STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Avondale Jockey Club Date: Wednesday 1 November 2017

Weather: Overcast Track: Dead(5)
Rail: True

Stewards: A Coles (Chairman), J Oatham, M Williamson, P Kinsey

Vet: O Gibson

Typist: Stipendiary Stewards

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: TAMA AKARANA, STEPHEN BOND, MONGOLIAN BEAUTY, HEZTHEWONFORUS, MORRIE

OCK, ALPHASTAR, ROMANCER, PEARLESCENCE

Suspensions: Race 5 S Spratt MORRIE OAK

Careless riding 900 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 8-12/11 incl, 5 days

Protests: Nil

Fines: Race 5 L Noble ACTRESSA

\$50 [Rule 537(a)] Failed to declare rider by required time

Warnings: Nil

Horse Actions: Race 5 **ALBERATION** - warning barrier manners

6 **ANICETA** - required to barrier trial

Follow Up: Race 2 DRAGON STORM

Medical Certificates: Nil

Rider Changes: Nil

Late Scratchings: Race 6 DOUBTLESS BAY - 11.50am on veterinary advice

6 ANICETA - 4.04pm on veterinary advice after being fractious in barriers

GENERAL:

No issues to report.

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 AVONDALE 2100

MR BIG (C Dell) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

OUR JOCKO (S Weatherley) - Slow away.

MEDINI (R Elliot) - Raced wide in the early stages before being ridden forward to sit outside the leader near the 1600 metres, held up from near the 500 metres and was unable to obtain clear running until the 300 metres.

RAY'S LEGACY (A Jones) - Over-raced when being restrained early stages then racing wide until near the 1400 metres, hung outwards when placed under pressure in the final straight rider advising that the gelding had hung throughout the race.

FOUR DAY HIGH (M Cameron) - Inconvenienced passing the 300 metres when RAY'S LEGACY shifted outwards when hanging. A Jones was advised to exercise greater care. When questioned regarding performance rider was unable to offer any excuses.

MANGAROA FLYER (L Satherley) - Held up early in final straight angling outwards to obtain clear running near the 200 metres.

AMAZING LADY (J Riddell) - When questioned regarding performance rider was unable to offer any excuses.

TAMA AKARANA (J Nason) - When questioned regarding performance trainer C Stevenson advised that the gelding had been going good races recently and the application of blinkers for today's race had assisted along with the gelding having an uninterrupted run.

Race 2 HAWKESBURY RACE CLUB 1600

MADAM MONICA (C Lammas) - Slow to begin after proving difficult to load into the barriers.

DRAGON STORM (O Bosson) - Slow away, when questioned regarding performance rider advised that the colt had never travelled well and had been disappointing with a post-race veterinary inspection failing to reveal any abnormality.

NOCTURNAL (S McKay) - Crowded start, held up rounding the final turn until near the 250 metres.

DRAGON DUKE (BR Jones) - Held up early in the final straight, when questioned regarding performance rider advised after getting back on the inner from a wide draw the gelding had then been held up at a critical time and had found the line well late in the race.

Race 3 AJC MEMBERS 1400

SANSA STARK (J Riddell) - Slow away.

DONIZETTI (D Johnson) - Slow away.

FOOL'S 'N' HORSES (A Collett) - Jumped away awkwardly.

NOPELE (T Thornton) - Raced ungenerously when being restrained in the early to middle stages.

EUROSTAR (O Bosson) - Raced keenly in the lead in the middle stages.

PRINCE JABEEL (M Coleman) - Raced three wide without cover.

DREAM (S Weatherley) - Held approaching the 300 metres having to shift outwards across heels to obtain clear running.

SANSA STARK (J Riddell) - Rider unable to offer any excuses other than may be better suited to more rain affected track conditions.

Race 4 AVONDALE SUNDAY MARKETS 1400

GOT IT (S McKay) - Raced three wide without cover.

HEZTHEWONFORUS (M Du Plessis) - Made the bend near the 900 metres awkwardly when being restrained, hung outwards rounding the final turn.

JEZIBABA (S Spratt) - Steadied when disappointed for a run near the 300 metres when EACH WAY shifted inwards. J Riddell was advised to exercise care.

