

# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

## MEETING DETAILS:

<b>Club:</b>	Wellington Racing Club	<b>Date:</b>	Saturday 14 January 2017
<b>Weather:</b>	Fine		
<b>Track:</b>	Dead(4)		
<b>Rail:</b>	True		
<b>Stewards:</b>	J Oatham (Chairman), N Goodwin, D Balcombe, B Bateup		
<b>Vet:</b>	R Lenaghan, M Leyland		
<b>Typist:</b>	P Penketh		

## SUMMARY:

<b>Swabbing:</b>	MONTOKA STAR; PADRAIG; AKOYA; SABOTAGE; SAMPSON; AUTHENTIC PADDY; BLUE LAGOON; HALL OF FAME; SAVILE ROW; JON SNOW; SEIZE THE MOMENT; THEE AULD FLOOZIE; PRINCESS BELLE.		
<b>Suspensions:</b>	Race	3	K Mudhoo ELLERSTINA Careless riding 400 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 22/1-4/2 inclusive, 4 days
<b>Protests:</b>	Race	7	JON SNOW (3 <sup>rd</sup> ) vs SAVILE ROW (2 <sup>nd</sup> ) – dismissed.
<b>Fines:</b>	Nil		
<b>Warnings:</b>	Nil		
<b>Horse Actions:</b>	Race	2	SAINTED PEARL – required to trial
		2	ACQUILO – veterinary clearance required
<b>Follow Up:</b>	Race	1	KING COBRA
		2	HAUSSMANN
		2	ACQUILO
		4	WILLIAM WALLACE
<b>Medical Certificates:</b>	Required from L Hemi		
<b>Rider Changes:</b>	Race	3	DEJA ROO – M du Plessis replaced L Hemi (injured)
		6	DYNAMITE LUCY – T Johnson replaced L Hemi
		8	LA FILLE EN JEU – M Hills replaced L Hemi
		9	PLAY THE GAME – M Du Plessis replaced L Hemi
<b>Late Scratchings:</b>	Race	2	GALWAY LIL @1.21pm after rearing over backwards in the mounting yard
		2	SAINTED PEARL @ 1.26pm after rearing over backwards behind the barriers

## GENERAL:

No issues to report.
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## RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	MAJESTIC HORSE FLOATS PREMIER
<b>MONTOKA STAR</b> (S Wynne) – Blundered on jumping away. Raced ungenerously when being restrained shortly after the start.	
<b>LORD ERNESTO</b> (H Tinsley) – Shifted inwards off heels to gain clear running approaching the 200 metres.	
<b>HANK MOODIE</b> (O Bosson) – Shifted inwards and bumped HIGHLAND PARK near the 150 metres.	
<b>HIGHLAND PARK</b> (M Cameron) – Bumped 150 metres.	

**KING COBRA** – When apprentice rider T Johnson was questioned regarding performance advised that he was of the opinion the gelding had held its breath and that he had recommended to connections a tongue tie be added for its next start. A post-race veterinary examination revealed an increase in trachea noise and a small amount of mucus in the right nostril.

<b>Race 2</b>	<b>WELLINGTON PROVEDORING 2YO</b>
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**GALWAY LIL** – Late scratching at 1.21pm after rearing over backwards in the mounting yard. R Myers was attended to by medical personnel and found to be uninjured.

**SAINTED PEARL** – Late scratching at 1.26pm after rearing backwards behind the barriers dislodging rider L Hemi who was unable to fulfil her remaining engagements after being knocked unconscious for a period and being stood down accordingly. Trainer N Auret was advised that the filly is required to trial satisfactorily before next starting.

**PEACEFUL FALLS** (A Collett) – Began awkwardly.

**KIWI IDA** (K Mudhoo) – Began awkwardly. Lay in under pressure in the final straight.

**HAUSSMAN** (V Colgan) - Jumped out abruptly at the start and bumped with PADRAIG. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the gelding had raced greenly throughout and had been disappointing. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality other than having lost the right hind plate during the running. Connections advised that the gelding was now likely to be spelled.

