

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Southland Racing Club	Date:	Thursday 11 th February 2021
Weather:	Showery		
Track:	Dead 6, Slow 8 prior to Race 1, Heavy 10 following Race 3.		
Rail:	Out 3 metres		
Stewards:	M Davidson (Chairman), J Oatham, R Haley and V Munro		
Veterinarian:	Dr A Wezenbeek		
Typist:	B Gutsell		

GENERAL:

Nil

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Gore Racing Club Saturday 23rd January 2021 – Race 6 DB/MLT Gore Cup 1800M Trainer J Dalton advised Stewards that post this race PICTURE ME ROLLIN has been treated for a foot infection and has recovered well from this and will carry on in her current campaign.
Otago Racing Club Saturday 6th February 2021 – Race 9 Jimmy Duell's Stag Do R65 1600M Trainer S McKay advised that NON BLONDE had recovered well from its disappointing performance in this race and would carry on in its current campaign. She further added she believed the mare to have been feeling the firmer nature of the track at Wingatui and her upcoming racing will be restricted to tracks with more moisture in them

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	KING COUGAR, THE SELECTION, SUTHERLAND, RITANI, HEY SOUL SISTER, TAPDOG, MAIDINTHEMIST, SHE'S GOT THE LOOK.
Suspensions:	Race 2 D Bothamley (SOVIET WONDER) [Rule 638(1)(d)] – Careless riding 1100 metres – Suspended 21st February until 26 th February inclusive (3 national days) and fined as below. Race 2 C Campbell (SALISBURY) [Rule 638(1)(d)] – Careless riding 1000 metres – Suspended 21st February until 5 th March inclusive (6 national days) and fined as below. Race 7 M Gestain (MAIDINTHEMIST) [Rule 638(1)(d)] – Careless riding 50 metres – Suspended 14th February until 21st February inclusive (4 national days) and fined as below.
Protests:	Race Nil
Fines:	Race 2 D Bothamley (SOVIET WONDER) [Rule 638(1)(d)] – Careless riding 1100 metres - Fined \$250. Race 2 C Campbell (SALISBURY) [Rule 638(1)(d)] – Careless riding 1000 metres - Fined \$300. Race 7 M Gestain (MAIDINTHEMIST) [Rule 638(1)(d)] – Careless riding 50 metres - Fined \$200.
Warnings:	Race 7 G Gibson (RUBY ROYALE) [Rule 616(3)] – Presented runner in Blinds and not notified Side Winkers.
Follow Up	Race Nil
Horse Actions:	Race 7 MIANNA – Must Barrier trial.
Medical Certificates:	Nil
Rider Changes:	Race 3 BENNY LINCOLN – R Beeharry replaced D Bothamley (Misunderstanding)
Late Scratching:	Race 3 LUGANO'S ACE – track downgrade at 1.54pm Race 4 MUSTARD – track downgrade at 1.54pm Race 4 ZABAY – track downgrade at 2.21pm

Race	7	ONTHEBACKFOOT – track downgrade at 2.16pm
Race	7	JACKSANTENS – track downgrade at 2.54pm
Race	7	KAMENNA – track downgrade at 2.54pm
Race	8	DECEPTIO VISUS – track downgrade at 1.54pm
Race	8	MILANO – track downgrade at 3.15pm

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	PHILLIPS HORSE TRANSPORT HANDICAP (1200m)
<p>OPHELIA ROSE (C Barnes) – Began awkwardly.</p> <p>KATE THE GREAT (B Murray) – Began awkwardly losing ground.</p> <p>NEVER QUITZ (C Johnson) – Inconvenienced leaving the barrier when OPHELIA ROSE jumped outwards. Raced wide without cover through the early stages.</p> <p>KITTY POWER (S Khetoo) – Knuckled as the start was effected with the rider briefly unbalanced. Raced wide without cover from the 900 metres. When asked to comment on the performance of the mare rider could offer no tangible explanation.</p> <p>WAIMATE BILL (S Toolooa) – Held up rounding the final bend and again over the concluding stages.</p> <p>KING COUGAR (R Mudhoo) – Lay inwards in the run home.</p>	
Race 2	MCKNIGHT & BROWN MAIDEN (1200m)
<p>HARVEY DARVEY (J Lowry) – Began awkwardly.</p> <p>SOVIET WONDER (D Bothamley) – Knuckled leaving the barriers. Crowded, checked and buffeted near the 1000 metres becoming unbalanced for a short distance and was then obliged to race wide for a distance thereafter.</p> <p>DARCI VINO (K Kwo) – Crowded and checked passing the 1100 metres. Held up by a tiring runner passing the 150 metres having to steady and change ground.</p> <p>D Bothamley (SOVIET WONDER) admitted a breach of the Careless Riding Rule in that he allowed his mount to shift inwards dictating LILY OF THE VALLEY in on to DARCI VINO which was crowded and checked near the 1100 metres. After viewing replays and hearing penalty submissions the Judicial Committee imposed a suspension of Mr Bothamley's riding licence from the 21st February up to and including the 26th February (3 national days) and a fine of \$250.</p> <p>MI JADORE (L Callaway) – Steadied passing the 1100 metres to avoid the heels of DARCI VINO which was being steadied. Again had to steady passing the 900 metres when making the bend awkwardly.</p> <p>SLINKY LINKY (T Jonker) – Crowded and dictated inwards near the 1000 metres.</p> <p>C Campbell (SALISBURY) admitted a breach of the Careless Riding Rule when allowing his mount to shift in dictating SLINKY LINKY inwards on to SOVIET WONDER which was crowded and checked near the 1000 metres with LILY OF THE VALLEY, UP MY SLEEVE and ROSY CLARK all crowded and buffeted for a distance. After viewing replays and hearing penalty submissions the Judicial Committee imposed a suspension of Mr Campbell's licence to ride from the 21st February up to and including the 5th March (6 national days) and a fine of \$300.</p> <p>UP MY SLEEVE (C Johnson) – Crowded and buffeted near the 1000 metres.</p> <p>LILY OF THE VALLEY (M Gestain) – Crowded, buffeted and checked near the 1000 metres, becoming unbalanced for a short distance.</p> <p>ROSY CLARK (C Barnes) – Crowded, buffeted and unbalanced near the 1000 metres.</p>	
Race 3	EASTERN SUBURBS TAVERN MAIDEN (1600m)

