

WELLINGTON RACING CLUB. WINTER STEEPLECHASE MEETING.

JULY 8, 10 AND 12, 1919.

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FIRST DAY.

TUESDAY, JULY 8, 1919.

First Race starts at 11.30.

- 1. VITTORIA HURDLE HANDICAP (Hack Conditions) of 200sovs; second horse to receive 40sovs, and third horse 20sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. One mile and three-quarters.
2. STEWARDS' HANDICAP of 200sovs; second horse to receive 40sovs, and third horse 20sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. Six furlongs.
3. FIRST HACK AND HUNTERS' STEEPLECHASE (Handicap) of 200sovs; second horse to receive 40 sovs, and third horse 20sovs from the stake. For hacks and qualified hunters. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. About two miles and a-half.
4. TRIAL PLATE of 200sovs; second horse to receive 40sovs, and third horse 20sovs from the stake. For horses that have never won a race exceeding the value of 50sovs at the time of nomination. Weights: Two-year-olds, 9.3; three-year-olds, 10.0; four-year-olds and upwards, 10.2. Mares and geldings allowed 3lb. Entrance 2sovs. Six furlongs.
5. WELLINGTON STEEPLECHASE (Handicap) of 100sovs; second horse to receive 20sovs, and third horse 10sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. About three miles and a-quarter.
6. WINTER HURDLES (Handicap) of 650sovs; second horse to receive 100sovs, and the third horse 50sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 7sovs. Two miles.
7. PARLIAMENTARY HANDICAP of 400sovs; second horse to receive 70 sovs, and the third horse 30sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 5sovs. One mile and a-quarter.
8. TE ARO HANDICAP (Hack Conditions) of 200sovs; second horse to receive 40sovs, and third horse 20 sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. Six furlongs.

SECOND DAY.

THURSDAY, JULY 10, 1919.

First Race starts at 11.30.

- 1. CORUNNA HURDLE HANDICAP (Hack Conditions) of 200sovs; second horse to receive 40sovs, and third horse 20sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. One mile and a-half.
2. LIVERPOOL HANDICAP of 200sovs; second horse to receive 40sovs, and third horse 20sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. Six furlongs.
3. JUMPERS' FLAT HANDICAP of 200sovs; second horse to receive 40 sovs, and third horse 20sovs from the stake. Open to horses that have completed a hurdle race or steeplechase course in New Zealand to the satisfaction of the stewards. To be ridden by professional hurdle or steeplechase riders. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. One mile and a-quarter.
4. SELLING RACE of 200sovs, for three-year-olds and upwards. Weights: Three-year-olds, 9.7; four-year-olds and upwards, 9.9. The winner to be sold as soon as possible after the race for 100sovs, if entered to be sold for 50sovs allowed 7lb. Any surplus to be divided as follows: Two-thirds to the owner of the second horse, and one third to the owner of the third horse. Entry 2sovs. Five furlongs.
5. BROOKLYN STEEPLECHASE (Handicap) of 400sovs; second horse to receive 70sovs, and third horse 30 sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 4sovs. About two miles and a-half.
6. PENINSULA HANDICAP (Hack Conditions) of 200sovs; second horse to receive 40sovs, and third horse 20sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. Six furlongs.
7. FLEET HANDICAP of 300sovs; second horse to receive 50sovs, and third horse 25sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 3sovs. One mile.
8. PETONE HANDICAP (Hack Conditions) of 200sovs; second horse to receive 40sovs, and third horse 20sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. Five furlongs.

THIRD DAY.

SATURDAY, JULY 12, 1919.

First Race starts at 11.30.

- 1. TALAVERA HURDLE HANDICAP (Hack Conditions) of 200sovs; second horse to receive 40sovs, and third horse 20sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. One mile and a-half.
2. ONSLOW HANDICAP of 200sovs; second horse to receive 40sovs, and the third horse 20sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. Five furlongs.
3. SECOND HACK AND HUNTERS' STEEPLECHASE (Handicap) of 200sovs; second horse to receive 40 sovs, and third horse 20sovs from the stake. For hacks and qualified hunters. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. Two miles and a-half.

- 4. CROFTON HANDICAP (Hack Conditions) of 200sovs; second horse to receive 40sovs, and the third horse 20sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. Seven furlongs.
5. JULY STEEPLECHASE (Handicap) of 650sovs; second horse to receive 100sovs, and the third horse 50sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 7sovs. About three miles.
6. FINAL HURDLE HANDICAP of 400sovs; second horse to receive 70 sovs, and the third horse 30sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 4sovs. One mile and three-quarters.
7. WINTER OATS HANDICAP of 300 sovs; second horse to receive 50 sovs, and the third horse 25sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 3sovs. One mile.
8. KIA ORA HANDICAP (Hack Conditions) of 200sovs; second horse to receive 40sovs, and third horse 20sovs from the stake. Nomination 1sov, acceptance 1sov. Five furlongs.

PENALTIES.

