

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Southland Racing Club	Date:	Sunday 31 st March 2019
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Slow 8 / Slow 7 following Race 6.		
Rail:	Out 4 metres from 1700 to 220 metres rest true		
Stewards:	M Davidson (Chairman), J McLaughlin and V Munro		
Veterinarian:	Dr A Wezenbeek		
Typist:	B Gutsell		

GENERAL:

Rider S Wynne advised Stewards she was unable to attend today's meeting due to aggravating an injury and was replaced as per attached schedule.
Pre-Race blood testing was carried out at this meeting.

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Nil

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	CITY SLICKER, PICTURE ME ROLLIN, MORENA ROC, COME FLY WITH ME, MAC MURDOCH, SWEET OAK, TAP TAP, FINBARR, SON OF SURF.
Suspensions:	<p>Race 8 L Callaway (FINBARR) [Rule 638(1)(d)] – Careless Riding 75 metres. Suspended 4th April until 10th April inclusive. (5 days)</p>
Protests:	<p>Race 5 BEAUFIGHTER (2nd) vs MAC MURDOCH (1st) [Rule 642(1)] Alleged Interference passing 160 metres – Dismissed.</p>
Fines:	Race Nil
Warnings:	<p>Race 3 BB Hong (POWER PUNCH) [Rule 638(1)(d)] – Shifting ground 2000 metres.</p> <p>Race 6 J Gordon (LITTLE FLICK) [Rule 616(4)] – Presented runner in non-notified gear.</p> <p>Race 9 B Murray (DOUBLE DOWN) [Rule 638(1)(d)] – Shifting ground 1300 metres.</p>
Follow Up	Race Nil
Horse Actions:	Race 7 DRAGON GLASS – Racing manners warning.
Medical Certificates:	G Saejorhor – Medical Clearance required.
Rider Changes:	<p>Race 1 HAKA STAR – C Johnson replaced S Wynne (Injured)</p> <p>2 NOMEN LUDI – T Moseley replaced S Wynne</p> <p>4 SWEET TIME – C Barnes replaced S Wynne</p> <p>5 MADAM DE SOIR – L Hemi replaced S Wynne</p> <p>6 SHE'S FUN – C Johnson replaced S Wynne</p> <p>7 SHE IS GOLD – L Callaway replaced S Wynne</p> <p>8 STELLACANTO – C Barnes replaced S Wynne</p> <p>8 KING PIN – R Mudhoo replaced G Saejorhor (Unwell)</p> <p>9 SIR ED – R Mudhoo replaced G Saejorhor</p>
Late Scratching:	<p>Race 1 SALIENT – by order of Stewards @ 12.16pm.</p> <p>Race 9 PERFECTO – by order of Stewards @ 4.55pm.</p>

