

# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT



## MEETING DETAILS:

<b>Club:</b>	Racing Matamata	<b>Date:</b>	Wednesday 09 May 2012
<b>Weather:</b>	Showers		
<b>Track:</b>	Heavy (10)		
<b>Rail:</b>	4 Metres		
<b>Stewards:</b>	M Williamson (Chairman), A Coles, W Robinson, L Tidmarsh, P Kinsey		
<b>Stenographer:</b>	P Scott		

## GENERAL:

<b>HE'S DAN</b> was a late scratching at 11.30 am acting on veterinary advice after the gelding had filling in its near front leg.
<b>SENTENCE</b> was a late scratching at 1.05 pm on veterinary advice after the mare was injured en route to the races.
An inquiry was opened into the conduct of apprentice jockey A Taylor and adjourned pending further investigation.

## SUMMARY:

<b>Swabbing:</b>	<b>ROSSITA, CARBONADO, HAYLEYS COMET, ROYAL SCEPTRE, PRICELESS, TANAYA, MATABRAHMA, VANDENNE, ARNIE</b>		
<b>Suspensions:</b>	<b>Nil</b>		
<b>Fines:</b>	<b>Race</b>	<b>3</b>	T Pike & M Donoghue THIS GIRLS READY \$50 Late Declaration of rider [537 (a)]
		<b>5</b>	J Pender ASON \$50 Presenting ASON with incorrect gear [616]
<b>Warnings:</b>	<b>Nil</b>		
<b>Bleeders:</b>	<b>Nil</b>		
<b>Horse Actions:</b>	<b>Race</b>	<b>1</b>	SKYLA JAY – barrier warning
		<b>3</b>	SOLANGE – must trail and vet cert with ECG results prior to racing next
		<b>4</b>	ROLL WITH PULSE – barrier warning
		<b>5</b>	HEY BRUCE – barrier warning
<b>Medical Certificates:</b>			
<b>Rider Changes:</b>	<b>Nil</b>		
<b>Late Scratchings:</b>	<b>Race</b>	<b>4</b>	HE'S DAN - 11.30 am on vet advice
		<b>4</b>	SUMMER'S BOY - 1.31 pm on vet advice
		<b>6</b>	SENTENCE - 1.05 pm on vet advice

## RACE COMMENTS:

<b>Race 1</b>	<b>MATAMATA POST &amp; RAIL ITM 2000</b>
<p><b>SKYLA JAY</b> (L Cropp) became fractious in its stall and was slow away as a result. P Lock was advised that a barrier warning would be placed against the mare.</p> <p><b>I'LL'AVA'ALF</b> (M Hills) and <b>SINISTA</b> (L Satherley) were both slow to begin.</p> <p><b>ZAC</b> (T Thornton) began awkwardly and then was further hampered when <b>IRA BEAN</b> (M McNab) shifted out inconveniencing <b>LA SAIGON</b> (S Collett).</p> <p><b>IRA BEAN</b> and <b>ROSSITA</b> (C Grylls) over-raced in the early stages.</p> <p><b>ZAC</b> ducked in making contact with the running rail approaching the 1000 metres.</p> <p><b>ZAC</b> had to steady passing the 500 metres when awkwardly placed on heels.</p> <p><b>HEADSHOLDTHEMONEY</b> (R Hutchings) was not persevered with in the final straight with R Hutchings reporting that the gelding had failed to handle today's heavy track conditions.</p> <p><b>C'MON</b> (S Spratt) made slight contract with <b>DONNA RULES</b> (M Cameron) near the 50 metres when shifting out under pressure.</p>	
<b>Race 2</b>	<b>MCPHERSON CONTRACTORS 2000</b>
<p><b>SOUTHERN COUNTESS</b> (A Collett) shifted out on jumping away crowding <b>GEE OH</b> (R Hutchings) which lost ground.</p> <p><b>CARBONADO</b> (S Spratt) began awkwardly and then was further inconvenienced when <b>SEAGOLD</b> (L Cropp) shifted out dictating <b>WAIMANU ROAD</b> (M Wenn) out into that runner's line.</p>	

