



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Canterbury Jockey Club at Riccarton Park
Date: Thursday, 31 August 2023
Weather: Fine
Track: Synthetic
Rail: True
Stewards: V Algar (Chair), J Oatham, P Williams, M Davidson (remote)
Vet: A Corser BVSc
Op Support: C McMullan

SUMMARY

Suspensions: Ashburton Racing Club Trials, Heat 14 – Tuesday 15 August 2023
Mahipal Singh HENRIQUI
Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] Suspended 1/9-9/9, 5 days

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

Horse Actions: Race 3 **IDEAL LIZZO**
Required to trial

Follow Up: Race 7 **BLACK CHEETAH**

Rider Changes: Race 1 **HAIL DAMAGE**
K Chowdhoo replaced J Doyle (Transport difficulties)

6 **IHU**
T Moseley replaced J Laking (Unwell)

7 **ROYAL VALOUR**
K Kwo replaced J Laking

7 **FAH SAI**
K Williams replaced C Barnes (Transport difficulties)

8 **FELICITY THEN**
T Comignaghi replaced C Barnes

8 **FRENCH ROSE**
R Mudhoo replaced J Laking

Late Scratchings: Race 4 **MASTERCHEF**
8:55am Veterinary advice

Medical Certificates: Nil

Swabbing: TAKE THAT, SINCERE, TALISKER, SPROCKET ROCKET, CASTLE ON THE HILL, RUSSIAN FABLE, FATHER LENIHAN, SORCHA

GENERAL

J Doyle was late arriving on course due to a flight delay.
C Barnes did not attend the meeting due to flight cancellations.

SUPPLEMENTARY

Ashburton Racing Club Trials – Tuesday 15 August 2023
HEAT 14
Mahipal Singh (HENRIQUI) - Admitted a charge in that he struck his mount HENRIQUI 10 times (5 more than permitted) prior to the 100 metre mark. After considering submissions the Adjudicator imposed a suspension of M

Singh's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Thursday 31 August until the conclusion of racing on Saturday 9 September, 5 national riding days.

RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 CLEAN UP CANTERBURY OPEN HANDICAP 2200m

LUSCIOUS LOVER (J Fawcett) - Began awkwardly hampering GLORIFIED.

GLORIFIED (L Allpress) - Hampered at the start losing ground.

BLUEY'S CHANCE (A Balloo) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

HAIL DAMAGE (K Chowdhury) - Raced keenly through the early and middle stages. Lay outwards under pressure throughout the final straight. When questioned regarding performance, the rider advised the mare had travelled well but failed to respond when placed under pressure. A post-race veterinary inspection did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

TAKE THAT (K Williams) - Raced keenly through the early and middle stages.

RAINMAN (T Comignaghi) - Rider dropped her whip near the 300 metres.

Race 2 CJC STALLION TENDER OPEN NOW MAIDEN 1400m

THOUGHTSO (D Tait) - Began awkwardly making contact with MOONSHINE MAGGIE. Lay outwards under pressure throughout the final straight.

MOONSHINE MAGGIE (R Mudhoo) - Blundered at the start and was then contacted by THOUGHTSO which shifted outwards. When racing keenly improved onto heels having to be firmly restrained near the 900 metres.

MY DEGREE (T Comignaghi) - Slow to begin. Held up throughout the final straight and was unable to obtain clear running until passing the 150 metres.

SINCERE (J Laking) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

INCHAARJ (B Murray) - Restrained behind runners to obtain cover shortly after the start.

Race 3 CHRISTCHURCH CASINO SI RACING AWARDS 15/09 MAIDEN 1200m

IDEAL LIZZO (K Mudhoo) - Very slow to begin losing considerable ground and tailed the field throughout. Connections were advised that IDEAL LIZZO will now be required to trial to the satisfaction of a Stipendiary Steward prior to racing next.

FAYTINA (T Comignaghi) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

PEACE LOVER (J Doyle) - Raced three wide without cover throughout. Rider reported the mare had hung outwards throughout the running.

WARLAC (D Tait) - Raced greenly throughout the running.

Race 4 MARTIN COLLINS NEW ZEALAND MAIDEN 1600m

NOW OR NEVER (B Murray) - Slow to begin. Over raced through the early and middle stages. Held up approaching the 200 metres having to shift outwards to obtain clear running.

