STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Manawatu Racing Club Date: Saturday, 12 December 2020

Weather: Fine Slow 7

Rail: Out 4 Metres (Outside Bend)

Stewards: M Williamson (Chairman), N Goodwin, B Bateup

Vet: P Aitken BVSc, A Weller BVSc

Stenographer: S Shirriffs

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: BUTLER; CHOSEN PEAK; ONE OF THE BEST; SIR NATE; BEEFEATER; NUDGE BAR;

WHIMSICAL, LOVE FOR ALL; OUR HAIL MARY

Suspensions: Nil
Protests: Nil
Fines: Nil

Warnings: Race 1 H Schofer BUTLER

Whip use [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)]

Horse Actions: Nil

Follow Up: Race 7 SHEZZACATCH

8 **CRUZ RAMIREZ**

Medical Certificates: Nil
Rider Changes: Nil
Late Scratchings: Nil

GENERAL:

Race 2 – HUNTING & FISHING NEW ZEALAND 1200

Trainer K Myers' explanation was accepted regarding his late declaration of rider W Pinn for CHOSEN PEAK

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 LANDMARK HOMES 1200 (1200 Metres)

HYDROEXPRESS (S Macnab) - Required farrier attention on arrival at the barrier after losing the off front plate, with the plate then being unable to be replaced. HYDROEXPRESS was permitted by Stewards to run without the affected plate. Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.

OUTA CASH (S Wynne) - Crowded over the concluding stages between MY FATHER'S GUN (R Bishop), which shifted in under pressure and TRENDY BELT (T Taiaroa), which shifted out. Riders R Bishop and T Taiaroa were advised to exercise greater care in a similar circumstance.

H Schofer (BUTLER) - Issued with a warning regarding whip use.

GET HITCHED (C Grylls) - When questioned regarding performance rider C Grylls could offer no excuse. A subsequent veterinary examination which could find no obvious abnormality.

Race 2 HUNTING & FISHING NEW ZEALAND 1200 (1200 Metres)

CASAQUINMAN (L Allpress) – Slow to begin. Held up early in the final straight before shifting out passing the 250 metres to obtain clear running.

WHAT A SMASHER (T Thornton) - Raced keenly when being restrained in the early stages.

ROMANTIC LADY (C Grylls) - Tended to lay out in the final straight.

Race 3 DUNSTAN FEEDS STAYERS CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFIER 2200 (2200 Metres)

LA LA LAND (T Newman) - Reared as the start was effected, losing ground, then clipping a heel shortly after when crowded by FLOMILINE which had begun awkwardly.

FLOMILINE (S Wynne) - Began awkwardly then ridden urgently to recover. Raced keenly in the early stages.

JACKSSTAR (S O'Malley) - Restrained from a wide barrier.

OBRIGADO (T Thornton) – Placed in restricted room approaching the 2100 metres to the inside of FLOMILINE (S Wynne) which was attempting to improve to the inside of REX ROYALE (A Goindasamy), which was shifting in simultaneously as LA LA LAND (T Newman) had improved to the inside of OBRIGADO. Riders S Wynne and T Newman were advised they must exercise greater care in a similar circumstance.

ONE OF THE BEST (L Allpress) - Began awkwardly then ridden urgently to recover. Inclined to lay out when making the first bend, making the crossing awkwardly near the 1600 metres, forcing BONNY EZRA wide on the track.

BONNY EZRA (J Parkes) - Forced wide 1600 metres.

NITRO TED (L Hemi) - Inclined to hang in the early stages.

AROMATIC (C Grylls) – When questioned regarding the performance Rider C Grylls advised that AROMATIC had travelled well throughout but failed to respond as anticipated when placed under pressure in the final straight at the mare's first attempt at middle distance on a track which he described as holding.

Race 4 CENTRAL HOUSE MOVERS 2100 (2100 Metres)

HIGH QUALITY (J Parkes) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

SYLVESTER (A Mudhoo) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

SHADOW KING (T Taiaroa) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

DUPLICITY (M Sanson) - Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.