The winner of any race or races on the same day shall carry 7lb penalty. No penalty to be incurred in open events for wins in races with hack conditions.

DATES OF NOMINATIONS, WEIGHTS AND ACCEPTANCES.

N.B.—All events close at 9 o'clock p.m., unless stated to the contrary.

NOMINATIONS for all events except the Trial Plate and Selling Race close on FRIDAY, JUNE 20, 1919, at 9 o'clock p.m.

WEIGHTS declared for First Day's Handicaps on MONDAY, JUNE 30, 1919.

ACCEPTANCES for First Day's Handicaps, also ENTRIES for the Trial Plate and Selling Race, close on THURSDAY, JULY 3, 1919, at 9 o'clock p.m.

WEIGHTS for Second Day's Handicaps on WEDNESDAY, JULY 9, 1919, in morning papers.

ACCEPTANCES for Second Day's Handicaps close on WEDNESDAY, JULY 9, 1919, at 12.30 o'clock p.m.

WEIGHTS for Third Day's Handicaps on FRIDAY, JULY 11, 1919, in morning papers.

ACCEPTANCES for Third Day's Handicaps close on FRIDAY, JULY 11, 1919, at 12.30 o'clock p.m.

A. E. WHYTE, Secretary.

POVERTY BAY TROTTING CLUB.

ANNUAL MEETING.

To be held on the Gisborne Racing Club's Course, Te Hapara, on SATURDAY, JUNE 28, 1919.

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PROGRAMME.

- 1. MAIDEN HANDICAP (Optional) of 50sovs; second horse to receive 10 sovs, and third horse 5sovs from the stake. For horses that have never won an advertised trot at time of starting. For horses that can do 4.6 or better. Nomination 20s., acceptance 20s. Distance, one mile and a-half.
2. PARK HANDICAP (Saddle) of 60 sovs; second horse to receive 10 sovs, and third horse 5sovs from the stake. For unhoppled trotters only. For horses that can do 4.9 or better. Nomination 20s., acceptance 20s. Distance, one mile and a-half.
3. POVERTY BAY TROTTING CUP HANDICAP (Harness) of 160sovs (140sovs in specie and a cup value 20sovs, presented by Dr. Chas. F. Scott); second horse to receive 20 sovs, and third horse 10sovs from the stake. For horses that can do 5.5 or better. Nomination 20s., acceptance 50s. Distance, two miles.
4. PRESIDENT'S HANDICAP (Harness) of 80sovs; second horse to receive 10sovs, and third horse 5 sovs from the stake. For horses that can do 3.20 or better. Nomination 20s., acceptance 20s. Distance, one mile and a-quarter.
5. SIR DOUGLAS HAIG HANDICAP (Harness) of 70sovs; second horse to receive 15sovs, and third horse 5sovs from the stake. For unhoppled trotters only. For horses that can do 5.20 or better. Nomination 20s., acceptance 30s. Distance, two miles.
6. COUNTY HANDICAP (Saddle) of 60 sovs (50 sovs in specie and a cup value 10sovs, presented by E. Par-doe, Esq.); second horse to receive 10sovs, and third horse 5sovs from the stake. For horses bred in the Counties of Cook, Wairoa, Waikohu or Waipapu. For horses that can do 4.12 or better. Nomination 20s., acceptance 20s. Distance, one mile and a-half.
7. ELECTRIC HANDICAP (Harness) of 75sovs; second horse to receive 15sovs, and third horse 5sovs from the stake. For horses that can do 2.30 or better. Nomination 20s., acceptance 30s. Distance, one mile.

RULES AND REGULATIONS.

- 1. All races to be run under the Rules of the New Zealand Trotting Association.
2. All nominations and acceptances must be accompanied by fees, name, age, sex, colour and description, pedigree, and previous performances of the horse and registered colours of the owner.
3. All drivers, riders and trainers must hold current season's licenses.
4. Horses will be handicapped in all races by seconds.
5. Rules of Trotting No. 196.—Every person applying for admission to any course, and every person entering or endeavouring to enter a horse, for any race, and 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 are to be barred from questioning the action of the Conference, Appeal Judges, Association, Club, Racing Club or Body, Committee, Stewards, Officials, Agents or Servants in respect of any such person or horse, or any person connected therewith, otherwise than is provided for in Part XXX. of these Rules.

Part XXXVI, Provident Fund.—Before any horse shall be nominated for any race the fee of £1 shall be paid to the Secretary of the New Zealand Trotting Association, in default of which a fine of £5 will be imposed. This fee is only payable once during the lifetime of the horse, vide New Rules, September, 1918.

All nominations and acceptances to be addressed to the Secretary, Gisborne.

DATES OF NOMINATIONS, HANDICAPS AND ACCEPTANCES.

NOMINATIONS for all events close on FRIDAY, JUNE 6, 1919, at 8 p.m.

HANDICAPS declared for all events on FRIDAY, JUNE 13.

ACCEPTANCES for all events close on MONDAY, JUNE 23, 1919, at 8 p.m.

H. E. DODD, Secretary.

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