



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Woodville-Pahiatua Racing Club
Date: Monday, 17 October 2022
Weather: Overcast
Track: Heavy 8, Upgraded to Soft 7 retrospective to Race 1
Rail: True
Stewards: N Goodwin (Chair), K Coppins, M Hepburn, B Jones (remote)
Vet: W Schutjens DVM
Typist: S Shirriffs

SUMMARY

Suspensions: Nil
Fines: Nil
Warnings: Race 4 **Mahipal Singh MEKELLE**
Whip use [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)]
Race 5 **C Butler WINKLE BAY**
Whip use [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)]
Protests: Nil
Request for Ruling: Nil
Horse Actions: Race 3 **TIGHTEN YOUR GRIP**
Required to trial
Follow Up: Race 2 **STRIDES**
Rider Changes: Race 1 **WENEEDASHOCK** – A Mudhoo replaced J Parkes (unwell)
4 **HEIDI BELLE** – F Lazet replaced J Parkes
5 **SCRIPT** – L Sutherland replaced J Parkes
6 **UNUSUAL COUNTESS** – L Allpress replaced J Parkes
7 **FATTORE OTTO** – L Allpress replaced J Parkes
8 **UNUSUAL BITE** – T Taiaroa replaced J Parkes
Late Scratchings:
Medical Certificates: Received from F Lazet
Required by J Parkes
Swabbing: ZAPPA JAK, BOLD BELLE, TERZIERE, PRECISION SHOOTER, DENNISMAC, UNUSUAL COUNTESS, HALF OF NOTHING, RISCHIO.

GENERAL

J Parkes did not attend today's race meeting due to being unwell and is required to present a medical certificate prior to riding next.

SUPPLEMENTARY

Nothing to report

RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 | **WOODVILLE LIONS MAIDEN 2100**
WENEEDASHOCK (A Mudhoo) - Restrained to the rear from its wide draw.

MAGGIESCLAN (L Allpress) - Restrained to the rear from its wide draw. Had to be angled inwards to improve near the 100 metres then in restricted room over the final stages.

KENTUCKY BOY (D Turner) - Over-raced when being restrained to take cover passing the 1800 metres. Steadied near the 600 metres.

ORIGIN (F Lazet) - Over-raced in the early and middle stages.

KALUANUI (L Sutherland) - Raced wide without cover throughout.

Mahipal Singh (SUSIE JANE) - Shown video footage of his ride in the presence of the Apprentice Mentor after directing his mount outwards near the 600 metres when not fully clear of KENTUCKY BOY, which had to steady.

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Race 2	WPRC LIFE MEMBERS MAIDEN 1200
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KAREHANA BAY (M Hudson) - Dislodged its rider in the preliminary and galloped a short distance. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was cleared to start. M Hudson was uninjured. M Hudson was advised to exercise greater care after allowing her mount to shift out abruptly under hard riding in the home straight, hampering STRAIGHT SCOOTER near the 100 metres.

STRAIGHT SCOOTER (F Lazet) - Underwent a pre-racing veterinary examination after being kicked behind the barriers and was cleared to start. Hampered passing the 100 metres when KAREHANA BAY shifted out abruptly.

SKY CRUZA (T Taiaroa) - Slow away.

GRAEME JOHN (D Turner) - Over-raced in the early and middle stages.

STRIDES (L Allpress) - Raced wide without cover throughout. Rider reported her mount felt indifferent in its action and changed stride on more than one occasion in the home straight. Co-Trainer J Benner will monitor STRIDES over coming days and advise Stewards of any anomaly.

BOLD BELLE (K Hercock) - Lay out over the concluding stages.

Race 3	NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE MAIDEN 1200
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TIGHTEN YOUR GRIP (K Hercock) - Reared as the start was made. Raced ungenerously throughout. Contacted 400 metres. Connections were advised TIGHTEN YOUR GRIP must trial to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to racing next. Trainer F Campbell advised TIGHTEN YOUR GRIP will no longer be a racing proposition from his stable.

