

# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



## MEETING DETAILS:

<b>Club:</b>	Waikato Racing Club	<b>Date:</b>	Saturday, 04 May 2019
<b>Weather:</b>	Overcast then fine		
<b>Track:</b>	Dead 4		
<b>Rail:</b>	3 metres		
<b>Stewards:</b>	M Williamson (Chairman), A Coles, B Jones, P Kinsey		
<b>Vet:</b>	B Ewen BVSc, B O'Shea BVSc, M Archer BVSc		
<b>Stenographer:</b>	M Coles		

## SUMMARY:

<b>Swabbing:</b>	DUFFERS CREEK, WILIJONMCBRIDE, MIDNIGHT RUNNER, SHAMAL, BOBBY DEE, RAINBOW DASH, WHISKEY NEAT, FLYING GRAND, IGNORED, COPPER MINE, ROYAL RULER		
<b>Suspensions:</b>	Nil		
<b>Protests:</b>	Nil		
<b>Fines:</b>	Race	2	<b>B Lammas</b> EL DISPARO \$100 Failing to make contracted weight [Rule 330(3)(c)]
<b>Warnings:</b>	Race	2	<b>L Douglas</b> HESALLJAZZ Excessive use of the whip [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)]
		3	<b>D Mansour</b> JOY ANNA Shifting ground 350 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
		8	<b>J Wheeler</b> ABACUS Presenting horse without notified gear (blinkers) [Rule 616(4)]
		9	<b>S McKay</b> BELLA PRONTO Shifting ground 375 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
			<b>M Cameron</b> FAZIOLI Shifting ground 375 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
<b>Horse Actions:</b>	Race	1	<b>MARKWOOD</b> Bled three month stand down from racing and trialling, two month stand down from trackwork, veterinary certificate required
			<b>TRUMP THAT</b> Must trial over hurdles to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to racing next
		7	<b>BEACHED AS BRO</b> Veterinary clearance required prior to racing next
		9	<b>ROYAL RULER</b> Deceased
<b>Follow Up:</b>	Race	5	<b>HASABRO</b>
<b>Medical Certificates:</b>	Received from Troy Harris Required from James Seivwright		
<b>Rider Changes:</b>	Race	2	<b>EL DISPARO</b> S Fannin replaced B Lammas (overweight)
		6	<b>SCORPZ</b> D Mansour for M McNab (overweight)
		9	<b>TIA CELESTE</b> D Mansour for M McNab (overweight)
			<b>IMPERIOUS</b> V Colgan for O Bosson
<b>Late Scratchings:</b>	Nil		

## GENERAL:

The rider's agent for **M McNab** advised that he was unable to attend the meeting as he could not make the contracted weight for either of his two rides. **M McNab** was charged with failing to make the contracted weight for SCORPZ and TIA CELESTE as M McNab was not available the hearing was adjourned to a date to be set.

**SUPPLEMENTARY:**

Nil
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**RACE COMMENTS:**

<b>Race 1</b>	<b>JUMPS DAY 18 MAY PACKAGES AVAILABLE NOW HURDLE (2800 metres)</b>
<p><b>KILRONAN</b> (S Karnicnik) – Slow to begin.</p> <p><b>TRUMP THAT</b> (J Seivwright) – Jumped poorly throughout, pulled up after jumping the fence near the 900 metres. Trainer S Ralph was advised that TRUMP THAT must trial over hurdles to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to racing next with S Ralph indicating that TRUMP THAT is likely to be retired.</p> <p><b>MARKWOOD</b> (S Phelan) - Pulled up prior to jumping the final three fences. Returned to enclosure with blood present in both nostrils. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which confirmed the gelding to be a bleeder. Connections advised that MARKWOOD would now be subject to a two month stand down from training, three month stand down from racing with a veterinary clearance also being required prior to racing or trialling next.</p> <p><b>COMMANDER</b> (A Kuru) - Inclined to run down its fences throughout.</p> <p><b>ARITE GURU</b> (E Farr) – Jumped indifferently throughout.</p> <p><b>DUFFERS CREEK</b> (S Fannin) - Jumped indifferently throughout. Lost the left-fore plate during the running.</p>	
<b>Race 2</b>	<b>SIGNATURE HOMES HURDLE (2800 metres)</b>
<p><b>B Lammas</b> - Fined \$100 under the Minor Infringement Schedule after failing to make the weight for EL DISPARO. S Fannin replaced B Lammas.</p> <p><b>HESALLJAZZ</b> (L Douglas) - Began awkwardly losing ground. L Douglas was questioned regarding the riding tactics and in particular why he had elected to improve forward to lead passing the 1200 metres to lead by a considerable distance. L Douglas explained that NOTHING TRIVIAL had raced keenly in the early stages and when shifted out to avoid the heels of NOTHING TRIVIAL passing the 1900 metres, HESALLJAZZ then raced very keenly and had difficulty restraining the gelding.</p> <p><b>WILIJONMCBRIDE</b> (M Gillies) - Inclined to run down its fences throughout. Ran down the second to last fence inconveniencing TOMMYRA. Misjudged the last fence losing ground.</p> <p><b>TOMMYRA</b> (S Phelan) - Inconvenienced after jumping the second to last fence. Inconvenienced over the final 50 metres when improving to the outside of HESALLJAZZ (L Douglas) which shifted out under pressure. L Douglas was reprimanded by Stewards that he must exercise greater care in similar circumstances.</p> <p><b>RAAJ</b> (E Farr) - Hit the fourth fence.</p> <p><b>EL DISPARO</b> (S Fannin) – Returned to the enclosure with blood from an injury to the right foreleg. A Post-race veterinary examination revealed a small laceration on the right foreleg in the mid-cannon region.</p> <p><b>L Douglas</b> (HESALLJAZZ) - Issued with a warning for the manner in which he used his whip in the final 100 metres.</p>	
<b>Race 3</b>	<b>BGP – THANKS FOR THE SUPPORT 1200</b>
<p><b>SHORT FUZE</b> (D Danis) - Raced keenly in the early stages then was hampered near the 1100 metres when in restricted room between JOY ANNA (D Mansour) which lay out slightly and SALT BAY (M Coleman) which shifted in slightly.</p>	

