STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Counties Racing Club Date: Saturday, 10 August 2019

Weather: Showery
Track: Heavy (11)
Rail: True

Stewards: M Williamson (Chairman), B Jones, W Robinson, P Kinsey

Vet: N Houston BVSc **Stenographer:** P Laboyrie

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: DOUBLE HAPPY, PURSUED, LUPELANI, SCAGLIONI, BLUE BREEZE, RISING RANSOM,

VICTORIA, RUKUHIA, ALVINS DREAM

Suspensions: Nil

Protests: Race 2 DIVINE DUKE 2nd v PURSUED 1ST - Dismissed

Fines: Race 2 C Burdan BAY ROCKER

\$500 Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)]

Warnings: Race 2 R Smyth SUMMER WARRIOR

Shifting ground 400 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]

2 L Satherley BORNINASANDPIT

Failing to gain permission to leave [Rule 606]

2 A Jones HEAVENLY GOLD

Using whip excessively on a runner out of contention [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)]

9 J Fawcett DARE TO COMPARE

Using whip excessively on a runner out of contention [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)]

Horse Actions: Nil
Follow Up: Nil

Medical Certificates: Required from C Lammas

Rider Changes: Race 1 CAPTAIN RISKY – S McKay for C Lammas (unwell)

2 LADY AZAMOUR – T Yanagida for C Lammas

5 **HELLO M'LADY** – A Jones for C Lammas

6 **KAPALKA** – T Thornton for C Lammas

7 **ANGELICA** – D Mansour for C Lammas

8 FLY TO THE MOON – T Yanagida for C Lammas

9 **DON'T DOUBT ME** – L Innes for C Lammas

Late Scratchings: Nil

GENERAL:

C Lammas – The Stewards were advised that C Lammas would not be attending today's meeting due to illness. C Lammas is to provide a medical clearance to Stewards prior to riding next.

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Nil			

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 SSANGYONG 2100

COMPULSIVE (M McNab) – Slow to begin. Briefly held up entering the final straight.

ODD MAN OUT (L Satherley) – Slow to begin.

AWESOME BABE (D Mansour) – Restrained soon after leaving the barrier. Raced in restricted room approaching the 400 metres.

CASSIO (T Thornton) – Held up for a distance passing the 500 metres until entering the final straight. Returned to the enclosure with blood present in the right nostril. After undergoing a veterinary examination it was found to be from a minor laceration.

RODOLFO (T Newman) – Held up for a distance passing the 500 metres until entering the final straight.

Race 2 MOUNT SHOP 2100

HEAVENLY GOLD (A Jones) – Slow to begin.

BORNINASANDPIT (L Satherley) – Restrained soon after leaving the barrier.

DELEGATE (D Danis) – Began awkwardly.

NULLI SECUNDUS (R Scott) – Contacted approaching the 400 metres and unbalanced for a distance by SUMMER WARRIOR (R Smyth) which lay in under pressure.

R Smyth (SUMMER WARRIOR) – Issued with a warning after permitting SUMMER WARRIOR to shift in approaching the 400 metres when insufficiently clear of NULLI SECUNDUS which was contacted and unbalanced for a distance.

DIVINE DUKE (J Kamaruddin) – Inconvenienced 150 metres when improving to the inside of PURSUED (A Goindasamy) which shifted in. A Goindasamy was advised to exercise care in a similar circumstance.

Following the race the connections of the 2nd placed horse **DIVINE DUKE** lodged a protest against the 1st placed horse **PURSUED** alleging interference in the final straight. After considering submissions the Judicial Committee dismissed the protest.

L Satherley (BORNINASANDPIT) – Charged with using the whip excessively on a horse that was out of contention. As Rider L Satherley had left the course the charge was adjourned until a date to be set. L Satherley was issued with a warning after leaving the course without seeking permission.

A Jones (HEAVENLY GOLD) – Issued with a warning for using the whip excessively on a runner that was out of contention.

C Burdan (BAY ROCKER) – Fined \$500 by the Judicial Committee after admitting a breach in that she used her whip excessively prior to the 100 metres.

Race 3 THE WORKSHOP 1924 1200

LIQUID INSPIRATION (D Danis) – Began awkwardly then crowded shortly after. Raced in restricted room 800 metres. Ducked out approaching the 200 metres and made contact despite the efforts of its rider.

