STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Wellington Racing Club Date: Saturday, 23 Januar
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Weather: Overcast Track: Dead (4) Rail: True

Stewards: N Goodwin (Chairman), B Jones, K Coppins, B Bateup

Vet: E Simpson BVSc Typist: S Shirriffs

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: IRISH ODDS; ACE ROYALE; VICTOREM; SURPRIZE ME; MALO BIK; CRUZ RAMIREZ; THAT'S

INCRANIBULL; TORQUE TIME; TAVATTACK.

Suspensions: Race 1 T Taiaroa RETZENA

Careless Riding [Rule 638(1)(d)] - Suspended 24-30/1 incl. (4 days) and fine

as below

Protests: Nil

Fines: Race T Taiaroa RETZENA

Careless Riding [Rule 638(1)(d)] - \$250 and suspension as above

Warnings: Race 2 J Fawcett ACE ROYALE

[Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] - Whip use prior to 100 metres.

7 **H Schofer** THAT'S INCRANIBULL

[Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] - Whip use prior to 100 metres.

8 S O'Malley TORQUE TIME

638(3)(b)(i) - Whip use in the home straight

8 J Kamaruddin RUKITA

[Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] - Whip use prior to 100 metres.

Horse Actions: Race 3 GAELIC SPIRIT - Veterinary clearance required

8 **BEAR GRYLS** - Barrier manners

Follow Up: Nil

Medical Certificates:

Rider Changes: Nil

Late Scratchings: Race 6 COOGA MOON @ 2.37pm on veterinary advice

8 **BEAR GRYLS** @ 4.09pm

GENERAL:		
SUPPLEMENTARY:		

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	INVERCARGILL WORKINGMEN'S CLUB 1200 (1200 Metres)			

CASTLE ON THE HILL (J Fawcett) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Inclined to race greenly under pressure in the home straight.

GEE STRING (K Hercock) - Raced keenly in the early and middle stages. Crowded and checked approaching the 200 metres.

FLICKERING SHADOW (R Elliot) - Dictated outwards at the junction on to the course proper when RETZENA shifted out

T Taiaroa (RETZENA) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that she permitted her mount to shift in when not sufficiently clear of GEE STRING which was crowded and checked near the 200 metres. After hearing submissions the Judicial Committee suspended Miss Taiaroa's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing today, 23 January up to and including racing on Saturday, 30 January (4 days) and a fine of \$250.

WINKLE BAY (M Hudson) - Raced greenly under pressure in the home straight and was reluctant to improve outside runners near the 350 metres and abruptly shifted in and away from CASTLE ON THE HILL. A post-race veterinary examination was clear.

IRISH ODDS (H Schofer) - Held up early in the home straight having to be angled outwards near the 300 metres to improve.

C Dell (DROP THE BEAT) - Spoken to regarding his whip use prior to the 100 metres.

B Ansell (TENNESSEE ROSE) - Spoken to regarding her whip use prior to the 100 metres.

Race 2 TAUPO COSMOPOLITAN CLUB 1200 (1200 Metres)

LINCOLN HILLS (S O'Malley) - Slow to begin.

GO JAMES (S Macnab) - Raced keenly in the middle stages.

GOLDEN HARVEST (L Hemi) - Steadied shortly after the start when GET HITCHED (R Elliot) crossed to the rail. After questioning riders R Elliot was advised to exercise greater care when shifting ground. L Hemi advised that GOLDEN HARVEST was marginally clear but had over-reacted when the pace ahead eased.

Race 3 ASHBURTON CLUB & MSA 1600 (1600 Metres)

GAELIC SPIRIT (R Elliot) - Began awkwardly. Rider reported that the filly had felt indifferent in its action. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the filly to be mildly lame in the left foreleg. Connections were advised that GAELIC SPIRIT requires a veterinary clearance prior to racing next.

KUSUDA (J Fawcett) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

NUN HISSING (M Hudson) - Had to steady for some distance when in restricted room near the 600 metres.

HIT THE DIFF (M Sanson) - Held up and unable to improve for some distance near the 200 metres.

KAITLIN ROSE (K Hercock) - Held up in the home straight gaining clear running passing the 200 metres.

LLANACORD (L Hemi) - Steadied off the heels of COLYTON SKY near the 250 metres.

SONGSUNGBLU (T Allan) - Steadied passing the 200 metres when in restricted room.

Race 4 CLUBS NEW ZEALAND 1600 (1600 Metres)

WOTARIPPER (S O'Malley) - Slow to begin. Raced up on to heels passing the 1200 metres and had to be restrained for some distance.

WIND IN MY WINGS (B Ansell) - Steadied near the 1100 metres going back on to DA VINCI GIRL which was steadied.

PUTORINO (H Schofer) - Crowded shortly after the start having to be steadied. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that in her opinion the gelding would now be suited by a step up in distance.

