



## STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

### MEETING DETAILS

**Club:** Oamaru Jockey Club at Oamaru  
**Date:** Friday, 18 August 2023  
**Weather:** Fine  
**Track:** Soft 6  
**Rail:** Out 3m 1200m-400m, Cutaway, Remainder True  
**Stewards:** M Davidson (Chair), R Haley, V Munro  
**Vet:** P Gillespie BVSc  
**Op Support:** B Gutsell

### SUMMARY

**Suspensions:** Race 6 **K Mudhoo** OUR PRINCESS BOOT  
Careless riding 300 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 19/08-26/08, 5 days  
Race 8 **K Rathoar** ROSY CLARK  
Careless riding 1000 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 19/08-25/08, 4 days

**Fines:** Nil  
**Warnings:** Nil  
**Protests:** Nil  
**Request for Ruling:** Nil

**Horse Actions:** Race 5 **JABELLA**  
Racing manners warning for its competitiveness.  
Race 7 **BACK TO THE FUTURE**  
Barrier manners warning

**Follow Up:** Race 6 **TRUE HOPE IS SWIFT**

**Rider Changes:** Race 2 **EARS BACK**  
K Hercock replaced D Tait (unwell)  
Race 7 **SILESE**  
S Muniandy replaced D Tait

**Late Scratchings:** Race 2 **IN DISGUISE**  
11.58am on veterinary advice (in tie-up stall)

**Medical Certificates:** Required for **D Tait**

**Swabbing:** LADY SASS, GO LOTTE, LOMBARDI, CLAUDIUS MAXIMUSS, SYMPATHIQUE, MAXIMUS AUGUSTUS, MY EXPLOSIVE, NOBELLEM

### GENERAL

Jockey Denby-Rose TAIT advised Stewards the night before the races she was unwell and would not be able to ride today. Miss TAIT was replaced on her 2 rides as per the Summary above and advised she would need a medical clearance prior to riding next.

In Race 7 **MORRIE** was briefly listed as a scratching shortly after the fields were released on Wednesday with this error quickly being rectified before betting opened.

### SUPPLEMENTARY

Canterbury Jockey Club at Riccarton Park – Wednesday 9 August 2023  
Race 8 HAASE MARSHALL DRAINAGE HANDICAP 2200m

**MISS TAVI** (K Herccock) – Trainer L Prendergast advised Stewards that the mare has been retired from racing.

**Race 9 HOTELIERS CHALLENGE HANDICAP 1400m**

**NAVALHA** (L Allpress) – Co-trainer S Bergerson advised Stewards that the gelding had come through the run fine and they will continue with his preparation.

**RACE COMMENTS**

**Race 1 OAMARU SCAFFOLDING MAIDEN 1200m**

**LADY SASS** (K Williams) - After being reluctant to load was slow to begin. Shifted in under pressure over the concluding stages making brief contact with AMIINIT near the 50 metres.

**SUGAR** (K Herccock) - Lay outwards early in the run home having to be straightened passing the 150 metres.

**Race 2 MCKEOWN GROUP OAMARU 1400m**

**IN DISGUISE** (T Comignaghi) - Late scratching at 11.58am on veterinary advice after showing signs of cholic when being unloaded from the float.

**ALBY PARK** (Y Atchamah) - Began awkwardly.

**RUSSIAN FABLE** (K Williams) - Blundered leaving the barriers. Crowded having to briefly steady passing the 400 metres when inside runners shifted out.

**EARS BACK** (K Herccock) - Raced three-wide without cover throughout.

**SO MUCH MOUR** (R Jaun) - Placed in restricted room and dictated outwards near the 400 metres by GO LOTTE, which was taken out by ALBY PARK (Y Atchamah) when that runner shifted out looking for clear racing room. Y Atchamah was advised to exercise greater care.

**GO LOTTE** (S Khetoo) - Lay outwards under pressure passing the 100 metres briefly hampering DIVOVSKI before being straightened by its rider. S Khetoo was advised to exercise greater care and to straighten his mounts sooner than he did on this occasion.

**DIVOVSKI** (K Mudhoo) - Briefly hampered 100 metres.

**TANNAHILL** (R Mudhoo) - When questioned regarding the performance rider advised in his opinion the gelding was looking for more ground.

**Race 3 BRUCE AND JUDY SMITH MAIDEN 2200m**

**LOMBARDI** (R Mudhoo) - Began awkwardly.

**NELLIE GREY** (G Jogoo) - Slow to begin.

**REINEDELARIVIERE** (L Douglas) - Over-raced in the middle stages and had to be severely restrained off heels passing the 1100m. Held up by a tiring runner for a distance passing the 600 metres.

**SACHIN** (C Campbell) - Briefly placed in restricted room near the 50 metres when runners either side shifted ground.

**Race 4 MACKENZIE SUPPLY SERVICES 1600m**

**AMATHUSIA** (A Balloo) - Slow to begin.

**ROYAL VALOUR** (L Douglas) - Slow to begin. When questioned regarding the performance rider advised the gelding had hung outwards throughout and proved a difficult ride.

**THE ARCTIC BLAST** (T Moseley) - Began awkwardly losing ground. When questioned regarding the performance rider advised that after beginning awkwardly, he had got further back than he wanted and when placed under pressure in the final straight the gelding had failed to respond and was disappointing.

**CASTLE ON THE HILL** (K Williams) - Raced three-wide without cover through the early to middle stages.

**UPHOLD** (K Rathoar) - Over-raced in the early and middle stages and was then allowed to improve wide from the 800 metres.

