

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Taranaki Trotting Club Inc @ New Plymouth	Date:	Tuesday, 1 April 2014
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Good		
Rail:	Track pylons 2 metres from true, 240 metre passing lane.		
Stewards:	J Muirhead (Chairman), L Tidmarsh, N Goodwin		
Typist:	R Simons		

GENERAL:

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SUPPLEMENTARY

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SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	TOMMIRAY, SIGNIFICANT ANVIL, COLLECT A HOLIDAY, OUR SOUTHERN MAN, JOHN JOSEPH, LIFESOFINE, GWENDENE, SELL A BIT
Suspensions:	Race
Protests:	Race 9 ATOMIC JET (3 rd placing) Rule 869(8) – Interference – Relegated to 9th
Fines:	Race 4 N Chilcott (MARY ANASTASIA) Rule 452(2) – Colour Fee – Fined \$25.00
Warnings:	Race 5 K More (JOHN JOSEPH) Rule 869(2)(a) - Warned to correct whip action N Chilcott (RAVNA GORA) Rule 869(3)(b) – Exercise greater care
Bleeders:	Race
Horse Actions:	Race 2 HECTOR MCFECKLE – Warned racing manners 3 CUT THE CARDS - Warned racing performance 5 MAKE MY NIGHT – Warned racing manners IT'S BIG TIME – Warned racing manners RICH EARL – Warned racing manners JEDS STAR – Unruly Mobiles 7 CHANELLE BROMAC – Warned racing manners ACES N EIGHTS – Warned mobile barrier manners 8 JC JOCK – Warned race performance and removed from Unruly Mobiles
Medical Certificates:	
Rider/Driver Changes:	Race
Scratching Penalties:	<u>Horses ineligible 2-5/4/14 inclusive (4 days):</u> COUGAR BROMAC
Late Scratchings:	

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	VAUTRON GROUP MOBILE TROT
HECTOR MCFECKLE broke passing the 400 metres. A final warning was issued in regard to this gelding's racing manners. When questioned on the performance of ELLA'S SPEED , Junior Driver D Ferguson was of the opinion the mare failed to back up from its first day success.	