TAVY ROAD (G Jogoo) – Got back shortly after the start.

PETE THE DRIVER (K Kwo) – Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.

POPPA (J Lowry) – Lay inwards throughout the run home having to be straightened on a number of occasions.

Following the running of this race the official track conditions were downgraded to Heavy 10.

Race 4 | **ASCOT SPORTS BAR HANDICAP (1600m)**

RED MAJOR (K Mudhoo) – Slow to begin.

RITANI (T Moseley) – Contacted near the 1100 metres when **THE MOLE** (C Barnes) was attempting to shift inwards to obtain cover. **C Barnes** was advised to exercise greater care.

Race 5 | **ILT CENTREPOINT & SOUTHCITY LIQUORLAND MAIDEN (2200m)**

DRAGON GLASS (R Beeharry) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

HATITIMATANGI (L Callaway) – Began awkwardly making contact with **IT'S GUCCI**.

IT'S GUCCI (R Mudhoo) – Began awkwardly making contact with **HATITIMATANGI**.

AJAY LINCOLN (S Toolooa) – Got back shortly after the start. Got its head up and raced ungenerously when negotiating the first bend near the 1800 metres.

HEY SOUL SISTER (C Johnson) – Raced wide without cover in the early stages before improving forward to the lead near the 1400 metres.

TOP GUY (D Bothamley) – Held up rounding the final bend.

RAISE YA CARDS (C Campbell) – Crowded and had to steady near the 200 metres when **IT'S GUCCI** (R Mudhoo) which was laying in, shifted in. R Mudhoo was advised to exercise greater care and straighten his mounts sooner than he did on this occasion.

SABOTEUR (B Murray) – Gave ground over the concluding stages, finishing well back. Trainer M Forde advised the gelding would now be retired as a racing proposition from his stable.

BORN TO BE BAD (T Jonker) – Lost the near hind shoe during the running.

Race 6 | **ILT FOUNDATION HANDICAP (2200m)**

HE AIN'T HEAVY (L Callaway) – Slow to begin.

SPIDER LILY (G Jogoo) - Raced wide in the early stages before improving to the lead near the 1600 metres.

T Moseley (TAPDOG) was spoken to advisedly regarding his whip use on a runner that is clearly winning.

Following the running of this race Stewards met with a delegation of senior riders after concerns had been raised regarding visibility during the race due to the inclement weather. All riders agreed to continue with the meeting and monitor conditions race by race.

Race 7 | **NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE (1400m)**

IZZY HOUDINI (R Beeharry) – Began awkwardly. Dictated inwards concluding stages.

MIANNA (T Jonker) – Commenced to buck shortly after the start dislodging its rider. Miss Jonker was examined by the St John Ambulance Paramedics and cleared to fulfil her remaining riding engagement today. Connections were advised this filly would be required to barrier trial to the Stewards satisfaction prior to racing next.

RUBY ROYALE (K Kwo) – Trainer G Gibson was issued with a warning when presenting this mare in Blinds and not the

notified Side Winkers. The omitted Side Winkers were fitted around at the barriers resulting in a slight delay to the start. Over-raced in the early stages and was briefly placed in restricted room near the 1200 metres when IZZY HOUDINI shifted in before being straightened by its rider. The left Side Winker became detached near the 1000 metres. Crowded and checked near the 50 metres.

M Gestain (MAIDINTHEMIST) admitted a breach of the Careless Riding Rule when allowing her mount to shift in dictating IZZY HOUDINI inwards on to RUBY ROYALE which was checked passing the 50 metres. After viewing replays and hearing penalty submissions the Judicial Committee imposed a suspension of Miss Gestain's licence to ride from the 14th February up to and including the 21st February (4 national days) and a fine of \$200.

CHEYENNE DREAMS (T Moseley) – Held up rounding the final bend, having to shift ground inwards to find clear racing room passing the 250 metres.

Race 8	SEE YOU AT GOLD CUP DAY FEBRUARY 20 (1400m)
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SHE'S GOT THE LOOK (G Jogoo) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

GELIBOLU (J Lowry) – Crowded at the start losing some ground.

SHOW PARK (R Mudhoo) – Slow to begin. Had some difficulty obtaining clear running early in the run home.

IMAKEEPA (C Johnson) – Raced wide throughout.

MIRADELLO (K Kwo) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

SHAM ON TOAST (T Moseley) – When asked to comment on the performance rider advised the gelding had not been entirely comfortable with today's track conditions.

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