

TARANAKI JOCKEY CLUB.

AUTUMN MEETING.

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FIRST DAY,

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1918.

1. WAITARA HACK HURDLES HANDICAP of 160sovs; second horse to receive 25sovs, and third horse 10 sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. One mile and a-half and 100 yards, over six flights of hurdles, about 3ft. 6in. high.
2. STEWARDS' HANDICAP of 160sovs; second horse to receive 25sovs, and third horse 10sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. Five furlongs.
3. TIMARU HACK HANDICAP of 110 sovs; second horse to receive 15sovs, and third horse 5sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. Six furlongs.
4. TARANAKI CUP HANDICAP of 550 sovs; second horse to receive 70 sovs, and third horse 30sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 4sovs. One mile and a-quarter.
5. MIMI WELTER HANDICAP of 130 sovs; second horse to receive 20sovs, and third horse 10sovs from the stake. Minimum weight, 8.0. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. One mile and 110 yards.
6. FLYING HANDICAP of 225sovs; second horse to receive 30sovs, and third horse 15sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 2sovs. Six furlongs.
7. OKATO HACK HANDICAP of 110 sovs; second horse to receive 15sovs, and third horse 5sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. One mile and 110 yards.
8. MOTUROA ELECTRIC HACK of 100 sovs; second horse to receive 10 sovs, and third horse 5sovs from the stake. Weight, 8.0. For horses that have never won a race on the flat of the value of 25sovs at the time of starting. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. Five furlongs.

Winner of any handicap after declaration of weights to carry a penalty of 7lb; of two or more handicaps, a penalty of 12lb. Winners of any hurdle race after the declaration of weights to carry a penalty of 7lb; of two or more hurdle races a penalty of 12lb. Owners are responsible for all penalties and allowances.

SECOND DAY.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1918.

1. OKOKE HACK HURDLES HANDICAP of 150sovs; second horse to receive 25sovs, and third horse 10 sovs from the stake. Over six flights of hurdles, about 3ft. 6in. high. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. One mile and a-half and 100 yards.
2. GRANDSTAND HANDICAP of 160 sovs; second horse to receive 25sovs, and third horse 10sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. Five furlongs.
3. FOURTH TARANAKI STAKES of 500sovs; second horse to receive 100 sovs, and the third horse 50sovs out of the stake. For horses two-year-old and upwards at time of starting. Weight for age, with penalties and allowances. Winners after 1st August, 1917, of any race or races of the collective value of 250sovs to carry 3lb extra; of 500sovs, 5lb; of 750sovs, 7lb; of 1000sovs, 10lb extra. Maiden four-year-olds and upwards at time of starting allowed 10lb; three-year-olds, 7lb; two-year-olds, 5lb. By subscription of 6sovs each, unless forfeits are declared and paid as follows:—1sov if struck out by Friday, October 5th, 1917, or 2sovs if struck out by Friday, December 7th, 1917. All horses remaining in after this date must pay the total subscription of 6sovs on Friday, January 25, 1918. (Closed with 92 entries.) Six furlongs.
4. OMATA HACK HANDICAP of 110 sovs; second horse to receive 15sovs, and third horse 5sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. Six furlongs.
5. PAUL MEMORIAL HANDICAP of 250sovs; second horse to receive 30 sovs, and third horse 15sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 3sovs. Nine furlongs.
6. KAWAU HACK HANDICAP of 110 sovs; second horse to receive 15sovs, and third horse 5sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. One mile and 110 yards.
7. FAREWELL HANDICAP of 130sovs; second horse to receive 20sovs, and third horse 10sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. Six furlongs.
8. URENUI ELECTRIC HACK of 100 sovs; second horse to receive 10 sovs, and third horse 5sovs from the stake. Open to horses that have never won a race on the flat of any description at time of starting. Weight, 8.7. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. Five furlongs.

Winner of any handicap after declaration of weights to carry a penalty of 7lb.

