# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



## **MEETING DETAILS:**

Club:	Waikato Racing Club	Date:	Saturday 18 August 2018	
Weather:	Fine			
Track:	Slow(9)			
Rail:	True			
Stewards:	J Oatham (Chairman), M Williamson, B Jones, W Robinson			
Vet:	M Brightwell & K Rooney			
Typist:	C Shaw			

#### SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	JOCHEN RINDT, DE GAULLE, PASABAHCE, SO WICKED, WRANGLER, MELODY BELLE, JULIUS, MUTECHI, DIVINE DUKE		
Suspensions:	Race	6	<b>M Coleman</b> (FRANCALETTA) Careless riding 950 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 23/8 - 6/9 incl, 9 days
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Nil		
Warnings:	Race	1 1 1 5	B Grylls (YOUWANTMORE) Shifting ground 1900 metres [Rule: 638(1)(d) D Johnson (ATHENA BAY) Shifting ground 400 metres [Rule: 638(1)(d)] D Johnson (ATHENA BAY) Excessive use of whip [Rule: 638(3)(b)(ii)] T Newman (IMBLAZE) Excessive use of whip [Rule: 638(3)(b)(ii)]
Horse Actions:	Race	2	<b>ROYAL RULER</b> - cardiac arrhythmia, veterinary clearance required
Follow Up:	Race	2	ROYAL RULER
		6	CONTESSA VANESSA
Medical Certificates:	Nil		
Rider Changes:	Nil		
Late Scratchings:	Nil		

#### GENERAL:

No issues to report.

# SUPPLEMENTARY:

Woodville-Pahiatua Racing Club - Thursday 9 August 2018

Race 8 - MURRAY CONTRACTORS 1600 (1600 Metres)

**SWISS ANGEL** (J Parkes) – Trainer F Auret advised that he was satisfied with the recovery of the mare, adding that SWISS ANGEL would be undergoing further veterinary examination in the coming days prior to a decision being made on her future racing programme.

<u>Whangarei Racing Club - Sunday 12 August 2018</u> Race 4 - NORTHLAND BUSINESS SYSTEMS (1200 metres) **FURIOUS WALK** (M Coleman) – Trainer C Gibbs advised that he was satisfied with the recovery of the mare, adding it is his intention for FURIOUS WALK to trial prior to racing next.

# Race 5 - HARCOURTS HIGH TEA SEPTEMBER 1 (1200 metres)

**CHOULEE** (J Nason) – Trainer B Hawtin advised that he was satisfied with the recovery of the mare, adding it is his intention to freshen CHOULEE prior to racing next.

# Racing Te Aroha – Wednesday 18 August 2018

An enquiry was concluded regarding comments reported in the media about THENAMESBOND, with Mr Ralph being reminded of his obligations in that he must report to Stewards anything that may affect his horse's performance.

## RACE COMMENTS:

# Race 1 LOWE SCHOLLUM JONES 2100

**B GRYLLS** (YOUWANTMORE) - Issued with a warning after permitting her mount to shift inwards when not fully clear of GALLANTE which had to be steadied to avoid that runners heels passing the 1900 metres.

**GALLANTE** (R Elliot) - Commenced to over-race in the early stages when being restrained off the heels of YOUWANTMORE passing the 1900 metres and then continued to over-race during the middle stages. R Elliot was reminded of his obligations to ride his mounts out to the finish of the race. R Elliot advised that the gelding had lost the left front plate during the running and had felt a little indifferent in its action over the concluding stages.

**D JOHNSON** (ATHENA BABY) - Issued with a warning after allowing her mount to shift inwards rounding the final turn crowding YOUWANTMORE with Stewards taking into account that there was some outward movement from JOCHEN RINDT contributing to the incident.

**YOUWANTMORE** (B Grylls) - Crowded rounding the final turn approaching the 400 metres, rider dropped her whip near the 50 metres.

D JOHNSON (ATHENA BABY) - Issued with a warning for her whip use prior to the 100 metres.

Race 2 MELVILLE UNDER 85'S 1600

MY GIFT (D Danis) - Crowded and hampered leaving the barriers losing ground.

THEE OLD COUGAR (D Johnson) - Bumped leaving the barriers.

**TWEEDLEDEE** (T Yanagida) - Commenced to over-race when being restrained near the 1300 metres and shifted inwards when not fully clear of MY GIFT which was steadied, continued to over-race shifting inwards when becoming awkwardly placed near the heels of SWEET TREAT, placing THE OLD COUGAR in restricted room near the 1000 metres. T Yanagida was advised to exercise greater care.

**DE GAULLE** (M Cameron) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

**ROYAL RULER** (S Spratt) - Gave ground quickly from the 500 metres being eased down in the final straight. A post race veterinary examination found the gelding to have suffered from cardiac arrhythmia with the appropriate veterinary clearance required before racing again.

