STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Manawatu Racing Club	Date:	Saturday 30 March 2019	
Weather:	Fine			
Track:	Dead(4), Upgraded to Good(3) retrospective to Race 1.			
Rail:	True			
Stewards:	J Oatham (Chairman), N Goodwin, D Balcombe, M Austin			
Vet:	E Grieves DVM; P Aitken BVSc			
Typist:	S Shirriffs			

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	VELOC	CE; YO	I; ROCK ON WOOD; LALA LAND; THE CHOSEN ONE, SPRING DELIGHT; CAVALLO URDEEL, ARETHA, BELLA MENTE; THE BANDITO, BEEFEATER; JACKSSTAR,		
	SAMPSON; EUKA LADY.				
Suspensions:	Nil				
Protests:	Nil				
Fines:	Race	4	M Oulaghan DON'T KNOW JAKK		
			\$50 [Rule 537(a)] Late declaration of rider		
Warnings:	Race	5	J Riddell MARIA DIOR		
			[Rule 638(1)(d)] Shifting ground 900 metres		
Horse Actions:	Race	4	TAMING THE SHREW - Humanely euthanised		
Follow Up:	Nil				
Medical Certificates:	Nil				
Rider Changes:	Nil				
Late Scratchings:	Race	7	OVERTHERIVER at 2.07pm		
		7	SCANDALO at 3.39pm		
		9	MISS CONTESSA at 2.44pm		

GENERAL:

No issues to report.

RACE COMMENTS:

 Race 1
 LANDMARK HOMES PREMIER (2200 Metres)

 AMORATA (C Johson) - Slow away. Raced keenly in the middle stages on a slow tempo.

 VITTACHI (R Jones) - Made the turn into the home straight awkwardly.

 Track upgraded to Good(3) retrospective to Race 1.

 Race 2
 RICOH PREMIER (1600 Metres)

 REAL BEACH (D Turner) - Tightened shortly after the start when SERGEANT BLAST began awkwardly, shifting out.

 HENREE WINKLER (O Bosson) - Lay in shortly after the start tightening PAISLEY PARK.

PAISLEY PARK (S Collett) - Tightened shortly after the start.

ROCK ON WOOD (R Elliot) - Restrained from a wide draw. Held up rounding the final turn.

SERGEANT BLAST (S O'Malley) - Began awkwardly, then raced keenly in the early stages.

RUBY LOVE (L Allpress) - Raced keenly becoming awkwardly placed on heels near the 1000 metres. Returned to the enclosure with blood present in the right nostril, which upon veterinary inspection was found to be from a small laceration.

GORBACHEV (C O'Beirne) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

CUTTING UP ROUGH (H Andrew) - Had to be angled outwards across the heels of PAISLEY PARK to obtain clear running near the 250 metres.

Race 3

RESONANT PREMIER (1600 Metres)

The start of this race was delayed approximately 5 minutes due to ALTIUS and LINCOLN FURY requiring farrier attention along with LALA LAND having to be removed from the barriers to undergo a veterinary inspection.

ALTIUS (Z Moki) - Underwent and passed a pre-race veterinary inspection at the start after making contact with the enclosure gate and casting a plate, which was replaced prior to the start. Held up rounding the home turn and early in the straight and again approaching the 100 metres, having to be angled inwards making contact with the hind quarters of LALA LAND, momentarily unbalancing that runner.

LINCOLN FURY (D Turner) - Lost a plate during its preliminary, which was replaced behind the barriers. Lost the right hind plate near the 350 metres. Hind quarters contacted passing the 150 metres.

LALA LAND (C Johnson) - Was removed from the barriers to undergo a pre-race veterinary inspection after getting a leg over the starting gate being passed suitable to race. Held up rounding the turn, bumped and briefly unbalanced near the 100 metres.

IN SEGRETO (T Harris) - Held up near the 350 metres and when angled outwards to obtain clear running near the 300 metres, inconvenienced THE SEAGULL. Crowded passing the 150 metres when COLORADO MISS was taken out by JUST FABULOUS, which shifted away from SATIN BELT. In this incident IN SEGRETO made contact with the hind quarters of LINCOLN FURY.

LADY RUDOLPH (S Collett) - Was unable to obtain clear running throughout the final straight, being badly held up for much of the final 200 metres.

JUST FABULOUS (O Bosson) - Checked when placed in restricted room near the 100 metres to the outside of SATIN BELT, which shifted away from ROBUSTO, which lay out under pressure.

SATIN BELT (H Andrew) - Raced wide without cover throughout.

Race 4 HIGGINS CONCRETE MANAWATU CLASSIC (Group III) (2200 Metres)

COVER DRIVE (L Hemi) - Tightened at the start when CLEAVER began awkwardly dictating DEELS DONE. COVER DRIVE then raced ungenerously for a distance in the early stages. Hampered 175 metres.

CLEAVER (Z Moki) - Began awkwardly. Shifted out abruptly from fallen runner near the 175 metres, hampering COVER DRIVE, GALWAY BRO and DEELS DONE.

NORDIC (J Parkes) - Raced keenly in the early stages.

TROUBLE (H Andrew) - Raced keenly in the early to middle stages when wide without cover.

DEELS DONE (O Bosson) - Became awkwardly placed on the heels of COVER DRIVE near the 650 metres, having to be restrained and when doing so hampered DECADENCE. Hampered 175 metres.

DECADENCE (R Hannam) - Hampered approaching the 600 metres.

BLUE ON BLACK (S Collett) - Raced wide rounding the first bend before improving forward to lead near the 1400 metres. Lay out approaching the 200 metres contacting and dictating SPRING DELIGHT wider on the track and continued to lay out for the remainder proving a difficult ride.

