STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club: Racing Tauranga Date: Wednesday, 21 December 2016

Weather: Fine
Track: Good (3)
Rail: 10 Metres

Stewards: M Williamson (Chairman), A Coles, W Robinson, D Wadley

Vet: L De Gifford Typist: P Laboyrie

SUMMARY:

Swabbing: HUAYRA, NAILED IT, INFINITE JOY, UABASSO, BAYMAX, O'RACHAEL, SEA OCTOPUS,

HUGO THE BOSS, TIME TO CELEBRATE, NICOLETTA

Suspensions: Race 8 Z Nor Azman CONQUERING KENNY

Careless riding 1200 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 28/12/16 – 1/1/17

inclusive (4 riding days)

Protests: Nil

Fines: Nil

Warnings: Race 3 Mr R James DOWNTON ABBEY

Presented horse to race without notified gear (blinkers) [Rule 616(2)]

10 V Colgan DRIVEN FORCE

Shifting ground 1300 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]

Horse Actions: Race 6 GOOD LOOKIN' GAL - bled - 3 month stand down from racing

7 CORPORATE RAIDER - veterinary clearance required prior to racing next

9 FASHIONABLY - warning racing manners

Follow Up: Race 3 GUMBOOTS

8 BONNY EMILIA

9 DOUBTLESS BAY

Medical Certificates: Received covering C Lammas

Rider Changes: Nil

Late Scratchings: Race 7 CORPORATE RAIDER – at 5.06 pm on vet advice

GENERAL:

Nil			

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Matamata Racing Club - 14 December 2016

Race 1 - FASHION IN THE FIELDS 25 FEB 2000

HAPPINESS - Trainer L Laing advised Stewards that she was satisfied with the recovery of HAPPINESS IS following its performance in this race, however also stated that following the race the mare had shown signs of being in season, adding it would be her intention to remove the blinkers for its next start.

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Race 7 - GOLDSMITH'S GALLERY JEWELLERS 2100

ANGELICA ROX - Trainer T Keegan advised Stewards that she was satisfied with the recovery of ANGELICA ROX following its performance in this race, it is her intention to continue on with its current preparation.

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Race 2 - PROPERTY BROKERS PREMIER

KONOHIKI - Trainer J Guilford advised Stewards that KONOHIKI was still mildly lame in the days following its performance in this race, adding it is now her intention to freshen the mare prior to racing next.

GREAT HASTE - Trainer R Mason advised Stewards that in the days following its performance in this race GREAT HASTE underwent a veterinary examination which revealed the gelding to be suffering from muscle soreness, Ms Mason added that this would be treated and it would be her intention to freshen GREAT HASTE prior to racing next.

Race 4 - PAVEMASTERS PREMIER

ALL IN VOGUE - Trainer K Gray advised Stewards that he was satisfied with the recovery of ALL IN VOGUE following its performance in this race, it is his intention to continue on with its current preparation.

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1 INTERISLANDER SUMMER FESTIVAL TAURANGA 2ND JAN 1200

KITTYKITTYBANGBANG (M McNab) – Was slow away.

STRIKING KAY (B R Jones) – Raced in restricted room shortly after jumping away having to be steadied.

MOTUMAN (D Prastiyou) – Raced in restricted room shortly after jumping away having to be steadied. Crowded 300 metres. Crowded 100 metres and steadied.

TUDEE (S Collett) – Raced wide without cover throughout. Hampered 300 metres and steadied, losing ground.

OUR BROCKSTER (M Cameron) – Commenced to race greenly passing the 350 metres, and shifted out with HUAYRA shifting away from that runner making contact with the hind quarters of ALERIA which crowded MOTUMAN with that runner then laying out despite the efforts of its rider, crowding TUDEE which was hampered, losing ground. Contributing was inward movement from ONSTAGE.

ALERIA (L Innes) – Crowded 350 metres. Inconvenienced 200 metres.

COURT BATTLE (M Vance) – Commenced to hang out making the final bend, and then shifted out abruptly under pressure passing the 200 metres inconveniencing HUAYRA and then crowding ALERIA which was forced out on to MOTUMAN which was further hampered. **M Vance** was reprimanded and advised that she must exercise greater judgement.

Race 2 MILLS REEF WINERY AND RESTAURANT 1600

SIERRA BEEL (D Prastiyou) – Shifted out shortly after jumping away dictating VINCENT STREET outwards which had to steady when becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of DALEZINGA. Inconvenienced 300 metres to the inside of VINCENT STREET which lay in.

VINCENT STREET (D Danis) – Steadied when awkwardly placed on heels shortly after jumping away. Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.

STACCATO (R Elliot) – Began awkwardly. Lay out shortly after jumping away making contact with HUNGRY EYES becoming unbalanced for a short distance.

MIGHTY ME (M Du Plessis) – Was slow away.

