

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Whangarei Racing Club	Date:	Saturday, 6 January 2018
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Dead 5, upgraded to Dead 4 retrospective Race 1		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	M Williamson (Chairman), A Coles, P Kinsey		
Vet:	N Houston		
Stenographer:	M Gemmell		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	BRUCE ARTHUR, FIRENZE, TAVLIN, ACTRESSA, HATTON GARDEN, ROMANCER, RICHIE MCHORSE		
Suspensions:	Race 6	M Cameron	JAKE THE MUSS [Rule 638(1)(d)] Careless riding 1100 metres - Suspended 7-14/1 inclusive, 5 days
	8	M Vance	WINKLE DANCER [Rule 638(1)(d)] Careless riding 1100 metres - Suspended 7-13/1 inclusive, 4 days
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Race 1	S Cole	BEYOND DISPUTE [Rule 614(2)] Fined \$200 - Neglectful in saddling
Warnings:	Race 6	G D & B Rogerson	DATE NIGHT [Rule 614(2)] Neglectful in saddling
Horse Actions:	Race 1	SIMPLY CLASSIC	warning, barrier manners
	2	MAKFACTOR	humanely euthanased
	5	AMA DOLCE	warning, racing manners
	5	INDULGENT	required to barrier trial prior to racing again
	6	TOORAK TOWER	required to barrier trial prior to racing again
Follow Up:	Race 5	BITS AND PIECES	
Medical Certificates:	Nil		
Rider Changes:	Nil		
Late Scratchings:	Race 6	TOORAK TOWER	refusing to enter barriers, 3.32pm

GENERAL:

Nil

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Nil

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	Fell Engineering (1200 metres)
<p>Trainer S Cole admitted a breach in that he was neglectful in saddling his runner BEYOND DISPUTE with the incorrect saddle with the Judicial Committee imposing a fine of \$200.</p> <p>SIMPLY CLASSIC (A Jones) – Proved difficult in the Parade Ring dislodging its rider. Received farrier attention at the barriers after twisting a hind plate which could not be re-fitted. Stewards advised Trainer C Mortimer that a warning would be placed against the mare for its fractious behavior both prior to the race and in the barriers. Steadied off heels passing the 600 metres. Steadied over the concluding stages when improving on to heels.</p> <p>BEYOND DISPUTE (L Innes) – Began awkwardly losing ground.</p> <p>MELODY CELEBRE (C Dell) – Began awkwardly losing ground.</p> <p>MAGIC OF THE SUN (A Schwerin) – Commenced to over-race near the 900 metres running wide.</p>	
Race 2	Lindauer (2100 metres)
<p>MAKFACTOR (A Jones) - Slow away. Raced wide without cover throughout. Eased down by its rider soon after entering the final straight and was found to have fractured the near fore leg and was humanely euthanased.</p> <p>SUAVE PRINCESS (R Scott) – Crowded leaving the barriers losing ground.</p> <p>MYGIGI (M Coleman) – Steadied off the heels of LIL' ROKA (S Spratt) which shifted in passing the 1700 metres when not fully clear. S Spratt was advised that she must exercise greater care when shifting ground. MYGIGI became awkwardly placed on heels when the pace steadied passing the 1600 metres.</p> <p>RIPINHET (T Thornton) – Became awkwardly placed on heels when the pace steadied passing the 1600 metres. Held up entering the final straight obtaining clear running near the 300 metres.</p> <p>L Satherley – Reminded of her obligations in that she must not slow the pace to a degree where it places riders in difficulty behind her with Stewards taking into account the racing manners of PISTOL PETE.</p> <p>MARC ONE (M Vance) – Became awkwardly placed on heels when the pace steadied passing the 1600 metres. Shifted out abruptly passing the 300 metres to avoid MAKFACTOR. Rider M Vance reported that the gelding had hung for the majority of the race.</p> <p>LIL'ROKA (S Spratt) – Held up rounding the final turn until near the 300 metres.</p> <p>RAISE THE PHANTOM (J Nason) – Held up when making the final turn and had some difficulty obtaining clear running for a distance approaching the 100 metres.</p>	
Race 3	Remembering Ila Johnson (Grandma J) (1600 metres)
<p>ANAHERA LASS (T Thornton) – Began awkwardly and was crowded shortly after losing ground. Over-raced when being restrained in the early to middle stages.</p> <p>BUFFIT (A Schwerin) – Began awkwardly and then steadied shortly after when becoming awkwardly placed on heels.</p> <p>PIERIAN SPRING (M Vance) – Slow to begin.</p> <p>JUSTAMAIZ (M Coleman) – Briefly steadied passing the 1400 metres when crowded to the inside of TAVLIN which shifted in and away from MIGHTY COLOMBO.</p>	

LOUISIANA (S Spratt) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

ALL TRUMPED UP (U Holmquist) – Dipped approaching the 700 metres and then became awkwardly placed on heels.

ONEZEROFIVE (R Scott) – Had to steady when in restricted room approaching the 500 metres.

TAVLIN (M Cameron) – Held up rounding the final turn and shifted out approaching the 300 metres making contact with SACRED PARTY which was inconvenienced and forced out slightly making brief contact with SIRVOLK. M Cameron was advised to exercise care in a similar circumstance.

