

# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

**MEETING DETAILS** 

Club: Wyndham Racing Club at Gore

**Date:** Sunday, 10 March 2024 **Weather:** Fine / Strong winds

Track: Soft5 Rail: True

Stewards: M Davidson (Chair), R Haley, V Munro

**Vet:** A Wezenbeek BVSc

**Op Support:** B Gutsell

SUMMARY
Suspensions:

Race 4 R Muniandy SACRED MIST

Careless riding 1250 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 18/3-30/3, 6 days

Fines: Races 3/6 K Mudhoo MISSONI / THE ADVISOR

Failed to make contracted weight [Rule 346(3)] \$100 - Minor Infringement

Schedule

Race 8 **D Bothamley** ABRUZZI

Failed to make contracted weight [Rule 346(3)] \$100 - Minor Infringement

Schedule

Warnings: Nil Protests: Nil

Request for Ruling: Nil

Horse Actions: Race 6 THE RED KRACKEN

Veterinary clearance required

Follow Up: Nil

Rider Changes: Race 3 MISSONI

K Kwo replaced K Mudhoo (overweight)

Race 6 THE ADVISOR

G Jogoo replaced K Mudhoo

Race 8 ABRUZZI

T Comignaghi replaced D Bothamley (overweight)

Late Scratchings: Race 5 NOBELLEM

9.34am on Veterinary advice

Medical Certificates: Nil

**Swabbing:** DANZA, MORE THAN WORDS, OUCH, CAFEINATED, ADIKTIV PASSION, COCKAHOOP,

SHOCKALLIA, SACRED DREAM

## **GENERAL**

**K Mudhoo** was unable to make the contracted weight for his riding engagements in Race 3 (MISSONI) and Race 6 (THE ADVISOR) and was fined \$100 under the Minor Infringement Schedule. K Mudhoo was replaced as per the Summary above.

**D Bothamley** was unable to make the contracted weight for his riding engagement in Race 8 (ABRUZZI) and was fined \$100 under the Minor Infringement Schedule. D Bothamley was replaced as per the Summary above.

### **SUPPLEMENTARY**

Nothing to report

### **RACE COMMENTS**

### Race 1 ĀDVANCE AGRI & LES FRISBY & VETCO EDENDALE MAIDEN (2000m)

**GENTLE BEN** (D Bothamley) - Slow to begin.

**MI JADORE** (K Williams) - Slow to begin. When asked to comment on the performance of the favoured runner the rider advised that after getting back at the start the mare had found it hard to make ground due to the strong tempo.

THE ROYAL JESTER (K Mudhoo) - Raced keenly in the early stages.

**AMALFI COAST** (S Wynne) - Over-raced in the early stages and made the bend near the 1600 metres awkwardly. Improved wide from the 800 metres.

NAVAHO JO (K Bakker) - Raced keenly in the early stages before striding forward to lead passing the 1200 metres.

BRICKIE'S MOJO (D Montes de Oca) - Raced three wide without cover through the early and middle stages.

**AUSPICIOUSOCCASION** (B Murray) - Raced three wide from the 1000 metres.

## Race 2 THREE RIVERS HOTEL FIRESIDE CUP (1200m)

**RETURN WITH HONOUR** (B Rogerson) - Bounded at the start.

ATAAHUA PIPEDREAM (B May) - Crowded at the start losing ground when runners either side shifted ground.

MISS OTIS REGRETS (T Moseley) - After initially being slow away was taken back from a wide draw to obtain cover shortly after the start.

CHOUX MACHER (K Bakker) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

## Race 3 TITIROA TRANSPORT & BEATTIES COLLISION REPAIR MAIDEN (1200m)

BURNING BRIDGES (K Bakker) - Slow to begin.

**DE RUSSIAN ROCKET** (D Cooper) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

**MISSONI** (K Kwo) - Began awkwardly. Raced in restricted room shortly after the start when MACCEDES (R Muniandy) shifted inwards. R Muniandy was advised to exercise greater care. Shifted ground outwards when racing greenly and clipped the heel of MACCEDES near the 1100 metres. Continued to race greenly throughout and was reported by its rider to be field shy.

BONSAI BOB (B Rogerson) - Placed in restricted room shortly after the start when outside runners shifted in.

**ICE COLD GOLD** (S Toolooa) - Briefly steadied to avoid heels near the 900 metres when MACCEDES was taken inwards by INTERCEPT (B May.) B May was advised to exercise greater care. Raced keenly through the early and middle stages.

**OUCH** (T Comignaghi) - Lay out throughout the run home having to be straightened by its rider.

**FLOW ALONG** (C Campbell) - Briefly steadied near the 100 metres after becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of OUCH when both runners shifted ground.

**MACCEDES** (R Muniandy) - When asked to comment on the performance of the favoured runner the rider advised that he had used the horse early to go forward from a wide draw and in his opinion, this had taken its toll over the concluding stages.

## Race 4 BRIDGESTONE GORE & HILLSIDE METALS MAIDEN (1335m)

CHANCE (D Bothamley) - Slow to begin.

ASCEND (K Rathoar) - Slow to begin.

