# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



### **MEETING DETAILS:**

Club: Matamata Racing	Club Date	: Wednesday 26 August 2015
Weather: Fine		
Track: Heavy (11)		
Rail: 8.5 metres		
Stewards: B Jones (Chairman	B Jones (Chairman), J Oatham, M Williamson, W Robinson	
Typist: P Laboyrie		

### GENERAL:

Nil.

## SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	MONARCH CHIMES, ROC'S ARE DIAMONDS, ONLY IF, KILMAC, ANUKA, REAL WINNERS,	
Suspensions:	YSABELLA BRAVE, SORORIA, FAIR FLEET Nil	
Protests:	Nil	
Fines:	Nil	
Warnings:	Nil	
Bleeders:	Race 7 HAPPYTO KEEPA – 3 month stand down	
Horse Actions:	Race 3 KEEPISH – warning barrier manners	
Medical Certificates:	Clearance received covering M Cameron	
Rider Changes:	Nil	
Late Scratching:	Nil	

## RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 MARKS EWEN & ASSOCIATES 2000

**MINTED BLACK** (A Jones) began awkwardly losing ground.

JUSTIFIED (S Spratt) began awkwardly, and then was inconvenienced shortly after.

**MINTED BLACK** raced wide around the first bend when being allowed to improve forward to lead approaching the 1100 metres.

Passing the 800 metres **KIMS MESSAGE** (S McKay) lay in becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of **COPPER QUEEN** (D Johnson).

BORNINASANDPIT (C Grylls) was held up passing the 500 metres for a distance.

MINTED BLACK raced in restricted room briefly passing the 200 metres.

**PIEOMIE** (M McNab) and **COPPER QUEEN** came together just prior to the winning post.

## Race 2 16TH DECEMBER TWILIGHT CHRISTMAS AT THE RACES 1600

MATANGI BOY (U Holmquist) shifted out leaving the barrier crowding HOLLY ROSE (Z Moki) and ELFEE (D Johnson). IT'S SLOTS OF FUN (B R Jones) began awkwardly making contact with the hind quarters of SHANE O' (P Holmes) which shifted out slightly with IT'S SLOTS OF FUN losing ground.

MARTINI LASS (M Cameron) was inclined to lay in rounding the bend and throughout the final straight.

When questioned regarding the performances of **TOP DRIVE** rider L Allpress advised Stewards that the gelding had failed to handle today's very testing track conditions. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a delayed recovery rate and the gelding to be suffering from mild respiratory distress.

Race 3 PROISIR @ RICH HILL STUD 1200

**KEEPISH** (B Hutton) reared as the start was effected and lost considerable ground as a result. Trainer Ms N Young was advised that a warning would be placed against the barrier manners of **KEEPISH**.

GOOD VIBES (A Collett) was slow to begin.

**EL NINO** (T Thornton) and **LADY QUASAR** (A Jones) were both crowded between **ONLY IF** (S Collett) and **CIVIC RECEPTION** (D Johnson) leaving the barrier.

PEACH BELLINI (S Spratt) shifted out under pressure in the final straight inconveniencing ONLY IF (S Collett) approaching the 200 metres. **ONLY IF** then shifted in slightly under pressure over the final 100 metres.

#### Race 4 PERTAB BLOODSTOCK LTD 1200

JUST CALL ME RIO (T Thornton) began awkwardly.

WARNER (C Grylls) was slow to begin.

Shortly after the start UJUMPIJUMP (L Innes) knuckled.

**ROUGH CUT** (A Jones) and **WINTIME** (M Hills) over-raced in the early and middle stages.

UJUMPIJUMP was steadied when awkwardly placed on the heels of KILMAC (S Spratt) passing the 800 metres with UJUMPIJUMP going back on to WINTIME which was hampered.

MARGIN CALL (D Johnson) raced in restricted room becoming awkwardly placed inside the heels of JUST CALL ME RIO approaching the 700 metres having to steady going back on to WARNER which was then held up for a distance.

UJUMPIJUMP lay out entering the final straight crowding WARNER outwards making contact with the hind quarters of JUST CALL ME RIO which was momentarily unbalanced.

UJUMPIJUMP and WARNER came together passing the 200 metres when both runners shifted ground when looking to obtain clear running with UJUMPIJUMP being denied clear running having to steady momentarily before shifting ground inwards passing the 100 metres to obtain clear running.

UJUMPIJUMP improved into a marginal run between KILMAC and HARRY CLAASSEN (V Gatu) making slight contact with HARRY CLAASSEN which then shifted away from UJUMPIJUMP crowding ROUGH CUT (A Jones) which was improving to its inside near the 50 metres.

The connections of **UJUMPIJUMP** viewed the video footage of the run home before electing not to proceed with a protest. **SEATON PARK 1200** Race 5

WADAPLEASURE (G Cooksley) and GETALONGHOME CINDY (J Whiteside) came together on jumping away.

KING PANAMERA (M Cameron) began awkwardly.

GARDONE (S McKay) was slow to begin.

When questioned regarding the performance of SCAMP rider O Bosson advised the gelding had found today's track conditions too testing in its fresh up state.

**VALACHI DOWNS 1400** Race 6

REAL WINNERS (S McKay) began awkwardly, and then shifted out inconveniencing BLACK IZIAH (U Holmquist) which had been slow to begin.

MISS DISTINGUISH (L Allpress) raced keenly in the early to middle stages.

#### Race 7 **JIMMY CHOUX FIRST SEASON FAVOURITE 1400**

ROCKET QUEEN (C Grylls) and LOTUS LAUD (V Gatu) were both a little slow to begin.

DON'T LOOK BACK (S Spratt) was inclined to shift inwards under pressure in the final straight.

HAPPYTO KEEPA (M Cameron) returned to the enclosure with blood present in both nostrils. After a veterinary

examination HAPPYTO KEEPA was confirmed to be a bleeder and is subject to the mandatory three month stand down from racing in New Zealand with a veterinary certificate of fitness to be provided prior to racing next. The connections advised that the mare is now likely to be retired.

#### Race 8 SHOCKING'S CLASSIC THREE YEAR OLDS 1600

**OOMPA** (L Allpress) began awkwardly, and then was crowded.

JUD STRUNK (A Schwerin) shifted out leaving the barrier inconveniencing SORORIA (D Johnson).

GOODN'TARG (L Innes) and LUCKY DESIRE (S Spratt) came together leaving the barrier.

JUD STRUNK and SORORIA both appeared to dip approaching the 1500 metres.

JUD STRUNK made the bend near the 800 metres awkwardly, and then appeared to go off stride losing ground.

**LUCKY DESIRE** was inclined to lay in when placed under pressure in the final straight.

When questioned regarding the performance of PACKING CHAPARRAL rider C Grylls advised Stewards that the gelding had failed to respond when place under pressure, further adding that he may have failed to handle today's existing track conditions.

#### PENTIRE'S 12 GROUP 1 WINNERS 2000 Race 9

FAIR FLEET (T Thornton) began awkwardly.

THE SHACKLER (C Lammas) over-raced in the early stages.

GO GO GONZO (M Hills) over-raced for a distance passing the 1600 metres.