

# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

## Canberra Racing Club Incorporated

### THOROUGHBRED PARK

Friday 10 October 2017

Weather: Fine  
Track: Good (4)  
Rail: Out 2m

J. D. Walshe (Chairman), T. McDonald, J Turner & Cadet T North (Stewards), D. Riches (Starter), M. Donoghue (Assistant Starter), K. Head (Swab), L. Milton (Scales) J. Dorrington (Judge) Dr A. Willi (Veterinarian).

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#### **RACE 1: CLEANAWAY CLASS 1 & MAIDEN PLATE**

**2000M**

**Miss Nellie** – On route to the start rider C Reith expressed concern regarding his mount's action. And after being examined by the Club's veterinary officer the mare was withdrawn at 1:34pm when found to be lame in front. Stewards ordered all investments on Miss Nellie be refunded in full and further that all successful bets placed with bookmakers placed prior to 1:34pm be paid subject to the following deductions in the dollar on the face value of the ticket:

- 1<sup>st</sup> **Gone Fishing**: 19c win and 25c place
- 2<sup>nd</sup> **Motime**: 15c place
- 3<sup>rd</sup> **Miss Delago Rose**: 26c

At a subsequent inquiry trainer Mr G Mcfarlane was advised that he would be required to provide a veterinary clearance prior to Miss Nellie being permitted to race again.

**Le Sacre Blur** – Passing the 1500m when inclined to over-race, had to be checked away from the heels of Motime.

**Miss Delago Rose** – An inquiry was opened into J Grisedale's riding of the filly particularly from the 600m. J Grisedale explained that his instructions were to have his mount in a forward position, however passing the 1500m when following Le Sacre Blur, when that runner was checked he was obliged to restrain in consequence and therefore got a little further back than anticipated. He added that after the 600m when following Take A Chance, as his mount was only a three year old filly, and up in distance over the 2000m journey for the first time, he chose to remain racing behind that runner and to look for inside runs rather than to shifting to its outside where he was of the view that he would have to cover additional ground which would be to the detriment of his mount. He added that on straightening he subsequently became held up for a run between Take A Chance which had shifted out and Planet Earth and that after shifting to the inside of Planet Earth in search of clear running, passing the 300m his mount was restrained when disappointed for a run

between that runner and Motime which shifted out. He added that he then brought the filly to the outside of Planet Earth where the filly was able to obtain clear running over the final 200m but ran home only fairly under his riding. When questioned, trainer Mr K Parker advised that as the filly was up in distance, he had wanted the filly to be ridden comfortably and added that he was pleased with the manner in which the filly was ridden and also with regards to its performance. After reviewing the filly's previous performances, and whilst acknowledging that that the filly was a three year old, sharply up in distance, the Stewards were nevertheless of the view that after the 600m it was reasonable for J Grisedale to have commenced to shift to the outside of Take A Chance, which would have secured his mount uninterrupted running and furthermore, that that opportunity was available to him for some 100m. After examining betting on the event, and taking into account all relevant matters, J Grisedale was told that in the view of Stewards he had erred by remaining racing behind Take A Chance after the 600m and that it was a far lower percentage option, rather than having come to the outside to secure clear running.

**RACE 2: SKY RACING RACECALLERS CUP BENCHMARK 65 HANDICAP 1600M**

**Kinda Tangy** – Shortly after the start had to be steadied when crowded for room between Uncle Gerry which shifted out and Akiko Gold which knuckled and shifted in. Held up for clear running during the straight and as a consequence was not able to be tested.

