

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Matamata Racing Club	Date:	Wednesday 31 May 2017
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Heavy10		
Rail:	Out 4m		
Stewards:	B Jones (Chairman), A Coles, W Robinson, D Wadley		
Vet:	W Ewen		
Typist:	M Coles		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	LAEKEEPER, AUGUST EDITION, WHOPPER'S, LIQUID INSPIRATION, IRONBARK, SARABANDE, FALKIRK LASS, I'MA SHYGIRL, LEICA WARRIOR.		
Suspensions:	Race 1	A Kuru	MAGNANIMOUS MAN [Rule 649(3)] Weighed in 0.6kg under declared weight. Suspended 5-16/6 inclusive (5 days)
	2	D Prastiy	you SILK [Rule 638(1)(d)] Careless riding 1250 metres Suspended 4-17/6 inclusive (5 days)
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Nil		
Warnings:	Race 3	T Harris	TWEEDLEDEE [Rule 638(1)(d)] Shifting ground passing the 1400 metres
Horse Actions:	Nil		
Follow Up:	Nil		
Medical Certificates:	Received from M McNab Required from E Farr		
Rider Changes:	Race 8	UNUSUAL	ACHIEVER R Elliot replaced E Farr (injured)
Late Scratchings:	Race 6	BONNY EMILIA	@ 9.28 am Veterinary advice
	7	EYE CATCHER	@ 10.03 am Veterinary advice

GENERAL:

SUPPLEMENTARY:

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	FAIRVIEW MOTORS 2000
ACEDECEE (C Studd) – Jumped away awkwardly shifting out making firm contact with HALLAVABOY with that runner becoming unbalanced.	
HALLAVABOY (W Gordon) – Bumped shortly after the start becoming unbalanced.	
OUTSIDER (H McNeill) - Slow to begin.	

WHIORAU (R Cole) - Slow to begin.

MAGNANIMOUS MAN (A Kuru) – Lay in when placed under pressure in the final straight. Following the race rider A Kuru weighed in 0.6kg under his carded weight. A Request for a ruling was filed under Rule 648(3) and after submissions from the Stewards and Rider A Kuru, the judicial committee disqualified MAGNANIMOUS MAN from third placing, with the result now reading 3 LAEKEEPER, 12 FOUR DAY HIGH, 4 SUFFICE TO SAY, 1 OUTSIDER. A Kuru admitted a resultant breach of Rule 649(3) with the Judicial Committee suspending his licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Sunday 4 June up to and including Friday 16 June (5 riding days).

LAEKEEPER (S Phelan) - Was observed to have blood present in the right nostril on returning to the weigh in area and after undergoing a post-race veterinary examination it was observed that the gelding had sustained a minor laceration.

FLASH AS (T Harris) - Rider T Harris advised Stewards that the gelding had failed to handle today's track conditions.

Race 2	NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE
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READY TO ROCK (M Du Plessis) - Slow to begin losing ground.

DETACH (T Harris) - Crowded approaching the 1250 metres having to be steadied.

CLASSIQUE DANCE (S McKay) - Crowded approaching the 1250 metres having to be steadied.

PLUMES VOLANTES (T Wenn) - Crowded approaching the 1250 metres having to be steadied.

SAVVY LADY (M McNab) - Crowded then checked approaching the 1250 metres.

SOUL SERENADE (A Collett) – SAVVY LADY was crowded inward making firm contact with the hindquarters of SOUL SERENADE which became unbalanced near the 1250 metres.

D Prastiyou (SILK) - Admitted a breach of careless riding in that near the 1250 metres he allowed his mount to shift in when not sufficiently clear crowding DETACH, CLASSIQUE DANCE, PLUMES VOLANTES and SAVVY LADY which was checked. Also hampered as a result was SOUL SERENADE. The Judicial Committee suspended Mr D Prastiyou's licence from the conclusion of racing on Saturday 3 June up to and including Saturday 17 June (5 riding days).

Race 3	PGG WRIGHTSON LTD 1600
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BRILLEAUX (J Seivwright) - Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination after rearing over behind the barriers and was passed fit to start.

