



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Auckland Racing Club	Date:	Saturday 16 February 2019
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Good(3)		
Rail:	8 Metres		
Stewards:	J Oatham (Chairman), A Coles, W Robinson, P Kinsey		
Vet:	I Bridge, N Houston		
Stenographer:	M Gemmell		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:			SHE'S A THIEF, MONACO, THE REBEL KNIGHT, SANDRINE, EVER LOYAL, SURELY SACRED, IN A TWINKLING, GLORY DAYS, BLUE BREEZE, SPECIAL LIGHT
Suspensions:	Race 8	L Hemi	HEAD OFFICE Careless riding 1800 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 16-28/2 incl, 7 days
Protests:			Nil
Fines:	Race 7	C Lammas	FINAL SUGGESTION Unable to make weight [Rule 330(3)(c)] Fined \$200
	8	T Pike	SPECIAL LIGHT Late declaration of rider [Rule 537(a)] Fined \$50
Warnings:	Race 1	O Bosson	BIT LIPPY Shifted ground 200 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
	2	J Castano	MORRIS LASS Shifted ground 1000 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
Horse Actions:	Race 2	SELVAMANI	- Bled, two month stand down from training and three month stand down from racing or trialing with a veterinary clearance then required
Follow Up:	Race 6	CUTADEEL	
	7	CHANCE TO DANCE	
	7	MONGOLIAN MARSHAL	
Medical Certificates:			Received covering J Waddell
Rider Changes:	Race 7	FINAL SUGGESTION	- R Myers replaced C Lammas (overweight)
Late Scratchings:			Nil

GENERAL:

No issues to report.

SUPPLEMENTARY:

Taranaki Racing Inc. - Saturday 2 February 2019 Race 6 - FASTTRACK INSURANCE OAKS PRELUDE 1800 WILD SEAS (M Coleman) – Co-trainer A Scott advised that the filly has been sent for a spell.
Matamata Racing Club - Sunday 3 February 2019 Race 9 - K R BELL ELECTRICAL 2000 NEXT UP (G Cooksley) – Trainer S Hale advised that she was satisfied with the recovery of the gelding and it is her intention to add a tongue tie to NEXT UP for its next start.

Racing Tauranga - Wednesday 6 February 2019

Race 7 - WORLDS END BAR RESTAURANT AND CAFÉ 2100

ADIS (C Lammas) – Co-trainer K Kelso advised that the mare has been sent for a spell.

Waikato Racing Club - Saturday 9 February 2019

Race 7 - HERBIE DYKE STAKES (Group I)

DANZDANZDANCE (M Rodd) – Co-trainer C Gibbs advised that he was satisfied with the recovery of the mare and it is their intention to continue on with its current preparation.

Race 9 - THE BREEZE 99.4FM PREMIER

GRAND MAYSON (J Waddell) – Co-trainer J Benner advised Stewards that the gelding showed no signs of lameness in the following days, adding it is their intention to continue on with its current preparation.

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	Superfence 1200
<p>SATRIANI (V Colgan) - Slow to begin.</p> <p>BIT LIPPY (O Bosson) - Slow to begin.</p> <p>AUTUMN WILD (C Grylls) - Over-raced through the middle stages. Lay in near the 350 metres having to be corrected by its rider to avoid the heels of SHE'S A THIEF.</p> <p>TIGER SILK (A Calder) - Held up near the 300 metres and continued to have difficulty obtaining clear running until near the 100 metres.</p> <p>CAVALLO VELOCE (S McKay) - Held up near the 300 metres before shifting outwards to obtain clear running approaching the 200 metres then being briefly unbalanced when bumped by HOUSE OF CARTIER.</p> <p>O Bosson (BIT LIPPY) - Issued with a warning after permitting his mount to shift inwards near the 200 metres placing HOUSE OF CARTIER in restricted room for a distance with that runner having to be steadied away from the heels of BIT LIPPY near the 150 metres.</p> <p>HOUSE OF CARTIER (M Cameron) - Placed in restricted room for a distance near the 200 metres then having to be steadied away from heels near the 150 metres.</p> <p>LISMORE DIAMOND (M McNab) - Held up early in the final straight and was then inclined to lay in when placed under pressure.</p>	
Race 2	Papatoetoe Glass 1200
<p>SELVAMANI (A Calder) - Slow away. Steadied when crowded near the 1000 metres. Returned to the enclosure with blood present in the nasal area. After undergoing a veterinary inspection SELVAMANI was confirmed to have bled and is now subject to the mandatory two month stand down from being in training and three month stand down from racing or trialing with a veterinary clearance then required. Co-trainer P Williams indicated that the filly would now be retired from their stable.</p> <p>THE FAME GAME (J Waddell) - Crowded and steadied at the start. Held up early in the final straight.</p> <p>BREEZON (L Allpress) - Began awkwardly shifting outwards crowding THE FAME GAME which had to be steadied losing ground.</p>	

HONESTY (C Johnson) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Unable to obtain clear running until near the 100 metres.

J Castano (MORRIS LASS) - Issued with a warning after permitting his mount to shift inwards near the 1000 metres when not fully clear of SELVAMANI which had to be steadied.

CIN CIN (D Danis) - Eased down over the final stages when well beaten with the rider advising that the mare had raced keenly early and had been quickly beaten when placed under pressure and had failed to respond to his riding. A post-race veterinary inspection did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

Race 3 | **Wireless Rentals 1500**

ACUTUS (J Riddell) - Slow to begin.

THE REBEL KNIGHT (M Cameron) - Raced three wide without cover. Inclined to lay in under pressure early in the final straight.

SWISS MAID (C Grylls) - Had to be steadied when becoming awkwardly placed inside the heels of FREEWHEELER near the 550 metres.

