# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



## **MEETING DETAILS:**

Club:	Counties Racing Club	Date:	Thursday, 23 May 2019	
Weather:	Overcast			
Track:	Slow (7)			
Rail:	Out 5 Metres			
Stewards:	M Williamson (Chairman), B Jones, W Robinson, P Kinsey			
Vet:	I Bridge BVSc			
Stenographer:	P Laboyrie			

#### SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	EL CORBY, FLYING FANTASIA, LADY DAY, MONT VENTOUX, EVER SO CLEVER, BOUNDTOBEHONORED, BYZANTINE, RECOLLECT, FLUOROBUS, LORD VALENTINE		
Suspensions:	Nil		
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Race	1	S Karnicnik IN A MINUTE
			\$300 Excessive use of whip prior to 100 metres [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)]
		2	R Scott COPPER XPRESS
			\$300 Excessive use of whip prior to 100 metres [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)]
		5	J Fawcett TAKEITEASY
			\$350 Excessive use of whip prior to 100 metres [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)]
Warnings:	Race	1	N Downs FLYINGWITHOUTWINGS
			Excessive use of whip on a runner out of contention [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)]
		1	H McNeill LUCKY TONIGHT
			Excessive use of whip on a runner out of contention ([Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)]
		1	S Houston CLAPATHUNDA
		-	Presented without notified gear (Visor Blinkers) [Rule 616(4)]
		3	F Leahy THANK GOD
		•	Presented in non-compliant gear (Black pre-race ear covers) [Rule 616(4)]
		3	S Phelan WHISPER ROCK
		c	Shifting ground 300 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
		6	T Harris BOUNDTOBEHONORED
		7	Shifting ground 900 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] <b>R Scott</b> ASTON PARK
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Horse Actions:	Race	1	Shifting ground 1000 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] HATTIE BEE vet clearance required
noise Actions.	Nace	1 7	<b>ASTON PARK</b> bled, 2 month stand down from training, 3 month stand
		/	down from racing or trialing, vet clearance required
		7	BYZANTINE warning barrier manners
Follow Up:	Race	3	PINEAPPLE LUMP
Medical Certificates:	Nil		
Rider Changes:	Nil		
Late Scratchings:	Nil		

#### GENERAL:

Nil

#### SUPPLEMENTARY:

Whangarei Racing Club - 15 May 2019

# Race 3 - Homestead Sportsbar Reuben Lewis Memorial (1400 metres)

**MEXICAN TYCOON** (C Grylls) – Trainer A Forsman advised Stewards that he was satisfied with the recovery of the gelding and it is their intention to continue on with its current preparation.

Waikato Racing Club - 18 May 2019

## Race 8 - WAIKATO STUD 1600

IGNORED (C Grylls) – Trainer A Forsman advised Stewards that the filly has now been sent for a spell.

Rangitikei Racing Club - 18 May 2019

# Race 8 - AB EQUIPMENT/PTS LOGISTICS 1600

**SWITCH IN TIME** (J Riddell) – Trainer N Tiley advised Stewards that he was satisfied with the recovery of the gelding and it is his intention to continue on with its current preparation.

# RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1SSANGYONG 2200OLD COUNTESS (B Lammas) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

LUCKY TONIGHT (H McNeill) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

LOCALLY SAUCED (M Gillies) – Raced three wide rounding the first bend.

**RAAJ** (C Dell) – Raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

**HATTIE BEE** (E Farr) – Commenced to give ground passing the 800 metres. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed the filly to have suffered cardiac arrhythmia. Co-trainer D Browne was advised that the appropriate veterinary clearance will be required prior to HATTIE BEE racing or trialing next.

**EL CORBY** (G Walsh) – Briefly held up approaching the 350 metres before shifting out to obtain clear running.

**S Karnicnik** (IN A MINUTE) – Admitted a breach in that he used his whip excessively prior to the 100 metres and was fined the sum of \$300.

**N Downs** (FLYINGWITHOUTWINGS) – Issued with a warning for excessive use of whip on a runner out of contention.

**H McNeill** (LUCKY TONIGHT) – Issued with a warning for excessive use of whip on a runner out of contention.

**S Houston** (CLAPATHUNDA) – Issued with a warning for presenting CLAPATHUNDA without notified gear (visor blinkers).

## Race 2 SPLICE CONSTRUCTION 2200

**COPPER XPRESS** (R Scott) – Slow to begin. Held up early in the final straight before shifting out passing the 350 metres.

