

# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



## MEETING DETAILS:

<b>Club:</b>	Otago Racing Club	<b>Date:</b>	Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> January 2019
<b>Weather:</b>	Fine		
<b>Track:</b>	Dead 5		
<b>Rail:</b>	Out 3 metres 800 to 350 metres rest true		
<b>Stewards:</b>	M Davidson (Chairman), J McLaughlin and K Coppins		
<b>Veterinarian:</b>	Dr S Bransgrove		
<b>Typist:</b>	M O'Brien		

## GENERAL:

Nil
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## SUPPLEMENTARY:

Nil
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## SUMMARY:

<b>Swabbing:</b>	HOOFBEAT, LIL MISS SWISS, ROC THE CRADLE, THE LAST WON, DRUMSPIRIT, BELLE HOPE, MISS CURIOUS, PICTURE ME ROLLIN, AULYN STAR.		
<b>Suspensions:</b>	<b>Race</b>	Nil	
<b>Protests:</b>	<b>Race</b>	Nil	
<b>Fines:</b>	<b>Race</b>	Nil	
<b>Warnings:</b>	<b>Race</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>BB Hong (METAL GURU)</b> [Rule 638(3)(b)(i)] – using the whip on a runner when out of contention
<b>Follow Up</b>	<b>Race</b>	Nil	
<b>Horse Actions:</b>	<b>Race</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>MONTERRAT</b> – Must barrier trial
<b>Medical Certificates:</b>	Required from B Murray and K Chowdhoo		
<b>Rider Changes:</b>	<b>Race</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>ZEDAAM</b> – K Chowdhoo replaced B Murray (injured)
	<b>Race</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>DEVIOUS</b> – T Comignaghi replaced B Murray
	<b>Race</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>LUNAR LADY</b> – G Saejorhor replaced K Chowdhoo (injured)
	<b>Race</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>IT'S PANDEMONIUM</b> – G Saejorhor replaced K Chowdhoo
	<b>Race</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>PICTURE ME ROLLIN</b> – R Mudhoo replaced B Murray
	<b>Race</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>AULYN STAR</b> – G Saejorhor replaced B Murray
<b>Late Scratching:</b>	<b>Race</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>MONTERRAT</b> – At 3.38 pm after refusing to load
	<b>Race</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>IRISH EXPRESS</b> – At 8.07 a.m. on vets advice

## RACE COMMENTS:

<b>Race 1</b>	<b>WINGATUI FUNCTION CENTRE RATING 82 1500 METRES</b>
<b>WHAT'S UP ALF</b> (G Saejorhor) – Slow to begin.	
<b>BALLYBAY</b> (L Hemi) – Restrained to the rear on jumping. Held up on heels passing the 300 metres having to shift ground inwards to obtain clear running.	
<b>SECRET POWER</b> (BB Hong) – Raced wide throughout.	
<b>ABSOLUTE GOLD</b> (R Mudhoo) – Briefly held up rounding the final bend.	
<b>THE BUMPER</b> (B Murray) – When asked for a comment on the performance of the gelding the rider could offer no tangible excuses.	
<b>Race 2</b>	<b>BROCKLEBANKS DRY CLEANERS R65 2200 METRES</b>

**MAC MURDOCH** (B Murray) – Slow to begin. Tailed the field throughout despite the efforts of the rider. Finished a distance last. A post-race veterinary inspection revealed no abnormalities.

**BABAN** (S Collett) – Raced wide early.

**LIL MISS SWISS** (G Saejorhor) – Raced wide from the 1200 metres.

Following the running of this event B Murray was stood down by the St Johns Paramedics suffering a wrist injury which was aggravated when riding today.

<b>Race 3</b>	<b>KB CONTRACTORS MAIDEN 2200 METRES</b>
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**ZEDAAM** (K Chowdhoory) – Fractious in the barriers. Improved quickly onto the heels of a tiring runner passing the 500 metres clipping a heel falling and dislodging rider K Chowdhoory. K Chowdhoory was attended to by the St Johns Paramedics and transferred to Dunedin Hospital for further evaluation for concussion. The following horses were badly hampered by the fallen horse and rider, **PAINTED ANGEL**, **TACKTHEFLAG**, **ADVENTURESS** and **LUUKA**.

**PAINTED ANGEL** (J Laking) – Hampered by fallen horse and rider passing the 500 metres.

**TACKTHEFLAG** (D Bothamley) – Hampered by fallen horse and rider passing the 500 metres.

**ADVENTURESS** (T Comignaghi) – Hampered by fallen horse and rider passing the 500 metres. Held up by tiring runners rounding the final bend.

**LUUKA** (C Johnson) – Hampered by fallen horse and rider passing the 500 metres.

**ROCK MASTER** (T Jonker) – Made contact with the running rail passing the 1350 metres.

**HARD BUT FAIR** (D Turner) – Raced wide early before improving to sit outside the leader passing the 1300 metres. Under pressure at 500 metres and finished well back.

**QUEEN EL JAY** (J Morris) – Improved wide from the 900 metres.

<b>Race 4</b>	<b>OTAGO FARM MACHINERY MAIDEN 820 METRES</b>
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The start of this event was officially delayed to 2.30 pm due to the injured rider being transported to hospital. There was a further delay when several horses proved very reluctant to load.

