

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Levin Racing Club @ Awapuni	Date:	Saturday, 28 July 2018
Weather:	Cloudy		
Track:	Heavy (11)		
Rail:	Out 3m from 850m to 350m – remainder true		
Stewards:	N Goodwin (Chairman), D Balcombe, B Bateup, M Austin		
Vet:	E Grieve		
Typist:	S Shirriffs		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	NEBRASKA; ROSEWOOD; MERLOT; JUST YOU; ATENARTIN, MECIXAN TYCOON; KEEP IT SAVVY; CAPE DU JEU.		
Suspensions:	Nil		
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Race	6	C Johnson DE GAULLE \$300 [Rule 636(1)(d)] – Failed to ride out fully to the finish
Warnings:	Nil		
Horse Actions:	Nil		
Follow Up:	Nil		
Medical Certificates:			
Rider Changes:	Nil		
Late Scratchings:	Nil		

GENERAL:

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SUPPLEMENTARY:

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RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	VETS ON RIVERBANK 3YO MAIDEN (1200 Metres)
	<p>EUGENIE JOY (C O'Beirne) – Shifted out abruptly and away from DETONATE shortly after the start inconveniencing HEINEKEN HANK. Briefly inconvenienced near 200 metres.</p> <p>HEINEKEN HANK (C-M Waddell) – Inconvenienced shortly after the start. Lay in under pressure in the home straight briefly inconveniencing EUGENIE JOY near the 200 metres.</p> <p>SPIRITED LADY (M Singh) – Finished last. When questioned into performance rider could offer no excuse, other than the filly may not have appreciated today's heavy track conditions. A subsequent veterinary examination was clear.</p>

Race 2	FASTTRACK INSURANCE HANDICAP (1200 Metres)
<p>DOLCETTO (S O'Malley) – Made contact with front gate just prior to the start being effected resulting in the gate opening fractionally early.</p> <p>BATCHELOR BABE (S MacNab) – Jumped inwards at the start contacting DARCI MAC. Lay inwards early in the home straight when under pressure.</p> <p>DARCI MAC (W Pinn) – Contacted at the start. Lost the off side front plate during the running.</p>	
Race 3	OTAKI CHRISTMAS AT THE RACES 30 NOV & 20 DEC MAIDEN (1400 Metres)
<p>BELINDABELLA (J Parkes) - Shifted in abruptly approaching the 1200 metres having to be straightened. Improved up on to the heels of the tiring OUR JOCKO, which rolled in under pressure near the 500 metres, and was then angled outwards to improve.</p> <p>VENETO (C O'Beirne) – Began awkwardly settling back. Lay in under pressure in the home straight.</p> <p>CASSINO TO TRIESTE (L Allpress) - When questioned into performance rider advised the mare did not appreciate today's heavy track conditions.</p> <p>KINI MARIE (R Myers) – Rider could offer no excuse. A subsequent veterinary inspection revealed a slow recovery rate.</p> <p>T Allan (MISS HOI POLLOI) - Was attended to and cleared by paramedics after being hit by a clod during the running.</p>	
Race 4	HAUNUI FARM HANDICAP (1200 Metres)
<p>THAT'S FUNNY (D Hirini) – Underwent a veterinary inspection after arriving behind the barriers displaying blood from a small abrasion in the nasal area and was subsequently cleared to start. Slow away.</p> <p>JUST YOU (C Johnson) - Held up from the 400 metres before being angled outwards across heels approaching the 200 metres to improve.</p> <p>RAM SAM SAM (T Johnson) - Raced greenly under pressure early in the home straight.</p> <p>VATICAN NEWS (C O'Beirne) - When questioned into performance rider advised the gelding was not comfortable in today's heavy track conditions. A post-race veterinary inspection was clear.</p>	
Race 5	COURTESY FORD RYDER STAKES (1200 Metres)
<p>MEXICAN TYCOON (J Riddell) – Reared when the start was effected settling back.</p> <p>EASTERN WARRIOR (C Johnson) - Began awkwardly dictating NOTABADHARADA outwards contacting SWEET ELVIRA which jumped inwards.</p> <p>SOMEWHERE MAN (D Bradley) – Raced keenly in the early stages.</p> <p>NOTABADHARADA (D Turner) – Inconvenienced 1100 metres when SWEET ELVIRA, which was racing greenly, lay inwards.</p> <p>TUTTA LA CLASSE (L Allpress) - Contacted MEXICAN TYCOON approaching 1100 metres.</p> <p>TIGER TIGER (M Singh) - Slow away. Raced greenly throughout having to be restrained off heels approaching the 800 metres, making the bend awkwardly. Shifted in abruptly when struck with the whip near the 250 metres hampering</p>	

SWEET ELVIRA, which then shifted away from that runner.

TUTTA LA CLASSE (L Allpress) - Lay inwards in the home straight.

SWEET ELVIRA (T Allan) – Hampered 250 metres.

Race 6 | **CREATIVE CATERING HANDICAP (1550 Metres)**

DURHAM (D Bradley) – Got its head down as the gates opened.

INDIGENOUS UNION (J Riddell) – Bounded at the start.

GREAT GURU (T Johnson) - Began awkwardly settling back.

SO IT WAS (L Allpress) - Not persevered with in the home straight when out of contention. When questioned into performance rider reported that she felt something may have been amiss with the mare. A subsequent veterinary inspection was clear.

C Johnson (DE GAULLE) – Admitted a breach of Rule 636(1)(d) in that he was observed to relax his ride approximately four strides short of the line when in contention for fifth placing. After viewing footage and hearing submissions the JCA imposed of fine of \$300.

Race 7 | **COURTESY FORD HANDICAP (2100 Metres)**

HAMILTONIAN (L Allpress) - Slow away

HARD TO BE HUMBLE (T Johnson) – Slow away.

DES DE JEU (D Bradley) - Raced keenly in the early stages when wide without cover.

ONAWING (R Myers) – Gave ground quickly approaching the 600 metres and was not persevered with over the final stages when well out of contention. Rider could offer no excuse. A subsequent veterinary inspection was clear.