

# STIPENDIARY STEWARD'S REPORT

## **MEETING DETAILS:**

Club: Racing Te Aroha	Date: 17 November 2011		
Weather: Fine	Track: Good 3/Good 2 after R4	Rail: True	
Stewards: M Williamson (Chairman), J P Oatham, A Coles, G Stewart			
Stenographer: P Scott			

#### GENERAL:

No issues to report

#### SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	Hype, Alberton Prince, Midnight Senorita, Crush The Castle,
	Starpin, Sophia's Dream, Knight's Tour, Xanadu, Encosta Larrocha,
	Amity Dane
Suspensions:	Nil
Fines:	Nil
Warnings:	R8 V Colgan, Rule 638(1)(d), shifting ground 300 metres
	R9 A Taylor, Rule 638(1))(d), shifting ground 1600 metres
Horse Actions:	R3 Autokeeper – vet cert required
	R3 Spring Fever – required to trial
	R9 Avoca Ruler – 3 month stand down
Bleeders:	R9 Avoca Ruler
Medical Certificates:	Nil
Rider Changes:	Nil
Late Scratchings:	R3 Autokeeper
	R3 Spring Fever
	R4 Llancapel
	R9 Kapland

## **RACE COMMENTS:**

Race 1	NOTTINGHAM CASTLE HOTEL 2200	
Fonzie (P Turner) began awkwardly shifting in and crowding Sir Reims (M Vance).		
Princess Amidala (C Grylls) and Space Oddity (D Johnson) both began awkwardly.		
Passing the 1700 metres Space Oddity made the bend awkwardly shifting out and		
inconvenie	nced <b>Ever So Sharp</b> (J Collett).	
Grande Bellezza (J Jago) became awkwardly placed on heels and blundered near the 700		
metres.		
Near the 600 metres Princess Amidala was crowded and then hampered between Grande		
Bellezza a	nd Al Rode (S Shirahama). Redemption (C Parish) who was following was	
inconvenienced as a result. J Jago was advised to exercise care in similar circumstances.		
Space Oddity became awkwardly placed on heels passing the 300 metres when held up.		
Grande Bellezza was held up for clear running until near the 250 metres.		
Ever So Sharp was held up until near the 200 metres.		

Sir Reims was held up until approaching the 100 metres.

Just short of the finish **Hype** ducked out when struck with the whip and hampered **Grande Bellezza** and **Redemption** (C Parish) both of which had to take evasive action.

**Biddy The Boop** (C Parish) shifted in abruptly jumping away.

Alberton Prince (S Spratt) shifted out abruptly jumping away.

Beau Ransom (M Hills) was slow away.

**Miss Reset** (L Satherley) began awkwardly shifting in and making contact with **Authentic** (M Cameron). When being corrected **Miss Reset** shifted out and crowded **Artemis** (V Colgan). Contributing was inward movement from **Mr Darcy** (M Tanaka).

Flying Legend (D Johnson) began awkwardly losing ground.

Beau Ransom got its head up when being steadied shortly after the start.

Authentic raced wide without cover.

Passing the 800 metres **Alberton Prince** made the corner awkwardly hanging out with rider S Spratt the changing her whip hand. **Alberton Prince** continued to hang and shifted out rounding the final turn.

Passing the 450 metres **Royal Sceptre** (H Kasim) shifted in when awkwardly placed on the heels of **Mr Darcy** making contact with **Beau Ransom** which became briefly unbalanced.

Royal Sceptre was held up for clear running until near the 250 metres.

**Miss Reset** was held up early in the final straight and then was held up again approaching the 200 metres but failed to finish the race off.

Artemis had to shift out to obtain clear running passing the 200 metres making contact with Shez Kapable (M Wenn).

## Race 3 SHACKELL ELECTRICAL LTD 1200

**Autokeeper** was a late scratching behind the barriers at 1.08 pm acting on veterinary advice. Trainer B Autridge was advised that **Autokeeper** would require a veterinary certificate of fitness before being permitted to race next.

**Spring Fever** was a late scratching at 1.12 pm after refusing to enter the barriers. Trainer L Anderson was informed that **Spring Fever** must trial to the satisfaction of Stewards before being permitted to race again.

**Sora Dawning** (B R Jones) began awkwardly losing ground.

Enamorada (J McDonald), Valencia's Image (C Ormsby) and Veronica Hall (M Coleman) all began awkwardly.

**Fabrique** (L Innes) made the bend awkwardly and hung out passing the 800 metres. **Fabrique** continued to hang throughout placing rider L Innes at a disadvantage.

**Kitty Leroy** (C Parish) was held up early in the final straight and could not obtain clear running until near the 200 metres.