**O'SUSANA** (A Calder) – Crowded shortly after the start having to be steadied.

**TWIN SPINNER** (C Dell) – Crowded shortly after the start having to be steadied.

**ZENNTARI** (D Danis) – Raced three wide without cover rounding the first bend.

**LADY AZAMOUR** (M Coleman) – Held up early in the final straight shifting in passing the 400 metres to avoid the heels of DANGERMAN which was weakening appreciably. Inconvenienced as a result was SEEMAX which was then held up for a short distance. M Coleman was advised to exercise greater care in a similar circumstance.

**SEEMAX** (C Grylls) – Inconvenienced 400 metres, then held up for a short distance.

**KRAKADEEL** (M Cameron) – When questioned regarding performance rider M Cameron advised that the gelding may not have been suited by the track conditions which he described as "holding". A post-race veterinary examination could find no obvious abnormality.

**DANGERMAN** (R Elliot) – When questioned regarding performance rider R Elliot advised that the gelding may not have been suited by the track conditions which he described as "holding".

**R Scott** (COPPER XPRESS) – Admitted a breach in that she used her whip excessively prior to the 100 metres with the Judicial Committee imposing a fine of \$300.

Race 3 KIDSCAN 1600

**F Leahy** (THANK GOD) – Issued with a warning after presenting THANK GOD to race in non-compliant gear (black prerace ear covers).

**ZABDI** (M Roustoby) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

**OUR CRAFTSMAN** (E Farr) – Began awkwardly then crowded shortly after clipping a heel and blundering.

**POWER TYCOON** (S Karnicnik) – Over-raced for a distance passing the 1000 metres.

THANK GOD (H McNeill) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

**PERSISTENCE** (M Gillies) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

**WHISPER ROCK** (S Phelan) – Shifted in passing the 300 metres to obtain clear running dictating LADY DAY into the line of FELICITY ANNE which was briefly hampered. Then continued to shift in making contact with LADY DAY which was briefly hampered approaching the 200 metres. Inconvenienced when dictated outwards slightly passing the 100 metres.

**LADY DAY** (J Seivwright) – Slow to begin. Dictated in then briefly hampered approaching 200 metres. Shifted out over the final 150 metres inconveniencing WHISPER ROCK near the 100 metres. Received veterinary treatment following the race for a small wound to the right front pastern.

FELICITY ANNE (G Walsh) – Briefly hampered 200 metres.

**S Phelan** (WHISPER ROCK) – Issued with a warning after directing his mount inwards passing the 300 metres hampering LADY DAY approaching the 200 metres.

**PINEAPPLE LUMP** (J Riddell) – Trainer A Forsman reported that PINEAPPLE LUMP was making abnormal breathing noises following the race and will undergo a dynamic scope on return to the stable.

Race 4 MALCOLM WRIGLEY INSURANCE SERVICES 1600

FOODIE KING (L Innes) – Slow to begin.

**WHOSHE'S GIRL** (A Goindasamy) – Began awkwardly. Raced keenly in the early stages then shifting out to avoid heels passing the 800 metres.

**CARIBBEAN ROSE** (M Cameron) – Began awkwardly.

**AMBITIOUS SHOWGIRL** (C Lammas) – When questioned regarding performance rider C Lammas was of the opinion that the filly may be feeling the effects of recent racing.

Race 5 ROGER GILL AGRICULTURE 1600

**RELIABLE FRIEND** (C Dell) – Began awkwardly.

**PALAZZO ROYALE** (M Kareem) – Crowded shortly after the start having to be steadied.

**EVER SO CLEVER** (M Coleman) – Crowded shortly after the start having to be steadied. Raced ungenerously in the early to middle stages. Had difficulty obtaining clear running in the final straight until near the 150 metres.

**COURAGEOUS BEAU** (B R Jones) – Began awkwardly then crowded shortly after having to be steadied.

**MATTER OF FACT** (C Grylls) – Hampered approaching the 1400 metres by TAKEITEASY which shifted away from PLEADINGGUILTY.

IT'S NOW OR NEVER (A Goindasamy) – Raced in restricted room and steadied passing the 500 metres.

**ROCKING ALONG** (C Lammas) – Raced in restricted room over the concluding stages.

**J Fawcett** (TAKEITEASY) – Admitted a breach in that she used her whip excessively prior to the 100 metres with the Judicial Committee imposing a fine of \$350.

# Race 6 NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE (1200 Metres)

**DAMESEL** (M Cameron) – Began awkwardly.

**HELIBERRY** (J Riddell) – Crowded 900 metres and hampered losing ground.

**HAVANA HEAT** (C Dell) – Raced ungenerously in the early stages making the bend awkwardly passing the 900 metres losing ground. As a result THE FLYING MULLET and SEPELLA were hampered and forced wider 900 metres.

