

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Wanganui Jockey Club	Date:	Thursday 20 September, 2018
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Slow 7		
Rail:	2 Metres		
Stewards:	D Balcombe (Chair), N Goodwin, B Bateup		
Vet:	J O'Brien, T Pearce, N Hopman		
Typist:	V Perry		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	THE HUNTSMAN, YIPSON, MEXICAN, NOM DU BEEL, SECRET SQUIRREL, CLEAVER, WINDSOR, VANNOSS and KIT KAT		
Suspensions:	Nil		
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Nil		
Warnings:	Race	4	L Douglas (ALL IN ROCK) [Rule 638 (3) (b) (ii)] - excessive use of the whip
		6	Z Moki (SMOOTH COGNAC) [Rule 638 (1) (d)] – shifting ground final stages
		9	C O'BEIRNE (FRANCESCA KATE) [Rule 638 (1) (d)] – shifting ground 500 metres
		9	L Latta (SIERRA) [Rule 537 (a)] - late declaration of rider
Horse Actions:	Race	6	NICOLINI – must barrier trial prior to racing next
		10	BACKFIRE – Warning barrier manners
Follow Up:	Nil		
Medical Certificates:	Required from G Walsh		
Rider Changes:	Race	3	ROC 'N' IT – E Nicholas replaced G Walsh (injury)
	Race	5	THE GREAT GURU – S O'Malley replaced G Walsh
Late Scratchings:	Race	10	BACKFIRE – at 4.23pm at start

GENERAL:

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SUPPLEMENTARY:

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RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	KEN DUNCAN RACING MAIDEN STEEPLE 4100M
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WINDERMERE LAD (E Farr) - Jumped the first fence awkwardly losing ground.

COCONUT (B Lammas) – Raced keenly and jumped erratically in the early stages. Pulled up approaching the second to last fence when out of contention.

WHO CAN TELL (G Walsh) – Misjudged the fifth fence with the rider losing the use of his irons for a short distance. Hit the fence and fell near the 600 metres. **WHO CAN TELL** underwent a veterinary inspection and was cleared of any injury. G Walsh was attended to by St John paramedics and stood down for the remainder of the day.

MESMERIZE (I Lupton) - Lay inwards approaching the second to last fence having to be straightened. Shifted outwards under pressure over the final stages dictating **KOKANEE GOLD** wider on the track.

KOKANEE GOLD (M Cropp) - Dictated wider on the track over final stages.

Race 2 | **JOLT COFFEE HOUSE OPEN STEEPLE 4100M**

OUR JACKSON (I Lupton) - Jumped slowly throughout becoming tailed off, pulled up at the fence by the 1,300 metres when out of contention. When questioned into the performance rider could offer no excuse. A subsequent veterinary inspection was clear.

VENERATE (M Cropp) – Raced keenly throughout.

ZARDETTO (E Nicholas) - When questioned into performance rider advised the gelding may appreciate more rain affected going.

Race 3 | **CLASS CARPENTRY MAIDEN HURDLE 3000M**

MR INK (M Cropp) - Blundered on landing at the second fence losing ground then jumped poorly throughout. Pulled up prior to the 600 metres when out of contention.

ONEFORTHEDITCH (S O'Malley) - Hit the fence near the 600 metres unbalancing the rider. Scrambled over the last fence. Stewards questioned S O'Malley as to the reasons why he was some distance off the pace in the middle stages. S O'Malley advised that his instructions were to settle the gelding back but he had been unable to improve his mount in the middle stages as he intended, after becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of the tiring **J'WALKE** near the 1,500 metres being held up for some distance and becoming detached from the body of the field.

ZARTAN (E Farr) – Hit the second last fence and blundered on landing.

GORDYS GESTURE (T Moki) – Jumped slowly throughout.

J'WALKE (I Lupton) – Misjudged the fence near the 1,800 metres then jumped slowly for the remainder.

THE DASH (A Kuru) – Made a poor jump at the fence near the 600 metres.

ROC 'N' IT (E Nicholas) - Hit the second last fence.

Race 4 | **PALAMOUNTAINS NUTRITION MAIDEN HURDLE 3000M**

BREKY AT TIFFANYS (S O'Malley) – Jumped slowly, pulled up prior to the fence near the 600 metres when out of contention.

ALL IN ROCK (L Douglas) - Made a poor jump at the fence by the 1,100 metres losing ground.

GEORGETHEFIFTH (E Farr) - Ran down the second last fence.

OUR CHUCKY (I Lupton) - Jumped slowly throughout. When questioned into the performance rider advised the gelding would appreciate more rain affected going and had been outpaced.

L Douglas (ALL IN ROCK) - Was issued with a warning under Rule 638 (3) (b) (ii) for the manner in which he used his whip over the concluding stages.

Race 5 | **CARPET MAINTENANCE & CLEANING OPEN HURDLE 3000M**

IT'S A WONDER (A Kuru) - Raced keenly in the early and middle stages. Became awkwardly placed to the inside of **THE GREAT GURU** near the 2,500 metres having to be restrained then raced keenly in the middle stages.