Riders D Mansour and M Coleman were advised to exercise care in a similar circumstance. Held up until approaching the 250 metres.

**ROCANTO** (T Harris) - Raced wide without cover. Hampered when contacted near the 350 metres by JOY ANNA (D Mansour) which shifted out to obtain clear running.

**D Mansour** (JOY ANNA) - Issued with a warning after directing his mount outwards passing the 350 metres when insufficiently clear of ROCANTO which was hampered.

**MEMORIES ONLY** (R Norvall) – Raced in restricted room and inconvenienced passing the 350 metres to the inside of MIDNIGHT RUNNER (O Bosson) which lay in when placed under pressure. O Bosson was advised to exercise care in a similar circumstance.

**MALAMBO** (R Elliot) – Had some difficulty obtaining clear running until near the 150 metres.

<b>Race 4</b>	<b>KEN &amp; ROGER BROWNE MEMORIAL STEEPLECHASE (3900 metres)</b>
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**MR ENTHUSIASTIC** (S Karnicnik) - Raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

**MAGIC WONDER** (M Gillies) - Blundered making the bend into the middle of the course near the 2500 metres. Misjudged the fence near the 1100 metres losing ground.

**THE ARABIAN DUKE** (E Farr) – Lost a near hind plate during the running.

**THENAMESBOND** (J Seivwright) – Hit the fence near the 1100 metres and knuckled on landing, dislodging rider J Seivwright who was attended to by ambulance personnel and transferred to Waikato Hospital for further assessment.

**JUST GOT HOME** (H McNeill) – Misjudged the second to last fence unbalancing its rider and losing ground.

**ZARDETTO** (A Kuru) - Misjudged the final fence.

<b>Race 5</b>	<b>BCD GROUP 2200</b>
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**ROCANIC** (A Goindasamy) - Underwent a veterinary examination when arriving on course after receiving a minor laceration to the left hind pastern in transit and was cleared fit to race.

The race was delayed after starter J Moody advised that the inside section of the starting stalls had moved due to the failure of the handbrake on the tow vehicle with this section of the gates becoming detached from the outside section. The outside four barriers were then repositioned before the start was effected.

**KATIE PERRIE** (R Jones) - Began awkwardly then losing ground.

**NO CHANGE** (R Elliot) - Began awkwardly then losing ground.

**HASABRO** (M Coleman) - Raced keenly when being restrained in the early stages making the bend awkwardly near the 900 metres making contact with JOCHEN RINDT which became unbalanced. When questioned regarding performance Rider M Coleman advised the colt had travelled keenly in the early to middle stages and had failed to respond once placed under pressure near the 400 metres. A post-race veterinary examination could find no obvious abnormality.

**JOCHEN RINDT** (T Newman) - Raced three wide without cover throughout. Contacted and unbalanced 1800 metres. A post-race veterinary examination could find no obvious abnormality.

