

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Wanganui Jockey Club	Date:	Thursday, 4 July 2019
Weather:	Overcast, then showery		
Track:	Heavy (11)		
Rail:	Out 2 Metres		
Stewards:	D Balcombe (Chairman), J Oatham, B Bateup.		
Vet:	J R O'Brien BVSc		
Typist:	S Shirriffs		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	INFOXICATED; BELLA NERO; PAINLESS; SHOWMEWARE; RED FOREST; EASY HABIT; LOUBOUTIN; CHEEKY AZZ.		
Suspensions:	Race	1	N Downs (INFOXICATED) Excessive use of whip prior to 100 metres [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii) – Suspended 8/7-7/8 incl (7 jumps days).
		6	J Parkes (RETZENA) Shifting ground 100 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] – Suspended 7-18/7 incl (5 days).
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Race	1	M Cropp (HANDSOME BLUE) \$300 [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii) - Excessive use of whip prior to 100 metres.
		3	D Turner (MEILA REI) \$200 [Rule 330(3)(c)] – Overweight
		3/7	H Schofer (SMOOTH COGNAC, ZEDABEL LASS) \$100 [Rule 330(3)(c)] – Overweight
		4	J Baillie (YOULLBEFINE) \$500 [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] – Excessive use of whip prior to 100 metres.
		7	R Hannam (SOPHIA MAGIA) \$300 [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] – Excessive use of whip prior to 100 metres.
Warnings:	Race	2	M Cropp (HERE'S TROUBLE) [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] – Whip use prior to 100 metres.
		4	J Parkes (OUR CHLOE) – [Rule 638(1)(d)] - Shifting ground 250 metres.
		5	C Dell (DRAGON DANCER) [Rule 638(1)(d)] – Shifting ground 1000 metres.
Horse Actions:	Race	2	CRISTAL BUBBLE – Must trial.
		3	RELY ON ME – Veterinary clearance required.
		6	BOBBY DAWN – Must trial.
Follow Up:	Race		
Medical Certificates:	Received from D Turner Received from M Cropp		
Rider Changes:	Race	1	RIGEL – K Veenendaal replaced B Lammas
		3	MEILA REI – R Elliot replaced D Turner (overweight)
		3	SMOOTH COGNAC – B Ansell replaced H Schofer (overweight)
		7	ZEDABEL LASS – C Burdan replaced H Schofer
Late Scratchings:	Race	2	CRISTAL BUBBLE at 12.29pm – refusing to load.
		3	RELY ON ME at 1.01pm – veterinary advice.

GENERAL:

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SUPPLEMENTARY:

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RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	ALSCO MAIDEN HIGHWEIGHT 2050 (2050 Metres)
<p>RIGEL – K Veenendaal replaced B Lammas due to B Lammas having an ownership interest in two runners in this race and under the provisions of Rule 333(2)(b) he is not permitted to ride in the race. Raced keenly in the middle stages.</p> <p>MR DAVINCI (S O'Malley) – Slow away (3L).</p> <p>HANDSOME BLUE (M Cropp) - Raced wide throughout in search of better footing.</p> <p>PRIVATE LINE (R Elliot) – Rider advised the gelding had failed to handle today's extremely testing track conditions. A subsequent veterinary inspection was clear.</p> <p>N Downs (INFOXICATED) – Admitted a breach of Rule 638(3)(b)(ii) in that he used his whip excessively prior to the 100 metres and had his licence to ride in races suspended from the conclusion of racing on Sunday, 7 July up to and including racing on Wednesday, 7 August 2019 (7 jumps days).</p> <p>M Cropp (HANDSOME BLUE) – Admitted a breach of Rule 638(3)(b)(ii) in that he used his whip excessively prior to the 100 metres and was fined \$300.</p>	
Race 2	WANGANUI STEELFORMERS MAIDEN HIGHWEIGHT 1600 (1600 Metres)
<p>CRISTAL BUBBLE (S O'Malley) - Late scratching after refusing to load. Connections were advised that the mare must trial to the satisfaction of stewards prior to racing next.</p> <p>CROSSED MY MIND (C Dell) - Shifted out abruptly shortly after the start hampering HERE'S TROUBLE, which had to be heavily restrained going back on to OUR CHARLI'S ANGEL, which took evasive action.</p> <p>HERE'S TROUBLE (M Cropp) – Hampered start.</p> <p>OUR CHARLI'S ANGEL (G Walsh) – Inconvenienced shortly after the start.</p> <p>M Cropp (HERE'S TROUBLE) - Issued with a warning under Rule 638(3)(b)(ii) with regard to the use of his whip prior to the 100 metres.</p> <p>K Veenendaal (KEEP IT UP) - Was reminded of her obligations to ride her mounts fully to the finish when able to do so.</p>	
Race 3	G BRISTOL & SONS MAIDEN 1600 (1600 Metres)
<p>D Turner (MEILA REI) – Was unable to make the contracted weight for MEILA REI and was replaced by R Elliot. D Turner admitted a breach of Rule 330(3)(c) and was fined \$200.</p> <p>RELY ON ME (D Bradley) – Underwent a pre-race veterinary inspection and found to be lame in the left hind and was late scratched. Connections were advised that a veterinary clearance would be required prior to starting next.</p>	

SMOOTH COGNAC – B Ansell replaced H Schofer (overweight). H Schofer admitted a breach of Rule 330(3)(c) and was fined \$100.

