

WAIHI JOCKEY CLUB.

(Registered under Auckland Racing Club and New Zealand Conference.)

FOURTH ANNUAL MEETING

TO BE HELD ON THE WAIHI RACECOURSE

ON SATURDAY, MARCH 12TH, 1904.

Officers—Patron, W. H. Herries, Esq. Vice-Presidents, W. Crawford Brown, D. Campbell, D. McLean, W. H. Phillips, Esq., H. E. Meyer, A. T. Kenrick, Handicapper, J. Chadwick, Treasurer, Mr John Flett, Judge, Mr R. Newdick, Clerk of Scales, Mr W. Corbett, Assistant Clerk of Scales, Mr H. Carter, Starter, Mr E. B. Walker, Clerk of Course, Mr C. Neave, Stewards Messrs H. Carter, J. Turner, C. Neave, C. Flett, M. Grimmins, B. Loane, R. Byburn, Val Brown, M. G. Power, W. H. Phillips.—Timekeeper, J. Turner.

- 1. Borough Handicap of 20 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. Distance, five furlongs. Nomination, 7s 6d; acceptance, 10s.
2. Handicap Maiden of 15 sovs; second horse to receive 2 sovs from the stake. For all horses that have never won a race to the value of 15 sovs at time of starting. Distance, seven furlongs. Nomination, 7s 6d; acceptance, 7s 6d.
3. Waihi Cup of 60 sovs; second horse to receive 10 sovs from the stake. Distance, one and a-quarter miles. Nomination, 20s; acceptance, 30s.
4. Flying Handicap of 25 sovs; second horse to receive 4 sovs from the stake. Distance, six furlongs. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 10s.
5. Handicap Hurdles of 30 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. Distance, one and a-half miles over six flights of hurdles. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s.
6. Hack Race of 20 sovs; second horse to receive 3 sovs from the stake. For all horses that have never won a race to the value of 15 sovs at the time of starting. Distance, one mile. Nomination, 7s 6d; acceptance, 10s.
7. McCurdy Memorial Stakes of 30 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. Distance, seven furlongs. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 10s.

DATES OF NOMINATIONS, WEIGHTS AND ACCEPTANCES.

FRIDAY, 19TH FEBRUARY, 1904.

NOMINATIONS for all events close on FRIDAY, 19th February, 1904, at 10 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, 24TH FEBRUARY, 1904.

WEIGHTS will appear in the Auckland, Waikato, and local papers on or about WEDNESDAY, 24th February, 1904.

FRIDAY, 4TH MARCH, 1904.

ACCEPTANCES close on FRIDAY, 4th March, 1904, at 10 p.m.

No entry will be received after the hour named.

THOS. C. GRANT, Secretary.



TE AROHA JOCKEY CLUB.

SUMMER MEETING.

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, 17TH AND 18TH FEBRUARY, 1904.

PROGRAMME.

FIRST DAY.

- Maiden Plate Handicap of 20 sovs. Distance, 5 1/2 furlongs. Nomination, 7s 6d; acceptance, 10s.
Handicap Hurdle Race of 25 sovs. Distance, 1 1/2 miles. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 10s.
Te Aroha Jockey Club Handicap of 40 sovs. Distance, 1 mile. Nomination, 15s; acceptance, 20s.
Handicap Pony Race of 15 sovs. Distance, 5 1/2 furlongs. Nomination, 5s; acceptance, 7s 6d.
Domain Handicap of 20 sovs. Distance, 7 furlongs. Nomination, 7s 6d; acceptance, 10s.
Handicap Hack Race of 12 1/2 sovs. Distance, 7 furlongs. Nomination, 5s; acceptance, 5s.
Flying Stakes Handicap of 15 sovs. Distance, 5 furlongs. Nomination, 5s; acceptance, 10s.

SECOND DAY.

- Tourist Plate Handicap of 20 sovs. Distance, 5 furlongs. Nomination, 7s 6d; acceptance, 10s.
Second Handicap Hurdles of 25 sovs. Distance, 1 1/2 miles. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 10s.
Te Aroha Cup Handicap of 50 sovs. Distance, 1 mile 8 furlongs. Nomination, 20s; acceptance, 25s.
Second Handicap Pony Race of 15 sovs. Distance, 5 1/2 furlongs. Nomination, 5s; acceptance, 7s 6d.
Publicans' Purse Handicap of 20 sovs. Distance, 5 1/2 furlongs. Nomination, 7s 6d; acceptance, 10s.
Second Handicap Hack Race of 12 1/2 sovs. Distance, 5 1/2 furlongs. Nomination, 5s; acceptance, 5s.
Welter Handicap of 15 sovs. Distance, 7 furlongs. Nomination, 5s; acceptance, 7s 6d.

CONDITIONS.

