

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Canterbury Racing - Riccarton Park	Date:	Friday, 21 February 2020
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Dead (4), after R1 Good (3)		
Rail:	Out 5 metres		
Stewards:	M Davidson (Chairman), A Coles and P Lamb		
Veterinarian:	Dr A Corser		
Typist:	C McMullan		

GENERAL:

Rider B Morgenrood was stood down from his two riding engagements under Rule 207(1)(d). An inquiry was opened and adjourned into Mr Morgenrood's behaviour prior to race 1.
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SUPPLEMENTARY:

Nil

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	OUR ROSETTE, SKAABOOM, SULU SEA, ZIPITSWEETIE, ATHENE, BABY MENAKA, MONASH		
Suspensions:			Nil
Protests:			Nil
Fines:	Race	3	K Chowdhoo PINUP COUP Excessive use of the whip prior to the 100 metres [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] - \$300
Warnings:	Race	1	Trainer L Robinson EXCLAIM Presenting runner with incorrect gear (side winkers) [Rule 616(4)]
		4	T Comignaghi VIVACE LADY Shifting ground 400 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
		5	T Moseley ATHENE Shifting ground 1100 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
		5	J Anderson FIONNUALA Shifting ground 250 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
Follow Up	Race	3	POP 'N' ROCK
Horse Actions:			Nil
Medical Certificates:			Nil
Rider Changes:	Race	4	CHORISTER – L Callaway replaced B Morgenrood (Order of the Stewards)
		5	RESUSCITATE – K Mudhoo replaced B Morgenrood
Late Scratchings:			Nil

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE (1200m)
Trainer L Robinson (EXCLAIM) was issued with a warning after presenting this runner with incorrect gear (side winkers).	
EXCLAIM (Y Chew) – Began awkwardly and then raced ungenerously for a short distance.	
OUR ROSETTE (T Moseley) – Began awkwardly shifting out hampering CLUBCARD.	
CLUBCARD (S Wynne) – Hampered at the start losing ground.	

ELLE MAKFI (K Chowdhooory) – Slow away, briefly held up passing the 200 metres having to shift ground inwards to find clear racing room, again placed in restricted room in the shadows of the post.

SUNNY LADY (S Toolooa) – Raced wide without cover throughout, lay in passing the 300 metres briefly crowding **EASY ON THE EYE**.

JUST A GIRL (C Johnson) – Inclined to shift ground under pressure over the concluding stages having to be straightened on at least two occasions.

MADAM SEQUOIA (J Fawcett) – Crowded and placed in restricted room then having to be steadied passing the 700 metres.

Following this race the track was upgraded to Good (3).

Race 2	PUNTERS CHALLENGE 4 APRIL – ENTER NOW RATING 65 (1200m)
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LINCOLN ZEPHYR (C Campbell) – Slow away, held up for a distance passing the 500 metres until shifting out near the 400 metres to obtain clear running.

SWISS EIRE (T Comignaghi) – Shifted out shortly after jumping away hampering **RELIABLE GLOW**, held up until near the 200 metres having to shift out to obtain clear running.

RELIABLE GLOW (K Chowdhooory) – Hampered shortly after the start losing ground.

MISS TILLY WINKS (J Fawcett) – Raced wide throughout.

SKAABOOM (S Wynne) – Held up for a distance passing the 500 metres.

IFFIDA (T Moseley) – Held up for several strides passing the 250 metres.

Race 3	DAPHNE BANNAN MEMORIAL RATING 72 (1800m)
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POP ‘N’ ROCK (K Williams) – Slow away and then stumbled shortly after losing ground, not persevered with over the concluding stages with the rider reporting the gelding had felt indifferent in its actions. A post-race veterinary inspection revealed a slow recovery. Stewards will follow up with connections in coming days.

PINUP COUP (K Chowdhooory) – Steadied off heels passing the 1100 metres and again passing the 700 metres.

K Chowdhooory **PINUP COUP** admitted a breach of excessive use of the whip prior to the 100 metres, with the Judicial Committee imposing a fine of \$300.

Race 4	CANTERBURY EQUINE CLINIC MAIDEN (1800m)
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MR FAHRENHEIT (T Moseley) – Slow away.