LORD ARTHUR (J Riddell) - Held up rounding the home turn prior to being angled inwards to improve entering the home straight.

GALWAY BRO (C Johnson) - Hampered 175 metres.

TAMING THE SHREW (J Bayliss) - Went amiss when racing free from interference near the 175 metres and fell. TAMING THE SHREW was immediately attended by the veterinarian having to be humanely euthanised as it was found to have suffered a fracture of the right fore metacarpal. J Bayliss was attended to by St John Ambulance personnel and found to be uninjured.

Race 5

THE OAKS STUD/HONG KONG JC TROPHY PREMIER (1200 Metres)

SWEET ELVIRA (S Collett) - Began awkwardly making contact with SATU LAGI, which jumped inwards at the start. SWEET ELVIRA then shifted inwards making contact with PRINCESS AMELIE, settling back.

SATU LAGI (D Hirini) - Jumped inwards at the start. Over-raced and was inclined to race ungenerously for much of the race, proving to be a difficult ride. Rider advised that the gelding may be better suited by some easing of the ground.

PRINCESS AMELIE (J Parkes) - Contacted start, settling back. When questioned regarding performance rider advised the filly would be better suited to some easing of the ground.

J Riddell (MARIA DIOR) - Issued with a warning after permitting his mount to shift inwards near the 900 metres when not fully clear of WHAT A SMASHER, which raced ungenerously when being restrained and shifted away from MARIA DIOR, crowding CAVALLO VELOCE, which had to be firmly restrained losing ground.

WHAT A SMASHER (H Andrew) - Raced ungenerously for a distance when being restrained near the 900 metres.

CAVALLO VELOCE (S McKay) - Had to be firmly restrained near the 900 metres, losing ground.

Race 6

COURTESY FORD/MANAWATU SIRES PRODUCE STAKES (Group I) (1400 Metres)

EQUINOX (J Parkes) - Required farrier attention after losing the right front plate prior to entering the parade ring. Jumped away awkwardly making contact with BAVELLA. Lay inwards under pressure over the final stages.

BAVELLA (L Innes) - Required farrier attention after pulling a plate prior to start, which was re-attached. Jumped away awkwardly making contact with EQUINOX. Held up passing the 100 metres and unable to obtain clear running for the remainder.

AALAALUNE (R Jones) - Slow away. Lay out under pressure in the home straight.

HOLY MONGOLEMPEROR (T Harris) - Slow away. Lay inwards under pressure approaching the 100 metres having to be straightened.

Race 7BRAMCO GRANITE & MARBLE FLYING HANDICAP (Listed Race) (1400 Metres)OVERTHERIVER - Declared a late scratching at 2.07pm due to the upgraded track conditions.

SCANDALO - Underwent a veterinary inspection behind the barriers after making contact with a gate leaving the enclosure being declared a late scratching at 3.39pm having suffered a laceration to the right shoulder.

TOMELILLA (T Harris) - Held up rounding the home turn and early in the straight before being angled inwards to gain clear running near the 150 metres then again being held up over the final 75 metres.

THE BANDITO (S Collett) - Lost the right front plate near the 75 metres.

Race 8 CITY OF PALMERSTON NORTH/AWAPUNI GOLD CUP (Group II) (2000 Metres)

HUNTA PENCE (S Collett) - Jumped outwards at the start. Raced wide without cover rounding the first bend until near the 1400 metres.

ROCK ON (S McKay) - Slow away. Held up near the 300 metres.

SAINT EMILION (J Riddell) - Blundered at the start. Steadied away from the heels of AUTHENTIC PADDY (R Hannam) near the 1900 metres inconveniencing SAMPSON and DOLCETTO. R Hannam was advised to exercise care. Raced ungenerously for a distance near the 1400 metres then having a tendency to continue to over-race through the middle stages. Tightened near the 350 metres when JACKSSTAR improved into a narrow run.

SAMPSON (J Parkes) - Inconvenienced 1900 metres.

DOLCETTO (R Elliot) - Inconvenienced 1900 metres. Lay in under pressure in the final straight.

GIOVANNI CANALETTO (J Bayliss) - Slow away. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the gelding has travelled comfortably enough but had been unable to quicken once placed under pressure on today's firm surface and would be better suited to rain-affected conditions.

Race 9 LJ HOOKER PREMIER (1400 Metres)

MISS CONTESSA - Late scratching at 2.44pm due to track upgrade.

BELLISSIMO (L Hemi) - Restrained early from a wide barrier.

JEWEL OF PATCH (J Bayliss) - Restrained off heels near the 1200 metres and when doing so shifted inwards crowding WINDSOR.

WINDSOR (S O'Malley) - Crowded 1200 metres then when being steadied off heels shifted inwards placing FARCE in restricted room near the 1000 metres.

FARCE (S MacNab) - Steadied when placed in restricted room near the 1000 metres.

DEERFIELD (J Parkes) - Steadied passing the 200 metres when contacted by SHE'S A RIPPER, which was taken in by CASTANI (L Allpress) which was laying in. L Allpress was advised to exercise care. DEERFIELD then had to be further restrained to avoid the heels of MIKJENE (D Hirini), which shifted outwards near the 150 metres. D Hirini was advised to exercise care. J Parkes advised that the gelding had been reluctant to improve into a run early in the straight and was of the opinion that it may now be better suited to the blinkers being removed.

SHE'S A RIPPER (S Collett) - Raced wide without cover throughout. Crowded passing the 200 metres.

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