

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Taranaki Racing	Date:	Saturday 24 August, 2019
Weather:	Fine then Showery		
Track:	Heavy 11		
Rail:	5.5 Metres		
Stewards:	D Balcombe (Chairman), B Jones, W Robinson		
Vet:	R McKenzie		
Typist:	K Smart		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	NITRO TED, ZABDI, OUR CHLOE, MISS LIZZIE, BECKIDBOO, IRISH FLAME, YIN DRAGON, HAPPY STAR
Suspensions:	Race 3 J Baillie (OUR CHLOE) [Rule 638(3)(ii)] – Excessive whip use prior to 100 m Suspended 1 - 12/9/19 inclusive (6 days)
Protests:	Nil
Fines:	Nil
Warnings:	Nil
Horse Actions:	Nil
Follow Up:	Nil
Medical Certificates:	Nil
Rider Changes:	Nil
Late Scratchings:	Nil

GENERAL:

Due to an error in the NZTR Bureau the rail was incorrectly advertised as being in the true position throughout the week. This was corrected to 5.5 metres at 10.40 am on race morning.

SUPPLEMENTARY:

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	ITM PINK BATTS 2000
HAMILTONIAN (C O'Beirne) – Slow to begin.	
HARD TO BE HUMBLE (M Hudson) – Slow to begin. Rider dropped whip near 600 metres.	
GRINNER (C Grylls) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.	

RICHARD OF YORKE (C Burdan) – Raced keenly in the middle stages. Angled outwards across heels passing the 600 metres to improve. Lay in under pressure in the home straight making contact with HI I’M NIKKITA near the 50 metres.

HI I’M NIKKITA (R Hannam) – Shifted out under pressure in the home straight, contacted near the 50 metres.

Race 2 | **ITM WINSTONE WALLBOARD GIB SC MDN**

CALL ME JACK (C Johnson) – Lost a plate in the tie-ups which was refitted prior to entering the enclosure. Tightened near the 200 metres.

NOGOLF ETIKIT (R Myers) – Slow to begin. Lay in under pressure approaching the 200 metres tightening CALL ME JACK.

MAESTRO BLU (M Kareem) – Raced four wide without cover throughout.

BAE CORP (B Ansell) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

INTERLECTUS (D Hirini) – Raced keenly in the middle stages.

CAST IN BRONZE (R Hannam) – Held up for a distance near the 500 metres gaining clear running entering the home straight. Contacted near the finish.

ZABDI (R Hannam) – Rider dropped his whip passing the 150 metres. Shifted out under pressure over the final stages with JUNIOR shifting out and away from that runner making brief contact with CAST IN BRONZE near the finish.

JUNIOR (C Burdan) – Shifted out near the finish making brief contact with CAST IN BRONZE. Lost both front plates during the running.

MAGDALA (C Grylls) – When questioned into performance rider could offer no tangible excuse. A subsequent veterinary inspection was clear. Connections advised the mare would be sent for a spell.

Race 3 | **ITM NELSON PINE INDUSTRIES 1200**

LIGHT UP (S Weatherley) – Slow to begin. When questioned into performance rider advised the gelding may not have appreciated today’s heavy track conditions. Subsequent veterinary inspection was clear.

IRISH MIST (Z Moki) – Began awkwardly shifted out hampering RAZ, SKY HI RAHTWO and ZEDABEL LASS. Disappointed for a run to the inside of CHEEKY AS passing the 200 metres, having to be angled outwards across heels to improve.

RAZ (C Grylls) – Hampered shortly after the start. Lost the right fore plate during the running. When questioned into performance rider could offer no tangible excuse. Subsequent veterinary inspection was clear.

SKY HI RAHTWO (B Ansell) – Hampered shortly after the start. Raced wide without cover throughout.

ZEDABEL LASS (M Singh) – Hampered shortly after the start.

R Hannam (LORD VALENTINE) – Was spoken to regarding his whip use prior to the 100 metres.

J Baillie (OUR CHLOE) – Admitted a breach of Rule 638(3)(b)(ii) in that he used his whip excessively prior to the 100 metres. After hearing submissions, the JCA suspended his licence to ride in races from close of racing on 31 August 2019 up to and including 12 September 2019 (6 days).

Race 4	ITM THERMAKRAFT OPN HCP
<p>ROSEWOOD (C O'Beirne) – Slow to begin. When questioned into performance rider advised the mare had been outpaced throughout and may be feeling the effects of recent racing.</p>	
Race 5	ITM MAKITA 1600
<p>VERACIOUS (M Singh) – Slow to begin.</p> <p>NOD (S Collett) – Held up for a short distance passing the 400 metres then disappointed for a run approaching the 250 metres when BECKIDBOO shifted in abruptly before being straightened. With NOD being angled outwards across heels dictating ZEEFA ZED wider on the track.</p> <p>MIZZENA (D Hirini) – Held up rounding the final bend until near the 250 metres.</p> <p>BECKIDBOO (A Goindasamy) – Shifted in abruptly 250 metres</p> <p>ZEEFA ZED (C Grylls) – Dictated outwards near the 200 metres.</p> <p>MARIOTA (R Myers) – When questioned into performance rider advised the mare had travelled well throughout but had been disappointing. A subsequent veterinary inspection was clear.</p>	
Race 6	NEW PLYMOUTH ITM INTERPROVINCIAL CHALLENGE
<p>SCAGLIONI (A Goindasamy) – Slow to begin. Raced keenly in the middle stages.</p> <p>HIGH QUALITY (C Johnson) – Slow away. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages. Held up passing the 600 metres, obtaining clear running approaching the 400 metres.</p> <p>ALVINS DREAM (S Collett) – Raced wide without cover throughout.</p>	
Race 7	ITM PUKEPINE 1400
<p>YIN DRAGON (H Schofer) – Slow away.</p> <p>TELLYAWHAT (A Goindasamy) – Raced in restricted room for a short distance near the 400 metres.</p>	
Race 8	ITM SUPERIOR DOORS SC MDN
<p>BILLY MAV (R Myers) – Began awkwardly and crowded shortly after, having to be steadied.</p> <p>DESERT MIRAGE (C Grylls) – Began awkwardly losing ground.</p> <p>AYAPPAN (D Mansour) – Lay in becoming awkwardly placed near the 600 metres clipping the heels of SMOOTH COGNAC which shifted out marginally. Not persevered with in the home straight when out of contention. Footage of the incident proved inconclusive.</p> <p>SMOOTH COGNAC (C Burdan) – Lay out rounding the turn near the 600 metres. Returned to the enclosure with a superficial laceration to the near hind leg.</p>	