

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

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| Club: | Wellington Racing Club | Date: | Saturday, 27 May 2017 |
| Weather: | Fine | | |
| Track: | Heavy (11) | | |
| Rail: | Out 3 metres | | |
| Stewards: | N Goodwin (Chairman), J Oatham, D Balcombe, B Bateup | | |
| Vet: | E Simpson BVSc and K Grant BVSc | | |
| Typist: | S Shirriffs | | |

SUMMARY:

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| Swabbing: | CALL ME IRISH; STROLLING VAGABOND; DO YA; GYPSY FAIR; DR WATSON; RAM SAM SAM; DOLCETTO; EL BAYARDO. | | |
| Suspensions: | Race | | |
| Protests: | Race | | |
| Fines: | Races | 2&3 | D Hirini TIP THE DANCER and KINI MARIE \$100 [Rule 330(3)(c)] – Overweight |
| | | 8 | H Andrew SANJARA \$300 [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] – Excessive use of whip prior to 200 metres. |
| Warnings: | Race | 1 | H Andrew YAMATO NADESHIKO [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] – Use of whip prior to 200 metres. |
| | | 6 | N Teeluck RAM SAM SAM [Rule 648(5)] – Weighed in 0.75kg overweight. |
| Horse Actions: | Race | | |
| Follow Up: | Race | | |
| Medical Certificates: | | | |
| Rider Changes: | Race | 2 | TIP THE DANCER – K Cowan replaced D Hirini (overweight) |
| | | 3 | KINI MARIE – S MacNab replaced D Hirini |
| Late Scratchings: | Race | 5 | BELLA'S DELIGHT @ 9.40am on veterinary advice. |

GENERAL:

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SUPPLEMENTARY:

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RACE COMMENTS:

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| Race 1 | STEVENS MOTORS PREMIER (1600 metres) |
| STORMY HABIT (C Johnson) – Slow away. | |
| MANDALAY (K Cowan) – Slow away. | |

YAMATO NADESHIKO (H Andrew) - Began awkwardly bumping JUST YOU.

JUST YOU – (L Hemi) - Bumped at start.

MWAADAN (C-M Waddell) – Raced keenly early and middle stages making the bend awkwardly passing the 1000 metres.

CALL ME IRISH (R Goldsbury) – Hung throughout, unable to be ridden out fully in the home straight.

DE GAULLE (S Collett) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

H Andrew (YAMATO NADESHIKO) – Apprentice H Andrew was issued with a warning under Rule 638(3)(b)(ii) in that she was outside the guideline with regard to her use of the whip prior to the 200 metres.

DAL SIR TEE (L Allpress) – Disappointed, finishing well back. When questioned L Allpress said the gelding hung from near the 800 metres and considered something may be amiss with its action. A subsequent veterinary examination revealed mild lameness in the left hind.

Race 2 | **NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE (1400 metres)**

D Hirini - Was unable to make the required weight for TIP THE DANCER and was replaced by K Cowan. Apprentice Hirini was fined \$100 under the minor infringement schedule.

PASABAHCE (R Elliot) – Began awkwardly. Raced three wide without cover from the 1000 metres. When questioned into the disappointing run Apprentice Elliot advised the mare was unsuited to the heavy 11 conditions.

VERACIOUS (R Goldsbury) – Slow away. Had to be steadied on leaving the back straight when awkwardly placed inside the heels of ANGELICA ROX. Held up early in the home straight having to be angled across heels passing the 400 metres to gain clear running.

PERFECT MIX (S Collett) – Slow away. Had to be straightened for some distance in the home straight when inclined to shift in and over the final stages made contact with ANGELICA ROX.

ANGELICA ROX (M Hills) - Inclined to shift out under pressure in the home straight and bumped with PHILIPA CHARLOTTE near the 200 metres.

PHILIPA CHARLOTTE (L Allpress) – Bumped 200 metres.

Race 3 | **VERNON & VAZEY TRUCK PARTS PREMIER (1400 metres)**

D Hirini – Was unable to make the required weight for KINI MARIE and was placed by S MacNab.