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	ILT CENTREPOINT & SOUTHCITY LIQUORLAND MAIDEN (1600m)
<p>The start of this event was delayed approximately 5 minutes due to SALIENT dislodging rider B Murray on the way to the start and escaping riderless for some distance. SALIENT was subsequently declared a late scratching by order of the Stewards at 12.16pm. Mr Murray was examined by St John Ambulance Paramedics and cleared to fulfill his remaining riding engagements today.</p> <p>ODYSSEUS (D Bothamley) – Raced with one rear racing plate after being unable to be reshod prior to the start. Slow to begin. Over-raced in the early stages on a slow tempo.</p> <p>MOLLY POLLY (BB Hong) – Restrained to the rear to obtain cover shortly after the start.</p> <p>DONTPUTYAFOOTINIT (C Barnes) – Attempted to improve wide from the 700 metres.</p> <p>CITY SLICKER (K Chowdhoory) – Shifted out under pressure passing the 50 metres.</p> <p>GELIBOU (T Moseley) – Lay out throughout the run home. Had to be steadied away from the heels of CITY SLICKER (K Chowdhoory) who shifted out under pressure passing the 50 metres. K Chowdhoory was advised to exercise greater care.</p>	
Race 2	KELVIN HOTEL HANDICAP (1600m)
<p>NOMEN LUDI (T Moseley) – Slow to begin.</p> <p>RUBY MARIE (K Mudhoo) – Over-raced through the middle stages, having to be steadied away from heels passing the 1100 metres. Held up rounding the final bend.</p> <p>WHAT’S UP ALF (BB Hong) – Raced wide throughout.</p> <p>BLACK LIZZIE (C Barnes) – Weakened from the 600 metres finishing in a distant last placing. When questioned regarding the seemingly disappointing performance rider could offer no tangible explanation. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no obvious abnormalities.</p> <p>TEDDYTWINKLETOES (B Murray) – Rider B Murray was reminded of his obligation to ride his mounts out fully to the finish when circumstances permit.</p>	
Race 3	HOMESTEAD COBB & CO / HOMESTEAD VILL MOTEL MAIDEN (2130m)
<p>MACPAC (J Morris) – Tightened between runners as the start was made, losing ground.</p> <p>THE FLAGON (T Moseley) – Crowded and had to steady passing the 2000 metres.</p> <p>LUUKA (C Johnson) – Crowded and had to steady passing the 2000 metres.</p> <p>BB Hong (POWER PUNCH) was issued with a warning under Rule 638(1)(d) when allowing his mount to shift inwards crowding THE FLAGON and LUUKA who both had to steady passing the 2000 metres.</p> <p>MORENA ROC (L Hemi) – Improved forward to the lead passing the 1000 metres. When questioned regarding the seemingly improved performance rider L Hemi advised that at its previous start over a mile the gelding had been trapped away on the fence in the worst of the going, however today had appreciated an uninterrupted passage and the extra distance of the race.</p> <p>POWER PUNCH (BB Hong) – Awkwardly placed inside the heels of RAISE US, which shifted inwards passing the 270 metres after being dictated inwards by LUUKA (C Johnson). C Johnson was advised to exercise care.</p>	
Race 4	WAXY’S IRISH PUB HANDICAP (2130m)
<p>POINT PROVEN (BB Hong) – Slow through the early stages, becoming detached from the body of the field.</p> <p>HE AIN’T HEAVY (L Callaway) – Improved wide from the 800 metres.</p> <p>TIMY TYLER (G Saejorhor) – Rider reported the gelding had lay out for the majority of the running.</p>	

Race 5	LONE STAR CAFÉ & BAR HANDICAP (2130m)
<p>RUAKIWI BLAZE (B Murray) – Began awkwardly and got back.</p> <p>QUEEN EL JAY (C Johnson) – Lay outwards rounding the first bend , shifting wider on the track.</p> <p>FRANCONI (T Moseley) – Crowded and checked at the 850 metres. Held up rounding the final bend. Placed in restricted room over the concluding stages when attempting a marginal run to the inside of FULLTOTHEBRIM.</p> <p>Apprentice G Saejorhor admitted a breach of Rule 638(1)(d) in that he allowed his mount to shift in when insufficiently clear of FRANCONI passing the 850 metres, crowding and checking that runner. This matter was adjourned sine die to be heard by the JCA at a later date due to Mr Saejorhor becoming unwell.</p> <p>THE QUIET MAN (A Bohorun) – Raced wide throughout.</p> <p>TAI HO (C Campbell) – Raced wide throughout. Gave ground quickly passing the 600 metres.</p> <p>MADAM DE SOIR (L Hemi) – Steadied passing the 600 metres when awkwardly placed on the heels of a tiring runner. Obligated to improve very wide rounding the final bend to obtain clear racing room.</p> <p>MAC MURDOCH (J Lowry) – Lay inwards making firm contact with BEAUFIGHTER (J Morris) passing the 160 metres. Connections of BEAUFIGHTER lodged a Protest pursuant to Rule642(1) against 1st placing being awarded to MAC MURDOCH alleging that had the contact not occurred at the 175 metres BEAUFIGHTER would have finished ahead of that runner. After viewing replays and hearing evidence from all parties the JCA dismissed the Protest.</p> <p>BEAUFIGHTER (J Morris) – Bumped at 160 metres when MAC MURDOCH (J Lowry) shifted inwards under pressure. J Lowry was advised to exercise care.</p> <p>LIL MISS SWISS (G Saejorhor) – When questioned regarding the performance trainer K Tyler advised that in his opinion the mare is best suited to racing in the open and was unable to get off the rail at any point during the running today and had found the line well enough.</p> <p>Following the running of this event Apprentice J Saejorhor advised he was feeling unwell and after examination by the St John Ambulance Paramedics was stood down for his remaining two rides and transported to Invercargill Hospital for further assessment. A Medical Clearance is required prior to Mr Saejorhor riding next.</p>	
Race 6	NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE (1200m)
<p>LITTLE FLICK (R Mudhoo) – Trainer J Gordon was issued a warning when presenting this runner in gear not notified.</p> <p>DREAMING EASY (L Hemi) – Slow to begin.</p> <p>SWEET OAK (BB Hong) – Shifted in at the start making firm contact with FOX IN SOCKS and lost ground as a result. Shifted in under pressure over the concluding stages.</p> <p>KNUTQUACKER (C Campbell) – Steadied passing the 900 metres when awkwardly placed on the heels of SHE’S FUN.</p> <p>FOX IN SOCKS (J Morris) – Lay out early in the run home and had to be straightened.</p> <p>Following the running of this event the official track conditions were upgraded to Slow 7.</p>	
Race 7	NORTHERN SPORTS BAR MAIDEN (1200m)
<p>PABLEAU (B Murray) – Bounded at the start losing ground.</p> <p>DEEBEEWITHTHESTARS (C Barnes) – Slow to begin.</p> <p>THE FABULOUS PEARL (T Jonker) – Raced wide in the early stages.</p> <p>DRAGON GLASS (BB Hong) – Raced wide throughout. Lay in early in the run home and then shifted out abruptly at the 200 metres hampering an outside runner. Continued to race greenly throughout the run home and shifted in abruptly passing</p>	

