

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Otago Racing Club at Cromwell Date: Sunday, 27 November 2022

Weather: Fine Track: Soft 6 Rail: True

Stewards: J Oatham (Chair), R Haley, M Davidson

Vet: P Gillespie BVSc Typist: C McMullan

SUMMARY

Suspensions: Race 3 J Fawcett MARCHING ON TAVI

Careless riding 400 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 4/12-17/12, 7 days

Fines: Nil

Warnings: Race 1 M Taylor BAD FLAMINGO

Whip use in consecutive strides [Rule 638(3)(g)(ii)]

9 **S Toolooa** EMANON

Shifting ground 150 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]

Protests: Nil

Request for Ruling:

Nil

Horse Actions: Race

1 THE LAST THYME

Veterinary clearance required

Follow Up: Race 5 JUST MAYBE

6 **NEON MOON** 8 **ROBINA JOY**

Rider Changes: Nil
Late Scratchings: Nil
Medical Certificates: Nil

Swabbing: BAD FLAMINGO, PAPAGENA, ZADANE, DRAKE BAY, SEVEN TWENTY, MONZA CIRCUITO,

LEAVE IT TO ME, TAUMALOLO, THE BUFFER, VEGAS STRIP

GENERAL

Drug and alcohol testing of riders was carried out at todays meeting.

RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 BE MY GUEST DESIGN MAIDEN 2030M

GAME PATROL (T Moseley) - Jumped away awkwardly.

MADISON ROSE (C Barnes) - Jumped away awkwardly making contact with FAYE'S WARRIOR becoming unbalanced losing ground.

FAYE'S WARRIOR (S Wynne) - Contacted leaving the barriers.

ROYAL KHAN (K Chowdhoory) - Slow away.

THE LAST THYME (K Williams) - When questioned regarding performance rider was unable to offer any excuse, advising that the mare had been very disappointing. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a suspected wind

issue which is to be further investigated, with a veterinary certificate of fitness required prior to the mare racing again.

M Taylor (BAD FLAMINGO) - Issued with a warning after using the whip in 2 consecutive strides on BAD FLAMINGO near the 150 metre mark, with Stewards taking into account her clear recent record under this section of the Rule.

Race 2 NELLIES RESTAURANT & BAR 65 1220M

CROP (S Wynne) - Crowded leaving the barriers having to be steadied losing ground.

SYMPATHIQUE (G Jogoo) - Had to be firmly restrained when improving onto the heels of BEAU STITCH rounding the bend near the 350 metres then being held up for a distance before angling outwards across heels to obtain clear running passing the 200 metres.

EARL OF ORKNEY (D Montes de Oca) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

TELEKINETIC (M Taylor) - Lay in throughout the run home.

TAP 'N' GO (J Laking) - When questioned regarding performance rider was unable to offer any excuse other than being caught a little wide and possibly not backing up from its run the previous Friday.

Race 3 LUGGATE LODGE MAIDEN 1400M

FIRE 'N REIGN (L Callaway) - The notified tongue tie was dislodged prior to the start and unable to be replaced. Crowded and checked near the 400 metres.

PINX (C Johnson) - Slow away.

MY DEGREE (T Comignaghi) - Raced three wide without cover.

MISS OTIS REGRETS (C Barnes) - Hung out rounding the final bend and continued to have some difficulty obtaining clear running in the straight until near the 100 metres. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that once clear the mare had finished the race off in disappointing fashion and may not have backed up from its run the previous Friday.

J Fawcett (MARCHING ON TAVI) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that she permitted her mount MARCHING ON TAVI to shift outwards when not sufficiently clear near the 400 metres crowding and checking FIRE 'N REIGN and REDDINGTON. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of J Fawcett's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Saturday, 3 December until the conclusion of racing on Saturday, 17 December, 7 national riding days.

REDDINGTON (J Laking) - Crowded and checked near the 400 metres.

Race 4 CROMBIE LOCKWOOD 65 1400M

GEMSTONE JEWELS (K Mudhoo) - Slow to begin and tailed the field throughout.

HUGH GLASS (B May) - Slow away.

SAVVY BOY (D Montes de Oca) - When questioned regarding performance rider was unable to offer any excuse, advising that the gelding had been a beaten runner prior to entering the final straight. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality. Connections were of the view that SAVVY BOY is better suited to firmer track conditions than those encountered today.

