

# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

## MEETING DETAILS:

<b>Club:</b>	Waikato Racing Club	<b>Date:</b>	Saturday 6 July 2019
<b>Weather:</b>	Fine		
<b>Track:</b>	Heavy(10)		
<b>Rail:</b>	4 Metres		
<b>Stewards:</b>	J Oatham (Chairman), M Williamson, A Coles, W Robinson, V Algar		
<b>Vet:</b>	M Brightwell, B O'Shea		
<b>Typist:</b>	M Coles		

## SUMMARY:

<b>Swabbing:</b>	LONDON BOUND, COLOGNE, SULTAN OF SWING, SWEET TREAT, RODMAR, HELENA BABY, POLLY GREY, WOODEN EDGE		
<b>Suspensions:</b>	Nil		
<b>Protests:</b>	Race	2	<b>BECAUSE</b> (2 <sup>nd</sup> ) vs <b>COLOGNE</b> (1 <sup>st</sup> ) - Dismissed
<b>Fines:</b>	Nil		
<b>Warnings:</b>	Race	8	<b>L Satherley</b> - NUTTEE Shifting ground 350 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
<b>Horse Actions:</b>	Race	4	<b>QUIZMASTER</b> - Veterinary clearance required
<b>Follow Up:</b>	Nil		
<b>Medical Certificates:</b>	Required from R Smyth		
<b>Rider Changes:</b>	Race	2	<b>GIRL OF STEEL</b> - C Burdan replaced R Smyth (unwell)
		4	<b>I SEE RED</b> - T Wenn replaced R Smyth
		5	<b>SCAGLIONI</b> - BR Jones replaced R Smyth
		7	<b>CHERRY LANE</b> - A Calder replaced R Smyth
<b>Late Scratchings:</b>	Race	2	<b>HAVANA HEIGHTS</b> - 9.22am on veterinary advice
		8	<b>SO WICKED</b> - 2.42 on veterinary advice

## GENERAL:

R Smyth did not attend the meeting due to illness and is now required to provide a medical certificate to Stipendiary Stewards prior to riding next.
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## SUPPLEMENTARY:

<b>Hawkes Bay RI - Saturday 29 June 2019</b>
<b>Race 8 - Bostock New Zealand Spring Carnival Tickets On Sales Now</b>
<b>R Elliot</b> (BEAUTY STAR) - An appeal against the severity of the penalty imposed was heard prior to today's racemeeting with the Appeals Tribunal reducing his suspension to one of five national riding days with the amended dates now being Friday 5 July to Saturday 13 July inclusive.

## RACE COMMENTS:

<b>Race 1</b>	<b>WIN THE GROUP 2 WAIKATO GUINEAS 1200</b>
<b>LONDON BOUND</b> (C Grylls) - Began awkwardly.	
<b>PEPPERELLO</b> (D Mansour) - Began awkwardly.	

**SAI FAH** (M Coleman) - Raced in restricted room passing the 150 metres to the inside of STATELINE (T Yanagida) which shifted inwards under pressure, with SAI FAH making brief contact with ROC CHA which became unbalanced. T Yanagida was advised that he would be expected to exercise greater care in similar circumstances.

**ROC CHA** (T Thornton) - Contacted 150 metres becoming unbalanced

**FLAUNTING** (S Spratt) - Rider reported that the filly had felt reluctant to hit out freely in the early and middle stages reacting to the amount of kick back.

<b>Race 2</b>	<b>GROUP 1 TURF BAR CAMBRIDGE 1600</b>
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**GIRL OF STEEL** - C Burdan was permitted to replace the unwell R Smyth as there was no senior rider available. Crowded leaving the barriers.

**GOCARA** (T Thornton) - Began awkwardly.

**VANILLA CHINCHILLA** (C Grylls) - Crowded leaving the barriers.

**ANATOLIA** (A Calder) - Slow to begin.

**MAN POWER** (E McCall) - Raced keenly in the early stages shifting outwards to avoid heels near the 1000 metres, then racing wide without cover. Had a tendency to lay in under pressure in the final straight.

**COLOGNE** (S Spratt) - Was inclined to lay out when racing greenly in the final straight.

**ARoader** (D Mansour) - Raced in restricted room passing the 300 metres to the outside of MR SCALLYWAG (L Satherley) which shifted outwards under pressure. L Satherley was advised to exercise care.

**ROC IN STYLE** (B Jones) - Hampered approaching the 300 metres by TARINGAMOUTU (N Alam) which shifted out when being stuck with the whip. N Alam was advised to exercise greater care when in a similar circumstances with Stewards taking into account his inexperience.

Following the race a protest was lodged by the connections of the 2<sup>nd</sup> placed horse BECAUSE alleging interference by the 1<sup>st</sup> placed horse COLOGNE over the final 100 metres. After viewing films and hearing submissions the Judicial Committee dismissed the protest.

