



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Riverton Racing Club
Date: Wednesday, 11 May 2022
Weather: Fine
Track: Heavy 9
Rail: Out 3 metres from 850 metres to 350 metres remainder True
Stewards: M Davidson (Chair), R Haley, V Munro, B Jones (remote)
Vet: A Wezenbeek DVM
Typist: B Gutsell

SUMMARY

Suspensions: Race 2 **S Khetoo** (SO MUCH MOUR)
Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] Suspended 16/5-21/5, 3 days & fined as below

Fines: Race 2 **S Khetoo** (SO MUCH MOUR)
Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$500

Race 5 **D Bothamley** (DORINGO)
Failed to make contracted weight [Rule 330(3)(c)] \$200 [Minor Infringement Schedule]

Warnings: Nil
Protests: Nil
Request for Ruling: Nil

Horse Actions: Race 4 **IMAGERY**
Veterinary clearance required.

Race 5 **TRIPLE HEART**
Veterinary clearance required.

Follow Up: Race 8 **OLAF**

Rider Changes: Race 5 **DORINGO**
S Muniandy replaced D Bothamley (overweight)

Late Scratchings: Nil
Medical Certificates: Nil

Swabbing: GINTYS GIRL, SO MUCH MOUR, ZENDORA, NATURAL MOMENTUM, TELEKINETIC, DIVOVSKI, PANDDE, HEIDI HI

GENERAL

Pre-race blood testing was carried out.

D Bothamley admitted a charge under Rule 330(3)(c) in that he failed to make the contracted weight for his ride on DORINGO in Race 5 and was fined \$200 under the Minor Infringement Schedule. Mr Bothamley was replaced as rider by S Muniandy.

SUPPLEMENTARY

Riccarton Park Racing 7th May 2022 – Race 7 Daphne Bannan Memorial Great Easter Stakes 1400 Metres
Stewards spoke with Rider C Campbell in regard to the riding tactics he adopted on **MONZA CIRCUITO**. Mr Campbell advised that he was aware OCEAN POINT would want to lead so when he jumped away, he took a hold of his mount

with his intention being to trail but after being ridden with vigour early OCEAN POINT's rider also took a hold and allowed other runners to improve around him which meant MONZA CIRCUITO had to settle further back than intended with the mare running on fairly when finding racing room in the final straight. Mr Campbells comments were noted.

RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 JENNY PULLEY CATERING / BLAIR RACZ FENCING MAIDEN 1600m

THE TUI TOILER (T Moseley) - Slow to begin.

JAXX BE NIMBLE (C Johnson) - Slow to begin.

GINTYS GIRL (L Callaway) - Over-raced in the early stages. Made contact with the running rail passing the 250 metres when laying inwards.

SLIPPING AWAY (R Mudhoo) - Reported by its rider to have raced greenly throughout.

Race 2 FORDE WINDERS SHEARING 1600m

WHALE SONG (K Chowdhoo) - Slow to begin. When asked to comment on the performance the rider advised when placed under pressure the gelding had failed to respond and had been disappointing.

TAPPY'S ONE (S Toolooa) - Clipped the heel of FINBARR which lay out shortly after the start, blundering and briefly unbalancing the rider, losing ground.

S Khetoo (SO MUCH MOUR) - (assisted by D Walsh) Admitted a charge in that he struck his mount SO MUCH MOUR 6 times prior to the 100 metres mark. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of his license to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on 15 May until the conclusion of racing on 21 May 2022, 3 national riding days and in addition imposed a fine of \$500.

Race 3 PANKHURST SAWMILLING / LAWSON FORESTRY CONTRACTING 1600m

ORAKA PLAYBOY (D Montes de Oca) - Slow to begin.

RINGBOLT (G Jogoo) - Hampered shortly after the start losing ground.

RITA HAYWORTH (K Mudhoo) - Restrained shortly after the start to obtain cover and got its head up when over-racing for a distance afterwards.

SYMPATHIQUE (K Williams) - Held up rounding the final turn and early in the run home.

ACQUITTAL (T Cominaghi) - When asked to comment on the performance the rider advised a combination of carrying topweight, being taken on in front and a step up in class had taken its toll on the gelding.

Race 4 MACAULAY MOTORS / DAVE HEGARTY & ROSS MALCOLM @ HARCOURTS MAIDEN 1200m

DUBLIN HUNTER (D Bothamley) - Slow to begin.

ENERGETIC (C Campbell) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Hampered passing the 800 metres.

IRON MIKE (S Wynne) - Blundered leaving the barriers. Raced three-wide without cover throughout. Shifted inwards under pressure near the 150 metres inconveniencing MOVIE STAR and having to be corrected by its rider.

TARAMEA LAD (R Mudhoo) - Shifted in at the start crowding an inside runner.

DORIS DAY (K Mudhoo) - Crowded at the start losing ground. Made the bend near the 800 metres awkwardly when shying and shifting outwards abruptly, hampering a trailing runner.

