

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Southland Racing Club at Ascot Park

Date: Sunday, 6 April 2025

Weather: Fine Track: Soft 5

Rail: Out 3 metres

Stewards: V Fisher (Chair), M Davidson, V Munro

Vet: A Wezenbeek DVM

Op Support: B Gutsell

SUMMARY

Suspensions: Nil Fines: Nil

Warnings: Race 5 S Wynne MISS MIRANDA

Shifting ground inwards 900 metres when not fully clear [Rule 638(1)(d)]

Race 8 Y Atchamah SAILOR GIRL

Shifting ground 1200 metres crowding an inside runner [Rule 638(1)(d)]

Protests: Nil

Request for Ruling: Nil

Horse Actions: Race 8 VANTAANA

Barrier manners warning

Follow Up: Race 2 GAELIC HOOLEY

Rider Changes: Nil

Late Scratchings: Race 1 SUSPECT OR VICTIM

At 7.53am due to losing a plate and was unable to be replated

Medical Certificates: Nil

Swabbing: ARCTIC OCEAN, ACESANJACKS, ALBAZINGA, ZIRCON, MISS MIRANDA, SHORT, VAGUE,

NEPTUNE, MISS LAYLA

GENERAL

Nothing to report

SUPPLEMENTARY

Nothing to report

RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 THE AVE SPORTS BAR MAIDEN 2225m

PINX (B May) - Slow to begin. Allowed to stride forward from the 1100 metres to lead near the 900 metres. Crowded when tiring passing the 400 metres.

SHOOTING STRIDE (R Mudhoo) - Crowded having to be briefly steadied near the 2000 metres when PRINCEOFHARPZ was dictated inwards by MISS ENZED (C Campbell) which shifted in when not fully clear. C Campbell was advised to exercise greater care.

SPARKY (T Jonker) - Over-raced when leading in the early stages.

PRINCEOFHARPZ (T Moseley) - Raced keenly through the early and middle stages. Held up rounding the final bend. Received post-race Veterinary treatment for a cut to the inside of its off foreleg.

ARCTIC OCEAN (K Kalychurun) - Had to be steadied when improving on to the heels of the tiring PINX near the 300 metres.

Race 2 ASHFORD MOTOR LODGE MAIDEN 1400m

THRILLER (T Jonker) - Slow to begin.

CHUPALLA (C Campbell) - Slow to begin.

GAELIC HOOLEY (K Kalychurun) - Slow to begin. Raced wide without cover throughout. Received post-race Veterinary treatment for three minor lacerations to the left hind leg consistent with the mare having been galloped on during the running.

MOUTIS (D Bothamley) - Taken back from a wide draw to obtain cover shortly after the start.

PRINCESS OLHA (B Jacobson) - Shifted outwards when negotiating the crossing near the 1200 metres inconveniencing ACESANJACKS and CECIL'S LAD. Raced in restricted room near the 900 metres having to be briefly steadied when ACESANJACKS (R Muniandy) shifted in when not fully clear with the trailing EXPENSIVE GEM being hampered as a result. R Muniandy was advised to exercise greater care. Rider reported the mare had hung throughout proving a difficult ride.

ACESANJACKS (R Muniandy) - Inconvenienced near the 1200 metres.

CECIL'S LAD (L Callaway) - Inconvenienced near the 1200 metres.

EXPENSIVE GEM (R Mudhoo) - Hampered near the 900 metres.

LETS GO BARBIE (N Yuen) - Held up rounding the final bend and through the early stages of the final straight.

Race 3 OUR DAD IS STILL FUNNY 10 YEARS ON 1400m

ALBAZINGA (R Muniandy) - Underwent a pre-race Veterinary examination after being fractious in the birdcage and losing its footing, being cleared to start. Briefly held up turning for home.

ZABORACI (B Jacobson) - Very slow to begin.

CANDIDATE (R Mudhoo) - Raced keenly through the early stages.

LEISURE DOLLAR (C Campbell) - Under pressure passing the 500 metres and was not persevered with in the run home. When questioned regarding the performance rider advised the gelding had raced greenly throughout. A post-race Veterinary examination revealed no apparent abnormality.

NO BOUQUET (T Moseley) - Held up rounding the final bend and early in the run home.

MAGNASTAR (D Cooper) - When questioned regarding the performance rider could offer no excuse.

Race 4 ENTAIN/NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES 1200m

OASIS (B Jacobson) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

DECIPHERING ME (R Mudhoo) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

LUDDZZ (B Rogerson) - Slow to begin.

AOZORA NOTE (C Campbell) - Slow to begin. Contacted and dictated wider near the 300 metres.

JUST HENRI (T Jonker) - Had to be steadied when improving on to heels passing the 800 metres. Held up by a tiring runner in the home straight and was unable to find clear racing room until inside the final 100 metres.

ELIZABETH MARY (D Cooper) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

MARGIELA (K Kalychurun) - Raced four wide without cover throughout.

EKSTATIQUE (S Wynne) - Shifted outwards across heels to obtain clear running near the 300 metres contacting and dictating AOZORA NOTE wider on the track. S Wynne was advised to exercise greater care.

Y Atchamah (BEE ON TIME) - Reminded of his obligation in that he must ride his mount out to the finish of the race when circumstances permit.

Race 5 EDITOR'S CUT SPORTS BAR HANDICAP 1200m

MISS MIRANDA (S Wynne) - Began awkwardly.

