STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



| MEETING DETAILS | | | |
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| Club: | Canterbury Jockey Club @ Riccarton Park | | |
| Date: | Thursday, 18 May 2023 | | |
| Weather: | Overcast | | |
| Track: | Synthetic | | |
| Rail: | True | | |
| Stewards: | V Algar (Chair), J Oatham, D Wadley, L Selvakumaran (remote) | | |
| Vet: | A Corser BVSc | | |
| Typist: | C McMullan | | |

| SUMMARY | | | |
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| Suspensions: | | 1 | L Douglas DRAKE BAY |
| | | | Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] Suspended 26/5-2/6, 5 days |
| | | 2 | L Douglas GIVEALITTLE |
| | | | Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] Suspended 3/6-4/6, 2 days & fined as |
| | | | below |
| | | 4 | K Mudhoo HIGHLAND FLING |
| | | | Careless riding 400 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 19/5-26/5, 5 days |
| | | 7 | K Mudhoo FOREVER BABE |
| | | | Careless riding 1000 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 27/5-3/6, 5 days |
| | | 8 | K Williams IHU |
| | | | Careless riding at start [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 27/5-2/6, 4 days |
| | | 10 | B May SHOW BAZZ |
| | | | Careless riding 1000 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 27/5-3/6, 5 day s |
| Fines: | Race | 2 | L Douglas GIVEALITTLE |
| | | | Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$500 & suspended as above |
| | | 4 | T Rae ROCASTANO |
| | | | Presenting runner without notified gear (pre-race ear covers) [Rule 616(4)] |
| | | | \$50 |
| Warnings: | Race | 8 | B May TAP 'N' GO |
| | | | Weighing in in excess of weigh-out weight [Rule 648(5)] |
| Protests: | Nil | | |
| Request for Ruling: | Nil | | |
| Horse Actions: | Race | 4 | SASSY CHOUXS |
| | | | Warning – Barrier manners |
| | | 10 | VICTOR ROUGE |
| | | | Required to barrier trial |
| Follow Up: | Race | 10 | SENTIENT |
| Rider Changes: | Nil | | |
| Late Scratchings: | Nil | | |
| Medical Certificates: | Nil | | |
| Swabbing: | SANTI | SSIMA, | LOQUITA, FRANKIE THE FOX, SASSY CHOUXS, PROSERVE, ADANNAYA, FOREVER |
| | BABE, | ΟΚΑΥ | PAL, MISS NICO BELLE, GLOBAL STAR |

GENERAL

Nothing to report

SUPPLEMENTARY

Wairio Jockey Club @ Ascot Park - Sunday 14 May 2023 Race 1 - NIGHTCAPS CONTRACTING & AON INSURANCE & MILNES TRANSPORT MAIDEN (1600m)

SANDY COOL (K Mudhoo) – Trainer Ms G Robinson advised Stewards that upon return to the stable the mare was showing signs of tying-up. G Robinson further advised that SANDY COOL has now been retired from racing.

RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 RICCARTON PARK FUNCTION CENTRE RATING 65 1600m

DA VINCI GIRL (W Pinn) - Began awkwardly losing ground. When over racing improved onto the heels of YOUNEVERKNOW and when being steadied raced ungenerously then going back onto YEAH RIGHT which was hampered near the 900 metres.

MACRAES (K Asano) - Slow to begin.

SANTISSIMA (L Callaway) - Began awkwardly shifting outwards crowding DRAKE BAY. Contacted near the 300 metres by BLACK CHEETAH which was dictated outwards when SOMBRA DEAMOR lay outwards.

DRAKE BAY (L Douglas) - Crowded at the start losing ground.

VALYRIAN (T Newman) - From its wide barrier draw was restrained behind runners to obtain cover. Over raced through the early and middle stages.

SOMBRA DEAMOR (T Mitchell) - Over raced through the early and middle stages. Raced three wide without cover throughout. Steadied when awkwardly placed on the heels of BLACK CHEETAH which shifted away from SANTISSIMA (L Callaway) which was shifting inwards under pressure near the 50 metres. L Callaway was advised to exercise greater care and that he must straighten his mount sooner than he had on this occasion.

BLACK CHEETAH (J Fawcett) - Over raced through the middle stages on a slow tempo.

YEAH RIGHT (T Moseley) - Hampered near the 900 metres. Held up for the majority of the final straight, with the gelding going to the line not fully tested by its rider.

