STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Date: Friday, 1 March 2019

Weather: Fine Track: Dead(4)

Rail: Out 2m On Home Turn | Remainder Out 6m Stewards: N Goodwin (Chair), D Balcombe, B Bateup

Vet: L Russell BVSc Typist: S Shirriffs

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: DON'T KNOW JAKK; GRANITE RIDGE; DEERFIELD; KAPINOS; TINKALICIOUS; CULLEN

BOHANNON; LINCOLN HILLS; WALLACEVILLE.

Suspensions: Race 7 Z Moki WINGs

Shifting ground [Rule 638(1)(d)] – Suspended 9-14 March 2019 inclusive (4 days)

Protests: Race

Fines: Race

Warnings: Race 6 D Mansour SPEED CALL

[Rule 638(1)(d)] – Shifting ground start

Horse Actions: Race 8 SABATICA – barrier manners

8 KELTIC ROCKSTAR – barrier manners

Follow Up: Race

Medical Certificates:

Rider Changes: Race

Late Scratchings: Race 8 SABATICA (Z Moki) – at 6.58pm by Stewards

SUPPLEMENTARY:

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 TUI – BACKING A WINNER SINCE 1889 2100 (2100 Metres)

TOOK THE CATCH (R Hannam) – Awkwardly away settling back. When questioned into performance rider advised that after beginning awkwardly had been unable to improve.

MARTINELLI (S Collett) – Dropped its head as the gates opened, losing ground.

DON'T KNOW JAKK (D Turner) - Slow away.

DO THE TWIST (S MacNab) - Restrained from a wide draw. Lay inwards under pressure in the home straight.

RED RED ROBIN (H Andrew) - Raced very keenly in the early stages, having to be angled outwards near the 1600 metres, briefly inconveniencing HATTIE BEE, then improved three wide to sit outside the leader near the 1400 metres.

HATTIE BEE (Z Moki) - Briefly inconvenienced 1600 metres. Lay inwards under pressure in the home straight.

MASTER COURTSMAN (S O'Malley) - Raced wide without cover in the middle stages.

BELLA NERO (C O'Beirne) – Held up passing the 400 metres having to be angled outwards across heels to gain clear running near the 300 metres. Lay in under pressure over the final stages.

Race 2 RICHARD SIMPSON CONTRACTING/BJW MOTORS 2100 (2100 Metres)

STUNNING (R Hannam) – Slow away.

CEAD MILE FAILTE (C Johnson) – Raced keenly in the middle stages. Raced in restricted room for a distance approaching the 100 metres.

DEEP BLUE (J Parkes) - When questioned into performance rider advised the gelding may appreciate some easing in the track conditions.

Race 3 RAYNER BUILDING/RAYNER DECORATING 1200 (1200 Metres)

CRAFTYAFFAIR (S Collett) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

TENNESSEE ROSE (L Allpress) – Began awkwardly then contacted when A LITTLE VAGUE jumped outwards dictating RIO STAR. When questioned into performance rider advised that the mare had hung throughout. A subsequent veterinary inspection was clear. Connections advised that consideration would be given to racing the mare without a hood at its next start.

A LITTLE VAGUE (L Hemi) – Jumped outwards at the start.

RIO STAR (R Hannam) – Dictated and bumped at start, settling back. Lay inwards under pressure in the home straight.

Race 4 HR JONES 1200 (1200 Metres)

HEIRLOOM (H Andrew) - Awkwardly away, briefly unbalancing the rider, settling back.

KAPINOS (L Allpress) – Jumped inwards at the start heavily contacting BROADWAY BRAWLER, which inconvenienced FINE LEG.

BROADWAY BRAWLER (S MacNab) - Heavily contacted at start, with rider losing the inside iron for a short distance

FINE LEG (S Collett) – Inconvenienced at start.

ANSWER MY PRAYER (J Parkes) - Slow away. Raced three wide without cover throughout.

ACE ROYALE (S O'Malley) - Raced ungenerously when being restrained in the early stages.

KAURI QUEEN (C Johnson) - Gave ground quickly after entering the home straight and was not persevered with over the final stages. When questioned, rider could offer no excuse. A post-race veterinary inspection revealed the filly to have tied up.

Race 5

RICHARDS CONSTRUCTION 1550 (1550 Metres)

AWATANE (J Parkes) - Slow away.

TINKALICIOUS (R Myers) – Began awkwardly.

AL HARAM (N Bakar) - Raced ungenerously throughout. When questioned into performance rider could offer no excuse other than the gelding had raced keenly and may appreciate further distance.

Race 6 HW CAVANAGH TRANSPORT HUNTERVILLE 1550 (1550 Metres)

D Mansour (SPEED CALL) – Was issued with a warning under Rule 638(1)(d) after angling his mount inward at the start when not the required distance clear of ROAD TO REIGN, which was dictated inwards into the line of CULLEN BOHANNON, which was tightened and lost ground.

ROAD TO REIGN (D Hirini) - Dictated inwards at start.

CULLEN BOHANNON (L Allpress) - Tightened at start settling back.

TORQUE STRAIGHT (S Collett) – Lay out under pressure over the final stages.

MALLARD DRAKE (J Parkes) – Lay inwards under pressure early in the home straight. Raced in restricted room when giving ground approaching the 200 metres. When questioned into performance rider could offer no excuse.

Race 7

POWER FARMING 1400 (1400 Metres)

WINGS (Z Moki) - Began awkwardly, losing ground before recovering to sit outside the leader near the 1100 metres.

ARTURO (D Turner) – Got its head in the air when being restrained in the early stages, then hung rounding the bend.

SASANQUA (J Parkes) – Tightened approaching the 100 metres when runners either side shifted ground.

Z Moki (WINGS) – Admitted a breach of Rule 638(1)(d) in that she allowed her mount to shift out approaching the 100 metres when not clear of ARTURO which was tightened and checked. After viewing footage and hearing submissions the JCA suspended Z Moki's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Friday, 8 March up to and including racing on Thursday, 14 March (4 days).

Race 8

AGRICOM 1400 (1400 Metres)

The start of this race was delayed by approximately 10 minutes after **SABATICA** escaped prior to the start and was unable to be caught for some time and was late scratched by the Stewards at 6.58pm. Connections have been advised that a warning has been placed on SABATICA with regard to its barrier manners.

WALLACEVILLE (S O'Malley) - Jumped inwards at the start tightening and dictating SORRY I'M LATE inwards on to NUDGE BAR and FAGIOLO MAJICO.

SORRY I'M LATE (D Turner) – Tightened and dictated at start. Raced keenly in the early stages.

SUPER BULLET (D Mansour) – Raced keenly in the early stages. Became awkwardly placed on heels passing the 400 metres.

FAGIOLO MAJICO (L Allpress) – Inconvenienced at start. Raced ungenerously when being restrained in the early stages. Hung outwards rounding the turn into the line of SUPER BULLET, L Allpress was advised to exercise care.

BRUNO STARS (C Johnson) - Raced wide throughout.

KELTIC ROCKSTAR (L Hemi) - Connections were advised that warning has been placed against the barrier manners of KELTIC ROCKSTAR after being reluctant to load. Held up approaching the 400 metres, having to be angled wide on the track entering the home straight to improve.