BENJI'S BOY (W Kennedy) - Slow to begin.

MISTER WALT (T Jonker) - Slow to begin and then ridden with urgency to recover.

SPROCKET ROCKET (R Mudhoo) - Restrained behind runners to obtain cover shortly after the start. Steadied off heels on a number of occasions throughout the back straight.

EPILOGUE (T Comignaghi) - Raced keenly through the early and middle stages.

Race 5

CJC GROUP 1 RACEDAY PARTY 16 SEPTEMBER 1600m

J Burrows (CASTLE ON THE HILL) - The trainer's explanation for late declaration of rider was accepted on this occasion.

THE ARCTIC BLAST (K Chowdhoo) - Began very awkwardly losing ground. Raced keenly through the early and middle stages.

DA VINCI GIRL (W Kennedy) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Over raced through the early stages. Shifted inwards to obtain clear running passing the 50 metres.

DOC MARTYN (K Mudhoo) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Over raced throughout the running. When questioned regarding performance, the rider advised that after the gelding had over raced throughout it had failed to respond to his riding when placed under pressure. A post-race veterinary inspection did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

ZAPPOLINO (T Comignaghi) - Restrained behind runners to obtain cover shortly after the start.

CASTLE ON THE HILL (K Williams) - Raced three wide without cover before being allowed to improve to sit outside the leader near the 900 metres.

Following this race rider J Laking was stood down from his remaining rides, suffering the effects of dehydration due to wasting.

Race 6

NZ CUP MEETING TICKETS ON SALE 1 SEPTEMBER 1400m

MEGALOMANIAC (L Allpress) - Slow to begin.

IHU (T Moseley) - Jumped away awkwardly.

SEVEN TWENTY (J Doyle) - Placed in restricted room shortly after the start losing ground.

MORE THAN WORDS (W Kennedy) - Raced keenly through the early and middle stages.

Race 7

RACECOURSE HOTEL & MOTOR LODGE HANDICAP 1400m

PEUT RESPIRER (R Mudhoo) - Began awkwardly crowding outside runners.

BLACK CHEETAH (J Fawcett) - Contacted then crowded at the start losing ground. Rider reported the gelding had felt indifferent in its action with a post-race veterinary inspection revealing a slow rate of recovery and high rate.

FAH SAI (K Williams) - Contacted then crowded at the start losing ground. Had some difficulty finding clear running until inside the final 200 metres.

ROYAL VALOUR (K Kwo) - Contacted then crowded at the start losing ground.

SHOW BAZZ (L Allpress) - Began awkwardly crowding inside runners.

CHEEKINI (K Mudhoo) - Began awkwardly making contact with SAVVY BOY and as a result lost ground. Raced keenly through the early and middle stages.

SAVVY BOY (D Montes de Oca) - Slow to begin and was then contacted by CHEEKINI. Raced three wide without cover throughout. Shifted outwards abruptly after being struck with the whip near the 350 metres having to be corrected by its rider.

HEMI RIDAPEST (T Comignaghi) - Held up entering the straight then when attempting to improve to the outside of SAVVY BOY was hampered when that runner shifted outwards near the 350 metres, being forced outwards onto CEDDY SMITH. Lay inwards under pressure throughout the final straight.

CEDDY SMITH (J Doyle) - Hampered near the 350 metres. Lay inwards under pressure throughout the final straight.

Race 8

ENTAIN – NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE 1200m

LA RAPIDE (B Murray) - Began awkwardly.

OH NO NO NO (J Doyle) - Slow to begin. Raced fiercely through the early and middle stages and when doing so improved onto heels having to be firmly restrained shifting out hampering BELLA ROSE near the 900 metres.

BELLA ROSE (W Kennedy) - Slow to begin. Hampered 900 metres.

FELICITY THEN (T Comignaghi) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Raced three wide without cover throughout.

DESTINYS GIRL (J Fawcett) - Jumped away awkwardly losing ground.

MISS NICO BELLE (L Allpress) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Raced wide without cover throughout. Became awkwardly placed on the heels of BELLA ROSE near the 900 metres.

RUSSIAN ROSETTE (D Montes de Oca) - Held up through the early stages of the final straight having to shift outwards to obtain clear running near the 250 metres. When questioned regarding performance rider could offer no excuse.

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