POWER 'N' PASSION (K Chowdhoory) - Held up early in the final straight having to shift inwards to obtain clear running near the 200 metres.

ANCHOR ME (M McNab) - Held up when disappointed for a run near the 100 metres.

CAGE PHYTA (S Muniandy – When questioned regarding performance, rider could offer no excuse. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

HOW UNUSUAL (C Campbell) - When questioned regarding performance and his lack of vigour over the final 100 metres, C Campbell advised he had, had to work hard in the race over the early and middle stages from a wide draw, and after the tough run it had received the mare was unable to finish the race off. C Campbell was reminded of his obligations to ride his mounts out to the end of the race when there was a chance of finishing in a position for which stake money is payable.

L Douglas (DRAKE BAY) - Admitted a charge in that he struck his mount DRAKE BAY 7 times (2 more than permitted) prior to the 100 metre mark. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of L Douglas's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Thursday 25 May until the conclusion of racing on Friday 2 June, 5 national riding days.

LILITH (J Fawcett) - Slow to begin losing several lengths.

THE PIRANHA (G Jogoo) - Slow to begin.

DAME COUNTY (W Pinn) - Slow to begin. Contacted near the 200 metres when JOYBELLS (K Chowdhoory) lay inwards under pressure. K Chowdhoory was advised to exercise greater care.

RICHARD STOMPER (Y Atchamah) - Restrained to obtain cover after jumping from the outside barrier. Improved onto heels having to be steadied near the 400 metres.

JOYBELLS (K Chowdhoory) - Raced wide in the early stages before being restrained to obtain cover near the 1200 metres.

O'DUA (K Williams) – When questioned regarding performance, rider could offer no tangible excuse. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

L Douglas (GIVEALITTLE) - Admitted a charge in that he struck his mount GIVEALITTLE 6 times (1 more than permitted) prior to the 100 metre mark. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of L Douglas's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Friday 2 June until the conclusion of racing on Sunday 4 June, 2 national riding days, and in addition imposed a fine of \$500.

Race 3BOOK A SUITE WINTER XMAS RACES 24 JUNE OPEN HANDICAP 1600mTHE GROWLER (K Chowdhoory) - Slow away.

FIVE PRINCES (T Moseley) - Slow away. Held up for a short distance early in the final straight.

LETSBRINGITON (K Williams) - Over raced in the early and middle stages.

LIGHT UP (K Kwo) - Over raced outside the leader in the early and middle stages.

ORIGINAL GANGSTER (M McNab) - Raced three wide without cover.

Race 4 BETAVET RATING 65 1600m

T Rae (ROCASTANO) - Fined \$50 under the Minor Infringement Schedule after presenting ROCASTANO without notified pre-race ear covers.

The start was delayed 4 minutes after **SASSY CHOUXS** proved difficult to load.

SASSY CHOUXS (J Fawcett) - Delayed the start when reluctant to load. Co-trainer Mr. J Parsons was advised a warning would be placed against the mare whose barrier manners must improve. Contacted 400 metres.

EL BEE JACK (B May) - Slow away.

HIGHLAND FLING (K Mudhoo) - Slow away.

WAY ABOVE (T Moseley) - Slow away. Contacted 400 metres.

TYPHOON TIP (C Barnes) - Slow away.

AERIAL BLUE (T Newman) - Raced three wide without cover.

FATHER LENIHAN (K Williams) - Raced wide without cover. Severely checked near the 400 metres.

TAKE THAT (L Douglas) - Contacted 400 metres.

K Mudhoo (HIGHLAND FLING) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he permitted his mount HIGHLAND FLING to shift outwards near the 400 metres when not sufficiently clear, making contact with WAY ABOVE which was forced outwards onto TAKE THAT and SASSY CHOUXS, resulting in FATHER LENIHAN being checked. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of K Mudhoo's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Thursday 18 May until the conclusion of racing on Friday 26 May, 5 national riding days.

Race 5 NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES 2200m

JAKKALNUTS (C Barnes) - Became fractious in its barrier and was removed from its gate to undergo a pre-race veterinary examination before being cleared to race. Restrained behind runners to obtain cover shortly after the start. When questioned regarding performance, the rider advised that in her opinion the mare may not have been suited to the synthetic track conditions. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

SPINDLESHANKS (L Douglas) - Slow away.

EKSTREMEMISS (G Jogoo) - Slow away. Over raced in the early stages.

WENEEDASHOCK (K Hercock) - Steadied when placed in restricted room to the inside of COLOSSAL near the 2000 metres, with the rider of COLOSSAL (T Moseley) immediately taking corrective measures.

