

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Racing Tauranga	Date:	Friday, 10 January 2014
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Dead(6)		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	A Coles (Chairman), W Robinson, P Kinsey		
Typist:	P Laboyrie		

GENERAL: (All comments pertaining to this meeting – e.g. drivers/riders not attending, delays and all other issues)

Jockey O Bosson who was stood down after race one at the Waikato Racing Club meeting at Paeroa on 9 January suffering from dehydration underwent a medical examination prior to race one and was cleared fit to ride.

SUPPLEMENTARY: (All adjourned inquiries and follow up information relating to previous meetings)

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SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	HOLLYWOOD LAD, SEA MAJOR, EVA KEENEVA, CHOCOLAT, MISS CONSTRUE, HE'S ROCK'N'ROLL, LIBERARE, UNDISCOVERED
Suspensions:	Nil
Protests:	Nil
Fines:	Nil
Warnings:	Nil
Bleeders:	Nil
Horse Actions:	Race 7 DIVINE STAR – vet cert required prior to racing next
Medical Certificates:	Nil
Rider Changes:	Nil
Late Scratching:	Race 8 MITCHAM – at 3.12 pm on vet advice – injured when being transported to the races.

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	RADIO HAURAKI 91FM 1300
<p>RESET THE TURBO (T Thornton) jumped away awkwardly shifting out making firm contact with ZAVAMAR (O Bosson) which also began awkwardly.</p> <p>CUSTER (M Cameron) shifted out inconveniencing BLACKJACK MAN (M Wenn) leaving the barriers with that runner making contact with TAMPERANCE (R Norvall) which lost ground.</p> <p>FLOYD (J Jago) was crowded between POSTNTHYME (M Coleman) and HOLLYWOOD LAD (D Johnson) shortly after jumping away losing ground.</p> <p>BLACKJACK MAN got its head up approaching the bend near the 800 metres when racing fiercely.</p> <p>Passing the 400 metres BLACKJACK MAN shifted out rounding the bend dictating SINO HEIGHTS (J Oliver) outwards which made contact with YOUNG WARRIOR (S Collett) which was forced over extra ground.</p> <p>YOUNG WARRIOR and SINO HEIGHTS raced wide without cover throughout.</p> <p>Approaching the 150 metres HOLLYWOOD LAD had to shift out across the heels of POSTNTHYME to obtain clear running.</p> <p>When questioned regarding the performance of the well supported OUR MOLLY MALONE rider M Du Plessis advised that the mare hung out around the final bend, and also felt that the mare may be feeling the effects of recent racing.</p>	
Race 2	TAURANGA RIDING FOR THE DISABLED 1300
<p>DANCER'S TALE (M Du Plessis) jumped away awkwardly.</p> <p>I CHIANTI (B Grylls) raced three wide without cover throughout.</p>	

