Napier Park Racing Olub.

PROGRAMME
For
AUTUMN MEETING,
To be held on
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, MARCH 9 AND 10, 1917.

President: J. V. Brown, M.P. Vice-President: C. D. Kennedy. Stewards: P. Barry, H. J. Holder, F. Moeller, L. H. McHardy, F. G. Smith, M. H. Strachan, R. D. Sweetapple, R. L. Williams, T. E. Whelch. Judge: W. H. Hartgill. Treasurer: J. V. Brown, M.P. Handicapper: H. Coyle. Timekeeper: S. E. Cooper. Starter: A. G. Wood. Clerk of Scales: H. M. Bishop. Clerk of Course: G. Lomas.

FIRST DAY,

FRIDAY, MARCH 9, 1917.

- 1. OMARANUI HACK HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 14050vs; second horse to receive 2050vs, and third horse 1050vs from the stake. Nomination 150v, acceptance 250vs. One mile and three-quarters.
- 2. ESK HACK HANDICAP of 100sovs; second horse to receive 10sovs, and third horse 5sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 30s. Five furlongs.
- 3. NAPIER CUP HANDICAP of 500 sovs; second horse to receive 65sovs and third horse 35sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 6sovs. One mile and a-quarter.
- 4. TRIAL HACK STAKES of 100sovs: second horse to receive 10sovs, and third horse 5sovs from the stake. Open to horses that have never won a flat race exceeding 40sovs in value at time of starting. Weight for age. Entrance 50s. Six furlongs.
- 5. WELTER HANDICAP of 120sovs; second horse to receive 15sovs, and third horse 5sovs from the stake. Minimum weight, 8.7. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 30s., Seven furlongs.
- 6. SAPLING STAKES HANDICAP of 150sovs; second horse to receive 20 sovs, and third horse 10sovs from the stake. For two-year-olds. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 2sovs. Five furlongs.
- 7. REDCLYFFE HACK WELTER HAN-DICAP of 100sovs; second horse to receive 10sovs, and third horse 5 sovs from the stake. Minimum weight, 7.7. Nomination 1sov, ac-ceptance 30s. One mile.
- S. FLYING HANDICAP of 175sovs; second horse to receive 25sovs, and third horse 15sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov acceptance 50s. Six furlongs.

SECOND DAY,

SATURDAY, MARCH 10, 1917.

- 1. OMAHU HACK HANDICAP HUR-DLE RACE of 130sovs; second horse to receive 20sovs, and third horse 10sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 30s. One mile and a-half
- 2. TELEGRAPH HACK HANDICAP of 100sovs; second horse to receive 10 sovs, and third horse 5sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov. acceptance 30s. Six furlongs.
- 3. McVAY MEMORIAL HANDICAP of 300sovs; second horse to receive 35 sovs, and third horse 15sovs from the stake. Nomination Isov, acceptance 70s. One mile and a distance.
- 4. KUAO HANDICAP of 125sovs; second horse to receive 20sovs, and third horse 5sovs from the stake.

 For two-year-olds, Nomination 1sov, acceptance 30s, Four furlongs and a-half.
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 5. HIGH-WEIGHT HANDICAP of 120 sovs; second horse to receive 15 sovs, and third horse 5sovs from the stake. Minimum weight. 8.0. Nomination Isov, acceptance 30s. Nomination Once round.
- 6. MAIDEN HACK SCURRY of 100sovs: second horse to receive 10sovs, and third horse 5sovs from the stake. For three-year-olds and upwards that have never won a race at time of start. Weight. 9.0. Entrance 50s. Five furlongs.
- 7. ST. PATRICK'S HANDICAP of 150 sovs: second horse to receive 25 sovs. and third horse 10sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 2sovs. Six furlongs.
- 8. STEWARDS' HACK WELTER HAN-DICAP of 120sovs: second horse to receive 20sovs, and third horse 10 sovs from the stake. Minimum weight 7.7. Nomination Isov ac-ceptance 30s. Seven furlongs.

NOMINATIONS close FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1917, at 8 p.m.

WEIGHTS for First Day's Events will be declared on FRIDAY, MARCH 2. Z. ACCEPTANCES for First Day's Events close TUESDAY, MARCH 6, at 8 p.m.

DATES OF NOMINATIONS WEIGHTS, ACCEPTANCES, ETC.

(With Amounts to be Paid).

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1917.

NOMINATIONS close at the Club's Office, Herschell Street, Napler, at 8 p.m. for all races except Trial Hack Stakes and Maiden Hack Scurry.

FRIDAY, MARCH 2, 1917. WEIGHTS for all First Day's Events will be declared.

