

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Racing Taupo

Date: Wednesday, 22 May 2024

Weather: Cloudy

Track: Heavy 9, upgraded to Heavy 8 following Race 3

Rail: True

Stewards: A Dooley (Chair), B Jones, W Robinson, L Selvakumaran (Remote)

Vet: A Forbes BVSc
Op Support: K Verner

SUMMARY

Suspensions: Nil

Fines: Race 2 C Wiles FOODIE BROTHERS

Failed to make weight [Rule 346(3)] \$200 (Minor Infringement)

N Downs ROSINA

Excessive use of the whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$500

Warnings: Nil
Protests: Nil
Request for Ruling: Nil

Horse Actions: Race 7 SALUTO

Warning, barrier manners

9 **SKYLIT**

Required to barrier trial

Follow Up: Nil

Rider Changes: Race 2 FOODIE BROTHERS

L Douglas replaced C Wiles (overweight)

6 **BRAZEN AFFAIR**

N Parmar replaced W Pinn (unwell)

9 **MAPALICIOUS**

M McNab replaced M Cameron (injured)

10 PURE DELIGHT

C Grylls replaced M Cameron

Late Scratchings: Race 7 BELLA VOCE

At 1.18 pm on veterinary advice

9 **SKYLIT**

At 3.29 pm after refusing to load

Medical Certificates: Received from M Cameron

Received from K Asano Required from W Pinn Required from M Cameron Swabbing: JUSTICE, CAMPALDINO, IRISH MISS, SORGHAGHTINI, KAIMAI QUEEN, BELARDI, LOVACI, WASHI, DID THE TRICK, INCREDIBLE

GENERAL

W Pinn did not attend today's race meeting after advising Stewards on race morning that he was unwell. W Pinn is to provide a medical clearance prior to riding next.

SUPPLEMENTARY

Nothing to report

RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 D.J. O'SULLIVAN MASTER TRAINER @ WEXFORD STABLES 2000

JUSTICE (K Wiles) - Slow to begin.

MISCHIEF MANAGED (L Douglas) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Received pressure from ESCALADE which was racing to its outside in the early stages when riders were jostling for positions. After questioning riders and viewing the replays, D Parker was reminded of his obligations and advised to exercise greater care in similar circumstances.

TEXT REGRETS (A Roustoby) - Restrained in the early stages to obtain cover from a wide barrier.

DICTATION (H McNeill) - Raced wide in the early stages.

CON ARTIST (D Mcdonagh) - Lay inwards when placed under pressure making contact with the running rail passing the 300 metres.

SHOCKING PENNY (P Matthews) - Made the final bend awkwardly shifting wider on the track.

WANNABE 'N' VEGAS (K Macnab) - When questioned regarding the performance rider advised that the mare never travelled during the running and in her opinion may not have backed up from racing on 18 May.

Race 2 RIVERROCK FARM – CHAD ORMSBY MAIDEN HIGHWEIGHT 1750

IMPAIRED VISION (M Roustoby) - Stewards accepted the trainer's explanation for the late declaration of rider on this occasion.

JON WARRIOR (K Wiles) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Raced ungenerously in the early to middle stages.

SHOCKIFF (P Matthews) - Slow to begin. When questioned regarding the performance rider could offer no explanation.

PAC MAN (K Macnab) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Raced ungenerously through the early and middle stages.

ZIGGY KHAN (S O'Malley) - Slow to begin.

FOODIE BROTHERS (L Douglas) - Slow to begin. Eased down over the final 250 metres when out of contention. When questioned, rider advised that the gelding failed to handle today's track conditions.

MITONIC (H McNeill) - Raced three wide without cover until near the 700 metres.

N Downs (ROSINA) – Reminded of his obligations in that he must ride his mounts out fully to the end of the race when circumstances permit after narrowly holding on to 2^{nd} place.

C Wiles (FOODIE BROTHERS) - Issued with a Minor Infringement and fined \$200 after failing to make the weight on FOODIE BROTHERS. C Wiles was replaced by L Douglas.

N Downs (ROSINA) - Admitted a charge in that he used his whip six times prior to the 100 metre mark with the Adjudicator imposing a fine of \$500.

Race 3 KINGSCLERE STABLES – ROGER JAMES/ROBERT WELLWOOD MAIDEN 1750

SAN MARCO (N Parmar) - Began awkwardly. When questioned regarding the performance rider advised that the gelding raced greenly and would derive benefit from today's experience.

TALENTOSO (S Weatherley) - Contacted leaving the barriers losing ground. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

MONTE CIVETTA (A Lawson-Carroll) - Raced in restricted room for a distance passing the 1600 metres having to be steadied.

EVER CHARM (S Spratt) - Raced ungenerously when being restrained passing the 1500 metres.

VADASHA (K Myers) - Raced wide in the early stages before being allowed to stride forward to settle outside the leader near the 1200 metres.

DRAWBRIDGE (M McNab) - Raced keenly through the early and middle stages. Eased down over the final 200 metres when out of contention. When questioned regarding the performance rider advised that the gelding failed to handle today's track conditions.

Following this race the track was upgraded to Heavy 8.

