

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Wanganui Jockey Club	Date:	12 June 2014
Weather:	Overcast		
Track:	Heavy 10		
Rail:	Out 3 metres		
Stewards:	N Ydgren, N Goodwin and B Bateup		
Typist:	V Perry		

GENERAL:

No issues to report.

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Nil

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	CHOPPER, REEPERBAHN, FLIPPANT, ZORRALI, YIN DRAGON, MINT and LET ME THINK.		
Suspensions:	Race		
Protests:	Race	2	TAIPA TIGER 2nd v REEPERBAHN 1st - dismissed
Fines:	Race		
Warnings:	Race	3	N Teeluck (PROPULSION) [Rule 638 (3) (b)] – excessive use of whip
Bleeders:	Race		
Horse Actions	Race		
Medical Certificates:	Received from J Rathbone and R Myers		
Rider Changes:	Race		
Late Scratchings:	Race		

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	GUDELL CLAN 1600 MAIDEN HWT (1600m)
<p>CRASH BANDICOOT had to be steadied early and lost ground when crowded for racing room between OH THAT'S NICE and PETONE PRINCE.</p> <p>MENDEAN (N Quinn) commenced to weaken passing the 600 metres after racing prominently and finished a considerable distance last. When questioned, rider N Quinn could offer no tangible excuse. A post-race veterinary examination of the gelding failed to reveal any abnormality.</p>	
Race 2	THE WHANGAEHU O'LEARYS 1600 (1600m)
<p>KITTY RUSSELL began awkwardly then raced keenly through the early stages, becoming awkwardly placed close to the heels of MASH near the 1,400 metres.</p> <p>JOE COOL and VICEROY raced wide throughout.</p> <p>LITTLE BENNY raced wide until near the 1,200 metres.</p> <p>TAIPA TIGER hung outwards near the 600 metres.</p> <p>PRINCE FREDERICO weakened passing the 600 metres after racing prominently throughout.</p> <p>VICEROY was momentarily hampered near the 250 metres when tightened between REEPERBAHN and JOE COOL which both shifted ground.</p> <p>JIMMY MAC had to shift ground outwards near the 200 metres to obtain clear racing room.</p> <p>REEPERBAHN shifted inwards under pressure in the home straight simultaneously as TAIPA TIGER shifted out under hard riding, resulting in both runners bumping inside the final 100 metres. Prior to the authorisation of dividends an objection</p>	

was lodged by the connections of the second-placed **TAIPA TIGER (T Harris)** alleging interference by the winner **REEPERBAHN (S Fannin)** over the final stages. After consideration the JCA dismissed the protest and placings stood. Both riders were advised to exercise more care when shifting ground in similar circumstances.

Race 3	TURAKINA CLAN 1600 (1600m)
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SAVARHYS raced keenly over the early and middle stages and had to be steadied near the 1,200 metres when crowded for racing room between **FLIPPANT** which lugged inward and **TIME FOR GOLD**.

KALGOORLIE BOMBER which was racing keenly shifted outwards near the 1,100 metres dictating **DANCING DIAMOND** wider on the track.

Apprentice **Jockey N Teeluck (PROPULSION)** was warned for the manner in which he used his whip prior the 200 metres. When questioned regarding the run of **KING NERO** Rider V Johnston advised that she felt the gelding may not have backed up from its previous run on 5 June.

Race 4	AVOCA HOTEL 1200 3YO MAIDEN (1200m)
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UMUNGA shifted outwards on jumping and bumped **RUNWAY**.

ALY'S BELT had to be steadied when placed in restricted room between **HANGTEN** and **HONEY QUEEN** when both runners shifted ground near the 1,100 metres.

HANGTEN got its head up when racing keenly during the early stages.

HONEY QUEEN, ZORRALI and **ENDURE** all raced wide without cover throughout.

Riders H Tinsley (**MISSION FREE**) and D Turner (**ALY'S BELT**) reported that their mounts had not appreciated today's heavy track conditions.

HANGTEN made the final corner awkwardly and shifted outward dictating **ZORRALI** wider on the track.

Race 5	JOLT COFFEE HOUSE 1200 MAIDEN (1200m)
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Nearing the 1,000 metres **VUI** raced keenly and had to be steadied by Rider R Myers.

ALTIPLANO had difficulty maintaining its position in the field over the final 600 metres. Rider M Dravitzki explained the gelding had raced greenly.

When questioned regarding the run of **SPEED QUEEN** Apprentice Rider K Chiong explained the mare was unsuited to the tempo of the race.

Race 6	DIAL A PRAYER-O'CEIRIN CLAN 1360 (1360m)
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MINT was the subject of a pre-race veterinary examination after the mare contacted the birdcage gate enroute to the barrier.

GO THUNDER was slow to begin.

GALWAY began awkwardly unbalancing Rider M Dee.

GOLD CARD was buffeted in the early stages between **UNBELIEVEABELLE** and **MINT**.

Rider **B Murray (ALDEBARAN STAR)** dropped his whip entering the home straight.

When questioned into the run of **GALWAY** Rider M Dee explained the mare had been unsuited to today's Heavy 10 track conditions. Mr Dee further added that he anticipated the mare would derive benefit from today's run.

Race 7	B CONNORS FAMILY CLAN 1360 MAIDEN (1360m)
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KIRRA BELLE jumped sideways at the start into the line of **GALLETA** which was tightened. Also affected was **MACKENZIE** which was dictated over extra ground.

I'M YOUR MAN and **SECONDS OUT** both began awkwardly.

SHEZAKIWI was inclined to shift out under pressure over the final stages and had to be straightened.