



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club:	Ashburton Racing Club
Date:	Thursday, 6 July 2023
Weather:	Fine
Track:	Heavy 8
Rail:	True
Stewards:	M Davidson (Chair), N McIntyre, P Williams, L Selvakumaran (remote)
Vet:	D Williamson BVSc
Op Support:	C McMullan

SUMMARY

Suspensions:	Race	1	S Khetoo BAD FLAMINGO Careless riding 1500 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 7/7-19/7, 7 days
		4	S Khetoo MISS HARLEY QUINN Careless riding 1100 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 20/7-2/8, 9 days
		6	K Chowdhoo PROSERVE Careless riding 75 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 7/7-15/7, 6 days
Fines:	Race	2	P Harris JACKMAN Presenting runner without notified gear (tongue tie) [Rule 616(4)] \$50
		3	R Holmes TYAGONAL Presenting runner with incorrect number [Rule 614(2)] \$50
		3	S Marsh RUBY SUNRISE Presenting runner with incorrect number [Rule 614(2)] \$50
Warnings:	Race	1	S Woodsford TADITA Presenting runner without notified gear (side winkers) [Rule 616(4)]
Protests:	Race	6	DEELS DONE 3 rd v PROSERVE 2 nd Dismissed
Request for Ruling:	Race	9	POWERFUL MOSS Declared a runner [Rule 632(1)]
Horse Actions:	Race	3	BALTIMORE Veterinary certificate required
		3	PASSO RAPIDO Required to barrier trial
		5	LILITH Required to barrier trial
		9	POWERFUL MOSS Warned barrier manners
Follow Up:	Nil		
Rider Changes:	Nil		
Late Scratchings:	Race	3	BALTIMORE 11.32am Veterinary advice
		3	PASSO RAPIDO 12.23pm Refusing to load
Medical Certificates:	Nil		
Swabbing:			SEA SHEPHERD, THE ROARING TIGER, RUBY SUNRISE, EXPRESS COUP, VAGUE, ESTABLISHMENT, LOUIE LOUIE, DELMONICO, FAME SHINES, CORISTA

GENERAL

Nothing to report

SUPPLEMENTARY

Nothing to report

RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 | **COCHRANES OF CANTERBURY 1600m**

S Woodsford (TADITA) – Issued with a warning after presenting runner without notified gear (side winkers).

CLASSIC DIVA (K Williams) - Slow to begin.

BAD FLAMINGO (S Khetoo) - Shifted inwards from the 1500 metres crowding YES WE KHAN, SASSY CHOUXS and IN DISGUISE. Raced wide without cover from the 1100 metres.

YES WE KHAN (L Douglas) - Crowded passing the 1500 metres. Rider reported that the gelding was less than genuine in its efforts today.

SASSY CHOUXS (J Fawcett) - Crowded and had to check passing the 1500 metres.

IN DISGUISE (T Jonker) - Crowded and forced inwards having to check passing the 1500 metres.

S Khetoo (BAD FLAMINGO) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he permitted his mount BAD FLAMINGO to shift inwards passing the 1500 metres dictating YES WE KHAN inwards onto SASSY CHOUXS and IN DISGUISE with both these runners being crowded and checked. After considering submissions the Adjudicator imposed a suspension of S Khetoo's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Thursday 6 July until the conclusion of racing on Wednesday 19 July, 7 national riding days.

Race 2 | **TEAM WHITE HARNESS RACING MAIDEN 1400m**

Trainer **P Harris** (JACKMAN) - Fined \$50 under the Minor Infringement Schedule after presenting runner without notified gear (tongue tie).

OUR PRINCESS BOOT (S Khetoo) – Slow to begin.

LIT'L ROCK (C Campbell) - Began awkwardly. Held up rounding the final turn.

CRUISE (K Kwo) - Raced wide without cover throughout.

COSSETTE (T Comignaghi) - Over raced in the middle stages.

