

# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



## MEETING DETAILS:

<b>Club:</b>	Counties Racing Club	<b>Date:</b>	Wednesday 5 December 2018
<b>Weather:</b>	Fine		
<b>Track:</b>	Dead(6)		
<b>Rail:</b>	4 Metres		
<b>Stewards:</b>	A Coles (Chairman), J Oatham, M Williamson, P Kinsey		
<b>Vet:</b>	B Vosloo		
<b>Typist:</b>	P Laboyrie		

## SUMMARY:

<b>Swabbing:</b>	PACIFIC COAST, SHEEZALLMINE, ALESUND, CHURCH ROAD, SUPER GEE, HOUSE OF CARTIER, CONCERT HALL, IMPERIOUS		
<b>Suspensions:</b>	Nil		
<b>Protests:</b>	<b>Race 5</b>	<b>SPRING BOUQUET 2<sup>nd</sup> v SUPER GEE 1<sup>st</sup> - Upheld</b>	
<b>Fines:</b>	Nil		
<b>Warnings:</b>	<b>Race 7</b>	<b>V Colgan BRAKBAR</b> Shifting ground 300 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]	
<b>Horse Actions:</b>	<b>Race 3</b>	<b>CAPTAIN NOVA</b> – Warning barrier manners	
	<b>4</b>	<b>HOWMUCH TOOMUCH</b> – Must barrier trial prior to racing next	
<b>Follow Up:</b>	<b>Race 7</b>	<b>TERRITORY</b>	
<b>Medical Certificates:</b>	Nil		
<b>Rider Changes:</b>	Nil		
<b>Late Scratchings:</b>	Nil		

## GENERAL:

Nil
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## SUPPLEMENTARY:

Nil
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## RACE COMMENTS:

<b>Race 1</b>	<b>SSANGYONG 1200</b>
<b>SILVER CLOUD</b> (L Innes) – Began awkwardly. Lay in over the concluding stages.	
<b>MUTECHI</b> (R Elliot) – Began awkwardly.	
<b>THE CHASER</b> (C Lammas) – Had difficulty obtaining clear running for the majority of the straight.	
<b>Race 2</b>	<b>MOUNT SHOP 1200</b>
<b>SHEEZALLMINE</b> (T Newman) – Crowded soon after leaving the barrier.	

**LET'S DO THIS** (J Bayliss) – Crowded soon after leaving the barrier.

**THE GARRISON** (D Danis) – Contacted and briefly unbalanced soon after leaving the barrier. Crowded 900 metres and unbalanced. Raced wide for a distance.

**GORGEOUS GEISHA** (R Smyth) – Began awkwardly.

**RED MAX** (M McNab) – Shifted out abruptly leaving the barriers making contact and becoming briefly unbalanced. Shifted out when making the bend near the 900 metres forcing THE GARRISON out which made contact with the hind quarters of BONDI WALK which became unbalanced. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the gelding had proved a difficult ride being inclined to hang throughout, and had failed to respond once placed under pressure in the straight. Trainer N Tiley advised that he would be unlikely to persevere with the gelding from his stable.

**BONDI WALK** (L Innes) – Contacted 900 metres becoming unbalanced. Raced wide for the remainder of the race and was not preserved with over the final 200 metres. A post race veterinary examination revealed no obvious abnormalities.

**MUMMS JEWEL** (M Cameron) – Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.

**Race 3** | **DUNSTAN FEEDS 1200**

**CAPTAIN NOVA** (R Smyth) – Reared as the start was effected after being fractious in the barriers losing ground (5L). The connections were advised that a warning would be placed against the gelding for its barrier manners.

**FREIGHTMAN** (T Thornton) – Crowded leaving the barriers.

**IMPECCABLE CHOICE** (S McKay) – Crowded leaving the barriers.

**ROMANOV GIRL** (R Norvall) – Over-raced in the early stages making the 900 metre bend awkwardly.

**FASTELLIE** (L Satherley) – Over-raced in the lead in the early and middle stages. Rider L Satherley advised that she recommended to the connections the removal of the blinkers.

**MONACO** (V Colgan) – Held up for a distance passing the 300 metres.

**RUNNING MAN** (S Spratt) – Lay in when placed under pressure in the final straight.

**Race 4** | **LONE STAR PUKEKOHE 1300**

**CHURCH ROAD** (M McNab) – Slow to begin.

**SAKHEE'S ROCKET** (S Spratt) – Began awkwardly then crowded.

**HOWMUCH TOOMUCH** (A Calder) – Slow to begin. Ran wide near the 900 metres when making the first bend and continued to hang out for the remainder of the race becoming tailed off. Trainer D Walker was advised that the gelding would now be required to trial satisfactorily prior to racing again.

