STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Wanganui Jockey Club Date: Thursday, 19 September 2019

Weather: Fine Track: Dead (6) Rail: True

Stewards: D Balcombe (Chairman), N Goodwin, B Bateup

Vet: JR O'Brien BVSc; L Russell BVSc

Typist: S Shirriffs

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: OLD COUNTESS; ZENTANGLE; HAMILTONIAN; NUBIAN SMILE; COVENTINA BAY; MISS WOBURN;

CUTTING UP ROUGH; SPEED CALL; KEEPIN HARMONEE.

Suspensions: Race 4 L Allpress (NUBIAN SMILE)

Shifting ground 900 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] – Suspended 22/9-4/10 (7 days).

5 D Turner (EMPRESS TZU HSI)

Overweight [Rule 330(3)(c)] – Suspended 27/9-6/10 incl. (8 days).

Protests: Nil Fines: Nil Warnings: Nil

Horse Actions: Race 3 GUY FOX – Humanely euthanased.

REVOLUTION – Veterinary clearance required.

4 MAGNESS – Veterinary Clearance Required

Follow Up: Race 1 WHO CAN TELL

Medical Certificates: A Kuru – medical clearance required.

Rider Changes: Race 5 EMPRESS TZU HSI – D Bradley replaced D Turner (overweight)

6 SANCTA SOPHYA – J Fawcett replaced Z Moki

Late Scratchings: Race 4 MAGNESS – Late scratching at 11.34am on veterinary advice.

GENERAL:

Z Moki did not ride at today's Wanganui JC meeting, being unable to obtain a medical clearance.

SUPPLEMENTARY:

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 PALAMOUNTAINS NUTRITION OPEN STEEPLCHASE 4100 (4100 Metres)

TYCOON ZED (R Cole) - Jumped high at the first fence, losing ground. Inconvenienced second fence. Then continued to jump indifferently throughout.

OLD COUNTESS (B Lammas) - Jumped outwards at the second fence, inconveniencing TYCOON ZED. Continued to run down its fences in the early stages.

I'VE GOT THIS (S Fannin) – Ran down a number of fences in the early stages.

TITTLETATTLE (E Nicholas) - Jumped the fence near the 2000 metres awkwardly. Misjudged the fence near the 900 metres, losing ground.

MESMERIZE (S Phelan) - Got in close to the fence near the 1000 metres, losing ground. Lay out under pressure near the 100 metres, briefly inconveniencing MANDALAY.

MANDALAY (A Kuru) - Briefly inconvenienced 100 metres.

WHO CAN TELL (B Thomas-Rentall) – Rider reported he felt something amiss with the gelding on pulling up. A subsequent veterinary inspection revealed no obvious abnormality.

Race 2 PRO POWDER COATING OPEN HURDLES 3000 (3000 Metres)

IZYMYDAAD (H McNeill) - Began very awkwardly, losing ground (5L), then jumped indifferently in the early stages. Hit the fence near the 600 metres and fell. H McNeill was examined by St John paramedics and cleared to ride.

HANDSOME BLUE (T Moki) - Raced very keenly in the early stages. Ran down a number of fences in the middle stages.

CENTRE ATTENTION (S Fannin) - Hit the fence near the 600 metres dislodging the rider, hampering MASTER FINN, which had to take evasive action. S Fannin was examined by St John paramedics and cleared to ride.

MASTER FINN (T Johnson) - Hampered 600 metres. Retired from the race prior to the last fence when out of contention.

NAPOLEON (E Nicholas) - Inconvenienced 600 metres.

Race 3 CLASS CARPENTRY OPEN HURDLES 3000 (3000 Metres)

REVOLUTION (A Kuru) - Raced keenly in the early and middle stages. Hit the fence near the 1000 metres and fell, with GUY FOX (K Veenendaal) being unable to avoid the fallen runner, making heavy contact and falling. A Kuru was transported to hospital for precautionary X-rays on a leg injury. A Kuru will require a medical clearance prior to riding next. A subsequent veterinary inspection revealed the gelding to be making harsh lung sounds with suspected bruising and a mild contusion to the right nostril and will require a veterinary clearance prior to starting next.

GUY FOX (K Veenendaal) – Hit fallen runner 1000 metres and fell. K Veenendaal was examined by the St John paramedics and cleared to ride. GUY FOX sustained injuries and was humanely euthanased.

HAMILTONIAN (S Fannin) - Got in close to the fence near the 600 metres, losing ground.

Race 4 WANGANUI GREYHOUND RACING CLUB MAIDEN 1200 (1200 Metres)

MAGNESS (C O'Beirne) - Declared a late scratching at 11.34am on veterinary advice after the gelding was found to be lame in the right foreleg.

SASSENACH (D Turner) - Raced wide without cover throughout.

QUEEN KAMADA (M Singh) – Tightened 900 metres. Held up entering the home straight before being angled outwards across heels to gain clear running inside the final 100 metres.

BOSTON STRONG BOY (T Johnson) - Held up rounding the turn then had some difficulty obtaining clear running early in the home straight.

