

# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

## MEETING DETAILS:

<b>Club:</b>	Kumara Racing Club	<b>Date:</b>	Saturday 9 January 2021
<b>Weather:</b>	Overcast		
<b>Track:</b>	Dead(6)		
<b>Rail:</b>	True		
<b>Stewards:</b>	J Oatham (Chairman), M Davidson, D Wadley		
<b>Vet:</b>	J Shorten		
<b>Typist:</b>	A Keenan		

## SUMMARY:

<b>Swabbing:</b>			SOOO DUSTY, KOPUA, MEARA MARY, BONJOUR, BATTLINAWAY, MAMMA SANS, OVERTHERIVER, RICKY BAKER, CANNOLI
<b>Suspensions:</b>	Race	4	<b>R Mudhoo</b> (OPHELIA ROSE) Careless Riding 150 Metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 10-21/1 incl, 5 days & fined as below
		9	<b>K Chowdhoory</b> (CANNOLI) Careless Riding 150 Metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 10-21/1 incl, 5 days & fined as below
<b>Protests:</b>	Race	9	<b>MCGOWAN</b> (2 <sup>nd</sup> ) v <b>CANNOLI</b> (1 <sup>st</sup> ) - Dismissed
<b>Fines:</b>	Race	4	<b>R Mudhoo</b> (OPHELIA ROSE) Careless Riding 150 Metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] \$500
	Race	9	<b>K Chowdhoory</b> (CANNOLI) Careless Riding 150 Metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] \$750
<b>Warnings:</b>	Race	6	<b>OCEANS AWAY</b> - barrier manners
<b>Horse Actions:</b>	Race	9	<b>NYMPHADORA TONKS</b> - must barrier trial
<b>Follow Up:</b>			Nil
<b>Medical Certificates:</b>			Nil
<b>Rider Changes:</b>			Nil
<b>Late Scratchings:</b>	Race	6	<b>OCEANS AWAY</b> at 3.23pm on veterinary advice at the start

## GENERAL:

During the course of the meeting several riders expressed some concern with the footing in an area of the track near the 700 metres. An inspection of this area found that a small portion of the track was cutting out badly with some large divots being displaced. The club undertook to monitor this area and repair as necessary during the day.

## RACE COMMENTS:

<b>Race 1</b>	<b>NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES MAIDEN RACE 1150m</b>
<b>SOOO DUSTY</b> (K Asano) - Slow to begin.	
<b>CUSACK</b> (D Bothamley) - Contacted leaving the barriers.	
<b>DIORADELLE</b> (B Murray) - Raced three wide without cover in the early stages.	

**SCALA SANCTA** (G Jogoo) - Steadied when awkwardly placed near the heels of IZZY HOUDINI near the 1000 metres and was inclined to over-race again having to be steadied when improving onto heels near the 850 metres.

**DICELAND** (R Mudhoo) - Made the bend near the 800 metres awkwardly and when being corrected by its rider shifted in contacting the rail, going off stride and unbalancing the rider briefly. Ducked outwards near the 700 metres crowding IZZY HOUDINI. The rider reported that the filly had raced greenly throughout.

**CUSACK** (D Bothamley) - Had to be steadied near the 800 metres when DICELAND went off stride.

**IZZY HOUDINI** (L Callaway) - Checked when crowded near the 700 metres.

**EULOGY SHOW** (K Mudhoo) - Lay out under pressure in the final straight.

<b>Race 2</b>	<b>TEEN FAMILY MEMORIAL MAIDEN 1150m</b>
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**KOPUA** (S O'Malley) - Slow to begin.

**KIWI TO THE BONE** (T Moseley) - Slow to begin.

**KAPALKA** (K Chowdhoo) - Held up passing the 75 metres when reluctant to improve into a marginal run between WHIPPERSNAPPER and SOVIET WONDER.

**SOVIET WONDER** (R Mudhoo) - Raced three wide without cover for the majority of the event.

<b>Race 3</b>	<b>WESTLAND RACING CLUB 1150m</b>
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**RIVERFALLS** (B Murray) - Slow to begin.

**KING COUGAR** (S O'Malley) - Blundered at the start. Raced three wide without cover throughout.

**ZELENSKI** (T Moseley) - Shifted outwards at the start, crowding outside runner. Over-raced in the middle stages, making the bend near the 700 metres awkwardly.

**KATE THE GREAT** (S Toolooa) - Crowded at the start losing ground. Held up behind the weakening EMPIRE OF PATCH rounding the final turn.

**EMPIRE OF PATCH** (K Mudhoo) - Over-raced in the early to middle stages. Dropped out over the final 150 metres finishing a distant last. Trainer J Burrows indicated that EMPIRE OF PATCH would now be retired.

<b>Race 4</b>	<b>GREYMOUTH STAR/RECREATION HOTEL 1150m</b>
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**OUR PROM KING** (T Moseley) - Lay out after leaving the barriers forcing SELFIE outwards crowding HEARTOHEART which was steadied losing ground.

**SELFIE** (K Asano) - Forced outwards shortly after the start.

**EXPRESSIVE** (S O'Malley) - Jumped away awkwardly, losing ground. When finishing on was crowded passing the 150 metres having to be checked, then clipping a heel of OPHELIA ROSE and blundering badly.

**HEARTOHEART** (K Chowdhoo) - Had to be steadied when crowded shortly after the start, losing ground. Held up for a distance passing the 200 metres.

**ROC MUSIC** (L Callaway) - Held up rounding the final bend, gaining clear racing room passing the 225 metres. Contacted passing the 150 metres and bumped outwards then having to be checked to avoid the heels of LOVEBUG.

