

# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



## MEETING DETAILS:

<b>Club:</b>	Otago Racing Club	<b>Date:</b>	Saturday 6 <sup>th</sup> February 2021
<b>Weather:</b>	Fine		
<b>Track:</b>	Dead 4		
<b>Rail:</b>	True		
<b>Stewards:</b>	M Davidson (Chairman), J Oatham and V Munro		
<b>Veterinarian:</b>	Dr P Gillespie, Dr Kim Becker Fifield		
<b>Typist:</b>	M O'Brien		

## GENERAL:

Pre-race blood testing was carried out at this meeting.
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## SUPPLEMENTARY:

<b>Canterbury Racing 30<sup>th</sup> January 2021 – Race 5 - BOOK A HOSPITALITY SUITE FOR AUTUMN RACING MAIDEN (1400m)</b>
Trainer J Blackadder advised stewards that after it's disappointing performance in this race <b>TORMUND</b> has been retired as a racing proposition from his stable.
Co-trainer K Hughes advised that <b>KUDOS DE SOTHYS</b> underwent further veterinary examination on return to the home stable with again no obvious abnormalities being found. He further advised the gelding would now be sent for a spell before racing again.

## SUMMARY:

<b>Swabbing:</b>	EXCHANGE, TRADITION, DESERT MAGIC, SHOWEMHOWITSDONE, THE GIFT, SCANDALOUS, MADAM DE SOIR, CITY SLICKER, AQUATTACK, BELLE FASCINO, RAY'S IN COMMAND, ROBINA JOY.
<b>Suspensions:</b>	<b>Race 4 K Williams (SOOO DUSTY)</b> [Rule 638(1)(d)] – Shifting ground 1000 metres Suspended from the conclusion of racing today 6 <sup>th</sup> February until the conclusion of racing on 17 <sup>th</sup> February (5 national days) & fined as below
<b>Protests:</b>	<b>Race Nil</b>
<b>Fines:</b>	<b>Race 4 K Williams (SOOO DUSTY)</b> [Rule 638(1)(d)] – Shifting ground 1000 metres Fined \$500
<b>Warnings:</b>	<b>Race 4 K Williams (SOOO DUSTY)</b> [Rule 638(1)(d)] – Shifting ground 1300 metres <b>7 C Campbell (COUNTESS RUBY)</b> [Rule 636(1)(d)] – Must ride his mount out to the finish <b>8 G Jogoo (KILLARNEY)</b> [Rule 638(1)(d)] – Shifting ground 1500 metres <b>9 R Cuneen (GINNY)</b> [Rule 638(1)(d)] – Shifting ground 1300 metres <b>9 C Barnes (DIRECT FLIGHT)</b> [Rule 638(1)(d)] – Shifting ground 250 metres
<b>Follow Up</b>	<b>Race 9 NON BLONDE</b>
<b>Horse Actions:</b>	<b>Race 3 PINHEAD</b> – Must trial satisfactorily prior to racing again <b>6 RIVIERA ROCK</b> – Must barrier trial satisfactorily prior to racing again
<b>Medical Certificates:</b>	Nil
<b>Rider Changes:</b>	<b>Race Nil</b>
<b>Late Scratching:</b>	<b>Race 7 BEAM ME UP SCOTTY</b> – Transport difficulties at 9.22 a.m.

