STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

	Club:	Wanganui Jockey Club	Date:	Thursday	5 July	/ 2018
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Weather: Fine
Track: Heavy 10
Rail: 6 Metres

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

Vet: J O'Brien Typist: V Perry

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: DONARDO, CHARLIE HORSE, THEE OLD COUGAR, FULL SWING, VATICAN NEWS, ITSAGEM and SMILING PROUD.

Suspensions: Nil
Protests: Nil

Fines: Race 1 W Gordon (DONARDO)

[Rule 638 (3) (b) (ii)] Excessive use of whip - Fined \$300

C O'Beirne (FRANCESCA KATE)

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Warnings: Race 7 W Pinn (PRINCESS RAAJ) Rule 638 (1) (d) – Shifting Ground 600m.

Horse Actions: Race 4 THATZ DAISY – must barrier trial prior to racing next

Follow Up: Race 5 KENSINGTON

Medical Certificates: Received from D Turner and T Johnson

Rider Changes: Nil

Late Scratchings: Race 4 CANDY CROSS on veterinary advice

5 KENSINGTON on veterinary advice

GENERAL:			
SUPPLEMENTARY	Y:		

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	PALAMOUNTAINS NUTRITION MAIDEN HWT 2060m

The following horses were tightened at the start when **LOTHBROK** began awkwardly – **COUNTDOWN, WHOLETTHEFOXOUT, THE TINKER, DEZZY MAC, WELIKAH,** and **WONDER JUMP** which lost several lengths.

WONDER JUMP (M Cropp) - Tightened, losing ground at the start

WELIKAH (R Elliot) - Raced ungenerously in the early stages

ENTREAT (C Studd) - Raced wide without cover throughout

QUEEN EL JAY (J Riddell) - Held up for some distance behind the tiring **DEZZY MAC** near the 700 metres having to be angled across heels to improve near the 600 metres. When questioned into the run of **QUEEN EL JAY**, J Riddell advised that although the mare had hung throughout and had been held up at a vital stage near the 700 metres, was unable to make up any discernable ground on the leaders in the home straight.

THE TINKER (K Veenendaal) – Held up, having to be restrained off heels near the 600 metres. Had to be restrained off heels approaching the 1,700 metres and when doing so got its head in the air.

M Cropp (WONDER JUMP) – Was reminded of his obligations with regard to his use of the whip on a runner out of contention.

W Gordon (DONARDO) – Admitted a breach of Rule 638 (3) (b) (ii) in that he used his whip excessively prior to the 100 metres. After hearing submissions was fined \$300.

Race 2 G BRISTOL & SONS MAIDEN HWT 1600m

NON PAYER (I Lupton) - slow away

THUTMOSIS (A Kuru) - Raced ungenerously in the early stages making the bend near the 1,400 metres awkwardly dictating wider on the track and inconveniencing **MISS HOI POLLOI.**

TWO EYE (W Gordon) - Raced ungenerously for a distance passing the 1,400 metres.

VANNOSS (J Nason) - Held up for a distance near the 600 metres.

Race 3 SPOONERS DRY CLEANERS MAIDEN 1600m

THE HEIRESS (S Collett) - slow away

LOOK WEST (D Turner) - tightened at the start losing ground

HE'S RIC (D Bradley) - raced keenly in the early stages

THEDEVILWEARSPRADA (S MacNab) - Raced keenly having to be restrained off heels near the 1,000 metres. Raced in restricted room approaching the 600 metres.

FATEFUL (J Parkes) – When questioned into performance Rider advised the gelding did not appreciate today's heavy track conditions.

R Elliot (THEE OLD COUGAR) - was spoken to regarding his whip use prior to the 100 metres

C O'Beirne (FRANCESCA KATE) - Admitted a breach of Rule 638 (3) (b) (ii) in that she used her whip excessively prior to the 100 metres. After hearing submissions was fined \$300.

Race 4 NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE 1200m

CANDY FLOSS - Declared a late scratching on veterinary advice.

THATZ DAISY (C O'Beirne) - Began awkwardly settling back then raced very greenly throughout and was not persevered with in the home straight when out of contention. A subsequent veterinary inspection was clear. Connections were advised that the filly must trial to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to its next start.

ARABICA (W Pinn) – Attempted a marginal run approaching the 800 metres having to be restrained off the heels of **LOVE ME TENDER.**

EVA DAWN (J Parkes) - When questioned into the disappointing run J Parkes had no obvious excuse but was of the opinion the filly may not have been suited to the heavy track.

Race 5 WANGANUI STEELFORMERS 1200m

KENSINGTON (L Allpress) - underwent a pre-race veterinary inspection at the request of the rider and was declared a late scratching on veterinary advice at 2.46pm

JUST YOU (R Hannam) – reared at the start

IRONBARK (W Pinn) - began awkwardly dictating **BROTHER ONE** inwards tightening **YIN DRAGON** which contacted **MAGICELLA.**

YIN DRAGON (T Johnson) - Rider lost his whip near the 300 metres.

Prior to the authorisation of dividends a request for a ruling under Rule 632 (1) was requested by the Stewards after the starter reported that the gates had opened prematurely when a runner had charged the gates. Starter B Clement advised that he was satisfied that no runner was unduly affected so opted not to call a false start. Prior to applying for a ruling from the JCA all riders were questioned and apart from R Hannam (JUST YOU) were of the opinion that their chances had not been adversely affected to any degree. Jockey R Hannam (JUST YOU) initially expressed some concern that he was inconvenienced by being further back than he intended at the start but because JUST YOU had finished third under Rule 632 (1) JUST YOU was declared a runner. After questioning the starter B Clement, R Hannam and viewing footage of the start, the Committee declared that all runners had taken an effective part in the race.

Race 6 NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES 1360m

TATTYBOGLER (S MacNab) - Slow away. Raced keenly in the early stages.

DESTINY ONE (C-M Waddell) – Slow away

GATA (S McKay) – When questioned into the performance Rider advised the mare had not appreciated today's track conditions. A subsequent veterinary examination was clear.

Race 7 SPOONER, HOOD & REDPATH LTD 1360m

DRAGON DANCER (C Dell) – Awkwardly away. Tightened having to be restrained near the 600m when PRINCESS RAAJ shifted out. W Pinn was shown footage of his ride and issued with a warning under Rule 638 (1) (d)

PRINCESS RAAJ (W Pinn) - Slow away.

REGAL WINKS (R Hannam) – Slow away