STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Feilding Jockey Club Date: Thursday 31 May 2018

Weather: Fine Track: Heavy 11

Rail: 5 metres from 800m to 400m, 8 metres remainder.

Stewards: D Balcombe (Chairman), N Goodwin, G Whiterod, B Bateup

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

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: DEUCE COUPE; KOTAHI; BELLE CANTO; PLATINUM EDITION; CORNERSTONE; THAT'S FUNNY;

CAP DU JEU; DAL KILCHOAN.

Suspensions: Nil
Protests: Nil
Fines: Nil

Warnings: Race 1 M Singh DEUCE COUPE

[Rule 638(1)(d)] – Shifting ground 100 metres

S McKay LIMBO STREET

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Horse Actions: Race 7 YAMATO NADESHIKO – Must trial on multiple occasions

Follow Up: Race 3 FUN SEEKER

Medical Certificates: Nil
Rider Changes: Nil
Late Scratchings: Nil

SUPPLEMENTARY:		

RACE COMMENTS:

GFNFRAL:

Race 1 SPRAY SPECIALISTS LTD MAIDEN (1400 metres)

IN DREAMLAND (A Shin) – Jumped outwards at the start bumping DUECE COUPE and settling back.

KINI MARIE (D Hirini) – Held up for a short distance from the 600 metres. Tightened and bumped near the 350 metres when LIMBO STREET (S McKay) lay out simultaneously as VENETO shifted inwards and was contacted and dictated outwards on to DEUCE COUPE (M Singh), which was inconvenienced. A short distance further KINI MARIE was inconvenienced near the 100 metres when DEUCE COUPE shifted in before being straightened. Also contributing to the incident was outward movement from LIMBO STREET. Both riders M Singh and S McKay were issued with

warnings under Rule 638(1)(d) and advised they are expected to straighten their mounts sooner than they did on this occasion.

Prior to the authorisation of dividends connections of the third placed KINI MARIE looked at footage of the interference near the finish but elected not to proceed with an objection.

LIMBO STREET (S McKay) – Lay out under pressure in the home straight.

DEUCE COUPE (M Singh) – Bumped start. Raced keenly in the early stages. Held up near the 600 metres gaining clear running passing the 400 metres. Lay inwards approaching the 100 metres.

SANDY SMALL (C O'Beirne) - When questioned into performance rider advised the mare may not have appreciated today's heavy track conditions which she described as holding. A subsequent veterinary inspection revealed no obvious abnormality.

Race 2 NOELS BUILDING 3YO MAIDEN (1200 metres)

KOTAHI (R Hannam) – Raced ungenerously in the early stages having to be restrained passing the 1000 metres and when doing so went back on to ZEDABEL LASS, which had to be restrained off heels approaching the 900 metres and when doing so shifted inwards contacting MARJI'S GOLD before shifting out inconveniencing OUTTHEGATE.

ZEDABEL LASS (D Turner) – Restrained off heels and contacted 900 metres. A short distance further near the 800 metres, ZEDABEL LASS was dictated outwards on to OUTTHEGATE when MARJI'S GOLD (Z Moki) was angled out when not the required distance clear. Rider Z Moki was advised to exercise greater care when shifting ground.

OUTTHEGATE (L Allpress) – Inconvenienced 900 metres. Dictated outwards 800 metres.

Race 3 MARTIN BEVERIDGE LTD MAIDEN (1200 metres)

MASTER BEN (R Hannam) – Slow away. Returned to the enclosure with a superficial laceration above the eye consistent with having made contact with the starting gates.

BEL CANTO (A Shin) – Raced keenly then had to be restrained off heels approaching the 800 metres.

FUN SEEKER (R Myers) - When questioned into performance rider could offer no excuse. A subsequent veterinary inspection was clear.

PLAY THE FIELD (M Singh) – Raced keenly for a short distance approaching the 600 metres.

Race 4 REILLY JOINERY MAIDEN (2100 metres)

MISS HOI POLLOI (R Hannam) – Raced keenly in the early stages.

OUR CHUCKY (S McKay) – Raced in restricted room for a short distance near the 1800 metres.

Race 5 THE LAMINEX GROUP HANDICAP (2100 metres)

CORNERSTONE (J Parkes) – Reared as the gates opened, losing ground.

THE GREAT GURU (J Riddell) – Tightened at the start when runners either side shifted ground, clipping a heel and blundering.

T Johnson (AL MUNROE) – Spoken to regarding the use of his whip on a runner out of contention.

Race 6 CARTERS HANDICAP (1200 metres)

PLATINUM VOLOS (J Riddell) – Slow away then ran in abruptly shortly after the start.

PACIFIC TAP (S MacNab) – Began awkwardly.

SON OF SURF (D Hirini) – Raced keenly in the early stages causing the saddle to slip forward with the rider removing her feet from the irons near the 800 metres for the remainder of the race.

JUST YOU (M Tanaka) – Inconvenienced approaching the 350 metres when SON OF SURF, whose rider was in difficulty with no irons, shifted inwards, tightening PICKNGO, whose hind quarters were contacted by PLATINUM VOLOS, which was improving to its inside. Lay in passing the 200 metres, having to be straightened.

Race 7 PLACEMAKERS HANDICAP (1550 metres)

YAMATO NADESHIKO (C O'Beirne) - Stood in the gates taking no effective part in the race. As this is not the first time that YAMATO NADESHIKO has refused to jump away, connections were advised the mare must trial on multiple occasions to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to racing next. Trainer H Mathews advised the mare will be retired.

EM KAY POPS (M Hudson) – Began awkwardly settling back.

Race 8 POWER FARMING MAIDEN (1550 metres)

HE NO OPILIO (J Parkes) – Began awkwardly. Returned to the enclosure with blood present in the mouth. A subsequent veterinary examination revealed a tooth loosened consistent with hitting its starting gate.

CHARLIE HORSE (D Turner) – Raced keenly in the early stages. Tightened at the finish when DAL KILCHOAN lay inwards.

WONDERFUL BARBIE (M Singh) - Raced in restricted room for a short distance near the 450 metres.

NORTHERN DELIGHT (S McKay) – When questioned into performance, rider advised the mare had been unable to quicken in today's holding track conditions.

DAL KILCHOAN (T Johnson) – Lay inwards near the finish.