



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Otaki-Maori Racing Club
Date: Friday, 6 May 2022
Weather: Cloudy
Track: Heavy 8
Rail: Out 4 metres
Stewards: K Coppins (Chair), N Goodwin, B Bateup
Vet: E Simpson BVSc
Typist: S Shirriffs

SUMMARY

Suspensions: Nil
Fines: Race 5 **Trainer A Davies LIVINONTHEDGE**
Scratching runner after designated time of 7.30am [Rule 534(1)] - \$200
Race 9 **D Turner PENNY ROYAL**
Failed to make weight [Rule 330(3)(c) \$200 (minor infringement)
Warnings: Nil
Protests: Nil
Request for Ruling: Nil
Horse Actions: Race 3 **LA CAPITA**
Warning – barrier manners
Follow Up: Nil
Rider Changes: Race 9 **PENNY ROYAL** – K Hercocock replaced D Turner (overweight)
Late Scratchings: Race 5 **LIVINONTHEDGE**
10.20am
Race 5 **MARTINA DIVA**
1.20pm on veterinary advice
Medical Certificates:
Swabbing: SUBTLE POINT, PLAY A PART, SOOWIN, AGE OF NATURE, ESTABLISHMENT, CROSS ROADS, ALCHEMIA, DAME VERA, FARRENC, BRUNO MAGILE.

GENERAL

Race 6 - **W Pinn** (POSH POROTENE) - An information was filed alleging a breach of Rule 638(3)(e) in that W Pinn used his whip in an excessive, unnecessary and improper manner on two occasions prior to the finish line. After an initial hearing the Adjudicator adjourned the matter, at the request of the rider, to be heard at a later date.

Race 9 - **D Turner** was fined \$200 under the minor infringement schedule after failing to make the weight on PENNY ROYAL.

SUPPLEMENTARY

Nothing to report

RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 | RIVERSTONE CAFE MAIDEN 1600

LESLEY HEIGHTS (J Parkes) - Severely hampered at the start when runners either side shifted ground. Rider reported the mare was making abnormal respiratory noises. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any abnormality.

SUBTLE POINT (J Riddell) - Began awkwardly hampering LESLEY HEIGHTS. Raced wide throughout.

TAHI TAMA (L Douglas) - Began awkwardly hampering LESLEY HEIGHTS.

THE JUNGLE KING (T Newman) - Shifted inwards near the 800 metres when being restrained and went back on to JAMESON, which was steadied losing several lengths. After questioning riders and viewing footage it was established that THE JUNGLE KING over-reacted when being steadied and went back on to JAMESON which had to be checked off that runner's heels for some distance. Also affected was GRAND PROSPECT, which was checked when improving up on to heels.

JAMESON (C Dell) - Checked near the 800 metres.

GRAND PROSPECT (F Lazet) - Checked when improving on to heels near the 800 metres. Ducked in when struck with the whip in the home straight having to be straightened.

HIKON (H Schofer) - Underwent a veterinary examination following an incident in the parade ring post-race and was treated for abrasions to its left hind leg.

Race 2 | **VETS ON RIVERBANK MAIDEN 1600**

SERENGETI (E Nicholas) - Fractious in its barrier prior to the start.

DOROTHY'S DAUGHTER (T Newman) - Began awkwardly settling at the rear.

MYSTERY BAR (R Elliot) - Over-raced for a distance shortly after the start.

WIND IN MY WINGS (M Singh) - Raced wide without cover throughout.

JILL (D Turner) - Shifted out under pressure passing the 200 metres.

Race 3 | **SPEEDY SIGNS KAPITI MAIDEN 1200**

BARRI HYDE (E Nicholas) - Restrained to the rear from its wide draw.

FIZZY MOON (M Hashizume) - Raced wide for the majority.

EXPRESS DESIRE (R Elliot) - Held up rounding the final bend and early in the home straight.

ASAHI (H Schofer) - Held up early in the home straight having to angle inwards to gain clear running near the 200 metres.

THATSMORELIKEIT (T Newman) - Lay out under pressure over the concluding stages.

LA CAPITA (K Hercock) - Trainer C Bambry was advised that a warning is placed on the barrier manners of LA CAPITA.

