# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



#### **MEETING DETAILS:**

Club: Whakatane Racing Club Date: Monday 26 January 2015

Weather: Fine
Track: Good(3)
Rail: True

**Stewards:** B Jones (Chairman), J Oatham, W Robinson

**Typist:** P Laboyrie

## **GENERAL:**

Apprentice A Schwerin did not attend the meeting after suffering a minor injury yesterday.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY:

Wellington Racing Club - Saturday 24 January 2014

Race 7 – Harcourts Thorndon Mile (Group 1)

The connections of **PONDAROSA MISS**, which had raced disappointingly, reported that the mare had been scoped this afternoon at their stable and was showing signs of a respiratory infection and had been treated by their veterinarian accordingly. It was further advised that following veterinary advice they would be carrying on with the mare's preparation with a view to racing next at the Waikato Racing Club meeting at Te Rapa Racecourse on Saturday 7 February 2015.

#### **SUMMARY:**

Swabbing: ROSELLI, EMERALD LADY, AMUSE, RATMANSKY, APACHE FIREWORKS, MY SECRET, INTUITIVE,

**CHAOS** 

Suspensions: Race 1 L Magorrian ATUA

Careless riding 1000 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 27/1 – 5/2 inclusive (4

days)

Protests: Nil

Fines: Nil

Warnings: Nil

Bleeders: Nil

Horse Actions: Race 8 ANGEL IN BLUEJEANS – must barrier trial prior to racing next

**8 PROMISES** – vet cert of fitness required prior to racing next

Medical Certificates: Nil

Rider Changes: Race 7 SUPER THUNDER – J Wong for A Schwerin (injured)

Late Scratching: Race 8 ANGEL IN BLUEJEANS – at 5.38 pm at start

#### RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 THE BEACON 1200

**ADEQUATE** (M Coleman) and **SYLVIAN** (J Parkes) were slow away.

L Magorrian admitted a breach of careless riding in that he permitted his mount **ATUA** to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear of **GLADSTONE BELLE** (S Collett) which was checked near the 1000 metres. Also hampered as a result were **MINGS GIRL** (J Wong), **ADEQUATE** and **SYLVIAN**. After hearing submissions the Judicial Committee suspended L Magorrian's license to ride in races from the conclusion of racing today, 26 January, up to and including the conclusion of racing on 5 February, 4 riding days.

**SECRET STORM** (R Smyth) raced ungenerously in the early and middle stages.

**SECRET STORM** and **ADEQUATE** made the 900 metre bend awkwardly.

**PATCHEE JACK** (T Thornton) raced greenly in the final straight and was inclined to shift out under pressure hampering **GLADSTONE BELLE** over the final stages.

A post-race veterinary inspection of **ATUA** which raced poorly, including an endoscopic examination, did not reveal any abnormality.

Race 2 TRACKS CONCRETE LTD 1400

HERE'SHOPING (L Satherley) and PHEROZITA (M McNab) were slow away.

**MIDNIGHT INK** (S Collett) over-raced in the middle stages having to be firmly restrained off the heels of **PAINTBALL** (T Thornton) for a distance near the 1000 metres.

PATTICAN (R Norvall) over-raced near the 1000 metres when the pace steadied.

**PAINTBALL** made the turn near the 900 metres awkwardly.

I'MA COUNTRYGIRL (J Wong) raced three wide without cover throughout.

HERE'SHOPING changed ground on a number of occasions to obtain clear running in the final straight.

WRAITHORTH (R Smyth) lay in under pressure near the 150 metres hampering PAINTBALL which was laying out.

#### Race 3 KOPE TURF BAR 1600

**DIAMOND EDGE** (L Satherley) was slow away.

SHEEZ ALL HEART (J Parkes) over-raced in the early and middle stages.

When questioned regarding the performance of **SHEEZ ALL HEART** rider J Parkes stated that after over-racing badly the mare had been unable to respond once placed under pressure. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any abnormality.

## Race 4 NEW WORLD WHAKATANE 2100

**REVEAL** (L Magorrian) shifted inwards leaving the barriers crowding **LORD GRANGELEA** (M Sweeney) on to **BOMAYE** (T Thornton).

MINTED BLACK (R Norvall) was slow away.

FLASH HARRY (B R Jones) over-raced in the early stages before improving forward to lead near the 1200 metres.