GO FOR DOUGH (T Thornton) - Steadied and shifted outwards after improving onto heels approaching the 200 metres.

Race 5 WWW.WESTBROOK.CO.NZ 1200

ALBERATION (S Collett) - Dropped its head as the start was effected and was slow away as a result losing several lengths. Trainer S Cole was advised that a warning would be placed against the gelding for its barrier manners.

SCORCHED EARTH (M Cameron) - When questioned regarding his riding tactics in the early stages rider advised that his instructions had been to attempt to get the filly to settle early and into a rhythm but SCORCHED EARTH been reluctant to settle and had raced ungenerously.

STOLE THE SHOW (G Cooksley) - Raced keenly in the early stages making the bend near the 900 metres awkwardly.

BET SHE IS (D Johnson) - Over-raced middle stages, hampered 800 metres.

JUSTAMAIZ (J Riddell) - Over-raced middle stages, briefly steadied to avoid the heels of BET SHE IS passing the 150 metres.

SALT BAY (BR Jones) - Inconvenienced near the 900 metres when SCREAMING MIMI shifted outwards to avoid heels.

PEACEFUL FALLS (A Collett) - Hampered having to be firmly restrained for a distance when crowded to the inside of MORRIE OCK passing the 900 metres.

S Spratt - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that she permitted her mount to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear of PEACEFUL FALLS which was crowded for a distance passing the 900 metres going back onto BET SHE IS which was hampered near the 800 metres. After hearing submissions the Judicial Committee suspended Ms Spratt's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Tuesday 7 November until the conclusion of racing on Sunday 12 November (5 National riding days).

Race 6 NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE

DOUBTLESS BAY - Declared a late scratching on veterinary advice at 11.50am after being injured on the horse transporter.

ANICETA (M Coleman) - Declared a late scratching on veterinary advice at 4.04pm after becoming fractious in the barriers. Trainer K Zimmerman was advised that ANICETA is now required to barrier trial to the satisfaction of a Stipendiary Steward prior to racing next.

O'ANGEL (S Spratt) - Steadled when placed in restricted room to the inside of MIDSUMMER MAGIC which lay in shortly after the start, unable to obtain clear running throughout the final straight.

MIDSUMMER MAGIC (T Thornton) - Commenced to over-race badly near the 950 metres and hung outwards making the bend awkwardly.

ATTIMO (D Johnson) - Shifted outwards after becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of MIDSUMMER MAGIC near the 600 metres forcing ORUA BELLE and OUR SHOWGIRL wider on the track.

OUR SHOWGIRL (C Lammas) - Raced wide without cover, forced over extra ground 600 metres.

ORUA BELLE (M Du Plessis) - Forced over extra ground 600 metres.

ROSE ROYAL (M Cameron) - Had difficulty obtaining clear running until near the 100 metres.

TOP ACTRESS (A Collett) - Held up for a distance passing the 250 metres.

Race 7 FRIENDS OF FOOTBALL 30TH NOVEMBER 1200

FLYING MASTER (J Fawcett) - Began awkwardly making contact with MAHALO which shifted inwards.

MAHALO (S Weatherley) - Bumped start.

LIGHT SHADOW (S McKay) - Slow away, raced fiercely in the early stages, had difficulty obtaining clear running until near the 250 metres.

SPINDLE (A Collett) - Blundered leaving the barriers.

AMASTAR (D Johnson) - Did not make the bend near the 900 metres becoming awkwardly placed near heels and running wide hampering STRAIGHT SETS which was forced wider on the track.

STRAIGHT SETS (R Elliot) - Hampered 900 metre bend being forced over extra ground then racing wide without cover and hanging outwards badly rounding the final turn.

SANTIAGO (H Marzuki) - Held up early in the final straight.

Race 8 WEST BROOK CELLAR DOOR (WAIMAUKU) 1600

MISTY MUSIC (M Coleman) - Jumped away awkwardly unbalancing its rider and losing several lengths.

DUKE OF MILLFIELD (BR Jones) - Jumped away awkwardly, steadied after improving onto heels near the 1000 metres, had some difficulty obtaining clear running over final 100 metres.

ZAPALI (S Weatherley) - Hung outwards rounding the final turn, unable to obtain clear running over the final 200 metres.