GOLDEN PERA (C Dell) - Shifted out when being restrained shortly after the start briefly inconveniencing **QUEEN OF FIRE**.

QUEEN OF FIRE (J Baillie) – Briefly inconvenienced start.

MEILA REI (R Elliot) - Rider advised the filly had failed to handle today's Heavy(11) track conditions.

Race 4	NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE MAIDEN 1200 (1200 Metres)
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CHOSEN PEAK (R Elliot) – Tightened at the start, settling back. Shifted in, simultaneously as **OUR CHLOE** shifted out under pressure, becoming awkwardly placed on heels near the 250 metres having to be restrained.

SPECIAL GIRL (D Bradley) – Raced keenly in the early stages.

OUR CHLOE (J Parkes) – Lay out under pressure in the home straight, brushing **SHOWMEWARE** on a couple of occasions over the final stages.

MISS YELRACM (R Hannam) – Shifted in abrupt near the 900 metres. Rider reported the mare had raced greenly throughout.

J Parkes (**OUR CHLOE**) - Issued with a warning under Rule 638(1)(d) after allowing his mount to shift out near the 250 metres hampering **CHOSEN PEAK**.

J Baillie (**YOULLBEFINE**) – Admitted a breach of Rule 638(3)(b)(ii) in that he used his whip excessively prior to the 100 metres and was fined \$500.

Race 5	TIME TEST – YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO BREED THE BEST 1200 (1200 Metres)
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DRAGON DANCER (C Dell) – Began awkwardly settling back. C Dell was issued with a warning under Rule 638(1)(d) after angling his mount to shift inwards near the 1000 metres when not fully clear of **TECHNICIAN**.

DURHAM (D Bradley) - Jumped outwards at the start tightening **TECHNICIAN**.

TECHNICIAN (C Burdan) - Tightened when runners either side began awkwardly losing ground. Had to be steadied to avoid heels near the 1000 metres.

SMOKIN' OAK (R Hannam) When questioned into performance rider could offer no tangible excuse. A subsequent veterinary inspection was clear.

Race 6	SPOONER, HOOD & REDPATH LTD MAIDEN 1200 (1200 Metres)
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BOBBY DAWN (D Turner) – Underwent and passed a veterinary inspection prior to the start after becoming fractious and being removed from its barrier. Connections were advised that **BOBBY DAWN** must trial to the satisfaction of stewards prior to racing next. Trainer J Millar advised that **BOBBY DAWN** would no longer be considered a racing proposition from her stable.

MI JAKKY (C Burdan) – Slow away.

J Parkes (**RETZENA**) – Admitted a breach of Rule 638(1)(d) in that he permitted his mount to shift out approaching the 100 metres, when not clear of **OUR WAY**, which was checked. After hearing submissions, J Parkes had his licence to

ride in races suspended from the conclusion of racing on Saturday, 6 July up to and including racing on Thursday, 18 July (5 days).

OUR WAY (C O'Beirne) – Checked 100 metres. Trainer G Haigh viewed footage of the incident with a view to lodging a protest but elected not to proceed.

Race 7	NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE 1350 (1350 Metres)
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ZEDABEL LASS – C Burdan replaced H Schofer.

MY ZED (M Hudson) – Slow away.

BELLA PADOZA (J Baillie) - Jumped outwards at the start contacting EMPRESS TZU HSI, which shifted out tightening SOPHIA MAGIA, which settled back.

EMPRESS TZU HSI (C O'Beirne) – Contacted start.

SOPHIA MAGIA (R Hannam) – Tightened start.

STYLE BY DESIGN (H Andrew) - Inconvenienced shortly after the start when CLASSY LANE (D Bradley) angled outwards when not entirely clear. D Bradley was advised to exercise care.

R Hannam (SOPHIA MAGIA) – Admitted a breach of Rule 638(3)(b)(ii) in that he used his whip excessively prior to the 100 metres and was fined \$300.

Race 8	COMMDIVES NZ MAIDEN 1350 (1350 Metres)
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SHE'S GOT THE LOOK (D Hirini) - Began awkwardly contacting BILLY THE KID, then shifted in bumping MAGIC INCANTO.

BILLY THE KID (L Allpress) – Contacted start.

MAGIC INCANTO (J Parkes) - Bumped start.

PHELAN FOXY (D Turner) - Hung rounding the turn.