in restricted room inside the heels of SARGEANT BLAST (J Parkes) rounding the turn passing the 400 metres, then being checked when PROMISE TO REIGN (L Innes) shifted outwards. Contributing to the incident was some inward movement from SARGEANT BLAST. In the circumstances L Innes was issued with a warning.

ABBEY ROAD (C Lammas) - When questioned regarding performance rider was of the opinion the gelding was unsuited to today's track condition but would derive improvement from the race.