TUESDAY, MARCH 6, 1917, at 8 p.m. ACCEPTANCES for Omaranu: Hack Handicap Hurdle Race, Esk Hack Han-dicap, Napier Cup Handicap, Welter Handicap, Sapling Stakes Handicap, Redelyffe Hack Handicap, Flying Han-

dicap.

ENTRIES for Trial Hack Stakes and Maiden Hack Scurry.

FRIDAY, MARCH 9. (Night of First Day's Races.) (Night of First Day's Races,)
WEIGHTS for all the Second Day's
Events will be declared at 8 p.m.
ACCEPTANCES for all Second Day's
Events close at 9 p.m.
HACK DEFINITION.

No horse shall be eligible to start in a "Hack" Race which has won a race of the value of 150 soys or races of the collective value of 400 soys at time of nomination. The amount won by any horse in flat races, hurdle races, or steeplechases respectively shall not render such horse ineligible except in the special class of race in which it has won such amount.

ACCOMMODATION.

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The Club having secured the control of 24 loose-boxes, together with a four-roomed cottage for sleeping accommodation for visitors, trainers are requested to make early application for same, which must be accompanied by the following fees:—Loose-boxes fl, sleeping accommodation 10s. The above charges will cover one week or fraction thereof. Both the loose-boxes and cottage are new and situated close to the course and hotel, where meals can be procured.

PENALTIES.

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Flat Races—The winner of any flat race after the declaration of weights to carry a penalty of 10lb, and of every additional race a further penalty of 6lb. Horses handicapped at 8.10 or over to carry only half the above penalties.

Hurdle Races.—The winner of any hurdle race after the declaration of weights to carry a penalty of 10lb, and for every additional race 7lb extra.

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AROHA JOCKEY CLUB.

ANNUAL MEETING.

To be held on SATURDAY AND MONDAY,

MARCH 3 AND 5, 1917.

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Patron: Hon, W. H. Herries, M.P. President: R. L. Somers, Esq. Vice-Presidents: Messrs. J. B. Johnson, H. Gahagan, P. Baine, R. B. Hines, J. Lennard, C. A. Cuff. Handleapper: Mr. F. W. Edwards. Judge: Mr. Geo. McGlashan. Starter: Mr. C. O'Connor. Hon, Surgeons: Drs. Kenny, Hallen, Cran. Clerk of Scales: Mr. J. B. Johnson, Assistant Clerk of Scales: Mr. E. V. Arthur. Clerk of Course: Mr. R. Parr. Timekeeper: Mr. S. L. Boles. Treasurer: Mr. R. L. Somers. Hon. Auditor: Mr. R. S. Hanna. Stewards: Messrs. O. E. Austin, Fred. Walker, F. I. Hunt, G. Hedge, C. McNicol, J. R. Nicol, S. L. Boles, R. B. Hines, J. Pohlen, R. Burke, junr., A. K. Lipsey, W. R. Johnson, J. Hogan, L. Arthur, W. McInman, E. Rowe, D. Borrie, F. Rowe G. Cairns. Committee: Messrs. R. L. Somers, J. Lennard, J. B. Johnson, P. Baine, R. B. Hine, J. McSweeney, H. Gahagan, W. Lockyer. Secretary: E. O. Nash.

PROGRAMME (Approved by Auckland Racing Club).

FIRST DAY.

SATURDAY, MARCH 3, 1917.

- 1. RUAKAKA HANDICAP HURDLES of 135sovs; second horse to receive 20sovs, and third horse 10sovs from stake. Nomination 20s., acceptance 40s. One mile and a-half, over six flights of hurdles.
- 2. TRIAL HANDICAP of 105sovs; second horse to receive 15sovs, and third horse 5sovs from stake. For horses that have not won a flat race of 50sovs or over at time of entry. Nomination 20s., acceptance 30s. Five furlongs.
- 3. DOMAIN HANDICAP of 110sovs; second horse to receive 15sovs, and third horse 5sovs from stake. Nomination 20s., acceptance 35s. Six furlongs.
- 4. TE AROHA CUP HANDICAP of 250 sovs; second horse to receive 35 sovs, and third horse 15sovs from stake. Nomination 30s., acceptance 50s. One mile and a-quarter.
- 5. FLYING HANDICAP of 100sovs; second horse to receive 15sovs, and third horse 5sovs from stake. Nomination 20s., acceptance 30s. Five furlongs.
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 6. GORDON HANDICAP of 100sovs; second horse to receive 15sovs, and third horse 5sovs from stake. For horses that have not won a flat race over the value of 30sovs at the time of entry. Nomination 20s., acceptance 30s. Six furlongs.

