STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

5th January 2020 Club: **Greymouth Jockey Club** Date:

Weather: Overcast/Showery

Track: Dead 5, Dead 6 after Race 5

Rail:

M Davidson (Chairman), J Oatham and D Wadley **Stewards:**

Veterinarian: Dr J Shorten Typist: A Keenan

GENERAL:

Nil

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Nil

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: NICOLE ASHLEY, ELVA, SHANLANE, HAZELNUT, OUR PROM KING, HEAVEN KNOWS, LOCHAN ORA,

BILLY MAV, FORGED

Suspensions: Race 1 K Williams (IWONDERWAI)

[Rule 638(1)(d)] - Shifting ground 1200 metres - Suspended 12th Jan up to and

including 17th January 2020 (5 days)

Race 2 **S Wynne** (SECRET RUNNER)

[Rule 638(1)(d)] - Shifting ground 1400 metres - Suspended 16th Jan up to and

including 24th January 2020 (8 days)

Race **S Wynne** (EXPRESSIVE)

[Rule 638(1)(d)] - Shifted ground 150 metres - Suspended 5th Jan up to and

including 15th January 2020 (6 days)

R Mudhoo (MIDDAGURD) Race 4

[Rule 638(1)(d)] – Shifting ground 175 metres - Suspended 12th Jan up to and

including 17th January 2020 (5 days)

8 C Johnson (PLUSHENKO) Race

[Rule 638(1)(d)] - Shifting ground 200 metres - Suspended 12th Jan up to and

including 17th January 2020 (5 days)

Protests: Nil Race Fines: Race Nil

Warnings: Race 7 **G & T Shaw** (LOCALLY SAUCED)

Rule 616(4) – incorrect gear

9 T & L Prendergast (SHOWPIN) Race

Rule 616(4) – incorrect gear

Follow Up Race Nil **Horse Actions:** Race Nil

Medical Certificates: Nil

Rider Changes: Race 3 **GOODTHINGSTAKETIME** – C Johnson replaced J Laking (Overweight)

> MADAM MAKFI – T Moseley replaced S Wynne (injured) Race 8

TWO THIRTY – K Williams replaced S Wynne (injured) Race 9

Late Scratching: Race Nil

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1

OMOTO SUPPORTERS' CLUB MAIDEN 1500m

BOGATYR (S Wynne) - Jumped away awkwardly hampering RAGNAL.

RAGNAL (S Macnab) - Hampered at the start losing ground.

JUNE ROSE (K Mudhoo) - Slow away.

K Williams admitted a breach of Carless Riding in that she permitted her mount IWONDERWAI to shift inwards near the 1200 metres when not sufficiently clear of TORMUND when he was checked and got back onto SUPER TAP which was hampered and shifted outwards hampering NICOLE ASHLEY. After hearing from all parties the JCA suspended her licence to ride from the 12th of January up to and including the 17th of January 2020 (5 days)

TORMUND (L Callaway) - Checked near the 1200 metres.

SUPER TAP (R Mudhoo) - Hampered near the 1200 metres Rider reported that the saddle had moved backwards possibly when the filly reared in the stalls at the start, placing him in difficulty for the remainder of the event.

NICOLE ASHLEY (T Comignaghi) - Hampered near the 1200 metres and was obliged to race wide without cover throughout the middle stages. When asked to comment on the apparent improved performance the rider advised that the field had not been the strongest and the mare had appreciated not racing in amongst the field.

OCEANS AWAY (J Laking) - Rider dropped whip passing 150 metres. Stewards questioned J Laking regarding his ride in the final straight as to why he did not endeavor to improve into a run to the inside of BOGATYR when there appeared to be sufficient room to do so. J Laking explained that initially he had been looking to angle to the outside of BOGATYR but when he dropped his whip the gelding lay inwards leaving him inside the heels of BOGATYR, which he then felt was going to shift inwards so he was reluctant to pursue that run. Upon viewing film footage J Laking agreed with the Stewards that there did appear to be sufficient room and that he had erred in his judgement on this occasion. J Laking was advised that he would be expected to ride his mounts in a manner that is not left open to query in future.

Race 2

FRANK MCLAUGHLIN MEMORIAL MAIDEN 1500m

EAGLE FIFTY (D Hirini) - Slow away. Hampered at the 200 metres and had to shift inwards for clear racing room passing the 150 metres.

MAGICAL MYSTERY (K Chowdhoory) – Crowded and checked passing 1400 metres.

S Wynne (SECRET RUNNER) defended a breach of Careless Riding when permitting her mount to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear dictating ELVA which was dictated inwards crowding MAGICAL MYSTERY which was checked passing the 1400 metres. After hearing from all parties the JCA found the charge proved and suspended her licence to ride from the 16th of January up to and including the 24th of January 2020 (8 days)

BLUE DANN (K Kwo) - Raced wide without cover through the early and middle stages and was under pressure passing the 600 metres and gave ground from this point.

OUR STILETTOS (L Callaway) - Firmly contacted and unbalanced passing the 200 metres when MAGICAL MYSTERY (K Chowdhoory) shifted out looking for clear racing room. K Chowdhoory was advised to exercise greater care.

Race 3 GREYMOUTH BUSINESSES SPRINT 1100m

GOODTHINGSTAKETIME – C Johnson replaced J Laking due to Mr Laking being ½ kilo overweight with the connections opting to replace the rider with a rider who could make the correct weight on a first starter. J Laking was reminded of his obligations when taking rides at weights he finds difficult.

