# **STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT**



### **MEETING DETAILS:**

Club:	Racing Tauranga	Date:	Friday 2 November 2012	
Weather:	Fine			
Track:	Good(3)			
Rail:	10 Metres			
Stewards:	J Oatham (Chairman), A Coles, W Robinson, L Tidmarsh			
Typist:	P Scott			

### **GENERAL**:

No issues to report.

## SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	JERSEY GIRL, BIG IRON, SEA MAJOR, COLOMBIAN PRAISE, DIADEME, DARCI'S GOLD, OHOPE PRINCE, HIACE, SICILIANI				
Suspensions:	Race	1	C Grylls JERSEY GIRL Careless riding 200 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 10 – 15/11 inclusive (5 days)		
Protests:	Race	1	SNIPPECHEE (2 <sup>nd</sup> ) v JERSEY GIRL (1 <sup>st</sup> ) – upheld SCHRODINGERS CAT (3 <sup>rd</sup> ) v JERSEY GIRL (1 <sup>st</sup> ) upheld PINS GIFT (4 <sup>th</sup> ) v JERSEY GIRL (1 <sup>st</sup> ) upheld SCHRODINGERS CAT (3 <sup>rd</sup> ) v SNIPPECHEE (2 <sup>nd</sup> ) dismissed PINS GIFT (4 <sup>th</sup> ) v SNIPPECHEE (2 <sup>nd</sup> ) dismissed		
Fines:	Nil				
Warnings:	Nil				
Bleeders: Race		3	THIS GIRLS READY – 3 month stand-down then clearance required		
Horse Actions:	Race	9	MACARON – warning barrier manners		
Medical Certificates:	Nil				
Rider Changes:	Nil				
Late Scratchings:	Race	1 4	SUMMER'S BOY at 12.51 pm at start on veterinary advice TINKER ROSE at 12.40 pm on veterinary advice		

#### RACE COMMENTS:

WILL AND BRIDGET FOR BREAKFAST ON CLASSIC HITS '1200' Race 1 SUMMER'S BOY (O Bosson) underwent a veterinary examination at the start and acting upon veterinary advice was declared a late scratching at 12.51 pm as the gelding was lame in the left foreleg. TWELVE KINGDOMS (V Colgan) was slow away. POSH TIGER (M Cameron) began awkwardly and shifted out hampering KENNY KOOL KAT (S Shirahama). SCHRODINGERS CAT (M Du Plessis) was inclined to get its head up when being steadied going into the bend near the 900 metres and continued to race ungenerously through the middle stages. SNIPPECHEE (T Thornton) over-raced in the middle stages. When attempting a run to the outside of JERSEY GIRL (C Grylls) approaching the 200 metres SNIPPECHEE was taken out by that runner making contact with PINS GIFT (L Innes) which became badly unbalanced and shifted out severely hampering VENDEMIAIRE (J Riddell) and SCHRODINGERS CAT. A protest was lodged by the second placed horse SNIPPECHEE against the winner JERSEY GIRL. Further protests were lodged by the connections of the third placed runner SCHRODINGERS CAT and the fourth placed runner PINS GIFT both alleging interference by JERSEY GIRL and SNIPPECHEE. After considering all evidence the Judicial Committee relegated JERSEY GIRL to fourth placing upholding all protests against that runner, but dismissing protests lodged against SNIPPECHEE. Final placings now read first 2 SNIPPECHEE, second 3 SCHRODINGERS CAT, third 6 PINS GIFT and fourth 14 JERSEY GIRL.

C Grylls admitted a breach of careless riding in that he permitted his mount JERSEY GIRL to shift out near the 200 metres

