

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Avondale Jockey Club	Date:	Wednesday, 25 April 2018
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Slow 7, upgraded to Dead 6 following Race 2		
Rail:	4.5 metres		
Stewards:	M Williamson (Chairman), B Jones, P Kinsey, W Robinson		
Vet:	O Glen BBS		
Stenographer:	M Gemmell		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	MOD MAUDE, NARVICK, SWITCH IN TIME, BELLA COURT, OHCEEDEE, MEDIA SENSATION, THE MACALLAN, FRANKLIN, LEWIS ROAD		
Suspensions:	Race	2	T Harris MY DEKOTA Careless riding 2000 metres [638(1)(d)] Suspended 29/4 – 9/5 inclusive, 6 national riding days
		4	M Du Plessis MARCIANO Careless riding 1500 metres [638(1)(d)] Suspended 29/4 – 5/5 inclusive, 4 national riding days
		7	K Chowdhury ARTIC STORM Careless riding 300 metres [638(1)(d)] Suspended 29/4 – 10/5 inclusive, 7 national riding days
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Race	2	T Harris MY DEKOTA Excessive use of whip [638(3)(b)(ii)] Fined \$500
		3	J Nason VERBALIZER Excessive use of whip [638(3)(b)(ii)] Fined \$500
		7	S Marsh O'HE CAN Omitted lead bag when saddling [614(2)] Fined \$300
Warnings:	Race	4	S Spratt SMART DRAGON Shifted ground 200 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
		8	C Lamma FINAL SUGGESTION Shifted ground 900 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
Horse Actions:	Race	8	FIGEAMEOUT – Warning, barrier manners
		8	LEWIS ROAD – Humanely euthanased
Follow Up:	Nil		
Medical Certificates:	Nil		
Rider Changes:	Race	5	DREAM ON – M Cameron replaced V Colgan (unwell)
		7	WHENHARRYMETSADDLE – S Collett replaced V Colgan
		8	FIGEAMEOUT – T Thornton replaced V Colgan
Late Scratchings:	Race	2	HE'S NO SAINT – 10.55am
		6	KAILANI SUNSET – 1.43pm (veterinary advice)
		8	RELIABLE LAD – 9.52am (veterinary advice)

GENERAL:

Trainer Mrs K Fursdon advised Stewards that the incorrect horse had been loaded onto the float and there was insufficient time for HE'S NO SAINT to be transported to the races with the gelding being scratched at 10.55am.

Following V Colgan being stood down after Race 4 the wrong replacement rider was given to the TAB for WHENHARRYMETSADDLE (S Spratt) with the correct rider being given at 3.45pm (S Collett).

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Counties Racing Club - 21 April 2018

Race 7 - MANCO EASTER HANDICAP (1600 metres)

MAGNUM (D Johnson) – Stable representative J Gillies advised Stewards that the gelding had taken some time to recover following this race and has now been sent for a spell.

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 | **Sandy Lane Development 2100**

RAQISA (A Collett) – Slow away.

LUCETTA (M Cameron) – Contacted leaving the barriers. Raced wide in the early stages before improving forward to sit outside the leader near the 1200 metres.

CHIARA (J Bayliss) – Contacted leaving the barriers.

WELLETSDOIT (T Harris) – Commenced to over-race when becoming awkwardly placed for a distance passing the 1800 metres and continued to do so through the middle stages.

TIPICAL (D Johnson) – Hampered 1800 metres when becoming awkwardly placed inside heels and commenced to over-race for a distance. Hampered 1000 metres shifting out off heels.

ISKANDER (T Thornton) – Over-raced when being restrained in the early stages becoming awkwardly placed near the 1700 metres.

PRINCE JABEEL (C Lammas) – Raced ungenerously in the early to middle stages when being restrained. Became awkwardly placed 1000 metres shifting back on to TIPICAL which was hampered. Again became awkwardly placed on heels near the 900 metres shifting out and making contact with WELLETSDOIT. Inconvenienced over the final 50 metres by MOD MAUDE which shifted out under pressure.

