# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



#### **MEETING DETAILS:**

Club: Woodville-Pahiatua Racing Club Date: Thursday, 19 April 2018

Weather: Overcast

**Track:** Slow (9), Upgraded to Slow (8) retrospective to Race 2.

Rail: True

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

**Vet:** E Grieves **Typist:** S Shirriffs

#### **SUMMARY:**

Swabbing: MAY WE CALL, NADIASSTAR, TALLYHO TWINKLETOE, TURFSHAKER, BELLISSIMO, HEINEKEN

ROCKS, HER DESTINY, ALL THE TALK.

Suspensions: Race 4 D Turner LA TURQUE

[Rule 638(1)(d)] – Shifting ground 900 metres, suspended 26/4 - 2/5 inclusive (5

days).

Protests: Nil

Fines: Nil

Warnings: Race 5 S MacNab PRAWN STAR

[Rule 638(1)(d)] – Shifting ground 50 metres.

5 C O'Beirne CHOICE ATTITUDE

[Rule 638(1)(d)] – Shifting ground 50 metres.

**Horse Actions:** Race 8 VENENEUSE – Unsatisfactory performance, must trial.

Follow Up: Nil

Medical Certificates: Nil

Rider Changes: Race 1 TO SIR WITH LOVE, I Lupton replaced H McNeill

3 THATZ DAVID, G Walsh replaced H McNeill

Late Scratchings: Nil

## **GENERAL:**

The start of Race 1 was delayed due to the non-arrival of an ambulance, eventually running at 1.22pm with other race times all having to be adjusted as a result.

H McNeill did not attend the meeting due to transport difficulties and was replaced as follows:

Race 1, TO SIR WITH LOVE, I Lupton

Race 3, THATZ DAVID, G Walsh

### SUPPLEMENTARY:

Waverley Racing Club, Thursday 12 April 2018

### Race 4 VetFarm Maiden

An inquiry into the reasons for BRAHMARAHMA (M Tanaka) being tightened near the 600 metres was concluded with it being established that SLIGO (R Myers) had stepped inwards briefly crowding BRAHMARAHMA before being immediately corrected by its rider with BRAHMARAHMA over-reacting to this movement contributing to the incident.

### **RACE COMMENTS:**

### Race 1 POWER FARMING MANAWATU MAIDEN HIGHWEIGHT (2100 metres)

BANTENEIGHTY (G Walsh) - Began awkwardly.

**VENERATE** (W Gordon) - Bumped entering the home straight when MAY WE ALL was dictated outwards by CHOCOLATE FISH, which lay out rounding the bend.

MAY WE ALL (M Cropp) – Dictated outwards and bumped entering the home straight.

**CHOCOLATE FISH** (D Turner) – Lay out entering the home straight.

### Race 2 FMG ADVICE & INSURANCE RATING 65 (2100 metres)

**CULLISTER** (C O'Beirne) – Slow away.

NADIASSTAR (R Hannam) – Jumped away awkwardly.

**ZAC BROWN** (L Hemi) – Over-raced when being restrained in the early stages, continuing to race keenly in the middle stages, when questioned regarding performance rider advised the gelding may appreciate further easing of the ground and had been unsuited by the slow early pace and unable to quicken when the tempo increased. A subsequent veterinary inspection did not reveal any obvious abnormalities.

Following Race 2 the track was upgraded to Slow (8) retrospective to Race 2.

### Race 3 FARMLANDS CO-OPERATIVE JUMPERS HIGHWEIGHT (2200 metres)

MAILLY (S MacNab) - Slow away.

IT'S A WONDER (W Gordon) – Slow away.

THE BIG OPAL (K Veenendaal) - Raced wide without cover.

**ZARDETTO** (D Turner) – Tightened, having to be restrained near the 500 metres when placed in restricted room between SEA KING, which hung out, and TALLYHO TWINKLETOE (S Fannin), which was improving to its outside and shifted inwards. Given the contributing movement from SEA KING on this occasion S Fannin was advised to exercise care.

**JUST ISHI** (D Jensen) – Inconvenienced entering home straight when MAILLY shifted outwards when not fully clear. Rider S MacNab was advised to exercise greater care.

**SEA KING** (J Sievwright) -Lay in under pressure in the home straight and was unable to be fully ridden out in the straight.