## RACE COMMENTS:

<b>Race 1</b>	<b>HANNAGAN &amp; DEVEREUX – CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS MDN 1400m</b>
<p><b>MILFORD SOUND</b> (K Williams) – Slow away after being fractious in the barriers.</p> <p><b>ROYAL WINGS</b> (S Wynne) – Jumped away awkwardly losing ground.</p> <p><b>NEVETS</b> (T Moseley) – Jumped away awkwardly losing ground.</p> <p><b>BACK HUT</b> (C Johnson) – Slow away.</p> <p><b>FLOAT</b> (G Jogoo) – Over raced in the early stages.</p> <p><b>REGAL GIRL</b> (C Campbell) – Raced three wide without cover.</p> <p><b>VERDIGRIS</b> (C Barnes) – Raced wide without cover and was reported by its rider to have hung outwards throughout.</p> <p><b>BENTLEY</b> (T Comignaghi) – Lay out over the concluding stages shifting outwards.</p> <p><b>Rider T Comignaghi</b> (BENTLEY) – Was spoken to advisedly regarding use of the whip above shoulder height.</p>	
<b>Race 2</b>	<b>AMALGAMATED BUILDERS LIMITED &amp; DIAMOND SYNDICATE 1400m</b>
<p><b>FINAL SAVINGS</b> (G Jogoo) – Jumped away awkwardly losing ground. Raced ungenerously in the early to middle stages being inclined to get its head up.</p> <p><b>HAVANA HEIGHTS</b> (T Moseley) – Raced wide without cover.</p> <p><b>MONTSERRAT</b> (C Barnes) – Became awkwardly placed on heels passing the 600 metres and when being restrained shifted in abruptly with JOHNNIE REDMOND having to be steadied in consequence.</p> <p><b>JOHNNIE REDMOND</b> (B Murray) – Steadied passing the 600 metres.</p>	
<b>Race 3</b>	<b>STEVE ANDERTON MEMORIAL 1200m</b>
<p><b>TOUCHABEEL</b> (G Jogoo) – Slow away then being further inconvenienced when CABERNET jumped outwards. Held up rounding the final bend and early in the run home only gaining clear racing room passing the 225 metres.</p> <p><b>OUT OF ACES</b> (B Murray) – Jumped away awkwardly.</p> <p><b>CABERNET</b> (J Lowry) – Jumped away awkwardly getting back as a result. Had to steady and shift ground passing the 700 metres when hampered. When asked to comment on the performance of favoured runner rider advised that after beginning awkwardly got further back than intended but the mare had made ground well over the concluding stages and in his opinion would derive benefit from today's effort.</p> <p><b>FILL YA BOOTS</b> (T Moseley) – Raced wide without cover.</p> <p><b>PINHEAD</b> (C Campbell) – Lay out rounding the final bend locked on one rein and ran off on the turn for home losing its chance. The connections were advised the gelding will need to trial to the satisfaction of the Stewards prior to racing again.</p> <p><b>PLUTONIUM</b> (R Mudhoo) – Briefly placed in restricted room passing the 700 metres when LA TARDIGRADA shifted out to find clear racing room with the trailing MAGIC CONDOR and CABERNET both having to steady and shift ground outwards in consequence. Again placed in restricted room having to steady briefly to avoid heels near the 450 metres.</p> <p><b>MAGIC CONDOR</b> (T Comignaghi) – Had to steady and shift ground outwards passing the 700 metres. Briefly held up early in the run home. Reported to have lost a back racing plate as the start was affected and the other one during the running.</p>	
<b>Race 4</b>	<b>MEDIAWORKS DUNEDIN GUINEAS 1500m</b>
<p><b>WATCHMAKER</b> (T Comignaghi) – Slow away. When asked to comment on the performance today the rider advised that after getting back early in the race the gelding had been unable to make any ground and had been disappointing.</p> <p><b>GONE WITH THE WIND</b> (C Johnson) – Slow away.</p>	

**THE GIFT** (K Asano) – Blundered leaving the barriers. Crowded and placed in restricted room passing the 1300 metres. Crowded and checked passing the 1000 metres being obliged to shift out and race three wide from this point.

**K Williams** (SOOO DUSTY) – Issued with a warning for allowing her mount to shift in when not sufficiently clear of THE GIFT which was placed in restricted room and steadied passing the 1300 metres.

**STREET FIGHTIN MAN** (A Balloo) – Raced wide without cover through the early to middle stages.

**PETTY'S LEGACY** (C Barnes) – Raced ungenerously when being steadied passing the 900 metres. Was not persevered with over the concluding stages with the rider reporting the filly had raced lethargically throughout.

**SOOO DUSTY** (K Williams) – Over-raced throughout the back straight and shifted out to avoid heels passing the 1000 metres before being allowed to stride forward to compete for the lead near the 800 metres.

