

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Franklin Trotting Club Inc at Alexandra Park	Date:	Friday, 15 August 2014
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Fast		
Rail:	Not applicable		
Stewards:	J Muirhead (Chairman), S Mulcay, B Jones, B Van Kan		
Typist:	S Wilkinson		

General:

Pre-race blood testing was carried out.

Supplementary:

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	WALK OF FAME, CREAMEE, THE SCRUFF, PRICILLAS GIRL, PACIFIC RAPTURE, EYREWELL PEGASUS, WINSTONE P
Protests:	Nil
Suspensions:	Nil
Fines:	Nil
Warnings:	Race 3 A Poutama (BETTORKEEPTHEFAITH) [Rule 869(4)] Passing Lane Regs.
Bleeders:	Nil
Horse Actions:	Race 3 LAST MAN OUT - Ineligible Racing Manners - Stood Down 14 Days
Medical Certificates:	Nil
Driver Changes:	Nil
Late Scratchings:	Nil
Scratching Penalties:	<u>Ineligible from 16/08/2014 until 19/08/2014 inclusive (4 days):</u> DENNY CRANE, DORRIE D, SUNNY VACATION, MISS LOTTY, SPIDER MURPHY

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	VETPRO EQUINE SUPPLEMENTS MOBILE PACE
CULLER CODED , after being improved to sit one out without a trail, over-raced between the 800 metres and 400 metres. MACHULBEATCHU , from three deep on the running line, was held up rounding the final bend and over the early stages of the run home.	
Race 2	TUAKAU COSSIE RACING SECTION HANDICAP TROT
QUEEN DEE and SPRINGFIELD LEGACY both broke at the start, losing considerable ground. SASTRE broke rounding the first bend. I GOT RHYTHM broke near the 1600 metres, losing its chance. NO ORDINARY SUN broke passing the 200 metres. TE KOUKA BREEZE was held up for clear running until inside the final 100 metres.	
Race 3	ALABAR MOBILE PACE
LAST MAN OUT was half a length off the gate at the start and was inclined to hang inward during the race. LAST MAN OUT broke passing the 1400 metres and 500 metres, on both occasions free of interference. The gelding was declared ineligible for 14 days up to and including 29th August 2014.	

Junior Horseman A. Poutama (**BETTORKEEPTHEFAITH**) was reminded of his obligations in relation to the Passing Lane Regulations. **BETTORKEEPTHEFAITH**, when in the lead, shifted inward into the passing lane during the run home. No trailing horse was impeded.

Race 4 | **TONY & PAM DAWSON TRADING AS TEEPEE BARS HANDICAP TROT**

BROOKBY PRINCE broke for a couple of strides at the start and was slow away.
EASY EMPRESS was inclined to hang in rounding the bends.
EASY EMPRESS broke inside the 200 metres.

Race 5 | **TAB PUKEKOHE MOBILE PACE**

MULLINGAR MAC was not claimed from this event.
SIKORA tangled early in the score up, recovering to take its position at the start.
SIKORA paced unevenly over the early stages.
HUDY HAXWELL (T. Macfarlane) and **MULLINGAR MAC** (B. Butcher) contested a position toward the rear of the field on two occasions passing the 1900 metres and 1600 metres.
Junior Horseman B. Butcher was shown the video coverage of his drive on **MULLINGAR MAC** and spoken to advisedly.
MULLINGAR MAC was improved three wide with cover from inside the 1200 metres and hung badly passing the 900 metres and was caught wide for the remainder of the race.

Race 6 | **TUAKAU COSSIE RACING SECTION MOBILE PACE**

TANGOS DELIGHT tangled briefly in the score up and recovered to take its position.
TINA BRYDON hung in rounding the final bend striking several pylons.
CHEERS KATHY hung in and paced roughly rounding the final bend.

Race 7 | **EUROTREAD HANDICAP TROT**

THANKS CHARLIE trotted unevenly for the majority of the race.
FRANCO NADAL (Favourite), when challenging for the lead, broke near the 200 metres losing all chance. When questioned, Horseman T. Macfarlane could offer no explanation.

Race 8 | **DAYAVEG TUAKAU MOBILE PACE**

No horses were claimed from this event.
OUR SOUTHERN MAN, when racing in the lead, had a tendency to lay in rounding the bends and out in the straights.
BUTE MACH was held up rounding the final bend and throughout the run home.
HANDLEBAR HANK raced in restricted room for the majority of the final straight.
WINSTONE P paced roughly during the run home.

Race 9 | **NRM SWEETFEED MOBILE PACE**

SIRIUS STAR over-raced in the middle stages.
CHARLIE HARPER commenced to give ground and was retired from the event at the 1000 metres. A post race veterinary examination revealed symptoms of respiratory inflammation. The connections advised the gelding would be turned out for a spell.