CASTLEBRAE (D Montes de Oca) - Over raced in the middle stages and near the 900 metres had to shift outwards briefly to avoid heels.

JACKMAN (J Laking) - Briefly held up passing the 250 metres having to shift ground inwards to find clear racing room.

Race 3 | **GARY MCCORMICK TRANSPORT MAIDEN 1400m**

BALTIMORE (C Barnes) - Declared a late scratching at 11.32am on veterinary advice when found to be lame in the right foreleg. Trainer P Harris was advised that a veterinary clearance will be required prior to racing next.

PASSO RAPIDO (J Laking) - Declared a late scratching at 12.23pm after refusing to enter the barriers. Connections were advised that PASSO RAPIDO must barrier trial to the satisfaction of a Stipendiary Steward prior to racing next.

Trainer **R Holmes** (TYAGONAL) - Fined \$50 under the Minor Infringement Schedule after presenting runner with incorrect number.

Trainer **S Marsh** (RUBY SUNRISE) - Fined \$50 under the Minor Infringement Schedule after presenting runner with incorrect number.

SNORKEL (K Hercock) - Proved difficult to load and then slow to begin.

CHEX MY NONO (S Khetoo) - Raced wide without cover throughout.

ELANIA (G Jogoo) - Over raced in the middle stages. Saddle shifted forward passing the 600 metres and shifted back into position passing the 200 metres.

THE CHROME NUN (K Hannan) - Placed in restricted room near the 350 metres when CHIPPEWA was dictated outwards by VINDERSTERN which was laying outwards at this point simultaneously to CHEX MY NONO shifting ground inwards under pressure.

WEE TADHG (K Kwo) - Rider reported that the gelding had hung in in the run home causing him some difficulty.

Race 4	AGRAFORUM ZUMSIL 1200m
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ZOULANDER (K Chowdhoo) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

HENLEY (T Moseley) - Slow to begin.

ZACAT (K Williams) - Crowded and checked passing the 1100 metres.

DIVINE DIVE (R Jaun) - Crowded inwards passing the 1100 metres. Made the bend near the 900 metres awkwardly getting its head up when being steadied to avoid heels.

DORIS DIOR (T Jonker) - Crowded and checked passing the 1100 metres.

TAP 'N' GO (K Hannan) - Raced wide without cover throughout.

S Khetoo (MISS HARLEY QUINN) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he permitted his mount MISS HARLEY QUINN to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear of DIVINE DIVE which was dictated onto DORIS DIOR which was forced inwards onto ZACAT with both these runners being checked passing the 1100 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicator imposed a suspension of S Khetoo's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Wednesday 19 July until the conclusion of racing on Wednesday 2 August, 9 national riding days.

Race 5	SMALLBONE ISUZU 2200m
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LILITH (K Hercock) - Very slow to begin (8L). Trainer C Stalker was advised the mare must barrier trial at an official trial to the satisfaction of a Stipendiary Steward prior to racing again.

EKSTREMEMISS (G Jogoo) - Slow to begin. Weakened from the 800 metres, with the rider reporting the mare had been left flat footed when the pace of the race increased at this point.

HILLERSDEN (T Newman) - Over raced in the early stages. Raced wide from the 800 metres.

IDEAL WARRIOR (R Beeharry) - Raced wide in the early stages. Shifted ground outwards concluding stages under pressure.

TELLING TALES (J Fawcett) - Raced wide in the early stages.

KLEAR THE DECK (B Rogerson) - Briefly crowded near the 50 metres.

THISTLE (T Jonker) - When asked to comment on the performance of this favoured runner, rider was of the opinion the mare had not been entirely comfortable in today's holding track conditions.

ASTRADEEL (T Comignaghi) - Rider reported the mare had not been comfortable in today's holding track conditions.

Race 6 | **DUNSTAN HORSE FEEDS HANDICAP 2200m**

JILDI JILDI (A Balloo) - Slow to begin.

