



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Kurow Jockey Club at Kurow
Date: Monday, 30 December 2024
Weather: Showery
Track: Soft 6
Rail: True
Stewards: R Haley (Chair), M Davidson, V Munro
Vet: P Gillespie BVSc
Op Support: C McMullan

SUMMARY

Suspensions: Race 6 **Y Atchamah** MISS INTERPRET
Careless riding 800 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 6/1-12/1, 6 days

Fines: Nil

Warnings: Race 10 **K Williams** SAY SATONO
Shifting ground 100 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]

Protests: Nil

Request for Ruling: Race 7 **CINNAMON GIRL** Y Atchamah
Declared a non-runner after being denied a fair start [Rule 632(1)]

Horse Actions: Race 7 **CINNAMON GIRL**
Required to barrier trial

7 **TAIL LIGHTS**
Required to barrier trial

Follow Up: Nil

Rider Changes: Race 7 **OFF TO THE NUNNERY**
B Murray replaced D Montes de Oca (Unwell)

10 **ROYAL VALOUR**
L Callaway replaced D Montes de Oca

Late Scratchings: Race 7 **CINNAMON GIRL**
4:30pm Denied a fair start

Medical Certificates: Required from **D Montes de Oca**

Swabbing: JING JING, ELECTRIC DREAM, MALACCA BAY, SAKURAJIMA, REELROSE, THE IMMIGRANT, OFF TO THE NUNNERY, MOVIE GIRL, OUR ECHO, SAY SATONO

GENERAL

D Montes de Oca advised Stewards on race morning he was unwell and would not be attending today's meeting and was replaced as per above Summary. D Montes de Oca was advised that a medical certificate is required prior to racing next.

A number of riders underwent workplace breath testing with clear samples provided.

SUPPLEMENTARY

Nothing to report

RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 | **BENMORE MERINOS AND RURAL TRANSPORT MAIDEN 1800m**

There was a delay to the start of this race at the request of the TAB due to a race running late at the Reefton Harness meeting.

ICEBERG (A Balloo) - Blundered badly at the start dislodging the rider who was uninjured.

GWYNVER (A Goindasamy) - Began awkwardly. Rider advised that the mare may have choked down. A post-race veterinary inspection revealed that the mare had choked down during the running.

OUR BO JAKK (R Khan) - Threw its head up at the start losing ground. Lay inwards throughout the run home.

YUNGBLUD (B May) - Raced wide in the early stages.

BAGGIO (K Williams) - Hampered by the riderless horse passing the 1400 metres.

MISTER GOLDIE (D Cooper) - Hampered by the riderless horse passing the 1400 metres having to shift wider on the track when repositioning, and in doing so lay inwards crowding LA FURRIOSSA which lost ground.

LA FURRIOSSA (K Hercock) - Crowded and checked near the 1300 metres when runners were repositioning after being hampered by the riderless horse.

OCEAN BREEZE (T Comignaghi) - Had to be restrained off heels passing the 200 metres when looking for clear racing room.

Race 2	VALLI VINEYARDS AND BREENS CONSTRUCTION MAIDEN 1400m
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AGAPE (R Mudhoo) - Slow to begin.

RAGHALLAIGH (B May) - Slow to begin. Shifted ground inwards near the 200 metres having to be straightened by the rider.

DASH OF RED (C Campbell) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

MOUNTAIN OF LIGHT (D Cooper) - Raced three wide without cover for the majority of the race. Lay in rounding the final bend and throughout the run home having to be straightened.

DARKHAN ROAR (B Murray) - Over raced through the middle stages.

GEORGIE (K Hercock) - Briefly crowded rounding the final bend.

RAY'S AWAKE (A Goindasamy) - Passing the 200 metres was taken inwards by RAGHALLAIGH which was also taken in at this point.

Race 3	COMMODORE HOTEL MAIDEN 1400m
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Rider D Cooper was harmlessly dislodged prior to the race and attended to by on-course Paramedics and cleared to ride.

UNLEASH THE BEAST (A Balloo) - Slow to begin.

CASSIUS (C Campbell) - Taken back from a wide draw to obtain cover shortly after the start.

OUR SALLYANN (K Hercock) - Raced three wide without cover through the early to middle stages.

WOTACHATTABOX (D Cooper) - Improved onto the heels of the runner in front passing the 900 metres having to be steadied.

HOSHI (B May) - Crowded and steadied when tiring near the 400 metres when an outside runner shifted in, finishing a distant last. A post-race veterinary inspection did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

SUPER ROSA (T Moseley) - Rider could offer no tangible excuse for the disappointing performance.

Race 4 | **RAZZA BAR AND MIKES MATE RUSS MAIDEN 1200m**

SAKURAJIMA (D Cooper) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Shifted ground inwards under pressure over the concluding stages.

ILIMITADO (B May) - Slow to begin.

COLANTO (A Balloo) - Raced three wide without cover.

KELLANZOR (A Najib) - Inclined to lay in throughout the run home.

Race 5 | **COCHRANES FARM MACHINERY 1800m**

MISCHIEF MANAGED (T Moseley) - Slow to begin.