**SHEZA HAZZARD** (S Collett) – Slow to begin.

**POILU** (J Laking) – Slow through the early stages.

**RAY'S IN COMMAND** (C Barnes) – Raced wide throughout.

**INDEX** (T Moseley) – Raced greenly passing the 600 metres losing some momentum with the trailing **MUSTARD** also having to be steadied at this point.

**MUSTARD** (D Turner) – Steadied passing 600 metres.

**HURRICANE AUBERT** (L Hemi) – Rider reported the gelding had raced greenly throughout.

<b>Race 5</b>	<b>NZB INSURANCE PEARL SRIES MAIDEN F&amp;M 1200 METRES</b>
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The start of this event was officially delayed to 3.07 pm.

**LUNAR LADY** (G Saejorhor) – Slow to begin. Rider reported the mare had felt indifferent in its action with a post-race veterinary inspection revealing no obvious abnormalities.

**REMARKABLE KATE** (J Laking) – Slow to begin. Bumped 200 metres.

**SUCCOSO SEGRETO** (T Moseley) – Made the bend at the 900 metres awkwardly getting its head up on a number of occasions.

**TAP TAP** (D Turner) – Raced wide throughout.

**RELIABLE GLOW** (M Kareem) – Obligated to race wide from the 700 metres. Lay inwards passing the 200 metres.

**LARIPPA** (D Prastiyou) – Held up passing the 200 metres making contact with **REMARKABLE KATE** on at least two occasions when attempting to find clear racing room. D Prastiyou was reminded of his obligations when shifting ground.

**DANZI CREEK** (J Lowry) – Held up rounding the final bend and throughout the middle of the run home only gaining clear racing room inside the final 50 metres.

**Race 6** | **SOUTHERN WIDE REAL ESTATE RATING 65 1200 METRES**

The start of this event was officially delayed to 3.33 pm. The start was further delayed when **MONTSERRAT** proved difficult to load.

**MONTSERRAT** (J Lowry) – Was late scratched at 3.38 pm after refusing to load. The connections were advised the mare must barrier trial to the satisfaction of the Stewards before racing again.

**HE'S MI BROTHER** (D Bothamley) – Slow to begin.

**HIHO** (J Laking) – Crowded shortly after the start and lost some ground. Raced keenly early.

**CAIRNSVILLE** (A Bohorun) – Over raced when leading through the early stages.

**COTES DE BOURG** (R Beeharry) – Raced wide throughout. Lay in throughout the run home and could not be ridden to any advantage over the concluding stages.

**BARANOO** (T Moseley) – Placed in restricted room passing the 200 metres when **CAIRNSVILLE** lay inwards at this point.

**BELLE HOPE** (D Turner) – When spoken to regarding the improved performance of the mare trainer S Prince advised that she had been unlucky in her two previous starts and prior to that had been in good form so today's improved effort was not unexpected.

**Race 7** | **SPEIGHTS MAIDEN 1600 METRES**

**PATROMIA** (T Jonker) – Slow to begin and lost contact with the main body of the field despite the efforts of the rider.

**SULU SEA** (G Saejorhor) – Raced wide early.

**HOLD THE RADDLE** (S Collett) – Raced wide throughout.

**THE FLAGON** (D Bothamley) – Held up by tiring runner rounding the final bend only gaining clear racing room passing the 325 metres.

**MISS CURIOUS** (C Johnson) – Lay in passing the 150 metres and had to be straightened.

**CINNAMON KISS** (T Comignaghi) – Gave ground from the 500 metres finishing a distant last. Stewards ordered a post-race veterinary inspection which revealed the mare was suffering from a soft palate issue with the connections advising the mare will be retired as a racing proposition.

**Race 8** | **COLIN MCDONALD MAIDEN 1600 METRES**

**I AM A ROCK** (J Laking) – Crowded between runners at the start.

**CHOWDER** (D Bothamley) – Shifted outwards at the start.

**PICTURE ME ROLLIN** (R Mudhoo) – Crowded shortly after the start losing ground when runners either side shifted ground.

**LETZPARTYON** (T Comignaghi) – Raced wide throughout. Shifted in passing the 150 metres when struck with the whip and had to be straightened.

**EL CAMPEADOR** (D Prastiyou) – Raced wide throughout. Held up passing the 250 metres and had to shift outwards to find clear racing room.

**METAL GURU** (BB Hong) – Gave ground from the 500 metres. Trainer C Black advised that she will return the gelding to

jump outs prior to racing next.

**MANHATTAN FIRE** (E Wright) – Placed in restricted room for several strides passing the 150 metres.

**BB Hong** (METAL GURU) – Issued with a warning under Rule 638(3)(b)(i) in that he used his whip on a runner when out of contention.

**Race 9**

**CHAMPIONS DAY AT WINGATUI 2<sup>ND</sup> FEB RATING 65 1600 METRES**

**AULYN STAR** (G Saejorhor) – Began awkwardly and lost ground.

**COCEE** (D Turner) – Restrained to the rear after jumping.

**PLOWSHARE** (J Lowry) – Raced keenly in the early stages.

**VALENTINA VITTORIA** (R Mudhoo) – Raced wide throughout.

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