 7. WAITOA WELTER HANDICAP of 105sovs; second horse to receive 15 sovs, and third horse 5sovs from stake. Minimum weight, 7.7. Nomination 20s., acceptance 30s. Seven furlongs.
- COURIST HANDICAP of 100sovs; second horse to receive 15sovs, and third horse 5sovs from stake. Nomination 20s., acceptance 30s. Six furlongs.

SECOND DAY.

MONDAY, MARCH 5, 1917.

- 1. MANAWARU HANDICAP HURDLES of 140sovs; second horse to receive 20sovs, and third horse 10sovs from stake. Nomination 20s., acceptance 40s. One mile and three-quarters, over seven flights of hurdles.
- 2 MAIDEN PLATE HANDICAP of 105 sovs; second horse to receive 15 sovs, and third horse 5sovs from stake. For horses that have not won a race at the time of entry. Nomination 20s., acceptance 30s. Seven furlongs.
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 3. WAIHOU HANDICAP of second horse to receive 15sovs, and third horse 5sovs from stake. Nomination 20s., acceptance 30s. Six furlongs.

- 4. JOCKEY CLUB HANDICAP of 185 soys; second horse to receive 30 soys, and third horse 15soys from stake. Nomination 30s., acceptance stake. Nomma. 40s. One mile,
- 5. ELECTRIC HANDICAP of 100sovs; second horse to receive 15sovs, and third horse 5sovs from stake. Nomination 20s., acceptance 30s. Five furiongs
- 6. PIAKO HANDICAP of 100sovs; second horse to receive 15sovs, and third horse 5sovs from stake. For horses that have not won a flat race over the value of 30sovs at the time of entry. Nomination 20s., acceptance 30s. Five furlongs.
- 7. TE AROHA WELTER HANDICAP of 115sovs; second horse to receive 20sovs and third horse 5sovs from stake. Minimum weight, 7.7. Nomination 20s., acceptance 30s. Seven furthers.
- 8. FAREWELL HANDICAP of 100sovs; second horse to receive 15sovs, and third horse 5sovs from stake. Nomination 20s., acceptance 30s. Six furlongs.

CONDITIONS.

ALL NOMINATIONS must be made to the Secretary, Te Aroha, or C. F. Mark, Durham Street East, Auckland, on or before SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10, by 9 p.m.

WEIGHTS will be declared on MON-DAY, FEBRUARY 19.

ACCEPTANCES to be in the hands of the Secretary by 9 p.m. on SATUR-DAY, FEBRUARY 24. (Te Aroha Telegraph Office closes at 8 p.m.)

HANDICAPS for the Second Day's Racing to be declared by 9 p.m. on SATURDAY, MARCH 3.

ACCEPTANCES to be in the hands of the Secretary by 10 p.m. the same day. Entrance money must be enclosed with nomination, together with name, age and pedigree of horse, name of trainer, and colours of rider.

Entries made by telegram must be confirmed in writing, giving full particulars, by first mail when entrance money must be paid.

Owners are responsible in the matter of penalties and allowances.

All races to be run under the New Zealand Rules of Racing.

Any horse winning after publication of weights is liable to be re-handicap-

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

E. O. NASH, Secretary.



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AUTUMN MEETING.

FIRST DAY.

SATURDAY, APRIL 21, 1917.

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 IMPROVERS' TROT HANDICAP (Saddele) of 75sovs; second horse to receive 10sovs, and third horse 5 sovs each from the stake. FOR TROTTING HORSES ONLY. For horses that have not won at better than 2.35 to the mile. Limit, 4.5. Nomination 20s., acceptance 30s. Distance, one mile and a-half.
- MANGERE HANDICAP (Harness) of 75sovs; second horse to receive 10 sovs, and third horse 5sovs each from the stake. For horses that have not won at better than 2.30 to the mile. Limit, 3.56. Nomination 20s., acceptance 30s. Distance, one mile and a-half.
- CAMPBELL HANDICAP (Harness) of 300sovs; second horse to receive 45 sovs, and third horse 20sovs each from the stake. Limit, 4.43. Nomination 2½sovs, acceptance 4sovs. Distance, two miles.
- EASTER HANDICAP (Harness) of 159
 sovs; second horse to receive 20
 sovs, and third horse 10sovs each
 from the stake. Limit, 4.58. Nomination 20s., acceptance 3sovs.
 Distance, two miles.
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 HOBSON HANDICAP (Harness) of 100 sovs; second horse to receive 10 sovs, and third horse 5sovs each from the stake. Limit, 3.39. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 2sovs. Distance, one mile and a-half.