**PADRAIG** (M Cameron) – Bumped start.

**ACQUILO** (O Bosson) – When questioned regarding performance rider advised that ACQUILO had worked well mid-week but felt jarred up today and it was his understanding that the colt would now be spelled. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a slow recovery rate and increased respiratory and heart rate. Connections were advised that a veterinary clearance will be required before next racing.

<b>Race 3</b>	<b>GO RACING SYNDICATIONS PREMIER</b>
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**ISLAND BAY** (R Elliot) – Checked at the start when DEJA ROO jumped outwards abruptly. Also checked was BELLONTEROCKS. Checked after receiving solid contact approaching the 400 metres becoming awkwardly placed near the heels of PROFICIENT.

**DEJA ROO** (M Du Plessis) – jumped outwards abruptly at the start.

**ARCTURUS** (J Riddell) – Slow away. Raced ungenerously when being steadied in the early stages to middle stages. Lost left hind plate during running.

**PETITE MIDAS** (M Cameron) - Was held up early in the final straight.

Apprentice **K Mudhoo** - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he angled his mount ELLERSTINA outwards approaching the 400 metres making solid contact with ISLAND BAY which was checked. After hearing submissions the Judicial Committee imposed a term of suspension from the close of racing on Saturday 21 January 2017 until the close of Saturday 4 February 2017 (4 riding days).

<b>Race 4</b>	<b>STEPHEN DALLAS MEMORIAL PREMIER</b>
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**MARGARITA MOVER** (A Collet) – Slow away.

**PLATINUM EXPRESS** (R Hannam) - Over raced in the lead in the early and middle stages.

**XCUSES XCUSES** (A Chan) - Had to be angled across heels approaching the 200 metres to obtain clear running.

**BALLYBAY** (M Du Plessis) – Raced ungenerously throughout with a tendency to hang out.

**CINEMATIC** (S McKay) - Tended to lay in across heels in the final straight and had to be straightened on a number of occasions.

**WILLIAM WALLACE** (R Myers) – Disappointed, finishing well back with rider unable to provide any excuse. Post-race veterinary inspection did not reveal any obvious abnormality. Co-trainer A Bull agreed to monitor the gelding over coming days and report any results to Stewards.

<b>Race 5</b>	<b>MILLS REEF WINERY TRENTHAM STAKES - GpIII</b>
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**PROMISE TO REIGN** (M Du Plessis) – Lay out going into the first turn near the 1900 metres and raced ungenerously when being restrained. Was held up early in the home straight before being angled inwards to obtain clear running near the 200 metres.

**SEBROSE** (O Bosson) – Raced ungenerously when in tight quarters going into the first turn near the 1900 metres.

**KAIRANGA LAD** (M Tanaka) – Over-raced in the early stages.

**NO EMOTION** (S Wynne) – Over-raced in the early stages.

**REVELATOR** (K Mudhoo) – Raced three-wide without cover down the back straight before being allowed to stride forward outside the leader near the 1000 metres.

**AUTHENTIC PADDY** (R Hannam) – Lay out over the final stages.

**BLOODSTREAM** (A Collett) – When questioned, the rider advised that rather than be caught wide from its outside barrier draw she opted to go back to obtain a position close to the running rail adding that the gelding had finished the race off well without a lot of racing room over the final stages and she had been satisfied with its performance.

<b>Race 6</b>	<b>EL CHEAPO CARS PREMIER</b>
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**ANGEL IN BLUEJEANS** (J Riddell) – Held up approaching the 400 metres.

**LEDBURY** (A Chan) – Checked at start when MORE IN STORE jumped inwards. Made the first turn near the 1900 metres awkwardly and ran wide hampering MORE IN STORE, OUR DAISY and DALE DOBACK which were all forced over extra ground. Apprentice Chan was advised to exercise care.