DATES OF NOMINATIONS, WEIGHTS AND ACCEPTANCES. And amounts to be forwarded to the Secretary Taranaki Jockey Club.

AUTUMN MEETING.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 11, 1918, at 9 p.m. NOMINATIONS.—Waitara Hack Hurdles, Stewards' Handicap, Timaru Hack

Handicap, Taranaki Cup Handicap, Mimi Welter Handicap, Okato Hack Handicap, Flying Handicap, Moturoa Electric Hack, Okoke Hack Hurdles, Grandstand Handicap, Omata Hack Handicap, Paul Memorial Handicap, Kawau Hack Handicap, Farewell Handicap, Urenui Electric Hack, 1sov each.

MONDAY, JANUARY 28, 1918 (on or about).

WEIGHTS for the First Day's Handicaps.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1918, at 9 p.m. ACCEPTANCES.—Waitara Hack Hurdles 1sov, Stewards' Handicap 1sov, Timaru Hack Handicap 1sov, Taranaki Cup Handicap 4sovs, Welter Handicap 1sov, Okato Hack Handicap 1sov, Flying Handicap 2sovs, Moturoa Electric Hack 1sov.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1918, at 8.30 p.m.

WEIGHTS for Second Day's Handicaps.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1918, at 9.30 p.m.

ACCEPTANCES.—Okoke Hack Hurdles 1sov, Grandstand Handicap 1sov, Omata Hack Handicap 1sov, Paul Memorial Handicap 3sovs, Kawau Hack Handicap 1sov, Farewell Handicap 1sov, Urenui Electric Hack 1sov.

E. P. WEBSTER, Secretary.

Box 33, New Plymouth.

EGMONT RACING CLUB.

HAWERA.

SUMMER MEETING,

To be held on

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY,

FEBRUARY 13 AND 14, 1918.

President: R. H. Nolan. Vice-President: J. Gray. Stewards: President, Vice-President, Hon. Treasurer, W. C. Adamson, J. H. Baker, Jas. Crocker, A. S. Tonks, A. Good, W. Good, H. Spratt, F. J. H. Nancarrow, R. Hicks, C. H. Washer, W. O. Williams. Starter: C. O'Connor. Clerk of Course: T. C. Sutherland. Clerk of Scales: W. H. Hartgill. Handicapper: H. Coyle. Timekeeper: J. M. Currin. Judge: W. H. Hartgill. Hon. Treasurer: J. Quin. Secretary: V. B. Stratton.

FIRST DAY,

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1918.

OHAWA HURDLES, a handicap of 175 sovs; second horse to receive 25sovs, and third horse 10sovs out of the stakes. Over seven flights of hurdles, about 3ft. 6in. high. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 30s. One mile and three-quarters.

FLYING HANDICAP, a handicap of 250 sovs; second horse to receive 35sovs, and the third horse 15sovs out of the stakes. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 2sovs. Six furlongs.

MERE MERE HACK FLAT, a handicap of 120sovs; second horse to receive 15sovs, and the third horse 5sovs out of the stakes. Minimum weight, 7.0. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. Five furlongs.

EGMONT CUP, a handicap of 600sovs; second horse to receive 75sovs, and the third horse 25sovs out of the stakes. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 5sovs. One mile and a-half.

LADIES' PURSE (Hack) of 100sovs; second horse to receive 15sovs, and the third horse 5sovs out of the stakes. For gentlemen riders. Weight, 10.7. For horses that have never won a race of the value of 20sovs on the flat at time of starting. A trophy of 5sovs to the rider of the winner. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. Eight furlongs and a-half.

EGMONT STAKES of 500sovs; second horse to receive 70sovs, and the third horse to receive 30sovs out of the stakes. For horses two-year-old and upwards at time of starting. Weight for age, with penalties and allowances. Winners after the 1st August, 1917, of a race or races collectively of the value of 250sovs to carry 3lb; of 500sovs, 5lb; of 750 sovs, 7lb; of 1000sovs, 10lb extra. Maiden four-year-olds and upwards at time of starting allowed 10lb; three-year-olds, 7lb; two-year-olds, 3lb. (Closed with 95 entries.) Six furlongs.

