



## STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

### MEETING DETAILS:

<b>Club:</b>	Wellington Racing Club	<b>Date:</b>	Saturday, 28 October 2017
<b>Weather:</b>	Fine		
<b>Track:</b>	Dead (4)		
<b>Rail:</b>	Out 5 metres in back straight, remainder True		
<b>Stewards:</b>	N Goodwin (Chairman), D Balcombe, G Whiterod		
<b>Vet:</b>	E Simpson, BVSc; P Hendron, BVetMed.		
<b>Typist:</b>	S Shirriffs		

### SUMMARY:

<b>Swabbing:</b>	PLATINUM VOLOS; FERRANDO; SIR NATE; KING LOUIS; LOVETOKEEPHIM; ITSALLBELT; JESSIEGEE; HIFLYER; AMARULA; EMBELLISH.		
<b>Suspensions:</b>	Nil		
<b>Protests:</b>	Nil		
<b>Fines:</b>	Nil		
<b>Warnings:</b>	<b>Race</b>	<b>2</b>	DANCING FLAMES – barrier manners.
		<b>3</b>	M Tanaka (SIR NATE) – Rule 638(3)(b)(ii) – Whip use prior to 100 metres.
<b>Horse Actions:</b>	<b>Race</b>	<b>2</b>	PADDY BOURKE bled. Unable to be in training for 2 months and unable to trial or race for 3 months. Vet clearance required prior to racing or trialling next.
<b>Follow Up:</b>	<b>Race</b>	<b>6</b>	MALFARIOUS
		<b>7</b>	BEAUMARCHAIS
<b>Medical Certificates:</b>			
<b>Rider Changes:</b>	Nil		
<b>Late Scratchings:</b>	Nil		

### GENERAL:

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### SUPPLEMENTARY:

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### RACE COMMENTS:

<b>Race 1</b>	<b>NZTBA WELLINGTON BRANCH GUINEAS TRIAL (1200 metres)</b>
<b>DREAMS OF PLATINUM</b> (M Singh) – Began awkwardly bumping OTTAVIO.	
<b>OTTAVIO</b> (S McKay) – Bumped at start.	
<b>LUBAYA</b> (R Myers) – Ran up on to heels near the 150 metres when attempting a marginal run between OTTAVIO and DREAMS OF PLATINUM and had to be firmly restrained, going to the line without being fully tested.	

**DIVINE POWER** (H Andrew) - Lay in passing the 200 metres bumping VEUVE CLICQUOT.

**LA TURQUE** (D Johnson) – Shifted out passing the 200 metres bumping VEUVE CLICQUOT.

**VEUVE CLICQUOT** (L Hemi) – Tightened and bumped when runners either side shifted ground passing the 200 metres.

**T Johnson** (MALAMBO) was spoken to regarding his use of the whip in the home straight.

**Race 2** | **GREENMAN PUB PREMIER (1200 metres)**

**PADDY BOURKE** (T Johnson) – Awkwardly away, settling back. Returned to the enclosure with blood present in the nasal area. After undergoing a veterinary inspection, the gelding was confirmed to have bled. PADDY BOURKE is now unable to be in training for two months and is unable to trial or race for three months with a veterinary clearance required prior to racing or trialling next.

**DANCING FLAMES** (H Andrew) – Connections were advised that a warning has been placed on the gelding’s barrier manners after proving difficult to load.

**FLAMINGO** (D Johnson) - When questioned into performance of the mare D Johnson could offer no excuse.

**OVERTHERIVER** (S MacNab) – Put in a misstep and briefly went off stride passing the 200 metres.

**Race 3** | **ANUKA SMOKER WELLESLEY STAKES (1000 metres)**

**KING LOUIS** (D Turner) – Slow away.

**KARAKA KID** (R Myers) – Slow away.

**QUEEN OF THE AIR** (D Johnson) – Raced keenly in the middle stages. Rider reported the filly had felt indifferent in its action over the final stages. A subsequent veterinary examination revealed abrasions to the right hind hock consistent with being galloped on.

**WYETTA** (D Bradley) – Had to be restrained when attempting a marginal run to the inside of GOT THE CALL passing the 250 metres.

**M Tanaka** (SIR NATE) – Was issued with a warning under Rule 638(3)(b)(ii) regarding the use of his whip in the home straight.