SACRED PARTY (L Innes) – Inconvenienced 300 metres and forced wider.

Race 4	Best Wishes Donna & Peter
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IN VINO VERITAS (A Jones) – Crowded shortly after jumping away losing ground. Inclined to lay in under pressure in the final straight and had to shift out to obtain clear running approaching the 100 metres.

TOITOI (M Coleman) – Began awkwardly.

NORTHCOTE (S Spratt) – Hampered leaving the barrier losing ground. Raced wide for the majority of the race. When questioned regarding the performance S Spratt advised that after being caught wide the gelding had raced greenly and may benefit from the experience.

EACH WAY (G Cooksley) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

PEACEFUL FALLS (J Nason) – Became awkwardly placed inside the heels of MADURO approaching the 1000 metres and commenced to over-race when MADURO eased, BUCKY which was following PEACEFUL FALLS then commenced to race fiercely improving inside the heels of PEACEFUL FALLS and crowded O’SUGAR which made contact with the running rail. PEACEFUL FALLS then raced wide without cover.

BUCKY (T Thornton) – Over-raced in the early stages and then commenced to race fiercely when the pace eased passing the 1000 metres.

O’SUGAR (A Schwerin) – Crowded passing the 900 metres.

M Cameron was advised that he must not ease the pace where it places riders in difficulty behind him with Stewards taking into account the racing manners of PEACEFUL FALLS and BUCKY.

Race 5	NZB Insurance Pearl Series
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INDULGENT (T Thornton) – Refused to leave the barriers taking no effective part in the race. Trainer D Rogerson was advised that the mare will be required to barrier trial to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to racing again.

SHADZE OF BLUE (G Cooksley) – Lay in and away from HATTON GARDEN making contact with TAV IT UP which made contact with BITS AND PIECES which commenced to lay out with all three runners jostling for several strides passing the 1100 metres. Inconvenienced passing the 75 metres when laying in across the heels of O’SAM. Following the race G Cooksley reported that the saddle had shifted on SHADZE OF BLUE which had placed him at a disadvantage.

TAV IT UP (A Jones) – Contacted 1100 metres and jostled for a distance. Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.

BITS AND PIECES (M Coleman) – Contacted 1100 metres and jostled for a distance. When questioned regarding the performance M Coleman could offer no tangible excuse with BITS AND PIECES undergoing a veterinary examination which could find no obvious abnormalities.

AMA DOLCE (C Dell) – Commenced to hang out approaching the 800 metres and ran wide making the final bend. Trainer P Bell was advised that a warning would be placed against the fillies racing manners.

Race 6 | **Catapult Partners Chartered Accountants (1400 metres)**

Co-trainer **D Rogerson** was issued with a warning after saddling DATE NIGHT with the incorrect saddle cloth.

TOORAK TOWER (L Innes) – Was late scratched at 3.32pm after refusing to enter the barriers with the connections being advised that the gelding will be required to barrier trial to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to racing again.

ROMANCER (J Nason) – Raced keenly when being restrained in the early stages.

JAKE THE MUSS (M Cameron) – Shifted out to obtain clear running 300 metres making contact.

DATE NIGHT (L Satherley) – Checked passing the 300 metres when crowded by JAKE THE MUSS (M Cameron) which had shifted out when improving on to the heels of BLUEWAGON which had shifted out when weakening.

M Cameron – Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he allowed JAKE THE MUSS to shift out near the 300 metres when insufficiently clear of DATE NIGHT which was checked with the Judicial Committee suspending M Cameron's license to ride in races from the conclusion of racing today up to and including racing on 14 January, 5 national riding days.

Race 7 | **The Whangaripo Valley Free Range Egg Cup (1600 metres)**

LADY ROSEANNE (L Satherley) – Began awkwardly shifting in hampering MAJOR TOM.

MAJOR TOM (T Thornton) – Hampered leaving the barriers losing ground.

RICHIE MCHORSE (M Cameron) – Slow away.

TIME LORD (M Coleman) – Began awkwardly and then was hampered.

Race 8 | **Trigg Construction (1400 metres)**

IRONSIDE (A Jones) – Began awkwardly shifting out making contact and losing ground.

VIVA LA BURGUNDY (U Holmquist) – Checked passing the 1100 metres and lost ground when crowded by MAZIKEEN who was dictated inwards by WINKLE DANCER (M Vance). Shifted out abruptly passing the 700 metres when becoming awkwardly placed on heels.

M Vance - Admitted a resultant breach of careless riding in that she allowed WINKLE DANCER to shift in near the 1100 metres when not sufficiently clear of MAZIKEEN who was dictated into the line of VIVA LA BURGUNDY which was checked with the Judicial Committee suspending her license to ride in races from the conclusion of racing today up to and including racing on 13 January, 4 national riding days.

CONCLUSION (S Spratt) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

MEMPHIS STAR (T Thornton) – Raced keenly in the early to middle stages.

MAZIKEEN (C Dell) – Had to change ground passing the 250 metres when becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of WILSON which shifted out slightly under pressure.