**K Williams** (SOOO DUSTY) – Admitted a breach of the careless riding rule in that she allowed her mount to shift in when not sufficiently clear crowding and checking THE GIFT passing the 1000 metres. After hearing evidence and viewing the films the Judicial Committee suspended Miss Williams from the conclusion of racing today 6<sup>th</sup> February until the conclusion of racing on 17<sup>th</sup> February (5 national days) and in addition imposed a fine of \$500.

**TAVILIGHT** (K Chowdhoo) – Over-raced for a distance in the back straight becoming awkwardly placed on heels and clipped the heel of THE GIFT which after being crowded and checked shifted outwards passing the 1000 metres.

**CHOUX IN** (G Jogoo) – Crowded and had to be steadied passing the 1100 metres when THE GIFT was taken in by SOOO DUSTY with the trailing SHOWEMHOWITSDONE also being steadied in consequence.

**SHOWEMHOWITSDONE** (T Moseley) – Steadied passing the 1100 metres.

<b>Race 5</b>	<b>WALLY O'HEARN 2200m</b>
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**LARIPPA** (C Barnes) – Underwent a pre-race veterinary check after receiving a small puncture wound when being reshod and was cleared to start.

**COLOUR ME RED** (L Callaway) – Crowded and lost ground leaving the barriers when runners either side shifted ground.

**LADY BYRON** (A Balloo) – Jumped away awkwardly becoming unbalanced when making contact with COLOUR ME RED.

**RINGADINGDING** (R Mudhoo) – Jumped away awkwardly becoming unbalanced when making contact with COLOUR ME RED.

**COUP DREAMWOOD** (W Papier) – Slow away.

**STOP MAKING SENSE** (D Bothamley) – Blundered leaving the barriers.

**RUBY MARIE** (G Jogoo) – Raced wide without cover until improving forward to lead near the 1600 metres with the rider reporting the mare would be better suited to tracks with more moisture.

**SHANZINO** (T Moseley) – Held up through the early and middle part of the run home and when becoming awkwardly placed on heels, clipped a heel and blundered passing the 200 metres.

<b>Race 6</b>	<b>NELLIES RESTAURANT AND BAR DUNEDIN GOLD CUP 2400m</b>
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**RIVIERA ROCK** (K Mudhoo) – Refused to leave the barriers taking no part in the race. The connections were advised the gelding is now required to barrier trial at an official trial to the satisfaction of the Stewards prior to racing again.

**NOPELE** (G Jogoo) – Slow to begin losing several lengths.

**ASATHOUGHT** (C Campbell) – Restrained in the early stages to obtain cover after jumping from the outside barrier stall.

**ZAREEBA** (K Asano) – Over-raced in the lead in the early stages and after being crossed began to over-race again shifting out passing the 1400 metres and over-raced through the back straight.

**DEE AND GEE** (T Jonker) – Raced wide in the early stages.

**BEACHED AS BRO** (T Moseley) – When asked to comment on the performance rider advised that the gelding had been flat on a good tempo and may not have backed up after racing last week.

<b>Race 7</b>	<b>AMALGAMATED BUILDERS LIMITED &amp; DIAMOND SYNDICATE 2200m</b>
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**ZAKUNDA** (K Chowdhoo) – Slow away. Steadied inwards passing the 2000 metres to avoid the heels of **COUNTESS RUBY** (C Campbell) which shifted in when not fully clear. C Campbell was advised to exercise greater care. Lay in throughout the run home and could not be ridden to full advantage.

**TOO FERLAXED** (K Asano) – Jumped away awkwardly.

**DOUGH BOY** (T Moseley) – Crowded at the start losing ground.

**VERMONT** (D Bothamley) – Placed in restricted room passing the 2000 metres when **ZAKUNDA** had to be steadied inwards to avoid the heels of **COUNTESS RUBY** who was improving forward.

**LAST LETTER** (A Balloo) – Placed in restricted room passing the 2000 metres.

**EISENHOWER** (G Jogoo) – Placed in restricted room passing the 2000 metres.

**C Campbell** (**COUNTESS RUBY**) – Issued with a warning under Rule 636(1)(d) and advised he must ensure he rides his mounts out to the line when there is sufficient room to do so.

