# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



#### **MEETING DETAILS:**

Club: Hawke's Bay Racing Date: Saturday 17 September 2016

Weather: Overcast Track: Dead(4) Rail: 2.5 Metres

Stewards: J Oatham (Chairman), N Goodwin, M Williamson, B Bateup

Typist: L Goodwin

## **GENERAL:**

No issues to report.

#### **SUMMARY:**

Swabbing: ZCASTLE, KING OBERON, OOPS TOMMY, FRANCETTA, REILLY LINCOLN, HONEY RIDER, GLASS

SLIPPER, HUMIDOR, KAWI, MIME, RASA LILA, GET THAT JIVE.

Suspensions: Race 8 C Lammas EL PESCADO

Careless riding 200 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 22-30/9 inclusive (6 Days)

9 M Tanaka SHADOWS CAST

Careless riding 1100 metres [Rule 638 (1)(d)] Suspended 23/9-8/10 incl (5 days)

Protests: Nil

Fines: Nil

Warnings: Race 8 R Hannam AUTHENTIC PADDY

Shifting ground 1400 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]

**Horse Actions:** Race 4 **VAN GOGH** - veterinary clearance required prior to racing next.

Follow Ups: Race 3 TRIGGER

4 VAN GOGH
4 TAVIJAZZ
5 GINNER HART

6 VOLPE VELOCE

8 CAPELLA

Medical Certificates: Nil

Rider Changes: Nil

Late Scratchings: Race 4 LUCYINRIO - 12.37pm on veterinary advice

6 **VOLPE VELOCE** – 3.17pm at start on veterinary advice

#### **RACE COMMENTS:**

Race 1 BOSTOCK NEW ZEALAND SPRING CARNIVAL 2200

**OOEE** (B Hutton) – slow away. Raced wide without cover in the early and middle stages.

MICHELIN (R Myers) – began awkwardly losing ground.

**AMARONE** (S Collett) - slow to begin.

STREETFIGHTER (J Riddell) - slow to begin then further hampered when crowded losing ground.

**SPARCLING THYME** (C Grylls) – steadied passing the 1800 metres to avoid the heels of ZCASTLE (H Andrew) which shifted inwards when not fully clear and steadying. Apprentice **H Andrew** was advised to exercise greater care.

**YOUWANT MORE** (S Spratt) - over-raced when being steadied in the early stages. When questioned, rider was unable to offer any excuses for the mare's poor performance. A subsequent veterinary examination did not reveal any abnormality.

**FAXED** (M Cameron) - inclined to lay in under pressure in the final straight.

## Race 2 TRINITY HILL 2100

TIFFANY'S (L Hemi) – slow to begin. Raced three wide without cover.

**SKYBIRD** (S Collett) – slow to begin.

JACKSTAR (C Lammas) - over-raced for a short distance when being restrained near the 1900 metres.

**CHELA CHOI** (S Weatherley) - held up rounding the final turn and continued to have difficulty obtaining clear running until near the 100 metres.

**EDDIE GILBERT** (K McCulloch) - bumped near the 300 metres when JACKSSTAR shifted outwards to obtain clear running. Further inconvenienced at the 200 metres when JACKSSTAR lay out under pressure.

**SANJARA** (R Myers) – bumped with REAL THIRSTY on a number of occasions in the final straight, then having to be steadied over the final stages when placed in restricted room between REAL THIRSTY and LINCOLN BAY.

**REAL THIRSTY** (L Innes) – bumped with SANJARA on a number of occasions in the final straight becoming unbalanced over the final stages.

**BANG** (M Cameron) – had difficulty obtaining clear running in the final straight until near the 150 metres.

### Race 3 STELLA ARTOIS 1400

**ROCK ON** (L Innes) – slow to begin

**EL NINO** (C Lammas) - slow to begin. Badly hampered passing the 1000 metres.

**CHIC** (J Parkes) - began awkwardly then commenced to race ungenerously in the early stages. Badly hampered passing the 1000 metres.