Nominations close with the Secretary at Te Aroha not later than 8 p.m. on WEDNESDAY, January 27, 1904. Acceptances to be in the hands of the Secretary on or before 8 p.m. on February 11.

Handicaps for second day's races to be declared at 9 p.m. on the 17th.

Acceptances for second day's races to be in the hands of the Secretary on or before 10 a.m. on February 17.

Special train will leave Frankton 10.15 a.m. Wednesday, February 17, returning 7 p.m. from Te Aroha. Return train to Thames after each day's races.

SAML. LAWSON, Secretary.

E. M. C. CLAYTON,

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Clients may rely on all business being of the utmost confidence, secrecy and despatch.—E.M.C.



THAMES JOCKEY CLUB.

(Registered under Auckland Racing Club, and New Zealand Racing Conference.)

AUTUMN MEETING, 1904.

MONDAY, MARCH 7.

PROGRAMME:

- Maiden Plate of 30 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs out of stakes. Distance, six furlongs. For three-year-olds and upwards who have not won over 25 sovs in value at the time of starting. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s.
Hurdle Race of 40 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs out of the stakes. Distance, one mile and three-quarters. Over seven flights of hurdles. Nomination, 15s; acceptance, 20s.
Miners' Union Handicap of 50 sovs; second horse to receive 7 sovs out of stakes. Distance, one mile. Nomination, 15s; acceptance, 25s.
Pony Race of 25 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs out of stakes. For horses 14 hands 3 inches and under. For three-year-olds and upwards. Distance, six furlongs. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s.
Steeplechase of 50 sovs; second horse to receive 7 sovs out of stakes. Distance, about two miles and a-half. Nomination, 15s; acceptance, 20s.
Railway Handicap of 35 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs out of stakes. Distance, seven furlongs. Winner of Miners' Union Handicap to carry 7lb penalty. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 20s.
Hack Race of 25 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs out of stakes. Confined to horses from the districts of Waikato, Bay of Plenty, Te Aroha, Thames and Coromandel. Distance, three-quarters of a mile. For horses that have not won 10 sovs in stakes or over at the time of starting, and that have been the bona-fide property of nominators two months previous to the date of nomination. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s.
Final Handicap of 30 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs out of stakes. Distance, four furlongs. Winner of Railway Handicap or Miners' Union Handicap to carry 7lb penalty. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s.

DATES OF NOMINATIONS, WEIGHTS, AND ACCEPTANCES.

NOMINATIONS:

Will be received up to FRIDAY, February 12, at 8 p.m.

WEIGHTS

Will be declared on FRIDAY, February 19, at 8 p.m.

ACCEPTANCES

Will be received up to FRIDAY, February 26, up to 8 p.m.

REGULATIONS.

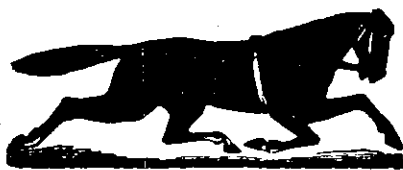
All Stakes paid in full. All Entries to be sealed and addressed to the Secretary, P.O. Box No. 7, Thames. Entrance money must be enclosed with name, age, pedigree, name of owner, and colours of rider. Any jockey riding except in the colours entered will be fined one guinea.

All disputes, claims, protests, and objections arising out of the racing shall be decided by a majority of the Stewards, or whoever they may appoint, and such decision on all points shall be final.

In no case will tickets of admission be issued to Trainers or Jockeys unless on production of licenses to the Secretary.

The rules of the Thames Jockey Club will be strictly adhered to.

WILLIAM H. POTTS, Secretary.



OTAHUHU TROTTERING CLUB.

SUMMER MEETING, 1904.

TO BE HELD AT

ALEXANDRA PARK, EPSOM.

SATURDAY, WEDNESDAY, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 24, AND 27.

PROGRAMME.

(Run under the Rules of the New Zealand Trotting Association, and passed by the said Association.)

FIRST DAY.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1904.

- Maiden Trot Handicap (Saddle or Harness) of 25 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. For all horses that have never won an advertised trotting race exceeding 25 sovs in value at time of entry. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s. Distance, one mile and a-half.
Harness Trot Handicap of 40 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. Limit, 2min 50sec. Nomination, 15s; acceptance, 15s. Distance, two miles.
Otahuhu Pony Cup Handicap of 70 sovs; second horse to receive 7 sovs, and third horse 3 sovs each from the stake. For ponies 14 hands 3 inches and under. Nomination, 1 sov; acceptance, 1 1/2 sov. Distance, six furlongs.
Otahuhu Trotting Cup Handicap (Saddle or Harness) of 100 sovs; second horse to receive 10 sovs, and third horse 5 sovs each from the stake. All horses will be handicapped to trot 6min 32sec or better. Nomination, 2 sovs; acceptance, 2 sovs. Distance, two miles.

