

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Whangarei Racing Club	Date:	Saturday, 14 July 2018
Weather:	Showers		
Track:	Dead 6		
Rail:	4 metres		
Stewards:	M Williamson (Chairman), A Coles, B Jones, P Kinsey		
Vet:	J Woods		
Stenographer:	M Gemmell		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	VINEVALE, BENAUD, SANTA MONICA, VON TRAPP, AIM SMART, MAJOR TOM, MARBLES, VEINE D'OR		
Suspensions:	Nil		
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Nil		
Warnings:	Race	2	S Collett RITA AURA Shifted ground 1100 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] 2 S McKay LEAVING TOWN Slowing pace 800 metres [Rule 638(4)] 5 C Johnson AIM SMART Shifted ground 900 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] <u>Avondale Jockey Club - 11 July 2018</u> 6 A Sims THE POORMANZABEEL Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)]
Horse Actions:	Nil		
Follow Up:	Race	8	COSSASTOCK
Medical Certificates:	Required from T Harris		
Rider Changes:	Nil		
Late Scratchings:	Nil		

GENERAL:

T Harris advised Stewards on Friday, 13 July 2018 that he had suffered an injury and would not be attending today's meeting. T Harris is to provide a medical clearance prior to riding next.

SUPPLEMENTARY:

<u>Wanganui Jockey Club - 5 July 2018</u> Race 5 - WANGANUI STEELFORMERS 1200m KENSINGTON (L Allpress) – Trainer D Browne advised Stewards that in the days following this race the gelding was showing no signs of lameness, further advising that it had now been transferred to the stable of K Myers.

Racing Te Aroha - 6 July 2018

Race 1 - TE AROHA STALLION PLACEMENT SCHEME HURDLE

DEFER (S Phelan) – Trainer P Mirabelli advised Stewards that the gelding had received veterinary treatment for a respiratory condition in the days following this race and had responded well, adding it is his intention to continue on with its current preparation.

BIG 'N' RICH (T Moki) – Trainer C Pomare advised Stewards that the laceration to the left foreleg had taken some time to heal and it is now her intention to freshen the gelding prior to racing next.

SENASSY (M Roustoby) – Trainer N O'Dowd advised Stewards that he was satisfied with the recovery of the mare and it is his intention to continue on with its current preparation.

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Race 3 - J Swap Contractors 1600

ROC DE BANK (M Hills) – Trainer C Wood advised Stewards that he was satisfied with the recovery of the gelding and it is his intention to continue on with its current preparation.

Race 6 - Group One Turf Bar 1400

RAPOSA RAPIDA (V Colgan) – Stable representative advised Stewards that the colt would be gelded in the coming days.

Race 8 - Crossroads Sports Bar 2100

REPLICA (M Cameron) – Trainer A Forsman advised Stewards that the filly would now be sent for a spell.

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Race 6 – AJC Members 1320

THE POORMANZABEEL (A Sims) – Rider A Sims was issued with a warning for using the whip excessively prior to the 100 metres.

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	ITM+Gib Open (1400 metres)
<p>SPIDER (B Grylls) – Slow away. Raced three wide for the majority of the race.</p> <p>VINEVALE (C Lammas) – Steadied passing the 1000 metres when in restricted room.</p> <p>FIRE JET (C Johnson) – Raced in restricted room passing the 150 metres.</p> <p>C Johnson (FIRE JET) – Reminded of his obligations that he must ride his mounts out fully to the line when circumstances permit him to do so.</p>	
Race 2	Croft Poles (1200 metres)
<p>FIGTREE (R Smyth) – Began awkwardly. Bumped and unbalanced 400 metres.</p> <p>VON WINNING (A Sims) – Began awkwardly.</p> <p>LEAVING TOWN (S McKay) – Slow to begin then ridden urgently to recover.</p>	

HOLD SWAY (B Grylls) – Crowded approaching the 1100 metres and steadied. Hampered passing the 750 metres when becoming awkwardly placed on heels when the pace steadied.

S Collett (RITA AURA) – Issued with a warning after allowing his mount to shift in approaching the 1100 metres when insufficiently clear of HOLD SWAY which was hampered and steadied.

CUT N RUN (R Scott) – Slow to begin. Hampered passing the 750 metres when becoming awkwardly placed on heels when the pace steadied. Awkwardly placed on heels passing the 450 metres.

VIVA LA BURGUNDY (J Riddell) – Made the bend awkwardly passing the 900 metres and then hampered passing the 750 metres when becoming awkwardly placed on heels when the pace steadied.

BENAUD (R Elliot) – Hampered passing the 750 metres when becoming awkwardly placed on heels when the pace steadied. Briefly held up passing the 200 metres and shifted in to obtain clear running.

LADY SEQUOYAH (T Thornton) – Hampered passing the 750 metres when becoming awkwardly placed on heels when the pace steadied. Shifted out approaching the 400 metres to obtain clear running making contact with FIGTREE which was briefly unbalanced. T Thornton was advised she must exercise greater care.

MI SKY (A Calder) – Hampered passing the 750 metres when becoming awkwardly placed on heels when the pace steadied. Had difficulty obtaining clear running for the majority of the final straight.

