

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Wairoa Racing Club	Date:	Sunday, 25 February 2018
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Good (3)		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	B Jones (Chairman), J Oatham, W Robinson		
Vet:	M Newall		
Typist:	Stewards		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	SMILING ASSASSIN, KATIEM MARIE, REMINGTON, TUIGOLD, CUTTING UP ROUGH, ROLL THE GOLD, WAIT A SEC, SLEEK SECRET		
Suspensions:	Nil		
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Nil		
Warnings:	Race	7	M Tanaka TOMMYRA Shifting ground 350 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
Horse Actions:	Race	3	MATT CAIN – Veterinary certificate of fitness required (tendon injury)
Follow Up:	Race	1	ELOQUENCE
Medical Certificates:	Required from R Elliot		
Rider Changes:	Race	1	LAVISH – S McKay for R Elliot (unwell)
		2	SWEET TREAT – S Weatherley for R Elliot
		3	WINNER TAKES ALL – J Parkes for R Elliot
		4	SOKITOME – Z Moki for R Elliot
		5	ISLAND BAY – A Collett for R Elliot
		6	SWISS EIRE – S McKay for R Elliot
Late Scratchings:	Race	5	FLOURISHING – 2.52pm after escaping riderless from the barriers
		8	PESO – 1.26pm on veterinary advice

GENERAL:

R Elliot advised that he was unwell and would not be attending the meeting with a medical clearance now required prior to riding next.	
S Weatherley who was the replacement rider for REAL BEACH in Race 2 was incorrectly entered into the TAB system with a 2kg apprentice claim when he is a non-claiming apprentice.	

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	ADAMS ENGINEERING STAYERS
XPECTHEUNXPECTED (M Tanaka) – Slow away.	
BARE WITH (S MacNab) – Slow away, held up near the 200 metres until shifting outwards across heels to obtain clear running near the 75 metres.	
SHEZALLPOWER (A Collett) – Raced greenly when being restrained in the early stages, when questioned regarding performance rider advised that the filly had raced very greenly but could otherwise offer no excuse. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the filly to be mildly lame having suffered an abrasion to the right hind leg consistent with having been galloped on during the running.	

LAVISH (S McKay) – Raced wide without cover, when questioned regarding his riding tactics S McKay advised that his instructions had been to ride the filly in a forward position but despite his urgings it had been unable to do so and he had then been left wide without cover.

ELOQUENCE (S Collett) – When questioned regarding performance rider was unable to offer any tangible excuse with a post-race veterinary inspection finding the mare to have an elevated heart rate with a poor post-race recovery.

Race 2	KIWI TRANSPORT 2100
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EN SUITE (S MacNab) – Made the first turn near the 1900 metres awkwardly when laying out and racing keenly, then continued to over-race also making the bend near the 1600 metres awkwardly.

SWEET TREAT (S Weatherley) – Raced wide until improving forward to sit outside the leader near the 1200 metres.

COMMANDER (C Johnson) – Lay out when struck with the whip becoming awkwardly placed near the heels of REAL BEACH just short of the finish.

Race 3	WAIROA STAR SPRINT
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BLUSTEEL (Z Moki) – Over-raced in the early and middle stages getting its head up for a distance when being restrained to avoid heels near the 500 metres, inconvenienced 100 metres.

SHA TIN SUNDAY (S McKay) – Over-raced when being restrained passing the 1000 metres.

LA ROCCETTA (J Fawcett) – Hung outwards throughout making the turn near the 750 metres awkwardly then again making the final turn awkwardly, shifted outwards under pressure in the final straight with MADAM MAKFI shifting away from that runner inconveniencing BLUSTEEL near the 100 metres. Apprentice J Fawcett was advised that she must make a greater attempt to maintain a straight line of running.

MADAM MAKFI (A Jones) – Raced wide without cover.

DELAROSA (S Collett) – Steadied when placed in restricted room to the outside LA ROCCETTA which was laying out rounding the bend near the 350 metres with DELAROSA then making the final turn awkwardly laying out across the heels of REMINGTON.

MATT CAIN (M Tanaka) – Required veterinary treatment following the race after suffering a rupture of the superficial flexor tendon in the right foreleg. A veterinary certificate of fitness is now required prior to MATT CAIN racing or trialing again.

Race 4	VETENT 1450
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JEZIBABA (M Tanaka) – Slow away.

BAHAMAS (A Collett) – Slow away.

TUFF GIRL (C Johnson) – Raced three wide without cover.

IMNOTSURE (A Jones) – Raced four wide without cover.

SOKITOME (Z Moki) – Bumped on two occasions passing the 200 metres when TUIGOLD shifted outwards slightly to obtain clear running.

AMEN CORNER (J Fawcett) – Held up rounding the final turn and was unable to obtain clear running throughout the final straight.	
Race 5	BROKERWEB RISK SERVICES (HAWKE'S BAY) 1400
<p>FLOURISHING (R Myers) – Broke through the front of the barriers after becoming fractious and escaped riderless being declared a late scratching at 2.52pm. The start of the race was delayed by 7 minutes due to FLOURISHING taking some time to be re-captured and returned to the stabling area.</p> <p>ST REGIS (S Collett) – Raced three wide without cover.</p> <p>GLENGOYNE (S McKay) – Hampered passing the 100 metres when runners to either side shifted ground.</p>	
Race 6	BAY FORD/FRASERTOWN TAVERN 1400
<p>This race ran 6 minutes late following the delay in Race 5 along with several runners proving difficult to load.</p> <p>SIREN CALL (R Myers) – Jumped away awkwardly losing ground, raced in restricted room between POWER BALL and ROLL THE GOLD passing the 100 metres when both those runners shifted ground.</p> <p>EXONERATE (J Parkes) – Raced three wide without cover.</p> <p>EM KAY POPS (A Jones) – Raced wide from the 800 metres.</p> <p>UNFAZED (A Collett) – Badly held up rounding the final turn and in the straight until near the 50 metres.</p> <p>CHOUXPERB (S Collett) – Had difficulty obtaining clear running for the majority of the final straight.</p>	
Race 7	AFFCO NZ LTD WAIROA CUP
<p>WAIT A SEC (J Parkes) – Slow away, shifted outwards to improve near the 750 metres forcing CHIC over extra ground.</p> <p>SACRE COEUR (J Fawcett) – Raced three wide without cover.</p> <p>CHIC (S MacNab) – Forced over extra ground 750 metres.</p> <p>CAN YOU HEAR ME (A Collett) – Briefly steadied when SAINT KITT (T Allan) improved to its outside and shifted inwards when not fully clear near the 450 metres. T Allan was advised to exercise greater care. When weakening had to be steadied to avoid the heels of TOMMYRA which shifted outwards to improve near the 350 metres when not fully clear.</p> <p>M Tanaka – Issued with a warning after permitting his mount TOMMYRA to shift outwards near the 350 metres when not fully clear of the weakening CAN YOU HEAR ME which had to be steadied near the 350 metres.</p> <p>STORMY HABIT (A Jones) – Held up near the 350 metres then again held up passing the 200 metres.</p>	
Race 8	WAIROA EXPATS 1500
<p>PESO – Declared a late scratching on veterinary advice at 1.26pm after injuring itself on course.</p> <p>BOYSWAY (S MacNab) – Slow away.</p> <p>HANDFULL (M McNelis) – Raced three wide without cover, bumped with PASABAHCE approaching the 150 metres.</p> <p>PASABAHCE (C Johnson) – Bumped with HANDFULL approaching the 150 metres.</p>	

Z Moki – Spoken to regarding her whip use prior to the 100 metres.