

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Gore Racing Club	Date:	31 st January 2018
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Good (3), upgraded to Good (2) following Race 4		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	L Tidmarsh (Chairman), M Davidson, C Boyd		
Veterinarian:	P Langford		
Stenographer:	B Gutsell		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	TANIWHA, OPIHI JADE, VISHNU, DREAMING EASY, MYSTICAL EYES, FLASH SUGGESTION, PAPINA		
Suspensions:	Race	Nil	
Protests:	Race	Nil	
Fines:	Race	5	A Bohorun (OPIO ROSE) \$300 [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] Excessive use of the whip
Warnings:	Race	4	C Campbell (THE DE BOY) [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] Excessive use of the whip
Horse Actions:	Race	3	SHIRLEY MAUDE - veterinary clearance required
	Race	4	MOLLY POLLY - must barrier trial to the satisfaction of Stewards
Follow Up:	Race	Nil	
Medical Certificates:			
Rider Changes:	Race	Nil	
Late Scratchings:	Race	4	MOLLY POLLY - on veterinary advice at 3.42pm

GENERAL:

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SUPPLEMENTARY:

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RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	RURAL BUSINESS SOLUTIONS GORE HANDICAP 2000m
THOUGHT THAT (C Johnson) – Over-raced in the early and middle stages.	
WILD JACK (A Bohorun) – Got its head up when being restrained in the early stages. Lay inwards when placed under pressure near the 250 metres having to be steadied when becoming awkwardly placed near the heels of ROCK SOLID.	

CONSOLIDATE (C Barnes) – When questioned regarding the performance rider C Barnes advised that the tempo of the race had not suited the mare on this occasion and had been left flat-footed when the pace increased near the 600 metres.

Race 2	HOKONUI SUZUKI/AON INSURANCE BROKERS HANDICAP 2000m
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KEEP THE LOT (G Jogoo) – Slow to begin.

POLLY'S SISTER (R Firdhaus) – Shifted outwards abruptly on jumping hampering OPIHI JADE. Held up in the early stages of the home straight having to be shifted inwards near the 200 metres to obtain clear running.

OPIHI JADE (C Johnson) – Hampered leaving the barrier losing ground. Had difficulty obtaining clear running in the early stages of the final straight.

JAKAYA (T Comignaghi) – Got its head up when being restrained shortly after the start. Raced wide in the early to middle stages.

LIZZIE BORDON (L Callaway) – Commenced to over-race in the early stages and passing the winning post on the first occasion had to be steadied when awkwardly near the heels of TAPILIZE.

LETTHETHUNDERROLL (S Toolooa) – Raced wide without cover in the early stages.

CENTAVADA (C Barnes) – Steadied briefly passing the 1000 metres when awkwardly positioned near the heels of TAPILIZE (R Beeharry) which was being steadied and shifted inwards. Apprentice rider R Beeharry was advised to exercise greater care. Hung outwards when placed under pressure in the final straight. When questioned regarding the performance rider C Barnes advised that the mare had been unsuited by the firm nature of today's track conditions. Trainer J Dalton advised that she would be reassessing the racing future of CENTAVADA.

Race 3	NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE 1335m
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KNUTQUACKER (C Barnes) – Shied at the crossing during its preliminary dislodging rider C Barnes and escaping riderless for a short distance before being recaptured. Rider C Barnes was examined by the St John Ambulance Paramedics and cleared to fulfill her remaining riding engagements. KNUTQUACKER underwent a subsequent veterinary examination and was cleared to start.

SHIRLEY MAUDE (G Jogoo) – Began awkwardly. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to have suffered an injury to its left-fore fetlock. Connections were advised a veterinary clearance would be required prior to SHIRLEY MAUDE racing next.

LEILA EVE (R Firdhaus) – Began awkwardly losing ground. The saddle slipped forward near the 1000 metres placing rider R Firdhaus in considerable difficulty for the remainder of the event. Rider Firdhaus was dislodged from the mare upon being pulled up and was examined by the St John Ambulance Paramedics, being cleared to fulfil his remaining riding engagements.

ALL DRESSED UP (D Bothamley) – Held up for a short distance passing the 400 metres. When questioned regarding the performance rider D Bothamley advised the mare had been unsuited by the firm nature of today's track conditions.

PROMISING (B Murray) – Bumped and dictated wider on the track by VISHNU over the concluding stages. Authorisation of dividends were withheld to allow trainer K Tyler the opportunity to view the video footage of the final straight and after doing so, he elected not to proceed with an objection against the 1st placed VISHNU.

VISHNU (C Johnson) – Shifted outwards under pressure in the home straight and over the final 50 metres bumped with PROMISING. Rider C Johnson was advised to exercise greater care.