ONE ONE THREE (C Johnson) – Hampered passing the 750 metres when becoming awkwardly placed on heels when the pace steadied.

S McKay (LEAVING TOWN) – Issued with a warning after allowing LEAVING TOWN to steady approaching the 750 metres which placed riders in difficulty behind him with Stewards taking into account the racing manners of LEAVING TOWN which had contributed to the incident.

RITA AURA (S Collett) – Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.

TAV IT UP (C Lammas) – Raced ungenerously when being steadied in the early to middle stages. Improved on to heels approaching the 75 metres then held up for the remainder of the race.

Race 3	Bay of Islands ITM (1200 metres)
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NOT USUAL HEART (C Lammas) – Began awkwardly shifting in making contact with SANTA MONICA with that runner shifting in making contact with the hind quarters of FLORENCE JEAN which became briefly unbalanced. Lay in under pressure in the final straight.

FLORENCE JEAN (S Collett) – Contacted and unbalanced start.

Race 4	Almanzor at Cambridge Stud (1000 metres)
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BLUE ON BLACK (T Thornton) – Slow to begin. Raced in restricted room approaching the 700 metres and steadied.

WEST OF THE SUN (B Grylls) – Slow to begin.

CALL ME MURPHY (C Lammas) – Began awkwardly.

SPEED AND EXPEL (V Colgan) – Raced greenly passing the 600 metres making contact with the running rail losing ground.

VON TRAPP (A Calder) – Shifted out abruptly over the concluding stages.	
GALLAGHER (S McKay) – Rider dropped his whip passing the 200 metres.	
Race 5	Whangarei ITM (1400 metres)
SWISSTA (K Chowdhooory) – Slow to begin.	
RENE (T Thornton) – Slow to begin. Over-raced through the middle stages on a slow pace.	
SOUND WORKS (S McKay) – Began awkwardly.	
SONOROUS (T Wenn) – Began awkwardly. Rider dropped her whip near the 250 metres.	
REAL FUN (S Collett) – Commenced to over-race when being steadied near the 1000 metres, then making the 800 metre bend awkwardly and continued to over-race through the middle stages.	
CHARLIE FARLEY (L Satherley) – Commenced to over-race when being steadied in the early stages and raced in restricted room passing the 900 metres and was hampered.	
C Johnson (AIM SMART) – Issued with a warning after allowing AIM SMART to shift in passing the 900 metres when insufficiently clear of CHARLIE FARLEY which was hampered.	
V Colgan (OHCEEDEE) – 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. .	
R Elliot (STACCATO) – 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.	
Race 6	ITM/GIB Whangarei Gold Cup (2100 metres)
SMEDLEY (J Nason) – Slow away. Raced wide for the majority of the race.	
HE’S CAVALIER (R Smyth) – Briefly steadied when in restricted room near the 1900 metres. Made contact with the running rail near the 1700 metres becoming unbalanced. Had difficulty obtaining clear running early in the final straight.	
KYRIE ELEISON (C Lammas) – Steadied 1700 metres when awkwardly placed on heels.	
LOCALLY SAUCED (R Elliot) – Raced wide without cover until near the 1000 metres.	
MAJOR TOM (C Johnson) – Raced keenly through the middle stages.	
Race 7	Fell Engineering (1600 metres)
CONSPIRATOR (A Calder) – Began awkwardly losing ground. Raced ungenerously when being restrained in the early to middle stages.	
AMAZING AZ (T Thornton) – Began awkwardly. Improved on to heels approaching the 150 metres and was steadied then shifted in to obtain clear running inconveniencing TED TALKS.	
FINAL SUGGESTION (S Spratt) – Lay out in the early stages and shifted out abruptly when linking on to the Course Proper near the 1400 metres hampering ADIS. Lay out when making the final bend forcing ADIS wide on the track.	

ADIS (V Colgan) – Hampered 1400 metres. Forced wide final bend.

ANATOW (J Nason) – Raced greenly and lay out making the final bend and then had to be steadied off heels approaching the 350 metres.

J Riddell (STEVEN JAMES) – Reminded of his obligations in that he must ride his mounts out to the end of a race when circumstances permit him to do so.

ALESUND (C Johnson) – When questioned regarding the performance Rider C Johnson could offer no excuses other than the filly may be feeling the effects of recent racing. Co-trainer C Gibbs advised that ALESUND would now be spelled. ALESUND underwent a post-race veterinary examination which could find no obvious abnormalities.

Race 8	Spitroast Sunday Aug 12 (1200 metres)
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SWISSILICIOUS (R Scott) – Slow away.

MARZEMINO (V Colgan) – Blundered when leaving the barriers.

ORANGE SHORE (A Calder) – Began awkwardly losing ground. Had some difficulty finding clear running early in the final straight.

TRANSFORMER (C Johnson) – Over-raced through the middle stages.

SWISS EIRE (R Elliot) – Steadied 650 metres when awkwardly placed inside heels.

LA ROCSETTA (A Sims) – Improved into a marginal run passing the 100 metres and was briefly steadied.

COSSASTOCK (T Thornton) – When questioned regarding the performance Rider T Thornton could offer no tangible excuses. COSSASTOCK underwent a post-race veterinary examination which could find no obvious abnormality.

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