STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Counties Racing Club	Date:	Saturday, 24 November 2018			
Weather:	Showers					
Track:	Dead (5), Downgraded to Slow (7) at 10.30 am					
Rail:	True					
Stewards:	M Williamson (Chairman), A Coles, J McLaughlin, P Kinsey					
Vet:	Dr I Bridge BVSc					
Stenographer:	P Laboyrie					

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	ROGER THAT, GUNDOWN, BAVELLA, AALAALUNE, YORKSHIRE DALES, BISOU BISOU, VOLPE VELOCE, LE SABLIER, IGRAINE, MONGOLIAN MARSHAL, BOSTONIAN, SANTA				
	MONICA, KING'S CROSS				
Suspensions:	Race	1	J Fawcett VERMONT		
			Careless riding 600 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 29/11 – 12/12		
			inclusive, 10 riding days		
		6	S Collett ZAPPEUR		
			Careless riding 1100 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 2/12 – 8/12		
-			inclusive, 5 riding days		
Protests:	Nil				
Fines:	Nil				
Warnings:	Race	4	A Goindasamy MAID OF STEEL		
			Steadying pace 1200 metres [Rule 638(4)]		
		4	S Collett SWISSWATCH		
			Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)]		
		6	T Pike SACRED DAY		
			Late declaration of rider [537(a)]		
		9	T Yanagida LOVELIGHT		
			Shifting ground 375 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]		
		9	C Lammas RED SKY AT NIGHT		
	_		Shifting ground 375 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]		
Horse Actions:	Race	1	ROUGH CUT veterinary clearance required prior to racing next		
Follow Up:	Race	1	SULIMAN		
		1	BLACKMAGICWOMAN		
		6	ACUTUS		
		7	HELLO IT'S ME		
		9	THE RIPPA		
Medical Certificates:	Nil				
Rider Changes:	Nil				
Late Scratchings:	Race	6	LAURANT 10 am (veterinary advice)		

GENERAL:

Nil

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 MOUNT SHOP 2400				
SULIMAN (C Lammas) – Placed in restricted room shortly after the start. Raced wide without cover from the 1600 metres. When questioned regarding performance rider C Lammas advised that the gelding may be feeling the effects				
of recent racing.				
ROUGH CUT (M Coleman) – Became tailed off passing the 1000 metres and then was retired from the race. A post- race veterinary examination found the gelding to have suffered from cardiac arrhythmia with trainer S Wenn being advised that an appropriate veterinary clearance for ROUGH CUT will be required prior to racing next.				
BLACKMAGICWOMAN (E McCall) – Hampered approaching the 700 metres by VERMONT which shifted out when hanging. Checked 600 metres losing ground when crowded to the outside of VERMONT which shifted out abruptly when struck with the whip. As a result BLACKMAGICWOMAN shifted out hampering ZANYETTA. When questioned regarding performance rider E McCall advised the mare may be feeling the effects of recent racing. A post-race veterinary examination could find no obvious abnormality.				
ZANYETTA (M Cameron) – Hampered for a distance approaching the 600 metres.				
J Fawcett (VERMONT) – Admitted a breach of careless riding in that she permitted VERMONT to shift out approaching the 600 metres when insufficiently clear of BLACKMAGICWOMAN which was checked losing ground. After hearing submissions the Judicial Committee suspended J Fawcett's license to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on 28 November up to and including racing on 12 December, 10 national riding days.				
VERMONT (J Fawcett) – Commenced to hang out when making the bend near the 900 metres and then shifted out abruptly approaching the 600 metres when struck with the whip. Retired from the race soon after entering the final straight. A post-race veterinary examination could find no obvious abnormality.				
BLACK LACE (R Smyth) – Steadied 700 metres when awkwardly placed.				
CHACHI ARCOLA (T Thornton) – When questioned regarding performance rider T Thornton advised that the gelding had not been entirely happy in the existing track conditions.				
Race 2 FRANKLIN LONG ROOFING 1600				
MEESKA MOOSKA (R Elliot) – Began awkwardly losing ground.				
FIRE JET (T Thornton) – Raced wide without cover throughout.				
DEMONETIZATION (L Innes) – Slow away. Held up early in the final straight. Crowded for a distance passing the 300 metres when attempting to improve to the inside of ATHENA BABY which shifted in. DEMONETIZATION then shifted out slightly approaching the 200 metres making contact with ATHENA BABY which became briefly unbalanced.				
ATHENA BABY (A Goindasamy) – Shifted in under pressure passing the 300 metres making contact and becoming unbalanced. Briefly contacted 200 metres becoming unbalanced.				
The connections of the third placed horse ATHENA BABY viewed Stewards footage alleging interference by the second placed horse DEMONETIZATION in the final straight electing not to proceed with a protest.				
Race 3 SPLICE CONSTRUCTION 2YO STAKES 1100				
SHE'S A LADY (S Spratt) – Shifted in abruptly leaving the barrier.				
VISTOCK (T Thornton) – Hampered start losing ground.				

BLACKROCKSDETOX (A Calder) – Slow away.	Briefly steadied approaching the 100 metres when laying in across
heels.	

AALAALUNE (S McKay) – Steadied when in restricted room shortly after the start.