**BOXACHOCOLATES** (J Collett) - raced wide without cover.

**SOUL SISTA** (C Grylls) - raced wide without cover.

**CANCELLARA** (S Weatherley) commenced to race fiercely near the 1200 metres shifting outwards to avoid the heels of COPPER REIGN then clipping a heel of SPIKER and blundering near the 1000 metres badly hampering EL NINO, HEISENBERG and CHIC.

**HEISENBERG** (M Du Plessis) badly hampered passing the 1000 metres.

**TRIGGER** (D Johnson) – Made the bend near the 800 metres awkwardly when hanging outwards. When questioned regarding the performance of the gelding rider stated had hung outwards from the 900 metres and felt indifferent in its action. A subsequent veterinary did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

**SPIKER** (K McCulloch) – required veterinary attention post-race for a laceration to the left hind leg as a result of being galloped on.

## Race 4 HASTINGS – HEART OF HAWKE'S BAY 1300

**DOLCETTO** (S Collett) – crowded leaving the barriers losing ground. Raced three wide without cover throughout.

O'REILLY'S CHOICE (J Parkes) – knuckled leaving the barriers then further hampered when crowded losing ground.

**VAN GOGH** (V Colgan) over-raced in the early and middle stages when being restrained making the bend awkwardly passing the 800 metres hampering MISS SILVERBACK, with TAVIJAZZ then having to be steadied away from the heels of MISS SILVERBACK as a result. A post-race veterinary examination found the gelding to have a poor rate of recovery with trainer Mr J Bridge being advised that a veterinary certificate of fitness required be required prior to racing next.

MISS SILVERBACK (C Grylls) - hampered at the 800 metres. When questioned, rider was unable to offer any excuses for the mare's poor performance.

**TAVIJAZZ** (B Hutton) - had to be steadied away from heels near the 800 metres. Rider advised had felt a little indifferent in its action.

**IMPULSIVE HABIT** (S Spratt) - was inclined to race ungenerously when being steadied in the middle stages. Raced in restricted room early in the final straight. Rider advised was inclined to race greenly amongst other runners.

## Race 5 L I REDSHAW MEMORIAL

**MARKY MARK** (C Lammas) - raced ungenerously when being restrained in the early stages and shifted inwards near the 900 metres placing GINNER HART in restricted room.

**GINNER HART** (S Weatherley) - raced in restricted room near the 900 metres. When questioned rider advised that the gelding had felt a little indifferent in its action. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

#### Race 6 HAWKE'S BAY BREEDERS GOLD TRAIL STAKES

**VOLPE VELOCE** (J Parkes) - was removed from the barriers after becoming fractious being declared a late scratching at 3.17pm on veterinary advice after suffering superficial abrasions to the left hind leg, also having partially pulled the left hind plate and being lame at the walk.

**TESIA** (S McKay) - crowded leaving the barriers. Over-raced early and middle stages having to be firmly restrained to avoid the heels of I AM GRACIE near the 900 metres.

GLASS SLIPPER (C Lammas) - slow to begin

**BABE** (J Collett) - slow to begin. Disappointed for a run near the 150 metres and unable to obtain clear running for the remainder of the race.

**INDECISION** (L Innes) – had to be steadied to avoid the heels of TESIA near the 900 metres then over-racing into the middle stages.

I AM GRACIE (K McCulloch) – over-raced when being restrained near the 900 metres dropping back onto TESIA. Raced three wide without cover.

GOLD RUSH (C Grylls) - held up over the final 150 metres.

## Race 7 AON INSURANCE BROKERS 2000

**MAYGROVE** (M Cameron) - shifted inwards near the 1700 metres making contact with SAVARIA with both horses becoming briefly unbalanced.

SAVARIA (R Myers) - unbalanced when bumped near the 1700 metres.

MADONNA MIA (T Johnson) - raced wide in the early stages.

