



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club:	Greymouth Jockey Club at Omoto Raceway
Date:	Wednesday, 3 January 2024
Weather:	Fine
Track:	Heavy 8
Rail:	True
Stewards:	M Davidson (Chair), V Algar, D Wadley
Vet:	A Corser BVSc
Op Support:	C McMullan

SUMMARY

Suspensions:	Nil
Fines:	Race 8 D Wilson ON THE RIVET Weighing-in 0.6kg in excess of weigh-out weight [Rule 648(5)] \$200
Warnings:	Race 1 R Jaun BELLUTTA Weighing-in 0.5kg in excess of weigh-out weight [Rule 648(5)] 2 J Land DIVINE AFFAIR Presenting runner with unnotified gear (ear covers) [Rule 616(2)] 4 D Wilson ILLICIT DREAMS Shifting ground at start [Rule 638(1)(d)] 8 M House FATHER LENIHAN Neglect in saddling (adding a towel) [Rule 614(2)]
Protests:	Race 2 POMALO 2nd v THE IMMIGRANT 1st Dismissed
Request for Ruling:	Nil
Horse Actions:	Nil
Follow Up:	Nil
Rider Changes:	Nil
Late Scratchings:	Race 6 RUBY SUNRISE 7:47am Veterinary advice
Medical Certificates:	Nil
Swabbing:	GANGSTA GRANNY, THE IMMIGRANT, RUSSIAN ROSETTE, ILLICIT DREAMS, KAHMA SUITSYA, BILLY LID, DU'BLUES, TIMES UP

GENERAL

Nothing to report

SUPPLEMENTARY

Nothing to report

SUMMARY

Race 1	CONQUEST TRAINING RACE DAY MAIDEN 1500m
BLANCHE (Y Atchamah) - Slow to begin. Raced in restricted room over the concluding stages when attempting a marginal run to the inside of O'CEIRINS DREAM.	
BELLUTTA (R Jaun) - Slow to begin.	

ROBDONTESS (D Wilson) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

JOYBELLS (A Balloo) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

MOVIE GIRL (T Jonker) - Restrained behind runners to obtain cover shortly after the start.

GANGSTA GRANNY (L Callaway) - Raced keenly through the early stages when being restrained to obtain cover.

QUICK CALL (D Tait) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

CALLISSIDENT (K Williams) - Over raced through the early to middle stages. Gave ground over the concluding stages, with the rider reporting the mare had not handled today's Heavy track conditions.

GRAVITY (T Comignaghi) - Lost the near hind plate during the running.

R Jaun (BELLUTTA) - Issued with a warning after weighing-in 0.5kg in excess of his weigh-out weight.

Race 2	THANKS FOR THE RIDE JOY & PETE DENSE MAIDEN 1100m
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Trainer **J Land** (DIVINE AFFAIR) - Issued with a warning after presenting DIVINE AFFAIR with ear covers which were not notified.

VELIKA LADY (C Butler) - Slow to begin and tailed the field throughout. Rider could offer no excuse other than the filly had been under pressure throughout the running. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which did not reveal any obvious abnormality. Connections advised that VELIKA LADY will not start again on this circuit and would be sent for a freshen up, with consideration being given to the racing future of the filly.

POMALO (T Jonker) - Slow to begin. Held up rounding the final bend and again near the 175 metres when a marginal run closed having to shift ground outwards to find clear racing room.

I AM ROMAN (T Comignaghi) - Raced wide without cover throughout and was not persevered with in the run home, with the rider expressing disappointment with the performance. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which revealed slow recovery and an elevated heart rate. Trainer M Pitman advised that I AM ROMAN would be scratched from its engagement on Saturday and gear changes will be made.

THE IMMIGRANT (K Chowdhury) - Lay inwards passing the 175 metres and was immediately straightened by its rider.

Following the running of the race the trainer of the second placed horse POMALO, Ms J Burrows, lodged a protest with the Adjudicator alleging interference near the 175 metres by the first placed horse THE IMMIGRANT. After considering submissions and viewing replays the Adjudicator dismissed the protest, with the placings standing 1st THE IMMIGRANT, 2nd POMALO, 3rd ELUSIVE ANNIE, 4th SWEYBANA.

Race 3	GREYMOUTH STAR/GREYMOUTH BUSINESSES SPRINT 1100m
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MISS ONAKI (L Callaway) - Slow to begin.