WENTWORTH (D Turner) –Slow away. Hampered 1200 metres.

JACKSON ROAD (A Chan) – Raced keenly, making the bend awkwardly passing the 1000 metres.

A Chan (JACKSON ROAD) - Advised to exercise greater care in that he allowed his mount to shift in near the 250 metres when being ridden with vigour resulting in AWESOME AL and MISS HOI POLLOI being severely unbalanced. Stewards took into account the tendency of JACKSON ROAD to shift in when struck with the whip when assessing the degree of carelessness. Also hampered and having to change ground was KINI MARIE.

AWESOME AL (M Singh) - Unbalanced 250 metres.

MISS HOI POLLOI (T Johnson) – Unbalanced 250 metres.

DO YA (H Andrew) – Held up for a short distance near the 300 metres.

M Singh (AWESOME AL) – M Singh was shown footage of his ride and advised that he is expected to exercise greater care after he angled his mount inwards abruptly shortly after the start, resulting in his mount clipping the heel of the runner ahead and blundering badly. Also severely hampered were KINI MARIE and WENTWORTH.

KINI MARIE (S MacNab) – Hampered 1200 metres. Hampered 250 metres.

DOUBLE DOWN (D Bradley) - When questioned into the disappointing run of DOUBLE DOWN, rider R Bradley reported the mare did not handle today's Heavy 11 track conditions.

TAKE THE TRICK (N Teeluck) – Lost the off hind plate during the running.

Race 4 | **IRT NORTH ISLAND CHALLENGE STAKES (1400 metres)**

MR DARCEE'S GOLD (H Andrew) – Began awkwardly.

MEURSALT (S Wynne) - Tightened at the start and got back.

PLATINUM COMMAND (K Cowan) – Lay out under pressure in the home straight.

GYPSY FAIR (A Chan) – Raced keenly in the lead through the early and middle stages.

A Chan (GYPSY FAIR) - Was spoken to by the Stewards regarding his victory salute prior to the finish.

Race 5 | **100% APPLIANCES AGNESS BENROW TRENTHAM GOLD CUP (2100 metres)**

SAMPSON (H Tinsley) - Rider reported that SAMPSON was unsuited to the Heavy 11.

Race 6 | **MILLS REEF WINERY PREMIER (1200 metres)**

MAROTIRI LASS (S Collett) - Began awkwardly then tightened shortly after the start losing approx. 5 lengths.

TALK THE TORQUE (D Hirini) - Raced keenly in the early and middle stages, bumping AGOODDEAL passing the 800 metres.

AGOODDEAL (D Turner) – Bumped 800 metres. Hung outwards across the junction and had to be straightened.

N Teeluck (RAM SAM SAM) – Issued with a warning after weighing in 0.75kg overweight.

D Bradley (DANMULAN) – Rider lost his whip passing the 250 metres.

Race 7 | **THE HANLEY FORMULA AUTUMN SPRINT CHAMPIONSHIP FINAL (1200 metres)**

BUSHFIRE (R Goldsbury) – Began awkwardly.

LEEDS (H Tinsley) – Slow away.

DOLCETTO (S Collett) – Had to change ground inwards passing the 400 metres to obtain clear running.

ANDADO (H Marzuki) – Apprentice H Marzuki advised the gelding had failed to handle today's very testing conditions. A subsequent veterinary examination did not reveal any abnormality.

Race 8**JON SNOW ATC DERBY PREMIER (2100 metres)**

IT'S A WONDER (H Tinsley) – Bounded at the start losing ground (3 lengths). Raced keenly in the early stages so was allowed to roll forward to lead passing the 1400 metres.

SYLVESTER (S Collett) - Raced ungenerously when being restrained in the early stages.

SANJARA (H Andrew) – Rider reported that the mare was not happy in today's Heavy 11 track conditions.

H Andrew (SANJARA) – Admitted a breach of Rule 638(3)(b)(ii) in that she used her whip excessively in the home straight prior to the 200 metres and was fined \$300.