

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Riverton Racing Club @Riverton	Date:	Monday 22 April 2019
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Slow		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	J Mclaughlin (Chair), M Davidson, V Munro		
Vet:	A M Wezenbeek		
Typist:	B Gutsell		

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Nil

GENERAL:

Nil

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	BANBURY LAD, SLAMMER, MILANO, VALETINA VITTORIA, ABBEY KAY, JUST PUSH PLAY, DYNAMIC, EAGER BEAVER, TIMY TYLER, RELIABLE GLOW.		
Suspensions:	Race 3	J Lowry (BY MAGIC)	[Rule 638(1)(d)] – Careless riding 1000 metres. Suspended 25th April 2019 to 3rd May 2019 inclusive. (7 national days.)
	Race 5	B Murray (MIDNITE KAOS)	[Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] – Excessive use of the whip prior to the 100 metres. Suspended 2nd May 2019 to 11th May 2019 inclusive. (8 national days.)
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Race 5	S Tyler (ABBAY KAY)	[Rule 616(4)] – Presented runner in gear not notified. Fined \$100.
	Race 10	D Turner (BEAM ME UP SCOTTY)	[Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] – Excessive use of the whip prior to the 100 metres. Fined \$300.
Warnings:	Race 2	J Lowry (SLAMMER)	[Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] – Excessive use of the whip prior to the 100 metres.
	Race 2	M Northcott (QUEEN EL JAY)	[Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] – Excessive use of the whip prior to the 100 metres.
	Race 5	R McKenzie (QASHQAI)	[Rule 616(4)] – Presented runner without notified gear.
	Race 8	S Blair-Edie	[Rule 537(a)] – Late declaration of riders.
Horse Actions	Race 1	POINT PROVEN	– Veterinary clearance required.
	Race 3	FULL FURY	– Barrier manners warning.
	Race 3	MILANO	– Barrier manners warning.
	Race 5	BLUEY'S CHANCE	– Veterinary clearance required.

Follow Up:	Race 6	AMUN RA
Medical Certificates:	Nil	
Rider Changes:		Nil
Late Scratchings:	Race 2	THE KRAKEN at 9.09am – due to transport difficulties. CHOICE DU JEU at 8.19am – due to no available heavyweight rider.
	Race 5	BLUEY'S CHANCE at 2.01pm on veterinary advice.

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	CENTRAL SOUTHLAND FREIGHT HURDLE (2500m)
<p>THE ENERGIZER (J Seivwright) – Slow to begin.</p> <p>BANBURY LAD (S Higgins) – Lay inwards over the concluding stages.</p> <p>POINT PROVEN (E Farr) – Rider reported the gelding had hung throughout the running. Connections reported POINT PROVEN to be lame on pulling up. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be sore in the off fore leg. Connections were advised a veterinary clearance would be required prior to POINT PROVEN racing next.</p> <p>SHEEZOFF (T Moki) – Made a poor leap at the second to last fence, unbalancing its rider.</p> <p>IRISH DUDE (L Callaway) – Gave ground passing the 800 metres.</p>	
Race 2	SPARROW LOGGING LONGWOOD HANDICAP (2147m)
<p>There was a delay to the start of this event of approximately two minutes due to FRANCONI having to be re-weighed and re-saddled.</p> <p>SMOKEM UP (S Higgins) – Raced wide through the early to middle stages. Rider S Higgins was reminded of his obligations to ensure his arm does not exceed shoulder height in his whip action.</p> <p>BOYSWAY (E Farr) – Raced keenly for a distance passing the 1800 metres.</p> <p>MORENA ROC (G Walsh) – Raced wide from the 1400 metres.</p> <p>J Lowry (SLAMMER) was issued a warning in regards to excessive use of the whip prior to the 100 metres.</p> <p>QUEEN EL JAY (M Northcott) – Began awkwardly.</p> <p>M Northcott was issued a warning in regards to excessive use of the whip prior to the 100 metres.</p>	
Race 3	BARNES OYSTERS & JENNY PULLEY CATERING MAIDEN (1200m)
<p>There was a delay to the start of this event when several runners proved reluctant to load.</p> <p>MCLAUGHLIN (K Mudhoo) – Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was cleared to start. Slow to begin. When spoken to regarding the performance rider could offer no tangible explanation. Connections advised they will be reassessing the racing future of the gelding.</p> <p>FULL FURY (L Allpress) – Proved difficult to load. A warning was placed on the barrier manners of the gelding.</p> <p>MILANO (B Murray) – Proved difficult to load. A warning was placed on the barrier manners of the gelding.</p> <p>TOBILICIOUS (K Kwo) – Got its head up when being restrained after becoming awkwardly placed on heels near the 800 metres.</p>	

INDULGENT (K Chowdhury) – Slow to begin. Checked passing the 1000 metres when becoming awkwardly placed between runners when MY MAGIC shifted ground inwards.

J Lowry (BY MAGIC) defended a charge of Careless Riding when allowing his mount to shift ground inwards passing the 1000 metres when insufficiently clear, checking INDULGENT. After viewing replays and hearing evidence from Mr Lowry and the Stewards the JCA found the charge proved and imposed a suspension of Mr Lowry's riding licence from the 25th April 2019 up to and including the 3rd May 2019 (7 national days.)

THANKYABROWNIE (L Callaway) – Raced wide throughout.

THE FABULOUS PEARL (D Turner) – Slow to begin.

Race 4	FORDE AUTO SERVICES & KING GREEN FISHING GUMMIES BUSH HANDICAP (1400m)
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FASCINO LASS (BB Hong) – Fractious in the starting gates, dislodging the barrier blanket prior to the start.

