

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Wairoa Racing Club.	Date:	Thursday 17 February, 2020
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Dead 4		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	D Balcombe (Chair), N Goodwin, B Bateup		
Vet:	M Newall		
Typist:	Stewards		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing	MARIA DIOR; MOTLEY CRUE; OTTAVIO; VICENZA; UP 'N' GONE; BIG MIKE; PLUSHENKO		
Suspensions:	Nil		
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Race	6	C Lammas (Hattie Bee) – Unable to make contracted weight. \$300 – Rule 330 (3)(c).
Warnings:	Race	2	C Lammas (Motley Crue) Whip use when clearly winning Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)
		3	E Nicholas (Deshi) Shifting ground 900 metres Rule 638(1)(d)
Horse Actions:	Nil	2	HAZELSGIRL must trial
Follow Up:	Nil		
Medical Certificates:	Nil		
Rider Changes:	Race	6	HATTIE BEE – S Collett replaces C Lammas (Weight)
Late Scratchings:	Race	2	HAZELS GIRL refusal to load
		3	MIKES MISTAKE dislodged a plate

GENERAL:

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SUPPLEMENTARY:

<u>Racing Te Aroha Wednesday 12th February 2020</u> Race 8 - OFF THE RAILS PACKAGES 4 APR 1600 JELINA (R Elliot) – Co-trainer P Williams advised Stewards the filly has now been sent for a spell.
<u>Auckland RC Saturday 15th February 2020</u> Race 8 - Auckland Co-op Taxis 2100 IAGO (O Bosson) – Trainer S Logan advised Stewards that upon return to the stables the gelding underwent a veterinary inspection and blood tests. S Logan confirmed the veterinary inspection showed no abnormalities, however, the blood tests did show signs of a virus. IAGO will now have a brief freshen up.

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	PGG WRIGHTSON 1300
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MIGHTY COLOMBO (R Kozaki) Shifted in and away from MARIA DIOR which raced greenly crossing onto the course proper near the 1200 metres Restrained off the heels of MARIA DIOR when the pace eased passing the 1000 metres.

MARIA DIOR (S Collett) Shifted in abruptly near the 1200 metres. Had some difficulty obtaining clear running early in the home straight.

Race 2 | **WAIROA STUD BREEDERS 1200**

HAZELSGIRL (R Myers) Was a late scratching at the barrier after refusing to load. Connections were advised the filly must barrier trial before racing next.

I'M BUZZ (S McKay) Began awkwardly tightening MASAROVA which settled back.

IRISH HEART (C Burdan) – Restrained off the heels of GLORIOUS MISSILE near the 900 metres.

BABY SHARK (D Johnson) Lay inwards under pressure in the home straight.

MASAROVA (R Beemud) Tightened at start settling back. Ran wide entering the home straight. R Beemud was shown footage of his ride and advised he is expected to exercise better judgement in future after allowing his mount to run excessively wide entering the home straight.

C LAMMAS (Motley Crue) Was questioned into his overuse of the whip inside the final 100 metres when his mount was clearly winning. C Lammas advised the gelding had a tendency to pull up and wait for chasing horses in its previous races. This was independently confirmed by co-trainer E-L Browne. C Lammas was reminded of his obligations under Rule 638(3)(b)(ii) when clearly winning and issued with a warning.

Race 3 | **BAY FORD 1200**

MIKES MISTAKE (D Johnson) The on course farrier advised Stewards that he was unable to re-attach a hind plate prior to Race 1. Was a late scratching after dislodging a front plate in its preliminary which was unable to be replaced with the start of the race being delayed by approximately eight minutes.-

NOTHING LEFT TO LOSE (S McNab) Began awkwardly then when being restrained raced ungenerously for a distance near the 900 metres.

OTTAVIO (R Elliot) Shifted in near the 1000 metres dictating DESHI. R Elliot was advised to take more care.

E NICHOLAS (Deshi) Was issued with a warning under Rule 638(1)(d) after allowing her mount to shift in near the 900 metres when not the required distance clear of ON SHOW which was steadied going back onto MAKABAR.

ON SHOW (H Andrew) Steadied 900 metres.

MAKABAR (R Beemud) Restrained off heels 900 metres

Race 4 | **KENILWORTH PLUMBING 1400**

BRAWLER (T Allan) Reared at the start losing ground.

MORE THAN ENOUGH (R Beemud) Began awkwardly settling back. Became awkwardly placed on the heels of KING EMPIRE which was taken in by the tiring GOLDCHI having to be steadied approaching the 100m.

MANHATTAN GIRL (H Andrew) Dipped free of interference near the 800 metres. Rider advised the filly had changed legs and went off stride.

HIT THE ROAD JACK (E Nicholas) Ran up onto heels near the 100m then raced in restricted room for the remainder.

GOLDCHI (J Fawcett) Raced three wide without cover throughout.

DON DRAPER (D Johnson) When questioned into the performance rider could offer no tangible excuse.

Race 5 | **BESPOAK KITCHENS 1400**

RISING RANSOM (D Johnson) Slow away.

LA LANDONNE (L Allpress) Began awkwardly.

KING'S CAPITAL (R Elliot) Went off stride near the 1200 metres.

DAWN JESSIE (S McKay) Raced greenly for a short distance approaching the 1200 metres.

COOL HAND DUKE (S Collett) Raced three wide without cover throughout.

Race 6 | **WAIROA BUSINESS SUPPORTERS CUP TRIAL**

C Lammas (HATTIE BEE) – Admitted a breach of Rule 330 (3)(c) in that he was unable to make the contracted weight for his mount HATTIE BEE. After hearing submissions was fined \$300 by the Judicial Committee. C Lammas was replaced by S Collett.

ROLL THE GOLD (J Fawcett) Began awkwardly settling back. Raced keenly when being restrained in the early stages.

ONE FOR THE DITCH (R Myers) Slow away.

BIG MIKE (E Nicholas) Shifted out under pressure in the home straight.

Race 7 | **K9 PETFOODS 1900**

LEAN THY ARMS (D Johnson) Began awkwardly settling back. Raced keenly in the early stages.

SON OF ANNA KAY (R Elliot) Raced keenly in the early stages before being allowed to improve forward to race three wide without cover from the 1200 metres.

PIPING HOT (C Lammas) Raced in restricted room for a short distance from the 1700 metres when **BORDER LEICESTER** made the bend awkwardly.

BORDER LEICESTER (C Burdan) Made the bend awkwardly at the 1700 metres.

GLOBAL DIAMOND (S Collett) Raced very wide without cover throughout and was not persevered with in the home straight when well out of contention.

GRETEL (D Danis) Gave ground from the 600 metres and was not persevered with in the home straight when out of contention. When questioned on performance rider could offer no tangible excuse.

Race 8 | **VISTA MOTOR LODGE 1900**

UNCLE BRO (J Parkes) Shifted in near the 1700 metres tightening **PRINCE TURBO** which was steadied. J PARKES was advised to exercise greater care.

PRINCE TURBO (S Collett) Tightened 1700 metres. Steadied when weakening near the 500 metres when placed in restricted room to the outside of PONDERING and the inside of PLUSHENKO which both shifted ground. Footage of the incident proved inconclusive.

ZED EM (S Macnab) Held up approaching the 150 metres then raced in restricted room for the remainder.

Prior to the authorisation of dividends stewards viewed the photo finish print with the judge declaring a dead heat.