

# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



## MEETING DETAILS:

<b>Club:</b>	Riccarton Park - Amberley	<b>Date:</b>	Thursday, 5 March 2020
<b>Weather:</b>	Fine		
<b>Track:</b>	Good (3)		
<b>Rail:</b>	5 Metres		
<b>Stewards:</b>	J Oatham (Chairman), M Davidson, D Wadley		
<b>Vet:</b>	A Corser		
<b>Typist:</b>	C McMullan		

## SUMMARY:

<b>Swabbing:</b>	JUST TICKETY BOO, KHIMAR WAR, CONFESSIONAL, QWERTY, CINTO BAY, SUCCOSO SEGRETO, BELLE FASCINO, STRIKE FORCE		
<b>Suspensions:</b>	Nil		
<b>Protests:</b>	Nil		
<b>Fines:</b>	Nil		
<b>Warnings:</b>	Race	7	<b>B Murray</b> THE GROWLER Shifting ground 1000 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
<b>Horse Actions:</b>	Race	6	<b>BRIDGET TOWN</b> - Vet clearance required prior to racing next
<b>Follow Up:</b>	Nil		
<b>Medical Certificates:</b>	Nil		
<b>Rider Changes:</b>	Nil		
<b>Late Scratchings:</b>	Nil		

## SUPPLEMENTARY:

<b>CANTERBURY JOCKEY CLUB - FRIDAY, 21 FEBRUARY 2020</b> <b>Race 3 - Daphne Bannan Memorial Rating 72 (1600m)</b> A stable representative advised Stewards that <b>POP 'N' ROCK</b> has been sent for a spell following the disappointing performance.
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## RACE COMMENTS:

<b>Race 1</b>	<b>RICCARTON PARK FUNCTION CENTRE MAIDEN (1200m)</b>
<b>GOLDEN HARVEST</b> (K Chowdhury) - Began awkwardly losing ground, lay outwards when making the crossing by the 700 metres awkwardly and continued to lay outwards through the run home.	
<b>JUST TICKETY BOO</b> (K Kwo) - Bounded at the start losing ground, briefly held up early in the run home.	
<b>KHITAN WARRIOR</b> (L Allpress) - Over raced in the early stages, raced a little greenly in the straight shifting outwards under pressure near the 100 metres having to be straightened.	
<b>GRAND EXPRESS</b> (D Prastiyou) - Lay out under pressure in the straight.	
<b>Race 2</b>	<b>NZB SOUTH ISLAND SALE 17 APRIL RATING 72 (1200m)</b>
<b>KHIMAR WAR</b> (L Allpress) - Blundered on leaving the barriers, lay out early in the straight	

<b>WHALE SONG</b> (K Chowdhooory) - Slow to begin.	
<b>PIPIANA</b> (C Johnson) - Raced keenly when leading through the early stages.	
<b>VENDIMA</b> (J Laking) - When questioned regarding performance the rider was unable to offer any excuse, advising that the mare had felt a little indifferent in its action. A post race veterinary inspection did not reveal any obvious abnormality.	
<b>Race 3</b>	<b>PUNTERS CHALLENGE 4 APRIL - ENTER NOW RATING 65 (1000m)</b>
<b>MONTREUX MISS</b> (S Wynne) - Bounded at the start losing ground.	
<b>KATE THE GREAT</b> (R Mudhoo) - Slow to begin.	
<b>FASCINO LASS</b> (L Allpress) - Slow to begin.	
<b>SWISS EIRE</b> (T Comignaghi) - Crowded and had to be steadied passing the 650 metres when MEDITERRANEAN STAR lay in despite the efforts of its rider.	
<b>MEDITERRANEAN STAR</b> (B Murray) - Lay in in the run home and could not be ridden to full advantage. Rider reported that the gelding had lay inwards throughout proving a difficult ride. A post race veterinary inspection did not reveal any obvious abnormality.	
<b>Race 4</b>	<b>THE TEA HOUSE AT RICCARTON PARK MAIDEN (1600)</b>
<b>BOGATYR</b> (K Williams) - Bounded as the start was effected losing considerable ground, raced ungenerously when being steadied near the 1000 metres.	
<b>JIMINY CRICKET</b> (R Beeharry) - Slow to begin, raced very wide when attempting to improve forward from the 800 metres.	
<b>OCEAN OF CHAMPAGNE</b> (B Murray) - Jumped away awkwardly crowding MAXWELL onto ZAKUNDA, over raced when being restrained in the middle stages.	
<b>MAXWELL</b> (T Comignaghi) - Crowded at the start, rider dropped her whip passing the 200 metres.	
<b>ZAKUNDA</b> (K Chowdhooory) - Contacted at the start.	
<b>JUST A PROMISS</b> (J Fawcett) - Restrained to obtain cover in the early stages after jumping from the outside barrier, raced three wide without cover from the 1200 metres.	
<b>YANNICK</b> (L Callaway) - Got its head up when over racing in the early stages.	
<b>NYMPHADORA TONKS</b> (K Asano) - The saddle shifted forwards through the early stages placing the rider at a disadvantage for the remainder of the race, with the lead bag becoming detached passing the 725 metres. As a consequence K Asano weighed in 2.5 kg under his weighed out weight, with NYMPHADORA TONKS which had finished in 10 <sup>th</sup> placing being disqualified which is mandatory in the circumstances under the provisions of Rule 648(3).	
<b>Race 5</b>	<b>CHRISTCHURCH CASINO RATING 72 (2000m)</b>
<b>METASEQUOIA</b> (C Johnson) - Held up early in the run home having to shift ground across heels passing the 150 metres to find clear running.	

