# **STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT**



# **MEETING DETAILS:**

Club: Wanganui Jockey Club Date: Sunday 19 August

Weather: Fine Track: Heavy 10

Rail: Out 9 metres from Winning Post to 1360 metres, remainder out 6 metres

Stewards: D Balcombe (Chair), N Goodwin, B Bateup

John O'Brien and Tim Pearce Vet:

Typist: V Perry

Swabbing:	KIPKEINO, OLD COUNTESS, THE GREAT GURU, BIGREDMOON, HERENGAWE, DANCING AURIOLE, MR AXLE, REVOLUTION and LOTHBROK							
Suspensions:	Race	8	<b>D Hirini</b> – (REVOLUTION) [Rule 638 (1) (d) – Careless riding – Suspended 24 August up to and including 2 September – 6 days.					
Protests:	Race	8	CORNERSTONE 2 <sup>nd</sup> v REVOLUTION 1 <sup>st</sup> - dismissed					
Fines:	Nil							
Warnings:	Race	<ul><li>5</li><li>7</li><li>9</li><li>7</li></ul>	J Parkes (KIRKLAND) [Rule 638 (3) (b) (ii)] whip use prior to the 100 metres  Z Moki (PRINCESS JENNI) [Rule 638 (3) (b) (i)] whip use on a runner out of contention  J Waddell (LOTHBROK) [Rule 638 (1) (d)] shifting ground 250 metres  ROGO RAAJ bled. Unable to be in training for two months and unable to trial or race for 3 months. Vet clearance required prior to racing or trialing next.					
Horse Actions: Follow Up: Medical Certificates: Rider Changes:	Nil Nil Nil							
Late Scratchings:	Race	3	ALL IN ROCK – on veterinary advice					

GENERAL:				
SUPPLEMENTAR	RY:			

### **RACE COMMENTS:**

# Race 1 WANGANUI RACEHORSE OWNERS ASSOCIATION MAIDEN STEEPLECHASE 4100

**AL MUNROE (D Jensen)** - Landed awkwardly at the second fence unbalancing the rider. Put in a poor jump at the fence near the 1,300 metres. Had to check off the heels of the tiring MY MAGICIAN near the 400 metres.

**MY MAGICIAN (M Roustoby)** – Ran down a number of fences during the running. Pulled up prior to the last fence when out of contention.

MANDALAY (E Nicholas) – Jumped up onto the heels of EDDIE GILBERT at the last fence landing awkwardly.

**EDDIE GILBERT (S Fannin)** - Jumped high at the first fence losing ground. Jumped inwards at the third fence contacting AL MUNROE. Hampered on landing at the fence near the 200 metres on the second occasion. Landed awkwardly at the second last fence.

COUNTER ATTACK (M Cropp) - Lost the off-front plate during the running.

**MESMERIZE (I Lupton)** – Raced keenly during the middle stages. Hit the fence near the 500 metres unbalancing the rider.

KIPKEINO (E Farr) -Landed awkwardly at the fence near the 900 metres.

# Race 2 JOLT COFFEE HOUSE WANGANUI STEEPLECHASE 4100

**OLD COUNTESS (B Lammas)** - Ran down the first fence inconveniencing HIGHLY LIKELY. Ran down a number of fences in the early stages. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages. Rider B Lammas was reminded of his obligations in regards to riding his mounts fully to the line.

**HIGHLY LIKELY (M Cropp)** – Inconvenienced at the first fence losing ground. Landed awkwardly at the fence near the 900 metres on the first occasion, inconvenienced again at the fence by the 1,000 metres. Pulled up after the fence near the 600 metres when out of contention.

**ZARDETTO (E Nicholas)** - Hit the fence approaching the 1,000 metres dislodging the rider, inconveniencing LACUSTRE and HIGHLY LIKELY. E Nicholas was examined by St John paramedics and was cleared to ride. ZARDETTO returned to the enclosure with blood present in the nasal area. A subsequent veterinary inspection confirmed this to be consistent with having suffered nasal trauma.

**LACUSTRE (E Farr)** - Got in close to the fence near the 500 metres on the second occasion. Briefly inconvenienced at the fence near the 1,000 metres.

### Race 3 PROPERTY BROKERS COMPLIANCE LTD MAIDEN BURDEL 3000

**ALL IN ROCK** – Late scratched at 11.30am on veterinary advice after being injured in the float on route to the track.

**ZARTAN (M Roustoby)** - Got in close to a number of fences in the early stages losing ground. Landed awkwardly at the fence near the 500 metres. Put in a poor jump at the second last fence.

**DECOY (S MacNab)** - Jumped slowly throughout, putting in a poor jump at the third last fence, pulled up prior to the second to last fence when out of contention.

**DON DENARIO (B Lammas)** - Blundered on landing at the second last fence.

PRIZE LAD (I Lupton) - Jumped awkwardly at the fence near the 900 metres

#### Race 4 WESTMERE BULK SPREADING LTD RST OPEN HURDLE 3000

**BIGREDMOON (B Lammas)** – Jumped slowly at the second fence losing ground.

**THE ARABIAN DUKE (E Nicholas)** – Jumped outwards at the second last fence having to be straightened off the heels of THATZ DAVID.