DALEZINGA (T Wenn) – Lay out shortly after jumping away making contact with OUR DAISY becoming briefly unbalanced. Had to be steadied passing the 900 metres when awkwardly placed inside the heels of STACCATO (R Elliot) which shifted in when not fully clear. **R Elliot** was advised he must exercise greater care.

Race 3 STE INDUSTRIAL ELECTRICAL 1600

DOWNTON ABBEY (G Saejorhor) – Presented to race without notified gear being blinkers, due to time constraints the blinkers were applied at the start. Trainer **R James** was issued with a warning. DOWNTON ABBEY was slow away.

INFINITE JOY (S McKay) – Began awkwardly shifting out making contact with GUMBOOTS, and when being corrected shifted back in and hampered ULTIMATE IMAGE which had begun awkwardly. Lay out under pressure passing the 150 metres having to be straightened.

ULTIMATE IMAGE (M Du Plessis) – Began awkwardly and then hampered shortly after losing ground.

DE KENSINGTON OVAL (S Collett) – Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.

HEEZNOT (A Collett) – Raced keenly through the early and middle stages. Inconvenienced 150 metres. HEEZNOT lost the right front plate during the running.

BEAR (K McCulloch) – Lay out for the majority of the race. Held up around the final bend. Lay out under pressure passing the 150 metres inconveniencing HEEZNOT.

ESKIMO KISS (Z Nor Azman) – Lost the off hind plate during the running.

GUMBOOTS (C Lammas) – Was eased down from near the 150 metres with rider C Lammas reporting the gelding had not felt comfortable in its action. A post-race veterinary examination of GUMBOOTS revealed the gelding to be mildly lame in front.

Race 4 WEBSTER'S TEA 2150

MODEL AYE (M Du Plessis) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

UABASSO (C Lammas) – Was slow away.

DUKE STREET (B R Jones) – Began awkwardly losing ground. Commenced to over-race in the early stages when wide, and continued to race wide without cover for the majority of the race.

YAMAGEE (M McNab) – Raced wide without cover in the early stages until improving forward to sit outside the leader passing the 1200 metres.

DEAR DOUGLAS (V Colgan) – Held up rounding the final turn, and had some difficulty obtaining clear running early in the final straight. When questioned regarding the performance of DEAR DOUGLAS rider V Colgan advised that in hindsight the gelding may have been better suited attempting to improve around the field from near the 700 metres as he had some difficulty finding clear running when looking to take runs in the final straight.

Race 5 AGRISSENTIALS 2150

ITSABIRD (E Farr) – Began awkwardly, losing ground.

MEDINI (O Bosson) – Over-raced in the early stages. When questioned regarding the performance of MEDINI rider O Bosson advised that the mare may be feeling the effects of the firmer nature of the tracks.

PLIMMER (S McKay) – Raced wide without cover until improving forward to sit outside the leader passing the 1500 metres.

CONTESTANT (R Elliot) – Had to be steadied off the heels of MEDINI passing the 900 metres.

BAYMAX (J Jago) – Hung out around the final bend, and continued to lay outwards in the final straight.

Race 6 LASER ELECTRICAL TAURANGA 1200

O'RACHAEL (M McNab) – Began awkwardly shifting in making contact with CINEMATIC.

DIVORCEE (S Collett) – Began awkwardly.

ANOTHER GIRL (K McCulloch) - Was slow away.

EPROUVEZ (M Du Plessis) – Commenced to lay out around the bend near the 900 metres, and continued to lay out until into the final straight.

CINEMATIC (A Collett) – Was held up rounding the bend into the final straight having to shift out across heels to obtain clear running near the 250 metres.

LUCKY EDIE (R Elliot) – Shifted in over the concluding stages when being ridden out making contact with the running rail becoming unbalanced. Rider **R Elliot** was reprimanded and advised that he must exercise greater care.

GOOD LOOKIN' GAL (S McKay) – Returned to the enclosure with blood present in both nostrils, and after undergoing a veterinary examination was confirmed as a bleeder, with trainer Mr G Richardson advising that the mare would now be retired.

Race 7 BRYAN DEUCHAR TIMBERFLOORS 1400

CORPORATE RAIDER (L Innes) – Underwent a veterinary inspection soon after arriving at the barriers and was declared a late scratching at 5.06 pm. Co-trainer A Peard was advised that a veterinary clearance would be required prior to racing next.

IMNOTSURE (K McCulloch) – Shifted out jumping away making contact with UNDER WRAPS. Commenced to over-race in the early stages, making the bend awkwardly near the 900 metres. IMNOTSURE continued to race ungenerously through the middle stages shifting out forcing PURE SAVALINA wider on the track near the 700 metres. IMNOTSURE then raced wide without cover for the remainder of the race.

PURE SAVALINA (C Lammas) – Forced wide 700 metres.