SWEET CLEMENTINE (S Macnab) - When questioned regarding performance rider could offer no excuse.

OVERTHERIVER (S O'Malley) – When questioned regarding performance rider S O'Malley advised the gelding had not been entirely suited by the existing track conditions, which he described as holding.

M Sanson (DUPLICITY) - Reminded of her obligation concerning whip use.

L Allpress (FELAAR) - Reminded of her obligation concerning whip use.

Race 5 HIMATANGI TRANSPORT LTD 1600 (1600 Metres)

WEAPONRY (C Grylls) - Began awkwardly then crowded. When questioned regarding performance rider could offer no excuse.

FAR SITE (S Macnab) – Slow to begin.

YOSSARIAN (T Thornton) - Slow to begin.

PEP TORQUE (R Bishop) - Crowded soon after leaving the barrier.

CUTTING UP ROUGH (A Goindasamy) - Raced keenly in the early stages.

FATHER LENIHAN (T Taiaroa) - Inconvenienced 100 metres when briefly crowded by DEERFIELD (S O'Malley), which shifted in under pressure. Rider S O'Malley was advised to exercise care when in a similar circumstance.

DEERFIELD (S O'Malley) – When questioned regarding performance rider S O'Malley advised the gelding may be feeling the effects of recent racing.

Race 6 MCDONALDS PALMERSTON NORTH 1600 (1600 Metres

POWER 'N' PASSION (S Wynne) - Slow to begin.

ZAC BROWN (T Taiaroa) - Restrained from a wide barrier.

RUKITA (H Schofer) – Restrained from a wide barrier. When required regarding the performance H Schofer advised the mare was unsuited to the Slow 7 and was outpaced throughout.

REAL SLIM TRADIE (R Bishop) – Restrained away from heels 1500 metres then continued to over-race, going off stride soon after going past the 1400 metres. Briefly steadied passing the 300 metres when awkwardly placed on heels and shifted out. Lost the off hind plate during the running.

W Pinn (REGAL REWARD) - Reminded of his obligation concerning whip use.

Race 7 LAWNMASTER EULOGY STAKES (Group III)

KEY (L Allpress) – Underwent and passed a pre-race veterinary examination after rearing over behind the barriers.

LA QUERIDA (T Taiaroa) – Slow to begin.

KEY (L Allpress) – Began awkwardly then crowded, losing ground. Held up approaching the 400 metres before shifting out near the 350 metres to obtain clear running.

WHITE LIGHTNING (T Thornton) - Very slow to begin (5L). Trainer F Auret was advised that a warning would be placed against the filly's barrier manners after beginning poorly. Raced ungenerously when being steadied in the early to middle stages. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination could find no obvious abnormality. Trainer F Auret advised the filly is now likely to be spelled.

LLANACORD (L Hemi) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

WHIMSICAL (J Parkes) – Ducked in abruptly shortly after leaving the barriers, despite the rider's efforts.

SIGNORA NERA (H Schofer) - Held up approaching the final straight.

CHIKIRA LASS (A Goindasamy) - Held up early in the final straight before shifting out to obtain clear running.

SHEZZACATCH (C Grylls) - Raced ungenerously when being steadied in the early and middle stages. When questioned rider C Grylls advised that SHEZZACATCH had over-raced in the early and middle stages, which had been detrimental to its chances. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which could find no obvious abnormality.

Race 8 NAYLOR LAWRENCE & ASSOCIATES 1500 (1500 Metres

COOGA MOON (F Lazet) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

ROCK ISLAND LINE (W Pinn) - Began awkwardly.

IF YOU DANCE (S Wynne) – Restrained shortly after the start then raced keenly in the early to middle stages. Had difficulty obtaining clear running early in the final straight.

CRUZ RAMIREZ (L Allpress) - When questioned regarding performance rider L Allpress could offer no excuses. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed a slow recovery.

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