



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Levin Racing Club @ Otaki
Date: Thursday, 28 November 2024
Weather: Overcast
Track: Soft 5
Rail: True
Stewards: J Oatham (Chair), N Goodwin, K Jillings (Trainee)
Vet: E Simpson BVSc
Op Support: S Shirriffs

SUMMARY

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

Horse Actions:

Race	1	ROCKBURN Epistaxis. 3-month stand down from racing or trialling, 2-month stand down from exercise. Veterinary certificate required
	3	INTENTION Warning – barrier/racing manners
	3	ROMANOFF Warning – racing manners
	6	WAIHAHA FALLS Veterinary clearance required

Follow Up: Race 3 **FURY OF FLIGHT**

Rider Changes: Race 4 **WENEEDASHOCK**
R Goyaram replaced L Douglas (transport difficulties)

8 **WAITUI ROSE**
J Chung replaced L Kauri (transport difficulties)

Late Scratchings: Race 5 **IFNDOUBTGETOUT**
@ 1.30pm - transport difficulties

Medical Certificates:

Swabbing: THE SCUNNER, BALLON D'OR, ROMANOFF, TIKEMYSON, IDYLLIC, LIGHTNING JACK, TUXEDO, ISLAND LIFE, OLD BILL BONE.

GENERAL

Nothing to report

SUPPLEMENTARY

Woodville-Pahiatua Racing Club @ Woodville, Sunday 17 November 2024

Race 4 AWASSI MAIDEN 1400m

NOZUMI (J Riddell) – Co-trainer Ms. S Thompson-Brown reported to Stewards, that on Wednesday 20 November, NOZUMI underwent a veterinary examination which included an endoscopic examination and blood tests, which did not reveal any abnormalities. S Thompson-Brown further advised it is the stable's intention to continue on with the gelding's current preparation.

Taranaki TRI @ New Plymouth Raceway, Friday, 22 November 2024

Race 8 CHRISTMAS AT THE RACES THURSDAY 5 DECEMBER 2024 MAIDEN 1600m

BLUE JEANIE (H Grace) – Trainer Mr. B Newman reported to Stewards, he was satisfied with the post-race condition of BLUE JEANIE and it is his intention to carry on with the mare's current preparation.

RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 VETS ON RIVERBANK HANDICAP 1400m

BOW HILL (M McNab) - Slow away then lay outwards, striking a heel of ROCKBURN shortly after the start and blundered.

IVY DAZZLER (M Singh) - Slow away.

ROCKBURN (M Hashizume) - Jumped away awkwardly before being further inconvenienced by THE SCUNNER. Returned to the enclosure with blood present in both nostrils. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which found the gelding to have experienced an episode of Epistaxis. ROCKBURN shall not be ridden in exercise for a period of two months or start in any race or trial for a period of three months, and then only after a satisfactory gallop of at least 1000 metres in the presence of a Veterinarian.

THE SCUNNER (S Spratt) - Lay outwards after leaving the barriers, inconveniencing ROCKBURN.

Race 2 RACING THIS TIME TV FACEBOOK MAIDEN 1200m

JUST BEN (R Goyaram) - Slow away.

ASTORIA BROOKE (M McNab) - Hampered passing the 1000 metres when FASTER SOONER NOW shifted outwards after making slight contact with WHOOSHKA. ASTORIA BROOKE was then inclined to over race when being restrained to obtain cover. When questioned regarding his riding tactics, M McNab advised that he had been instructed not to be overly aggressive out of the barriers and when the three runners to his inside had all continued to maintain their positions in the early stages, he had attempted to ease his mount before being hampered going into the bend near the 1000 metres. M McNab further advised that after being forced wider when hampered, rather than be caught wide without cover he had restrained his mount behind FASTER SOONER NOW, but that runner had come under pressure approaching the 600 metres which had resulted in him getting further back than intended.

WHOOSHKA (W Pinn) - Held up near the 350 metres, having to be restrained off the heels of AVETA.

AVETA (S Spratt) - Lay outwards making contact with the hind quarters of LINARA near the 300 metres.

LINARA (K Chowdhooory) - Briefly unbalanced when contacted near the 300 metres.

FASTER SOONER NOW (L Sutherland) - Lay inwards early in the straight, inconveniencing LITTLE MISS MUFFET passing the 350 metres. L Sutherland was advised to exercise care.

LITTLE MISS MUFFET (K Hercock) - Inconvenienced near the 350 metres.

Race 3 UZA BUS TWO YEAR OLD 1100m

INTENTION (M Hashizume) - Proved difficult to load into the barriers. Jumped away awkwardly, before then briefly attempting to buck shortly after the start. Trainer M Breslin was advised that a warning would be placed against the filly's barrier/racing manners. Held up near the 250 metres, then having difficulty obtaining clear running until near the 100 metres. Inconvenienced, having to shift ground passing the 50 metres when CURZON PARK shifted outwards.