**MORE IN STORE** (O Bosson) – Jumped in at the start. Hampered and forced over extra ground near the 1900 metres.

**OUR DAISY** (A Collett) – Hampered and forced over extra ground near the 1900 metres.

**DALE DOBACK** (J Parkes) – Hampered and forced over extra ground near the 1900 metres.

**AMARONE** (R Myers) – Slow away. Lost near hind plate during running.

<b>Race 7</b>	<b>RANDWICK MEATS LEVIN CLASSIC – Gp1</b>
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**EXCALIBUR** (J Riddell) – Jumped away awkwardly and knuckled.

**SAVILLE ROW** (M Du Plessis) – Raced ungenerously when being restrained passing the 1100 metres.

**HALL OF FAME** (O Bosson) - Had to be steadied when becoming awkwardly placed near the heels of **SAVILLE ROW** near the 1000 metres with **HALL OF FAME** then shifting outwards when being restrained crowding **STORYTIME**.

**STORYTIME** (M Hills) – Crowded 1000 metres.

**FINE TAYLOR** (H Tinsley) - Raced three-wide without cover from the 1200 metres. Lay out rounding the final turn.

**COLLARY** (R Myers) – Raced wide throughout.

**LINCOLN BLUE** (R Hannam) – Had difficulty obtaining clear running until passing the 200 metres.

**SAVILLE ROW** and **JON SNOW** came together near the 150 metres with both those runners again making contact over the final 50 metres. A protest lodged by the connections of the third place **JON SNOW** alleging interference inside the final 200 metres by the second placed **SAVILLE ROW** was dismissed by the Judicial Committee.

<b>Race 8</b>	<b>TUI – BACKING A WINNER SINCE 1889 ANNIVERSARY – Gp III</b>
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**LA FILLE EN JEU** (M Hills) – Underwent a veterinary examination at the barrier after making contact with a fence leaving the birdcage being passed fit to run. Raced keenly in the lead in the middle stages. When questioned rider advised that the mare had failed to see out the 1600 metre distance of today's race.

**SUMMER'S DAY** (V Colgan) – Jumped away awkwardly.

**SKYWEKA** (M Du Plessis) - Blundered leaving the barriers losing ground.

**HENREE WINKLER** (J Parkes) – Crowded leaving the barriers losing ground.

**SON OF MAHER** (S Wynne) – Tended to lay out under pressure in the home straight.

<b>Race 9</b>	<b>VERNON &amp; VASEY TRUCK PARTS PREMIER</b>
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**PLAY THE GAME** (M Du Plessis) – Slow to begin.

**COURTMASTER** (R Hannam) – Held up final straight before having to be checked to avoid the heels of **MONGOLIAN LEGEND** near the 200 metres.

**LONG HARBOUR** (A Collett) – Jumped away awkwardly. Clipped a heel and blundered after improving onto the heels of **MONIE O'CEIRIN** near the 200 metres then shifting inwards to further avoid that runners heels hampering the weakening **STRAIGHT SETS** which was checked and crowding **AWATANE** before being steadied when racing in restricted room to the inside of **MONIE O'CEIRIN** which was inclined to shift ground under pressure.

**TARAHIRA** (R Myers) – Slow away.

**ABBEY ROAD** (J Parkes) – Had to be steadied when placed in restricted room passing the 1100 metres. V Colgan the rider of **SACRED SURFER** was advised to exercise more care. Was badly held up until approaching the 100 metres.

**AWATANE** (H Tinsley) – Was unable to obtain clear running before being checked when crowded near the 200 metres then going to the line untested.

**STRAIGHT SETS** (R Elliot) – Crowded and checked when weakening near the 200 metres.

**SACRED SURFER** (V Colgan) – Had difficulty obtaining clear running early in the final straight and was then inclined to lay inwards when placed under pressure.

**MONGOLIAN LEGEND** (M Cameron) – Was briefly crowded to the inside of PRINCESS BELLE which lay in passing the 250 metres. Hampered over the concluding stages when SACRED SURFER lay in and away from HARLEM 'N' CO. MONIE O'CEIRIN was also inconvenienced in this movement.

**PRINCESS BELLE** (O Bosson) – Lay in passing the 250 crowding MONGOLIAN LEGEND.

**MONIE O'CEIRIN** (S McKay) – Inconvenienced concluding stages.