**Emerald Fortune** – Over-raced when obliged to race wide throughout.

**Akiko Gold** – Over-raced with its head up throughout the early and middle stages.

**RACE 3: NEXIS ACCOUNTANTS & BUSINESS ADVISORS MAIDEN PLATE 1400M**

**Bridges** – Whilst parading behind the barriers, whipped around, resulting in its rider B Ward being harmlessly dislodged. The gelding then escaped down the 1600m chute and contacted the outside rail when jumping it before being re-captured. The gelding was withdrawn by order of the Stewards at 2:47pm. Stewards ordered all investments on Bridges be refunded in full and further that all successful bets placed with bookmakers placed prior to 2:47pm be paid subject to the following deductions in the dollar on the face value of the ticket:

1<sup>st</sup> **Off The Dial**: 0c win and 1c place

2<sup>nd</sup> **God Sent**: 5c place

3<sup>rd</sup> **Bill's My Boy**: 3c

**Vice Vice Baby** - Slow to begin and crowded soon after between Heza Jolly Swagman and Wild Duchess both of which shifted ground. Held up for clear running from the 200m and until near the 100m.

**Bill's My Boy** – On jumping was contacted by God Sent which shifted in.

**Off The Dial** – Held up rounding the home turn and on straightening made contact with Duplicator.

**Heza Jolly Swagman** – Rider M Cahill was reminded of his obligation to ride his mounts out fully to the end of the race.

**RACE 4: CARBINE CLUB OF CANBERRA MAIDEN HANDICAP****1200M**

**Von Mystic** – Slow to begin and was checked shortly after between Fairy Beast which was taken out by Savaneta which shifted out, and My Mate Nick which shifted in. Raced greenly throughout.

**My Mate Nick** – Raced wide throughout. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in its off-foreleg. Trainer Mr F Skerbic was told that if the gelding were to resume its racing career, a veterinary clearance would be required before it would be permitted to race. Passing the 200m was hampered and taken wider by Von Mystic (B Loy) which shifted out abruptly under riding when racing greenly. In all the circumstances B Loy was reprimanded (AR137(a)).

**Tinkermosa** – Passing the 200m was taken out by My Mate Nick which was hampered and taken out.

**Henry's Pride** – Passing the 700m when Von Mystic was pulling and had to be restrained, Fairy Beast which was following was shifted out taking My Danish Heart out resulting in Henry's Pride being taken out. In the incident however, Henry's Pride over-reacted, shifted out abruptly and hung out for some distance thereafter.

**Cheers to Flo** – A post-race veterinary examination of the filly which over-raced in the middle stages on debut, did not reveal any abnormality.

**RACE 5: TAB.COM.AU TONEY CAMPBELL MEMORIAL CUP****1400M**

**Super Star Bob** – Raced keenly in the middle stages.

**O'Reilly's Revenge** – A post-race veterinary examination of the gelding which was resuming revealed no abnormality.

**RACE 6: SIREN BAR & RESTAURANT BENCHMARK 55 HANDICAP****1400M**

**Your Place Or Mine** – A pre-race veterinary examination of the mare cleared the her fit to race.

**Sweatball** – Slow to begin and crowded shortly after between Media Vita and Mr Fox which shifted out. When questioned regarding the performance of the gelding rider C Reith stated that his mount was under pressure to maintain its position from the 800m and proved disappointing in the manner in which it found the line. A post-race veterinary examination of the gelding did not reveal any abnormality.

**Singled Out** – Passing the 1100m was eased from the heels of Bonsley (M Cahill) which shifted in when not quite clear. M Cahill was advised to exercise more care.

**RACE 7: INGLIS / FELL SWOOP / EVEREST BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP****1000M**

**Burleigh Bullet** – Trainer Mr N Osborne was fined the sum of \$50 under LR35 for the late declaration of S Miller as the rider of the mare.

**The Inflamer & Treasure Boss** – The Inflamer, after being loaded, became fractious, reared over the near-side partition and became cast and repeatedly stuck out in the neck region of Treasure Boss. Both The Inflamer, and Treasure Boss were withdrawn on veterinary advice at 5:23pm. Stewards ordered all investments on The Inflamer and Treasure Boss be refunded in full and further that all successful bets placed with bookmakers placed prior to 5:23pm be paid subject to the following deductions in the dollar on the face value of the ticket:

- 1<sup>st</sup> **Kanerupt**: 10c win and 12c place
- 2<sup>nd</sup> **Exaggerate**: 9c place
- 3<sup>rd</sup> **Ribands**: 14c

At a subsequent inquiry trainer Mr M Stephens was told that The Inflamer would be required to barrier trial to the Stewards satisfaction prior to being permitted to race again.