**BALHAM** (S Collett) - hampered passing the 1200 metres when DUFFERS CREEK (J Bassett) which was racing keenly shifted outwards to avoid the heels of JOCHEN RINDT. Again bumped by DUFFERS CREEK near the 900 metres with BALHAM then racing wide without cover around the bend. Apprentice **J Bassett** was spoken to and advised to exercise greater care.

**JOCHEN RINDT** (S Spratt) – rider advised is better suited to more rain affected conditions. Trainer Mr T Wenn advised that JOCHEN RINDT would now be spelled.

**MEESKA MOOSKA** (A Jones) – rider advised that after having to work hard in the early stages of the race had little left when placed under pressure adding that in her opinion may have been a little flat after its strong fresh up win when resuming on this course three weeks ago.

## Race 8 WINDSOR PARK PLATE

**BATTLE TIME** (V Colgan) – following the race a Request for a Ruling was filed with the Judicial Committee under the provisions of Rule 632(2) as to whether BATTLE TIME may have gained an unfair advantage at the start. Film footage showed that whilst the starter was in the process of effecting a start BATTLE TIME had lunged forward forcing the front gates on its barrier stall to open slightly ahead of the remainder of field. After hearing submissions from all relevant parties

and assessing race footage in its entirety the Judicial Committee ruled that BATTLE TIME should retain its fourth placing and not be declared a non-starter. Made first turn awkwardly and commenced to over-race badly becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of MIME for a distance having to be firmly restrained near the 1000 metres. Became awkwardly placed on the heels of KAWI near the 250 metres when crowded by BOHEMIAN LILY which was forced outwards by EL PESCADO which shifted outwards. Checked 200 metres when EL PESCADO continued to shift outwards when not sufficiently clear.

C Lammas admitted a resultant charge of careless riding being suspended by the Judicial Committee from the conclusion of racing on Wednesday 21 September until the conclusion of racing on Friday 30 September, 6 riding days.

**RASA LILA** (J Collett) - hampered leaving the barriers being crowded onto FANATIC when KAWI jumped away awkwardly and shifted outwards.

**FANATIC** (M Hills) - crowded start losing ground.

**KAWI** (L Innes) - jumped away awkwardly. Commenced to over-race shortly after the start racing fiercely going into the first turn near the 1400 metres then being checked after becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of AUTHENTIC PADDY which shifted inwards when not fully clear. **R Hannam** the rider of AUTHENTIC PADDY was issued with a warning. In assessing this incident Stewards took into account the racing manners of KAWI and the evidence given by rider L Innes as to the extent this had contributed along with the inconclusive nature of the film footage available. Continued to over-race in the middle stages when racing three wide without cover.

BOHEMIAN LILY (S Collett) - crowded at the 250 metres when EL PESCADO shifted outwards.

**EL PESCADO** (C Lammas) – raced in restricted room passing the 75 metres.

**CAPELLA** (D Johnson) – hung outwards when placed under pressure in the home straight. Rider was unable to offer any excuses for the poor performance. A subsequent veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

# Race 9 BAY FORD NZ PUNTER OF THE YEAR 1<sup>ST</sup> OCTOBER 1400

**KING KAMADA** (T Johnson) – began awkwardly losing ground.

**CHENILLE** (S Weatherley) – restrained by its rider shortly after jumping away from a wide barrier draw.

**THORN PASS** (K McCulloch) – sharply checked losing ground near the 1100 metres when crowded for room by **MAE WEST** which was forced inwards by **SHADOWS CAST** (M Tanaka) with **AWESOME GOAL** also being hampered as a result. **M Tanaka** admitted a charge of careless riding in that he had permitted his mount to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear being suspended from the conclusion of racing on Thursday 22 September until the conclusion of racing on Saturday 8 October, 5 riding days.

**MAE WEST** (S Collett) – checked when crowded and forced inwards 1100 metres. Placed in restricted room approaching the 100 metres.

**AWESOME GOAL** (V Colgan) – hampered 1100 metres.

**HEAVENS KEEP** (L Hemi) – raced wide throughout.

**PROMISE TO REIGN** (L Innes) – held up early in the final straight.