**IN VOGUE** (K Williams) - Slow to begin.

**INTERMINGLE** (C Campbell) - Slow to begin. Improved onto the heels of THE KINGS GIRL passing the 125 metres and when being steadied, shifted out hampering RELENTLESS KAYDEN. C Campbell was advised to exercise greater care when shifting ground.

**RELENTLESS KAYDEN** (T Moseley) - Taken back from a wide draw to obtain cover shortly after the start. Had to be severely restrained to avoid the heels of SACRED MIST which shifted inwards near the 1250 metres. Hampered near the 125 metres.

CAFFEINATED (K Bakker) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

**R Muniandy** (SACRED MIST) - Admitted a charge of careless riding, assisted by J Laking, in that he permitted his mount SACRED MIST to shifted ground inwards when not sufficiently clear of RELENTLESS KAYDEN which had to be severely restrained near the 1250 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of Mr Muniandy's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on 17 March until the conclusion of racing on 30 March, 6 national riding days.

### Race 5 ENTAIN – NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE (1335m)

**NOBELLEM** (R Muniandy) - Late scratching on Veterinary advice at 9.34am.

**JIBBITY** (S Wynne) - Began awkwardly losing ground and was outpaced through the early stages despite the efforts of its rider. Miss Wynne reported that in her opinion the mare was looking for further ground.

FIRE 'N REIGN (T Comignaghi) - Crowded at the start losing ground when an outside runner shifted inwards.

ABIT SASSY (G Jogoo) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

**SACRED ROSE** (K Bakker) - Briefly unbalanced near the 275 metres when contacted by ALBAZINGA which was taken out by CLASSIC DIVA which lay out on the turn.

# Race 6 GORE ELITE PLUMBING & K2 KONTRACTING (1335m)

LA OPCION (T Comignaghi) - Slow to begin.

PURE ZAMBEZI (K Williams) - Slow to begin.

INDUSTRIALIST (T Moseley) - Slow to begin. Hampered near the 150 metres.

**THE RED KRACKEN** (B Murray) - Slow to begin and tailed the field throughout finishing in a distant last placing. Rider could offer no explanation for the performance. A post-race Veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the left hind leg. Connections were advised a Veterinary clearance would be required prior to THE RED KRACKEN racing next.

THE BLAZING ONE (D Cooper) - Very slow to begin (4L.)

**COCKAHOOP** (B Rogerson) - Inclined to shift ground throughout the home straight.

QUICK TAP (R Muniandy) - Buffeted and unbalanced near the 150 metres and was taken outwards onto INDUSTRIALIST when ANGE DE REVE shifted away from the heels of COCKAHOOP. After interviewing all riders and viewing replays it was established that ANGE DE REVE had briefly become awkwardly placed on the heels of COCKAHOOP which had been straightened after shifting ground inwards under pressure and when shifting ground had overreacted when contacting QUICK TAP laying out on the runner. In assessing this Stewards took into account the prevailing strong winds today and took the matter no further other than to remind all riders they must keep their mounts straight at all times.

Following the race Stewards viewed the footage of the incident passing the 150 metres to determine whether there were grounds for a protest. After reviewing the replays Stewards authorised placings as the runners passed the post.

# Race 7 AB LIME WYNDHAM CUP HANDICAP (2000m)

**THE TUI TOILER** (G Jogoo) - Over-raced into the first bend and got its head up when being steadied to take a trailing position.

**ZAMBEZI ZIPPER** (B Rogerson) - Under pressure passing the 400 metres and was not persevered with in the straight. Rider reported the mare maybe looking for tracks with more moisture.

## Race 8 TRANSPORT REPAIRS & HERBERTS TRANSPORT PINE BUSH CUP (2000m)

**THE CLUSTER** (K Kwo) - Underwent a pre-race Veterinary examination after being fractious in its barrier and was cleared to start. Held up passing the 500 metres. Lay out rounding the final bend.

**DIAMOND RIVIERE** (G Jogoo) - Slow to begin.

**ON THE RIVET** (C Campbell) - Slow to begin. Lay inwards under pressure over the concluding stages and near the 75 metres shifted in inconveniencing DAVID MOSS which had to briefly steady. C Campbell was advised to exercise greater care when shifting ground.

**THE LAST THYME** (D Montes de Oca) - Raced three wide without cover through the early stages before being ridden forward to lead near the 1300 metres. Gave ground from the 500 metres finishing in last position. Trainer J Curran advised he would be reassessing the racing future of the mare.

**DAVID MOSS** (K Mudhoo) - Briefly steadied to avoid the heels of JUST MAYBE near the 1700 metres. Inconvenienced having to steady near the 75 metres.

THE ROYAL DIVA (Y Atchamah) - Got its head up when being steadied to take a trailing position near the 1300 metres.

**ABRUZZI** (T Comignaghi) - Raced three wide without cover from the 1100 metres.

**WHINY MEOW** (B Rogerson) - Held up rounding the final bend. Again had difficulty obtaining clear racing room for some distance passing the 125 metres having to shift ground inwards passing the 100 metres.

JESSIE'S ROCK (R Muniandy) - Had some difficulty obtaining clear running early in the run home.

**RUBY SUNRISE** (T Moseley) - Briefly raced in restricted room to the inside of BILLY LID near the 75 metres. When asked to comment the rider could offer no tangible excuse for the disappointing performance.

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