STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Wanganui Racing Club	Date:	1 June 2019
Weather:	Showery		
Track:	Heavy 11		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	N Goodwin, D Balcombe and B Bateup		
Vet:	J Bell		
Typist:	V Perry		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:		-	FINDING NEMO, SKARLOEY, SMOKIN' OAK, FLAUNTING, SHE'S A LADY, SHEZ NTA PENCE, DOLCETTO, ROSEWOOD and SEA STAR
Suspensions:	Race		
Protests:	Race	8	ROSEWOOD 2 nd v DOLCETTO 1 st - dismissed
Fines:	Race		
Warnings:	Race	4	S MacNab (STRADIVARIUS) [Rule 638 (1) (d)] – shifting ground 1,100 metres
Horse Actions:	Race	5	STAR ELLIPSE – Bled. Vet clearance required prior to racing next
Follow Up:	Race		
Medical Certificates:	Cleara	nce re	eceived from C Lammas
Rider Changes:	Race	1	THE COSSACK – M Singh replaced C Johnson (transport difficulties)
Late Scratchings:	Race		

GENERAL:

Rider C Johnson had transport difficulties and was replaced by M Singh on THE COSSACK in Race 1

SUPPLEMENTARY:

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 WANGANUI FUNCTION CENTRE 2040m

THE COSSACK (M Singh) - Raced wide without cover in the early stages before improving to settle outside the leader near the 1,400 metres.

BLACKGAMMON (R Hannam) - Raced wide without cover throughout. Gave ground approaching the 600 metres and was not persevered with in the home straight when out of contention. Rider reported mount unsuited to Heavy11.

WHOPPER'S (H Schofer) - Restrained off heels near the 1,700 metres.

MASTER LINCOLN (T Elliot) - Rider reported mount unsuited to Heavy11

ALTIUS (C O'Beirne) - Rider reported mount unsuited to Heavy11.

E WRIGHT (THATZ DAVID) - Was spoken to with regard to his use of his whip on a runner out of contention.

Race 2 LOWE SCHOLLUM JONES MDN 1340m

THE BARMAN PAYS (C Lammas) - Began awkwardly settling back.

KARIMA (M Singh) – slow away

PORT LINCOLN (R Elliot) - Rider reported mount unsuited to Heavy11

IRISH TRIX (J Parkes) - Rider reported mount unsuited to Heavy11

Race 3 WANGANUI CHRONICLE 1340m

DRAGON DANCER (C O'Beirne) – Slow away. Lay in under pressure in the home straight. C O'Beirne was spoken to regarding her whip use prior to the 100 metres.

KOTAHI (R Hannam) - Rider reported mount unsuited to Heavy11 adding the gelding may not have backed up from its run the previous Saturday.

SEAAPRINCE (L Allpress) - Hung rounding the turn and in the home straight.

BROTHER ONE (M Singh) – Checked prior to entering the home straight when **ARMAGUARD** (S Spratt) shifted in and away from **MEHRTENS** when under pressure. Also affected was **TORO ROSSO** which had to be steadied.

TORO ROSSO (R Myers) – Steadied near the 500 metres.

Race 4 DAVE HOSKIN CARRIERS 1200m

The race was delayed by five minutes after **HUNDYAMONTH** needed its bridle replaced at the start after a section of head gear had broken. Stewards inspected the bridle on returning to the enclosure and it was found to be in satisfactory condition.

BARABAS (C O'Beirne) - very slow away

TECHNICIAN (H Andrew) – Reared as the start was made settling back. Lay out under pressure in the home straight.

ALL IN MANA (S McKay) - Tightened at the start settling back.

S MACNAB (STRADIVARIUS) - Was issued with a warning under Rule 638 (1) (d) after allowing her mount to shift in near the 1,100 metres when not clear of **BACHELOR BABE** which was dictated into the line of **SMOKIN' OAK**, tightening that runner for a short distance.

SMOKIN' OAK – Trainer J Bary attributed the improved performance of **SMOKIN' OAK** to the gelding having the tongue tie removed and a nose band added to its gear.

Race 5 JOHN TURKINGTON FORESTRY LTD CASTLETOWN STAKES 1200m

ALL ABOUT MAGIC (L Allpress) – Slow away. Steadied off the heels of SAI FAH near the 600 metres. Had to angle inwards near the 150 metres to improve.

FAMILIA (C Lammas) - When questioned into the performance Rider advised the filly had not appreciated today's Heavy11 track conditions.

CINZENTO (R Hannam) - When questioned into the run of **CINZENTO** R Hannam reported the filly raced in a tractable manner but was never comfortable in the Heavy11.

STAR ELLIPSE (M Cameron) - Returned to the enclosure with blood present in the nasal area. A subsequent veterinary inspection revealed the filly to have bled and is subject to the mandatory stand down of two months from track work and three months from racing and will require a veterinary clearance prior to starting next.

Balance A CCOUNTANTS 2040m SANCHEZ (J Parkes) - Began awkwardly then tightened shortly after the start, settling back. Lay out under pressure in the nome straight. Came together with LEADING ROLE and bumped for several strides over the final stages when both runners shifted ground under pressure. BAY ROCKER (H Andrew) - Jumped outwards at the start tightening GOBUYIT which settled back. When questioned into the performance rider could offer no tangible excuse. A subsequent veterinary inspection was clear. TIPPING POINT (S Macnab) - Began awkwardly settling back. HURRY CANE (S McKay) - Restrained off heels near the 1,900 metres. Briefly inconvenienced when disappointed for a run to the inside of HE NO OPILIO which shifted in and away from TELL ME MORE near the 150 metres. TUIGIRL (R Myers) - Rider reported mount unsuited to Heavy11 Race 7 STELFORM ROOFING GROUP FOXTON CUP 2040m DR WATSON (R Hannam) - Slow away Rider reported mount unsuited to Heavy11 Race 8 AG CHALLENCE STAKES 1600m SHC'S POPPY (S McKay) - Slow away Disappointed for a marginal run approaching the 250 metres, then again when attempting a marginal run near the 150 metres making contact with the hind quarters of DOLCETTO turning that runner butwards, ROSEWOOD (L Allpress) - Slow away DOLCETTO (R Myers) - Contacted and briefly unbalance near the 150 metres. Contacted and briefly unbalance near the 150 metres.
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FAURUS (D Turner) – Slow away
DOLCETTO (R Myers) - Contacted and briefly unbalance near the 150 metres.
SCAPOLO (C Johnson) – Raced keenly in the early stages
FOMELILLA (M Cameron) – When questioned into the performance rider could offer no excuse
BACK IN A FLASH (A Calder) – Rider reported that the mare had never travelled comfortably in today's track conditions. A
subsequent veterinary inspection was clear.
Prior to the authorisation of dividends a protest was lodged under Rule 624 (1) by the connections of the second placed
ROSEWOOD alleging interference by the winner DOLCETTO in the home straight. The JCA after hearing submissions and
viewing footage dismissed the protest.
Race 9 ST JOHNS CLUB 1600m
HAMILTONIAN (J Fawcett) – Slow away
WHATSUP (J Parkes) – Slow away. Disappointed for a run passing the 600 metres having to be angled inwards to improve.
MAGIC IVAN (S McKay) - Steadied off heels near the 1,400 metres.
CHARLIE HORSE (D Turner) - Lay out under pressure in the home straight.
FATHER LENIHAN (R Elliot) - When questioned Rider advised the gelding had battled in the heavy going.