

# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



## MEETING DETAILS:

<b>Club:</b>	Whangarei Racing Club	<b>Date:</b>	Saturday, 16 September 2017
<b>Weather:</b>	Mainly fine with occasional showers		
<b>Track:</b>	Dead 4		
<b>Rail:</b>	True		
<b>Stewards:</b>	M Williamson (Chairman), J Oatham, P Kinsey		
<b>Vet:</b>	S Saint Merat		
<b>Typist:</b>	M Gemmell		

## SUMMARY:

<b>Swabbing:</b>	CHARLIE FARLEY, INANNA, KAHARAU, ROCANIC, RONCHI, PROM QUEEN, AIM SMART, BEYOND DISPUTE, HE'S CAVALIER		
<b>Suspensions:</b>	Nil		
<b>Protests:</b>	Nil		
<b>Fines:</b>	<b>Race</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>L Innes</b> MISS GEE BEE Unable to make contracted weight [Rule 330(3)(c)] Fined \$100.00
	<b>Race</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>J Parkes</b> HIFLYER Whip use prior to 100 metres [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] Fined \$300.00
	<b>Race</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>J Fawcett</b> KAHARAU Shifting ground 350 metres [638(1)(d)]
<b>Warnings:</b>		<b>2</b>	<b>A Collett</b> OHCEEDEE Whip use final straight [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)]
<b>Horse Actions:</b>	Nil		
<b>Follow Up:</b>	<b>Race</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>THE MATRIX</b>
	<b>Race</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>COSMIC STORM</b>
	<b>Race</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>AFFOGATO</b>
<b>Medical Certificates:</b>	Nil		
<b>Rider Changes:</b>	<b>Race</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>MISS GEE BEE</b> S Weatherley replaced L Innes (overweight)
<b>Late Scratchings:</b>	Nil		

## GENERAL:

Nil
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## SUPPLEMENTARY:

Nil
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## RACE COMMENTS:

<b>Race 1</b>	<b>Lion Red (1400 metres)</b>
<b>BRIGHTON</b> (M McNab) – Slow away.	
<b>ROCKABYEBABY</b> (A Collet) – When questioned regarding the performance A Collett advised that the tempo of the race had not suited after the mare had settled back in the field.	

<b>SPIDER</b> (T Thornton) – Lost the near hind plate during the running.	
<b>Race 2</b>	<b>Happy Retirement Keith Detman (1400 metres)</b>
<p><b>L Innes</b> – Unable to make the contracted weight for MISS GEE BEE and was fined \$100.00 under the Minor Infringement Schedule. L Innes was replaced by S Weatherley as there was no other suitable senior rider available.</p> <p><b>MONGOLIANCONQUEROR</b> (O Bosson) – Jumped away awkwardly before being further hampered by KONSTANTINA which shifted outwards when leaving the barriers when jumping away awkwardly. When questioned regarding the performance, O Bosson advised that after a poor beginning the gelding had failed to recover and would benefit from the experience.</p> <p><b>KONSTANTINA</b> (M Cameron) – Jumped away awkwardly.</p> <p><b>VERBAL COMMAND</b> (M McNab) – Jumped away awkwardly.</p> <p><b>MISS GEE BEE</b> (S Weatherley) – Slow away.</p> <p><b>OHCEEDEE</b> (A Collett) – Raced three wide without cover.</p> <p><b>THE MATRIX</b> (M Du Plessis) – When questioned regarding the performance M Du Plessis advised that the colt had been a beaten runner prior to the final straight and had been disappointing. A post-race veterinary inspection did not reveal any obvious abnormality. Trainer Mr J Collett advised he will be giving consideration to applying blinkers and also considering the possibility of gelding the colt.</p> <p><b>A Collett</b> (OHCEEDEE) – Reprimanded by Stewards regarding her whip use in the final straight and further advised that a warning would be placed on her record.</p>	
<b>Race 3</b>	<b>Celebrating 40 Years Patrons Cup (2100 metres)</b>
<p><b>COSMIC STORM</b> (M Du Plessis) – Jumped away awkwardly unbalancing its rider. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages. Commenced to give ground passing the 500 metres and was not persevered with from near the 200 metres undergoing a veterinary inspection which found the mare to be mildly lame in the right fore leg.</p> <p><b>SMEDLEY</b> (J Nason) – Raced three wide without cover around the first bend before improving forward to sit outside the leader near the 1300 metres.</p> <p><b>KAHARAU</b> (J Fawcett) – Held up rounding the final turn obtaining clear running near the 350 metres and then shifted out under pressure making heavy contact with ZAFRENZY with both horses becoming unbalanced. <b>J Fawcett</b> was reprimanded by Stewards and further advised a warning would be placed on her record.</p> <p><b>ZAFRENZY</b> (H Marzuki) – Contacted and unbalanced passing the 300 metres.</p>	
<b>Race 4</b>	<b>Gibbons Contractors Limited (2100 metres)</b>
<p><b>FORT STREET DANCER</b> (S McKay) – Jumped away awkwardly. Briefly crowded 500 metres and then hampered approaching the 400 metres between MASTER GENIE which lay in when making the bend, and then ROCANIC which shifted out slightly. FORT STREET DANCER then shifted in abruptly passing the 300 metres when placed under pressure dictating BEAUFIGHTER slightly wider on the track.</p> <p><b>BEAUFIGHTER</b> (M Du Plessis) – Dictated out 300 metres.</p> <p><b>FREEWHEELER</b> (C Dell) – Ran wide going into the first turn near the 1700 metres taking AFFOGATO and NOTHING TRIVIAL over extra ground. Crowded and hampered when weakening passing the 500 metres to the outside of FORT STREET DANCER which was also briefly crowded between MASTER GENIE and ROCANIC.</p>	