<b>CINTO BAY</b> (L Allpress) - When questioned regarding the mare's form reversal, co-trainer L Didham advised that the mare had been galloped on when failing in the Dunedin Gold Cup at its most recent start. Mr Didham was reminded of his obligation to report to Stewards in future any occurrence which may have affected a horse's performance in a race.	
<b>Race 6</b>	<b>VICTORIA WOODLEY RATING 65 (2000m)</b>
<p><b>SHAZ THE BANK</b> (D Prastiyou) - Slow to begin.</p> <p><b>SURE IS</b> (A Balloo) - Slow to begin, crowded passing the 50 metres.</p> <p><b>MAMBA</b> (K Mudhoo) - Began awkwardly losing ground.</p> <p><b>BABY MENAKA</b> (C Johnson) - Over raced when being restrained in the early stages, held up through the middle stages of the run home before finding clear racing room inside the final 100 metres.</p> <p><b>PRODUCER</b> (K Chowdhoo) - Raced ungenerously when being steadied going into the first turn near the 1800 metres and continued to over race into the middle stages.</p> <p><b>JIN LU</b> (BB Hong) - Raced three wide without cover for the majority of the race.</p> <p><b>BRIDGET TOWN</b> (C Campbell) - Eased down over the concluding stages being dismounted after the finish and led back to the birdcage, with the rider reporting that the mare felt sore in front. A post race veterinary inspection revealed the mare to be mildly lame in the right foreleg. Connections were advised that a veterinary clearance is required prior to racing next.</p> <p><b>FEROCIOUS</b> (R Mudhoo) - Checked when crowded passing the 50 metres to the inside of SURE IS which was taken in by PRODUCER which shifted away from MAMBA.</p>	
<b>Race 7</b>	<b>JACK THOMPSON OPEN HANDICAP (1400m)</b>
<p><b>BELLE FASCINO</b> (S Wynne) - Slow to begin.</p> <p><b>HE'S GOLD</b> (T Comignaghi) - Raced three wide without cover throughout, contacted by FORGED which shifted outwards slightly near the 150 metres and as a result HE'S GOLD shifted away from FORGED and then had to be steadied when crowded to the inside of BELLE FASCINO (S Wynne) which shifted inwards under pressure before being straightened by its rider near the 100 metres. S Wynne was advised to exercise care.</p> <p><b>MONZA CIRCUITO</b> (R Mudhoo) - Blundered leaving the barriers losing some ground, steadied off heels near the 800 metres, had difficulty obtaining clear running in the straight having to steady and shift outwards across heels approaching the 100 metres.</p> <p><b>B Murray</b> (THE GROWLER) - Issued with a warning after allowing his mount to shift inwards when not fully clear of SON OF MAHER which had to be steadied near the 1000 metres.</p> <p><b>SON OF MAHER</b> (C Johnson) - Steadied to avoid heels near the 1000 metres, inclined to over race in the middle stages.</p>	
<b>Race 8</b>	<b>RACECOURSE HOTEL &amp; MOTOR LODGE RATING 65 (1400m)</b>
<p><b>RUMOUR HAS IT</b> (K Asano) - Began very awkwardly losing ground (4 lengths).</p> <p><b>ADMIRAL ROUS</b> (BB Hong) - Began awkwardly.</p>	

**LADY BYRON** (L Allpress) - Crowded between runners at the start losing ground, had difficulty obtaining clear running early in the straight.

**SAINTED PEARL** (B Murray) - Raced wide without cover, steadied near the 50 metres when placed in restricted room to the inside of COUP DREAMWOOD.

**WHY ME** (C Johnson) - Over raced in the middle stages.

**RAFF** (C Barnes) - Held up rounding the final bend and early in the run home.

**COUP DREAMWOOD** (K Chowdhury) - Steadied away from heels passing the 800 metres when racing keenly, lay inwards throughout the run home and could not be ridden to full advantage over the concluding stages.

**LINCOLN ZEPHYR** (C Campbell) - Held up passing the 400 metres.

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