

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Matamata Racing Club	Date:	Monday, 1 July, 2013
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Heavy (10)		
Rail:	8 Metres		
Stewards:	M J Williamson (Chairman), J Oatham, B Jones, P Kinsey		
Typist:	P C Laboyrie		

GENERAL:

SUPPLEMENTARY:

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	ISDABICKY, LILLY BELLE, JOKING, FASTFOOT, HONEYMOON, SNEAKY FEELINGS, PROSPERO		
Suspensions:	Nil		
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Race	4	B Lammas SO KEEP ME Fined \$350 [Rule 330(3)(c)] Overweight
Warnings:	Race	1	K Myers ROYAL COMMAND Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(b)]
		7	M Hills BALLY DUFF Shifting ground 900 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
		7	J Jago FAIR FLEET Shifting ground 300 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
		7	A Forbes REVENGE Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(b)]
		1	ROYAL COMMAND
Bleeders:	Race	1	ROYAL COMMAND
Horse Actions:	Race	1	TE HENGA THUNDER – must barrier trial prior to racing next
		1	ROYAL COMMAND - 3 month stand down from racing
Medical Certificates:	Nil		
Rider Changes:	Race	2	ALICE WEB ELLIS - K Chiong for M Cheung (administration error)
		4	SO KEEP ME – L Allpress for B Lammas (over-weight)
Late Scratching:	Nil		

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	FARMLANDS MATAMATA MAIDEN 2000
<p>OPAHAUS (P Turner), ISDABICKY (T Thornton) and TINKER ROSE (S Collett) were all slow away. Passing the 600 metres ASSASSIN (M Hills) became awkwardly placed on heels having to steady. Passing the 300 metres SOCIETY ROSE (M McNab) shifted out to obtain clear running inconveniencing DEE I WHY (M Cameron) which shifted away from that runner.</p> <p>R Hutchings (THE LAST STAR WAY) dropped his whip passing the 200 metres.</p> <p>TE HENGA THUNDER (L Rose) became tailed off early in the race and was not persevered with by its rider. Apprentice L Rose advised that the gelding had hung badly and failed to respond to her riding at any stage. Trainer Mr R Lawrence was advised that TE HENGA THUNDER would be required to barrier trial satisfactorily prior to racing again with Mr Lawrence indicating that he would not be persevering with the gelding.</p>	

ROYAL COMMAND (K Myers) returned to the enclosure with blood present in both nostrils. After undergoing a veterinary examination **ROYAL COMMAND** was deemed to be a bleeder and subject to the mandatory 3 month stand down from racing in New Zealand.

A post-race veterinary examination of **DEE I WHY** which raced disappointingly did not reveal any obvious abnormalities. Rider M Cameron advised that the filly failed to handle today's testing and holding track conditions. Apprentice jockey R Hutchings (**THE LAST STAR WAY**) was reminded of his obligations of riding horses out to the finish of a race when circumstances permit him to do so.

K Myers (**ROYAL COMMAND**) was advised that a warning would be placed on her record for excessive use of the whip prior to the 200 metres.

Race 2	FARMLANDS GRAIN & SEED SPRINT 1200
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The declared rider for **ALICE WEB ELLIS** had been incorrectly reported by the Racing Bureau when in fact the actual rider was apprentice K Chiong.

SOPHISTICATE (M McNab) and **MOON POOL** (P Turner) were slow away.

GIDGET THE MIDGET (R Smyth) made contact with **HE'S MYN** (B Lammas) leaving the barriers.

EVA KEENEVA (K Myers) jumped away awkwardly.

LORETTA WEST (A Jones) went off stride when being steadied off heels near the 600 metres.

MOON POOL broke down passing the 200 metres and was immediately eased down by its rider. **MOON POOL** was attended to by the veterinarian and humanely euthanased as it was found to have suffered a dislocated fracture of the left knee.

Race 3	FARMLANDS FUEL MAIDEN 1400
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The start of this race was delayed 1 minute at the request of TAB Raceday Control.

Trainer D Murray was given permission by the Stewards to race **FAIRYTALE ROMANCE** (S Spratt) in Side Winkers.

RATATUI (A Taylor) and **KAYLEEN** (M Cameron) were both slow to begin.

JOKING (T Wenn) shifted in leaving the barriers, badly hampering **BIG PICTURE** (M Hills) which lost ground.

