

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Auckland Racing Club @ Te Aroha Racecourse	Date:	Sunday 9 September 2018
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Heavy(11) Upgraded to Heavy(10) effective Race 4		
Rail:	5 Metres		
Stewards:	J Oatham (Chairman), A Coles, B Jones, W Robinson		
Vet:	K Finn, K Rooney		
Typist:	M Coles		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	MAGIC WONDER, DELACROIX, DELEGATE, JACKFROST, SECOND INNINGS, BEAUTY WAY, GALAXY MISS, CHOCOLATE FISH, PERRY MASON, SULIMAN, LADY SHABEEL, SO WICKED.		
Suspensions:	Race 2	S Phelan	DELACROIX Careless riding 400 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 17-30/9 incl, 2 days
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Nil		
Warnings:	Race 4	B Lammas	JACK FROST Celebratory gesture prior to winning post [Rule 638(2)]
	7	S Phelan	CHOCOLATE FISH Celebratory gesture prior to winning post [Rule 638(2)]
Horse Actions:	Race 2	JEALOUS BOY	- Veterinary clearance required
Follow Up:	Nil		
Medical Certificates:	Required from R Elliot		
Rider Changes:	Race 5	MUTECHI	- S Collett for R Elliot (unwell)
	7	STAGEHAND	- L Horner for B Small (injured)
	10	PIERIAN SPRING	- S McKay for R Elliot
Late Scratchings:	Nil		

GENERAL:

R Elliot did not attend the meeting due to illness.

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	COCA-COLA STEEPLECHASE
<p>SUFFICE TO SAY (M Mitchell) - Stumbled on landing dislodging its rider after jumping the third fence. M Mitchell was cleared to fulfil his remaining engagements after being examined by the course doctor. SUFFICE TO SAY required veterinary treatment for abrasions received after losing its footing and falling over prior to being recaptured.</p> <p>CABALLO NOIR (B Small) - Run off by the rider-less SUFFICE TO SAY prior to jumping the fence near the 1500 metres going through the wing of the fence dislodging rider B Small. Hampered as a result were ISTIMAGIC and FAST CATCH with FAST CATCH landing awkwardly after jumping that fence and dislodging its rider. Both B Small and E Farr were examined by the course doctor and cleared to continue riding. CABALLO NOIR received veterinary treatment but was not found to be displaying any significant abnormality.</p>	

FAST CASH (E Farr) - Landed awkwardly after jumping the fence near the 1500 metres dislodging its rider. Both horse and rider were un-injured.

JUSTNAMETHEPRICE (L Douglas) - Had to take evasive action to avoid the fallen rider at the third fence, hampered at the fence near the 1500 metres, steadied when placed in restricted room by the rider-less horse near the 1400 metres.

ISTIMAGIC (M Roustoby) - Put in a poor jump at the fence near the 1600 metres, put in a poor jump at the second to last fence.

KOKANEE GOLD (M Cropp) - Hampered at the fence near the 1500 metres on the first occasion.

Race 2	DIET COKE STEEPLECHASE
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CRIKEY CRON (L Douglas) - Raced wide throughout. Put in a poor jump at the fence near the 1000 metres before being retired from the race prior to the second to last fence.

JEALOUS BOY (M Roustoby) - Became tailed off in the early stages and was retired from the race near the 1600 metres. When questioned rider advised that the gelding felt sore behind. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding was lame in the right hind leg with connections being advised a veterinary certificate of fitness would be required prior to racing again. Trainer G Brick advised that the gelding was unlikely to be persevered with as a racing proposition from his stable.

THAT'S HOW IT GOES (B Lammas) - Retired from the race prior to the fence near the 600 metres when well beaten.

S Phelan - Defended a charge of careless riding in that he permitted his mount DELACROIX to shift inwards approaching the 400 metres when not sufficiently clear of ZEDACE which was checked with THE ARABIAN DUKE also being hampered. After hearing submissions the Judicial Committee found the charge to be proven imposing a suspension from the conclusion of racing on Sunday 16th September until the conclusion of racing on Sunday 30th September, 2 National jumping days.

ZEDACE (G Walsh) - Checked approaching the 400 metres.

THE ARABIAN DUKE (A Kuru) - Hampered approaching the 400 metres, put in a poor jump at the second to last fence landing awkwardly.

Race 3	HYLAND RACE COLOURS HURDLE
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GEORGETHEFIFTH (M Cropp) - Misjudged the first fence landing awkwardly. Put in a poor jump at the third to last fence.

ALL IN ROCK (L Douglas) - Raced wide without cover throughout, rider L Douglas was spoken to regarding opting to carry on in the race when the gelding appeared to be well beaten entering the final straight.