ESSENCE OF COOL (J Parkes) made the turn near the 900 metres awkwardly, and lay out rounding the final bend.

**CENTRE STAGE** (M McNab) was held up rounding the final turn.

BIG MEADSY (V Gatu) ran wide rounding the final turn.

### Race 5 PUTAUAKI TRUST CUP

SHE'S SAMASHING (M Coleman) was crowded leaving the barriers.

RICH BILLIE MARSH (S Collett) over-raced in the lead through the early and middle stages.

**RICH BILLIE MARSH** was quickly beaten once placed under pressure in the final straight, and was not persevered with over the final 250 metres. Rider S Collett advised that after over-racing the mare failed to cope with the step-up in distance today. Trainer Mr B Pomare advised that in his opinion the mare will eventually go over ground, but had raced too fresh today.

**APACHE FIREWORKS** (T Thornton) shifted out under pressure in the final straight.

Apprentice L Magorrian (ZELDARA) was spoken to regarding his whip use prior to the 200 metres.

When questioned regarding the performance of **PEACEFULEASYFEELIN** rider B R Jones advised that the gelding had felt a little indifferent in its action, and in his opinion may be feeling the firm footing. Trainer Mr G Old advised that he would now be sending **PEACEFULEASYFEELIN** for a spell.

M Sweeney (**WATTLE BAY**) advised that the gelding did not appear to have backed up today on the firm footing under 59 kgs, and in his opinion would benefit from some easing of the ground.

## Race 6 TEAM WEALLEANS 1400

IS THIS LOVE (B R Jones) and TAVAKE (R Smyth) both began awkwardly and came together with TAVAKE losing ground.

O'REILLY'S GOLD (M McNab) shifted outwards leaving the barriers forcing ALWAYS ON MY MIND (L Satherley) out on to GERRY MERITO (R Norvall) which was hampered and forced on to MY SECRET (M Coleman) which was crowded on to IS THIS LOVE further hampering that runner which had to be checked losing ground. BACHATA (L Magorrian) lay in and was also hampered in this incident by IS THIS LOVE making contact with its hind quarters.

**CRYSTALIGHT** (T Thornton) commenced to over-race near the 1100 metres, and continued to do so through the middle stages.

**IS THIS LOVE** was steadied when awkwardly placed on heels near the 800 metres.

#### Race 7 OCEAN FORD WHAKATANE 2100

**VEGAS NIGHT** (M McNab) raced wide in the early stages before working forward to lead near the 1700 metres. **VEGAS NIGHT** then raced keenly in the lead through the middle stages, but was quickly beaten once placed under pressure being eased down in the final straight. Rider M McNab was of the opinion that the gelding may now benefit from a break with trainer Ms M Falconer confirming that **VEGAS NIGHT** would now be spelled.

## Race 8 GARTSHORE CONSTRUCTION 1600 MAIDEN

**ANGEL IN BLUEJEANS** (M McNab) was declared a late scratching at 5.38 pm after refusing to enter the barrier. Trainer Ms M Falconer was advised that the filly must barrier trial to the satisfaction of a Stipendiary Steward prior to racing next.

HE'S NO SAINT (M Coleman) was slow away.

MIZ OLDFIELDS ROAD (J Parkes) jumped inwards at the start making contact with EMMUSKA (R Smyth).

PROMISES (L Magorrian) over-raced in the early and middle stages.

**PROMISES** made the bend near the 900 metres awkwardly when hanging shifting out forcing **BAROSSA DUKE** (T Thornton) across the heels of **THE KAKAHU EXPRESS** (J Wong) with **BAROSSA DUKE** having to check.

CHINESE JUBILEE (M Sweeney) raced wide without cover throughout.

**PROMISES** blundered near the 600 metres, and continued to hang outwards badly for the remainder of the race. **PROMISES** again blundered near the 150 metres. When questioned L Magorrian advised that the filly had proved a difficult ride, and had felt indifferent in its action. A post-race veterinary examination found the filly to be lame in the right foreleg with the stable representative being advised that a veterinary certificate of fitness is required prior to **PROMISES** racing again.

**HE'S NO SAINT** was held up for clear running until near the 300 metres.

**EMMUSKA** was held up when disappointed for a run to the inside of **MIZ OLDFIELDS ROAD** in the final straight until shifting outwards across that runner's heels to obtain clear running near the 100 metres.