

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Reefton Jockey Club	Date:	Wednesday 9 January 2019
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Good 3		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	J Mclaughlin, M Davidson, A Coles, D Wadley		
Vet:	J Shorten		
Typist:	A Keenan		

SUPPLEMENTARY:

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GENERAL:

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SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	RIDE THE STORM, INANNA, EXEMPLAR, THEONLYWAY, FISHERMANS BLUES, MUSEE D'ORSAY, HE'S GOLD, ATTIMO
Suspensions	Nil
Protests:	Nil
Fines:	Nil
Warnings:	Race 1 Z Bholah – Rule 638(1)(d) shifting ground 300 metres. Race 3 K Cowan – Rule 638(1)(d) shifting ground 50 metres Race 8 T Moseley – Rule 638(4) attempting to ease the pace. 8 K Asano – Rule 638(1)(d) shifting ground
Horse Actions:	Race 1 MAXIMUS DECIMUS - must trial to stewards satisfaction prior to racing next. Race 3 READY NOW – racing manners warning. HOMBRE – barriers manners warning
Follow Up:	Nil
Medical Certificates:	Nil
Rider Changes:	Nil
Late Scratchings:	Nil

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	TASMAN AGRICULTURE MAIDEN 1400M
There was a 2 minute delay to the start of the race due to a request from the TAB. Correct payment of dividends was withheld until the stipendiary stewards could access the trackside footage available due to a system failure.	
ROSIE MARIE (D Hirini) – Slow to begin.	

MAXIMUS DECIMUS (K Cowan) – Bucked shortly after the start and was pulled up after 400 metres. Rider reported the gelding held felt indifferent in its’ action in behind, postrace veterinary inspection revealed no obvious abnormalities. The trainer was informed that the gelding would need to trial to the satisfaction of the stewards prior to racing next.

FRENCH CUT (Z Bholah) - Keen early getting its head up on a number of occasions. Made the first bend awkwardly shifting wider. Shifted inwards passing the 300 metres, rider warned for shifting ground.

DIVINEXCUSE (K Mudhoo) - Made the first bend awkwardly. Lay inwards over the concluding stages.

ACRE (J Anderson) - Steadied when awkwardly placed on heels passing the 1300 metres. Steadied 300 metres when in tight quarters. Raced in restricted room over the concluding stages.

REALM (T Moseley) - Shifted inwards passing the 1300 metres dictating EAGER BEAVER inwards causing ACRE to steady. Rider reminded of his obligations when shifting ground. Forced wider first turn.

EAGER BEAVER (B Murray) - Taken inwards 1300 metres. Made the first bend awkwardly shifting outwards.

NIFTY (G Jogoo) - Hampered in consequence 1300 metres.

FEEL THE BREEZE (C Johnson) - Steadied 300 metres when awkwardly placed inside the heels of FRENCH CUT which shifted inwards. Raced in restricted room over the concluding stages. When asked to explain the performance of the favourite the rider advised that in his opinion the mare had not handled the tight turning nature of today’s track.

Race 2	BIRCHFIELD COAL MINES 1400M
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FLICKA OF GOLD (Z Bholah) - When racing keenly had to be steadied rounding the first bend. Continued to race keenly through the middle stages.

CARSON RIVER (K Chowdhoo) - Improved wide passing the 600 metres. Shifted in when struck with the whip crowding PROMISING passing the 200 metres.

PROMISING (B Murray) - Crowded at the 200 metres.

Race 3	GREG DALY REAL ESTATE MAIDEN 1020M
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There was a delay to this event when HOMBRE proved difficult to load. The Starter was reprimanded and reminded of his obligations that he should not assist in loading runners without wearing the appropriate safety gear.

BOGATYR (B Murray) - Slow to begin.

HOMBRE (C Johnson) - Very difficult to load, barrier manners warning. Contacted passing the 50 metres and placed in restricted room having to be steadied when Grand EXPRESS shifted outwards.

K Cowan (GRAND EXPRESS) was warned for the manner in which she shifted ground.

GRAND EXPRESS (K Cowan) - Was inclined to lay outwards throughout the final straight and was straightened on a number of occasions.

READY NOW (K Mudhoo) - Wide throughout. Lay out on the final bend shifting very wide on the track. Racing manners warning.

