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OHINEMURI JOCKEY CLUB.

ANNUAL RACE MEETING. To be held on the Paeroa Racecourse, SATURDAY, MARCH 15, 1919.

OFFICERS: President: E. Shaw, Esq. Vice-President: W. J. Ellis, Esq. Treasurer: W. J. Ellis, Esq. Stewards: The Committee. Judge: Mr. H. R. Bush. Protest Committee: Messrs. Grace, Clarkin and McGuire. Starter: Mr. C. O'Connor. Handicapper: Mr. R. Wynyard. Clerks of Scales: Messrs. W. Neil and J. Goonan. Clerk of Course: Mr. Bert Neil. Timekeeper: Mr. P. Brennan. Hon. Surgeons: Drs. Smith, Kenny, Brown, Short, Walsh, and Lapraik. Committee: Messrs. P. Grace (Chairman), H. R. Bush, J. Clarkin, W. J. Ellis, W. Neil, A. McGuire, W. J. Towels, G. Dean, E. Shaw, P. Vuglar, J. Goonan, C. Lloyd. Secretary: H. Poland.

- PROGRAMME. 1. HANDICAP HURDLES of 150sovs; second horse to receive 30sovs, and third horse 10sovs out of the stakes. Over seven flights of hurdles. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. One mile and three-quarters. 2. MAIDEN HANDICAP of 150sovs; second horse to receive 30sovs, and third horse 10sovs out of the stakes. For all horses that have not won an advertised race of any value at the time of entry. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 30s. Five furlongs. 3. NETHERTON WELTER of 160sovs; second horse to receive 30sovs, and third horse 15sovs out of the stakes. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 30s. About seven furlongs. 4. KARANGAHAKE HANDICAP of 200 sovs; second horse to receive 40 sovs, and third horse 20sovs out of the stakes. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 2sovs. Five furlongs. 5. OHINEMURI CUP HANDICAP of 500sovs; second horse to receive 70 sovs, and third horse 30sovs out of the stakes. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 4sovs. One mile and a-quarter. 6. KOMATA HACK HANDICAP of 150 sovs; second horse to receive 30 sovs, and third horse 10sovs out of the stakes. For all horses that have not won an advertised race of the value of 50sovs at the time of entry. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 30s. Six furlongs. 7. PAEROA STEEPLECHASE HANDICAP of 140sovs; second horse to receive 30sovs, and third horse 10 sovs out of the stakes. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. About two miles and a-half. 8. ST. PATRICK'S HANDICAP of 250 sovs; second horse to receive 40sovs, and third horse 20sovs out of the stakes. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 2sovs. Six furlongs.

DATES OF NOMINATIONS, WEIGHTS AND ACCEPTANCES. NOMINATIONS for all events close at 8 p.m. on SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1919, with the Secretary, Paeroa, or with Mr. C. F. Mark, Durham Street East, Auckland.

WEIGHTS will appear in "Auckland Herald" and "Star" MONDAY, MARCH 10, 1919.

ACCEPTANCES close at 8 p.m. on TUESDAY, MARCH 11, 1919, with the Secretary, Paeroa, or with Mr. C. F. Mark, Durham Street East, Auckland.

CONDITIONS.

- 1. Entrance money must be enclosed with nominations, together with name and address of owner, name, age and pedigree of horse, name of trainer and colours. 2. Entries and acceptances made by telegram must be confirmed in writing by first mail, with full particulars and entrance money, otherwise fines (provided for under Part XVI., Rule 4 of Rules of Racing) will be rigidly enforced. 3. All winning horses after declaration of weights are subject to be re-handicapped, except in cases where special penalties are provided for. 4. Owners are responsible for all penalties and allowances. 5. Minimum weights in Nos. 2, 4, 5, 6 and 8 races will be 7.0, and in No. 3, 8.0.

H. POLAND, Secretary.

DANNEVIRKE RACING CLUB.

AUTUMN MEETING.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1919.

Patron: George Hunter, M.P. President: T. H. G. Lloyd; Vice-Presidents, C. A. Jensen and Major Armstrong. Judge: R. H. Aldworth. Handicapper: J. E. Henrys. Starter: Angus Keith. Clerk of Scales: Captain M. O. Grainger. Treasurer: G. J. E. Bickford. Clerk of Course: B. Gordon. Timekeeper: R. Stevens. Stewards: Messrs. W. G. F. Frame, R. Roake, T. McDermott, R. N. Blakiston, J. Neagle, L. Cowan, R. E. Bunney, R. Fraser, G. Harris, J. A. Riddell, W. J. Husband, L. C. Breakwell. Secretary: Walter Dobson, P.O. Box 69, Dannevirke.

PROGRAMME.

- 1. MAIDEN PLATE of 100sovs; second horse to receive 20sovs, and third horse 10sovs from the stake. For three-year-olds and upwards that have not won a flat race at time of starting. Weight, 8.0. Entrance 40s. Distance, five furlongs. 2. PRESIDENT'S HANDICAP (Open) of 200sovs; second horse to receive 40sovs, and third horse 20sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 3sovs. Distance, six furlongs. 3. TAHORAITE HACK WELTER of 125sovs; second horse to receive 25 sovs, and third horse 15sovs from the stake. Minimum weight, 7.7. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 2sovs. Distance, seven furlongs. 4. THE HARTGILL MEMORIAL HANDICAP (Open) of 300sovs; second horse to receive 60sovs, and third horse 30sovs from the stake. Nomination 2sovs, acceptance 4sovs. Distance, one mile and a-quarter. 5. RAKAIATAI HACK HANDICAP of 125sovs; second horse to receive 25 sovs, and third horse 15sovs from the stake. Minimum weight, 7.0. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 2sovs. Distance, six furlongs. 6. JUVENILE HANDICAP of 130sovs; second horse to receive 25sovs, and third horse 15sovs from the stake. For two-year-olds. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 2sovs. Distance, five furlongs. 7. MAKIRIKIRI HACK HANDICAP of 130sovs; second horse to receive 25 sovs, and third horse 15sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 2sovs. Distance, one mile and 50 yards. 8. TAMAKI WELTER (Open) of 200 sovs; second horse to receive 40 sovs, and third horse 20sovs from the stake. Minimum weight, 7.7. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 3sovs. Distance, seven furlongs.