ARCTIC LADY (K Mudhoo) - Slow away then quickly becoming tailed off in the early stages.

SHANLANE (D Hirini) - Jumped away awkwardly making contact with THE BUFFER which was forced onto TOP GHIA Over raced when being restrained in the early stages. Raced three wide without cover throughout.

THE BUFFER (L Callaway) - Contacted at the start and lost ground. Briefly held up passing the 150 metres having to shift ground inwards to find clear racing room.

TOP GHIA (S Macnab) - Hampered at the start losing ground.

ATAAHUALUVTHEDREAM (T Moseley) - Crowded and checked having to steady away from heels passing the 150 metres.

S Wynne (EXPRESSIVE) admitted a breach of Careless Riding when angling her mount inwards passing 150 metres crowding and checking ATAAHUALUVTHEDREAM. After hearing from all parties the JCA suspended her licence to ride from the 5th of January up to and including the 15th of January 2020 (6 days). Miss Wynne was also referred to the rider skills panel.

SPACE CADET (S Toolooa) – Shifted in abruptly when struck with the whip passing the 150 metres and had to be straightened.

Race 4 CON RICHARDS MEMORIAL MAIDEN 1100m

MIDDAGURD (R Mudhoo) – Slow away. Held up having to be steadied near the 400 metres.

MEDITERRANEAN STAR (S Wynne) - Briefly hampered passing the 400 metres when HAZELNUT (K Kwo) shifted outwards to find clear racing room. K Kwo was advised to exercise greater care.

TIMES TIME (K Chowdhoory) - Was crowded and checked passing the 175 metres.

R Mudhoo (MIDDAGURD) with the assistance of Apprentice Mentor D Walsh, admitted a breach of Careless Riding when angling his mount outwards passing the 175 metres crowding and checking TIMES TIME. The JCA suspended his licence to ride from the 12th of January up to and including the 17th of January 2020 (5 Days)

Race 5 GREYMOUTH STAR RATING 65 1100m

KATE THE GREAT (S Wynne) – Jumped away awkwardly hampering WAY ABOVE. Raced keenly in the early stages.

WAY ABOVE (S Macnab) – Slow to begin then being further hampered by KATE THE GREAT. Raced wide without cover for the majority of the event.

RICKY BAKER (J Laking) – Slow away. Early in the run home lay inwards across heels of the runner in front having difficulty obtaining clear running for the remainder of the final straight, going to the line without being fully tested.

Following the running of this event the track was down graded to Dead 6.

Race 6 JACK CURRAGH MEMORIAL 2000m

EM KAY POPS (K Mudhoo) – Jumped away awkwardly losing ground.

TOO FERLAXED (S Wynne)— Slow away.

SHOCKTILYOUDROP (D Hirini) – Began awkwardly, over-raced in the middle stages.

Race 7 RECREATIONAL HOTEL GREYMOUTH CUP 2000m

Trainers G & T Shaw were issued with a warning for presenting LOCALLY SAUCED with incorrect gear.

TOP LAURELS (K Chowdhoory) – Slow away

LOCALLY SAUCED (C Johnson) – Over-raced in the early and middle stages.

KAHARAU (R Mudhoo) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

Following the running of this event S Wynne reported to the stewards that she had aggravated an ankle injury when contacting the gates with the St John's paramedics standing her down due to deep bruising for her two remaining rides.

Race 8 GREY DALY REAL ESTATE RATING 65 1500m

T Moseley replaced S Wynne on MADAM MAKFI.

SHANPARK (D Hirini) - Jumped away awkwardly losing ground. Over-raced in the early to middle stages and raced wide from the 800 metres. Crowded and forced out onto the heels of FULL FURY, having to check.

FULL FURY (K Chowdhoory) – Bounded at the start losing ground.

ZAH WANTED (R Mudhoo) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

GARMENT (S Toolooa) – Raced wide throughout.

REPO SUN (J Laking) – Held up rounding the final bend.

MOREIRA ((K Kwo) – Crowded and forced out onto SHANPARK passing the 200 metres. Had to be steadied away from heels of PLUSHENKO passing the 100 metres, which continued to shift outwards.

C Johnson (PLUSHENKO) admitted a breach of Careless Riding when angling his mount outwards forcing MOREIRA outwards onto SHANPARK who was pushed onto the heels of the runner in front having to be checked. After hearing from all parties the JCA suspended his licence to ride from the 12th of January upto and including 17th January 2020 (5 Days).

Race 9 VERNON & VAZEY RATING 82 1500m

K Williams replaced S Wynne on TWO THIRTY.

Trainers T & L Prendergast were issued with a warning after presenting SHOWPIN with incorrect gear.

DREAMING EASY (K Mudhoo) – Slow away.

ONEFORTHEDITCH (S Macnab) - Steadied after jumping away from a wide barrier to obtain cover.

THE BUMPER (K Chowdhoory) – Jumped away awkwardly. Then being steadied when placed in restricted room to the inside of TWO THIRTY (K Williams) near the 1300 metres. K Williams was advised to exercise care.

WHAT'S UP ALF (K Kwo) - Over-raced in the early to middle stages and raced three wide without cover.

TWO THIRTY (K Williams) – Held up behind the weakening SHOWPIN rounding the final bend.

SHOWPIN (T Comignaghi) – When questioned regarding the performance of the horse, the rider could offer no tangible excuse with Stewards ordering a post-race veterinary examination which revealed no obvious abnormalities.

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