PROSERVE (K Chowdhoo) - Raced keenly and was awkwardly placed on the heels of RAINMAN near the 1800 metres. Lay inwards throughout the run home and near the 50 metres shifted in checking MISS TAVI. Continued to shift in making firm contact with DEELS DONE four strides from the winning post.

DEELS DONE (C Barnes) - Contacted and unbalanced in the shadows of the post.

RAINMAN (K Mudhoo) - Crowded when steadied passing the 75 metres.

MISS TAVI (K Williams) - Checked passing the 50 metres.

FIVE PRINCES (T Moseley) - Underwent a post-race veterinary examination after returning to the enclosure with blood present in one nostril which was found to have been coming from a small wound inside the nostril and accordingly the gelding was not deemed a bleeder.

K Chowdhoo (PROSERVE) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he permitted his mount PROSERVE to shift in crowding RAINMAN near the 75 metres and checking MISS TAVI passing the 50 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicator imposed a suspension of K Chowdhoo's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Thursday 6 July until the conclusion of racing on Saturday 15 July, 6 national riding days.

Following the running of the race the rider of the third placed horse DEELS DONE, Ms C Barnes, lodged a protest with the Adjudicator alleging interference in the final straight by the second placed horse PROSERVE. After considering submissions the Adjudicator dismissed the protest with the placings standing 1st ESTABLISHMENT, 2nd PROSERVE, 3rd DEELS DONE, 4th ATHENE.

Race 7 | **WINNING EDGE PRESENTS WINTER CUP TRIAL 1400m**

LOUIE LOUIE (L Douglas) - Began awkwardly before being crowded shortly after the start losing ground.

CHOKITO (J Fawcett) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

BENAUD (D Montes de Oca) - Lay out over the concluding stages shifting wider on the track.

Race 8 | **RD PETROLEUM SOUTHERN 1400m**

SHARPIE (K Chowdhoo) - Began awkwardly. Raced four wide throughout. Hung outwards rounding the final bend.

CHEEKINI (K Hercock) - Crowded shortly after the start losing ground.

VICTOR ROUGE (K Hannan) - Raced three wide throughout.

Race 9 | **AGRAFORUM GROWING INNOVATION 1600m**

POWERFUL MOSS (D Montes de Oca) - Reared as the start was effected and as a result was slow to begin (5L). The connections were advised the gelding was under a barrier manners warning. Raced wide from the 800 metres.

FACETIME (K Hannan) - Crowded at the start losing some ground. Raced wide in the early and middle stages.

ROYAL KHAN (T Jonker) - Angled wider on the track passing the 250 metres to find clear racing room.

Following the running of the race trainer R McKay requested a ruling alleging that his runner **POWERFUL MOSS** was denied a fair start due to having been held by a barrier attendant prior to the start. After hearing from all parties the Adjudicator declared **POWERFUL MOSS** to be a runner.

Race 10

OMG CHERI'S 50 1600m

Trainer **L Stewart** (ZADANE) - The explanation for late declaration of rider was accepted on this occasion.

EL BEE JACK (T Newman) - Slow to begin.

ENOUGH SAID (J Laking) - Restrained to the rear from a wide barrier draw to obtain cover.

DIVOVSKI (S Khetoo) - Restrained to the rear from a wide barrier draw to obtain cover. Briefly held up early in the run home.

TOMYTURBO (K Hercock) - Raced three wide without cover through the early stages.

HEREIGOAGAIN (R Jaun) - Raced four wide throughout.

HIDALGO (D Montes de Oca) - Over raced in the middle stages.

ZADANE (Y Atchamah) - The saddle shifted forward passing the 1100 metres placing the rider at a disadvantage.

WAIHORA MIST (K Chowdhoo) - Lay outwards under pressure in the run home.

VINDICATOR (K Williams) - When asked to comment on the performance of this favoured runner, the rider advised that the gelding was not suited by today's holding track conditions.

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