

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Waikato Racing Club	Date:	Saturday 7 July 2018
Weather:	Overcast		
Track:	Slow(7)		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	J Oatham (Chairman), A Coles, B Jones, W Robinson		
Vet:	K Rooney & S Christophers		
Typist:	C Shaw		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	AMBITIOUS WINNER, CYBER ATTACK, DOUGIE, PASABAHCE, SHOCKWAVE, IGRAINE, STORMING THE TOWER, VITTACHI		
Suspensions:	Nil		
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Nil		
Warnings:	Race	6	C Johnson (INDIAN MAID) Shifting ground 250 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
		7	S Spratt (JOCHEN RINDT) Shifting ground 1800 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
Horse Actions:	Nil		
Follow Up:	Race	3	Roc De Bank
		6	Raposa Rapida
		8	Replica
Medical Certificates:	Nil		
Rider Changes:	Nil		
Late Scratchings:	Nil		

GENERAL:

No issues to report.

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Racing Te Aroha - Friday 6 July 2018
Race 2 -Patron Paddy's Hurdle
RAISAFUASHO (W Gordon) - Trainer A Browne advised that on return to her stable the gelding had filling in the right foreleg and would now be spelled, with a decision on its racing future to be made prior to next year's jumping season.

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	True Colours Childrens Health Trust 1400
JUSTACANTA (S Spratt) - Began awkwardly losing ground.	

IRISH MIST (R Smyth) - Steadied when crowded shortly after leaving the barriers.

BANROCK (T Wenn) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

STRADIVARIUS (S Collett) - Lay out under pressure in the final straight.

WOODEN EDGE (D Danis) - When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the gelding had hung out throughout but had been disappointing and was unable to offer any excuses.

Race 2 | **Majestic Horse Floats 1200**

CRYSTALLIZE (S Spratt) - Raced three wide without cover.

LORD VALENTINE (T Thornton) - Steadied off heels passing the 1000 metres then over-raced for a distance.

LADY LIRA (M Cameron) - Was inclined to lay in away from CYBER ATTACK in the final straight.

Race 3 | **J Swap Contractors 1600**

HE'S CAVALIER (R Smyth) - Inconvenienced near the 350 metres when WAIPAPI LAD rolled in under pressure.

ROC DE BANK (M Hills) - When questioned Rider was at a loss to explain the gelding's poor performance advising that it had never travelled comfortably, was quickly beaten when placed under pressure and had been disappointing. A post-race veterinary inspection did not reveal any abnormality.

Race 4 | **NZB Insurance Pearl Series Race**

L'ACCLAMATION (S Collet) - slow away.

VERACIOUS (M Cameron) - Slow away.

INVERNESS (T Newman) - Slow away.

HOT SAKI (C Johnson) - Raced keenly in the lead in the early and middle stages.

ARTISTE (A Sims) - Raced three wide without cover and lay in approaching the 500 metres crowding PASABAHCE which was briefly steadied. Apprentice A Sims was advised to exercise greater care.

PASABAHCE (R Elliot) - Briefly steadied when crowded 500 metres, held up entering the final straight before shifting inwards across the heels of HOT SAKI to obtain clear running passing the 300 metres.

IVY'S COURT (V Colgan) - When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the mare had every chance and was unable to offer any excuses other than feeling it may be better suited to more rain affected conditions.

Race 5 | **SVS Veterinary Supplies 1600**

ACRE (V Colgan) - Began awkwardly shifting inwards crowding PLAZABEEL onto SERIOUS PATCH. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the gelding had never travelled comfortably and could offer no excuses.

PLAZABEEL (T Thornton) - Hampered on jumping losing ground.

SERIOUS PATCH (S Spratt) - Hampered on jumping losing ground.

TAKEITLIKEAMAN (M Cameron) - Hampered shortly after the start losing ground.

LUCK OF MASTER (S Collett) - Over-raced when being restrained near the 1200 metres then shifting outwards to avoid heels near the 1000 metres inconveniencing SHOCKWAVE. Had difficulty obtaining clear running in the final straight when inclined to lay in, hampered just short of the finish when VAN DIAMOND shifted outwards under pressure. J Nason was advised to exercise greater care.

SHOCKWAVE (D Danis) - Inconvenienced 1000 metres.

VAN DIAMOND (J Nason) - Raced wide without cover.

COME BACK TIGER (C Lammas) - When questioned rider was unable to offer any excuses other than the gelding having been inclined to hang outwards and may be better suited by more rain affected conditions.

Race 6	Group One Turf Bar 1400
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LA ROCCETTA (A Sims) - Crowded shortly after jumping away having to be steadied.

DELUXE EDITION (R Scott) - Slow away.

ROUGH CONDUCT (T Thornton) - Raced ungenerously when being steadied passing the 1200 metres.

RITANI (M Cameron) - Raced three wide without cover.

TWEEDLEDEE (T Yanagida) - Raced wide without cover.

C Johnson - Issued with a warning after permitting his mount to shift inwards across the heels of the weakening RAPOSA RAPIDA hampering PRODIGAL SON near the 250 metres with C Johnson then angling his mount outwards when not fully clear of the weakening RAPOSA RAIDA near the 150 metres.

PRODIGAL SON (R Elliott) - Hampered 250 metres then again hampered having to avoid the heels of the tiring RAPOSA RAPIDA near the 150 metres and not being persevered with for the remainder of the race.

RAPOSA RAPIDA (V Colgan) - After being in a challenging position entering the final straight gave ground quickly when placed under pressure and was eased down over the final 150 metres, rider was unable to offer any excuses advising that as soon as he placed the colt under pressure it had failed to respond. A post-race veterinary inspection did not reveal any abnormality.

BRAAVOS (S McKay) - Rider dropped his whip near the 50 metres.

NO LOITERING (D Danis) - Lost the right hind plate during the running.

Race 7	United Cleaning Services 2100
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UNVEILING (L Satherley) - Slow away.

LOCALLY SAUCED (C Johnson) - Raced keenly in the middle stages.

S Spratt (JOCHEN RINDT) - Issued with a warning after permitting her mount to shift inwards when not fully clear of VALANTE which had to be steadied near the 1800 metres.

VALANTE (A Sims) - Steadied to avoid heels near the 1800 metres, over-raced in the middle stages when the pace eased.

STORMING THE TOWER (V Colgan) - Lay in under pressure over the final 200 metres.

Race 8	Crossroads Sports Bar 2100
<p>REPLICA (M Cameron) - Was not persevered in the final straight when well beaten, when questioned regarding performance rider advised that the filly had not felt comfortable racing towards the inside and amongst other runners and was of the opinion that it had switched off due to the sand kick-back experienced. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any abnormality.</p> <p>C Johnson (BOGANGLES) - Spoken to regarding his whip use in the final straight.</p>	

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