**AFFOGATO** (M McNab) – Forced over extra ground going into the first turn near the 1700 metres and then raced wide without cover until giving ground from the 700 metres and then not being persevered with in the final straight. A post-race veterinary inspection could find no obvious abnormality.

**NOTHING TRIVIAL** (T Thornton) – Forced over extra ground going into the first turn near the 1700 metres.

**ROCANIC** (A Schwerin) – When spoken to regarding the mare's upset win, Apprentice A Schwerin advised that ROCANIC had raced well without receiving much luck in its previous start and although not expecting the horse to win was confident of a good performance.

**A Schwerin** (ROCANIC) – Spoken to regarding her whip use in the final straight.

<b>Race 5</b>	<b>New Zealand Bloodstock Finance (1200 metres)</b>
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**BIGGIN HILL** (A Collett) – Steadied when improving on to the heels of PEPPER MILL passing the 800 metres, held up passing the 400 metres before obtaining clear running approaching the 200 metres.

**J Parkes** (HIFLYER) – Fined \$300 by the Judicial Committee after admitting a charge that he used his whip excessively prior to the 100 metres.

<b>Race 6</b>	<b>Tavistock Northland Breeders Stakes (1200 metres)</b>
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**RAKAU WHEREO** (J Waddell) – Jumped away awkwardly from the outside barrier stall losing ground. Raced fiercely having to be heavily restrained to avoid heels for a distance passing the 1000 metres. Raced wide throughout. Lay out and hampered when becoming awkwardly placed on heels passing the 200 metres.

**FELTON ROAD** (L Innes) – Jumped away awkwardly losing ground. Made brief contact with RAKAU WHEREO approaching the 300 metres when looking to obtain clear running with RAKAU WHEREO then racing ungenerously and laying out becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of BOMBARD near the 200 metres.

**BOMBARD** (S Spratt) – Jumped away awkwardly shifting inwards hampering AIM SMART. Commenced to over-race badly shortly after the start continuing to do so through the middle stages becoming awkwardly placed on heels approaching the 600 metres having to be further restrained. Shifted out passing the 400 metres to obtain clear running.

**AIM SMART** (V Colgan) – Hampered at start.

**NOT USUAL HEART** (T Thornton) – Blundered shortly after leaving the barriers.

**DASHPER** (M Du Plessis) – Jumped away awkwardly and raced ungenerously when being restrained in the early stages getting its head up.

**GLOBAL THINKING** (S Weatherley) – Raced wide without cover.

<b>Race 7</b>	<b>Kensington Tavern (1200 metres)</b>
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**LOWRIDER** (C Dell) – Made the bend near the 850 metres awkwardly.

**ACRYLIC** (J Waddell) – Made the bend near the 850 metres awkwardly.

**SHERPA** (M Hills) – Steadied when awkwardly placed near heels approaching the 800 metres.

**GETALONGHOME CINDY** (R Elliot) – Raced three wide without cover.

**G Cooksley** (COURTMASTER) – Reminded of his obligations in that he must ride his mounts out fully to the end of the race when circumstances permit him to do so.

**J Nason** (MARISSA) – Reminded of his obligations in that he must ride his mounts out fully to the end of the race when circumstances permit him to do so.

<b>Race 8</b>	<b>Christmas at the Races 19 December (1600 metres)</b>
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**I SEE RED** (S Weatherley) – Raced in restricted room for a distance from near the 1400 metres when trying to maintain a position to the inside of HE’S CAVALIER with I SEE RED making contact with FLOATING HEART which raced in restricted room briefly with I SEE RED then being steadied and shifting out making contact with CREATIVE GENIUS which was laying in and away from MONGOLIAN LEGEND. MONGOLIAN LEGEND then lay in further crowding CREATIVE GENIUS which was steadied shifting back on to I SEE RED which was checked losing ground. Apprentice Rider S Weatherley was reprimanded and advised that in the view of Stewards he had made an error of judgement in trying to maintain his position when he had effectively been crossed by HE’S CAVALIER.

**FLOATING HEART** (V Colgan) – Raced in restricted room 1300 metres. Shifted out to obtain clear running passing the 350 metres making contact with CREATIVE GENIUS which became briefly unbalanced. V Colgan was advised to exercise care in a similar circumstance.

**CREATIVE GENIUS** (A Collett) – Raced wide without cover throughout. Crowded then steadied 1300 metres.