COLORADO BAY (D Johnson) – Began awkwardly losing ground (3L). Commenced to race ungenerously when being steadied passing the 1100 metres.

UNDER WRAPS (A Collett) – Lay out shortly after the start dictating GIANT HUNTER out on to TATUM which raced in restricted room for a distance. Contributing was inward movement from OUR NINA. Raced in restricted room passing the 1200 metres to the inside of OUR NINA which was taken in slightly by GREYWACKE (O Bosson). As a result UNDER WRAPS was steadied losing ground. Contributing was IMNOTSURE which had commenced to race keenly. Rider **O Bosson** was severely reprimanded by Stewards and advised that he must exercise greater care when shifting ground.

SEA OCTOPUS (T Thornton) – Raced in restricted room when crowded to the inside of GIANT HUNTER shortly after the start. Was held up until near the 300 metres.

OUR NINA (D Prastiyou) – Crowded passing 1200 metres. Over-raced early and middle stages. Inconvenienced passing the 150 metres by SEA OCTOPUS which shifted in under pressure.

THE KIPLING GIRL (L Satherley) – Raced wide for the majority of the race.

TATUM (S Collett) – Raced in restricted room shortly after start. Shifted out to obtain clear running passing the 50 metres inconveniencing THE KIPLING GIRL.

Race 8 CRONIN CULLEN EGAN CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS 1400

AUCTIONEER (S McKay) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

GOLD HUNTER (D Prastiyou) – Was slow away, and was further hampered by ARUNDEL which shifted out on jumping away.

HUGO THE BOSS (C Lammas) – Approaching the 1200 metres was crowded for a distance to the inside of SCOOTER O'REILLY which was taken in by CONQUERING KENNY (Z Nor Azman) which shifted in when not clear. As a result HUGO THE BOSS was checked losing considerable ground, and SCOOTER O'REILLY hampered losing ground. Apprentice rider **Z Nor Azman** admitted a resultant breach of careless riding with his licence to ride in races being suspended by the Judicial Committee from 28 December to 1 January inclusive (4 riding days). Hampered passing 400 metres to the outside of GETALONGHOME CINDY which ducked outwards. Held up for a distance early in the final straight before shifting in to obtain clear running passing the 300 metres.

SCOOTER O'REILLY (A Collett) – Crowded and hampered losing ground 1300 metres.

PREETHA VARMA (L Innes) – Rider L Innes reported that the mare was feeling the effects of the firmer nature of the track.

ARUNDEL (O Bosson) – Held up early in the final straight shifting out off the heels of ESBEEDEE passing the 150 metres crowding BONNY EMILIA which was steadied.

BONNY EMILIA (D Johnson) – Crowded 150 metres and steadied, and was then not persevered with. Rider D Johnson reported that the mare had felt indifferent in its action, with the mare undergoing a subsequent veterinary examination which failed to find any abnormality.

Race 9 GEAR WELDING SERVICES 1400

DUDEWITHATTITUDE (K McCulloch) – Badly hampered jumping away due to outward movement from O'PRINCESS and inward movement from PLAZABEEL. Crowded passing the 300 metres by INSCRIPTION (V Gatu) which shifted out to obtain clear running. Rider **V Gatu** was reprimanded and advised to exercise greater care.

GET SMART (M Vance) – Badly hampered jumping away losing ground.

INSCRIPTION (V Gatu) – Badly hampered jumping away losing ground. Shifted out passing the 300 metres to obtain clear running.

THAILAND (S Collett) – Raced ungenerously when being steadied in the early stages.

PLAZABEEL (D Johnson) – Raced ungenerously when being steadied in the early stages.

DOUBTLESS BAY (V Colgan) – Commenced to over-race and steadied approaching the 900 metres when placed in restricted room to the inside of ITSTOLATE and which was taken in slightly by TIME TO CELEBRATE. DOUBTLESS BAY continued to over-race through the middle stages.

SURE HE CAN (C Lammas) – Shifted out to obtain clear running passing the 600 metres forcing FASHIONABLY wider on the track.

FASHIONABLY (M Cameron) – Forced wide 600 metres, and then commenced to hang out placing its rider at a disadvantage for the remainder of the race. Co trainer Mr S Autridge was advised that a warning would be placed against the filly's racing manners.

Race 10 FASHION IN THE FIELD JAPAN CUP DAY MARCH 25TH 1600

SNEAKYSID (T Thornton) – Began awkwardly.

CONTESSA BELLE (M Du Plessis) – Was crowded shortly after leaving the barriers and steadied.

EMPIRE STAR (L Satherley) – Had to steady when crowded passing the 1300 metres to the inside of DRIVEN FORCE (V Colgan) which shifted in. **V Colgan** was issued with a warning.

TOUTE SUR ROUGE (K McCulloch) – Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.

EL HEALO (B Hutton) – Lost the right hind plate during the running.