

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Canterbury Jockey Club at Riccarton Park

Date: Friday, 12 July 2024

Weather: Overcast Track: Synthetic Rail: True

Stewards: M Davidson (Chair), R Haley, D Wadley, E De Rybel (Assistant)

Vet: D Williamson BVSc

Op Support: C McMullan

SUMMARY

Suspensions: Nil Fines: Nil

Warnings: Race 4 A Balloo INGENIOUS

Shifting ground 500 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]

6 **N Parmar** HAYATE

Whip use arm above shoulder height [Rule 638(3)(f)(ii)]

Protests: Nil
Request for Ruling: Nil
Horse Actions: Nil
Follow Up: Nil

Rider Changes: Race 2 MAGGIE MCMUFFIN

C Barnes replaced K Asano (Transport difficulties)

Late Scratchings: Nil Medical Certificates: Nil

Swabbing: MUZZLE CAT, HE'S SO FINE, MITRE PEAK, IMABUSTER, TOUGH TIME, DOUBTFUL SOUND,

CHAIRMAN, SUZUKA, PEECEE PUSSYCAT

Pre-race blood testing was carried out at today's meeting

GENERAL

K Asano advised Stewards he would be unable to ride in Race 2 today due to flight delays out of Hamilton.

SUPPLEMENTARY

Race 7 - OPTIMISE FERTILISERS & EQUI-LISE 1400m

INCA BELLE (A Goindasamy) - Co-trainer Mr M Walker reported to Stewards that upon return to the stable the mare was examined by the stable veterinarian who confirmed INCA BELLE to have an irregular heartbeat, with INCA BELLE now being sent for a spell.

RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 THE TEA HOUSE RICCARTON PARK MAIDEN 2200m

MUZZLE CAT (T Moseley) - Slow to begin.

PINX (L Hemi) - Slow to begin. Improved wide from the 1200 metres.

LET'S GO (K Bakker) - Improved forward from the 1400 metres to lead near the 1300 metres when the pace of the race slackened.

DARKHAN ROAR (W Kennedy) - Crowded and steadied near the 1300 metres when SPEEDRUN lay inwards despite the efforts of the rider.

Race 2 THE SHOW GATE RICCARTON PARK MAIDEN 1200m

NOT STRAIGHT LACED (N Parmar) - Bounded at the start and slow to begin. Rider advised that after losing ground at the start it had been difficult to make ground on a fast tempo.

INSPIRATION (A Najib) - Slow to begin. Clipped heels and blundered shortly after the start when shifting ground inwards to obtain a position. The saddle slipped forward early in the race placing the rider at a disadvantage.

LIVE AND LEARN (K Bakker) - Slow to begin. Raced four wide without cover throughout.

ROSE DIOR (T Moseley) - Crowded at the start losing ground. Over raced in the early stages.

MAGGIE MCMUFFIN (C Barnes) - Crowded at the start losing ground.

MY GIRL CANDY (L Hemi) - Shifted out at the start crowding outside runner.

HEADING TO NOOSA (K Kwo) - Got its head up on a number of occasions when over racing in the early stages. Raced three wide without cover throughout.

HERE I AM (M McNab) - Raced keenly and wide in the early stages.

LUCY'S MAGIC (S Toolooa) - Raced greenly in the early stages and made the bend near the 900 metres awkwardly.

HE'S SO FINE (K Williams) - When asked to comment on the apparent improved performance, trainer N Mitchell advised that the gelding which was new to his stable had trialled well on the synthetic which combined with a gear change today had led to an improved performance.

Race 3 SPEIGHT'S SUMMIT ULTRA ON TAP 3YO 1400m

MITRE PEAK (N Parmar) - Slow to begin.

LUV ROSAY (J Fawcett) - Slow to begin. Raced keenly in the early stages and had to be steadied near the 900 metres when becoming awkwardly placed on heels. Again steadied when crowded for room near the 325 metres when VOICE OVER (T Moseley) shifted ground inwards. T Moseley was advised to exercise greater care.

VOICE OVER (T Moseley) - Held up early in the run home and had to shift inwards near the 325 metres. Again held up near the 150 metres having to briefly steady.

Race 4 GROUP 1 RACEDAY PARTY – 14 SEPTEMBER MAIDEN 1600m

ON THE ROAD AGAIN (N Parmar) - Bounded at the start losing ground.

BRUSSET (K Williams) - Taken back from a wide draw to obtain cover shortly after the start. Steadied to avoid the heels of INGENIOUS passing the 500 metres.

IMABUSTER (M McNab) - Raced keenly in the early to middle stages.

INGENIOUS (A Balloo) - Lay inwards for the majority of the race and near the 225 metres had to be steadied when awkwardly placed on the heels of a tiring runner. Continued to lay in and could not be ridden to advantage over the concluding stages.