BAVELLA (L Innes) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

MAYBEASHOWOFF (L Satherley) – When questioned regarding performance rider L Satherley advised the gelding had travelled well in the early to middle stages, but had failed to respond once under pressure in the existing track conditions.

Race 4 FASTTRACK INSURANCE 1400

ALIGNS WITH ME (L Satherley) – Slow away then further hampered losing ground.

PADRAIG (K Cowan) – Began awkwardly losing ground. Hampered 1200 metres.

NEESON (S Spratt) – Over-raced when the paced steadied approaching the 1200 metres.

YORKSHIRE DALES (R Myers) – Over-raced approaching the 1200 metres when the pace steadied, shifting out to avoid heels and hampering PADRAIG, then continued to over-race through the middle stages.

MATO GROSSO (C Lammas) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

A Goindasamy (MAID OF STEEL) – Issued with a warning after restraining his mount passing the 1200 metres and steadying the pace, placing riders in difficulty.

S Collett (SWISSWATCH) – Issued with a warning for using her whip excessively prior to the 100 metres.

Race 5 DUNSTAN FEEDS AUCKLAND THOROUGHBRED BREEDERS STAKES 1400

ROCKABYEBABY (S Collett) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

GOBONIEGO (C Lammas) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

VOLPE VELOCE (M Coleman) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

BISOU BISOU (A Calder) – Shifted out to obtain clear running passing the 250 metres.

Race 6 LONE STAR PUKEKOHE 1400

NEXT UP (G Cooksley) – Crowded and steadied shortly after jumping away.

ADIS (C Lammas) – Crowded and checked 1100 metres. Had difficulty obtaining clear running until near the 300 metres.

S Collett (ZAPPEUR) – Admitted a breach of careless riding in that she permitted ZAPPEUR to shift in near the 1100 metres when insufficiently clear of ADIS which was crowded and checked. After hearing submissions the Judicial Committee suspended her license to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on 1 December up to and including racing on 8 December, 5 national riding days.

MUSICAL BLUES (M Coleman) – Raced ungenerously when being steadied in the early to middle stages. When questioned regarding performance M Coleman advised that after over-racing in the early to middle stages had been the filly had been unable to finish the race off as a consequence.

SISTABEEL (L Innes) – Raced ungenerously when being steadied in the early to middle stages.

BELOW ZERO (V Colgan) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

KIRKINTILLOCH (M Cameron) – Raced ungenerously when being steadied off heels passing the 700 metres.

MARISSA (A Calder) – Held up until near the 400 metres.

SACRED DAY (R Elliot) – Held up until shifting in passing the 350 metres.

ACUTUS (O Bosson) – When questioned regarding performance rider O Bosson advised that the gelding had failed to respond once placed under pressure in the final straight. ACUTUS underwent a post-race veterinary examination could find no obvious abnormality.

Race 7 SSANGYONG COUNTIES CUP 2100

FIVE TO MIDNIGHT (L Innes) – Slow away (4L). When questioned regarding the performance, Rider L Innes advised that the gelding had not been entirely comfortable in the existing track conditions.

HELLO IT'S ME (C Lammas) – Began awkwardly losing ground. Inconvenienced when weakening passing the 400 metres. Was not persevered with from near the 300 metres. A post-race veterinary examination found the mare to have a poor recovery.

KYRIE ELEISON (R Elliot) – Began awkwardly shifting in making contact with PESO which became briefly unbalanced.

PESO (R Myers) – Bumped at the start becoming briefly unbalanced.

MAYGROVE (O Bosson) - Raced wide without cover.

Race 8 HAUNUI FARM COUNTIES BOWL 1100

RIKKI TIKKI TAVI (S Collett) – Hampered leaving the barriers.

PRINCESS KERERU (C Lammas) – Hampered leaving the barriers losing ground.

POWER DREAM (R Myers) – Hampered leaving the barriers.

SANTA MONICA (T Thornton) – Began awkwardly. Shifted out to obtain clear running passing the 400 metres.

UNTAMED DIAMOND (A Calder) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

Race 9 HR FISKEN & SONS LTD 1600

SAFFRON LADY (S McKay) – Over-raced through the early stages.

KING'S CROSS (S Collett) – Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race. Crowded passing the 375 metres and steadied when racing to the inside of LOVELIGHT (T Yanagida) which shifted in when placed under pressure with KING'S CROSS then making contact with STANDING IN LINE which was crowded on to the hind quarters of TWO THIRTY which was crowded by RED SKY AT NIGHT (C Lammas) which shifted out under pressure.

TWO THIRTY (R Myers) – Crowded 375 metres.

STANDING IN LINE (A Goindasamy) – Crowded 375 metres.

PACQUIAO (R Elliot) – Held up early in the final straight shifting out to obtain clear running approaching the 300 metres.

THE RIPPA (V Colgan) – Improved on to heels passing the 300 metres and was steadied for a distance. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which could find no obvious abnormalities.

T Yanagida (LOVELIGHT) – Issued with a warning after permitting LOVELIGHT to shift in passing the 375 metres when insufficiently clear of KING'S CROSS which was crowded and steadied.

C Lammas (RED SKY AT NIGHT) – Issued with a warning after allowing RED SKY AT NIGHT to shift out under pressure passing the 375 metres when insufficiently clear of TWO THIRTY which was crowded.

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