



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Ashburton Racing Club
Date: Tuesday, 21 December 2021
Weather: Fine
Track: Dead 4
Rail: Out 2 metres
Stewards: J Oatham (Chair), N McIntyre, D Wadley
Vet: A Corser BVSc
Typist: C McMullan

SUMMARY

Suspensions: Race 3 **B May** SHOW US PLENTY
Careless riding 1100 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 29/12-5/1, 6 days
4 **D Montes de Oca** SULU SEA
Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] Suspended 31/12-5/1, 5 days & fined as below

Fines: Race 3 **A Balloo** TADITA
Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$250
4 **D Montes de Oca** SULU SEA
Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$150 & suspended as above

Warnings: Race 3 **A Balloo** TADITA
Shifting ground 900 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
3 **D Montes de Oca** ROUSSANNE
Shifting ground 1000 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
8 **T Moseley** THE BUFFER
Whip use arm above shoulder [Rule 638(3)(f)(ii)]

Protests: Nil
Request for Ruling: Nil

Horse Actions: Race 2 **JUSTABEAUTY**
Required to barrier trial
3 **SPORT MODE**
Barrier manners warning
6 **SACRED CAGA**
Bled, 2nd occasion, ineligible to race in New Zealand

Follow Up: Nil

Rider Changes: Race 9 **AMAZON GODDESS**
T Jonker replaced A Balloo (injured)

Late Scratchings: Race 2 **JUSTABEAUTY**
12.49pm Veterinary advice (at barrier)
9 **SWEET FIELDS**
3.05pm Veterinary advice

Medical Certificates: Required from A Balloo

Swabbing: SECOND THOUGHT, LADY CORA, JUST MAYBE, VOLVIK, KRISTOFFERSON, SACRED CAGA, OUR ECHO, MADAM SEQUOIA, O'JUDE

GENERAL

Nothing to report

RACE COMMENTS	
Race 1	HINDS RIDGE FARMING MAIDEN 1400m
<p>BELASARD (C Johnson) - Slow to begin. Held up throughout the run home going to the line without being tested by its rider.</p> <p>STAN WITH ME (J Lowry) - Began awkwardly. Had some difficulty obtaining clear running until inside the final 200 metres.</p> <p>SERAPHIC (D Bothamley) - Raced wide in the early stages.</p> <p>PRINCESS NALA (T Comignaghi) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.</p> <p>VERRY HOPEFULL (B May) - Had to be steadied near the 200 metres when placed in restricted room then being held up for the remainder of the race.</p> <p>THE ARCTIC BLAST (A Balloo) - Held up for a distance near the 200 metres.</p> <p>DUSHKU (J Laking) - Had difficulty obtaining clear running until near the 200 metres.</p> <p>DRUMISLE (S Toolooa) - Held up passing the 200 metres and was unable to obtain clear running for the remainder of the race.</p>	
Race 2	NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE 1200m
<p>JUSTABEAUTY (B Murray) - Late scratched at 12.49 pm after becoming fractious in the barriers. Connections were advised that JUSTABEAUTY must barrier trial prior to racing next. Rider B Murray was attended to by ambulance personnel and found to be uninjured.</p> <p>SANTIAGO MISS (K Mudhoo) - Began awkwardly. Rider reported that the mare had raced very greenly in its race day debut.</p> <p>SHORT STUFF (T Moseley) - Slow to begin.</p> <p>ZACAT (C Johnson) - Crowded on jumping.</p> <p>PONY EXPRESS (S Muniandy) - Jumped away awkwardly crowding ZACAT. Steadied off heels near the 450 metres.</p> <p>AREYOUOKAY (B May) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.</p> <p>BABY CHEESES (J Lowry) - Lay inwards throughout.</p> <p>TRELISE (J Laking) - Dropped out in the straight to finish a distant last. A post-race veterinary inspection did not reveal any obvious abnormality.</p> <p>LIPA MALA (K Williams) - Lay in under pressure in the straight.</p>	
Race 3	MERRY XMAS NORM MAIDEN 1200m
<p>CRAVING (R Mudhoo) - Fractious in the barriers prior to the start.</p>	

SPORT MODE (C Johnson) - Delayed the start when reluctant to load. A warning was placed on SPORT MODE's barrier manners. Dropped out to finish a distant last, with the rider reporting that the gelding had raced very greenly on debut.

BOOT IT SCOOTER (R Cuneen) - Slow to begin.

BORNHOLM (B Murray) - Jumped away awkwardly then making contact with ROUSSANNE.

ROUSSANNE (D Montes de Oca) - Contacted leaving the barriers. Raced three wide without cover.

BODYGUARD (T Moseley) - Over raced in the early to middle stages getting its head up when awkwardly placed near the heels of TADITA going into the bend near the 900 metres when that runner shifted inwards.

ON MY SHOULDERS (J Lowry) - Steadied when crowded near the 1100 metres.

ATAAHUA PIPEDREAM (K Mudhoo) - Steadied when crowded near the 1100 metres.

NORTIBUTNICE (T Comignaghi) - Held up until near the 150 metres.

TADITA (A Balloo) - Ducked outwards when appearing to shy away from the running rail when leading near the 75 metres dislodging its rider. A Balloo was attended to by ambulance personnel and stood down from his remaining ride with a leg injury.

A Balloo (TADITA) - Issued with a warning after permitting TADITA to shift inwards when not fully clear of BODYGUARD which was hampered near the 900 metres.