Race 4 | **AQUASHIELD ROOFING MAIDEN 1400**

MAROTIRI MARSTA (R Hannam) - Slow away. Over-raced through the middle stages. Briefly held up rounding the final bend.

AGE OF NATURE (J Parkes) - Slow away.

LADY TELENA (D Bradley) - Began awkwardly.

HACKSAW RIDGE (L Allpress) - Over-raced, having to be steadied near the 1200 metres.

SEDONA (T Yanagida) - Finished well back. When questioned rider advised the filly raced greenly and in his opinion would be better suited to racing over more ground.

LET LOOSE (C Dell) - Rider reported the mare had raced greenly throughout and was of the opinion the mare would be better suited to firmer footing.

Race 5 | **ABLAZE LANDSCAPING SUPPLIES MAIDEN 2200**

Trainer A Davies (LIVINONTHEDGE) admitted a charge under Rule 534(1) in that he withdrew LIVINONTHEDGE after the designated scratching time of 7.30am and was fined \$200.

MARTINA DIVA (T Taiaroa) - Underwent a veterinary inspection prior to the start and was declared a late scratching at 1.20pm on veterinary advice when found to be lame in the left hind LEG.

DIOSA LUNA (R Elliot) - Began awkwardly.

WEST COAST (C Dell) - Over-raced through the early stages.

ESTABLISHMENT (E Nicholas) Over-raced and had to be steadied near the 1400 metres.

OVERAGAIN (K Hercock) - Lay out under pressure over the concluding stages bumping with MAYONAKA.

MAYONAKA (J Parkes) - Lay in under pressure over the concluding stages, bumping with OVERAGAIN. Rider advised the gelding had commenced to hang from near the 800 metres.

Race 6 | **CAVALLO FARM & CHRIS RUTTEN BLOODSTOCK HANDICAP 2200**

POSH POROTENE (W Pinn) - Fractious prior to the start then began awkwardly unbalancing the rider and settled some distance back at the rear of the field. Hung outwards rounding the home turn and home straight and was not persevered with over the concluding stages. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

BATTLE SECRET (S O'Malley) - Began awkwardly bumping THE SEAGULL.

THE SEAGULL (D Bradley) - Bumped at the start.

TELL ME MORE (L Douglas) - Slow away.

W Pinn (POSH POROTENE) - An information was filed alleging a breach of Rule 638(3)(e) in that W Pinn used his whip in an excessive, unnecessary and improper manner on two occasions prior to the finish. After an initial hearing the Adjudicator adjourned the matter at the request of the rider to be heard at a later date.

Race 7 | **JCE CONSTRUCT HANDICAP 1200**

GURTLYN (A Mudhoo) - Began awkwardly settling at the rear.

HORLISTIC (J Mudhoo) - Over-raced through the early and middle stages.

JOY MCCOY (L Allpress) - Rider advised the gelding had hung in the home straight. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality.	
Race 8	EL CHEAPO CARS HANDICAP 1200
JAKKANO (J Mudhoo) - Restrained to the rear from its wide draw.	
HEIDI BELLE (W Pinn) - Finished towards the rear. When questioned rider advised the mare was unable to quicken in the going.	
Race 9	HARCOURTS OTAKI HANDICAP 1400
FIANO (A Mudhoo) - Reared as the start was effected.	
INVISIBLE SPIRIT (T Taiaroa) - Held up throughout the home straight, then steadied when placed in restricted room near the 200 metres.	
Race 10	THE TELE OTAKI HANDICAP 1600
KICK START (S O'Malley) - Slow away and when urged along galloped up on to the heels of PRIDE OF ASPEN then over-raced for a distance.	
PLATINUM ROAD (J Parkes) - Began awkwardly.	
ALBARON (A Mudhoo) - Began awkwardly settling towards the rear.	
SACRED PEARL (W Pinn) - Began awkwardly hampering runners to its outside. Held up inside the final 200 metres then angled inwards to improve over the concluding stages.	
PRIDE OF ASPEN (L Allpress) - Hampered at the start. Over-raced passing the 1100 metres. Had to be angled inwards to improve passing the 200 metres.	
ALL THE RAGE (B Rogerson) - Hampered at the start. Went off stride near the 200 metres and dipped.	

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