



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Waverley Racing Club	Date:	4 October 2018
Weather:	Overcast then fine		
Track:	Dead 4		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	N Goodwin, D Balcombe and B Bateup		
Vet:	W Stewart		
Typist:	V Perry		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	HANDYMAN, CLASS ABOVE, MISTER GERONIMO, DRATINI, QUEEN OF THE AIR, ROCKONEVE, LADY KARTEL and THE CHOSEN ONE		
Suspensions:	Race		
Protests:	Race		
Fines:	Race		
Warnings:	Race		
Horse Actions:	Race	3	VOLANTIS – warning barrier manners
		5	HAPPY SEA DRAGON – must barrier trial prior to racing next
Follow Up:	Race		
Medical Certificates:	Required from J Bayliss (Unwell) Required from J Riddell (Unwell) Required from J Nason (Injured)		
Rider Changes:	Race	1	I WALK ALONE – Was J Riddell then J Bayliss (both unwell) replaced by B Grylls
		1	OUR MATRIARCH - S Collett replaced J Nason (unwell)
		3	VOLANTIS – M Hills replaced J Bayliss (unwell)
		5	HAPPY SEA DRAGON – J Parkes replaced J Bayliss (unwell)
		6	WESTSIDE – S McKay replaced J Bayliss (unwell)
		8	REGAL DANCER – M Hills replaced J Bayliss (unwell)
Late Scratchings:	Race	3	VOLANTIS – at 1.55pm at the start

GENERAL:

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SUPPLEMENTARY:

Taranaki Racing Saturday 29 September – Race 2 FLORENCE JEAN – Trainer John Morell subsequently reported to stewards that an abscess had burst in the near fore on return to his stables, consistent with the mare having had a deep seated stone bruise.

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	SANDFORDS 2200m
INFOXICATED (D Hirini) - Began awkwardly contacting SIERRA .	
RHETT BUTLER (J Parkes) – Jumped inwards at the start bumping OUR MATRIARCH which had begun awkwardly. RHETT BUTLER then shifted outwards hampering LITTLE MACS which settled back. Tightened near the 200 metres when BLACK	

ANASTA improved to the inside simultaneously as **JAYPERNO** lay inwards under pressure.

OUR MATRIARCH (S Collett) - Raced three-wide without cover in the early stages before being allowed to improve to sit outside the leaders near the 800 metres.

BLACK ANASTA (W Pinn) - Lay out under pressure over the final stages and dictated **JAYPERNO** wider on the track. W Pinn was shown footage of the final stages and was advised that he is expected to straighten his mount sooner than he did on this occasion.

Race 2	TREADWELL GORDON 2200m
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CLASS ABOVE (R Myers) - Held up for a distance near the 500 metres.

LUCKY DREAMER (B Grylls) – Held up rounding the turn having to be angled inwards across heels to gain clear running near the 250 metres.

Race 3	STEELFORM ROOFING GROUP \$50K WAVERLEY CUP 18 NOVEMBER 1650m
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The start of the race was delayed eight minutes while **VOLANTIS** was captured and several others were slow to load.

VOLANTIS (M Hills) – Escaped from its rider who had dismounted after the mare became agitated during its preliminary and would not readily parade. **VOLANTIS** was subsequently scratched on veterinary advice. Connections were advised a warning has been placed against the mare's barrier manners.

POROTENE MHIA (W Pinn) – Slow away.

ASENATH (D Turner) - Raced ungenerously when being restrained shortly after the start.

PRINCE TURBO (D Hirini) – Restrained making the bend awkwardly near the 1,400 metres then continued to hang rounding the bend.

VENETO (C O'Beirne) - Lay in under pressure in the home straight.

SMOOTH COGNAC (Z Moki) – Lost the inside winker in the home straight.

Race 4	PalaMOUNTAINS 1200m
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FACETIME (C O'Beirne) - Began awkwardly settling back.

SPRING BLOSSOM (M Hills) - Raced keenly outside the leaders in the early stages.