**KAHMA SUITSYA** (K Hercock) - Denied a marginal run passing the 350 metres when UPHOLD (K Rathoar) shifted in under pressure simultaneous to TYPHOON TIP (K Mudhoo) laying outwards under pressure and was then held up for a distance until shifting ground inwards near the 150 metres to find clear racing room. Both K Rathoar and K Mudhoo were shown replays of the incident and advised they must exercise greater care.

**Race 5** | **ONE SMART COFFEE 1600m**

**PINHEAD** (Y Atchamah) - Slow to begin.

**WATTABREEZE** (S Khetoo) - Restrained in the early stages to obtain cover.

**I'M A TIGER** (K Williams) - Restrained in the early stages to obtain cover.

**PANDDE** (C Campbell) - Restrained in the early stages to obtain cover. When asked to comment on the performance rider was of the opinion the mare prefers tracks with more moisture.

**SEVEN AAJES** (G Jogoo) - Shied and shifted in abruptly, making firm contact with HE'S TUNZA GRUNT passing the 1500 metres.

**JABELLA** (L Douglas) - Under pressure passing the 1000 metres and was not persevered with in the final straight when a well beaten runner. Stewards ordered a post-race veterinary which revealed no abnormalities. Trainer D Hutton was advised the mare was on a racing manners warning for its competitiveness.

**HIDALGO** (K Mudhoo) - Raced three-wide without cover through the early and middle stages.

**SYMPATHIQUE** (T Comignaghi) - When questioned regarding the improved performance trainer L Stewart advised the mare had benefitted from a change of training regime and an economical ride today from a senior rider.

**Race 6** | **BRACKENS PRINT OAMARU MAIDEN 1600m**

**HALLOWING COMMANDS** (K Kwo) - Slow to begin.

**CHOICE MOMENT** (K Hercock) - Slow to begin. Improved on to the heels of a tiring runner near the 150 metres and had to shift ground inwards to find clear racing room.

**WOTARIPPER** (B Murray) - Crowded shortly after the start losing ground and was then taken back to obtain cover. Rider B Murray was spoken to advisedly regarding his use of the whip on a runner out of contention.

**KEEP IT LOOSE** (G Jogoo) - Briefly steadied to avoid the heels of CASTLEBRAE passing the 1100 metres.

**PHILOTE** (Y Atchamah) - Raced three-wide without cover for the majority of the event.

**NIPPY THE HIPPY** (C Campbell) - Lay in early in the run home having to be straightened by the rider.

**SO GRACEFUL** (T Moseley) - Crowded and checked near the 300 metres.

**TRUE HOPE IS SWIFT** (L Callaway) - Was not persevered with in the run home with the rider reporting the gelding had felt indifferent in its action over the concluding stages. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities. Stewards will follow up with trainer P Harris in the coming days.

**K Mudhoo** (OUR PRINCESS BOOT) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he permitted OUR PRINCESS BOOT to shift outwards near the 300 metres when not sufficiently clear of SO GRACEFUL which was crowded and checked. After viewing replays and considering penalty submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of Mr Mudhoo's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing today until the conclusion of racing on Saturday 26 August, 5 national riding days.

<b>Race 7</b>	<b>ZMC HAPPY BIRTHDAY JAKE MAIDEN 1200m</b>
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**BACK TO THE FUTURE** (R Mudhoo) - Fractious in its barrier with connections advised the mare was on a barrier manners warning. Got its head up when over-racing in the early stages.

**VOLT EDGE** (T Jonker) - Slow to begin.

**FAKEITTILLUMAKEIT** (B Murray) - Slow to begin.

**GOLLYMOLLY** (Y Atchamah) - Shifted in at the start crowding inside runners.

**GANGSTA GRANNY** (L Douglas) - Raced wide for the majority of the event.

**POMALO** (K Mudhoo) - Held up rounding the final bend until near the 300 metres.

**MORRIE** (T Moseley) - Briefly raced in restricted room to the inside of GANGSTA GRANNY when laying away from RHYOLITE passing the 50 metres.

**MISS PEARL** (T Comignaghi) - When questioned regarding the performance of favoured runner rider advised the mare had raced keenly in the early stages and when placed under pressure had been disappointing, adding she would be recommending gear changes to the connections.

<b>Race 8</b>	<b>CROMBIE &amp; PRICE LTD 1200m</b>
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**CULLINAN** (K Mudhoo) - Slow to begin. Rider reported that after being slow away he was happy with the effort of the mare in its first up run on a fast tempo.

**BLEAKHOUSE BURTIE** (S Khetoo) - Taken back from a wide draw to obtain cover.

**BUSH MILLS BILLY** (G Jogoo) - Crowded and checked near the 1000 metres.

**HAGGLE** (C Campbell) - Raced wide without cover through the early to middle stages.

**CHOUX MACHER** (B Murray) - Rider reported the gelding would appreciate tracks with more moisture.

**K Rathoar** (ROSY CLARK) - Assisted by S Muniandy, admitted a charge of careless riding in that he permitted ROSY CLARK to shift ground inwards near the 1000 metres when not sufficiently clear of BUSH MILLS BILLY which was crowded and checked. After viewing replays and considering penalty submissions the Adjudicative Committee

imposed a suspension of Mr Rathoar's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing today until the conclusion of racing on Friday 25 August, 4 national riding days.

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