Race 4 C.W. COLE RACING - CODY COLE 1750

THERAPEUTIC (C Grylls) – Slow to begin. Held up rounding the final bend.

HEART OF ALLADIN (K Asano) – Crowded shortly after the start losing ground. Raced keenly through the early and middle stages.

ARMINO (J Doyle) - Began awkwardly after being fractious in its barrier. Raced three wide without cover from near the 1300 metres.

I'M RONALDO (S Weatherley) - Restrained in the early stages to obtain cover from a wide barrier.

THE MASTER (A Lawson-Carroll) – Restrained in the early stages to obtain cover from the outside barrier.

SHE'S SO RELIABLE (C Butler) – Raced wide in the early stages before being allowed to stride forward to settle outside the leader near the 1300 metres.

Race 5

BALLYMORE STABLES - MICHAEL MORONEY/PAM GERARD 1200

GRAEME JOHN (T Davies) - Slow to begin.

CHIAVARI (M Cameron) - Slow to begin.

HANALEI STAR (B Rogerson) - Crowded shortly after the start having to be steadied.

QUARTZ QUEEN (J Doyle) - Raced wide through the early and middle stages.

KAIMAI QUEEN (N Parmar) - Held up rounding the final bend and early in the straight.

TAKESHI (M McNab) - When questioned regarding the performance rider advised that the colt would derive benefit from today's fresh up race.

T Melvin (BARONET) – Was shown the video replays of the final straight in the presence of riding mentor N Harris for educational purposes.

Race 6

DYLAN JOHNSON BLOODSTOCK MAIDEN 2YO 1100

PATSY'S DREAM (J Doyle) – Raced keenly through the early and middle stages.

ORANGE RIVER (B Rogerson) - Raced keenly through the early and middle stages.

SHE'S SINATRA (A Lawson-Carroll) - Hung outwards rounding the final bend.

BRAZEN AFFAIR (N Parmar) – When questioned regarding the performance rider advised that he was disappointed with the filly's effort and could offer no explanation.

Race 7

ENTAIN/NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES MAIDEN RACE 1300

SALUTO (M McNab) – Stood in the barriers when the start was effected losing ground (5L). Connections were advised a warning would be placed on the barrier manners of the filly.

LADYLOU (C Grylls) – Crowded shortly after the start losing ground.

SPARKLES (B Jacobson) - Had to be steadied away from heels when placed in restricted room to the inside of BENEE near the 700 metres.

BENEE (J Nishizuka) - Briefly shifted inwards near the 700 metres placing SPARKLES in restricted room.

BEAUJOLAIS (T Mitchell) - Commenced to give ground from the 800 metres and finished a distant last. When questioned regarding the performance rider could offer no explanation. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed no abnormalities.

SHOOT THE BREEZE (M Cameron) - Commenced to give ground from the 600 metres. When questioned regarding the performance rider could offer no explanation. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed no abnormalities.

Race 8 PIKE RACING – TONY PIKE MAIDEN 1400

WASHI (S Spratt) - Knuckled on jumping away. Shifted inwards when placed under pressure near the 200 metres having to be corrected by its rider.

TE HOE WERA WERA (C Barnes) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

SHIRAZELLE (B Jacobson) - Crowded shortly after the start losing ground. Raced keenly through the early and middle stages.

LIVING IN HOPE (W Kennedy) - Raced keenly through the early and middle stages. Steadied when placed in restricted room passing the 600 metres. Held up rounding the final bend and early in the straight.

KISZKAH (M Cameron) – Raced keenly through the early and middle stages causing its rider difficulty for a distance. When questioned regarding the performance rider advised that the mare raced keenly for a distance which proved detrimental to its chances.

CALIFORNIA GOLD (J Fawcett) - Steadied when placed in restricted room approaching the 200 metres when runners either side shifted ground.

PRISCA (L Satherley) – Briefly lay out when placed under pressure near the 200 metres.

Following this race M Cameron was stood down from his remaining riding engagements after aggravating a shoulder injury. M Cameron is to provide a medical clearance prior to riding next.

Race 9 STEPHEN MARSH RACING MAIDEN 1400

SKYLIT (W Kennedy) - Late scratched at 3.29 pm after refusing to load. Connections were advised that the filly would be required to barrier trial to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to racing next.

SOUND OF SILENCE (B Jacobson) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Raced wide without cover throughout.

USAIN (K Asano) - When questioned regarding the performance rider advised that the gelding raced greenly during the running and would derive benefit from today's raceday experience.

Race 10 JOE YORKE BLOODSTOCK MAIDEN 2000

PROCELLA (K Myers) - Slow to begin then crowded shortly after. Raced keenly in the early stages.

SABOTS D'OR (M McNab) - Crowded shortly after the start.

MAGICAL ROAD (N Hailey) - Crowded shortly after the start.

INCREDIBLE (O Bosson) – Raced keenly through the early and middle stages.

SASSY LASS (S Spratt) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

VITA AMOROSA (L Satherley) - Briefly placed in restricted room approaching the 250 metres.

PURE DELIGHT (C Grylls) - When questioned regarding the performance rider advised that the mare had failed to respond when placed under pressure in the final straight.

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