



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS:

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| Club: | Masterton Racing Club | Date: | Sunday 24 March 2019 |
| Weather: | Fine | | |
| Track: | Dead 4 | | |
| Rail: | True | | |
| Stewards: | D Balcombe (Chair), N Goodwin, M Austin | | |
| Vet: | P Hendron BVetMed | | |
| Typist: | S Shirriffs | | |

SUMMARY:

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| Swabbing: | OUTTHEGATE; MISS SWEET PEE; FLYING MEG; HUGO THE BOSS; GRANITE RIDGE; AWESOME AL; WHATSUP. |
| Suspensions: | Race 1 R Hannam LINCOLN HANOVER Shifting ground 1100 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] – Suspended 31/3-6/4 incl. |
| Protests: | Nil |
| Fines: | Nil |
| Warnings: | Race 4 L Somervell STRADIVARIUS [Rule 616(2)] – presenting runner without notified gear 4 Lowry & Cullen CARILLION [Rule 616(2)] – presenting runner without notified gear |
| Horse Actions: | Nil |
| Follow Up: | Nil |
| Medical Certificates: | Nil |
| Rider Changes: | Race 5 LA JUNGLES – D Hirini replaced Z Moki (transport difficulties) |
| Late Scratchings: | Race 7 HARLEM 'N' CO – late scratching at 1.40pm due to transport difficulties |

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RACE COMMENTS:

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| Race 1 | FARMLANDS GALLAGHER FENCING MAIDEN 1400 (1400 Metres) |
| GREYSTONE (S Collett) - Shifted out abruptly on jumping away. Checked 1100 metres. | |
| SEMPER MAGICO (D Turner) - Tightened at the start and got back. Made the bend near the 350 metres awkwardly. | |
| ALMO COSTA (J Parkes) - Began awkwardly. | |

R Hannam (LINCOLN HANOVER) – Admitted a breach of Rule 638(1)(d) in that he allowed his mount to shift inwards near the 1100 metres when not the required distance clear of GREYSTONE, which was checked. After hearing submissions R Hannam had his licence to ride in races suspended from the close of racing on Saturday, 30 March up to and including racing on Saturday, 6 April (5 national riding days).

HUNTER VILLAIN (C Johnson) - Raced keenly in the early stages.

GOLDEN PERA (M Singh) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

ROYAL INN (H Andrew) - Hung rounding the home turn.

OUTTHEGATE (R Elliot) - Lay in under pressure in the home straight.

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| Race 2 | PER INCANTO MAIDEN 2YO 1000 (1000 Metres) |
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SAMURAI GIRL (H Andrew) - Slow away. Shifted in abruptly under pressure early in the home straight making contact with the running rail. A post-race veterinary inspection was clear.

REGAL REWARD (S O'Malley) - Raced keenly crossing the junction on to the course proper. Shifted outwards over the final stages.

BELLA SORELLA (D Turner) - Tightened at the start and got back when runners either side shifted ground. Raced greenly rounding the turn.

LADY GODIVA (C Johnson) - Slow away. Made the turn awkwardly.

SPRINGSTEEN (S Collett) – Shifted out abruptly when racing greenly near the 800 metres.

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| Race 3 | FAST TRACK INSURANCE & EQUIVETSNZ MAIDEN 2200 (2200 Metres) |
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RED RED ROBIN (H Andrew) - Raced wide early without cover.

SHE'S DIVINE (C Johnson) – Held up for a short distance behind the rapidly tiring SHOCKAINE near the 600 metres. When questioned into performance rider could offer no excuse.

SHOCKAINE (H Durrant) - Raced ungenerously for a distance near the 1700 metres making the bend awkwardly.

BELLA NERO (C O'Beirne) - When questioned into performance rider advised that the mare may be better suited ridden with cover.

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| Race 4 | LJ HOOKER & MCHATTIE REALTY LTD R82 1000 (1000 Metres) |
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Trainers L Somervell (STRADIVARIUS) and **Lowry & Cullen** (CARILLION) were issued with warnings under Rule 616(2) after presenting their respective runners without the notified tongue ties.

ISLAND BAY (R Elliot) - Raced greenly early.

STRADIVARIUS (D Hirini) - Shifted in over the final stages hampering BRING TO THE BLOCK which was attempting to improve to its inside and when being corrected shifted out momentarily hampering CASAQUINMAN.

BRING TO THE BLOCK (L Hemi) – Briefly hampered final stages.

CASAQUINMAN (D Turner) – Briefly hampered final stages.

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| LUCYINRIO (M Singh) – When questioned into performance rider could offer no excuse. | |
| Race 5 | FAGAN FORD & LVN WOOL HANDLERS R65 2050 (2050 Metres) |
| <p>LA JUNGLES – D Hirini replaced Z Moki (transport difficulties).</p> <p>KATIEM MARIE (S MacNab) - Slow away.</p> <p>STUNNING (R Hannam) – Slow away. Lay in rounding the final turn contacting DAL KILCHOAN.</p> <p>DAL KILCHOAN (L Hemi) - Contacted final turn.</p> <p>UNCLE BRO (J Parkes) - Held up for some distance rounding the home turn behind the tiring LA JUNGLES and early part of the home straight and was not persevered with over the final stages when out of contention.</p> <p>STUNNING (R Hannam) and GRANITE RIDGE (H Andrew) both shifted out under pressure over the final stages.</p> <p>The connections of the 2nd placed STUNNING looked at footage of the final stage but elected not to proceed with an objection against the winner, GRANITE RIDGE.</p> | |
| Race 6 | KURIPUNI SPORTS BAR & TAB MASTERTON CUP R72 1600 (1600 Metres) |
| <p>ONE PRIZE ONE GOAL (L Hemi) - Began awkwardly contacting AWESOME AL which settled back.</p> <p>AWESOME AL (D Turner) – Contacted start, settled back.</p> <p>ATLANTA PEACH (S Collett) - Raced three wide without cover in the early stages.</p> <p>PEP TORQUE (C O’Beirne) - Raced three wide throughout.</p> <p>PLATINUM RAPPER (C Johnson) - Raced in restricted room over the final stages.</p> <p>RED CLOUD (J Parkes) - When questioned into performance rider advised the gelding may prefer some easing in the track conditions.</p> | |
| Race 7 | PGG WRIGHTSON R65 1400 (1400 Metres) |
| <p>HARLEM ‘N’ CO – Late scratching at 1.40pm due to transport difficulties.</p> <p>LODI (S Collett) - Tightened at the start when runners either side shifted ground.</p> <p>MR INK (H Durrant) - Tightened at start, settling back.</p> <p>HINGIS (R Elliot) - Held up approaching the 400 metres having to be angled outwards across heels to gain clear running approaching the 200 metres.</p> <p>CAR PIE (D Hirini) – Raced three wide without cover throughout and finished some distance last. Rider D Hirini could offer no excuse. Connections advised they would report any abnormalities in the coming days.</p> | |