TIVACI PRINCESS (T Taiaroa) - Over-raced, having to be steadied passing the 700 metres. Held up rounding the final bend and early stages of the final straight having to be angled outwards near the 200 metres to gain clear racing room.

THE FAT LADY SINGS (J Mudhoo) - Steadied when improving on to heels near the 600 metres.

CHEVEAUX (F Lazet) - Lay out near the 400 metres hampering ANDIT HURTS, which was forced wider, making contact with TIGHTEN YOUR GRIP.

ANDIT HURTS (A Mudhoo) - Forced wider 400 metres.

TERZIERE (M Hudson) - Lay out over the concluding stages.

Race 4	GERALD KENNY MEMORIAL 1200
<p>MEKELLE (M Singh) - Slow away.</p> <p>PRECISION SHOOTER (K Hercock) - Slow away.</p> <p>O'SO DIVINE (M Hudson) - Over-raced early and middle stages.</p> <p>THATZ DAISY (A Mudhoo) - Made the final bend awkwardly.</p> <p>AMOSIA (L Sutherland) - Held up early in the home straight and was unable to take advantage of a gap due to HEIDI BELLE laying in.</p> <p>HEIDI BELLE (F Lazet) - Lay in having to be straightened near the 200 metres.</p> <p>Mahipal Singh (MEKELLE) - Issued with a warning after he struck his mount MEKELLE 6 times prior to the 100 metre mark.</p>	
Race 5	RACE IMAGES MAIDEN 1400
<p>ZACKERY (F Lazet) - Restrained to the rear from its wide draw.</p> <p>REBELWOOD (L Allpress) - Began awkwardly contacting FLICK THE SWITCH.</p> <p>FLICK THE SWITCH (K Hercock) - Contacted at the start.</p> <p>PACE ATTACK (T Taiaroa) - Raced wide without cover throughout. Lay inwards under pressure in the home straight.</p> <p>BELLES BIG BOY (D Turner) - Performed below market expectations. When questioned rider advised the gelding may have held its breath.</p> <p>C Butler (WINKLE BAY) - Issued with a warning after she struck her mount WINKLE BAY 6 times prior to the 100 metre mark.</p>	
Race 6	PROPERTY BROKERS 1400
<p>SUBTLE TEASE (C Dell) - Over-raced when being eased to take cover shortly after the start.</p> <p>TUI ROCKS (T Taiaroa) - Raced three wide without cover throughout. Performed below market expectations. When questioned rider advised TUI ROCKS had failed to handle today's track conditions.</p> <p>WHAEA MERI (C Butler) - Raced four wide without cover throughout. Lay inwards and unable to be ridden out fully over the concluding stages.</p> <p>NEVER FEAR (S O'Malley) - Over-raced in the early stages. Performed below market expectations. When questioned rider advised the gelding had little left at the finish after over-racing.</p>	
Race 7	BUSH OLD GIRLS NETBALL 1600
<p>HEY HEY HEY (S O'Malley) - Slow away. Raced wide without cover throughout. Lay inwards over the concluding stages.</p>	

LINCOLN LOVER (D Turner) - Weakened over the concluding stages. When questioned rider was of the opinion LINCOLN LOVER would be better suited to a more rain-affected track. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

FATTORE OTTO (L Allpress) – Failed to hit out fluently after beginning well, losing ground due to the saddle having slipped at the start placing the rider at a disadvantage for the remainder. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

Race 8

THE PRESIDENT'S MILE MAIDEN 1600

MALFURION (S O'Malley) - Restrained to the rear from its wide draw.

STAYINALANE (L Sutherland) - Over-raced in the early and middle stages.

LADY TELENA (L Allpress) - Raced wide throughout.

CEE ARE EL (J Mudhoo) - Lay inwards under pressure in the final straight.

THE TRUE BELIEVER (M Hudson) - Performed below market expectations. When questioned rider advised that after being taken on in the lead, THE TRUE BELIEVER had little left at the finish.

THE MAMMOTH (A Mudhoo) - Finished some distance last. When questioned rider was of the opinion the gelding would benefit from racing over a longer distance. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

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