

# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



## MEETING DETAILS:

<b>Club:</b>	Otaki-Maori Racing Club	<b>Date:</b>	Thursday 8 November 2018
<b>Weather:</b>	Overcast		
<b>Track:</b>	Dead 6; Downgraded to Slow 7 retrospective to Race 1		
<b>Rail:</b>	3.5 Metres		
<b>Stewards:</b>	D Balcombe (Chair), N Goodwin, B Bateup		
<b>Vet:</b>	E Simpson		
<b>Typist:</b>	S Shirriffs		

## SUMMARY:

<b>Swabbing:</b>	PRINCE TURBO; ATLANTA PEACH; SENTIMENTAL MISS; LODI; SKARLOEY; PINULTIMATE; PORCELAIN PRINCESS; FINN.		
<b>Suspensions:</b>	Nil		
<b>Protests:</b>	Nil		
<b>Fines:</b>	Nil		
<b>Warnings:</b>	Nil		
<b>Horse Actions:</b>	Race 1	LILY ALAMOSA – Warning, racing manners	
<b>Follow Up:</b>	Nil		
<b>Medical Certificates:</b>	Nil		
<b>Rider Changes:</b>	Nil		
<b>Late Scratchings:</b>	Race 1	ZEDUZZI at 10.48am due to transport difficulties.	

## GENERAL:

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## SUPPLEMENTARY:

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## RACE COMMENTS:

<b>Race 1</b>	<b>RIVERSTONE CAFÉ 1600 (1600 Metres)</b>
ZEDUZZI – Late scratching at 10.48am due to transport difficulties.	
HANDSOME BLUE (M Singh) – Slow away. Raced keenly in the early stages.	
LILY ALAMOSA (T Johnson) - Raced ungenerously throughout when three wide without cover. Connections were advised that a warning has been placed against mare in respect to its racing manners.	
ORIGINAL GANGSTER (L Allpress) – Raced in restricted room near the 1400 metres.	

**HEAVENLY ECHO** (W Pinn) – Raced keenly throughout. When questioned into performance rider advised the gelding had raced keenly and had little left at the finish. He further advised that the addition of a tongue tie may be beneficial.

Track downgraded to Slow 7 retrospective to Race 1.

**Race 2** | **OTAKI MAIL 1600 (1600 Metres)**

**CAST IN BRONZE** (R Hannam) – Slow away. Held up for a short distance from the 600 metres.

**MAKOURA LODGE** (L Allpress) - Hampered at the start when ATLANTA PEACH jumped outwards.

**RIGEL** (D Turner) – Raced keenly in the early stages.

**PERAZZO** (T Johnson) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

**W Pinn** (WAISAKE) – Rider dropped his whip approaching the 200 metres.

**Race 3** | **VETS ON RIVERBANK 1400 (1400 Metres)**

**VIVA LA PLATINUM** (C O’Beirne) - Awkwardly away settling back.

**BRUNO KELLY** (D Turner) – Slow away.

**KAHU ROCK** (R Hannam) - Raced keenly in the early and middle stages. Lay inwards under pressure over the final stages having to be straightened.

**HESAGOODBOY** (Z Moki) – Had to be restrained approaching the 800 metres, making the bend awkwardly, then lay out for the remainder.

**JUST FABULOUS** (R Myers) -Raced three wide without cover throughout.

**CALLING US HOME** (J Parkes) - Held up for a short distance passing the 400 metres.

**SENTIMENTAL MISS** (T Johnson) -Lay in under pressure over the final stages.

**Race 4** | **EL CHEAPO CARS 1300 (1300 Metres)**

**RIO STAR** (C O’Beirne) - Raced keenly in the early stages when leading.

**C O’Beirne** (RIO STAR) – Advised to exercise greater care after angling her mount inwards shortly after the start when not the required distance clear of MOLIZLAD, NOT SANTA and HERBIE HANKOCK.