INDUSTRIALIST (D Cooper) - Began awkwardly and shifted inwards shortly after the start having to be straightened by its rider.

MIDNIGHT RUNNER (B Jacobson) - Slow to begin and then trailed the field throughout. When questioned regarding the performance rider advised the gelding had felt indifferent in its action throughout the running. A post-race Veterinary examination revealed no apparent abnormality. Trainer J Phillips advised the gelding would benefit from more rain affected footing.

ROCHELLO (B Rogerson) - Steadied to avoid the heels of MISS MIRANDA near the 900 metres.

S Wynne (MISS MIRANDA) - Issued with a warning after allowing her mount MISS MIRANDA to shift ground inwards near the 900 metres when not fully clear of ROCHELLO which had to be steadied.

Race 6 NORTHERN SPORTS BAR & TAB HANDICAP 2225m

MR FAHRENHEIT (K Kalychurun) - Slow to begin.

GIVEALITTLE (T Jonker) - Slow to begin. Held up over the concluding stages with the mare going to the line not fully tested by its rider.

AMALFI COAST (C Campbell) - When over-racing was steadied to avoid the heels of SHORT (K Williams) near the 2000 metres which was also being steadied to avoid the heels of the runner in front. K Williams was advised to exercise greater care.

XRATED (B Jacobson) - Over-raced in the early stages.

SHORT (K Williams) - Raced keenly through the early and middle stages.

QUICK CALL (A Najib) - Made contact with the running rail passing the 700 metres and shifted outwards inconveniencing HE'S TIKETIBOO. Held up early in the run home.

HE'S TIKETIBOO (D Bothamley) - Inconvenienced near the 700 metres. Held up rounding the final bend.

MONTE KHAN (T Moseley) - Held up rounding the final bend.

A Najib (QUICK CALL) - Reminded of his obligation in that he must ride his mount out to the finish of the race when circumstances permit.

Race 7 ASCOT SPORTS BAR HANDICAP 2225m

FIERY RED (R Muniandy) - Over-raced in the middle stages.

THEODEN (A Goindasamy) - Crowded shortly after the start losing ground when LILY OF THE VALLEY shifted in. When questioned regarding the performance rider advised the gelding would derive benefit from the race and would appreciate tracks with more moisture.

Race 8 WAIKIWI TAVERN & THE FOUNDRY RESTAURANT HANDICAP 1400m

Trainer **S Kirkland** (NEPTUNE) - Spoken to advisedly regarding presenting the gelding with racing plates which required farrier attention prior to the start.

VANTAANA (T Jonker) - Began very awkwardly losing considerable ground (10L). Connections were advised that a barrier manners warning will be placed on the mare's record.

MININJAGIRL (A Goindasamy) - Slow to begin. Inconvenienced near the 1200 metres. Held up rounding the final bend and through the early stages of the home straight.

SACRED ROSE (R Muniandy) - Crowded at the start losing some ground. Raced three wide without cover throughout.

HAAST RULER (K Kalychurun) - Raced keenly near the 1200 metres when making the crossing awkwardly and shifted outwards inconveniencing MININJAGIRL.

LIVING IN HOPE (K Williams) - Crowded and shifted off its running line near the 1200 metres when SAILOR GIRL shifted in. Dictated inwards near the 50 metres.

DAVID MOSS (G Jogoo) - Over-raced in the early stages. Steadied when placed in restricted room passing the 50 metres when LIVING IN HOPE was again dictated inwards by WHINY MEOW which shifted ground inwards before being straightened by its rider. Also contributing to this incident was some outwards movement from inside runners.

NEPTUNE (N Yuen) - Raced three wide without cover through the early to middle stages. Lay in throughout the run home.

DIVINE SPIRIT (T Moseley) - Held up rounding the final bend and the majority of the run home only gaining clear racing room inside the final 50 metres.

VAMOS (A Najib) - Denied a marginal run near the 150 metres when DAVID MOSS was dictated inwards when NEPTUNE (N Yuen) lay in before being straightened by its rider. N Yuen was spoken to and advised she must straighten her mounts sooner than she had on this occasion. Continued to have difficulty obtaining clear running until inside the 50 metres.

WHINY MEOW (B May) - Shifted inwards under pressure near the 50 metres having to be straightened by its rider.

Y Atchamah (SAILOR GIRL) – Issued with a warning after allowing his mount SAILOR GIRL to shift ground inwards near the 1200 metres crowding LIVING IN HOPE which was shifted off its running line.

Race 9 WAXY'S IRISH PUB HANDICAP 1600m

MISS LAYLA (D Cooper) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

CALL ME AL (S Wynne) - Slow to begin.

FIRODEN (N Yuen) - Slow to begin. Steadied off the heels of the runner in front near the 1000 metres when the pace of the race eased slightly. Shifted outwards across heels passing the 150 metres to obtain clear running.

PETE'S PRIDE (Y Atchamah) - Slow to begin. Raced wide without cover throughout. When questioned regarding the performance rider advised that after drawing a wide barrier, and then racing wide throughout the running the gelding had done too much work during the running and when placed under pressure had failed to respond.

BONSAI BOB (B Rogerson) - Over-raced in the early stages getting its head up on a number of occasions.

LEROY (T Moseley) - Over-raced through the early and middle stages. Raced wide without cover throughout.

BURNVUE (C Campbell) - Had difficulty obtaining clear running early in the run home then shifted inwards when laying in near the 100 metres.

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