STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Waipa Racing Club	Date:	Thursday 24 November 2016
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Good(2)		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	A Coles (Chairman), M Williamson, W Robinson, B Jones		
Typist:	P Laboyrie		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	AMBITIOUS WINNER, TIPTRONIC, ANGELINE, PICNIC BAY, LADDIE OF OAKVIEW, CALLIGRAPHY, GREAT EXPECTATIONS, ROAD TRIP, SOUTHERN DANCER			
Suspensions:	Nil			
Protests:	Nil			
Fines:	Nil			
Warnings:	Race	4	S Spratt SHONALI Shifting ground 200 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]	
		6	M Tanaka RIO CLARO Shifting ground 900 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]	
		7	G Old LOOKATMEPINS Presented LOOKATMEPINS without notified gear (blinkers) [Rule 616(4)]	
Horse Actions:	Race	7	JUD STRUNK – warning barrier manners	
Follow Up:	Race	7	BALLYCHINE	
Medical Certificates:	Nil			
Rider Changes:	Race	9	ELEGANT LAD – S Weatherley for L Magorrian (unwell)	
Late Scratchings:	Nil			

GENERAL:

Nil.

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Nil.

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	NZI 1150			
MISS PADDIMOSA (C Grylls) – Crowded leaving the barrier losing ground.				
SOUL SERENADE (L Magorrian) – Crowded leaving the barrier losing ground.				
BELLE HOPE (D Johnson) – Went off stride losing ground approaching the 700 metres.				
LONGFORD	(M Cameron) – Held up for a distance passing the 400 metres.			

MARCHERO (M Tanaka) – Was denied clear racing room passing the 100 metres to the inside of CUT TO THE CHASE which shifted away from ST REGIS which in turn shifted in and away from AMBITIOUS WINNER.

Race 2 VILAGRAD 1400

I AM BLESSED (A Collett) – Slow to begin.

DAYTONA RED (L Innes) – Slow to begin.

PRINCESS SAPPHIRE (M Coleman) – Raced in restricted room shortly after the start and was steadied. Made the bend near the 900 metres awkwardly. PRINCESS SAPPHIRE lost the left front plate at the start. When questioned regarding the performance of PRINCESS SAPPHIRE rider M Coleman advised that the filly had not been entirely comfortable on the turning track, and had raced greenly throughout.

ROYAL TOUCH (S Spratt) – Got its head up for a distance when being restrained passing the 1100 metres.

MISS CATHERINE (E Farr) – Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race. MISS CATHERINE pulled a left front shoe on jumping away from the barriers, and after undergoing a post-race veterinary examination was found to be sore in the left foreleg.

TIPTRONIC (C Grylls) – Raced wide in the early stages before being allowed to work forward and sit outside the leader near the 800 metres.

DATE NIGHT (C Lammas) – Was held up for a distance from near the 400 metres, obtaining clear running when making brief contact with GRAND SOLEIL approaching the 200 metres.

AONGATETE EXPRESS (L Magorrian) – Following this race rider L Magorrian was stood down from his remaining ride in race 9 as he was suffering from dehydration.

Race 3 CAL ISUZU 1580

ANGELINE (D Johnson) – Slow to begin.

DEAR DOUGLAS (M Cameron) – Slow away.

NATURAL VITALITY (T Thornton) – Was hampered shortly after the start, losing ground.

SECRET MERCINE (L Satherley) – Raced in restricted room shortly after the start.

BLUE HAZE (M Tanaka) – Raced in restricted room shortly after the start.

HERSCHAL (C Lammas) – Raced wide in the early stages.

MORALS (A Collett) – Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.

LADY FERNER (L Innes) – Improved into a marginal run approaching the 400 metres to the inside of CHAMPAGNE TILLY which commenced to lay out when placed under pressure.

CHAMPAGNE TILLY (S Spratt) – Lay out when placed under pressure from near the 400 metres. CHAMPAGNE TILLY was briefly crowded when weakening approaching the 100 metres to the outside of MEDINI (R Elliot) which shifted out to obtain clear running. Apprentice R Elliot was advised to exercise care.

FORREEL (M Coleman) – Was briefly held up passing the 300 metres.

Race 4 QUINLAN ELECTRICAL 1580

MERCURY RISING (S McKay) – Began awkwardly shifting out and hampering ITSABIRD.

ITSABIRD (E Farr) – Hampered on jumping away.

KAKAHU STALKER (M Cameron) – Was a little slow to begin.

GOT IT (C Lammas) – Raced ungenerously when being restrained for a distance passing the 1200 metres.

I'LL STAND BY YOU (B Hutton) – Was inconvenienced passing the 500 metres by OUR REDNECK REBEL (L Satherley) which shifted out off the heels of the weakening RHYTHM 'N PLAY. MARSHAL (S Weatherley) then shifted out dictating the weakening RHYTHM 'N PLAY out on to OUR REDNECK REBEL which was hampered and forced out on to I'LL STAND BY YOU which was further hampered. L Satherley and apprentice S Weatherley were both advised to exercise greater care when shifting ground.

MARSHAL (S Weatherley) – Shifted out off heels near the 500 metres.

RHYTHM 'N PLAY (V Gatu) – Dictated out near the 500 metres when weakening.