IT'S PANDEMONIUM (R Mudhoo) – Slow to begin.

REGALO REAAL (T Moseley) – Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was cleared to start. Under pressure passing the 600 metres finishing in a distant last placing. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no obvious abnormalities. Trainer S Cameron was advised the gelding needs to be more competitive in its future racing.

SUPERSTATIC (T Comignaghi) – Rider reported the filly had felt indifferent in its action throughout. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no obvious abnormalities.

STELLACANTO (L Callaway) – Had some difficulty obtaining clear running early in the run home.

SO NATURAL (C Barnes) – Slow to begin.

Race 5	TELFER DRAINLAYING & NIND DAIRY SERVICES HANDICAP (1400m)
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BLUEY'S CHANCE (L Hemi) – Late scratching at 2.01pm on veterinary advice after being found to be lame in the off hind leg. Connections were advised a veterinary clearance would be required prior to the gelding racing next.

Trainer **R McKenzie** (QASHQAI) was issued a warning pursuant to Rule 616(4) when presenting this runner without notified gear.

MIDINITE KAOS (B Murray) – Steadied on entering the home straight, having to shift ground inwards to obtain clear running.

B Murray admitted a breach of Rule 638(3)(b)(ii) in that he used his whip excessively prior to the 100 metres. After viewing replays and hearing submissions on penalty the JCA imposed a suspension of Mr Murray's riding licence from the 2nd May 2019 up to and including the 11th May 2019 (8 national days.)

ODISHA (K Chowdhury) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

PARK RANGER (D Bothamley) – Fractious in the starting gates prior to the start.

DOCTOR EDEN (L Callaway) – Got its head up when over-racing through the early stages.

KATE THE GREAT (A Bohorun) – Got its head up when over-racing through the early stages and continued to over-race for some distance thereafter.

ABBEY KAY (R Mudhoo) – When questioned regarding the seemingly improved performance trainer S Tyler advised the mare had drawn benefit from the short space between its recent races.

Trainer **S Tyler** admitted a breach of Rule 616(4) and was fined \$100 when presenting this runner with gear that was not notified.

KARM 'N' EASY (L Allpress) – Held up on entering the home straight, only obtaining clear running inside the final 200 metres.

Race 6 | **RIVERTON BUTCHERY & WORLD SOLAR HANDICAP (1400m)**

AMUN RA (B Murray) – Gave ground passing the 500 metres. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no obvious abnormalities. Stewards will follow up with trainer S Cameron in the coming days.

THE CZAR (T Jonker) – Held up for several strides entering the home straight, having to shift ground inwards to obtain clear running passing the 150 metres.

JUST PUSH PLAY (L Allpress) – Became awkwardly placed between runners shortly after the start, having to be restrained to obtain cover.

EPIC DREAMER (A Bohorun) – Raced keenly through the early and middle stages. Shifted in when struck with the whip passing the 300 metres and when being straightened, shifted out abruptly making contact with SUPATWISTA.

DREAMING EASY (K Chowdhoo) – Slow to begin.

Race 7 | **AB LIME & LAWSON FORESTRY SERVICES THORNBURY HANDICAP (1400m)**

DARCI MAC (BB Hong) – Raced keenly when leading through the early stages.

WHAT'S UP ALF (G Saejorhor) – Raced keenly in the early stages. Blundered passing the 1300 metres. Steadied inwards across the heels of DARCI MAC (BB Hong) on entering the home straight. **BB Hong** was advised to exercise greater care when shifting ground.

Race 8 | **DOUG HORRELL CONTRACTING & GRANT HORRELL CONTRACTING MAIDEN (2147m)**

THE FLAGON (T Moseley) – Steadied momentarily passing the 200 metres when ODYSSEUS (J Lowry) shifted inwards. J Lowry was reminded of his obligations.

POWER PUNCH (BB Hong) – Shifted inwards passing the 350 metres dictating SALIENT inwards, then continued to shift ground inwards having to be straightened passing the 200 metres.

SALIENT (D Turner) – Got its head up on a number of occasions in the early stages when being restrained to obtain cover.

MACPAC (L Callaway) – Began awkwardly. Lost contact with the field passing the 800 metres.

Race 9 | **JJ LTD RIVERTON HIGHWAY STAKES (2147m)**

COME FLY WITH ME (K Kwo) – Shifted inwards passing the 300 metres and made contact with TILLY DUNNAGE, having to be straightened.

WILD JACK (A Bohorun) – Over-raced in the early stages, shifting inwards and making firm contact with LIL MISS SWISS passing the 1900 metres, then continued to over-race for some distance thereafter.

HE AIN'T HEAVY (L Callaway) – Slow to begin.

TILLY DUNNAGE (L Allpress) – Lay outwards over the concluding stages, having to be straightened passing the 50 metres.

LIL MISS SWISS (T Jonker) – Slow to begin. Bumped passing the 1900 metres and commenced to over-race for some distance thereafter.

Race 10

A K SWANN SOUTHERN CONTRACTING & BLAIR ALLEN BUILDER MAIDEN (1600m)

D Turner (BEAM ME UP SCOTTY) admitted a breach of Rule 638(3)(b)(ii) in that he used his whip excessively prior to the 100 metres. After viewing replays and hearing submissions on penalty the JCA imposed a fine of \$300.

GELIBOLU (T Moseley) – Commenced to over-race when being restrained in the early stages, getting its head up on a number of occasions for some distance. Raced wide without cover throughout.

PABLEAU (B Murray) – Slow to begin.

MISS TANIRA (R Beeharry) – Awkwardly placed between runners passing the 1400 metres, being buffeted for a short distance.

Stipendiary Stewards report as posted is provisional and subject to further review and amendment.