

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Ashburton Racing Club	Date:	Thursday 19 December 2019
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Dead (4)		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	J Oatham (Chairman), M Davidson, N McIntyre		
Vet:	A Corser		
Typist:	C McMullan		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	CELINE, TICKET TO RIDE, TAKE THE DEEL, SPLENDIOR, WINDSOR, MONTREUX MISS, DIORISSIMO, HEAPZAHOPPE, HEE'S OUR SECRET		
Suspensions:	Nil		
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Race	6	J Lowry BLACKBOOK Unable to make contract weight [Rule 330(3)(c)] \$200 6 D Turner OUR ROSETTE Excessive use of whip behind barriers [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] \$300 6 K James LIFT OFF TO RIO Omitted an item of notified gear [Rule 616(4)]
Warnings:	Race	1	J Laking BLAIR FLIGHT Whip use prior to the 100 metres [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] 6 T Moseley OUR GIRL FILLY Shifting ground 125 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] 8 K Williams SHOCK PROSPECT Shifting ground 100 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
Horse Actions:	Race	4	BILLABONG BILLY - Euthanased
Follow Up:	Nil		
Medical Certificates:	Nil		
Rider Changes:	Nil		
Late Scratchings:	Race	5	WYNMOORE - 2.44pm by Stewards'

GENERAL:

No issues to report.

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	DAVE THOMSON @ HARCOURTS MDN 1400
NYMPHADORA TONKS (C Campbell) - Slow to begin.	
KRISTOFFERSON (J Lowry) - Slow to begin, inconvenienced near the 400 metres when NYMPHADORA TONKS (C Campbell) shifted out. C Campbell was advised to exercise care.	

MAGIE NOIRE (R Mudhoo) - Slow to begin.

BELLE OF GEORGIA (K Mudhoo) - Began awkwardly shifting outwards making contact with BLAIR FLIGHT unbalancing the rider momentarily.

BOGATYR (D Turner) - Bounded at the start beginning awkwardly, raced three wide without cover from the 1000 metres.

GRAND EXPRESS (L Callaway) - Over raced when being restrained in the early and middle stages.

JACK BE QUICK (C Johnson) - Got its head up when being restrained to obtain cover approaching the 1000 metres.

KHITAN WARRIOR (Y Chew) - Dislodged rider after the finish who was uninjured.

J Laking (BLAIR FLIGHT) - Issued with a warning for his whip use prior to the 100 metres.

Race 2	RICHE MCCREA PAINTING & DECORATING OPN 1400
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SHOWPIN (T Comignaghi) - Slow to begin.

DEE AND GEE (K Asano) - Began awkwardly making contact losing ground then tailing the field throughout. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the mare had been out paced throughout. K Asano was shown his ride in the presence of the riding mentor and advised that in the Stewards' view he could have showed more vigour in an attempt to maintain contact with the body of the field in the early to middle stages.

Race 3	HEARTLAND PRINT MDN 2200
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STAR WARS PRINCESS (C Campbell) - Bounded at the start and slow to begin losing ground.

SERGEANT PEPPER (K Mudhoo) - Slow to begin.

VOWS YOU MADE (T Comignaghi) - Raced three wide without cover.

DANNY GREEN (C Johnson) - Over raced through the early to middle stages before being taken forward to sit outside the leader passing the 1200 metres.

ROULETTE (R Mudhoo) - Got its head up when being restrained off the heels of the runner in front passing the 1800 metres.

Race 4	HINDS FARMING & BEVAN WILSON R65 2200
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PRODUCER (T Moseley) - Slow to begin.

WHISPER ROCK (R Beeharry) - Began very awkwardly losing ground.

RUN FORREST RUN (S Toolooa) - Raced three wide without cover through the early to middle stages.

EPAE ROAD (L Callaway) - Not persevered with from the 200 metres when well beaten. Trainer P Harris advised that the gelding would now be retired.

BILLABONG BILLY (R Mudhoo) - Pulled up by its rider after going amiss passing the 250 metres and was immediately attended to by the on-course veterinarian being humanely euthanased after suffered multiple fractures to the right hind leg.