Race 2	SPORTYS BAR & CAFE MOBILE PACE
<p>SIGNIFICANT ANVIL over-raced from inside the 600 metres and was held up inside the passing lane until taking the passing lane.</p> <p>OUR WICKLOW was held up for clear racing room until inside the last 100 metres.</p> <p>P TOMADO when challenging for the lead, ducked in and broke at 50 metres.</p> <p>The authorisation of payment for third placing P TOMADO (N Chilcott) was withheld until such time that it was established firstly, that this horse when it broke from its gait at the conclusion of the race, had not galloped in excess of 50 metres and therefore complied with the breaking horse regulations, and secondly, that it was in its correct gait when passing the finishing line.</p>	
Race 3	AGRAFORUM MOBILE PACE
<p>CUT THE CARDS paced roughly during the score up losing considerable ground, effectively taking no part in the race. A warning was placed on the race performance of this mare. The Stewards ordered a post-race veterinary examination which revealed no abnormalities.</p> <p>RYLEE was held up rounding the final bend over the initial stages of the run home.</p>	
Race 4	STELLA ARTOIS MOBILE PACE
<p>There were no claims for MOTU JUST IN TIME.</p> <p>Trainer N Chilcott was charged a colour fee of \$25 for MARY ANASTASIA.</p> <p>ALTA TALLYHO when being improved rounding the home bend, ducked out abruptly checking LEROY BROGDEN which paced roughly for several strides and was forced wider on the track.</p> <p>FELLAS R TROUBLE was held up for clear racing room rounding the home turn and until the 150 metre mark, when it changed ground and ran home strongly.</p>	
Race 5	NEWTALK ZB MOBILE TROT
<p>JED STAR broke during the score up and as a result was several lengths out of position at the start.</p> <p>IT'S BIG TIME broke briefly shortly after the start, losing ground.</p> <p>MAKE MY NIGHT broke shortly after the start, losing several lengths before settling toward the rear.</p> <p>BEST BONES became unbalanced travelling over the crossing losing several lengths.</p> <p>IT'S BIG TIME broke before and after the crossing and again passing the 1000 metres.</p> <p>RICH EARL switched to a pace approaching the 900 metre mark.</p> <p>JED STAR, RICH EARL and IT'S BIG TIME broke passing the 500 metres.</p> <p>The Stewards reviewed the video coverage with Horseman K More and he was warned to correct his whip action.</p> <p>JED STAR was declared unruly for mobile starts.</p> <p>Warnings were placed on the racing manners of MAKE MY NIGHT, IT'S BIG TIME and RICH EARL.</p>	
Race 6	REVITAL FERTILISERS MOBILE PACE
<p>HOT AND SAUCY, HOUHORA DREAM and CHANGE GEAR were held up on the home bend and in the early stages of the run home.</p> <p>When questioned regarding the performance of favourite MISTER HARRIS, Driver M McKendry stated that after a good trip in transit the gelding failed to run home to an extent in the home straight and was disappointing.</p>	
Race 7	WOODLANDS STUD FILLIES & MARES MOBILE PACE
<p>ACES N EIGHTS broke in the score up and was 20 metres out of position at the start. A warning was placed on this mare's mobile barrier manners.</p> <p>SOUL HANOVER broke for a short distance after the start and lost ground.</p> <p>CHANELLE BROMAC broke racing into the first bend, losing all chance. A warning was placed on the mare's racing manners.</p> <p>PUREORA PAREE over-raced throughout and had difficulty finding clear racing room during the course of the run home.</p>	
Race 8	JOHN DEVLIN MEMORIAL MOBILE PACE
<p>JC JOCK lost contact with the main body of the field during the running and failed to compete. A warning was placed on this gelding's race performance record.</p> <p>BRANCH RICKEY was held up for clear racing room until inside the last 150 metres.</p> <p>THAT'S BETTOR failed to get clear racing room in the run home.</p> <p>BRANCH RICKEY when challenging for the lead inside the last 50 metres, ducked out abruptly and broke from its gait inside the final 20 metres. BRANCH RICKEY complied with the breaking horse regulations and was not "lapped on". Payment of dividends was duly authorised. Trainer M Gibbs advised that he would be making a gear change to trialling the horse before it resumes.</p> <p>An investigation was held into a check received by the tiring TOUGH ENOUGH (D Ferguson) which was racing on the inside of RAVNA GORA (N Chilcott) passing the 300 metres. RAVNA GORA was inclined to lug in rounding the final bend. Junior Horseman D Ferguson with the assistance of Senior Horseman P Ferguson advised that his horse was checked but its chances were not affected. The video coverage was reviewed with Horsewoman N Chilcott and she was warned to exercise greater care.</p> <p>JC JOCK was removed from the Unruly list for mobile starts.</p>	

Race 9**LIFE MEMBERS MOBILE PACE**

BEACON HILL broke negotiating the crossing. This in turn caused interference to **TWIN TOWERS**. **BEACON HILL** lost 60 metres and **TWIN TOWERS** 80 metres.

SWEET AVA and **DASHING DANE** both failed to receive clear racing room over the race home.

HANOVER COURAGE broke losing its chance passing the 150 metre mark.

A protest was lodged against the third placing of **ATOMIC JET** (M McKendry) under Rule 869(8) in that it was alleged that this horse cause interference to the 9th placed **HANOVER COURAGE** (D Ferguson) with 150 metres to run. The JCA upheld the protest and relegated **ATOMIC JET** to 9th placing in behind **HANOVER COURAGE**. **ATOMIC JET** reached the lead with approximately 250 metres to run, running about greenly, shifting inward, when **HANOVER COURAGE** was being improved to a position to the inside of **ATOMIC JET**. At this stage **HANOVER COURAGE'S** progress was checked, requiring Junior Horseman D Ferguson to take hold, the horse becoming unbalanced, and going into a break. No action was taken against Horseman M McKendry as his horse had ducked in, running away from the whip.