 STEWARDS' TROT HANDICAP (Harness) of 150sovs; second horse to receive 20sovs, and third horse 10 sovs each from the stake. FOR TROTTING HORSES ONLY. Limit, 3.45. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 3sovs. Distance, one mile and a-half.

 CORNWALL HANDICAP (Harness) of
- CORNWALL HANDICAP (Harness) of 200sovs; second horse to receive 30

sovs, and third horse 15sovs each from the stake. Limit, 2.19. Nomination 2sovs, acceptance 2½sovs. Distance, one mile.

MARCONI HANDICAP (Saddle) of 100 sovs; second horse to receive 10 sovs, and third horse 5sovs each from the stake. Limit, 2.26. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 2sovs. Distance, one mile.

SECOND DAY.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25, 1917.

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BARN HANDICAP TROT (Harness) of 80 sovs; second horse to receive 10 sovs, and third horse 5 sovs each from the stake. For horses that have not won at better than 2.35 to the mile. Limit, 4.5. FOR TROTTING HORSES ONLY. Nomination 20s., acceptance 30s. Distance, one mile and a-half.

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MANUKAU HANDICAP (Saddle) of 75sovs; second horse to receive 10 sovs, and third horse 5sovs each from the stake. For horses that have not won at better than 2.30 to the mile. Limit. 3.56. Nomination 20s., acceptance 30s. Distance, one mile and a-haif.

LIVERPOOL HANDICAP (Harness) of 250sovs; second horse to receive 35sovs, and third horse 15sovs each from the stake. Limit, 4.43. Nomination 2sovs, acceptance 4sovs. Distance, two miles.

AUTUMN HANDICAP (Harness) of 150sovs; second horse to receive 20sovs, and third horse 10sovs each from the stake. Limit, 4.57. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 3sovs. Distance, two miles.

ADAMS' MEMORIAL HANDICAP (Harness) of 150sovs; second horse to receive 20sovs, and third horse 10 sovs each from the stake. Limit, 3.38. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 3sovs. Distance, one mile and a-half.

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HILL TROT HANDICAP (Harness, of 150sovs; second horse to receive 20 sovs, and third horse 10sovs each from the stake. FOR TROTTING HORSES ONLY. Limit, 5.0. Nomination 1sovs, acceptance 3sovs. Distance, two miles.

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MEMBERS' HANDICAP (Harness) of 200sovs; second horse to receive 30sovs, and third 15sovs each from the stake. Limit, 2.56. Nomination 2sovs, acceptance 2½ sovs. Distance, one mile and a-quarter.

FAREWELL HANDICAP (Saddle) of 125sovs; second horse to receive 15sovs, and third horse 10sovs each from the stake. Limit, 2.25. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 2½ s Jvs. Distance, one mile.

AUTUMN MEETING, 1917.

DATES OF NOMINATIONS, ACCEPT-ANCES AND HANDICAPS.

NOMINATIONS for all Events close on APRIL 7, at 9 p.m. ACCEPTANCES for the First Day close on FRIDAY, APRIL 18, at 9 p.m.

ACCEPTANCES for the Second Day close on MONDAY, APRIL 23, at 9 p.m. HANDICAPS.

HANDICAPS for the First Day to appear on APRIL 9. HANDICAPS for the Second Day to appear on APRIL 23.

RULES AND REGULATIONS. No nomination will be accepted unless accompanied by fees.

No competitor will be allowed to start unless all fees are paid.

No competitor will be allowed to start unless colours, dress and gear are in good order and condition.

No horse will be allowed to compete in hopples in races for trotters only.

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Rule 172 New Zezland Rules of Trotting.—By the entry of or endeavouring to enter a horse, every person having or subsequently acquiring any interest in such horse, shall be deemed to accept all the conditions and restrictions imposed or implied by these Rules, and to be barred from questioning the action of the Club or other body holding a sports meeting or any official of the Club or such other body in respect of such horses, or of any person connected therewith otherwise than is provided for in Part XXX, of the Rules,

Placed horses on any day may be entered for shorter limit races on any succeeding day of the same meeting. Such entry must be made before 7 p.n., on the day on which the horse was placed except in the case of the third day of the Summer Meeting for which such additional entry must be made before 7 p.m. on the second day of the meeting.

The Committee reserves the right to

The Committee reserve the right to refuse any entry and to exclude any person or persons from the ground without giving any explanation.

Before any horse can start the Provident Fund fee of 5s. must be paid, under a penalty of disqualification, vide Rules of Trotting.

The Committee reserve to themselves the right to have horses handicapped in any or all races by time or distance.

All Entries and Acceptances to be addressed to the Secretary, Durham Street, Auckland.
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C. F. MARK, Secretary.

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