<p><b>CECIL</b> (T Thornton) shifted out after jumping away crowding <b>MOJAVE ASTER</b> (M Coleman) and <b>PALRAF</b> (P Turner) with both those runners losing ground.</p> <p><b>PARADISE CHIEF</b> (C Grylls) began awkwardly.</p> <p><b>CARBONADO</b> hung out when making the first bend running wide.</p> <p>L Cropp (<b>SEAGOLD</b>), M Cropp (<b>LUCKY CHARM</b>), M Wenn (<b>WAIMANU ROAD</b>), C Grylls (<b>PARADISE CHIEF</b>) and J Waddell (<b>LITTLE AKALO</b>) all advised that their respective mounts had failed to handle today's track conditions.</p> <p>When questioned regarding the performance of <b>LARGE RISK</b>, M McNab could offer no tangible excuse.</p>	
Race 3	<b>MURRAY WILCOX LIMITED 1200</b>
<p><b>FIGHTER CLASS</b> (M Sweeney) began awkwardly making contact with <b>QUEEN OF CLUBS</b> (C Grylls).</p> <p><b>IT'S ALL ON</b> (L Cropp) was crowded jumping away due to inward movement from <b>PERFECT KISS</b> (C Lammas).</p> <p><b>SOLANGE</b> (M McNab) shifted in jumping away crowding <b>SNOW LINE</b> (M Cameron) and <b>RISE AND FALL</b> (S Collett) with <b>SOLANGE</b> and <b>RISE AND FALL</b> losing ground.</p> <p><b>ARLBERG</b> (H Kasim) raced ungenerously when being steadied approaching the 800 metres.</p> <p>S Collett reported to Stewards that <b>RISE AND FALL</b> had failed to handle today's track conditions.</p> <p><b>SOLANGE</b> underwent a post-race veterinary examination which found the filly to be suffering from cardiac arrhythmia. Trainer J McRae was advised that <b>SOLANGE</b> must trial and produce the clear results of an ECG before racing next.</p>	
Race 4	<b>LANDMARK VETS 1200</b>
<p><b>ROLL WITH PULSE</b> (H Kasim) became fractious in its barrier and as a result <b>SUMMER'S BOY</b> (M Coleman) made contact with the front of the barrier and was late scratched on veterinary advice. C Ormsby was advised that <b>ROLL WITH PULSE</b> would have a warning placed against its barrier manners.</p> <p><b>COTERIE</b> (A Collett) and <b>ZOLANA</b> (M Cameron) were crowded between <b>CALL THE SHOTS</b> (P Turner) and <b>BEVERLEY BECK</b> (M Wenn) leaving the barrier.</p> <p><b>ROYAL SCEPTRE</b> (L Woods) shifted in approaching the 800 metres making contact with <b>INAHEARTBEAT</b> (S Shirhama).</p> <p><b>REVENGE</b> (C Grylls) hung out in the final straight and shifted out abruptly approaching the 200 metres.</p> <p><b>ROYAL SCEPTRE</b> shifted out under pressure over the concluding stages.</p> <p>M Cameron reported that <b>ZOLANA</b> had failed to handle today's track conditions.</p>	
Race 5	<b>REID AND HARRISON (1980) LTD 1400</b>
<p>Mr J Pender was fined \$50 by the JCA for presenting <b>ASON</b> with incorrect gear (Side blinkers in place of Blinkers).</p> <p><b>HEY BRUCE</b> (N Harris) was restless in the barrier and was slow away as a result. Trainer J Mason was advised that a barrier warning would be placed against the gelding.</p> <p><b>GUNNA</b> (S Collett) began awkwardly and shifted in hampering <b>SKEDADDLE</b> (A Forbes) and <b>SIR AMRON</b> (J Jago) with <b>SIR AMRON</b> losing ground.</p> <p><b>WAITOKI FLOWER</b> (C Lammas) was hampered jumping away between <b>ZABINELLA</b> (M Coleman) and <b>PRICELESS</b> (H Kasim) when both those runners began awkwardly shifting ground.</p> <p><b>VITALI</b> (S Spratt) hung from the 800 metres, and continued to hang out making the final turn and shifted out when placed under pressure in the final straight.</p> <p>A Forbes (<b>SKEDADDLE</b>), E Stack (<b>KING PICCOLO</b>) and K Kalychurun (<b>CODE BROWN</b>) all reported their respective mounts had failed to handle today's track conditions.</p>	
Race 6	<b>FARMLANDS 1200</b>
<p>Permission was given to the connections of <b>PRICKLEY PRINCESS</b> (L Satherley) to remove the blinkers due to today's track conditions.</p> <p><b>LITTLE PEPPER</b> (P Turner) was removed from the barriers after becoming fractious and cleared fit to race by the veterinarian.</p> <p><b>MISS INDY</b> (T Thornton) had to be steadied off the heels of <b>OH EM GEE</b> (J Waddell) after beginning awkwardly.</p> <p><b>TANAYA</b> (E Stack) began awkwardly.</p> <p><b>RITE OF SPRING</b> (M Cameron) raced ungenerously when being restrained in the early stages.</p> <p><b>OH EM GEE</b> raced ungenerously when being restrained approaching the 800 metres.</p> <p><b>RESUME</b> (M McNab) was held up passing the 400 metres.</p> <p><b>OH EM GEE</b> lost the off hind plate during the running.</p>	
Race 7	<b>PGG WRIGHTSON 1200</b>
<p><b>MATABRAHMA</b> (S Collett) shifted out abruptly jumping away losing ground.</p> <p><b>LA TOURNEAU</b> (M Cameron) began awkwardly shifting out and buffeting <b>GOLD HUNTER</b> (P Turner).</p> <p>Approaching the 900 metres <b>GOLD HUNTER</b> had to be steadied when awkwardly placed on the heels of <b>LA TOURNEAU</b>.</p>	