**THE FLYING MULLET** (C Lammas) – Slow to begin. Hampered and forced wide 900 metres.

SEPELLA (A Calder) – Hampered and forced wide 900 metres.

**MIDNITE INVASION** (M Coleman) – Began awkwardly then was crowded shortly after having to be steadied. Raced ungenerously when being steadied in the early stages making the bend awkwardly passing the 900 metres when running wide and crowding HELIBERRY across heels. Was briefly crowded passing the 175 metres and steadied to avoid the heels of ELLE CEE which shifted in slightly, with MIDNITE INVASION then shifting out and crowding POWER

OF STRENGTH which was briefly hampered. M Coleman was advised that he must exercise greater care in a similar circumstance.

**POWER OF STRENGTH** (R Elliot) – Raced ungenerously when being steadied away from the heels of BOUNDTOBEHONORED (T Harris) which shifted in near the 900 metres being hampered as a result. Briefly hampered 175 metres.

**T Harris** (BOUNDTOBEHONORED) – Issued with a warning after permitting BOUNDTOBEHONORED to shift in near the 900 metres when insufficiently clear of POWER OF STRENGTH which was hampered, with Stewards taking into account the racing manners of POWER OF STRENGTH at the time.

**ELLE CEE** (M Kareem) – Raced in restricted room over the concluding stages. M Kareem was reminded of his obligations in that he must ride his horses out fully to the end of a race when circumstances permit him to do so.

Race 7 HAUNUI FARM 1200

**BYZANTINE** (O Bosson) – Slow to begin after being fractious in its barrier stall. Trainer J Richards was advised that a warning would be placed against the gelding's barrier manners.

**DONNA IMELDA** (M Coleman) – Began awkwardly. Inconvenienced 450 metres.

**THE DOM** (K Chowdhoory) – Hampered passing the 1000 metres and steadied away from the heels of ASTON PARK (R Scott) which was steadying when shifting in. Held up early in the final straight.

**R Scott** (ASTON PARK) – Issued with a warning after permitting her mount to shift in near the 1000 metres when insufficiently clear of THE DOM which was hampered.

**LOWPROFILE** (A Goindasamy) – Held up early in the final straight.

**ASTON PARK** (R Scott) – Briefly crowded passing the 450 metres to the outside of BYZANTINE which shifted out slightly. Returned to the birdcage with blood present in both nostrils. Underwent post-race veterinary examination including endoscopy which confirmed blood to be present in the lungs. The connections were advised the gelding is now subject to two months stand down from training, three months stand down from racing or trialing and they must provide a veterinary clearance prior to racing or trialing next.

# Race 8 CIVIL & LANDFILL CONSTRUCTION LTD 1400

**ROCKING GOOD TIME** (N Alam) – Slow to begin.

**PIERINA** (M Cameron) – Slow to begin.

CREATIVE GENIUS (O Bosson) - Raced keenly for a distance passing the 800 metres.

**THE POORMANZABEEL** (J Riddell) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

**MAGIC CONDOR** (S Collett) – Briefly steadied passing the 150 metres when in restricted room to the inside of SOROC which shifted in and away from PIERINA which lay in when improving to its outside.

## Race 9 COUNTIES AGRI 1400

DEEGEEARE (D Danis) – Began awkwardly. Raced ungenerously when improving on to heels near the 900 metres.

PRINCIPAL DATUM (C Dell) – Slow to begin.

**IMA DANDY DUDE** (J Riddell) – Began awkwardly losing ground. Raced ungenerously when improving on to heels near the 900 metres.

**MISS PACIFIC** (M Coleman) – Crowded shortly after the start having to be steadied.

DRAKE BAY (L Satherley) – Crowded shortly after the start.

**OUR PROM KING** (S Collett) – Became briefly unbalanced when contacted near the 300 metres.

**D** Danis (DEEGEEARE) – Reminded of his obligations with regard to his whip use on a horse that was out of contention.

Race 10BOOK NOW FOR LINDAUER LADIES DAY 20TH JUNE (1400 Metres)PLUSHENKO (J Fawcett) – Slow to begin (4L).

**ITS ALL FAKE NEWS** (R Norvall) – Raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

**ROSA FIORE** (C Grylls) – Held up early in the final straight.

**LORD VALENTINE** (T Harris) – When questioned regarding the improved performance trainer D Hollinshead advised that the gelding had not been suited when caught wide fresh-up on 3 May, further advising that the gelding had worked well leading into today's race and was expecting an improved performance.

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