ARTIC WARRIOR (B Murray) – Shifted out shortly after the start inconveniencing **VIVACE LADY**.

VIVACE LADY (T Comignaghi) -Crowded and steadied shortly after the start. When questioned about performance the rider could offer no tangible excuses.

WHEREABOUTS (K Mudhoo) – Had to be firmly restrained off heels near the 1700 metres and then continued to over race for a distance.

STAR WARS PRINCESS (C Campbell) – Raced three wide without cover for the majority of the race.

VOLVIK (S Wynne) – Crowded and had to steady passing the 400 metres.

A Comignaghi (**VIVACE LADY**) was issued with a warning when allowing her mount to shift out passing the 400 metres dictating **CHITTER CHAT** into the line of **VOLVIK** which had to be steadied to avoid heels.

Race 5	CLARE YARDLEY BARRISTER MAIDEN (1400m)
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JIMINY CRICKET (R Beeharry) – Slow away.

YANNICK (L Callaway) – Began awkwardly losing ground, over raced through the early stages.

BOGATYR (K Williams) – Began awkwardly losing ground, lay outwards onto the heels of **ATHENE** passing the 175 metres having to be steadied as a result.

RESUSCITATE (K Mudhoo) – Commenced to over race for a distance shortly after the start.

HOMBRE (C Johnson) – Over raced in the early stages and lay inwards on the bend near the 1000 metres.

DANCING IN THE SKY (R Mudhoo) – Over raced through the early stages.

TE MOKOPUNA (C Campbell) – Raced wide for the majority of the race, became awkwardly placed on the heels of **FIONNUALA** passing the 350 metres, again had to be steadied away from the heels of **FIONNUALA** passing the 250 metres and was not persevered with over the concluding stages of the race.

FIONNUALA (J Anderson) – Crowded and had to be steadied away from heels passing the 1100 metres, raced three and four wide throughout, lay out throughout the run home shifting wider on the track.

T Moseley (**ATHENE**) was issued with a warning for allowing his mount to shift ground inwards dictating **FIONNUALA** onto the heels of **HOMBRE** passing the 1100 metres.

MY SOVA (T Comignaghi) – Began to over race passing the 1000 metres and when being steadied away from heels shifted inwards abruptly.

KEEP QUIET (K Asano) – Placed in restricted room passing the 1000 metres and had to be steadied away from the heels of **HOMBRE** which lay in and away from **ATHENE** despite the efforts of the rider.

MR TOOL (S Toolooa) – Crowded and steadied losing ground when becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of **MY SOVA** passing the 1000 metres.

J Anderson (**FIONNUALA**) was issued with a warning for allowing her mount to shift out passing the 250 metres resulting in **TE MOKOPUNA** having to be steadied away from heels.

RECOMMENDED FLIGHT (S Wynne) – Rider reported that the mare had hung throughout and was also found to have got its tongue over the bit during the running.

Race 6	WALKER DAVEY SEARELLS LIMITED CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS RATING 65 (2000m)
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JACK BE QUICK (C Johnson) – Slow away, held up rounding the bend into the final straight shifting out passing the 375 metres.

BABY MENAKA (C Campbell) – Crowded and steadied shortly after the start losing ground, got its head up when over racing for a distance through the middle stages.

PRODUCER (R Mudhoo) – Raced ungenerously when being steadied through the early stages, raced wide from the 1200 metres.

EFFERVESCENT (B Murray) – Held up rounding the final bend having to change ground inwards passing the 350 metres.

Race 7	RACECOURSE HOTEL & MOTOR LODGE RATING 65 (1600m)
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HIGHLY UNLIKELY (K Chowdhooory) – Crowded shortly after the start losing ground.

FINE AND DANDEE (R Mudhoo) – Lay out throughout the run home.

AUGUSTACE (S Toolooa) – Rider was reminded of his obligations to ensure he rides his mounts out fully to the line when circumstances permit.

MONASH (T Comignaghi) – When asked to comment on the apparent improved performance, co-trainer D Champion advised that the gelding is better suited to racing in the open and was aided by an economic ride today and being able to finish down the centre of the track.

Stipendiary Stewards report as posted is provisional and subject to further review and amendment.