DRATINI (L Allpress) – Inconvenienced approaching the 800 metres. L Allpress was questioned regarding the tactics employed on **DRATINI** after noticeably restraining her mount to be some distance off the pace in the early to middle stages when beginning well. L Allpress advised that her instructions from connections were to ride the colt with cover but had got further off the pace than she intended in the back straight after becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of **AMPUIS** which was racing greenly and shifted out simultaneously as **DRATINI** commenced to improve near the 900 metres.

AMPUIS (T Johnson) – Raced greenly throughout shifting out near the 850 metres. Shifted outwards abruptly when struck with the whip near the 200 metres having to be straightened.

FLORAL BELT (C Dell) - Held up early in the home straight having to be angled outwards across heels to gain clear running inside the 200 metres.

HI I'M NIKKITA (W Pinn) – Rider lost the use of the inside iron near the 350 metres so was unable to be ridden to advantage in the home straight.

Race 5	LIQUORLAND WANGANUI 1200m
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HAPPY SEA DRAGON (J Parkes) - Hung running wide on the track rounding the turn and was not persevered with in the home straight. When questioned into the performance rider advised he was unable to steer the gelding around the turn. A subsequent veterinary inspection was clear. Connections were advised that the gelding must trial prior to starting next.

VIVA LILLI (M Hills) – Lay in under pressure in the home straight.	
Race 6	WAVERLEY MOTORS 1200m
<p>BOX OFFICE (B Grylls) – Slow away</p> <p>ESTIMATION (C O’Beirne) - Shifted inwards abruptly near the 300 metres before being straightened hampering WESTSIDE.</p> <p>WESTSIDE (S McKay) - Hampered near the 300 metres.</p> <p>NOT SO SURE (M Singh) – Raced greenly from near the 800 metres making contact with SINARAHMA which was improving to its outside approaching the 400 metres. Lay out under pressure in the home straight.</p> <p>BRANTFORD (S Collett) – Became tight to the inside of ROCKONEVE which shifted in momentarily towards the end of the back straight and when being corrected shifted out dictating ROCKONEVE outwards into the line of NOT SO SURE which had to be restrained and in doing so shifted out forcing SINARAHMA over considerable extra ground. BRANTFORD finished last. When questioned into the performance rider could offer no tangible excuse. A subsequent veterinary inspection did not reveal any obvious abnormality.</p> <p>WILLPOWER (L Allpress) - Was briefly held up near the 350 metres and shifted out and away from ROCKONEVE when that runner improved to its inside passing the 200 metres.</p>	
Race 7	MOORE STEPHENS MARKHAMS 1200m
<p>DOUBLE DOWN (C O’Beirne) - Slow away</p> <p>OZIL (D Hirini) – Slow away. Briefly inconvenienced near the 200 metres. When questioned into the performance rider could offer no excuse. A subsequent veterinary inspection was clear. Trainer M Breslin undertook to monitor the gelding’s progress over the coming days and report any findings to the stewards.</p> <p>MAGICELLA (J Parkes) - Raced in restricted room over the final stages.</p>	
Race 8	BRUCE CLIFTON BUILDING SERVICES 1400m
<p>TINY TOT (Z Moki) - Blundered at the start losing ground. Had to be restrained off heels passing the 600 metres then held up rounding the turn.</p> <p>KARIMA (R Myers) – Slow away</p> <p>MANOLO (S Collett) – Tightened at start, settling back. When questioned into the performance rider advised the gelding had felt indifferent in its actions. A subsequent vet check was clear</p> <p>OVERTHETOP (S McKay) - Raced keenly in the early to middle stages.</p> <p>BLUE RATA ANNA (D Hirini) - Raced three-wide without cover throughout.</p> <p>GREAT NORTH ROAD (J Parkes) – Lay out under pressure in the home straight.</p> <p>J Parkes (GREAT NORTH ROAD) - Was questioned into his decision to angle wide in the home straight when there appeared to be sufficient room to improve into a gap between THE CHOSEN ONE and SUPER GIRL approaching the 200 metres. In explanation J Parkes advised that he was aware of inward movement from SUPER GIRL and was concerned the gap would close so made the decision to angle his mount wider to avoid any interference and maintain a clear run to the line.</p> <p>MCHALE (L Allpress) - Briefly hampered near the 150 metres.</p> <p>SUPER GIRL (D Turner) - Shifted inwards under pressure approaching the 200 metres.</p>	