# Race 5

# **LOWE SCHOLLUM JONES MAIDEN 1360**

NON PAYER (Z Moki) – Slow away

**TIGERTIGER (J Nason)** - When questioned into the performance, Rider advised the gelding may not have appreciated today's track conditions. A subsequent veterinary inspection was clear.

**BRIGITTE'S BEAU (M Singh)** – Began awkwardly getting its head in the air at the start, losing ground.

**KEEPIN HARMONEE (R Myers)** – Raced greenly under pressure in the home straight.

J Parkes (KIRKLAND) – Was issued with a warning under Rule 638 (3) (b) (ii) with regards to his whip use prior to the 100 metres.

## Race 6 RICOH WANGANUI MAIDEN F&M 1360

The start of the race was delayed by one minute at the request of the TAB.

MISS SHER NAN (J Waddell) - Raced in restricted room near the 300 metres having to be angled inwards to improve.

BECKIDBOO (L Allpress) - Tightened at the start when CALLISTA jumped outwards dictating KARIMA.

XTHIRTEEN (S MacNab) - Awkwardly away settling back

**THEDEVILWEARSPRADA (T Johnson)** - Raced keenly in the middle stages having to be restrained off heels approaching the 1,000 metres.

#### Race 7

### **SANTO STABLES MAIDEN 1200**

**PRINCESS JENNI (Z Moki)** – Began awkwardly heavily contacting EUGENIE JOY which jumped inwards abruptly at the start losing ground.

**EUGENIE JOY (C O'Beirne)** - Jumped inwards at the start and was heavily contacted.

**BENSON (D Hirini)** - Lay outwards shortly after the start tightening CHRISTIANO. Held up entering the home straight gaining clear running near the 100 metres.

**CHRISTIANO (M Singh)** – Tightened shortly after the start. Raced greenly under pressure in the home straight.

**ROGO RAAJ (S MacNab)** - Returned to the enclosure with blood present in the nasal area. After undergoing a veterinary inspection, the mare was confirmed to have bled. ROGO RAAJ is now unable to be in training for two months and is unable to trial or race for three months with a veterinary clearance required prior to racing or trialling next.

YES BOY (D Turner) - Lay in and away from GRATUITY early in the home straight briefly inconveniencing SOIREE.

**Z MOKI** (PRINCESS JENNI) - Was issued with a warning under Rule 638 (3) (b) (i) with regard to her whip use on a runner out of contention.

#### Race 8

## **SPORTZ BAR 2060**

The start of the race was delayed by two minutes at the request of the TAB.

# **BLAZING OPAL (T Taiaroa)** – Slow away

EN SUITE (R Myers) - Raced ungenerously for a distance passing the 1,700 metres.

**CORNERSTONE (L Allpress)** – Tightened and checked having to change ground approaching the 100 metres. Prior to the authorisation of dividends the connections of CORNERSTONE lodged a protest under Rule 642 (1) alleging interference in the home straight. After viewing footage and hearing submissions the protest was dismissed.

**D** Hirini (REVOLUTION) admitted a breach of Rule 638 (1) (d) in that she allowed her mount to shift outwards when not sufficiently clear of CORNERSTONE. After hearing submissions and viewing footage the Committee suspended her licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Thursday 23 August up to and including racing on Sunday 2 September.

**REVOLUTION (D Hirini)** - When questioned into the improved performance of REVOLUTION Trainer P Nelson advised the gelding was unsuited to the Heavy 11 at Trentham at its previous start and appreciated the improved track conditions today.

# Race 9 OFFICE SMARTS CELEBRATING 10 YEARS MAIDEN 2060

**BLACK ANASTA (J Nason)** - Began awkwardly shifting inwards shortly after the start tightening and inconveniencing the following runners OUR CHARLI'S ANGEL, HE'S RIC, CASSINO TO TRIESTE, RED AURORA and KION which then shifted inwards heavily contacting PAVLICHENKO and inconveniencing MRS ME. A short distance further BLACK ANASTA lay inwards inconveniencing OUR CHARLI'S ANGEL HE'S RIC, CASSINO TO TRIESTE, RED AURORA and LOTHBROK.

Tightened near the 250 metres when LOTHBROK (J Waddell) shifted out dictating HE'S RIC into the line of BLACK ANASTA. When assessing the degree of interference, Stewards considered evidence from Rider T Johnston who advised that HE'S RIC had shifted away from LOTHBROK when racing greenly and contributed to the interference to BLACK ANASTA, nevertheless J Waddell was advised to he is expected to straighten his mount sooner than he did on this occasion and was issued with a warning under Rule 638 (1) (d).

**OUR CHARLI'S ANGEL (J Parkes)** – Inconvenienced at start then continued to race keenly for the remainder.

**HANDYMAN (C Johnson)** – Raced keenly in the middle stages. Held up near the 250 metres having to be restrained then angled inwards approaching the 100 metres to improve.

**RED AURORA (Z Moki)** - Gave ground quickly from the 600 metres finishing last. When questioned the rider could offer no excuse. A subsequent veterinary inspection was clear.