causing interference to SNIPPECHEE, PINS GIFT, VENDEMIAIRE and SCHRODINGERS CAT. After hearing submissions and taking into account the excellent riding record of jockey Grylls the Judicial Committee suspended his licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Friday 9 November until the conclusion of racing on Thursday 15 November, 5 riding days. JERSEY GIRL lost the right front plate during the running. **HILLS HADEN VALUERS TAURANGA 3YO** Race 2 The start of this race was approximately four minutes late due to the multiple protests in race one. SMART BALL (L Innes) began awkwardly making contact with THE MAN BAG (M Sweeney). BOWEN BOY (M McNab) was slow away. FATS (S Doyle) which was over-racing shifted out to avoid the heels of BIG IRON (N Harris) passing the 1000 metres hampering SMART BALL and BOWEN BOY which were both forced wider on the track. FATS was inclined to shift ground under pressure in the final straight. **BIG IRON** lost its near hind plate during the running. Race 3 PETER JAMES MEMORIAL '1200' COSTUME (R Hutchings), KASHMIR (V Colgan) and SONATA (O Bosson) were all slow to begin. THIS GIRLS READY (A Calder) raced three wide without cover throughout. SATANICO (M Coleman) was inclined to lay out in the final straight with SARTEAGWEN (J Waddell) being inclined to shift away from that runner hampering KASHMIR (V Colgan) and SONATA (O Bosson) passing the 100 metres. M Coleman was advised to exercise care. Contributing to the incident was an inward shift from **COSTUME** when finishing quickly. THIS GIRLS READY returned to the enclosure with blood present in the nostrils and after being examined by the veterinarian was confirmed as a bleeder now being subject to the mandatory three month stand down from racing. Race 4 LANEXCO '2100' TINKER ROSE was late scratched at 12.40 pm on veterinary advice after being injured in the float en route to the races. **VERDASCO** (S Collett) jumped away awkwardly losing ground. ARMADIO ESTRADA (S Shirahama) and LADY LINDAUER (D Johnson) were both slow to begin. When questioned regarding the disappointing performance of LADY MARILYN rider J Waddell advised that in his opinion the mare had failed to see out today's 2100 metre distance. When questioned regarding his riding tactics on ARMADIO ESTRADA rounding the final turn and into the straight rider S Shirahama explained that the gelding only has a short sprint and that he had been endeavouring to hold it up for the last run. PACE PROJECT MANAGEMENT TAURANGA '1600' Race 5 **CLASSCOROC** (J Waddell) lost its footing when jumping away losing ground. **BALLYPIPER** (M Cameron) jumped away awkwardly. DIAMOND LINDAUER (D Johnson) and HIHOPES (R Hutchings) both over-raced in the early stages. **UNBEKNOWN** (A Calder) was held up rounding the turn and early in the final straight. Race 6 **QUINOVIC RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY MANAGERS '1200'** Trainer J Bridgman was granted permission to remove bandages which had been notified gear for DARCI'S GOLD which was resuming from a spell. WAINUI PRINCE (A Forbes) was slow to begin and then was further hampered when HAYLEYS COMET (C Grylls) knuckled shortly after leaving the barrier and shifted in. TOWKAY WARRIOR (D Hain) was slow to begin. SHARP 'N' FAST (M Tanaka) raced wide without cover throughout. WAINUI PRINCE over-raced in the middle stages shifting out off the heels of SHARP 'N' FAST near the 500 metres and bumping with **DARCI'S GOLD**. MATIMBA (M Coleman) was held up in the final straight making contact with SHARP 'N' FAST near the 300 metres, and when shifting out to obtain clear running near the 150 metres crowded the weakening SHARP 'N' FAST. SPRINGLOADED (A Calder) was held up passing the 200 metres. LANDMARK HOMES BOP '1400' Race 7 CHEVREMONT (S Collett) and ROCKONBY (M Wenn) were both slow away. AMADEO (O Bosson) jumped away awkwardly and then had to be steadied when I CHIANTI (M Du Plessis) shifted in shortly after the start. OHOPE PRINCE (M Sweeney) over-raced in the middle stages and hung outwards around the bend. OHOPE PRINCE then lay in under pressure near the 150 metres. When questioned regarding the performance of **BEST COMMAND** rider A Calder was of the opinion that the filly may have come to the end of its preparation. Co-trainer T Pike stated that the filly is now likely to be spelled. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any abnormalities. NZ READY MIXED CONCRETE ASSOCIATION '2100' Race 8 SWEET RITA (T Thornton) jumped away awkwardly. ELECTRONIC SOCKS (S Collett) and QUINN TAIT (C Dell) were both slow to begin.

BRUNO (M Cameron) jumped outwards at the start inconveniencing OFF THE TOP (D Johnson).

OCEAN BOUND (M Du Plessis) raced three wide without cover until the 1000 metres.

**LOST WORLD** (O Bosson) was inclined to lay out under pressure in the final straight with **BRUNO** being inclined to shift away from that runner.

Race 9 STELLA ARTOIS DE BIER HAUS '1600'

**MACARON** became fractious in the barriers dislodging rider M Coleman. **MACARON** was removed from the barriers and underwent a veterinary examination being passed fit to run. The connections of **MACARON** were advised that a warning would be placed against the mare for its barrier manners.

MACARON jumped away awkwardly and was then buffeted between runners for a short distance.

HERMAN (M McNab) and KAKAHU NELL (S Shirahama) were both slow to begin.

BRANDY BELLE (R Norvall) over-raced in the early and middle stages.

**CHEYENNE** (R Hutchings) shifted out rounding the final turn when passing the 400 metres hampering **MACARON** which was forced across the heels of **HERMAN**. **MACARON** was then not persevered with for the remainder of the race. **MACARON** underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any obvious abnormalities.