Approaching the 300 metres **GREY POWER** (C Lammas) made contact with the hind quarters of **TABU SORO** (H Kasim) with both runners becoming briefly unbalanced.  
When questioned regarding the performance of **BILLY WHISKERS**, L Cropp advised Stewards that the gelding had failed to handle today's heavy track conditions.  
**LA TOURNEAU** lost its off fore plate during the running.

<b>Race 8</b>	<b>MATAMATA GLASS AND JOINERY 2000</b>
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**SAVVY DANCER** (M Cameron) was slow to begin.  
Passing the 1900 metres **NOAH JON** (N Harris) shifted in when over-racing crowding **SAVVY DANCER** which had to steady.  
**NOAH JON** continued to over-race in the early stages.  
**CHARLIE'S ANGEL** (S Spratt) threw its head in the air when being steadied passing the 1400 metres.  
When questioned N Harris advised that **NOAH JON** had not finished the race off as anticipated after over-racing in the early stages.

<b>Race 9</b>	<b>SLATTERY CONTRACTING 1400</b>
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**KEEPAWAY** (N Collett) stumbled jumping away and shifted in forcing **CHAMPAGNE GIRL** (M Sweeney) in on to **BONAMICI** (S Spratt) which was hampered losing ground.  
**MY SHENANIGANS** (S Collett) was slow away.  
**SARTOBY** (M Cameron) over-raced in the early and middle stages.  
Approaching the 1200 metres **CHAMPAGNE GIRL** shifted in despite the efforts of its rider, hampering **DOOLGUNNA** (M Coleman).  
**DOOLGUNNA** was hampered near the 500 metres when crowded between **ARNIE** (M McNab) and **KEEPAWAY** (N Collett) which shifted out slightly off the heels of the tiring **SARTOBY** (M Cameron).  
**KEEPAWAY** returned to the enclosure with blood present in the left nostril. After undergoing a veterinary examination this was found to be consistent with a minor laceration.