

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Taranaki Racing	Date:	Saturday, 20 July 2019
Weather:	Overcast then Showery		
Track:	Heavy (11)		
Rail:	3.5 Metres		
Stewards:	J Oatham (Chairman), B Jones, B Bateup		
Vet:	M Turner		
Typist:	K Smart		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	OBSESSIVE, CHARLIE HORSE, MAGDALA, BOBBY DAZZLER, ROCK ISLAND LINE, HELENA BABY, ROSEWOOD, ZABDI, HARD TO BE HUMBLE		
Suspensions:	Nil		
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Nil		
Warnings:	Race 2	L Satherley HE'S RIC [Rule 638(1)(d)] Shifting ground 1600 metres	
	Race 5	A Goindasamy MARS BARS [Rule 638(1)(d)] Shifting ground 350 metres	
Horse Actions:	Nil		
Follow Up:	Nil		
Medical Certificates:	Required from T Johnson		
Rider Changes:	Race 3	CARDELLI - D Turner replaced T Johnson (unwell)	
Late Scratchings:	Nil		

GENERAL:

T Johnson did not attend the meeting due to illness and is required to provide medical certificate to Stipendiary Stewards prior to racing next.
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SUPPLEMENTARY:

<p>Whangarei Racing Club - Saturday 13 July 2019</p> <p>Race 1 - WHANGAREI ITM (1000 metres)</p> <p>MAYBEASHOWOFF (T Yanagida) – Trainer D Greene advised that the gelding was showing signs of slight muscle soreness over the hind quarters in the days following this race which has now been treated, adding that MAYBEASHOWOFF has also been attended to by a horse dentist and it is his intention to continue on with its current preparation.</p> <p>Race 8 - UNITED SECURITY NORTHLAND (1600 metres)</p> <p>CHAPEAU (C Grylls) – Co-trainer M Bradley advised that she was satisfied with the recovery of the filly, adding that connections would be giving consideration to its immediate racing programme in the coming days.</p> <p>Wellington Racing Club - Saturday 13 July 2019</p> <p>Race 5 - GRANT PLUMBING WELLINGTON STEEPLECHASE (5500 Metres)</p>

CHOCOLATE FISH (S Phelan) - Trainer S Brown advised that the gelding underwent blood tests in the days following this race which revealed a low white blood cell count, adding that CHOCOLATE FISH has now received treatment for this and would undergo further blood tests prior to racing next.

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	FASTTRACK INSURANCE 1800
<p>OBSESSIVE (L Allpress) - Slow to begin. Made contact with TICKET TO RIDE when shifting outwards to obtain clear running near the 250 metres, then being inclined to lay out under pressure.</p> <p>MY GIFT (R Hannam) - Began awkwardly and blundered losing ground. Raced wide without cover when attempting to improve forward from the 1000 metres. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the gelding had paraded and raced in a very fresh condition today.</p> <p>OPHELIA LEE (D Bradley) - Slow to begin. Briefly held up early in the final straight then after angling outwards to obtain clear running was inclined to lay inwards having to be straightened on a number of occasions.</p> <p>TICKET TO RIDE (R Myers) - Lay out making the first bend awkwardly. Bumped near the 250 metres.</p>	
Race 2	THE DEVON HOTEL AND MARBLES RESTAURANT 2000
<p>HAMILTONIAN (C O'Beirne) - Slow to begin.</p> <p>TALLYHO TWINKLETOE (D Hirini) - Crowded shortly after the start having to be steadied losing ground.</p> <p>L Satherley (HE'S RIC) - Issued with a warning after permitting her mount to shift inwards passing the winning post on the first occasion near the 1600 metres when not fully clear of INDIGENOUS UNION which was dictated inwards crowding BEACHED AS BRO onto CHARLIE HORSE.</p> <p>INDIGENOUS UNION (J Parkes) - Had to be steadied when dictated inwards near the 1600 metres. When questioned into performance rider advised that the gelding had failed to quicken in today's testing track conditions.</p> <p>BEACHED AS BRO (D Johnson) - Crowded near the 1600 metres. When questioned into performance rider advised that the gelding had been unable to quicken in today's testing track conditions. A post-race veterinary inspection was clear.</p> <p>CHARLIE HORSE (D Turner) - Crowded near the 1600 metres.</p> <p>HI I'M NIKKITA (H Andrew) - Raced three wide without cover.</p>	
Race 3	SANDFORDS RURAL CARRIERS SC MAIDEN 1400
<p>TARABEEBEE (C Johnson) - Began awkwardly after being fractious in the barriers losing ground. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that after a poor beginning the filly had never travelled comfortably and was of the opinion that it had failed to handle today's track conditions.</p> <p>EL SENOR (A Jones) - Began awkwardly losing ground.</p> <p>BECKIDBOO (H Schofer) - Slow to begin.</p> <p>BAE CORP (B Ansell) - Inconvenienced when placed in restricted room to the inside of WILLY AWAY which lay in near the 200 metres.</p>	