DA VINCI GIRL (D Hirini) - Slow to begin. Steadied 1100 metres. Briefly steadied passing the 100 metres when placed in restricted room.

SPIJKER (F Lazet) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

VINCENZO LORENZO (K Hercock) - Had to steady near the end of the back straight when over-racing.

Race 5 PAPAKURA CLUB 1400 (1400 Metres)

HOUSE OF CARTIER (J Fawcett) - Slow to begin.

Race 6 TAUMARUNUI COSMOPOLITAN CLUB 1600 (1600 Metres)

COOGA MOON - Late scratching at 2.37pm on veterinary advice after suffering an injury in the tie-up stalls.

ZED EM (M Hudson) - Slow to begin. Raced keenly for a distance passing the 1200 metres.

SAVANAH BELLE (L Hemi) - Slow to begin.

JUST FABULOUS (H Schofer) - Restrained shortly after the start. Over-raced in front in the early and middle stages.

SPRINGSTEEN (J Riddell) - When questioned in to the run of SPRINGSTEEN, J Riddell advised the horse was flat-footed when they sprinted and, in his opinion, would now be suited to a longer distance.

Race 7 KAMO CLUB SUMMER CUP (2400 Metres)

PLUSHENKO (L Hemi) - Slow to begin. Forced wider passing the 450 metres.

CARPE DIEM (J Kamaruddin) - Had to be steadied when placed in restricted room leaving the straight on the first occasion.

ROYAL PATCH (S O'Malley) - Wide throughout. Forced wider passing the 450 metres.

THAT'S INCRANIBULL (H Schofer) - Shifted out passing the 450 metres to obtain clear running, forcing ROYAL PATCH and PLUSHENKO wider. H Schofer was advised to exercise care when in similar circumstances.

H Schofer (THAT'S INCRANIBULL) - Issued with a warning for her use of the whip prior to the 100 metres.

Race 8 ST JOHN'S CLUB 2100 (2100 Metres)

BEAR GRYLS (J Fawcett) - Late scratching at 4.09pm after dislodging the rider in the preliminary and galloping some distance. Rider J Fawcett was cleared by the paramedics to fulfil her remaining ride. A warning has been placed against the barrier manners of BEAR GRYLS.

The start of this race was approximately 5 minutes late starting after the riderless BEAR GRYLS proved difficult to recapture.

SATRIANI (T Allan) - Knuckled jumping away from the barrier.

SALTBUSH BILL (J Riddell) - Slow to begin.

PHELAN FOXY (R Bishop) - Slow to begin.

S O'Malley (TORQUE TIME) - Issued with a warning with regard to his use of the whip in the home straight.

RELIABLE MISS (H Schofer) - H Schofer was questioned into her ride after getting well back in the early and middle stages. In explanation H Schofer advised that her instructions were to settle behind mid-field after drawing wide. However, after settling three wide with cover behind ENCHANTING PEARL in the back straight, she had found herself further back than intended with ENCHANTING PEARL failing to take RELIABLE MISS into the race rounding the home turn. She further added that she was reluctant to improve wide around the field in the run along the back straight due the pace of the race and taking into account being three wide. H Schofer was shown footage of her ride in the presence of her employer who confirmed the riding instructions given, and the riding master. H Schofer's explanation was noted and she was advised that she is expected to exercise better judgment in future.

J Kamaruddin (RUKITA) - Issued with a warning for his whip use prior to the 100 metres.

Race 9 LEVIN COSMOPOLITAN CLUB 1400 (1400 Metres)

DAUPHINE (D Hirini) - Blundered shortly after jumping away losing ground.

MAUNA LOA (C Dell) - Crowded shortly after the start having to be steadied.

SHADY GREY (A Mudhoo) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Forced wider passing the 1000 metres.

DEDOJE (F Lazet) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Bumped with DESTINY ONE near the 1000 metres.

DESTINY ONE (B Ansell) - Bumped with DEDOJE near the 1000 metres. The saddle on DESTINY ONE slipped forward passing the 1000 metres.

LEDGOWAN (J Kamaruddin) - Commenced to over-race approaching the 1000 metres having to be firmly restrained and shifted out hampering SHADY GREY, then went back on to SHOWBOURNE, which also had to be steadied to avoid heels.

PRENDIDO (T Taiaroa) - Raced keenly for a distance when the pace steadied passing the 1000 metres.

SHOWBOURNE (L Hemi) - Improved on to heels passing the 1000 metres having to be steadied.

YOLO (R Elliot) - Held up in the early part of the home straight.

POWER 'N' PASSION (J Fawcett) - Held up until passing the 200 metres.

TAVATTACK (H Schofer) - When questioned into the improved performance A Sharrock advised the addition of blinkers was a major factor in its improved run today.