FURY OF FLIGHT (W Pinn) - Lay outwards rounding the final turn and continued to do so in the straight. When questioned regarding performance, rider advised that the colt had made abnormal breathing noises during the running. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any obvious abnormality. Co-Trainer S Bergerson advised that they will have further tests conducted on return to their stable, including a dynamic scope. Stewards will follow up with connections in coming days.

ROMANOFF (M McNab) - Ducked outwards abruptly near the 50 metres, finishing wide on the track. The stable representative was advised that a warning would be placed against the colt for its racing manners.

Race 4 | **DUNSTAN HORSE FEEDS CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFIER 2200m**

YOLO (A Riddell) - Slow away.

BOZO (L Sutherland) - Restrained to obtain cover after jumping from the outside barrier. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that after getting back from its wide draw, the mare had not been suited by the slow tempo of the race and had been unable to make up ground. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormalities.

INMYSHADOW (M Hudson) - Over-raced in the middle stages. Lay outwards under pressure in the straight.

TIKEMYSON (H Grace) - Over-raced in the middle stages. Lay inwards under pressure in the straight.

SHE'S SO RELIABLE (J Chung) - Rider advised the mare had not been suited by the slow tempo of the race.

Race 5 | **ROSE CITY CARS LEVIN STAKES 1200m**

PRIORESS (S Spratt) - Restrained to obtain cover after jumping from the outside barrier.

PERFECTSISTER (C Barnes) - Crowded leaving the barriers.

WAIHAHA FALLS (L Sutherland) - Slow away. When questioned regarding performance, rider advised the gelding had been disappointing and was unable to offer any excuse other than being a clear top weight. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which found the gelding to be 1/5 lame in the left foreleg. Connections were advised WAIHAHA FALLS requires a veterinary clearance prior to racing next.

OLD TOWN ROAD (J Doyle) - Rider dropped his whip when it was knocked out of his hand passing the 300 metres.

LAZIO (R Goyaram) - When questioned regarding performance R Goyaram advised the gelding had failed to let down once placed under pressure, had been disappointing and may have come to the end of its preparation. Trainer A Sharrock confirmed that LAZIO will now be spelled.

Race 6 | **BOBBY FOUNDATION BACKING KIWI LEGENDS MILE 1600m**

MANIFIQUE (K Chowdhury) - Restrained to obtain cover after jumping from a wide barrier.

DUNCAN CREEK (J Chung) - Jumped away awkwardly, hampering LIGHTNING JACK.

LIGHTNING JACK (A Riddell) - Hampered leaving the barriers. Held up for a short distance rounding the bend approaching the 400 metres.

RUSTY LANE (J Doyle) - Raced three-wide without cover.

SAGUNTO (N Parmar) - When questioned regarding performance, rider was unable to offer any excuse. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

Race 7	ELSDON PARK WELLINGTON STAKES (G3) 1600m
<p>The start was delayed approximately 2 minutes when SUBIACO (M McNab) proved unruly during its preliminary with the rider dismounting and requiring assistance from the Clerk of the Course.</p> <p>VANISH (M Singh) - Jumped away awkwardly hampering SKIPPERS CANYON.</p> <p>SKIPPERS CANYON (K Hercock) - Hampered leaving the barriers, losing ground.</p> <p>HE'S LUCID (L Sutherland) - Jumped away awkwardly making contact with DUBAI'S POTIKI.</p> <p>DUBAI'S POTIKI (H Grace) - Contacted leaving the barriers. Lay outwards rounding the bend.</p> <p>BELLA MONTAGNA (S Weatherley) - Blundered leaving the barriers.</p> <p>ISLAND LIFE (S Spratt) - Over-raced in the early and middle stages.</p> <p>JOAN'S JOKER (N Parmar) - Raced wide throughout.</p>	
Race 8	FEILDTECH COMMUNICATIONS HANDICAP 1400m
<p>FIVE BELLS (Ayush Mudhoo) - Slow away.</p> <p>PADDY GIFT (H Grace) - Slow away.</p> <p>OMEGA BOY (T Davies) - Slow away. Steadied when racing in restricted room near the 1100 metres.</p> <p>STRANGE LOVE (N Parmer) - Shifted ground under pressure near the 250 metres, inconveniencing OLD BILL BONE.</p> <p>OLD BILL BONE (S Weatherley) - Inconvenienced near the 250 metres.</p> <p>AM I BLUE (M Singh) - Held up passing the 150 metres and was not persevered with over the concluding stages.</p>	

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