Race 5	HOTEL ASHBURTON R72 1200
<p>WYNMOORE (R Beeharry) - Escaped riderless on the way to the start and was recaptured shortly afterwards, however when being remounted reared dislodging the rider then being declared a late scratching by the Stewards at 2.44 pm.</p> <p>BARABAS (S Toolooa) - Slow to begin.</p> <p>PIPIANA (T Moseley) - Slow to begin. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the mare had not helped its chances by racing keenly in the early stages but nevertheless had been disappointing.</p> <p>MIDDAGURD (K Asano) - Slow to begin.</p> <p>SOLOMON (J Lowry) - Crowded leaving the barriers when BERNINI lay in, raced three wide without cover.</p> <p>VENDIMA (L Callaway) - Held up through the early stages of the run home only gaining clear racing room passing the 200 metres.</p> <p>WINDSOR (C Johnson) - Over raced when being restrained going into the bend near the 900 metres.</p> <p>EXPRESS RIP (T Comignaghi) - Held up near the 300 metres having to steady and shift outwards across the heels of PIPIANA to obtain clear running.</p>	
Race 6	NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE
<p>J Lowry - Fined \$200 under the Minor Infringement Schedule after failing to make the required weight for BLACKBOOK.</p> <p>BLACKBOOK - Rider J Lowry was permitted to retain the mount at 1kg overweight due to the unavailability of a suitable replacement rider.</p> <p>K James (LIFT OFF TO RIO) - Fined \$50 under the Minor Infringement Schedule after omitting an item of notified gear (ear covers).</p> <p>D Turner (OUR ROSETTE) - Admitted a charge in that he used his whip excessively behind the barriers prior to loading, with the Judicial Committee imposing a fine of \$300.</p> <p>THE SUZE (S Toolooa) - Slow to begin.</p> <p>OUR ROSETTE (D Turner) - Slow to begin.</p> <p>TACIT APPROVAL (K Williams) - Over raced in the early stages.</p> <p>QUINTUPLE TWINS (C Johnson) - Raced wide without cover throughout, contacted near the 300 metres when OUR ROSETTE shifted outwards to obtain clear running.</p> <p>Y Chew (EXCLAIM) - Was shown film footage in the presence of the riding mentor after allowing his mount to drift outwards rounding the final bend covering extra ground and allowing runners to improve to his inside. Apprentice Chew was advised that he would be expected to show better judgement in his riding in future.</p> <p>LIFT OFF TO RIO (L Callaway) - Hung outwards rounding the final bend.</p> <p>OUR GIRL GILLY (T Moseley) - Held up for clear running passing the 200 metres and had to shift outwards passing the 125 metres to obtain clear running.</p>	

T Moseley (OUR GIRL GILLY) - Issued with a warning after allowing his mount to shift outwards passing the 125 metres when not fully clear of RECOMMENDED FLIGHT which had to be steadied.

RECOMMENDED FLIGHT (J Laking) - Crowded and had to be steadied passing the 125 metres.

Race 7	NORM STEWART / ROSS, CONNAR & LEE R82 2200
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ALBUT ME (S Toolooa) - Began awkwardly losing some ground then being allowed to improve forward to lead passing the 2000 metres. When questioned regarding performance rider reported that the gelding had failed to respond when placed under pressure passing the 400 metres and had been disappointing.

KING OF THE DANCE (R Mudhoo) - Had some difficulty obtaining clear running until near the 150 metres.

Race 8	STACKHOUSE FARMING LTD MDN 1400
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MR TOOL (S Toolooa) - Slow to begin.

IFITHAPPENSAGAIN (J Lowry) - Slow to begin, had difficulty obtaining clear running in the straight racing in restricted room over the final 150 metres.

REPULSE (K Mudhoo) - Slow to begin then raced three wide without cover throughout, steadied away from the heels of ACRE passing the 175 metres when both runners shifted ground.

STRATTON (C Campbell) - Held up near the 300 metres, then being placed in restricted room having to briefly steady near the 200 metres, had to be steadied to avoid heels near the 100 metres.

WONDERING (D Turner) - Held up passing the 300 metres and continued to have some difficulty to obtain clear running until near the 150 metres.

OCEANS AWAY (J Laking) - Had to be steadied away from the heels of ACRE near the 200 metres.

SHOCK PROSPECT (K Williams) - Held up passing the 200 metres and when shifting ground outwards passing the 100 metres inconvenienced STRATTON.

K Williams (SHOCK PROSPECT) - Issued with a warning after permitting her mount to shift outwards near the 100 metres when not fully clear of STRATTON.

R Mudhoo (NOAH) - Reminded of his obligation to ride his mounts out fully to the finish whenever circumstances permit.

Race 9	VALE MYRA HARNETT R65 1400
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STIRLING LADY (A Mudhoo) - Began awkwardly.

JUST ANOTHER DAY (C Barnes) - Crowded shortly after the start losing ground.

DEVIOUS (D Turner) - Over raced in the early stages.

ABBEY KAY (Z Bholah) - Raced four wide without cover for the majority of the race.

RAINMAN (T Comignaghi) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

I AM A ROCK (J Laking) - Held up near the 300 metres having to shift outwards across heels to obtain clear running approaching the 200 metres.

VIVA LA BLUES (C Campbell) - Lay in under pressure in the final straight.

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