Race 5

DUNEDIN CITY MOTORS 65 1400M

SCARLETT'S PROMISE (G Jogoo) - Underwent a veterinary examination at the start before being passed fit to race.

PLAY THE FIELD (J Fawcett) - Began awkwardly.

WAIMATE BILL (K Kalychurun) - Slow to begin (3L).

LILY OF THE VALLEY (T Moseley) - Slow away.

JUST MAYBE (T Comignaghi) - Raced three wide with cover in the early stages then three wide without cover for the remainder of the race. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that after being caught wide the mare had been unable to finish the race off and had pulled up blowing heavily. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which found the mare to have a slightly prolonged rate of recovery but no other obvious abnormality. Trainer K Williams advised that she would be having blood tests done on return to her stable and advise any findings of note.

STOP YELLING (L Callaway) - Over raced when being restrained near the 1000 metres. Checked to avoid the heels of the weakening BELLE DE VAL approaching the 400 metres.

I AM A ROCK (A Balloo) - Held up entering the straight passing the 350 metres having to shift outwards across heels to obtain clear running.

BELLE DE VAL (K Mudhoo) - When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the mare may have resented the application of a tongue tie which it was racing in for the first time today. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

Race 6

GRAND CASINO OPEN 1400M

NESTA (C Johnson) - Slow to begin.

EXCHANGE (J Lowry) - Slow to begin.

ROCK SENSATION (D Montes de Oca) - Inconvenienced near the 50 metres when MONZA CIRCUITO shifted outwards under pressure.

NEON MOON (T Comignaghi) - When questioned regarding performance rider was unable to offer any excuse. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any obvious abnormality other than a slow rate of recovery.

Race 7

RIVER TERRACE LIFESTYLE 65 2030M

LEAVE IT TO ME (S Wynne) - Was allowed to improve forward on a slow tempo from near the 1100 metres to sit outside the leader near the 700 metres. Lay in under pressure making contact with COLOSSAL near the 250 metres.

CAMPING (M McNab) - Had to be firmly restrained when improving onto heels passing the 600 metres then being held up rounding the remainder of the bend until near the 300 metres.

ASTRADEEL (C Johnson) - Had difficulty obtaining clear running early in the straight.

K Chowdhoory (TAUMALOLO) – After assessing his whip use prior to the 100 metres Stewards could not be conclusively satisfied that K Chowdhoory had breached the whip rules.

Race 8

POSITIVE SIGNS AND PRINT CROMWELL CUP OPEN 2030M

VEE TWELVE (M Taylor) - Slow to begin.

ZAMBEZI ZIPPER (S Khetoo) - Improved wide from the 1200 metres to sit outside the leader passing the 900 metres. Rider had to regather his rein after it became caught over his skullcap passing the 300 metres.

KING OF THE DANCE (R Beeharry) - Raced wide when improving forward rounding the final bend.

CAMINO ROCOSO (J Laking) - Held up early in the final straight and did not obtain clear running until passing the 150 metres.

KILOWATT (T Moseley) - Steadied when placed in restricted room near the 150 metres.

ROBINA JOY (K Williams) - When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the mare had had a nice trip and travelled well but failed to finish the race off once placed under pressure. A post-race veterinary examination found the mare to have some back muscle soreness which will be further investigated in the coming week.

ZENDORA (S Wynne) - When questioned regarding performance rider was unable to offer any excuse, advising that the mare had been very disappointing. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality other than the mare showing signs of being in season.

Race 9 PROPERTY BROKERS DUNEDIN 75 1400M

HUNTER VILLAIN (K Chowdhoory) - Slow away.

CAPO DELL IMPERO (J Laking) - Jumped away awkwardly.

EMANON (S Toolooa) - Over raced in the lead in the early and middle stages.

ZAC BLACK (S Khetoo) - Raced wide throughout.

GIVEHERAGO (C Campbell) - Raced three wide without cover.

SWISSWATCH (T Moseley) - Steadied when improving onto the heels of EMANON near the 350 metres. Steadied when crowded near the 150 metres.

S Toolooa (EMANON) - Issued with a warning after permitting his mount to shift outwards under pressure when not fully clear of FINAL SAVINGS which was dictated outwards into the line of SWISSWATCH near the 150 metres.

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