EL ULTIMO (K Mudhoo) - Began awkwardly shifting outwards. Over raced in the early stages getting its head up on a number of occasions and near the 1200 metres had to be steadied away from heels.

REELROSE (T Comignaghi) - Raced three wide without cover through the early stages.

CHEQUERED (C Campbell) - Rider could offer no excuse for the disappointing performance after having a nice run outside the leader.

Race 6 | **MCKEOWN PETROLEUM 1800m**

There was a delay to the start of this race at the request of the TAB due to a race running late at the Reefton Harness meeting.

RETAIL THERAPY (F Moerman) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

MISS INTERPRET (Y Atchamah) - Raced three wide without cover.

BLANCHE (K Hercock) - Shifted outwards near the 800 metres to avoid the heels of ME LIBEREZ which was crowded and checked.

ME LIBEREZ (T Moseley) - Crowded and checked going back onto THE IMMIGRANT near the 600 metres.

THE IMMIGRANT (T Comignaghi) - Held up rounding the bend and early in the run home, having to shift ground near the 250 metres to find clear racing room. Lay inwards over the concluding stages and could not be ridden to full advantage.

Y Atchamah (MISS INTERPRET) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he permitted his mount MISS INTERPRET to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear of ME LIBEREZ which was checked going back onto BLANCHE which was also checked approaching the 800 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicator imposed a suspension of Y Atchamah's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Sunday 5 January until the conclusion of racing on Sunday 12 January, 6 national riding days.

Race 7 | **COUPLAND BAKERIES 1200m**

TAIL LIGHTS (T Cominaghi) - Stood in the gates and took no part in the contest due to CINNAMON GIRL being fractious in the adjacent stall. Connections were advised that TAIL LIGHTS must jump out to the satisfaction of a Stipendiary Steward prior to racing next.

CINNAMON GIRL (Y Atchamah) - Fractious in the barriers. Very slow to begin (5 lengths). Over raced passing the 800 metres becoming awkwardly placed on heels and unbalancing the rider for several strides, and when being restrained became awkward in its stride, unbalancing the rider again and making firm contact with ONCEACONNER which was also buffeted and unbalanced.

THATS CHARMING (A Mudhoo) - Over raced in the early stages.

MISS BRITTANY (F Moerman) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

ONCEACONNER (L Callaway) - Buffeted and unbalanced near the 800 metres.

OFF TO THE NUNNERY (B Murray) - Lost the right front plate during the running.

Following the running of this race the trainer of **CINNAMON GIRL**, A Carston, requested a ruling into whether the mare received a fair start due to a starter's attendant having hold of CINNAMON GIRL when the gates opened. After viewing replays and hearing evidence, the Adjudicator declared CINNAMON GIRL a non-starter. Notwithstanding being declared a non-starter, connections were advised that CINNAMON GIRL must barrier trial to the satisfaction of a Stipendiary Steward prior to racing next.

Race 8 | **PHIL HOGAN MEMORIAL 1400m**

MIGHTY CASTLE (A Balloo) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

ON THE RIVET (S Wynne) - Taken back from a wide draw to obtain cover shortly after the start.

AQUA MAN (C Campbell) - Taken back from a wide draw to obtain cover shortly after the start. Lost the right front plate during the running.

MIGHTY BRIGHT (B May) - Raced three wide without cover through the early and middle stages. Lay out throughout the run home.

MOVIE GIRL (K Hercock) - Raced wide from the 600 metres.

Race 9 | **KUROW CUP WEST COAST STEEPLECHASER 1400m**

ZOULANDER (K Hercock) - Slow to begin.

EPEE BEEL (K Williams) - Taken back from a wide draw to obtain cover shortly after the start.

OUR ECHO (T Comignaghi) - Over raced through the early stages.

WILL POWER LAD (D Cooper) - Over raced through the early stages. Gave ground over the concluding stages. Rider advised that the gelding had suffered an abrasion during the running and in his opinion had made abnormal breathing noises. A post-race veterinary inspection revealed an over-reach laceration to the right front leg.

THE BUFFER (F Moerman) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

SPECIALTY (R Beeharry) - Over raced through the middle stages.

TANZANITE ROSE (Y Atchamah) - Held up rounding the final bend and early in the run home before obtaining a run near the 200 metres.

SAUVAGE (C Campbell) - Had some trouble obtaining clear racing room in the run home having to shift outwards near the 150 metres.

Race 10 | **COUPLAND WORKING DOG BISCUITS 1400m**

REDFORD (T Ladouceur) - Slow to begin.

QUINTABELLE (Y Atchamah) - Slow to begin.

SUPER RED DRAGON (D Cooper) - Raced three wide without cover for the majority of the race.

SAY SATONO (K Williams) - Held up early in the run home.

UGO (S Wynne) - Had to be steadied approaching the 100 metres.

FUNFETTI (A Mudhoo) - When questioned regarding performance, rider advised that the mare had battled fairly over the concluding stages and may not have been entirely comfortable in today's soft track conditions.

K Williams (SAY SATONO) - Issued with a warning after allowing her mount SAY SATONO to shift inwards under pressure crowding UGO which had to steady near the 100 metres.

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