ALL RAZZLE DAZZLE (A Kuru) - A Kuru advised Stewards that in his opinion the mare had failed to handle today's track conditions.

MAKE ME ACHIEVER (H McNeill) - Jumped away awkwardly.

CATARINA (M McNelis) - Jumped away awkwardly.

BOSTON HAVOC (M Roustoby) - Blundered leaving the barrier losing ground.

RAISEDINASANDPIT (C Kennedy) - Steadied when placed in restricted room near the 1400 metres to the inside of TWEEDLEDEE (T Harris) which shifted in. T Harris was issued with a warning.

WHOPPER'S (R Cole) - Lay in when placed under pressure in the final straight.	
Race 4	FASTTRACK INSURANCE 1200 \$2.5K
<p>MY SMILEY O'REILLY (A Jones) - Began awkwardly.</p> <p>MISS CATHERINE (T Thornton) - Crowded shortly after the start.</p> <p>KAKAHU STALKER (C Lammas) - Crowded shortly after the start having to be steadied. Steadied when placed in restricted room passing the 200 metres when MISS CATHERINE shifted ground outwards. T Thornton was advised to exercise greater care.</p> <p>PATSYS GIRL (S Spratt) - Raced ungenerously in the early stages.</p> <p>COMBAT WARRIOR (C Johnson) - Raced keenly in the early and middle stages.</p> <p>CARAMIA (M McNab) - Raced keenly in the early and middle stages.</p>	
Race 5	ELECTRICO LTD 1200 FASTTRACK \$2.5K
<p>MOET MOLLY (R Elliot) - Crowded at the start.</p> <p>MONICA BELLE (C Lammas) - Crowded at the start losing ground.</p> <p>KEEPI TALL (S McKay) - Commenced to over race when making the bend near the 800 metres having to be firmly restrained.</p>	
Race 6	NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE
<p>PRINCESS RAAJ (R Elliot) - Slow to begin.</p> <p>LOLA JANE (J Nason) –Slow to begin.</p> <p>LIVIN' ON A PRAYER (D Danis) - Apprentice D Danis when questioned regarding the performance, advised that after being caught on the inside, in the worst part of the track, the filly had failed to run on.</p>	
Race 7	BNZ PARTNERS 1400
<p>TAHIKI PRIDE (A Collett) - Slow to begin. A Collett advised Stewards that in her opinion the filly had failed to handle today's existing track conditions.</p> <p>CAPISTRANO RUBY (K McCulloch) - Slow to begin.</p> <p>ROYAL TOUCH (M Cameron) – Raced ungenerously for a distance through the middle stages.</p> <p>DON'T LIE TO ME (M McNab) - Was steadied when awkwardly placed on heels passing the 1200 metres.</p> <p>BELLE TESTA (D Johnson) - Raced greenly throughout.</p>	
Race 8	SLATTERY CONTRACTING LTD 1400
<p>KARAKA RED (T Harris) - Blundered leaving the barrier.</p> <p>UNUSUAL ACHIEVER (R Elliot) - Blundered leaving the barrier. Blundered again near the 1250 metres.</p>	

RED RAVEN (J Nason) – Steadied when placed in restricted room near the 1250 metres to the inside of TUREAUD (D Danis) which shifted ground inwards. Apprentice D Danis was advised to exercise greater care when shifting ground. When questioned into the gelding's performance, apprentice rider J Nason could offer no excuse.

PURSUED (A Collett) - Rider A Collett advised Stewards that after settling back in the field with cover the gelding had switched off and failed to finish the race off. Co-trainer C Gibbs advised Stewards that the stable may consider adding blinkers prior to racing next.

Race 9	MATAMATA TRACTORS & MACHINERY 1600
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DAL QUATTRO (R Jones) - Jumped away awkwardly.

IL ROSSO (A Collett) - Jumped away awkwardly. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed the filly to be mildly lame in the hind quarters.

BROTHER (T Thornton) - Slow to begin.

PALERMITANO (C Grylls) - Rider C Grylls advised Stewards that in his opinion the gelding had failed to handle today's track conditions.