KING PANAMERA (R Smyth) commenced to over-race when being restrained approaching the 1000 metres, and continued to do so through the middle stages having to be firmly restrained when awkwardly placed on heels going into the bend near the 800 metres.

WALSBURGS KEEPER (L Allpress) made the final turn awkwardly when laying out.

CHANTILLY ROSE (R Hutchings) was inconvenienced passing the 150 metres, when crowded by **SUGGEST GOLD** (P Turner) which lay in under pressure.

When questioned regarding the performance of **KAYLEEN** rider M Cameron advised that the filly had been obliged to race in the worst of the going from an inside barrier draw, and in his opinion would be better suited with some weight relief.

Race 4	FARMLANDS & REPCO HANDICAP 1400
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B Lammas was replaced on **SO KEEP ME** by L Allpress as he was unable to make the contracted weight. B Lammas admitted a breach of Rule 330(3)(c) and was fined \$350 by the Judicial Committee.

ROYAL SCEPTRE (B Hutton) began awkwardly, losing ground.

BALLYPIPER (P Turner) was crowded leaving the barriers.

ROLL WITH PULSE (R Hutchings) and **CENTAVADA** (M Hills) came together jumping away with **CENTAVADA** having to be steadied when crowded on to the hind quarters of **GO PADDY** (M Cameron).

FASTFOOT (A Forbes) had to be steadied when becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of **ROLL WITH PULSE** going into the bend near the 800 metres.

Passing the 400 metres **SHE'S INSATIABLE** (K Myers) raced in restricted room to the outside of **OLIVIA ANN** (L Wong) which was weakening with **SHE'S INSATIABLE** being buffeted for several strides.

KEEP ROCKING lay in under pressure over the concluding stages with rider K Leung losing his whip just short of the finish.

Race 5	FARMLANDS & WAREHOUSE STATIONERY MAIDEN 1600
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IZZANORANGE (J Whiteside) was slow away losing several lengths.

Passing the 450 metres **BLACK CRUISER** (C Dell) which was weakening raced in restricted room between **JUST JACK** (B R Jones) which lay out and **COOLIBAH** (M Sweeney), with **BLACK CRUISER** having to steady losing ground. Apprentice Jockey C Dell advised that **BLACK CRUISER** had reacted poorly.

Passing the 150 metres **COOLIBAH** was inconvenienced and had to steady when **GET OUT OF IT** (T Thornton) shifted

away from **HONEYMOON** (M Cameron). Contributing was outward movement from **JUST JACK** which was racing to the inside of **COOLIBAH** at the time.

Rider B R Jones was reminded of his obligations regarding the use of his whip prior to the 200 metres.

Race 6	FARMLANDS LAWN & SPORTS TURF MAIDEN 1600
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KATNISS (T Thornton) and **PERFECTLY CLEVER** (R Hutchings) came together leaving the barriers with **KATNISS** becoming unbalanced and losing ground.

KATNISS over-raced in the early and middle stages.

Race 7	FARMLANDS MATAMATA HANDICAP 2000
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TRUE LIGHT (R Hutchings) jumped in the air at the start losing ground.

PURE PLATINUM (T Thornton) shifted out leaving the barriers hampering **FAIR FLEET** (J Jago).

Passing the 900 metres **ROSENELLIS** (P Turner) became awkwardly placed on the heels of **BALLY DUFF** (M Hills) which shifted in, with **ROSENELLIS** then being hampered and losing ground. As a consequence **REVENGE** (A Forbes) which was racing ungenerously at the time became awkwardly placed on the heels of **ROSENELLIS** and was hampered losing ground. Also hampered as a result was **FAIR FLEET**. M Hills was advised that a warning would be placed on his record and to exercise greater care when shifting ground.

KEEP IN TUNE (L Allpress) was held up behind the tiring **IMAGINE** (B R Jones) passing the 700 metres.

Passing the 300 metres **FAIR FLEET** shifted out abruptly when placed under pressure inconveniencing **REVENGE** which had to change ground. J Jago was advised that a warning would be placed on his record.

PROSPERO (M Cameron) lay in making the final turn and continued to lay in when placed under pressure in the final straight.

Apprentice jockey B Grylls (**KING PICCOLO**) was reminded of her obligations in that she must ride her horses out to the finish of a race when circumstances permit her to do so.

Apprentice jockey A Forbes was issued with a warning with regard to his whip use prior to the 200 metres.

KEEP IN TUNE underwent a post-race veterinary examination which failed to find any obvious abnormality.