Race 4	PETERS GENETICS & GRANT FARMING PARTNERSHIP MAIDEN 1335m
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MOLLY POLLY (B Murray) – Reared and became cast in its barrier prior to the event, being subsequently declared a late scratching at 3.42pm acting on veterinary advice. Trainer K Tyler was advised the mare is required to barrier trial to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to racing next.

HAKA STAR (S Muniandy) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

THE DE BOY (C Campbell) – Over-raced in the early stages and near the 1100 metres when being restrained, shifted inwards abruptly, making heavy contact with MISSING HAZARD.

MISSING HAZARD (K Mudhoo) – Bumped heavily near the 1100 metres. Lay inwards when placed under pressure in the final straight.

DREAMING EASY (R Beeharry) – Held up momentarily near the 400 metres.

RED MAJOR (C Johnson) – When questioned regarding the performance rider C Johnson advised the horse had felt flat throughout the event and in his opinion may be feeling the firm nature of today's track conditions.

Apprentice rider **C Campbell** (THE DE BOY) was issued a warning pursuant to Rule 638(3)(b)(ii) for the manner in which he used his whip prior to the 100 metres.

Following the running of this event the official track conditions were upgraded to Good 2.

Race 5	WHITE ROBE LODGE / JOHN BRICK MEMORIAL MAIDEN 1100m
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FRIDAY NIGHT (R Beeharry) – Slow to begin.

RAISE A SAINT (C Barnes) – Slow to begin.

GO APACHE (J Morris) – Crowded between runners on jumping losing ground.

RUBY CHOUX ROSE (K Kalychurun) – Raced three-wide without cover throughout.

VERIFY (G Jogoo) – Held up for a distance passing the 350 metres.

OPIO ROSE (A Bohorun) – Lay outwards when rounding the bend near the 300 metres.

DANTE FIRE (C Campbell) – Lay inwards when placed under pressure passing the 200 metres having to be

steadied when awkwardly placed near the heels of BEFIFTYTWO. Held up for clear running over the final 100 metres.

FINBARR (C Johnson) – Lay inwards when placed under pressure in the final straight.

DRUMSTORM (L Callaway) – When questioned regarding the performance rider L Callaway reported the gelding had not felt comfortable in today's firm track conditions.

Apprentice rider **A Bohorun** (OPIO ROSE) admitted a breach of Rule 638(3)(b)(ii) in that he used his whip in an excessive manner prior to the 100 metres. After viewing replays and hearing submissions on penalty the JCA imposed a fine of \$300.

Race 6	AB LIME / TED WINSLOE MEMORIAL HANDICAP 1200m
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KENYA (K Kwo) – Slow to begin.

OUR TEDDY BOY (C Campbell) – Knuckled upon jumping. When questioned regarding the performance apprentice rider C Campbell advised that the gelding had proved disappointing under his urgings in the final straight and could offer no tangible explanation. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no obvious abnormalities.

THE LIKELY LAD (B Murray) – Shifted inwards on jumping dictating FRIAR TUCK into the line of ALL THINGS NICE and OUR CHARLIE.

ALL THINGS NICE (J Morris) – Crowded leaving the barrier losing ground. Got its head up when being steadied near the 900 metres. Held up for a short distance near the 250 metres

OUR CHARLIE (D Bothamley) – Crowded leaving the barrier losing ground.

FLASH SUGGESTION (T Comignaghi) – Raced wide in the early stages.

RED ACE (L Callaway) – Held up in the early stages of the final straight.

LITTLE MISS (R Beeharry) – Had difficulty obtaining clear running in the early stages of the final straight until near the 125 metres.

Race 7	LOGAN EQUINE / HENDERSON LIVESTOCK MAIDEN 2000m
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FIVEWAYEIGHT (C Campbell) – Shifted outwards abruptly at the start hampering TACKTHEFLAG and THE STYLE. Steadied when crowded for running near the 450 metres when inside THE PUBLICAN which in turn was taken inwards by the weakening FLY WITHOUT WINGS.

TACKTHEFLAG (K Gundowry) – Hampered leaving the barrier. Held up for a distance passing the 400 metres

FLY WITHOUT WINGS (L Callaway) – Raced three-wide without cover throughout before weakening passing the 600 metres. Hung inwards near the 450 metres hampering the trailing THE PUBLICAN and FIVEWAYEIGHT.

THE PUBLICAN (K Kalychurun) – Crowded between runners at the start losing ground. Steadied near the 450

metres when awkwardly near the heels of the weakening FLY WITHOUT WINGS which hung inwards. THE PUBLICAN then difficulty obtaining clear running through the early stages of the final straight.

THE STYLE (J Laking) – Hampered leaving the barrier. When questioned regarding the performance rider J Laking advised that in his opinion the mare was not entirely suited to the firm nature of today's track conditions.

PAPINA (T Comignaghi) – Raced keenly in the early and middle stages.