# Race 3 GORDON BREWSTERS 90<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION 1600

GRAND RIO (M Cameron) - Began awkwardly.

# BANROCK (D Johnson) - Began awkwardly.

**ANGEL IN BLUEJEANS** (S Spratt) - Began awkwardly.

WAIPIPI LAD (K Chowdhoory) - Raced keenly when being restrained in the early to middle stages.

**PASABAHCE** (R Elliot) - Raced three wide without cover.

**TRUEMAN** (C Lammas) - Lost the right hind plate during the running.

## Race 4 KILTANNON STABLES 1600

DISRAELI (L Satherley) - Began awkwardly.

CHOUX LACE (E McCall) - Slow to begin.

**IZTAMOUR** (S Spratt) - Raced wide without cover throughout.

**RELIABLE LAD** (S Rusof) - Steadied when held up rounding the turn passing the 450 metres, hampered when crowded near the 300 metres when LISTENUP lay in when struck with the whip.

**STEVIE'S SURPRISE** (R Smyth) - Steadied when improving onto heels passing the 400 metres having to shift outwards to obtain clear running approaching the 300 metres.

## Race 5 MELVILLE SISTERS CLUB RUGBY CHAMPIONS 1400

**RED SKY AT NIGHT** (C Lammas) - Slow away.

**FELAAR** (D Johnson) - When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the gelding had failed to handle today's track conditions.

**GRIS DAME** (S Rusof) - When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the mare had travelled well but had failed to respond once placed under pressure and had been disappointing. A post race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

T NEWMAN (IMBLAZE) - Issued with a warning for her whip use prior to the 100 metres.

Race 6 LISA CHITTICK FOXBRIDGE PLATE

**CHARLES ROAD** (S Spratt) - Began awkwardly making contact with the hind quarters of AUTHENTIC PADDY which became unbalanced.

**AUTHENTIC PADDY** (T Thornton) - Unbalanced when bumped start.

**UNDERTHEMOONLIGHT** (C Lammas) - Slow away.

**CLOSE UP** (G Cooksley) - Began awkwardly before being further hampered losing ground.

VINEVALE (M Cameron) - Jumped away awkwardly before being further hampered losing ground.

**M COLEMAN** (FRANCALETTA) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he permitted his mount to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear of CONTESSEA VANESSA which clipped a heel and blundered near the 950 metres going back onto WAR AFFAIR which was hampered. After hearing submissions the Judicial Committee suspended M

Coleman's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Wednesday 22 August until the conclusion of racing on Thursday 6 September, 9 national riding days.

**CONTESSA VANESSA** (R Elliot) - Clipped a heel and blundered badly near the 950 metres. Was not persevered with in the final straight with the rider advising that he mare had felt indifferent in its action. A post race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

WAR AFFAIR (D Johnson) - Hampered near the 950 metres.

SEVENTH UP (L Innes) - Steadied when placed in restricted room approaching the 800 metres.

**ELUSIVE TREASURE** (T Harris) - Raced wide without cover, lay in under pressure when struck with the whip having to be steadied away from the heels of AUTHENTIC PADDY near the 300 metres.

**START WONDERING** (J Parkes) - When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the gelding had travelled well until placed under pressure and had then been unable to finish the race off in today's track conditions.

# Race 7 TE RAPA TAVERN 1200

WOODEN RED (M Hills) - Slow away.

**SWISSILICIOUS** (T Yanagida) - Steadied when became awkwardly placed near heels going into the bend near the 800 metres. Inconvenienced near the 350 metres when GOODNIGHT IRENE shifted out under pressure.

## Race 8 BCD GROUP 2100

**KINGTIDE** (K Cowan) - Began awkwardly before being further hampered shortly after the start losing ground, raced ungenerously in the early stages then raced in restricted room passing the 1800 metres, becoming awkwardly placed approaching the 1700 metres and shifted outwards to avoid heels forcing BABOONSKI wide on the track.

BABOONSKI (C Dell) - Crowded shortly after start losing ground, forced wide approaching 1700 metres.

CAPTAIN ORANGE (J Riddell) - Raced keenly in the early stages.

**ARTISTE** (T Harris) - Inconvenienced rounding the final turn near the 400 metres when BLACK LACE lay out away from DIVINE DUKE, lost the left front plate during the running.

**PEARLESCENCE** (M Cameron) - Hampered near the 400 metres when ARTISTE was taken out by BLACK LACE.

L SATHERLEY (MAGIC CANNON) & T HARRIS (ARTISTE) - were both reminded of their obligation to ride their mounts out to the end of the race whenever circumstances permit.

Stipendiary Stewards report as posted is provisional and subject to further review and amendment.