WAIKAPA HACK FLAT, a handicap of 120sovs; second horse to receive 15 sovs, and the third horse 5sovs out of the stakes. Minimum weight, 7.0. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. Seven furlongs.

WHAREROA WELTER, a handicap of 200sovs; second horse to receive 25 sovs, and the third horse 10sovs out of the stakes. Minimum weight, 8.0. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 2sovs. Seven furlongs.

SECOND DAY.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1918.

OKAIAWA HURDLES, a handicap of 150sovs; second horse to receive 20 sovs, and the third horse 10sovs out of the stakes. Over six flights of hurdles, about 3ft. 6in. high. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. One mile and a-half.

WAIMATE HANDICAP, a handicap of 250sovs; second horse to receive 35 sovs, and the third horse 15sovs out of the stakes. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 2sovs. Six furlongs.

FARMBERS' PLATE HANDICAP (Hack) of 100sovs; second horse to receive 15sovs, and the third horse 5sovs out of the stakes. For gentlemen riders. Minimum weight, 10.0. A trophy of 5sovs to the rider of the winner. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. One mile and a distance.

ATKINSON MEMORIAL STAKES, a handicap of 400sovs; second horse to receive 50sovs, and the third horse 20sovs out of the stakes. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 4sovs. One mile and a-quarter.

MAIDEN HACK SCURRY of 120sovs; second horse to receive 15sovs, and the third horse 5sovs out of the stakes. Open to horses that have never won a race of any description

at time of starting. Weight, 8.7. Entrance 1sov, acceptance 1sov. Five furlongs.

HAWERA STAKES of 400sovs; second horse to receive 60sovs, and the third horse 30sovs out of the stakes. For horses three-year-old and upwards at time of starting. Weight for age, with penalties and allowances. Winners after 1st August, 1917, of a race of the value of 250 sovs to carry 3lb, of 500sovs 5lb, of 750sovs, 7lb, of 1000sovs 10lb extra. Penalties not accumulative. Maiden four-year-olds and upwards at time of starting allowed 10lb, three-year-olds 7lb. (Closed with 47 entries.) One mile.

INAHAKA HACK FLAT, a handicap of 120 sovs; second horse to receive 15 sovs, and the third horse 5sovs out of the stakes. Minimum weight, 7.0. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. Six furlongs.

NORMANBY WELTER, a handicap of 200sovs; second horse to receive 25 sovs, and the third horse 10sovs out of the stakes. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 2sovs. Eight furlongs and a-half.

PENALTIES.

The winner of any race after declaration of weights to carry a penalty of 10lb, of two or more such races 14lb. Horses handicapped at 3.7 or over-half the above penalties.

The winner of any hurdle race after declaration of weights to carry a penalty of 10lb.

DATES OF NOMINATIONS AND ACCEPTANCES

And amounts to be forwarded.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 18, 1918, by 9 p.m. NOMINATIONS for all races, 1sov.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1918, at 9 p.m.

ACCEPTANCES.—Ohawe Hurdles 30s., Flying Handicap 2sovs, Mere Hack Flat 1sov, Egmont Cup 5sovs, Ladies' Purse 1sov, Waipapa Hack Flat 1sov, Whareroa Welter 2sovs.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1918, at 9 p.m.

ACCEPTANCES.—Okaiawa Hurdles 1 sov, Waimate Handicap 2sovs, Farmers' Plate Handicap 1sov, Atkinson Memorial Stakes 4sovs, Maiden Hack Scurry 1sov, Inaha Hack Flat 1sov, Normanby Welter 2sovs.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1918 (on or about).

WEIGHTS First Day's Handicaps.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1918, at 8 p.m.

WEIGHTS Second Day's Handicaps.

DEFINITION OF HACK.

As per Rules of Racing, Part XI.

N.B.—The foregoing programme is subject to revision by the Committee prior to closing, as to dates of entry, acceptances, etc.

