

# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



## MEETING DETAILS:

<b>Club:</b>	Taranaki Racing Inc.	<b>Date:</b>	Friday 27 December, 2019
<b>Weather:</b>	Fine		
<b>Track:</b>	Dead 4		
<b>Rail:</b>	True		
<b>Stewards:</b>	D Balcombe (Chair), N Goodwin, B Bateup		
<b>Vet:</b>	M Turner		
<b>Typist:</b>	K Smart		

## SUMMARY:

<b>Swabbing:</b>	MASSIFF PRINCESS, JUSTASKME, BOUTONNIERE, AQUILA STAR, RED RUFUS, MALO BIK, ALOFT, LORD BOUZERON		
<b>Suspensions:</b>	<b>Race 4</b>	<b>D Turner</b> (RELIABLE MISS) – Suspended from 3.1.20 to 7.1.20 inclusive (5 days) Rule 638(1)(d) – Shifting ground 150 metres	
<b>Protests:</b>	Nil		
<b>Fines:</b>	Nil		
<b>Warnings:</b>	<b>Race 1</b>	<b>J Parkes</b> (MASSIFF PRINCESS) – Whip use prior to 100 metres Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)	
	<b>Race 4</b>	<b>M McNab</b> (DAWNLIGHT) – Easing the pace Rule 638(4)	
	<b>Race 4</b>	<b>C Burdan</b> (LA STRATA) – Easing the pace Rule 638(4)	
<b>Horse Actions:</b>	<b>Race 6</b>	VEE CECE – Veterinary Clearance required.	
<b>Follow Up:</b>	Nil		
<b>Medical Certificates:</b>	Nil		
<b>Rider Changes:</b>	<b>Race 3</b>	ALL IN CHILLY – J Parkes replaces Z Moki (Injured)	
	<b>5</b>	SAIGON HOT NIGHT – J Parkes replaces Z Moki	
<b>Late Scratchings:</b>	<b>Race 5</b>	BEAUDZ WELL – scratched on veterinary advice at approx 9.00am	
	<b>Race 6</b>	VEE CECE – scratched on vets advice at 3.42 pm	

## GENERAL:

Z Moki did not attend today's meeting after being injured in a fall at Awapuni on Boxing Day.
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## SUPPLEMENTARY:

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## RACE COMMENTS:

<b>Race 1</b>	<b>STELLA ARTOIS MDN 1800M</b>
<b>SON OF ANNA KAY</b> (S MacNab) – Raced ungenerously in the early stages making the bend near the 1600 metres awkwardly. Raced in restricted room over the final stages.	

**CHOUXWEST** (R Hannam) – Began awkwardly then briefly inconvenienced when NOBLE EMILY shifted out shortly after the start.

**THE BARMAN PAYS** (M McNab) – Raced keenly in the early stages. Lay inwards early in the home straight having to be straightened.

**KRAKADEEL** (C Grylls) – Briefly inconvenienced approaching the 200 metres when ZEALAND lay in under pressure.

**ZEALAND** (R Elliot) – Lay in approaching the 200 metres.

**J Parkes** (MASSIFF PRINCESS) – Was issued with a warning under 638(3)(b) for his whip use.

<b>Race 2</b>	<b>PETER SOLE TRANSPORT MDN 1200M</b>
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**JUST ASK ME** (D Turner) – Began awkwardly. Forced wider on the track entering the home straight.

**MISS HEPBURN** (C Burdan) – Began awkwardly then hampered when ANOTHER SECRET jumped outwards at the start.

**ANOTHER SECRET** (L Hemi) – Jumped outwards at the start. Hung outwards near the 700 metres dictating EXCUSE MY HOTNESS wider on the track. Shifted out abruptly near the 400 metres hampering EXCITONIC.

**EXCUSE MY HOTNESS** (R Myers) – Dictated wider on the track near the 700 metres.

**EXCITONIC** (M McNab) – Tightened at start settling back. Hampered near the 400 metres.

**BUSTER'S HABIT** (M Hudson) – Raced ungenerously for a distance approaching the 800 metres making the bend awkwardly. Lay out rounding the final turn briefly inconveniencing JUST ASK ME which was dictated wider on the track.

**PETIT LEON** (C Grylls) – Steadied off heels entering the home straight.

<b>Race 3</b>	<b>A + DRIVEWAYS MDN 1400M</b>
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**MADAM CHERIE** (C Burdan) – Slow away.