Approaching the 600 metres I CHIANTI when laying in made contact with PRIDE AND PASSION (M Cameron) with that runner becoming briefly unbalanced.	
PRIDE AND PASSION (M Cameron) raced in or near the lead until being briefly held up approaching the 300 metres and failed to respond when placed under pressure finishing well back. When questioned M Cameron could offer no reason for the mare's performance. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality.	
Race 3	119TH TAURANGA A&P SHOW – SAT 18 JAN
EVA KEENEVA (M Cameron) began awkwardly shifting out making contact with MANGAROA HUSTLER (T Thornton) and then raced in restricted room for a short distance. Contributing was outward movement from MAYGROVE (O Bosson), with MAYGROVE and EVA KEENEVA buffeting for several strides.	
OUR JESSE JANE (M Wenn) got its head up having to be firmly restrained off the heels of THE SHOW (M McNab) approaching the winning post on the first occasion when racing keenly.	
MANGAROA HUSTLER over-raced in the early and middle stages when wide until improving forward to sit outside the leader passing the 1300 metres.	
MAYGROVE lay out making the final bend.	
THE SHOW was inclined to lay out over the final 200 metres when placed under pressure,.	
Race 4	ICON SECURITY SYSTEMS TAURANGA 1400
SAKOLOGY (K Myers) after becoming restless in the starting stalls was slow to begin, and then was further hampered when JACK FLASH (O Bosson) shifted out forcing MARCHPAST (S Collett) on to that runner.	
SAKOLOGY raced greenly in the early stages.	
JACK FLASH and MARCHPAST both over-raced in the early stages with both runners making the bend awkwardly near the 800 metres.	
DRAW THE LINE (R Hutchings) lay in down the final straight and could not be ridden out to full advantage by its rider.	
Race 5	CROCKFORD REAL ESTATE 1600
MANAIA ROSE (K Leung) was slow to begin.	
UNKNOWN PLEASURES (M Sweeney) was hampered leaving the barrier losing ground when SWEET RITA (T Thornton) shifted out and ROSADO (M Coleman) shifted in.	
SWEET RITA (T Thornton) over-raced in the early and middle stages.	
DONTDYEWONDERIN (D Johnson) raced wide without cover throughout.	
Approaching the 200 metres SHOW NO EMOTION (M Cameron) shifted out under pressure dictating MISS CONSTRUE (R Hutchings) and SWEET RITA (T Thornton) wider on the track inconveniencing ROSADO (M Coleman).	
Near the 150 metres SHEEZ TORKIN (S Collett) had to shift to the inside of SHOW NO EMOTION which was shifting ground under pressure to obtain clear racing room.	
MANAIA ROSE had to steady when crowded to the inside of BIG BANG BABY (T Wenn) which lay in under pressure over the concluding stages.	
Race 6	LASER PLUMBING TE PUKE 1300
POPPAS DELIGHT (K Leung) and THE LAST SHOWER (O Bosson) were both slow to begin.	
LOK'N'KAY (M Coleman) raced keenly in the middle stages.	
LEONIDAS (R Hutchings) was obliged to race wide without cover throughout.	
POPPAS DELIGHT had difficulty obtaining clear racing room in the final straight.	
THE LAST SHOWER was held up early in the final straight until shifting out across heels to obtain clear running passing the 300 metres.	
When questioned into the improved performance of HE'S ROCK'N'ROLL stable representative A Peard advised that at its previous start the gelding was taken on in the lead, and was also obliged to race three wide throughout.	
Race 7	ULTIMATE MOTOR GROUP 1600
SIR LANCELOT (M Du Plessis) jumped away awkwardly losing ground.	
SPRINGLOADED (T Thornton) knuckled shortly after jumping away.	
LIBERARE (R Hutchings) was hampered after leaving the barrier when THATZ IT (D Johnson) shifted in.	
DIVINE STAR (M Cameron) raced keenly in the early and middle stages.	
GOTTA KEEPER (S Collett) was obliged to race three wide without cover throughout.	
SIR LANCELOT was held up approaching the 250 metre mark shifting out across heels to gain clear racing room.	
DIVINE STAR (M Cameron) was dismounted on pulling up. The veterinarian attended to the gelding which was found to have sustained an injury to a flexor tendon on the right front leg. Rider M Cameron was exempted from weighing in.	
Race 8	AZTECH SIGNS TAURANGA 1600
MITCHAM underwent a veterinary examination on arrival at the course and was found to be lame in the right foreleg and was declared a late scratching at 3.12 pm.	
BASTILLE (D Johnson) jumped away awkwardly shifting out making firm contact with MYSTIC MAN (A Forbes) losing	

ground. Contributing was inward movement from **WAIKIRIKIRI** (M McNab).

WILMA RUDOLF (M Hills) began awkwardly shifting in making firm contact with **UNDISCOVERED** (R Hutchings).

Passing the 1200 metres **RONAN** (T Thornton) shifted in slightly hampering **THE BUNSTA** (M Coleman).

TOMTOM (S Collett) over-raced in the early and middle stages and then was obliged to race three wide without cover throughout.

Passing the 900 metres **WAIKIRIKIRI** had to steady off the heels of **THE BUNSTA** (M Coleman) when racing keenly.

RONAN commenced to lay in under pressure passing the 400 metres, and continued to lay in for the remainder of the race. When questioned rider T Thornton was unable to offer any reason for the gelding's disappointing performance.

A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

Near the 350 metres **THE BUNSTA** received buffeting from **WAIKIRIKIRI** which lay in under pressure.