**Kanerupt** – Slow to begin.

**Exaggerate** – Raced keenly in the middles stages.

**Knighthood** – Change of tactics: To be ridden with cover; settled worse than mid-field.

**Tides Of Fortune** – Raced wide throughout.

**Prince Of Destiny** – Raced wide throughout.

**Surprise Party** – Held up rounding the home turn. When questioned regarding the performance of the mare, rider app P Scorse stated that he was pleased with the performance of the mare insofar as, that passing the 250m, after being tightened between Prince Of Destiny and Tides Of Fortune, he felt that his mount then ran home well under pressure. A post-race veterinary examination of the mare did not reveal any abnormality.

**RACE 8: THE MARK AGENCY BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP **1200M****

**Simply Striking** – Upon arrival at the start the gelding was found to have blood present in one nostril and after being examined by the Club's veterinary officer was withdrawn at 5:55pm. Stewards ordered all investments on Simply Striking be refunded in full and further that all successful bets placed with bookmakers placed prior to 5:55pm be paid subject to the following deductions in the dollar on the face value of the ticket:

- 1<sup>st</sup> **One Son**: 12c win and 12c place
- 2<sup>nd</sup> **Ribs**: 11c place
- 3<sup>rd</sup> **Kopaonik**: 13c

At a subsequent inquiry and under the provisions of AR53A(7), trainer Mr N Osborne was advised that Simply Striking would be required to undergo a satisfactory gallop of 1000m in the presence of a Steward prior to being permitted to race again.

**Sward** – Raced wide throughout.

**Bandit Belle** – Began awkwardly and knuckled over shortly after.

**Only In red** – Slow to begin.

**Quite Magical** – When questioned, rider J Penza stated that his mount, which was obliged to race wide throughout, weakened noticeably inside the final 200m. A post-race veterinary examination of the mare did not reveal any abnormality. Trainer Mr P Facory was reprimanded under AR117(3) when the mare was removed from the course inside 30 minutes from its race time. Mr Facory advised that the mare would now be given a spell.

**Back To My Bay** – A post-race veterinary examination of the mare which weakened in the straight did not reveal any abnormality.

**Favourite Uncle** – When questioned regarding the performance of the gelding, rider Ms K Nisbet stated that her mount had raced one paced today. A post-race veterinary examination of the gelding did not reveal any abnormality.

**SWAB SAMPLES:**

Swab samples were taken from all winners.

<b>SUMMARY</b>	
<b>Warnings:</b>	Nil.
<b>Fines:</b>	<b>Race 7:</b> Trainer Mr N Osborne ( <b>Burleigh Bullet</b> ) LR35 - \$50 – Late rider.
<b>Reprimands:</b>	<b>Race 4:</b> B Loy ( <b>Von Mystic</b> ) AR137(a) Careless riding. <b>Race 8:</b> Trainer P Facory ( <b>Quite Magical</b> ) AR117(3) – Horse not remain on course 30 minutes after race.
<b>Suspensions:</b>	Nil.
<b>Bleeders:</b>	<b>Race 8: Simply Striking</b> – Blood present one nostril and must gallop 1000m in presence of Steward (AR53A(7)).
<b>Trials:</b>	<b>Race 6: My Mate Nick</b> —to barrier trial—racing manners and uncompetitive performance. <b>Race 7: The Inflamer</b> —to barrier trial—Fractious in barriers.
<b>Certificates:</b>	<b>Race 1: Miss Nellie</b> —Lame in front. <b>Race 6: My Mate Nick</b> —Lame off-hind leg.
<b>Falls/Injuries:</b>	Nil.
<b>Protests:</b>	Nil.
<b>Follow up:</b>	Nil.
<b>Change of Colours:</b>	Nil.
<b>Gear Changes:</b>	Nil.
<b>Disqualifications:</b>	Nil.