**MADURO** (V Colgan) – Contacted soon after leaving the barriers becoming unbalanced. Lost the near hind plate during the running.

**LE PATRON** (J Kam) – Raced wide for the majority of the race.

**MAGNIFY** (L Innes) – Improved on to heels for a distance passing the 200 metres.

**Race 5**

**EVENT ESSENTIALS 1400**

**RIDING THE WAVE** (L Innes) – When being steadied passing the 1200 metres shifted out abruptly hampering KOOLASCUZ which was forced out on to SPRING BOUQUET which became unbalanced and shifted wider. RIDING THE WAVE then continued to over-race for a distance. Post race veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities.

**KOOLASCUZ** (J Bayliss) – Hampered passing the 1200 metres then was obliged to race wide without cover for the remainder of the race.

**ROSA FIORE** (T Thornton) – Made the bend awkwardly passing the 900 metres.

**LUMBERJACK** (M Cameron) – Lay in passing the 450 metres and when being corrected shifted out crowding SUPER GEE on to the hind quarters of RIDING THE WAVE with SUPER GEE being steadied when in restricted room.

**SPRING BOUQUET** (M McNab) – Contacted by SUPER GEE which shifted out slightly near the 50 metres with both runners becoming briefly unbalanced.

**SUPER GEE** (C Lammas) – Shifted out under pressure passing the 50 metres making brief contact.

The connections of the second placed horse SPRING BOUQUET (M McNab) lodged an objection alleging interference by the first placed horse SUPER GEE (C Lammas) in the final 100 metres. After hearing submissions and viewing all relevant videos the protest was upheld and the final placings now read 14 SPRING BOUQUET first, 4 SUPER GEE second, 2 LUMBERJACK third.

**Race 6**

**SPLICE CONSTRUCTION 1400**

**HOUSE OF CARTIER** (L Innes) – Began awkwardly then crowded. Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.

**FANTASTICO** (C Lammas) – Crowded start.

**RENOUNCE** (M McNab) – Began awkwardly. Raced ungenerously when being steadied in the early stages.

**PULLYOURSOCKSUP** (S Spratt) – Had a tendency to lay out when making the final bend, and then was briefly held up when laying across heels approaching the 300 metres.

**DR VELOCIOUS** (D Danis) – Held up rounding the final turn.

**TROUBLE** (J Waddell) – Held up for clear running early in the final straight.

**Race 7**

**HAUNUI FARM 1400**

**POKURU WILD** (M McNab) – Slow to begin.

**BRAKBAR** (V Colgan) – Slow to begin then crowded. Shifted out passing the 300 metres when looking to obtain clear running and crowded MANHATTAN FLAME which had to be steadied. Rider V Colgan was issued with a warning.

**MANHATTAN FLAME** (A Goindasamy) – Raced in restricted room soon after jumping away and steadied. Steadied when becoming awkwardly placed inside the heels of the weakening TERRITORY passing the 400 metres. Had to be firmly restrained when becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of BRAKBAR near the 300 metres.

**TERRITORY** (L Innes) – Raced wide without cover throughout. Commenced to give ground passing the 400 metres and was not persevered with over the final 300 metres. When questioned rider L Innes could offer no reason for the gelding's performance. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality other than a small lesion to the right front fetlock.

**MADAM WOO** (J Castano) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

**Race 8**

**PUKEKOHE PARK'S BIG LITTLE CHRISTMAS PARTY 1600**

**OUT OF THE PARK** (J Waddell) – Crowded shortly after leaving the barriers and steadied losing ground.

**TRIOMPHE** (D Danis) – Began awkwardly then made contact with ANATOW and then shifted back in abruptly making brief contact with PRESS MY BUTTONS, then shifting away from that runner again making contact with ANATOW and then knuckling dislodging rider D Danis who was uninjured.

**ANATOW** (J Bayliss) – Contacted and unbalanced shortly after leaving the barrier. Briefly held up passing the 200 metres.

**BAYEUX** (V Colgan) – Slow to begin.

**DODGY KHAPERS** (M McNab) – Slow to begin.

**RUSALKA** (T Thornton) – Raced ungenerously in the early and middle stages. Held up until passing the 200 metres then shifted in to obtain clear running, and was further crowded by POPPA'S SHOCK which was taken in by MAN POWER.

**MAN POWER** (D Hain) – Raced wide throughout.

**IMPERIOUS** (O Bosson) – When shifting out to obtain clear running near the 400 metres made brief contact with LORD BUFFALO.

*Stipendiary Stewards report as posted is provisional and subject to further review and amendment*