- Pony Trot Handicap (Saddle or Harness) of 30 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. For ponies 14 hands 2 inches and under. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s. Distance, one mile and a-half.
Electric Trot Handicap (Saddle or Harness) of 40 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. Limit, 2min 54sec to the mile. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 1 sov. Distance, one mile.

- Flying Stakes Handicap of 35 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. For ponies 14 hands 3 inches and under. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s. Distance, five furlongs.
Class Trot Handicap (Saddle or Harness) of 40 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. Limit, 2min 48sec to the mile. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 1 sov. Distance, one mile and a-half.

SECOND DAY.

WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 24, 1904.

- Trial Trot Handicap (Saddle or Harness) of 25 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. For all horses that have never won an advertised trotting race exceeding 25 sovs in value at time of entry. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s. Distance, one mile and a-half.
Epsom Trot Handicap (Harness) of 35 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. Limit, 2min 48sec to the mile. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 1 sov. Distance, one mile and a-half.

- Summer Trot Handicap (Harness or Saddle) of 50 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. Nomination, 1 sov; acceptance, 1 sov. Distance, two miles.

- Suburban Pony Handicap of 50 sovs; second horse to receive 7 sovs, and third horse 3 sovs from the stake. For ponies 14 hands 3 inches and under. Nomination, 1 sov; acceptance, 1 sov. Distance, six furlongs.

- Tramway Trot Handicap (Saddle or Harness) of 35 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. For all horses that have never won an advertised trotting race at better than 2min 40sec to the mile. All horses will be handicapped to trot 2min 55sec or better to the mile. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 1 sov. Distance, one mile and a-half.

- Telegraph Trot Handicap (Saddle) of 35 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. Limit, 2min 58sec to the mile. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 1 sov. Distance, one mile.

- High-Class Trot Handicap (Saddle or Harness) of 50 sovs; second horse to receive 10 sovs from the stake. All horses will be handicapped to trot 2min 45sec or better to the mile. Nomination, 1 sov; acceptance, 1 sov. Distance, one mile and a-half.

- Alexandra Handicap of 35 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. For ponies 14 hands 3 inches and under. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 1 sov. Distance, five furlongs.

THIRD DAY:

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1904.

- President's Trot Handicap (Saddle or Harness) of 25 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. For all horses that have never won an advertised trotting race exceeding 25 sovs in value at time of entry. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s. Distance, one mile.

- Second Harness Trot Handicap of 35 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. All horses will be handicapped to trot 2min 55sec or better to the mile. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 1 sov. Distance, two miles.

- Welcome Stakes Handicap of 40 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. For ponies 14 hands 3 inches and under. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 1 sov. Distance, six furlongs.

- Criterion Trot Handicap (Saddle or Harness) of 50 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. Limit, 2min 50sec to the mile. Nomination, 1 sov; acceptance, 1 sov. Distance, two miles.

- Second Pony Trot Handicap (Saddle or Harness) of 30 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. For ponies 14 hands 2 inches and under. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 15s. Distance, one mile and a-half.

- Dash Trot Handicap (Saddle) of 35 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. All horses will be handicapped to trot 2min 54sec or better to the mile. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 1 sov. Distance, one mile.

- March Trot Handicap (Saddle or Harness) of 40 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. Limit, 2min 48sec to the mile. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 1 sov. Distance, one mile and a-half.

- Manukau Handicap of 35 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. For ponies 14 hands 3 inches and under. Nomination, 10s; acceptance, 1 sov. Distance, four furlongs.

Any Horse after winning may be re-handicapped. The order of running subject to alteration. Stakes paid in full.

By entering a horse, the nominator and every person having interest in such horse shall be deemed to accept all the conditions and restrictions imposed or implied by these Rules, and to be debarred from questioning any action or conduct of any Official of a Trotting or Racing Club, in respect of such horse, or of any person connected therewith, otherwise than is provided for by Rule 92, Rules of Trotting.

NOMINATIONS for all Events Close with the Secretary at his Office, Durham-street East, on FRIDAY, February 5, 1904, at 9 p.m. Nominations to be accompanied by the necessary amount in cash. N.B.—This rule will be strictly adhered to.

HANDICAPS for the First Day to appear February 8, 1904. For the Second Day, to appear February 22, 1904. For the Third Day, to appear February 25, 1904.

ACCEPTANCES for the First Day Close with the Secretary, on FRIDAY, February 12, 1904, at 9 p.m. For the Second Day close with the Secretary on MONDAY, February 22, at 9 p.m. For the Third Day close with the Secretary on THURSDAY, February 25, 1904, at 9 p.m.

F. D. YONGE, Secretary.

SOUTH AUCKLAND RACING CLUB.

ANNUAL MEETING ON CLAUDELANDS COURSE, HAMILTON, SATURDAY, MARCH 5, 1904.