EL JODI (S Collett) – Was hampered passing the 400 metres when improving on to the heels of the weakening RHYTHM 'N PLAY which gave ground appreciably. Also hampered as a result was READY TO RUMBLE. EL JODI had to steady when crowded to the outside of SHONALI (S Spratt) which lay out near the 200 metres with EL JODI then shifting out making contact with OUR REDNECK REBEL which was hampered when weakening, and shortly after SHONALI shifted out across the heels of GOT IT to obtain clear running hampering EL JODI which had to be steadied. Rider S Spratt was issued with a warning.

REDNECK REBEL (L Satherley) – Inconvenienced near 500 metres, and also hampered 200 metres.

READY TO RUMBLE (A Sims) – Hampered 400 metres.

PICNIC BAY (G Cooksley) – When questioned into the improved performance of PICNIC BAY co-trainer A Peard advised that it was their intention to ride the mare more positively on this occasion.

Race 5	PIC 1580			
SKY IDEA (S Spratt) – Began awkwardly making contact and losing ground.				
WATERBERG (C Grylls) – Shifted out passing the 1400 metres inconveniencing RUBEE.				
RUBEE (S Collet	tt) – Inconvenienced 1400 metres.			

FLYING ON RED (A Schwerin) – Raced wide for the majority of the race.

JESDEMONA (T Thornton) – Awkwardly placed inside heels passing the 250 metres. Shifted out approaching the 100 metres to obtain clear running making brief contact with RUBEE.

VOLTS (S Weatherley) – Shifted out to obtain clear running approaching the 200 metres making contact with WATERBERG which was dictated out slightly.

Race 6	IRWINS TRUCKS & BUSES 1400
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RIO CLARO (M Tanaka) - Slow to begin. Shifted in 900 metres.

CASING THE JOINT (T Thornton) – Was slow to begin. CASING THE JOINT had to be firmly restrained passing the 350 metres when becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of POETIC AFFAIR.

REAL WINNERS (E Farr) – Began awkwardly, and then raced in restricted room shortly after the start to the inside of POETIC AFFAIR which shifted away from DRAGON ROBE.

ACCOLADES (A Jones) – Raced in restricted room shortly after the start and was steadied.

MISS PARETO (M Coleman) – Was steadied approaching the 1300 metres when in restricted room to the outside of PRAIRIE CREEK which lay out.

I PACO (M Cameron) – Had to steady near the 900 metres when crowded to the inside of PRAIRIE CREEK which was taken in by RIO CLARO with I PACO then over-racing for a distance. M Tanaka was issued with a warning.

MYLADYACHIEVER (R Elliot) – Steadied passing the 800 metres dropping back on to BONNY EMILIA which had to be steadied when becoming awkwardly placed on that runner's heels.

BONNY EMILIA (D Johnson) – Steadied when awkwardly placed on heels 800 metres.

SAM'S READY (L Innes) – Was not persevered with over the final 150 metres. Rider L Innes advised Stewards that the gelding was feeling the effects of the firmer track conditions.

DRAGON ROBE (C Lammas) – When questioned into the disappointing performance rider C Lammas advised that the filly was unsuited by today's firm track conditions.

Race 7 MAGNUM INDUSTRIES 1150

Trainer G Old was issued with a warning after presenting LOOKATMEPINS without notified gear (blinkers).

JUD STRUNK (V Gatu) – Was very slow to begin after being fractious in its barrier (5L). Trainer P Coutts was advised a warning would be placed against the gelding's barrier manners.

WAWRINKA (T Thornton) – Slow to begin.

A'LAROSE (A Collett) – Began awkwardly.

LOOKATMEPINS (S Weatherley) – Raced wide without cover.

BALLYCHINE (C Grylls) – BALLYCHINE returned to the enclosure making abnormal breathing noises and co-trainer A Scott advised that the horse would undergo veterinary tests in the following days.

Race 8 FARRELLY CALF REARING 2000

EL SEA GOLDEN (T Miles) – Began awkwardly losing ground. Apprentice rider T Miles was in some difficulty leaving the straight on the first occasion improving quickly to become awkwardly placed inside the heels of MOLLY POND passing the 1400 metres and was hampered. Apprentice rider T Miles was referred to Mr N Harris for further tuition with Mr N Harris managing her acceptance of rides in the near future.

MUELED (L Satherley) – Slow away.

MOLLY POND (A Jones) - Raced in restricted room and was steadied passing the 1600 metres.

KEEN TO KEEPER (C Lammas) – Raced wide without cover. KEEN TO KEEPER was crowded passing the 100 metres to the inside of MOLLY POND which shifted in despite the efforts of its rider.

BUSTER ABBOTT (C Grylls) – Raced in restricted room when weakening passing the 300 metres.

Race 9 TE AWAMUTU COURIER 2000

SIR SAVA (G Cooksley) – Slow away.

LAMASON (V Gatu) – Slow away and then crowded losing ground. Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race. LAMASON shifted out near the 800 metres when becoming awkwardly placed on heels.

SOUTHERN DANCER (A Collett) – Became unbalanced when making contact with SKYLLA near the 1800 metres.

ELEGANT LAD (S Weatherley) – Jumped out mid field and then commenced to race keenly with rider S Weatherley allowing the gelding to improve forward to sit outside the leader passing the 1400 metres. When under pressure had to steady when crowded between SOUTHERN DANCER and TWO GEE'S near the 500 metres.

KEANDRA (C Grylls) – When questioned into the performance of the favourite KEANDRA rider C Grylls advised the mare was feeling the effects of the firmer track conditions and may be holding its breath.