<b>Race 3</b>	<b>U S NAVY FLAG FOXBRIDGE PLATE 17 AUG 1600</b>
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**ATHENA BABY** (T Thornton) - Slow to begin then raced three wide without cover.

**ANDOYAS** (C Grylls) - Began awkwardly. Rider dropped his whip passing the 200 metres.

**ADMIRAL** (E McCall) - Held up early in the final straight.

<b>Race 4</b>	<b>WAIKATO EQUINE VETERINARY CENTRE 2200</b>
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**CHARLI ROSE** (D Mansour) - Began awkwardly then crowded.

**LOTHBROK** (D Danis) - Began awkwardly, raced keenly in the early to middle stages. Rider was unable to offer any excuses for its poor performance.

**SUPER GEE** (A Collett) - When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the gelding had never travelled comfortably at any stage of the race. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormalities. Co-trainer C Gibbs advised that the gelding would be given a short break to freshen.

**QUIZMASTER** (Coleman) - Came under pressure near the 800 metres then commenced to give ground shortly after not being persevered with from the 600 metres dropping out to finish a distant last. M Coleman reported that the gelding had been making abnormal breathing noises. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality. Co-trainer C Gibbs was advised that a veterinary certificate of fitness would be required before racing next.

**VITTACHI** (R Jones) - Raced in restricted room when attempting to improve into a tight run near the 350 metres.

**PURSUED** (M Kareem) - Rider dropped his whip near the 100 metres.

<b>Race 5</b>	<b>SKYCITY HAMILTON WAIKATO CUP ON SALE NOW 2100</b>
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**FORT STREET DANCER** (M Kareem) - Began awkwardly losing ground, made the crossing near the 1600 metres awkwardly.

**BOJANGLES** (C Burdan) - Began awkwardly then crowded losing ground.

**AZABET** (D Danis) - Began awkwardly losing ground, over raced in the early stages.

**BEACH AS BRO** (M Coleman) - Crowded between runners near the 1000 metres when improving forward.

**RODMAR** (A Jones) - When questioned regarding the improved performance trainer A Fuller advised that the gelding does have ability and had been working well, but in recent races had been reluctant when amongst runners and was suited by racing in the open today.

**SUPER HOOF** (S Spratt) - Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed no obvious abnormality.

<b>Race 6</b>	<b>HAPPY BIRTHDAY JOHN SOUTHWORTH 1400</b>
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**TED WILLDOIT** (E McCall) - Began awkwardly.

**GRAND RIO** (C Grylls) - Briefly inconvenienced near the 250 metres when PAISLEY PARK shifted outwards under pressure.

<b>Race 7</b>	<b>NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE (1600)</b>
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**ESTEFANIA** (C Burdan) - Crowded and hampered leaving the barriers losing ground.

**FALKIRK LASS** (D Danis) - Began awkwardly.

**POLLY GREY** (A Collett) - Raced keenly in the early stages, being steadied and shifting outwards passing the 1400 metres to avoid heels.

**RED BEACH** (D Mansour) - Steadied when becoming awkwardly placed on heels near the finish.

<b>Race 8</b>	<b>RED CABS - YOUR BEST BET 1400</b>
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**TUTTA LA CLASSE** (A Calder) - Slow to begin then further hampered when crowded.

**EL COOLIO** (B Jones) - Slow to begin then further hampered when crowded.

**LEYTANA** (A Collett) - Slow to begin then further hampered when crowded.

**WOODEN EDGE** (M Kareem) - Shifted outwards abruptly leaving the barriers crowding TUTTA LA CLASSE, EL COOLIO and LEYTANA. Made contact with NUTTEE when attempting to shift inwards across the heels of SYMBIO near the 1000 metres. WOODEN EDGE and NUTTEE then continued to come together for a distance with WOODEN EDGE having to be steadied when becoming awkwardly placed near the heels of SYMBIO near the 900 metres.

**NUTTEE** (L Satherley) - Steadied approaching the 1100 metres when in restricted room between SYMBIO which shifted out when being restrained by its rider, and WOODEN EDGE. Came together with WOODEN EDGE for a distance near the 1000 metres. Lay out under pressure in the final straight.

**L Satherley** - Issued with a warning after permitting her mount to shift outwards near the 350 metres hampering SO MUCH MOUR.

**SO MUCH MOUR** (S Spratt) - Hampered 350 metres.

**SYMBIO** (V Colgan) - Returned to the enclosure with blood present in the left nostril which upon veterinary examination was found to be from a laceration in the nostril.

**GRAND ARIANA** (C Burdan) - Returned to the enclosure with blood present in the left nostril which upon veterinary examination was found to be from a laceration in the nostril.

**DEPENDSONSITUATION** (D Mansour) - When questioned regarding performance, rider advised that the gelding had failed to handle today's track conditions.

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