D Montes de Oca (ROUSSANNE) - Issued with a warning after permitting his mount ROUSSANNE to shift inwards when not fully clear of SHOW US PLENTY which had to be steadied near the 1000 metres.

A Balloo (TADITA) - Admitted a charge in that he struck his mount TADITA six times prior to the 100 metre mark. After considering submissions the Adjudicator imposed a fine of \$250.

B May (SHOW US PLENTY) - Defended a charge of careless riding alleging that he permitted SHOW US PLENTY to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear of ON MY SHOULDERS and ATAAHUA PIPEDREAM which both had to be steadied passing the 1100 metres losing ground. After considering submissions the Adjudicator upheld the charge and imposed a suspension of B May's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Tuesday 28 December until the conclusion of racing on Wednesday 5 January, 6 national riding days.

Race 4	STACKHOUSE FARMING 2200m
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ARE YOU CEREAL (R Mudhoo) - Over raced in the middle stages. Lay outwards near the 300 metres.

D Montes de Oca (SULU SEA) - Admitted a charge in that he struck his mount SULU SEA six times prior to the 100 metre mark. After considering submissions the Adjudicator imposed a suspension of D Montes de Oca's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Thursday 30 December until the conclusion of racing on Wednesday 5 January, 5 national riding days, and in addition imposed a fine of \$150.

Race 5	HYGAIN MAIDEN STAYERS CHALLENGE EXTRA \$2500 2200m
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JACK (K Mudhoo) - Slow to begin.

LANCASTER PARK (K Kwo) - Raced wide in the early stages.

LA FORZA (K Williams) - Raced wide in the early stages.

FOLKTALE (R Mudhoo) - Raced wide in the middle stages.

KRISTOFFERSON (C Johnson) - Over raced in the middle stages. Held up in the straight and did not obtain clear running until passing the 150 metres.

TELLING TALES (J Lowry) - Lay in under pressure in the straight having to be corrected by its rider on a number of occasions. Shifted inwards away from LISTENLIKETHIEVES passing the 200 metres crowding KUDOS DE SOTHYS inwards onto FOLKTALE and KRISTOFFERSON near the 150 metres. Hampered as a result were GUARD OF HONOR and KENKI which both had to be steadied approaching the 100 metres. J Lowry was advised to exercise care.

GUARD OF HONOR (J Laking) - Steadied approaching the 100 metres.

KENKI (S Muniandy) - Steadied approaching the 100 metres.

RED SUNDAY (B Murray) - Trainer P Harris reported that the gelding had lost both front plates during the running also suffering a laceration to the near front foreleg.

Race 6 | **GO RACING, BUYING @ THE MAGIC MILLIONS IN 2022 2200m**

IFITHAPPENSAGAIN (T Moseley) - Jumped away awkwardly losing ground. Raced wide without cover.

GOODONYAMATE (J Lowry) - Restrained to obtain cover in the early stages after jumping from the outside barrier. Became awkwardly placed after improving inside the heels of YOUNEVERKNOW near the 1600 metres.

COLORADO MISS (K Williams) - Restrained to obtain cover in the early stages after jumping from a wide barrier.

SACRED CAGA (T Comignaghi) - Returned to the enclosure with blood present in the nasal area. Following a veterinary inspection including an endoscopic examination SACRED CAGA was confirmed to have bled. As this is the second occasion that SACRED CAGA has bled it is now ineligible for further racing in New Zealand.

Race 7 | **RICHIE MCCREA PAINTERS & DECORATORS 1300m**

MAMMA SANS (B Murray) - Slow away.

I AM A ROCK (S Toolooa) - Over raced when being restrained near the 1000 metres.

DEVIOUS (D Bothamley) - Raced fiercely outside the leader in the middle stages. Hung outwards badly in the straight and was not ridden out over the concluding stages as a consequence.

Race 8 | **AGRAFORUM GROWING INNOVATION 1400m**

EKSTREMEMISS (K Mudhoo) - Slow away.

JUST TICKETY BOO (J Laking) - Slow away. Made the bend near the 900 metres awkwardly. nHad some difficulty obtaining clear running in the straight.

PLAY THE FIELD (B May) - Lay out rounding the final turn.

MEGALOMANIAC (S Toolooa) - Lay out rounding the final turn.

MAIDINTHEMIST (R Mudhoo) - Had to steady and shift outwards across the heels of FLOAT to obtain clear running near the 250 metres.

MADAM SEQUOIA (T Jonker) - Was inclined to lay outwards in the straight.

T Moseley (THE BUFFER) - Issued with a warning after using his whip with an action which raised the rider's arm above shoulder height.

Race 9

VALE YONG CHEW 1400m

APATCHEE POWER (R Mudhoo) - Slow to begin.

AMAZON GODDESS (T Jonker) - Jumped away awkwardly coming together with VAGUE. Raced wide throughout.

VAGUE (K Mudhoo) - Jumped away awkwardly coming together with AMAZON GODDESS. Lay inwards in the straight crowding SHANGHAI EXPRESS near the 250 metres. Contacted near the 200 metres when SHANGHAI EXPRESS shifted outwards to obtain clear running having to be steadied when becoming awkwardly placed near the heels of O'JUDE.

SHANGHAI EXPRESS (D Montes de Oca) - Crowded near the 250 metres then becoming briefly unbalanced after making contact with VAGUE near the 200 metres.

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