

# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



## MEETING DETAILS:

<b>Club:</b>	Taranaki Thoroughbred Racing Club	<b>Date:</b>	Thursday, 11 <sup>th</sup> September 2014
<b>Weather:</b>	Fine		
<b>Track:</b>	Dead (4)		
<b>Rail:</b>	Out 7 metres		
<b>Stewards:</b>	L Tidmarsh(Chairman), N Goodwin & B Bateup		
<b>Typist:</b>	N Goodwin		

## GENERAL:

No issues to report.
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## SUPPLEMENTARY:

Nil
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## SUMMARY:

<b>Swabbing:</b>	FAST PROFIT, SHUTHEGATE, HI YO SOO, AETERNUM, SIR DARCI, PEPPERPOT ANNIE, SATAY		
<b>Suspensions:</b>	Race	2	P Holmes <b>MISS GRACE</b> Rule 638(1)(d) Careless riding 400m – suspended 17th September to 20 September inclusive (4) days
		4	P Holmes <b>GOLD PROMISE</b> Rule 638(1 (d) Careless riding 900m – suspended 21st September to 25 September inclusive (4) days
<b>Protests:</b>	Race	1	<b>ARMANDO</b> (3 <sup>rd</sup> ) v <b>MOPANE</b> (2 <sup>nd</sup> ) - Dismissed
<b>Fines:</b>	Race		NIL
<b>Warnings:</b>	Race		NIL
<b>Bleeders:</b>	Race	7	<b>ANNIEITEZ</b> – stood down for the mandatory three months
<b>Horse Actions</b>	Race		NIL
<b>Medical Certificates:</b>			
<b>Rider Changes:</b>	Race		NIL
<b>Late Scratchings:</b>	Race		NIL

## RACE COMMENTS:

<b>Race 1</b>	<b>RETURN TO EARTH HIGHWEIGHT</b>
<p><b>I'M YOUR MAN</b> (C Perrett) was slow away.</p> <p><b>BIDING TIME</b> (N Quinn) began awkwardly then commenced to over-race in the early stages.</p> <p><b>FALSE EMPATHY</b> (K Peterson) raced wide throughout.</p> <p><b>BIDING TIME</b> shifted ground under pressure in the final straight and near the 150 metres momentarily hampered <b>FALSE EMPATHY</b>. Rider N Quinn was advised to exercise care in similar circumstances.</p> <p><b>ARMANDO</b> (R Hutchings) shifted ground outward under pressure near the 100 metres simultaneously as <b>MOPANE</b> (S Fannin) shifted in resulting in both those runners coming together and bumping. Prior to the authorisation of dividends a protest was lodged by the Stewards alleging interference by the second placed <b>MOPANE</b> against the third placed <b>ARMANDO</b>. After a judicial hearing the protest was dismissed.</p>	
<b>Race 2</b>	<b>MITAVITE MDN</b>
<p><b>OH THAT'S NICE</b> (J Parkes) was slow to begin.</p> <p>Approaching the home turn, <b>KEEP HER SECRET</b> (M Dee) which was improving to the inside of <b>MISS GRACE</b> (P Holmes) was checked when <b>MISS GRACE</b> shifted inwards when not clear. Also affected was <b>OH THAT'S NICE</b> which had to be steadied off the heels of <b>KEEP HER SECRET</b> and <b>FACET</b> (R Hutchings) which had to be angled wide to avoid <b>KEEP HER SECRET</b> when</p>	