OHTHOSERUSSIANS (L Allpress) - Inconvenienced near the 350 metres when THE REBEL KNIGHT lay in.

IFFINDOUBT (S Collett) - Lost the left front plate passing the 150 metres.

Race 4 | **Stella Artois 1600**

ROC WHEELER (L Satherley) - Jumped away awkwardly shifting inwards making firm contact with TERRIFIQUE.

TERRIFIQUE (S McKay) - Bumped start. Raced ungenerously when being restrained in the early and middle stages getting its head up.

SANDRINE (C Lammas) - Bumped near the 300 metres when VICHY (R Myers) shifted inwards under pressure. R Myers was advised to exercise greater care.

SAVAPAK (J Waddell) - Returned to the enclosure with blood present in the nasal area. After undergoing a veterinary inspection including an endoscopic examination it showed no blood had come from the lungs so is not classed as a bleeder.

Race 5 | **Dunstan Feeds 1200**

RIKKI TIKKI TAVI (C Lammas) - Held up entering the final straight and after continuing to have difficulty obtaining clear running had to be checked near the 150 metres when placed in restricted room as it was attempting a tight run to the inside of SANTA MONICA which shifted inwards slightly under pressure with some outward movement from ROCANTO on to CINEMATIC then also contributing to the incident. Lost the left hind plate during the running.

Race 6 | **Schweppes Avondale Guineas (2100 metres)**

VERNANME (J Waddell) - Trainer S Marsh reported that the colt had pulled a plate in the horse transporter en route to the races. After being re-shod then underwent a veterinary inspection being passed as suitable to race.

BOTTI (M McNab) - Jumped away awkwardly from an outside barrier then being restrained to shift to a position closer to the running rail.

ROLL THE DICE (L Allpress) - Raced ungenerously when being restrained in the middle stages, shifted outwards and improved forward quickly from the 1000 metres to dispute the pace three wide. When questioned L Allpress stated

that the gelding had proved a difficult ride and after refusing to settle she had shifted outwards to avoid the heels of IN A TWINKLING near the 1000 metres at which point she then opted to continue to press forward. The explanation of L Allpress was noted.

IN A TWINKLING (R Myers) - Raced wide around the first bend being allowed to improve forward to sit outside the leader near the 1200 metres.

TOLEMAC (J Bayliss) - Raced wide throughout with cover. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the gelding appeared to be feeling the firm footing and in his opinion would appreciate some easing of the ground. A post-race veterinary inspection did not reveal any obvious abnormality other than a slow recovery rate.

BOBBY DEE (S Spratt) - Raced three wide without cover for the majority of the race.

SWORDS DRAWN (S Collett) - Held up near the 350 metres and was unable to be fully tested when unable to obtain clear running for the remainder of the race.

PLATINUM INVADOR (C Johnson) - When attempting a marginal run was hampered near the 300 metres when PRISE DE FER lay out when shifting outwards to avoid the tiring ROLL THE DICE. Unable to obtain clear running over the final 150 metres.

CUTADEEL (M Cameron) - When questioned regarding performance - rider was unable to offer any tangible excuse. A post-race veterinary inspection did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

Race 7	Coca-Cola Avondale Cup (2400 metres)
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FINAL SUGGESTION - R Myers replaced C Lammas who was unable to make the weight and was fined \$200.

THE GOOD FIGHT (A Calder) - Jumped away awkwardly.

CHANCE TO DANCE (O Bosson) - Blundered leaving the barriers. Eased down in the final straight when well beaten. The rider advised that the gelding had felt indifferent in its action and may be feeling the effects of recent racing on firm footing. A post-race veterinary inspection did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

NYMPH MONTE (J Fawcett) - Improved wide rounding the first bend when over-racing reaching the lead near the 1500 metres and continuing to over-race through the middle stages. When questioned apprentice Fawcett advised that her intention was to try and obtain cover somewhere mid field but after being unable to do so the gelding had then over-raced on a slow early pace.

DEE AND GEE (L Hemi) - Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.

S Collett (GLORY DAYS) - Was spoken to regarding her whip use prior to the 100 metres.

ANDOYAS (D Danis) - When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the gelding had not felt entirely comfortable on today's firm footing.

MONGOLIAN MARSHAL (M Cameron) - When questioned regarding performance - rider was unable to offer any excuse other than possibly feeling the effects of recent racing.

Race 8	Auckland Co-op Taxis 2100
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NOCTURNAL (J Bayliss) - Slow to begin. Crowded and checked 1800 metres.

BET SHE IS (M McNab) - Jumped away awkwardly.

RIVER RUN (V Colgan) - Jumped away awkwardly with the rider losing the use of his left stirrup iron for a distance. Crowded and checked 1800 metres. Had to be steadied when awkwardly placed on heels near the 450 metres then continued to have difficulty obtaining clear running for the majority of the final straight.

EXPRESS CALL (T Thornton) - Raced wide rounding the first bend then continuing to race three wide without cover until near the 1200 metres.

L Hemi (HEAD OFFICE) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that she permitted her mount to shift inwards near the 1800 metres when not sufficiently clear causing crowding to STAR KAREN, DELEGATE, RIVER RUN and NOCTURNAL. After hearing submissions L Hemi was suspended from the conclusion of racing Saturday 16 February until the conclusion of racing Thursday 28th February, 7 national riding days.

DELEGATE (R Myers) - Crowded and checked 1800 metres. Inconvenienced near the 250 metres.

STAR KAREN (A Calder) - Crowded 1800 metres.

UABASSO (L Satherley) - Raced three wide without cover from the 1200 metres.

HEAD OFFICE (L Hemi) - Ran wide rounding the final turn.

SPECIAL LIGHT (S Collett) - Was inclined to lay out under pressure in the final straight.

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