PRESS MY BUTTONS (J Grob) – Shifted out to obtain clear running near the 250 metres.

Race 2 | **Magness The Mighty Steam Train 2100**

MAKDANIFE (S Weatherley) – Began awkwardly. Held up approaching the 400 metres.

DELEGATE (K Cowan) – Began awkwardly. Checked 2000 metres losing ground.

T Harris (MY DAKOTA) – Admitted a breach of careless riding in that he allowed MY DAKOTA to shift in near the 2000 metres when insufficiently clear of DELEGATE which was checked with his license to ride in races suspended by the Judicial Committee from the conclusion of racing on 28 April 2018 up to and including racing on 9 May 2018, 6 National riding days.

VOLER POUR MOI (C Lammas) – Inconvenienced 200 metres.

T Harris (MY DAKOTA) – Admitted a charge in that he used the whip excessively when riding MY DAKOTA prior to the 100 metres with the Judicial Committee imposing a fine of \$500.

Race 3 | **5 Star Horse Transport 1400**

MANGAROA FIRE (L Satherley) – Crowded shortly after the start having to be steadied.

AULYN STAR (C Lammas) – Slow to begin.

OSTRAVA (M McNab) – Raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

SIGNOR DAL (S Collett) – Over-raced for a distance in the early stages becoming awkwardly placed near the 1850 metres.

SWITCH IN TIME (M Cameron) – Held up passing the 450 metres.

CHELSEA STREET (M Du Plessis) – Shifted in to obtain clear running passing the 400 metres.

MOET MOLLY (R Elliot) – Inconvenienced over the concluding stages by SWITCH IN TIME which shifted out under pressure.

VERBALIZER (J Nason) – Crowded over the concluding stages by PAINT THE TOWN which shifted in under pressure.

J Nason (VERBALIZER) – Admitted a charge in that he used the whip excessively when riding VERBALIZER prior to the 100 metres with the Judicial Committee imposing a fine of \$500.

Race 4 | **Sunday Markets AJC Governor General's Cup (1600 metres)**

BELLA COURT (A Collett) – Crowded and checked 1500 metres losing ground.

M Du Plessis (MARCIANO) – Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he allowed MARCIANO to shift in approaching the 1500 metres when insufficiently clear of BELLA COURT which was checked with the Judicial Committee suspending his license to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Sunday 28 April up to and including racing on Saturday 5 May, 4 National riding days.

CHERRY BAY (K Cowan) – Steadied approaching the 1000 metres when awkwardly placed inside the heels of SMART DRAGON (S Spratt) which shifted in when not fully clear. S Spratt was reprimanded by Stewards and advised to exercise greater care in a similar circumstance.

S Spratt (SMART DRAGON) – Issued with a warning for allowing SMART DRAGON to shift in passing the 200 metres when insufficiently clear of SYMPHONIC which was crowded and steadied with Stewards taking into account the racing manners of SMART DRAGON.

SYMPHONIC (V Colgan) – Crowded for a distance passing the 200 metres and steadied.

ALTIUS (S Collett) – Lay out over the final 100 metres becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of SMART DRAGON and was steadied.

V Colgan was stood down following the race due to illness.

Race 5 | **AJC Members 1200**

DEVIANT MISS (R Smyth) – Began awkwardly with the rider becoming unbalanced and lost ground as a result.

COUNTY CLARE (M Du Plessis) – Began awkwardly laying out and crowding SEIRIOS which was hampered losing ground.

SEIRIOS (M McNab) – Crowded soon after the start losing ground.

GIMMEE EKSTRA (T Wenn) – Began awkwardly.

SHEZALLPOWER (S Spratt) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

THE LAST WORD (D Johnson) – Contacted and hampered 850 metres by MARKOVA which had shifted in when becoming awkwardly placed on heels.

DREAM (S Weatherley) – Inconvenienced when weakening near the 75 metres.

Race 6	Contessa Vanessa NZB Insurance Pearl Series Race (1200 metres)
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SURE BET (R Elliot) – Slow to begin. Raced ungenerously passing the 850 metres when becoming awkwardly placed on heels.