BIGREDMOON (B Lammas) – Poor jump at the last fence.

NAPOLEON (S Fannin) – Blundered on landing at the last fence.

Race 6 | **DERRYN@GRANGEWILLIAM STUD MAIDEN 1350M**

SECRET SQUIRREL (J Parkes) - Presented in the enclosure with blinkers on which were not included in the official gear list. Trainer B Revell advised that he had applied for the gelding to wear blinkers when nominating. Enquiries to the NZTR Bureau revealed this to be an administrative error and the gelding raced with blinkers. This was communicated to on and off course patrons immediately. Held up for a short distance passing the 400 metres.

NICOLINI (S McKay) – Stood in the gates losing significant ground. Connections were advised that the gelding must trial to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to starting next. Dictated wide on the track near the 800 metres.

KANSAS CITY (R Myers) - Slow away. Dictated wide on the track near the 800 metres.

PRINCESS JENNI (C Dell) - Lay outwards making the bend awkwardly passing the 800 metres dictating **KANSAS CITY** and **NICOLINI** wider on the track.

ALLACCIATO (L Allpress) – Held up near the 350 metres having to be angled outwards across heels when **HEART OF FAME** lay inwards dictating **CHRISTIANO**, then had to be angled inwards to improve passing the 100 metres.

HEART OF FAME (D Turner) -Lay inwards early in the home straight. Tightened over the final stages.

KEEPIN HARMONEE (S Collett) - Lay inwards under pressure in the home straight having to be straightened.

SMOOTH COGNAC (Z Moki) – Lay inwards under pressure over the final 100 metres having to be straightened dictating **SORRY I'M LATE** inwards and tightening **HEART OF FAME** over the final stages. Apprentice Z Moki was issued with a warning under Rule 638 (1) (d) and advised that she is expected to straighten her mounts sooner than she did on this occasion.

Race 7 | **PRO POWDER COATING MAIDEN 1200M**

PENNY O'CEIRIN (D Bradley) - Slow away. Had to be restrained off heels passing the 800 metres.

Race 8 | **WANGANUI GREYHOUND RACING CLUB 1200M**

FINE BOUQUET (N Bakar) – Began awkwardly contacting **FULLY CHARGED** which was dictated inwards onto **GLADSTONE BELLE** which was tightened and settled back. When questioned into the performance rider could offer no excuse. A subsequent veterinary inspection was clear.

CASTANI (R Myers) - Tightened at the start and settled back. Had to shift ground to avoid the tiring **SWISS ELLE** passing the 200 metres.

HELENAOFTROY (S Collett) - Raced ungenerously for a short distance when being restrained passing the 800 metres going back on to **MR AXLE**.

THATZ LOUIE (C Dell) – Raced keenly rounding the turn.

MR AXLE (M Singh) - Had to be restrained off heels 800 metres then raced keenly rounding the turn.

CLASSY LANE (D Bradley) - Lay out under pressure over the final stages.

Race 9 | **TERRY BROTHERS MAIDEN 2050M**

NON PAYER (S McKay) – Slow away.

GENEVA MIST (S Collett) – Raced three-wide without cover in the early stages so was ridden forward to lead passing the 1,400 metres.

C O’BEIRNE (FRANCESCA KATE) – was issued with a warning under Rule 638 (1) (d) after angling her mount outwards near the 500 metres hampering **OUR MATRIARCH**.

OUR MATRIARCH (D Turner) – Hampered 500 metres.

WHOLETTHEFOXOUT (M Singh) – Was contacted near the 700 metres when **VANNOSS** improved to its outside, then held up for a short distance.

Race 10 | **NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE F&M MAIDEN 1600M**

BACKFIRE (T Taiaroa) – Late scratched on veterinary advice after becoming fractious in the barrier. Connections were advised that a warning would be placed against the mare’s barrier manners.

CALLISTA (A Shin) – Was removed from the barrier and underwent a pre-race veterinary inspection and was cleared to start.

SHE’S GOT THE LOOK (M Singh) – Slow away.

LORDE HAVE MERCY (J Parkes) – Ran up on to the heels of **BALANTO** (L Allpress) which was eased near the 1,400 metres, going back onto **SHE’S GOT THE LOOK** which was also hampered. Rider L Allpress was advised to exercise care. Became awkwardly placed on the heels of **SHEZ EKSTRA** over the final stages.

SEE YA LATER (D Hirini) – Raced three-wide without cover throughout.

WAZNT READY (C O’Beirne) - Raced in restricted room passing the 1,400 metres.

Race 11 | **WANGANUI FUNCTION CENTRE 1600M**

BROTHER ONE (C O’Beirne) - Slow away.

ALL BLACK MAGIC (M Singh) – Slow away. Had to be restrained off heels near the 900 metres.

BIG BEN (Z Moki) – Raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

MAUNA KEA (J Parkes) – When questioned into the run of **MAUNA KEA** J Parkes advised that his preferred option was be to leave the rail and improve rounding the home turn but was unable to do so.