Race 4	SEATON PARK 3YO 1400
<p>LITTLE SHIRLEY (A Goindasamy) - Jumped away awkwardly making contact with AKERRA then again ducked outwards shortly after the start, again contacting AKERRA. Made the junction on to the course proper awkwardly shifting outwards abruptly making firm contact with AKERRA which was hampered and forced wider.</p> <p>AKERRA (L Allpress) - Contacted leaving the barriers then again contacted shortly after the start. Hampered and forced wider passing the 1200 metres when received heavy contact.</p> <p>TIGERTIGER (M Hudson) - Raced wide without cover throughout.</p> <p>ANNIE OKAY (L Satherley) - When questioned rider advised that the filly had not felt comfortable in today's track conditions and with the left handed way of going. A post-race veterinary inspection was clear.</p> <p>PENELOPE CRUISE (J Parkes) - Held up for a short distance when improving onto heels near the 400 metres.</p>	
Race 5	REVITAL FERTILISERS 1400
<p>MANHATTEN FLAME (C Johnson) - Jumped away awkwardly, then being further hampered when contacted.</p> <p>LA LANDONNE (J Parkes) - Jumped outwards at the start crowding MARS BARS onto MANHATTEN FLAME, then being inclined to lay out in the early stages further inconveniencing MARS BARS. Had a tendency to over race in the early and middle stages then laying out rounding the final turn making contact with the hind quarters of LONDON EXPRESS near the 350 metres. Rider J Parkes advised that the mare had raced ungenerously throughout also being inclined to over race, then being quickly beaten when placed under pressure, not feeling entirely comfortable in today's track conditions. A post-race veterinary inspection did not reveal any abnormality.</p> <p>MARS BARS (A Goindasamy) - Crowded start then further inconvenienced in the early stages. Held up rounding the final turn from near the 600 metres, before shifting outwards to obtain clear running passing the 350 metres.</p> <p>LONDON EXPRESS (H Schofer) - Over-raced outside the leader in the early to middle stages. Unbalanced when hind quarters contacted near the 350 metres. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that after racing keenly the filly had been quickly beaten when placed under pressure.</p> <p>A Goindasamy (MARS BARS) - Issued with a warning after permitting his mount to shift outwards rounding the final turn crowding LIQUID INSPIRATION near the 350 metres.</p> <p>LIQUID INSPIRATION (R Myers) - Steadied when crowded near the 350 metres.</p>	
Race 6	POWERWORX OPUNAKE CUP 1400
<p>ROSEWOOD (L Allpress) - Slow to begin.</p> <p>HERENGAWA (C Johnson) - Crowded shortly after the start.</p> <p>SEVENTH UP (G Cooksley) - Slow to begin. When questioned regarding performance rider reported that the gelding had failed to handle today's track conditions.</p> <p>RED SIERRA (S Collett) - Slow to begin.</p> <p>COME BACK (J Parkes) - Raced three wide without cover.</p> <p>TAURUS (M Singh) - Raced wide without cover.</p>	

NEW YORK MINUTE (C Grylls) - When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the mare had felt a beaten runner passing the 600 metres and was unable to offer any excuse other than the mare's big weight of 59kgs. A post race veterinary inspection was clear.

TE TORO PEARL (C Lammas) - When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the mare had travelled well enough but had been unable to quicken once placed under pressure in today's track conditions. A post race veterinary inspection was clear.

Race 7	SINCLAIR ELECTRICAL & REFRIGERATION SC MDN 1800
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ARATOKA (D Bradley) - Crowded shortly after the start having to be steadied. Had to be steadied off heels near the 1100 metres. Steadied when crowded to the inside of ESCAPOLOGIST which lay in going into the bend near the 800 metres. K Chowdhooory was advised to exercise greater care. Rider reported that the filly had raced greenly but had been a beaten runner from near the 600 metres. A post race veterinary inspection was clear.

CAST IN BRONZE (R Hannam) - Crowded shortly after the start.

BRIAN BORU (S Collett) - Hampered at the start.

COME SEI (H Scofer) - Hampered start having to be steadied.

FINDING NEMO (R Myers) - Began awkwardly and shifted out.

PAINLESS (J Parkes) - Jumped away awkwardly. Gave ground quickly from the 600 metres and was not persevered with dropping out to a distant last rider advising failed to handle today's track conditions.

DERECHO (H Andrew) - Jumped away awkwardly, then shifting away from runners to its inside hampering ZABDI, ESCAPOLOGIST, COME SEI and BRIAN BORU.

ZABDI (D Mansour) - Hampered start. Commenced to shift outwards under pressure passing the 200 metres, then racing very greenly over the concluding stages running to the extreme outside of the track then blundering shortly after the finish dislodging its rider who was uninjured.

FLYINGFLYNN (C Grylls) - Came together with BELLA NERO near the 1100 metres unbalancing both runners.

BELLA NERO (C Lammas) - Came together with FLYINGFLYNN near the 1100 metres with both runners becoming unbalanced.

ESCAPOLOGIST (K Chowdhooory) - Hampered at the start.

Race 8	COASTAL AGRI SERVICES / DELAVAL 1800
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HARD TO BE HUMBLE (M Hudson) - Slow to begin.

TOORAAK TOWER (H Andrew) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

ALVINS DREAM (A Goindasamy) - Raced wide without cover rounding the first bend.

SPONDULIX (D Bradley) - Rider reported that the gelding failed to handle today's track conditions.

ALL IN STITCHES (L Allpress) - Rider reported that the gelding failed to handle today's track conditions.

M Hudson (HARD TO BE HUMBLE) - Spoken to regarding her whip use.

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