EMPOWER (H Andrew) - Checked 900 metres. Disappointed for a run passing the 200 metres

LOVE POTION (R Elliot) – Tightened 900 metres. Raced in restricted room for a distance near the 200 metres.

CAPITAL GAINS (R Myers) - Dictated 900 metres.

ATLANTIC FLYER (L Hemi) – Tightened having to be restrained 900 metres.

L Allpress (NUBIAN SMILE) - Admitted a breach of Rule 638(1)(d) in that she shifted in near the 900 metres when not clear of CAPITAL GAINS (R Myers), dictating that runner inwards, tightening QUEEN KAMADA (M Singh), LOVE POTION (R Elliot) and ATLANTIC FLYER (L Hemi), which had to be restrained, going back on to EMPOWER (H Andrew), which was checked. After hearing submissions L Allpress had her licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Saturday, 21 September up to and including racing on Friday, 4 October (7 days).

Race 5 DERRYN @ GRANGEWILLIAM STUD 1200 (1200 Metres)

EMPRESS TZU HSI – D Bradley replaced D Turner (overweight).

D Turner (EMPRESS TZU HSI) – Admitted a breach of Rule 330(3)(c) in that he failed to make the contracted weight for EMPRESS TZU HSI and had his license to ride in races suspended from the conclusion of racing on Thursday, 26 September up to and including racing on Sunday, 6 October (8 days).

DESTINY ONE (L Hemi) - Raced wide without cover throughout.

BELLA PADOZA (B Ansell) - Tightened shortly after the start.

FRANCESCANA (H Schofer) - Made the bend awkwardly near the 900 metres, having to be restrained.

LORD BOUZERON (L Allpress) - When questioned into performance rider advised after being pressured in front the gelding had little left at the finish.

Race 6 NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE 1600 Metres (1600 Metres)

SANCTA SOPHYA – (J Fawcett replaced Z Moki.) Slow away.

MISS WOBURN (L Allpress) - Slow away. Inconvenienced entering the home straight when SEQUIOA DAWN shifted out.

PARIS COUTURE (T Johnson) - Slow away. Inconvenienced 600 metres.

DETONATE (M Hudson) - Made the bend near the 1400 metres awkwardly.

SEQUIOA DAWN (H Andrew) - Restrained off heels near the 1400 metres. Held up for a short distance passing the 600 metres and when being restrained shifted out dictating PARIS COUTURE outwards on to MISS WOBURN, which was hampered.

UELLEMAREE (R Hannam) - Raced wide without cover throughout.

MEILA REI (D Turner) - Tightened, having to be restrained near the 500 metres when GO VICTORIA (E McCall) lay in when struck with the whip. E McCall was advised to exercise greater care.

Race 7 JOLT COFFEE HOUSE 1600 (1600 Metres)

SERGEANT BLAST (H Schofer) – Tightened and restrained near the 1400 metres when OUR BANDIT (J Fawcett) was steadied off the heels of BIG BEN (R Myers) which was racing keenly into the first turn to the inside of FATHER LENIHAN (R Hannam), which rolled in, with OUR BANDIT going back on to DUPLICITY (C Burdan). DUPLICITY then shifted out making contact with SERGEANT BLAST. After questioning all riders and viewing available footage, it could not be conclusively established that any rider was at fault. SERGEANT BLAST then continued to race keenly for a distance.

OUR BANDIT (J Fawcett) – Steadied off heels 1400 metres. Hung in the home straight.

BIG BEN (R Myers) - Raced keenly 1400 metres.

DUPLICITY (C Burdan) – Awkwardly placed on the heels of OUR BANDIT having to be restrained near the 1400 metres.

Race 8 CARPET MAINTENANCE & CLEANING 2040 (2040 Metres)

EM KAY POPS (M Hudson) - Awkwardly away settling back.

VERACIOUS (A Goindasamy) - Slow away

DEUCE COUP (H Andrew) - Reared as the start was effected, settling back. Raced wide without cover throughout.

CORNERSTONE (L Allpress) - Held up for a distance near the 500 metres and again entering the home straight, having to be restrained off the heels of the tiring WONDER LASS passing the 300 metres, then tightened when WONDER LASS rolled in near the 250 metres.

SPEED CALL (L Hemi) – Began awkwardly. When questioned into the improved performance of SPEED CALL, Trainer C Bambry could offer no tangible reason other than the gelding being back in a lower grade.

Race 9 WANGANUI TROTTING CLUB RACING 10 MARCH 2020 MAIDEN 2040 Metres (2040 Metres)

JUST ROSIE (J Fawcett) - Tightened shortly after the start when WHOLETTHEFOXOUT (C O'Beirne) shifted in as MANHATTAN AFFAIR attempted to maintain a position away from the rail. C O'Beirne was advised to exercise care.

KEEPIN HARMONEE (R Myers) - Raced ungenerously in the early to middle stages, with a tendency to get its head in the air. Lay in under pressure in the home straight.

WORDZ (D Bradley) - Made the bend near the 1700 metres awkwardly when racing keenly.

MAKOURA LODGE (L Allpress) - Raced wide throughout.

PASSWORD (R Elliot) – When questioned into performance rider advised the gelding had travelled well through but had been disappointing at the finish. A post-race veterinary examination was clear.