IMAGERY (L Callaway) - Retired from the race near the 800 metres when becoming very awkward in its action. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to possibly have a pulled muscle in the back with a further veterinary examination scheduled for the coming days. Connections were advised a veterinary clearance would be required prior to the gelding racing next.

MOVIE STAR (J Laking) - Inconvenienced near the 150 metres.

R Mudhoo (TARAMEA LAD) - Stewards inquired into the manner in which R Mudhoo used his whip in the home straight and could not be conclusively satisfied that he had contravened the rules.

Race 5 | **JJ LTD / JAN WISELY @ FIRST NATIONAL 1200m**

TELEKINETIC (D Montes de Oca) - Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination after kicking out at the back of the gates and was cleared to start. Shifted out at the start crowding outside runners.

FIERY RED (G Jogoo) - Fractious in its barrier prior to the start. Briefly placed in restricted room near the 250 metres. When spoken to regarding the performance of favoured runner the rider advised the mare had a nice trip throughout but when placed under pressure in the final straight had failed to respond and was disappointing.

TRIPLE HEART (T Moseley) - Began awkwardly. Finished in a distant last placing with the rider reporting the mare had not travelled well in the straight and he could offer no tangible explanation. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to have a very high heart rate. Connections were advised a Veterinary clearance would be required prior to TRIPLE HEART racing next.

SHE'S GOT THE LOOK (K Mudhoo) - Slow to begin.

LENNON (K Chowdhoory) - Crowded at the start losing some ground. Raced in restricted room for a distance passing the 900 metres having to briefly steady.

DORINGO (S Muniandy) - Raced three-wide without cover in the early stages. Shifted inwards under pressure passing the 250 metres placing FIERY RED in restricted room briefly.

SEA SHEPHERD (R Mudhoo) - Over-raced in the middle stages having to be restrained off heels passing the 600 metres.

EARL OF ORKNEY (S Wynne) - Raced wide throughout.

RADIANT ROSIE (B May) - Raced in restricted room for a distance passing the 200 metres when DORINGO shifted away from inside runners.

Race 6 | **TRENZ HOMES / BARNES OYSTERS MAIDEN 1400m**

MCMIGHT (K Rathoar) - Fractious in its barrier prior to the start. Began awkwardly.

NAVAHO JO (L Callaway) - Fractious in its barrier prior to the start. Gave ground over the concluding stages with the rider reporting the gelding had not been entirely comfortable in today's track conditions.

GABBY DIAZ (R Beeharry) - Slow to begin. Over-raced in the early stages. Had to be restrained when placed in restricted room near the 900 metres when MCMIGHT (K Rathoar) shifted inwards. K Rathoar was advised to exercise care when shifting ground.

BOB MARLIE (K Mudhoo) - Raced wide without cover throughout.

OLE MATE (S Khetoo) - Briefly raced in restricted room passing the 250 metres when MCMIGHT shifted inwards before being straightened by its rider.

DIVOVSKI (J Laking) - Hung inwards throughout the run home having to be corrected by its rider.

CANDIDATE (J Lowry) - Hung inwards throughout the run home having to be corrected with the rider swapping the whip to the left hand.

FAH LUN (S Wynne) - When asked to comment on the performance the rider advised that in her opinion the gelding is now looking for more distance in its races.

Race 7 | **DONALD WHITE HEDGE CUTTING / FORDE AUTO SERVICES 1400m**

RUBY ROYALE (T Comignaghi) - Taken back shortly after the start from a wide barrier. Had to shift ground inwards passing the 125 metres to find clear racing room.

BEESLASTSTING (J Laking) - Briefly steadied shortly after the start to avoid the heels of IMBLAZE which improved forward.

PLAY THE FIELD (C Johnson) - Raced keenly when leading through the early to middle stages.

IMBLAZE (T Mitchell) - Raced three-wide without cover throughout.

DEELS DONE (K Chowdhoo) - Lay outwards in the run home having to be straightened by its rider on several occasions.

PANDDE (S Wynne) - When asked to comment on the improved performance trainer R Bevin advised that the mare had benefitted from today's wetter track conditions.

FAME SHINES (T Moseley) - When asked to comment on the performance the rider advised that the gelding may be feeling the effects of recent racing.

Race 8 | **INSURANCE BROKERS ALLIANCE / WESTERN ELECTRICAL 2147m**

FIVE PRINCES (S Wynne) - Slow to begin.

RED SUNDAY (K Chowdhoo) - Slow to begin. When asked to comment on the performance the rider advised in his opinion the gelding had failed to back up from its previous race on Saturday.

YING RESOLUTE (S Khetoo) - Raced three-wide without cover for the majority of the race.

OLAF (C Campbell) - Not persevered with over the concluding stages with the rider reporting the gelding had felt indifferent in its action. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no obvious abnormalities. Stewards will follow up the recovery of the gelding with trainer S McKay in the coming days.

Stipendiary Stewards report as posted is provisional and subject to further review and amendment

