

STIPENDIARY STEWARD'S REPORT

MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Racing Rotorua	Date: 15 October 2011	
Weather: Showery	Track: Slow 9	Rail: True Position
Stewards: M J Williamson (Chairman), A Coles, W Robinson, G Stewart		
Stenographer: P C Scott		

GENERAL:

An inquiry has been opened into the conduct of trainer M Lawlor.

SUMMARY:

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Swabbing:	Offangone, Charlie's Angel, Faraway Eyes, Golden Globe,	
	La Manzanilla, Sum up, Intransigent, Mr Tipsy, The Raconteur,	
	Toma Valea, Art Beat, Ready Steady, Shahbab, Fast Love	
Suspensions:	Nil	
Fines:	R5 B McDonald, Rule 537(a), failed to declare rider for Red Mag	
	by required time, fined \$100	
	R9 A MacGregor, Rule 616(2), presented Fritzy Boy to race	
	without notifiable gear (blinkers), fined \$100	
Warnings:	Nil	
Horse Actions:	R1 Offangone – barrier warning	
	R3 Witz End – barrier warning	
Bleeders:	Nil	
Medical Certificates:	Nil	
Rider Changes:	Nil	
Late Scratchings:	Nil	

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 LOWE SCHOLLUM & JONES '1200'

Offangone (C Grylls) proved difficult to load. K Rogers, stable representative, was informed that a barrier warning would be placed against the filly.

Hilton (J Collett) began awkwardly losing ground.

Arnie (M Coleman) was slow away.

Hilton raced ungenerously in the early and middle stages, shifting out passing the 700 metres when becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of **Shirlinda** (M Vance).

Amazing Force (M Cameron) had some difficulty obtaining clear running early in the final straight.

Race 2 BNZ ROTORUA '2200'

Charlie's Angel (M Hills) was slow away.

Princessabeel (H Kasim) shifted out on jumping away making contact with **Greve** (L Satherley) which was hampered.

Gee Oh (C Grylls) over-raced in the early stages.

Tookie (V Colgan) was obliged to race wide in the early stages.

Passing the 1500 metres **Princessabeel** had to steady when racing ungenerously between **Kokanee Gold** and **Tookie** which both shifted ground.

When questioned with regards to the performance of **Savabeel Star** apprentice jockey J Collett could offer no tangible excuse for the mare's performance.

Race 3 PARROTS ON HINEMOA '1200'

Witz End became restless in its barrier stall dislodging rider S Spratt. **Witz End** was cleared fit to race by the Club's veterinarian. Trainer S McKee was advised that a barrier warning would be placed against **Witz End**.

Witz End began awkwardly shifting in making contact with **Apache** (D Walker) with both those runners losing ground.

Faraway Eyes (J Collett) was slow away.

Passing the 800 metres **Springloaded** (A Collett) made the bend awkwardly, shifting out into the line of **Sir Ram** (C Ormsby) which had to steady.

Passing the 400 metres **Witz End** had to steady when becoming awkwardly placed on heels. S Spratt was questioned with regard to the performance of **Witz End** explaining that the gelding had not responded to her urgings throughout the race. **Witz End** underwent a post-race veterinary examination which failed to find any obvious abnormality.

Race 4 HAWKER TRUCKS 3YO

When questioned with regard to the performance of **Newyork Bakerboy** S Spratt explained that the colt had failed to handle today's prevailing track conditions. **Newyork Bakerboy** underwent a post-race veterinary examination which failed to find any obvious abnormality.

Race 5 TEAM BEAUFILL-BAYLEYS '1560'

He's A Joker (L Satherley) was slow away.

Red Magic (N Harris) began awkwardly shifting out and hampered **Hula Belle** (M Wenn) which lost ground.

Darb And Marg (C Parish) and Rockonby (S Shirahama) came together on jumping away.

Designacat (P Taylor) raced ungenerously through the middle stages.

Asworthy (C Ormsby) shifted out over the concluding stages making contact with **Darb And Marg** near the winning post.

Race 6 TW MOORE LTD '1560'

Snave (O Bosson) began awkwardly losing ground.

Llancaden (J Collett) was slow away.

Tart 'N' Tartan (S Shirahama) began awkwardly.

Pure Platinum (H Kasim) was obliged to race wide in the early stages before being allowed to work forward to sit outside the leader.

Race 7 PLATINUM HOMES NZ ROTORUA PLATE

Toughasim (M Vance) was reported to have suffered minor abrasions in transit to the races, and after undergoing a veterinary examination the gelding was cleared fit to race.

Agamemnon (D Johnson) began awkwardly losing ground.

Bruce Almighty (B R Jones) began awkwardly.

Passing the 1800 metres **The Jungle Boy** (V Colgan) had to steady when crowded between **Mr Tipsy** (O Bosson) and **Bruce Almighty** (B R Jones).

M Coleman was questioned with regard to the performance of **Hurricane Mickey** explaining that in his opinion the gelding had been feeling the effects of recent racing.

M Cameron defended a breach of Rule 340 in that he deliberately changed his riding gear (boots) after weighing out to gain a weight advantage to ride the horse **Zlato** with the Judicial Committee dismissing the charge.

Race 8	RYDGES ROTORUA '1200'
Gomickey	(D Johnson) jumped in the air as the start was made losing ground.
Miss Danni (S Collett) was slow away.	
Race 9	LION RED PLATE

Vincent Mangano (S Spratt) began awkwardly.

When questioned regarding the performance of **Italian Princess** J Collett explained that **Italian Princess** had hung throughout and not felt entirely comfortable in her action. **Italian Princess** underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any obvious abnormality. Trainer G Richardson undertook to report to Stewards the result of a veterinary inspection to be conducted on the mare's return to the stable.

Race 10: MILLS REEF WINERY & RESTAURANT '2200'

Winning Genes (P Turner) began awkwardly losing ground.

Tricky (M Vance) and Pay Packet (L Robertson) were both slow away.

Passing the 900 metres **Winning Genes** had to steady when awkwardly placed on the heels of **Magna Carta** (M Cameron).

Apprentice jockey A Collet was questioned with regard to the performance of **Flavour Flav** explaining the gelding had not felt entirely comfortable in his action. A veterinary examination found **FLAVOUR FLAV** to have the sprung the near fore plate with the gelding showing signs of lameness as a result. Trainer S Wright was asked to report the progress of **FLAVOUR FLAV** in days subsequent.