When questioned regarding the performance of **Lillet** V Colgan explained that **Lillet** had failed to hit out throughout and was possibly feeling the effects of the firm nature of the track. **Lillet** (V Colgan) underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormalities.

## Race 4 PIAKO COMPUTERS 1200

Llancapel was a late scratching at 1.05 pm after being injured en route to the races. Capistrano Gold (D Johnson) began awkwardly losing ground.

Le Bon Fin (S Shirahama) began awkwardly making contact with **Perfect Warrior** (C Grylls). Le Bon Fin shifted in passing the 1000 metres when racing ungenerously and hampered **Perfect Warrior** (C Grylls).

Zelus (M Cameron) raced ungenerously in the early stages.

Passing the 900 metres Castle King (A Collett) had to steady when awkwardly placed on the

heels of Crush The Castle (L Innes) which shifted in.

Near the 400 metres **Samer Way** (J McDonald) made contact with **Capistrano Gold** when shifting out in an endeavour to find clear racing room. **Samer Way** was then briefly held up.

The connections of the second placed horse **Tsar Bomba** (D Nolan) lodged a protest against the first placed horse **Crush The Castle** (L Innes) alleging interference over the final 200 metres. After hearing submissions the JCA upheld the protest with final placings now being 1<sup>st</sup> **Tsar Bomba**, 2<sup>nd</sup> **Crush The Castle**, 3<sup>rd</sup> **Samer Way** (J McDonald) and 4<sup>th</sup> **Capistrano Gold** (D Johnson). L Innes was advised to exercise care is similar circumstances.

## Race 5 CAPISTRANO LODGE 1200

**Mr Spock** (C Ormsby) stumbled badly on jumping away losing ground and then was further hampered by **Spectacular** (T Thornton) which was dictated in by **Springloaded** (S Collett).

**Marcello** (S Spratt) and **Ebony Dream** (A Collett) made firm contact on jumping away when both runners began awkwardly.

Passing the 400 metres **Marcello** was denied clear racing room when **Springloaded** shifted in when struck with the whip. **Marcello** was then unable to find clear racing room until near the 150 metres.

**Springloaded** raced wide without cover throughout.

Rider S Spratt (**Marcello**) was advised that she would be expected to ride her mounts out fully to the finish of the race in future whenever circumstances permit.

## Race 6 SCOTT WENN RACING STABLES 1400

Girls Don't Cry (T Thornton) began awkwardly shifting out and crowding La Vienne (V Colgan).

**Dayess** (J McDonald) and **Rafhiki** (S Spratt) made contact on jumping away when both runners began awkwardly.

Rafhiki raced wide without cover throughout.

**Girls Don't Cry** was obliged to race wide without cover.

Sovereign Rose (M Cameron) was held up early in the final straight.

**Empathy** (M Hills) had some difficulty obtaining clear running in the final straight.

**Girls Don't Cry** was crowded approaching the 200 metres when **Arizona** (M Sweeney) shifted in under pressure, and then was further inconvenienced when **La Vienne** shifted out.

La Vienne (V Colgan) was unable to obtain clear running until near the 150 metres.

When questioned regarding the performance of **Dayess** J McDonald explained that the mare had travelled comfortably but when placed under pressure passing the 400 metres had not responded as anticipated. **Dayess** underwent a post-race veterinary examination which failed to find any obvious abnormalities. Trainer S Ramsay has undertaken to report to Stewards anything that may become apparent in days subsequent.

## Race 7 AROHA MOUNTAIN LODGE 1400

**Glitzabeel** (M Coleman) began awkwardly shifting in making contact with **Altiyan** (J Collett) who then shifted in on to **King's Fortune** (S Spratt) and **Zaliv** (D Johnson) with both those runners becoming unbalanced.

Morgan Le Fay (C Grylls) began awkwardly shifting out as Mareka Miss (T Thornton) also began awkwardly shifting in and crowding Pui Pui (L Robertson).

Knight's Tour (J McDonald) began awkwardly.

Why Wait (C Lammas) had to be steadied passing the 900 metres when becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of Mareka Miss. Manaia Rose (M Sweeney) who was following Why Wait then raced ungenerously for a distance and shifted back on to King's Fortune who had to steady passing the 600 metres making contact with the running rail.

**The Tidy Express** (V Colgan) who was following **King's Fortune** then ducked outwards hampering **Glitzabeel** and **Quest For Luck** (A Collett) who shifted out badly hampering **Morgan Le Fay** which ran wide.

Passing the 500 metres **Knight's Tour** (J McDonald) shifted in and inconvenienced **Are You Devious** (J Waddell). J McDonald was advised to exercise care.

King's Fortune was unable to obtain clear running until near the 400 metres.

Raziyya Of Sydney (M Cameron) was held up until near the 250 metres.