I WALK ALONE (D Mansour) – Slow to begin.

LUPELANI (M Cameron) – Began awkwardly.

CALL ME BOB (S Spratt) – Shifted out and away from LIQUID INSPIRATION approaching the 200 metres making contact with IRISH MIST, then being further crowded by LIQUID INSPIRATION which shifted out under pressure, CALL ME BOB was then steadied.

IRISH MIST (A Calder) – Contacted approaching the 200 metres then lay in.

JUSTACANTA (E Leighton) – Received veterinary attention after returning to the enclosure with blood on the bulb of its near fore hoof. Lost the near fore plate during the running.

Race 4 PANHEAD CUSTOM ALES 1600

SCAGLIONI (A Goindasamy) – Slow to begin. Held up until passing the 350 metres.

CHERRY LANE (R Smyth) – When questioned regarding performance R Smyth advised that in her opinion CHERRY LANE may be feeling the effects of recent racing. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

Race 5 PUKEKOHE PLUMBING 1400

BLUE BREEZE (E Leighton) – Slow to begin.

HELLO M'LADY (A Jones) – Raced in restricted room shortly after the start having to be steadied.

HE'S CAVALIER (E McCall) – Apprentice rider E McCall was questioned regarding her riding tactics, in particular why she had persisted in pressuring the leader. E McCall explained that her riding instructions had been to lead and apply pressure from near the 800 metres with Stewards noting her explanation.

ADMIRAL (T Thornton) – Over-raced when being challenged through the middle stages.

Race 6 ARNET LAW 1400

PLUSHENKO (J Fawcett) - Slow to begin.

IF WE MEET AGAIN (E McCall) - Slow to begin.

HURRICANE MAGGIE (M Cameron) – Inconvenienced when awkwardly placed 650 metres.

HAERE UP (R Scott) – When questioned regarding performance apprentice rider R Scott was unable to offer any tangible explanation.

Race 7 MARTIN 'SMOKEY' MORGAN MEMORIAL 1400

WAY SOUTH (A Calder) - Slow to begin.

CHUR CHING (A Goindasamy) – Began awkwardly. Commenced to race fiercely for a distance in the middle stages, improving on to heels passing the 1000 metres.

ANGELICA (D Mansour) - Began awkwardly.

ANSWER BACK (T Newman) – Steadied when crowded shortly after the start. Raced greenly under pressure in the final straight ducking out on a number of occasions.

IAN'S LEGACY (S McKay) – Restrained off heels passing the 1000 metres and blundered.

LITTLEMISSPUNKY (R Scott) – Crowded and checked near the 750 metres when improving to the inside of CAPTAIN REG which was dictated in by WAY SOUTH which had been forced in by OH WHAT FUN which shifted in to avoid heels.

ARABIAN GIFT (S Spratt) – Held up passing the 450 metres.

VICKI VALLENCOURT (M Cameron) – Raced in restricted room and steadied passing the 700 metres when briefly crowded to the inside of ANGELICA (D Mansour). D Mansour was advised to exercise greater care in a similar circumstance.

Race 8 HAUNUI FARM 1400

ICHIBAN (D Mansour) – Began awkwardly losing ground with the rider becoming unbalanced. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

MARIOTA (A Goindasamy) – Began awkwardly then crowded shortly after losing ground.

SYMBIO (J Riddell) – Crowded shortly after the start.

FLY TO THE MOON (T Yanagida) – Crowded shortly after the start.

MOUNT MIDORIYAMA (L Innes) – Began awkwardly shifting out.

TIPICAL (M McNab) – Hampered when being restrained off heels passing the 700 metres.

Race 9 COUNTIES KITCHENS 1600

DELUXE EDITION (R Scott) – Slow to begin.

HERMANITO (M Cameron) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

FRIDAY WOOLFE (D Danis) – Began awkwardly.

RAAJ (M Hashizume) – Struck the front of the barrier losing ground. The barrier of RAAJ appeared to open slightly early which had been caused by the gelding anticipating the start with no advantage being gained.

DON'T DOUBT ME (L Innes) – Crowded shortly after leaving the barrier and steadied.

J Fawcett (DARE TO COMPARE) – Issued with a warning for using her whip excessively on a runner which was out of contention.

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