that runner was being corrected. Rider P Holmes defended a charge of careless riding under rule 638(1)(d) and after hearing submissions the JCA found the charge proved. P Holmes had his license to ride in races suspended from the conclusion of racing on Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> September 2014 up to and including Sat 20 <sup>th</sup> September 2014.	
<b>Race 3</b>	<b>STELLA ARTOIS 1600</b>
<p><b>CALL ME MAYBE</b> (P Holmes) was slow to begin.</p> <p><b>JACKSUN</b> (J Shackleton) was crowded on jumping away between <b>SOPHISTICATE</b> (A Jones) and <b>FLOOZIE CAT</b> (K Chiong) which began awkwardly and shifted in.</p> <p><b>FLOOZIE CAT</b> raced three-wide without cover throughout.</p> <p><b>GO GO GONZO</b> (J Oliver) had to be angled out to avoid the heels of <b>SIR GONZALES</b> (V Johnston) which steadied near the 700 metres and in doing so shifted into the line of <b>SOPHISTICATE</b> which was checked. After questioning riders J Oliver was spoken to and advised that he is expected to exercise better judgement when placed in similar circumstances.</p> <p>V Johnston the rider of <b>SIR GONZALES</b> lost her whip near the 250 metres.</p>	
<b>Race 4</b>	<b>GRAPHIX EXPLOSION MDN</b>
<p>P Holmes admitted a breach of careless riding under Rule 638(1)(d) after he allowed his mount <b>GOLD PROMISE</b> to shift in near the 900 metres when insufficiently clear of <b>SMOKED</b> (V Johnston) which was checked. After deliberations P Holmes had his license to ride in races suspended from the conclusion of racing on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> September 2014 up to and including Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> September 2014. This suspension will commence on his return to the Gold Coast.</p> <p><b>BORN HAPPY</b> (J Oliver) hung outwards approaching the first bend when racing greenly dictating <b>SABER</b> (R Hutchings) over extra ground. A short distance further, <b>SABER</b> shifted in resulting in <b>BORN HAPPY</b> having to be steadied then continued to hang outwards across the heels of <b>SABER</b>. <b>AFTERNUM</b> (D Bradley) which was trailing <b>SABER</b> and <b>BORN HAPPY</b> had to be shifted out abruptly to avoid the incident ahead and in doing so shifted into the line of <b>CEDAR ROSE</b> (M Sweeney) which was checked. Also affected was <b>GOLD PROMISE</b> which was forced over extra ground. While the incident was considered accidental, a recommendation was submitted by the Stewards to the Chief Executive of the Taranaki Jockey Club who agreed that the field limit be reduced from 13 starters to 12 over 1100 metres when the rail is out 7 metres in future. When questioned regarding the performance of <b>THE RED BARRON</b>, rider M Dee reported that the gelding was outpaced throughout. A post-race veterinary examination of <b>THE RED BARRON</b> did not reveal any abnormalities.</p>	
<b>Race 5</b>	<b>EKRAAR &amp; ECHOES OF HEAVEN @ LINWOOD PARK 1200</b>
<p><b>POROTENE LOLLIPOP</b> (J Parkes) began awkwardly losing several lengths.</p> <p><b>AGENT ZIVA</b> (A Jones) raced wide in the early and middle stages.</p>	
<b>Race 6</b>	<b>AGRAFORUM MDN</b>
<p><b>DANASONIC</b> (R Hannam) and <b>TWENTYTHIRTYFOUR</b> (V Johnston) were slow to begin.</p> <p><b>SARNI</b> (J Oliver) shifted in shortly after jumping away hampering <b>CARNATION</b> (M Sweeney).</p> <p><b>PEPPERPOT ANNIE</b> (R Myers) blundered on jumping away.</p> <p><b>TWENTYTHIRTYFOUR</b> made the first bend awkwardly and shifted out forcing <b>CHECKOUT CHICK</b> (M Dravitzki) over extra ground.</p> <p><b>ZEDITAVE ROSE</b> (K Chiong) raced three-wide without cover throughout.</p> <p><b>BRANDY</b> (M Cameron) was held up rounding the turn and over the early stages of the final straight until obtaining clear running near the 200 metres.</p>	
<b>Race 7</b>	<b>NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES &amp; NZTR F&amp;M BONUS STAKE RACE</b>
<p><b>GYPSY FAIR</b> (K Chiong) began awkwardly and then raced in restricted room for a short distance.</p> <p><b>ANNIEITEZ</b> (M Dee) raced keenly in the early and middle stages.</p> <p><b>ANNIETIEZ</b> was held up over the early stages of the final straight.</p> <p>When questioned regarding the performance of <b>LADY GRANGELEA</b>, rider M Sweeney advised that this was the mare's first run back this preparation and although being disappointing today, was of the opinion <b>LADY GRANGELEA</b> would derive benefit with the run.</p> <p><b>ANNIEITIZ</b> bled during the running and is subsequently stood down for the mandatory three months. Trainer B Revell indicated that the mare would be retired from racing.</p>	