KAPALKA (T Comignaghi) - Slow to begin. Rider could offer no tangible excuse for the disappointing performance.

PATSY SPIRIT (D Wilson) - Hung inwards in the run down the backstraight brushing the rail on at least two occasions.

SEMPER SUPRA (D Tait) - Finished last. Connections advised that SEMPER SUPRA will be retired as a racing proposition from their stable.

Race 4	VERNON & VAZEY TRUCK PARTS 1100m
ZOULANDER (K Williams) - Crowded shortly after the start losing ground.	
KIKIMORA (L Callaway) - Placed in restricted room having to steady shortly after the start.	
EXPRESS COUP (K Chowdhury) - Lay outwards on the bend near the 800 metres having to be straightened by its rider.	
UNLEASHED (C Grylls) - Rider reported the mare had been under pressure rounding the final bend and was very disappointing.	
D Wilson (ILLICIT DREAMS) - Issued with a warning after permitting her mount ILLICIT DREAMS to shift inwards shortly after the start crowding KIKIMORA which had to be steadied.	
Race 5	RECREATION HOTEL GREYMOUTH CUP 2000m
STAR BALLOT (T Comignaghi) - Crowded shortly after the start losing ground.	
BLUEY'S CHANCE (D Tait) - Over raced through the early to middle stages on a slow tempo, having to be restrained passing the 800 metres. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which revealed the gelding had been galloped on and was also treated for colic.	
TAKE THAT (K Williams) - Rider was of the opinion the gelding had not handled today's Heavy track conditions.	
Race 6	JACK CURRAGH MEMORIAL/FRANK MCLAUGHLIN MEMORIAL 2000m
DA VINCI GIRL (K Chowdhury) - Slow to begin.	
RUFFHOUSE ROSIE (C Butler) - Crowded shortly after the start losing ground. Rider reported that after losing ground at the start she found it difficult to make ground in the Heavy track conditions.	
AL ZAHIRA (R Mudhoo) - Raced keenly through the early and middle stages. Rider reported the mare had hung throughout the running.	
CONWAY O'CEIRIN (C Grylls) - Rider reported the gelding had never travelled well at any point in the running and had been under pressure a long way from home. A post-race veterinary inspection did not reveal any obvious abnormality. Connections advised they would be reassessing the racing future of the gelding.	
Race 7	WESTLAND RACING CLUB MISS SCENICLAND STAKES 1500m
NAMIBIA MISS (K Chowdhury) - Crowded at the start losing ground when runners either side shifted ground. Restrained to avoid heels passing the 900 metres. Lay inwards in the run home and could not be ridden to full advantage over the concluding stages.	
MORMAIRE (Y Atchamah) - Contacted at the start losing ground. Improved quickly onto heels near the 1300 metres becoming awkwardly placed and had to be restrained.	
MISS SAILOR (D Wilson) - Contacted at the start losing ground.	
MIDNIGHT JANE (T Jonker) - Restrained behind runners to obtain cover shortly after the start.	
RUSSIAN FABLE (K Williams) - Steadied and got its head up when making the bend near the 900 metres awkwardly, with trailing runners SEVEN TWENTY and NAMIBIA MISS also having to be restrained at this point. Contributing to this	

incident was DU'BLUES which when improving forward to lead stepped inwards crowding RUSSIAN FABLE. D Tait was shown replays and advised she must make sure she is clear when shifting ground.

SEVEN TWENTY (R Mudhoo) - Steadied to avoid heels near the 900 metres.

Race 8	GREG DALY REAL ESTATE 1500m
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LULO ROSE (K Williams) - Jumped away awkwardly losing ground.

TYAGONAL (K Kwo) - Slow to begin. Over raced through the early and middle stages.

ON THE RIVET (D Wilson) - Raced three wide without cover.

HEREIGOAGAIN (R Mudhoo) - Had to change ground inwards near the 150 metres to find clear racing room.

BOSS MAN (R Jaun) - Shifted out under pressure over the concluding stages, dictating EXPLOSIVE LASS wider on the track.

M House (FATHER LENIHAN) - Issued with a warning for neglect in saddling after adding a towel to the gear of FATHER LENIHAN.

D Wilson (ON THE RIVET) - Admitted a charge in that she weighed in 0.6kg in excess of her weigh-out weight, being fined \$200 under the Minor Infringement Schedule.

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