Judge: W. H. Herries, Esq., M.H.R. Handicapper: Mr J. Chadwick.

PROGRAMME (Passed by A.R.C.):

- 1. TRIAL HANDICAP, of 20 sovs, second horse to receive 3sovs from stake; for all horses that have never won a race exceeding the value of 10 sovs at time of entry. Distance, seven furlongs. Nomination 10s, acceptance 10s.
2. HANDICAP HURDLES, of 30 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from stake. Over six flights of hurdles, one and a-half miles. Nomination 10s, acceptance 15s.
3. SOUTH AUCKLAND CUP, of 60 sovs; second horse to receive £10 from the stake. Distance, one and a-quarter mile. Nomination 20s, acceptance 30s.

- 4. PONY HANDICAP, of 25 sovs; second horse to receive 5 sovs from the stake. Six furlongs. Nomination 10s, acceptance 15s.
5. HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE, of 50 sovs; second horse to receive 10 sovs from the stake. Distance about three miles. Nomination 15s, acceptance 25s.
6. CLAUDELANDS HANDICAP, of 40 sovs; second horse to receive £7 10s from the stake. One mile. Nomination 15s, acceptance 20s.
7. DISTRICT HACK RACE, of 20 sovs; second horse to receive 3 sovs from the stake. Open to all horses that have never won a race of the advertised value of 15 sovs at time of starting, owned in electorates of Waikato, Bay of Plenty, and Ohinemuri. Six furlongs. Weight, 9st. Nomination 15s.
8. FLYING HANDICAP, of 80 sovs; second horse to receive 5sovs from the stake. Distance, five furlongs. Nomination 10s, acceptance 15s.

CONDITIONS.

Winners after declaration of weights subject to be re-handicapped. All Stakes to be paid in full.

NOMINATIONS for all events close with the Secretary, Hamilton, or Mr H. B. Massey, High-street, Auckland, at 9 p.m. on FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12.

WEIGHTS to appear about THURSDAY, February 18.

ACCEPTANCES for all Races to be declared before 9 p.m. FRIDAY, February 26, with the Secretary at Hamilton, or Mr H. B. Massey, High-street, Auckland. Tickets to Jockeys and Trainers only issued on production of license.

Noninations and Acceptances to be accompanied by necessary cash. Starting Gates in use. Excursion Fares and Trains.

R. J. GWYNNE, Secretary.

ROTORUA GUN CLUB.

Patron, Mr W. H. Herries, President, Mr James Shaw, Vice-Presidents, Captain Turner, Messrs McMath, Gardner and Andrews, Hon. Auditor, Mr McLean, Hon. Secretary and Treasurer, Mr A. A. Maxwell, Officers, Messrs D. I. Barron, W. Steels, E. Beal, Thornton Walker, C. E. Kusabs, A. S. Parker, R. T. Miller, and W. H. Constant.

ROTORUA GUN CLUB'S INANIMATE PIGEON SHOOTING TOURNAMENT

TO BE HELD IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE ROTORUA CARNIVAL ON ROTORUA RACECOURSE, FEBRUARY 25TH, 1904, Commencing 10 a.m.

PROGRAMME.

- 1. Open Handicap, £10. Ten Birds. Nomination, 5s; acceptance, 10s. First prize, 27; 2nd, £3; 3rd, £1.
2. Carnival Handicap, £45. Twenty Birds. Nomination, £1; acceptance, £1. 1st prize, £30; 2nd, £10; 3rd, £5.
District Club Handicap. For bona-fide Members of the Rotorua Gun Club only on the 30th November, 1903. Fifteen Birds. Nomination, 4s; acceptance, 6s. 1st prize, Hammerless Ejector Double-barrel Gun valued £12 12s, presented by the Colonial Ammunition Company, and Trophy by the Club; 2nd, £3 and Trophy; 3rd, £1 and Trophy.
4. Farewell Handicap, £10. Ten Birds. Nomination, 5s; acceptance, 5s. 1st, £7; 2nd, £3; 3rd, £1.

CONDITIONS.

All Contestants must be bona-fide Members of Affiliated Clubs, and their names must be forwarded by the Secretary of their respective Clubs so as to reach the Secretary of the Rotorua Gun Club not later than the 3rd February on which date the entries close.

10 per cent. deducted from all prize money for expenses. Entries for Nos. 2 and 3 Events with performances to be posted to the Secretary, Rotorua, on or before the 3rd February, 1904.

Other Events post entries. No entry will be received unless accompanied by the nomination fee.

Two nominations allowed, and Star £1 on first bird. The rules of this Tournament will be the official rules of "The New Zealand Inanimate Pigeon Shooting Association." Handicappers and Referee will be appointed by the Rotorua Gun Club.

A. A. MAXWELL, Hon. Secretary and Treasurer.

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