CATCH MY DRIFT (W Kennedy) - Rider advised that the mare which was racing in a fresh state after having not started for 16 months had raced keenly early but was under pressure in the run home, adding that it would take natural benefit from today's run.

MONTERO (T Moseley) - Lay in in the run home.

A Balloo (INGENIOUS) - Issued with a warning after permitting his mount INGENIOUS to shift inwards when not fully clear of BRUSSET which had to be steadied near the 500 metres. When assessing this incident Stewards took into account the racing manners of INGENIOUS.

Race 5 GRAND NATIONAL TICKETS ON SALE 1600m

DEVIL IN DISGUISE (A Goindasamy) - Restrained from a wide draw to obtain cover shortly after the start. Briefly held up rounding the final turn.

PARAMOUNT PRINCE (K Kwo) - Lay out rounding the final bend having to be straightened.

BOOT IT SCOOTER (J Fawcett) - Rider advised that after being trapped wide she had to restrain her mount to obtain cover getting back in the field, and when placed under pressure in the final straight the gelding had failed to run on and had been disappointing.

Race 6 RED NOSE RACEDAY – 26 JULY 1600m

ANNELIESE (W Kennedy) - Bounded at the start losing ground. Held up briefly passing the 200 metres having to be restrained off heels and only finding clear racing room near the 100 metres.

DA VINCI GIRL (A Najib) - Slow to begin.

CORRECTION (T Moseley) - Slow to begin.

PEGAU (K Williams) - Raced three wide without cover throughout, with the rider advising that the mare had been disappointing.

FATHER LENIHAN (D Tait) - Briefly steadied away from heels when racing keenly passing the 1100 metres.

N Parmar (HAYATE) - Issued with a warning after using his whip on one occasion with an action which raised the rider's arm above shoulder height.

Race 7 100 YEARS LES BENNETTS CJC & HORORATA MEMBER 1400m

TAKE THAT (L Kauri) - Slow to begin.

SEVEN TWENTY (K Asano) - Slow to begin.

ANALYST (A Goindasamy) - Slow to begin. Contacted and buffeted near the 150 metres.

FIREGLOW (A Najib) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

MISS NICO BELLE (C Barnes) - Over raced in the early to middle stages.

CHAIRMAN (L Hemi) - Threw its head in the air on a number of occasions when over racing through the early stages. Held up in the run home only gaining clear racing room inside the final 200 metres.

ZOULANDER (K Williams) - Briefly steadied to avoid the heels of JUNE BUG (B Murray) passing the 1200 metres when that runner shifted ground. B Murray was advised to exercise greater care. Rider advised that after having a nice run throughout the gelding had been under pressure in the run home and had failed to run on, adding that the gelding may be better suited to 1200 metres and carrying top weight of 62kg had been detrimental to its chances today.

MEDINA (W Kennedy) - Had some trouble obtaining clear running in the run home only gaining clear racing room inside the final 200 metres and when shifting out to avoid heels made contact with ANALYST which shifted inwards passing the 150 metres.

Race 8 CUP WEEK HOSPITALITY ON SALE 1200m

MISS SAILOR (D Tait) - Fractious in its stall prior to the start and as a result bounded losing ground.

KINDRED SPIRIT (A Najib) - Bounded at the start losing ground.

JUSTANACE (A Goindasamy) - Slow to begin.

HEY NOW (T Moseley) - Knuckled at the start losing ground.

ANGELS WINGS (N Parmar) - Raced three wide without cover through the early stages.

SUZUKA (K Bakker) - Raced keenly when leading through the early stages.

BERBIZIER (L Hemi) - Held up in the run home until gaining clear racing room passing the 250 metres.

MUMBO JUMBO (C Barnes) - Held up passing the 150 metres only gaining clear racing room inside the final 50 metres.

Race 9 RACECOURSE HOTEL & MOTOR LODGE 2200m

SINCERE (K Asano) - Crowded at the start losing ground.

LINCOLN COUNTY (T Moseley) - Crowded shortly after the start losing ground.

PROSERVE (K Williams) - Raced three wide without cover through the early stages. Lay inwards in the run home. Steadied when laying inwards across heels near the 150 metres. Rider advised Stewards the gelding had hung throughout the running.

FIVE PRINCES (T Jonker) - Steadied to avoid the heels of PROSERVE (K Williams) which shifted in approaching the 1600 metres. K Williams was advised to exercise greater care.

EXTREME POWER (K Bakker) - Raced keenly through the middle stages. Contacted 250 metres and lay inwards for the remainder of the run home.

LIPPY (M McNab) - Raced three wide without cover from the 1200 metres.

STAR IN THE SKY (N Parmar) - Shifted out under pressure passing the 250 metres making contact with EXTREME POWER. N Parmar was shown a replay of this incident and advised to straighten his mount earlier than he had on this occasion.

A Balloo (STEVE AUSTIN) - Spoken to advisedly in regard to his whip action over the concluding stages.

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