Race 4	FAHEY CONTRACTING 1020M
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THEONLYWAY (T Jonker) - Slow to begin. Steadied passing the 300 metres.

MIROSLAVA (T Moseley) - Slow to begin.	
XPRESSMYMIND (D Prastiyou) - Raced keenly early stages.	
CINDERELLA (D Hirini) - Raced wide throughout.	
VINSANITY (B Murray) - Raced wide throughout.	
TUFF GIRL (C Johnson) - Held up rounding the final bend when awkwardly placed on heels.	
Race 5	ARCHMORE CONTRACTORS 2000M
KATIEM MARIE (R Mudhoo) - Slow to begin. Held up rounding the final bend making contact with LIL MISS SWISS , only gaining clear running room inside the final 200 metres.	
BACHATA (C Johnson) - Over-raced in the early to middle stages.	
THE TETIAN TITAN (B Murray) - Improved wide from the 800 metres.	
EM KAY POPS – (K Chowdhoo) - Made the bend near the 400 metres awkwardly.	
CAN YOU HEAR ME (T Moseley) - Shifted in passing the 200 metres making contact with FISHERMAN BLUES briefly which was dictated inwards.	
FISHERMANS BLUES (D Hirini) - Contacted 200 metres.	
LIL MISS SWISS (K Cowan) – Unbalanced when contacted final turn.	
Race 6	ELECTRONET MAIDEN 2000M
GRAND REX (K Asano) - Slow to begin.	
MORENA ROC (Z Bholah) - Steadied shortly after the start. Got hits head up when over racing passing the 1600 metres.	
MUSEE D’ORSAY (K Mudhoo) - Hampered early stages when FANTASY FLIGHT shifted outwards.	
FANTASY FLIGHT (D Hirini) - Lay outwards shortly after the start hampering outside runner.	
WINEHOUSE (C Johnson) - Raced wide and keen in the early stages.	
OUR BOY BAZ (B Murray) - Improved wide from the 800 metres.	
FREIGHTMAN (T Jonker) - Held up early in the run home only gaining clear racing room inside the final 75 metres.	
Race 7	REEFTON CRANE & CONSTRUCTION REEFTON CUP 1400M
WHAT’S UP ALF (K Chowdhoo) - Fractious in its barrier. Got its head up when restrained passing the 1100 metres.	
SCAPOLO (D Hirini) - Restrained to the rear on jumping. Improved wide from the 600 metres. When questioned about the performance rider reported that the gelding was not suited to the tight turning nature of the track and the firm nature of today’s conditions.	
SMOKE HOUSE BAY (C Johnson) - Keen early.	
TOMM JONES (G Jogoo) - Lay inwards throughout the straight and had to be straightened.	
Race 8	VERNON & VAZEY TRUCK PARTS 1400M

BOYSLIGHTUP (B Murray) – Slow to begin. Restrained passing the 1100 metres when awkwardly placed on the heels of STARMARKER. Dictated wider having to steady near the 1000 metres. Held up rounding the final bend and in the run home.

ZAKYNTHOS (K Chowdhoo) – Began awkwardly. Steadied and shifted outwards passing the 1100 metres when awkwardly placed on the heels of MOREIRA, forcing BRUEGEL into the line of BOYSLIGHTUP which was steadied and dictated PINSHARP wide.

Rider reminded of his obligations when shifting ground.

PRAWN STAR (K Asano) - Steadied passing the 1100 metres when awkwardly placed on the heels of RED TIARA. Lay inwards passing the 850 metres when STARMARKER improved forward, causing RED TIARA to be checked.

K Asano was warned for shifting ground.

MOREIRA (K Cowan) - Steadied and checked when in restricted room passing the 1100 metres. Held up over the final stages had to be steadied.

FASCINO LASS (T Moseley) - Steadied passing the 1100 metres. Rider warned for attempting to ease the pace at this stage of the race.

ABBEY KAY (Z Bholah) - Made the first bend awkwardly being dictated wider.

BRUEGEL (D Hirini) - Keen early stages. Dictated wider passing the 1100 metres.

STARMARKER (G Jogoo) - Wide throughout.

RED TIARA (K Mudhoo) - Checked and firmly restrained passing the 850 metres losing ground.

PINSHARP (R Mudhoo) -Hampered and forced wider 1100 metres. Lay inwards on entering the home straight having to be straightened. Rider dropped his whip passing the 200 metres.

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