Glitzabeel was inconvenienced passing the 250 meters when King's Fortune shifted out.

**The Tidy Express** raced greenly when placed under pressure in the final straight. **Victorveto** (L Innes) raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.

When questioned regarding the performance of **King's Fortune** S Spratt explained that she had got further back than intended in the early stages of the race, and then was shuffled back in the run through the middle stages, further explaining that once in clear racing room **King's Fortune** had found the line well.

A post-race veterinary examination of **King's Fortune** did not reveal any abnormalities other than a minor laceration to the right hind fetlock.

## Race 8 BARKERS FUNCTION CENTRE 1400

The barrier gate of **Xanadu** (C Grylls) was slow to open, with the filly then beginning very awkwardly making solid contact with **Comte De Jeu** (M Wenn) and losing its footing.

Yangming (C Ormsby) began awkwardly shifting out and hampering Chaparrone (S Spratt) and Gemma O'Reilly (A Collett). Also contributing was inward movement from Cosmic Heights (A Forbes).

Allsortsafun (B R Jones) began awkwardly shifting in making contact with Carbonado (R Norvall).

Carbonado (R Norvall) raced ungenerously when being steadied in the early stages.

Passing the 1100 metres **Showing Off** (M Coleman) was crowded to the inside of **Re Deel** (T Thornton) who was racing ungenerously when awkwardly placed inside the heels of **Grande Rosso** (J Waddell). **Heza Rebel** (C Lammas) who was following was hampered as a result.

Passing the 900 metres **Comte De Jeu** made the corner awkwardly shifting out on to the heels of **Yangming** and being hampered as a result.

Catch The Star (J Collett) raced wide without cover.

Passing the 300 metres **Pearl Dancer** (V Colgan) shifted out when struck with the whip with **Yangming** then becoming awkwardly placed on that runner's heels and having to steady for a distance. V Colgan was issued with a warning and advised by Stewards he must make a greater attempt to straighten his mounts when in similar circumstances.

Passing the 250 metres **Showing Off** (M Coleman) shifted out when placed under pressure and inconvenienced **Re Deel**. M Coleman was advised to exercise care.

## Race 9 WAIHOU EXCAVATION LTD 2200

**Kapland** was a late scratching at 2.45 pm due to a transport delay caused by a road closure. **Darb And Marg** (C Parish) began very awkwardly losing ground.

Mons Calpe (C Grylls) and Gold Message (A Collett) were both slow away.

Lydian Prince (P Turner) began very awkwardly losing ground.

**Is Da Chief** (T Thornton) got its head up when being restrained leaving the straight on the first occasion and shifted back on to **Sneaky Shan** (A Forbes) who became awkwardly placed on that runner's heels. T Thornton was advised that she must not ease the pace to a degree where it places runners behind her in difficulty. **Gleeson** (M Cameron) then became awkwardly placed on the heels of **Mr Clooney** (A Taylor) which shifted in. A Taylor was issued with a warning. Contributing was some outward movement from **Is Da Chief.** 

**Gleeson** made the bend awkwardly leaving the straight on the first occasion. **Sneaky Shan** over-raced in the middle stages.

Mons Calpe raced wide without cover from near the 1000 metres.

When questioned regarding the performance of **Gleeson** M Cameron felt the gelding had not been suited by the improved track conditions.

**Avoca Ruler** (H Kasim) returned to the enclosure with blood present in the nasal area. After undergoing an endoscopic examination **Avoca Ruler** was deemed to be a bleeder and as such is subject to the mandatory three month stand down from racing.

## Race 10: THE MITAVITE FORMULA 3 2200

Hot In Black (H Kasim) began awkwardly losing ground.

**Dragon Eye** (P Taylor) over-raced in the early stages.

Leaving the straight on the first occasion **Charlie's Angel** (M Hills) had to steady off the heels of **Ilka** (L Innes).

Ilka and Generous Type (P Turner) both raced wide throughout.

**Leadership** (A Forbes) had to steady approaching the 600 metres when awkwardly placed on the heels of **Chatemup** (D Johnson).

**Charlie's Angel** became awkwardly placed on heels near the 400 metres, shifting out to obtain clear running.

Hot In Black was held up for clear running until approaching the 300 metres.

**Thundermore** (S Spratt) shifted out passing the 300 metres making contact with **Affaire D'Honneur** (J McDonald).

Approaching the 200 metres **Affaire D'Honneur** shifted in under pressure making contact with **Thundermore.** 

La Montoya had raced in restricted room over the final 100 metres

When questioned regarding the performance of **La Montoya** V Colgan explained that the mare had travelled well in transit, but had failed to quicken once placed under pressure.

Trainer D Flavell was reprimanded for allowing the removal the blinkers on **Dragon Eye** prior to returning to the tie-up stalls.