PENALTIES.

The winner of any flat race after declaration of weights if handicapped under 8.10 to carry 10lb penalty, and for every additional win 6lb extra. If handicapped at 8.10 or over to carry only half the above penalty. Owners are responsible for all penalties.

NOMINATIONS for all events close on WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1919, at 8 o'clock p.m.

WEIGHTS will be declared on or about SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1919.

ACCEPTANCES for all events and ENTRIES for the Maiden Plate close on WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1919, at 8 o'clock p.m. Telegraph Office closes at 5 p.m.

WALTER DOBSON, Secretary.

Approved Hawke's Bay District Committee—(Signed) H. S. MOSS, Secretary, January 11, 1919.

TE AROHA JOCKEY CLUB.

ANNUAL MEETING.

To be held on the Te Aroha Racecourse, on SATURDAY, MARCH 8, 1919.

Patron: Hon. W. H. Herries, M.P. President: R. L. Somers, Esq. Vice-Presidents: Messrs. J. B. Johnson, R. B. Hines, C. A. Cuff. Judge: Mr. G. McGlashan. Handicapper: Mr. F. W. Edwards. Starter: Mr. C. O'Connor. Hon. Surgeons: Dr. G. G. Kenny, Dr. D. K. Gordon, Dr. J. W. Menzies. Clerk of Course: Mr. E. J. Aislabie. Clerk of Scales: Mr. J. B. Johnson. Assistant Clerk of Scales: Mr. J. Pohlen. Timekeeper: Mr. S. L. Boles. Hon. Treasurer: Mr. R. L. Somers. Auditor: Mr. G. F. McGirr. Committee: Messrs. R. Burke, Junr., A. W. Edwards, W. H. Milliken, J. Lennard, J. R. Nicol, S. L. Boles, and F. I. Hunt. Stewards: Messrs. F. Walker, G. Hedge, F. Rowe, W. Lockyer, A. Forrest, P. Baine, A. K. Lipsey, W. R. Johnson, J. Hogan, J. L. Arthur, W. McInman, E. Rowe, D.

Borrie, J. R. Nicol, and R. Burke, Junr. Secretary: E. O. Nash.

PROGRAMME

(Approved by the Auckland District Committee).

- 1. RUAKAKA HANDICAP HURDLES of 200sovs; second horse to receive 30sovs, and third horse 20sovs from stake. Nomination 20s., acceptance 40s. One mile and three-quarters, over seven flights of hurdles. 2. WAITOA HANDICAP of 175sovs; second horse to receive 25sovs, and third horse 15sovs from stake. Nomination 20s., acceptance 40s. Seven furlongs. 3. TRIAL HANDICAP of 150sovs; second horse to receive 25sovs, and third horse 15sovs from stake. For horses that have not won a flat race of 50sovs or over at the time of entry. Nomination 20s., acceptance 35s. Five furlongs and a-half. 4. WAIHOU HANDICAP of 200sovs; second horse to receive 30sovs, and third horse 20sovs from stake. Nomination 20s., acceptance 40s. Six furlongs. 5. TE AROHA CUP of 400sovs; second horse to receive 50sovs, and third horse 25sovs from stake. Nomination 40s., acceptance 60s. One mile and a-quarter. 6. PIAKO HANDICAP of 165sovs; second horse to receive 25sovs, and third horse 15sovs from stake. For horses that have not won a flat race of the value of 150sovs to the winner, or races of the aggregate value of 400sovs to the winner at the time of entry. Nomination 20s., acceptance 35s. Six furlongs. 7. FLYING HANDICAP of 175sovs; second horse to receive 25sovs, and third horse 15sovs from stake. Nomination 20s., acceptance 35s. Five furlongs and a-half. 8. FAREWELL HANDICAP of 200sovs; second horse to receive 30sovs, and third horse 20sovs from stake. Nomination 20s., acceptance 40s. One mile.

CONDITIONS.

ALL NOMINATIONS must be made to the Secretary, Te Aroha, or Mr. C. F. Mark, Durham Street East, Auckland, on or before FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14, at 5 p.m.

WEIGHTS will be declared on MONDAY, FEBRUARY 24.

ACCEPTANCES to be in the hands of the Secretary or Mr. C. F. Mark by 5 p.m. on MONDAY, MARCH 3.

Note.—Te Aroha Telegraph Office closes at 5 p.m.

Entrance money must be enclosed with nominations, together with name and address of owner, name, age and pedigree of horse, name of trainer and colours.

Entries made by telegram must be confirmed in writing by first mail, with full particulars and entrance money, otherwise fines (provided for under Part XVI., Rule 4 of Rules of Racing) will be rigidly enforced.

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-handicapped.

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

Owners desiring tickets to be forwarded are requested to notify the Secretary (when accepting), stating what tickets are required.

E. O. NASH, Secretary.

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