ESTABLISHMENT (T Mitchell) - Crowded when weakening passing the 300 metres.

COLOSSAL (T Moseley) - Checked when disappointed for a run near the 300 metres.

IT'S BELSANTO (K Asano) - Crowded having to be steadied near the 300 metres.

VOLVIK (K Williams) - Crowded having to be steadied near the 300 metres when PROSERVE lay in.

PROSERVE (W Pinn) - Lay inwards near the 300 metres causing crowding to several runners to its inside, being immediately corrected by its rider.

Race 6GOOD LUCK GARETH MURFITT RATING 75 1400mCAITLYN JAY (T Mitchell) - Jumped away awkwardly losing ground.

JIN LU (T Newman) - Crowded leaving the barriers then being restrained to obtain cover.

SACRED GIANT (J Fawcett) - Over raced in the early and middle stages.

WILD ROVER (W Pinn) - Raced three wide without cover.

Race 7

LUCKY SIMON (T Moseley) - Held up rounding the final turn and in the straight until inside the final 150 metres.

GRAND NATIONAL TICKETS ON SALE F&M MAIDEN 1200m

TENGIZ (L Douglas) - Jumped away awkwardly making contact with YOU STAY CLASSY. Checked to avoid the heels of FOREVER BABE which shifted inwards approaching the 1000 metres.

YOU STAY CLASSY (C Barnes) - Contacted leaving the barriers.

K Mudhoo (FOREVER BABE) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he permitted his mount FOREVER BABE to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear of TENGIZ which was checked approaching the 1000 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of K Mudhoo's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Friday 26 May until the conclusion of racing on Saturday 3 June, 5 national riding days.

Race 8 MARTIN COLLINS HANDICAP 1200m

OKAY PAL (W Pinn) - Slow to begin.

GOLDEN HARVEST (J Kamaruddin) - Jumped away awkwardly then being restrained to obtain cover in the early stages after jumping from the outside barrier.

MAKE BELIEVE (K Mudhoo) - Crowded then checked shortly after the start.

BENAUD (K Asano) - Jumped away awkwardly then making contact with ROCKLAND.

B May (TAP 'N' GO) - Issued with a warning after weighing in 0.6 kg in excess of his weigh-out weight.

K Wiliams (IHU) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that she permitted her mount IHU to shift inwards shortly after the start when not sufficiently clear of MAKE BELIEVE which was checked. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of K Williams' licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Friday 26 May until the conclusion of racing on Friday 2 June, 4 national riding days.

Race 9 COCA-COLA RATING 65 1200m

BOOT IT SCOOTER (K Chowdhoory) - Jumped away awkwardly losing ground.

VENTURESOME (K Mudhoo) - Jumped away awkwardly. Got its head up when being steadied to avoid the heels of SHOW BAZZ (B May) which shifted inwards when not fully clear approaching the 1000 metres.

FIONNUALA (K Kwo) - Slow away.

SHOW BAZZ (B May) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

MISS NICO BELLE (C Barnes) - Raced wide without cover.

SELFIE (M McNab) – Held up for the majority of the final straight and was unable to obtain clear running until approaching the 100 metres.

B May (SHOW BAZZ) - Defended a charge of careless riding alleging that he permitted his mount SHOW BAZZ to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear of VENTURESOME which was checked approaching the 1000 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee upheld the charge and imposed a suspension of B May's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Friday 26 May until the conclusion of racing on Saturday 3 June, 5 national riding days.

Race 10 RACECOURSE HOTEL & MOTOR LODGE RATING 65 1200m

VICTOR ROUGE (K Williams) - Refused to leave the barriers taking no part in the race. Connections were advised that VICTOR ROUGE must barrier trial to the satisfaction of a Stipendiary Steward prior to racing next.

CHARBANO (W Pinn) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

SENTIENT (R Beeharry) - Slow away. On being pulled up following the race the gelding was noticeably lame. SENTIENT was immediately attended to by the on-course veterinarian, with the equine ambulance being deployed. The gelding was suspected to have suffered a fracture to the right shoulder and severe muscle injury. SENTIENT was then transferred to a local veterinary hospital for further evaluation.

GLOBAL STAR (J Fawcett) - Raced wide without cover.

DELPHILLIUS (K Mudhoo) - Held up entering the final straight and continued to have difficulty obtaining clear running over the concluding stages having to be checked to avoid heels just short of the finish.

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