SIMOGRAMOR (M Coleman) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

CHAPEAU (D Johnson) – Slow to begin. Had difficulty obtaining clear running for the majority of the final straight.

COUNTERCLAIM (A Schwerin) – Began awkwardly losing ground. Became awkwardly placed on heels approaching the 900 metres losing ground.

PULLYOURSOCKSUP (S Collett) – Became awkwardly placed inside the heels of MEDIA SENSATION passing the 850 metres and shifted in slightly briefly crowding PATSYS LASS which had made the turn awkwardly. Over-raced through the middle stages.

PATSYS LASS (A Collett) – Briefly crowded 850 metres when making the bend awkwardly.

SPOIL SPORT (M McNab) – Inconvenienced 200 metres.

Race 7	West Brook Wines 1400
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S Marsh (O'HE CAN) – Fined \$300 by the Judicial Committee after omitting the lead bag when presenting O'HE CAN to race.

ARTIC STORM (K Chowdhury) – Began awkwardly. Shifted out 300 metres to obtain clear running making contact.

BREEZON (A Collett) – Crowded when leaving the barriers and steadied.

TUSCAN WHISTLER (J Nason) – Crowded when leaving the barriers and steadied. Crowded approaching the 300 metres by AERO DE PARIS which lay in when placed under pressure, then had difficulty obtaining clear running for a distance.

HEEZA DREIMER (R Elliot) – Slow to begin.

BELLE FASCINO (M McNab) – Began awkwardly. Lay in under pressure making contact 175 metres.

FIREFLY (D Johnson) – Over-raced in the middle stages when becoming awkwardly placed on heels for a distance passing the 900 metres.

WHENHARRYMETSADDLE (S Collett) – Raced three wide without cover. Hampered 250 metres becoming unbalanced. Further hampered 175 metres by BELLE FASCINO which lay in under pressure.

O’HE CAN (T Harris) – Checked 300 metres.

AERO DE PARIS (J Bayliss) – Lay in when placed under pressure approaching the 300 metres and continued to hang in for the remainder of the straight.

K Chowdhoo (ARTIC STORM) – Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he angled ARTIC STORM out passing the 300 metres when insufficiently clear of O’HE CAN which was checked then shifting out further and hampering WHENHARRYMETSADDLE which became unbalanced with the Judicial Committee suspending his license to ride in races from the conclusion of racing Sunday 29 April up to and including racing on Thursday 10 May, 7 national riding days.

Race 8

Precinct Realty 1600

FIGEAMEOUT (T Thornton) – Slow to begin (3L). Trainer R James was advised that a barrier warning would be placed against the gelding.

VAN BLANC (R Elliot) – Slow to begin.

SURE FOOTED HIPPO (A Collett) – Began awkwardly losing ground. Made the bend awkwardly passing the 850 metres.

MOMUS (S Weatherley) – Slow to begin.

NEEDY NADEEM (S Collett) – Crowded passing the 900 metres and steadied.

C Lammas (FINAL SUGGESTION) – Issued with a warning after allowing his mount to shift in pass the 900 metres when insufficiently clear of NEDDY NADEEM which was crowded and steadied.

BABOONSKI (C Dell) – Raced ungenerously when being steadied passing the 900 metres.

OUR STAR (A Schwerin) – Hampered 850 metres when becoming awkwardly placed on heels.

LEWIS ROAD (S Spratt) – Broke down approaching the 600 metres with REPLICA which was following taking evasive action and shifting out off that runners heels, badly hampering FINAL SUGGESTION and BLANCO BAY which were forced very wide on the track. LEWIS ROAD was quickly attended to by the veterinarian and found to have fractured the off fore pastern and was humanly euthanased.

REPLICA (M Coleman) – Badly hampered 600 metres and forced very wide.

FINAL SUGGESTION (C Lammas) - Badly hampered 600 metres and forced very wide and then was not persevered with for the remainder of the race.

BLANCO BAY (T Harris) - Badly hampered 600 metres and forced very wide.

CAMEO (M Du Plessis) – Briefly held up passing the 400 metres.