**BOUTONNIERE** (M McNab) –Held up passing the 400 metres having to be angled out over heels to gain clear running in the home straight.

**CANNOLI** (R Hannam) – Restrained off heels near the 600 metres.

**COMMUNIQUE** (C Grylls) – Raced in restricted room for a short distance near the 300 metres. Lay out under pressure over the final stages.

**LYN'S ORCHID** (R Elliot) – When questioned into performance rider could offer no excuse. A subsequent veterinary inspection was clear.

**C Burdan** (MADAM CHERIE) – Was reminded of her obligations with regard to whip use on a runner out of contention.

<b>Race 4</b>	<b>NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES 1600M</b>
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**DUNDRUM** (C Grylls) – Began awkwardly settling back. Contacted approaching 100 metres.

**RELIABLE MISS** (D Turner) – Slow away. Held up for a distance passing the 400 metres.

**SWEET DREAMS** (R Myers) – Restrained off heels approaching the 800 metres and when doing so shifted in tightening AQUILA STAR. Hampered and checked near the 100 metres

**MORE JOY** (R Elliott) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

**M McNab** (DAWNLIGHT) and **C Burdan** (LA STRATA) – Were issued with warnings under Rule 638(4) after noticeably easing the pace approaching the 800 metres placing AQUILA STAR and SWEET DREAMS in difficulty.

**AQUILA STAR** (J Parkes) – Tightened then restrained off heels approaching the 800 metres.

**D Turner** (RELIABLE MISS) – Defended a breach of Rule 638(1(d) after angling his mount out near the 150 metres when not entirely clear of SWEET DREAMS which was hampered and checked making contact with DUNDRUM approaching the 100 metres. The JCA found the charge proven and D Turner was suspended from race riding from 3.1.20 to 7.1.20 inclusive (5 days).

<b>Race 5</b>	<b>HIREPOOL MDN 1600M</b>
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**REGGIEWOOD** (R Elliot) – Slow away.

**ONE OF THE BEST** (L Hemi) – Slow away.

**SWORD OF FREEDOM** (C Grylls) – Raced keenly in the early stages. Raced greenly crossing on to the course proper.

**RED RUFUS** (R Hannam) – Made the bend near the 1300 metres awkwardly dictating TORQUE TIME wider on the track. Lay out under pressure over final stages.

**TAKE A GAMBLE** (M Singh) – Raced three wide without cover. Tightened having to be steadied over the final stages when REGGIEWOOD shifted in simultaneously as RED RUFUS lay out under pressure.

**TORQUE TIME** (D Turner) – Dictated wider near the 1300 metres.

<b>Race 6</b>	<b>FRANK GOODIN MEMORIAL 1600M</b>
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**VEE CECE** was scratched on veterinary advice prior to the start after displaying a significant nasal discharge when arriving at the barriers. Connections were advised a veterinary clearance would be required prior to racing next.

**BLANCO BELLE** (C Burdan) – Raced keenly when in front in early and middle stages.

**MARIETTA LANE** (J Parkes) – Lay inwards early in the home straight having to be straightened, continued to hang in for remainder. When questioned into performance rider advised that his saddle had slipped back during the running placing him at a significant disadvantage, being unable to ride the mare to full advantage. A subsequent veterinary inspection was clear.

**PEP TORQUE** (C O’Beirne) – Jumped a bare patch of ground on the track near the 1500 metres.

<b>Race 7</b>	<b>EPSOM &amp; ASCOT WITH WHEELS &amp; 1400M</b>
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**ACTING UP** (R Myers) – Began awkwardly.

**REMARX** (J Parkes) – Slow away.

**PAINLESS** (M Hudson) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

<b>Race 8</b>	<b>FAMILY RACE DAY SUNDAY 2000M</b>
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**CLEAVER** (M McNab) – Began awkwardly settling back. Held up approaching the 400 metres having to be angled inwards early in the home straight to gain clear running, raced in restricted room for a distance passing the 200 metres.

**KIT KAT** (R Hannam) – Restrained off heels near the 1700 metres.

**LORD BOUZERON** (R Myers) – When questioned into the improved performance connections advised the step up to a greater distance had helped the gelding.

**MONKEY SHOULDER** (J Parkes) – When questioned into performance rider could offer no excuse. A subsequent veterinary inspection was clear.