**HERBIE HANKOCK** (W Pinn) - Raced keenly in the early stages having to be restrained off the heels of RIO STAR near the 1100 metres and when doing so shifted outwards dictating NOT SANTA wider on the track.

**MOLIZLAD** (L Hemi) - Raced wide without cover throughout.

**NADERCA** (D Bradley) – Restrained off heels near the 1000 metres.Tightened, having to be restrained entering the home straight then held up until approaching the 100 metres before being angled inwards to gain clear running.

**TOOK THE CATCH** (R Hannam) – Returned to the enclosure with blood present in its mouth. A subsequent veterinary inspection revealed a superficial cut consistent with having made contact with the starting gates.

**VELOCE** (T Allan) – Contacted approaching the 200 metres when PORT LINCOLN lay inwards, then disappointed for a run approaching the 100 metres when MOLIZLAD lay inwards simultaneously as HERBIE HANKOCK shifted outwards.

**Race 5** | **AQUASHIELD ROOFING 1200 (1200 Metres)**

**SKARLOEY** (J Parkes) – Slow away.

**ROCCO BELLO** (R Myers) – Raced keenly in the early stages, becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of GRATUITY which shifted in and away from NANCEES GOLD, clipping a heel and blundering approaching the 800 metres. After questioning riders and viewing video footage the incident was considered accidental. When questioned into performance rider advised that the gelding may not have appreciated today's Slow 7 track conditions. A subsequent veterinary inspection was clear.

**NANCEES GOLD** (M Singh) - Raced keenly in the early to middle stages when wide without cover. Lost off front plate during the running.

**W Pinn** (WICKED WENCH) - Dropped whip 30 metres from the finish.

**Race 6** | **NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE (1200 Metres)**

**LINCOLN'S GAL** (R Hannam) – Awkwardly away, settling back. Raced in restricted room passing the 100 metres when runners either side shifted ground.

**ARABICA** (W Pinn) – Raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

**PLAY THE FIELD** (M Singh) - Raced in restricted room for a distance approaching the 600 metres.

**ALLURE** (L Hemi) - Held up near the 300 metres having to be restrained passing the 200 metres.

**Race 7** | **SUNRANS SPA 1600 (1600 Metres)**

**PORCELAIN PRINCESS** (J Parkes) – Slow away.

**MISS THE MESS** (Z Moki) - Began awkwardly, settling back.

**HANK MOODY** (T Johnson) – Tightened shortly after the start when on the heels of COMMANDING PRINCE, which made contact with the hind quarters of SAINT KITT, then shifted out simultaneously as KAIRANGA LAD lay inwards.

**REGAL STEPS** (W Pinn) - Obligated to race wide rounding the turn.

**COMMANDING PRINCE** (M Singh) – Bumped start. Raced keenly in the early stages, restrained off heels approaching the 800 metres.

**DANCE FOR MONEY** (R Hannam) - Held up approaching the 400 metres before being angled inwards to improve entering the home straight.

**Race 8** | **KAPITI SIGNS 2200 (2200 Metres)**

**ARTAXERXES** (R Hannam) - Began awkwardly, settling back.

**ONAWING** (D Bradley) – Slow away.

**CETUS** (D Turner) – Began awkwardly contacting NUNCHUCKS. When questioned into performance rider could offer no excuse. A post-race veterinary inspection was clear.

**ZAC BROWN** (W Pinn) – Jumped outwards at the start contacting KEILIB dictating and tightening VANNOSS, which settled back. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

**VENCEDORA** (L Allpress) - Made the first bend awkwardly, briefly inconveniencing MR COOL BOY, then raced three wide without cover throughout.

**NUNCHUCKS** (D Hirini) - Held up early in the home straight gaining clear running near the 300 metres.

**ALL IN STITCHES** (R Myers) - Ran up on to heels near the 200 metres having to be angled outwards to improve.

**NITRO TED** (J Parkes) - Raced in restricted room approaching the 200 metres.