The Committee also reserve to themselves the right to alter the date on which the handicaps appear, should they deem it fit to do so.

Nominations and acceptances will be received at the time and the date mentioned at the Office of the Club, Hawera. Telegraph Office closes at 8 p.m.

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

No entry will be received after the hour named under any pretext whatever.

Trainers' name must be stated at time of nomination.

V. B. STRATTON, Secretary.

Approved this 20th day of November, 1917, by the Taranaki Jockey Club.—E. P. WEBSTER, Secretary.

WANGANUI JOCKEY CLUB.

Programme for AUTUMN MEETING.

THURSDAY AND SATURDAY,

FEBRUARY 21 AND 23, 1918.

OFFICERS:

Patron: H. N. Harrison, Esq. President: H. A. Campbell, Esq. Vice-President: Allan Cameron, Esq. Hon. Timekeeper: A. E. T. Nixon. Judge: W. H. Hartgill. Starter: C. O'Connor. Handicapper: H. Coyle. Hon. Clerk of the Scales: H. M. Speed. Clerk of the Course: G. T. Lynch. Hon. Surgeon: Dr. Hatherly. Hon. Veterinary Surgeon: P. Maxwell Edgar. Stewards: President, Vice-President and Treasurer (ex officio), Messrs. G. Marshall, James Higgie, Jas. Watt, H. M. Speed, R. Russell, C. G. Russell, J. C. Paterson, H. E. Good, W. McA. Duncan, C. E. Mackay, Russell Grace, Dr. M. Earle. Committee: President, Hon. Treasurer (ex officio), Messrs. G. Marshall, James Higgie, James Watt, H. M. Speed, R. Russell, C. G. Russell, J. C. Paterson, H. E. Good, W. McA. Duncan, C. E. Mackay, Russell Grace, Dr. M. Earle. Hon. Treasurer: J. F. Cutfield. Secretary: W. Hall.

FIRST DAY.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1918.

To start at 11.45 a.m.

1. STEWARDS' HANDICAP of 200sovs; second horse to receive 25sovs, and third horse 15sovs from the stakes. Distance, one mile and 110 yards. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 2sovs.
2. PETRE HACK HANDICAP of 120 sovs; second horse to receive 15 sovs, and third horse 10sovs from the stakes. Distance, six furlongs. Minimum weight, 7.0. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov.
3. WESTMERE HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 200sovs; second horse to receive 25sovs, and third horse 15 sovs from the stakes. Distance, about two miles; over eight flights of hurdles, 3ft. 6in. in height. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 2sovs.
4. JACKSON STAKES of 500sovs; second horse to receive 75sovs, and

third horse 25sovs from the stakes. Distance, six furlongs. For two-year-olds and upwards. Weight for age. By subscription of 5sovs each, unless forfeit is declared and paid as follows: 1sov if struck out on or before Nomination Night, August 28, 1917, at 9.30 p.m., or 2sovs if struck out on or before Nomination Night, Autumn Meeting, 1918. All horses remaining in after latter date to pay the subscription of 5sovs on first acceptance night, Autumn Meeting, 1918. (Closed with 183 nominations.)

5. WANGANUI CUP HANDICAP of 1000sovs; second horse to receive 200sovs, and third horse 100sovs from the stakes. Distance, one mile and three-quarters. In the event of any entrant winning a handicap of the value of 100sovs after the declaration of weights, the handicapper will review that horse's weight, and will raise it or allow it to stand as he thinks fit. It is only winners that will be re-handicapped. If the weight of any horse is altered, the revised handicap will be published on or about Friday, February 15, 1918. Nomination 1 sov, acceptance 4sovs on Monday, February 18, 1918, at 9.30 p.m., and 5sovs at the post.

6. JUVENILE HANDICAP of 150sovs; second horse to receive 20sovs, and third horse 10sovs from the stakes. Distance, about five furlongs. For two and three-year-olds. To be ridden by apprentices who have not won 16 races, apprentices who have never won a race allowed 5lb. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov.