**Race 4** | **HAPPY RETIREMENT GRANT SEARLE PREMIER (2200 metres)**

**AL MUNROE** (T Johnson) – Slow away. Momentarily hampered near the 450 metres when ASH PALACE (H Andrew) was shifted wide to improve. H Andrew was advised to exercise more care when shifting ground.

**ANGELICA ROX** (R Myers) – Raced keenly in the early stages.

**MISS DEJAVU** (L Hemi) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

**PATRICIA ANNE** (D Johnson) – Had to be restrained approaching the 1600 metres when racing in tight quarters. D Johnson confirmed the mare raced ungenerously throughout. Lost the near side front plate during the running.

**YAMATO NADESHIKO** (T Allan) - Raced keenly in the middle stages.

**SOLESEIFEI** (J Parkes) - Held up for a short distance near the 600 metres.

<b>Race 5</b>	<b>HANLEY FORMULA PREMIER (2400 metres)</b>
<p><b>STORMY HABIT</b> (S MacNab) - Slow away.</p> <p><b>TICKET CLIPPER</b> (R Myers) – Raced very keenly in the early and middle stages, so was allowed to roll forward near the 1100 metres.</p> <p><b>CLARIFY</b> (S McKay) – Held up for some distance passing the 800 metres gaining clear running inside the 400 metres.</p>	
<b>Race 6</b>	<b>RURAL TRADING POST PREMIER (1600 metres)</b>
<p><b>VERACIOUS</b> (M McNelis) – Slow away.</p> <p><b>CLASSIC TOUCH</b> (L Hemi) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.</p> <p><b>RAYAS</b> (A Chan) - Raced ungenerously in the early stages when being restrained, bumping <b>PROFILE</b> passing the 1200 metres, which over-raced for a short distance.</p> <p><b>PROFILE</b> (K Cowan) – Bumped passing 1200 metres, then over-raced for a short distance.</p> <p><b>OPHELIA LEE</b> (S McKay) - Held up approaching the 250 metres, going to the line untested.</p> <p><b>MALFARIOUS</b> (O Bosson) - When questioned into the disappointing run of <b>MALFARIOUS</b>, rider said the gelding pulled up in a normal post-race condition and he had no excuse.</p>	
<b>Race 7</b>	<b>GRANT PLUMBING THOMPSON HANDICAP (1600 metres)</b>
<p><b>BEAUMARCHAIS</b> (D Johnson) – Underwent a veterinary examination prior to start and was cleared to race after making contact with a fence on the way to the start. The nasal strip became detached immediately prior to the start and could not be replaced. When questioned, rider D Johnson said the gelding was disappointing and she had no tangible excuse. A subsequent veterinary examination failed to reveal any abnormality. Co-Trainer S Autridge advised the gelding’s future would be re-assessed and he would report the progress of <b>BEAUMARCHAIS</b> over coming days.</p> <p><b>BENZINI</b> (R Myers) - Tightened shortly after the start bumping <b>NASHVILLE</b> when <b>BIG DREAMER</b> jumped outwards dictating <b>SERGEANT BLAST</b></p> <p><b>BIG DREAMER</b> (M Tanaka) – jumped outwards at start.</p> <p><b>RINGO</b> (O Bosson) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.</p> <p><b>NASHVILLE</b> (K Cowan) – Bumped at start. Raced keenly in the early stages</p> <p><b>SERGEANT BLAST</b> (D Bradley) – Dictated at start. Raced keenly in the early stages.</p> <p><b>ROSEWOOD</b> (A Chan) - Was obliged to improve very wide on the track rounding the turn.</p> <p><b>K Cowan</b> (<b>NASHVILLE</b>) – Was spoken to regarding the use of her whip in the home straight.</p>	
<b>Race 8</b>	<b>HIREMASTER PREMIER (1400 metres)</b>
<p><b>DA JIN SHAN</b> (J Parkes) – Awkwardly away settling back. When questioned into the disappointing performance, J Parkes was of the opinion the gelding may be better suited to more rain-affected going.</p>	

**MONIE O'CEIRIN** (S MacNab) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

**KEEP IT SAVVY** (M Tanaka) – When questioned into the performance M Tanaka advised the gelding may appreciate more rain-affected going.