#### Race 4 NEW CENTRAL MOTOR INN MAIDEN (1200 metres)

THE PUKETAPU LAD (M Tanaka) - Jumped away awkwardly before being crowded and losing further ground.

**TURFSHAKER** (S McKay) - Raced three wide throughout.

**BELLE CANTO** (R Myers) - Held up for a short distance passing the 400 metres.

**D Turner** (LA TURQUE) – Admitted a breach of Rule 638(1)(d) in that he permitted his mount to shift inwards near the 900 metres when not clear of CARILLION and was suspended by the JCA from the conclusion of racing on Wednesday 25 April 2018 up to and including racing on Wednesday 2 May (5 days).

**CARILLION** (T Allan) – Tightened having to be restrained near the 900 metres.

### Race 5 DANNEVIRKE DAIRY SUPPLIES LTD RATING 65 (1400 metres)

**O'CEIRINS CHOICE** (L Allpress) – Slow away. Rider reported the mare had not felt comfortable with its action. Stewards ordered a veterinary inspection which did not reveal any abnormalities.

MASTER PLATINUM (R Hannam) - Slow away.

WORLDCLASS (A Shin) - Awkwardly away, settling back. Rider dropped his whip near the 400 metres.

**SMOKEN' ACE** (J Parkes) - Raced keenly in the early stages. Lay out passing the 200 metres dictating MASTER PLATINUM outwards tightening WHOSHOTMYMATE near the 100 metres, with WHOSHOTMYMATE then shifting inwards dictating MASTER PLATINUM on to SMOKEN' ACE.

MISS DOHERTY (S Collett) – Raced keenly in the early stages, then raced wide without cover.

**S MacNab** (PRAWN STAR) - Issued with a warning under Rule 638(1)(d) after allowing her mount to shift outwards when under pressure in the final straight making solid contact with EDWARDIAN LADY near the 50 metres.

EDWARDIAN LADY (T Allan) - Contacted and unbalanced near the 50 metres.

STYLISH APPLAUSE (R Myers) - Inconvenienced 50 metres.

**C O'Beirne** (CHOICE ATTITUDE) - Issued with the warning under Rule 638(1)(d) after allowing her mount to shift outwards near the 50 metres inconveniencing STYLISH APPLAUSE.

#### Race 6 NAYLOR LAWRENCE/TARARUA HELIWORK MAIDEN (1400 metres)

**IRISH ENCHANTER** (A Shin) - Dislodged rider during the preliminary who was found to be uninjured after being attended to by the ambulance personnel. Hampered crossing the junction shortly after the start when HEINEKEN ROCKS lay out. Hampered 900 metres then raced wide around the bend.

**OUR LITTLE SECRET** (R Hannam) – Slow away.

**STOCKING** (C O'Beirne) – Slow away.

**MISS HOI POLLOI** (L Hemi) - Shifted outwards to avoid heels near the 900 metres bumping IRISH ENCHANTER. Steadied passing 400 metres when awkwardly placed inside the heels of the weakening IRISH ENCHANTER.

**DALLA MOSA** (S Collett) - Held up for a distance approaching the 800 metres.

## Race 7 NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE (1600 metres)

**CANDY BELT** (L Allpress) - Raced three wide without cover. Lost the Left Hind plate during the running. When questioned into performance rider advised the mare was making abnormal breathing noises. A post-race veterinary inspection revealed no obvious abnormality.

**FEEL THE BREEZE** (S MacNab) - Made the bend approaching the 1200 metres awkwardly when racing ungenerously.

#### Race 8 HOFFMAN & KB FORD MAIDEN 3YO (1600 metres)

**LINCOLN DREAMER** (M Tanaka) – Jumped away awkwardly before being further hampered when crowded losing ground.

**VENENEUSE** (D Bradley) - Raced ungenerously when being restrained in the early stages then continuing to over-race through the middle stages. Steadied when racing in restricted room near the 650 metres then failing to respond once placed under pressure quickly becoming tailed off and was not persevered with in the final straight. Rider reported the filly had raced very greenly throughout. A post-race veterinary inspection did not reveal any abnormality with connections being advised the filly now must trial to the satisfaction of a stipendiary steward prior to racing again, with Trainer R Frost indicating that VENENEUSE is now likely to be retired from her stable.

**SHOCKALIT** (C Dell) - Raced three wide without cover.

**CAPBLAMO** (J Parkes) – When questioned regarding performance rider was unable to offer any excuse.