the 100 metres having to be straightened. Connections were advised the mare was on a racing manners warning.

I REMEMBER YOU (A Bohorun) – Made the bend awkwardly passing the 400 metres.

PESHAWAR (C Campbell) – Hampered by an inside runner near the 200 metres and obliged to shift wider on the track.

SHEZA HAZARD (L Hemi) – Rider dropped her whip passing the 150 metres.

Race 8	ASCOT SPORTS BAR HANDICAP (1200m)
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IRISH EXCUSE (C Campbell) – Bounded at the start losing ground.

SHAARA (K Mudhoo) – Slow to begin.

NIGHTCAP (B Murray) – Steadied near the 150 metres, having to shift ground inwards to find clear racing room when FRIAR TUCK shifted in and away from FINBARR.

FINBARR (L Callaway) – Lay inwards throughout the final straight, shifting in and crowding FRIAR TUCK passing the 75 metres which lost momentum.

FRIAR TUCK (K Chowdhoo) – Checked passing the 75 metres having to steady and lose momentum.

L Callaway admitted a breach of Rule 638(1)(d) in that he rode carelessly when allowing his mount to shift in passing the 75 metres when insufficiently clear of FRIAR TUCK checking that runner. After viewing replays the JCA imposed a suspension of Mr Callaway's licence to ride from the 4th April up to and including the 10th April (5 days.)

Race 9	WAIKIWI TAVERN & THE FOUNDRY RESTAURANT HANDICAP (1400m)
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The start of this event was delayed approximately 5 minutes due to **PERFECTO** dislodging rider J Morris on the way to the start and escaping riderless and after galloping a full round of the track jumped a fence and left the course, eventually being recaptured. **PERFECTO** was subsequently declared a late scratching by order of the Stewards at 4.55pm. Miss Morris was uninjured in this incident. **PERFECTO** underwent a veterinary examination which revealed the gelding to have suffered minor lacerations to the front legs. The connections advised the gelding will now be spelled.

SIR ED (R Mudhoo) – Slow through the early stages.

PARK RANGER (R Beeharry) – Crowded and buffeted near the 1300 metres then raced keenly for a distance until near the 1000 metres.

B Murray was issued with a warning under Rule 638(1)(d) when allowing his mount to shift ground inwards passing the 1300 metres dictating VALLETINA VITTORIA inwards onto KARM 'N' EASY and PARK RANGER with these runners being buffeted for a stride.

DOUBLE DOWN (B Murray) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

KARM 'N' EASY (K Chowdhoo) – Crowded and buffeted at 1300 metres.

CHOWDER (C Johnson) – Raced wide throughout.

SON OF SURF (T Jonker) – When questioned regarding the seemingly improved performance trainer S McKay advised the gelding had benefitted from a change to its shoeing.

THE CHIEF (K Mudhoo) – When questioned regarding the performance rider K Mudhoo advised the gelding was less than genuine in its efforts after striking a wetter patch on the track passing the 700 metres.

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