7. WIRITOA HACK RACE HANDICAP of 120sovs; second horse to receive 15sovs, and third horse 10sovs from the stakes. Distance, one mile and 110 yards. Minimum weight, 7.0. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov.

8. FLYING HANDICAP of 400sovs; second horse to receive 75sovs, and third horse 25sovs from the stakes. Distance, six furlongs. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 3sovs.

SECOND DAY.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1918.

To start at 11.45 a.m.

1. AUTUMN HANDICAP of 200sovs; second horse to receive 25sovs, and third horse 15sovs from the stakes. Distance, one mile and 110 yards. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 2sovs.
2. MATARAWA HACK RACE HANDICAP of 120sovs; second horse to receive 15sovs, and third horse 10 sovs from the stakes. Distance, six furlongs. Minimum weight, 7.0. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov.
3. WANGANUI GUINEAS, a sweep-stake of 10sovs each for starters, with 500sovs added; second horse to receive 100sovs, and third horse 50sovs from the stakes. For three-year-olds. Distance, one mile. Colts 8.10, fillies and geldings 8.5. (Closed with 61 nominations.) Acceptance 4sovs, and 5sovs at post.
4. FORDELL HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 175sovs; second horse to receive 20sovs, and third horse 10 sovs from the stakes. Distance, about one mile and three-quarters; over seven flights of hurdles, 3ft. 6in. in height. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 2sovs.
5. OKOIA HACK WELTER HANDICAP of 120sovs; second horse to receive 15sovs, and third horse 10sovs from the stakes. Distance, six furlongs. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov.
6. WANGANUI STAKES HANDICAP of 500sovs; second horse to receive 75 sovs, and third horse 25sovs from the stakes. Distance, one mile and a-half. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 4sovs.
7. HARRISON HACK HANDICAP of 120sovs; second horse to receive 15 sovs, and third horse 10sovs from the stakes. Distance, one mile and a distance. Minimum weight, 7.0. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov.
8. FAREWELL HANDICAP of 200sovs; second horse to receive 35sovs, and third horse 15sovs from the stakes. Distance, six furlongs. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 2sovs.

PENALTIES.

The winner of any hurdle race after declaration of weights to carry a penalty of 10lb in a hurdle race, and the winner of any flat race after declaration of weights to carry 7lb, two or more such races 10lb penalty in a flat race. No penalty will be required in an open race for having won a hack race or races.

DATES OF NOMINATIONS, WEIGHTS, ENTRIES AND ACCEPTANCES, And amounts to be forwarded to Secretary Wanganui Jockey Club.

AUTUMN MEETING,

FEBRUARY 21 AND 23, 1918.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 25, 1918, at 9.30 p.m.

NOMINATIONS.—Stewards' Handicap 1sov, Petre Hack Handicap 1sov, Westmere Hurdle Race 1sov, Wanganui Cup 1sov, Juvenile Handicap 1sov, Wiritoa Hack Flat Handicap 1sov, Flying Handicap 1sov, Autumn Handicap 1sov, Matarawa Hack Flat Handicap 1sov, Fordell Hurdle Race 1sov, Okoia Hack Welter Handicap 1sov, Wanganui Stakes Handicap 1sov, Harrison Hack Handicap 1sov, Farewell Handicap 1sov.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 25, 1918, at 9.30 p.m.

SECOND FORFEIT—Jackson Stakes, 1918, 2 sovs.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1918

WEIGHTS for all First Day's events.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1918.

REVISED WEIGHTS (if necessary) Wanganui Cup.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1918, at 9.30 p.m.

ACCEPTANCES.—Stewards' Handicap 2sovs, Petre Hack Handicap 1sov, Westmere Hurdle Race 2sovs, Wanganui Cup 4sovs, Juvenile Handicap 1sov, Wiritoa Hack Flat 1sov, Flying Handicap 3sovs. SUBSCRIPTION—Jackson Stakes 5 sovs.