**C Campbell** (**COUNTESS RUBY**) – Was spoken to advisedly regarding his whip use prior to the 100 metres.

<b>Race 8</b>	<b>WHITE ROBE LODGE (G3) 1600m</b>
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**POINT SCORE** (C Barnes) – Slow away. Inconvenienced near the 350 metres when **BRONTE BEACH** shifted out to obtain clear running.

**GOODANYA** (K Chowdhoo) – Crowded leaving the barriers losing ground. Lay in under pressure in the straight.

**KILOWATT** (K Williams) – Blundered on jumping away.

**BRONTE BEACH** (K Asano) – Blundered on jumping away.

**SHIRLEY MAUDE** (C Campbell) – Jumped away awkwardly making contact with **RAY'S IN COMMAND**. Raced ungenerously through the early stages getting its head up on a number of occasions. Crowded near the 1400 metres and had to steady. Over-raced through the middle stages. Held up through the middle stages of the run home.

**G Jogoo** (**KILLARNEY**) – Was issued with a warning when allowing his mount to shift in dictating **RAY'S IN COMMAND** inwards onto **SHIRLEY MAUDE** who had to be restrained for a distance.

**RAY'S IN COMMAND** (C Johnson) – Contacted by **SHIRLEY MAUDE** when leaving the barrier. Dictated in near the 1500 metres. Over-raced for a distance afterwards. Lay in early part of the run home.

**BELLE FASCINO** (S Wynne) – Held up rounding the final bend and early in the run home. When improving into a tight run was buffeted and unbalanced for a short distance when **KILLARNEY** shifted out marginally passing the 250 metres.

**HE'S GOT POWER** (R Mudhoo) – Held up in the run home only gaining clear racing room inside the final 150 metres.

**GALLANT BOY** (J Lowry) – Crowded, checked and unbalanced near the 250 metres when **RAY'S IN COMMAND** who was laying in shifted in and **BELLE FASCINO** shifted out and away from **KILLARNEY** with all three runners becoming unbalanced. After interviewing riders and reviewing replays Stewards deemed that no one rider was careless but reminded all riders of their obligations when shifting ground.

**MIDNIGHT RUNNER** (R Cuneen) – Steadied to avoid heels of **RAY'S IN COMMAND** which was laying in passing the 250

metres.	
<b>Race 9</b>	<b>JIMMY DUELL'S STAG DO 1600m</b>
<p><b>RELIABLE GLOW</b> (W Papier) – Slow away.</p> <p><b>RUNNING MAN</b> (J Lowry) – Slow away.</p> <p><b>ST ANDRE</b> (K Chowdhury) – Jumped away awkwardly losing ground. Crowded and had to be steadied near the 250 metres.</p> <p><b>C Barnes</b> (DIRECT FLIGHT) – Issued with a warning under the careless riding rule when allowing her mount to shift in passing the 250 metres resulting in ST ANDRE having to be steadied to avoid that runners heels.</p> <p><b>BLUE EYED SUSIE</b> (C Campbell) – Knuckled at the start losing ground.</p> <p><b>PONIARD</b> (C Johnson) – Hampered leaving the barriers when contacted by GARY. Three wide without cover throughout and was inclined to over-race in the early and middle stages.</p> <p><b>ROBINA JOY</b> (K Williams) – Had to be steadied when GINNY shifted inwards near the 1300 metres.</p> <p><b>R Cuneen</b> (GINNY) – Issued with a warning after permitting his mount GINNY to shift in when not fully clear of ROBINA JOY near the 1300 metres.</p> <p><b>DIRECT FLIGHT</b> (C Barnes) – Held up rounding the final bend and early in the run home having to shift ground inwards near the 250 metres.</p> <p><b>NON BLONDE</b> (T Comignaghi) – When asked to comment on the performance today rider reported that the mare had felt indifferent in its action over the concluding stages with a veterinary inspection revealing no obvious abnormalities. Stewards will follow up with the connections in the coming days.</p>	

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