INTO THE MYSTIC (E Nicholas) - Misjudged the fence near the 1100 metres.

RAISEDINASANDPIT (E Farr) - Jumped inwards at the final fence making contact with the running rail.

TRIUMPH (B Small) - Retired from the race prior to the third last fence when well beaten.

TELL ME MORE (B Lammas) - Retired from the race prior to the third last fence when well beaten.

MASTER POET (L Horner) - Returned to the enclosure bleeding from a wound to the left fore having lost the left front plate requiring veterinary treatment for a cut inside the left front pastern.	
Race 4	SCHWEPPE'S GREAT NORTHERN HURDLE
<p>EL CORBY (G Walsh) - Put in a poor jump at the first fence.</p> <p>GALLANTE (M Mitchell) - Jumped the first fence awkwardly hampering KIPKEINO, put in a poor jump at the third to last fence, lay out under pressure in the final stages.</p> <p>KIPKEINO (S Phelan) - Hampered first fence.</p> <p>BANBURY LAD (C Dell) - Over raced in the lead in the early to middle stages. Hit the last two fences in the home straight on the second occasion and commenced to give ground shortly after before being retired from the race after jumping the fourth to last fence.</p> <p>LETMEBY (B Small) - Badly misjudged the fence near the 1300 metres on the first occasion losing ground, put in a poor jump at the fence near the 1100 metres.</p> <p>CLAPATHUNDA (T Moki) - Put in a poor jump at the fence near the 250 metres on the second occasion.</p> <p>LAEKEEPER (E Farr) - Raced in restricted room approaching the 1400 metres to the inside of GALLANTE (M Mitchell). M Mitchell was advised to exercise care.</p> <p>WEE BISKET (M Cropp) - Retired from the race prior to the fence near the 950 metres, when questioned, rider advised that after putting in a couple of indifferent jumps the mare felt a little indifferent in its action. A post-race veterinary examination found WEE BISKET to have grazes to both front legs.</p> <p>LUCKY TONIGHT (R Cully) - Retired from the race prior to the third to last fence when well beaten.</p> <p>SECOND INNINGS (A Kuru) - Put in poor jumps at the final two fences.</p> <p>B Lammas - Issued with a warning with regard to making a celebratory gesture prior to passing the winning post.</p> <p>Following this race B Small advised that he was feeling the effects of his fall in Race 1 and after being re-examined by the course doctor was stood down due to back soreness.</p>	
Race 5	BLUE BUBBLE TAXIS 1200
<p>GOOD VIBES (A Sims) - Began awkwardly.</p> <p>BEAUTY WAY (M Coleman) - Held up rounding the final turn and early in the straight before shifting outwards across heels to obtain clear running near the 350 metres.</p>	
Race 6	JRA TROPHY
<p>HELLO M'LADY (C Lammas) - Jumped away awkwardly.</p> <p>WRANGLER (S Collett) - Steadied near the 300 metres when laying out and becoming awkwardly placed near the heels of HELLO M'LADY which shifted inwards slightly.</p>	
Race 7	IRVINE'S GREAT NORTHERN STEEPLECHASE
SPEEDY JAX (R Cully) - Jumped indifferently towards the rear throughout, retired from the race prior to the final fence.	

SHAMAL (B Lammas) - Put in a poor jump at the fence near the 1400 metres on the second occasion.

TOP CHOICE (E Farr) - Had to be steadied rounding the bend near the 400 metres on the second circuit when the pace steadied jostling with PERRY MASON. Retired from the race prior to the final fence.

PERRY MASON (A Kuru) - Hampered when jostled rounding the bend near the 400 metres on the second circuit when the pace steadied.

CHOCOLATE FISH (S Phelan) - Misjudged the fence near the 1400 metres on the final circuit.

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Race 8	TUCKERS RIDGE PIES 1600
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SULIMAN (S Collett) - Slow away.

DELUXE EDITION (R Scott) - Slow away.

Race 9	MACKENZIE HIGH COUNTRY BREAD 1400
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CALL ME BOB (K Cowan) Began awkwardly shifting outwards making contacting with the hind quarters of LADY SHABEEL losing ground.

LADY SHABEEL (C Lammas) - Bumped start becoming briefly unbalanced.

Race 10	AUCKLAND CO-OP TAXIS 1600
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ARTISTE (S Collett) - Crowded on jumping away having to be steadied.

KIRKINTILLOCH (S Spratt) - Steadied when crowded after ENGLISH GAMBLER lay out crossing the junction onto the course proper near the 1400 metres, steadied when placed in restricted room rounding the turn approaching the 400 metres.

PIERIAN SPRING (S McKay) - Hampered near the 200 metres when UABASSO shifted away from runners to its inside.

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