**STORMING THE TOWER** (T Thornton) – Hampered 600 metres when improving onto the heels of the weakening JOCHEN RINDT.

**AL HARAM** (O Bosson) – Had difficulty obtaining clear running until near the 200 metres.

**EXCALIBUR** (T Harris) – Had to shift out early in the straight to find clear running before being briefly held up approaching the 200 metres.

**Race 6** | **WAIKATO EQUINE VETERINARY CENTRE 2YO STAKES (1100 metres)**

**HARLECH** (V Colgan) - Slow to begin. Improved onto heels when racing keenly near the 700 metres and was hampered losing ground.

**RAINBOW DASH** (K McCulloch) - Raced three wide without cover throughout. Raced in restricted room 350 metres.

**SHOWOROSSES** (A Calder) - Slow to begin losing ground. Raced in restricted room passing the 250 metres.

**KURT** (S Collett) - Slow to begin.

**KING MIDAS** (R Jones) – Raced in restricted room passing the 350 metres to the inside of FOLK DRESS (C Grylls) which shifted in slightly. C Grylls was advised to exercise care in a similar circumstance. Steadied passing the 50 metres after becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of SCORPZ (D Mansour) which shifted in under pressure. D Mansour was reprimanded and advised to exercise greater care.

**LOUIS LUCK** (O Bosson) - Crowded and steadied when in restricted over the final 50 metres between RAMAZZOTTI (M Cameron) which shifted out slightly and WHISKEY NEAT (M Coleman) which shifted in and away from RAINBOW DASH (K McCulloch) which shifted in slightly under pressure. Riders M Coleman and K McCulloch were both advised to exercise greater care in a similar circumstance.

**Race 7** | **J SWAP 1600**

**FIRODEN** (J Riddell) - Shifted out approaching the 200 metres to obtain clear running.

**MY DAKOTA** (C Grylls) – Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which could find no obvious abnormalities.

**TAKEITLIKEAMAN** (O Bosson) –Rider O Bosson advised the gelding felt indifferent in its action when placed under pressure early in the final straight. A post-race veterinary examination could find no obvious abnormalities.

**BEACHED AS BRO** (S Collett) – Underwent a veterinary examination after being eased down in the final straight which found the gelding to have suffered cardiac arrhythmia. Trainer S Marsh was advised the appropriate veterinary clearance would be required prior racing next.

**Race 8** | **PATHWAYS – THE IMMIGRATION SPECIALISTS 1600**

**J Wheeler** - Issued with a warning after presenting ABACUS without notified gear (blinkers).

**IGNORED** (D Danis) – Began awkwardly losing ground (4L).

**GOODWILL** (S Johnson) - Began awkwardly then crowded shortly after having to be steadied. Raced wide without cover throughout.

**ABACUS** (R Elliot) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

**BELLE FASCINO** (M Cameron) - Held up until near the 250 metres.

Race 9	TE AKAU RACING SUPPORTERS BGP 1200
<p><b>O Bosson</b> - Advised Stewards that after riding his mount in Race 6 at 0.5kg above the handicapped weight of 56.5 kilograms that he required to take on fluids as he was suffering from dehydration. As a result, O Bosson was unable to make the same weight for IMPERIOUS and was replaced by V Colgan.</p>	
<p><b>HATTON GARDEN</b> (S Collett) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Made the bend near the 800 metres awkwardly when racing ungenerously.</p>	
<p><b>TUNZAGUTZ</b> (T Thornton) - Began awkwardly losing ground.</p>	
<p><b>COPPER MINE</b> (T Harris) – Over-raced in the middle stages when being restrained.</p>	
<p><b>TIA CELESTE</b> (D Mansour) - Slow to begin. Hampered approaching the 375 metres by BELLA PRONTO (S McKay) which shifted out to obtain clear running.</p>	
<p><b>S McKay</b> (BELLA PRONTO) - Issued with a warning after permitting BELLA PRONTO to shift out approaching the 375 metres when insufficiently clear of TIA CELESTE which was hampered.</p>	
<p><b>GINGER KING</b> (M Coleman) – Raced three wide without cover throughout, hampered approaching the 600 metres by ELUSIVE EMPIRE which shifted out when bumped by PIMS 'N' PEARLS which made the bend awkwardly.</p>	
<p><b>ROYAL RULER</b> (R Elliot) - Hampered 350 metres by FAZIOLI (Cameron) which lay out when making contact after shifting out to obtain clear running. Eased down from near the 150 metres then dislodged rider R Elliot and collapsed near the winning post. ROYAL RULER received immediate veterinary attention and was found to have died instantly.</p>	
<p><b>M Cameron</b> (FAZIOLI) - Issued with a warning after permitting FAZIOLI to shift out near the 375 metres when insufficiently clear of ROYAL RULER which was hampered.</p>	

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