**OPHELIA ROSE** (R Mudhoo) - Raced wide without cover.

**R Mudhoo** admitted a charge of Careless Riding in that he allowed his mount **OPHELIA ROSE** to shift outwards when not sufficiently clear into the line of **EXPRESSIVE**, which clipped a heel and blundered near the 125 metres. In this incident **EXPRESSIVE** made contact with **ROC MUSIC** which was bumped outwards becoming awkwardly placed and having to be checked to avoid the heels of **LOVEBUG**. After viewing films and hearing submissions **R Mudhoo** was suspended from the conclusion of racing on Saturday, 9<sup>th</sup> January 2021 until the conclusion of racing on Thursday, 21<sup>st</sup> January 2021, 5 national riding days and in addition imposed a fine of \$500.00.

<b>Race 5</b>	<b>BIRCHFIELD COAL MINES MAIDEN 1810m</b>
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**HAY THERE** (A Balloo) - Slow to begin. Attempted to improve wide from the 800 metres but was under pressure passing the 400 metres and gave ground finishing in a distant last placing.

**THE EMPORESS** (K Chowdhoo) - Slow to begin. Clipped a heel and blundered shortly after the start.

**RIPEMGINI** (L Callaway) - Raced three wide without cover for the majority of the event.

**TORMUND** (S O'Malley) - Was taken back from a wide draw to obtain cover. When questioned regarding performance the rider advised that after going back from a wide draw, when he had attempted to improve into the race, he had constantly been forced wider but was still of the opinion that the gelding had been disappointing.

**NIFTY** (G Jogoo) - Was taken back from a wide draw to obtain cover.

<b>Race 6</b>	<b>ALEX HAYWARD/NOEL WAFER POW MEMORIAL 1810m</b>
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**OCEANS AWAY** (D Bothamley) - Was a late scratching on veterinary advice after kicking out a number of times in the barriers requiring veterinary attention post-race. The connections were advised that the gelding was under a barriers manner warning.

**SHADOW KING** (S O'Malley) - Slow to begin. Held up rounding the final turn, then having to be steadied when improving onto the heels of the weakening **HUNUA HANK** near the 200 metres.

**ARE YOU CEREAL** (K Mudhoo) - Began awkwardly shifting inwards making contact with **THE BUFFER**.

**THE BUFFER** (L Callaway) - Contacted start, was inclined to over-race three wide throughout without cover. Rider dropped the whip passing the 175 metres.

**WAY ABOVE** (T Comignaghi) - Held up approaching the 400 metres then shifting wide on the track to improve.

**LEITRIM LAD** (T Moseley) - Held up behind the weakening **HUNUA HANK** rounding the final turn and did not obtain clear running until near the 100 metres.

<b>Race 7</b>	<b>VERNON &amp; VAZEY TRUCK PARTS KUMARA GOLD NUGGETS 1810m</b>
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**FRANKIE THE FOX** (R Mudhoo) - Slow to begin.

**HURRY CANE** (T Moseley) - Slow to begin.

**STORMY HABIT** (K Mudhoo) - Raced three wide without cover throughout and was under pressure passing the 600 metres. Crowded when weakening near the 400 metres when **GOODANYA** (K Chowdhoo) shifted outwards. K Chowdhoo was advised to exercise care.

<b>BLUEY'S CHANCE</b> (A Balloo) - Held up for a distance behind the weakening STORMY HABIT passing the 500 metres.	
<b>Race 8</b>	<b>HYNDS PIPE SYSTEMS/BETTY WADLEY MEMORIAL 1810m</b>
<p><b>RICKY BAKER</b> (S O'Malley) - Slow to begin.</p> <p><b>BIG WINK</b> (D Bothamley) - Slow to begin.</p> <p><b>LADY VERAWOOD</b> (K Chowdhoory) - Began awkwardly. Became awkwardly placed on the heels of the runner in front having to be steadied for a distance passing the 1500 metres. Over-raced for a distance passing the 1400 metres having to be steadied.</p> <p><b>GARMENT</b> (S Toolooa) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.</p> <p><b>PONDERING</b> (T Comignaghi) - Raced wide throughout.</p>	
<b>Race 9</b>	<b>SPEIGHT'S/SUPER LIQUOR 1810m</b>
<p><b>SHOW PARK</b> (T Jonker) - Slow to begin (4L).</p> <p><b>PICKUP</b> (A Balloo) - Slow to begin.</p> <p><b>NYMPHADORA TONKS</b> (K Asano) - Bucked shortly after the start losing considerable ground. Trainer A Carston was advised the mare must barrier trial to the satisfaction of a Stipendiary Steward prior to racing next with Mr Carston advising that the mare was now likely to be spelled.</p> <p><b>WELL CHOSEN</b> (R Mudhoo) - Over-raced in the early to middle stages. Steadied when placed in restricted room near the 450 metres.</p> <p><b>CANNOLI</b> (K Chowdhoory) - Shifted out under pressure early in the run home and made contact with MCGOWAN (B Murray) on two occasions prior to the 100 metres.</p> <p><b>MCGOWAN</b> (B Murray) - Contacted on two occasions and forced over extra ground between the 200 metres and the 100 metres.</p> <p>Following the running of this race the connections of the 2<sup>nd</sup> placed <b>MCGOWAN</b> lodged an objection against the 1<sup>st</sup> placed <b>CANNOLI</b>. After viewing films and hearing submissions the Judicial Committee dismissed the protest.</p> <p><b>K Chowdhoory</b> admitted a charge of Careless Riding in that he allowed his mount CANNOLI to shift outwards making contact with MCGOWAN. After viewing films and hearing submissions K Chowdhoory was suspended from the conclusion of racing on Saturday, 9<sup>th</sup> January 2021 until the conclusion of racing on Thursday, 21<sup>st</sup> January 2021, 5 national riding days and in addition imposed a fine of \$750.00.</p>	

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