# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



#### **MEETING DETAILS:**

Club:	Matamata Racing Club	Date:	Wednesday, 11 March 2020
Weather:	Fine		
Track:	Dead 5		
Rail:	4 metres		
Stewards:	M Williamson (Chairman), B Jones, A Coles, V Algar		
Vet:	R McQuillan BVSc		
Stenographer:	M Coles		

#### **SUMMARY:**

Swabbing:	DANGER DEE, GET HITCHED, SAFE PASSAGE, TERRACOTTA, STEVEN JAMES, MARKUS AURELIUS		
Suspensions:	Race	5	<b>M Kareem</b> MASTER PAINTON Careless riding 1200 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 15-26/3, 7 days
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Nil		
Warnings:	Nil		
Horse Actions:	Nil		
Follow Up:	Race	3	BO JACKSON
Medical Certificates:	Nil		
Rider Changes:	Nil		
Late Scratchings:	Race	2	BLOOMING ROSIE 9.00 am

#### GENERAL:

Nil

## SUPPLEMENTARY:

Avondale JC Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March 2020

## Race 3 - NZB Insurance Pearl Series Race 1200

**TRIPLE HEART** (S Weatherley) – Trainer F Ritchie reported that on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> March the filly underwent a veterinary examination which included an endoscopic examination and blood tests, which showed no abnormalities. F Ritchie further advised the filly will now be sent for a brief spell and the blinkers will be removed prior to her next start.

# Race 4 - Auckland Alarms 1400

**LINCOLN SPRINGS** (L Innes) – Trainer N Tiley advised the gelding pulled up well, however will undergo a dynamic upper airway endoscopy later in the week. N Tiley will notify Stewards if any abnormalities are found.

## Auckland RC Saturday 7th March 2020

# Race 1 - Royal Descent Stakes (1600 metres)

**LIVIN' ON A PRAYER** (L Innes) – Trainer W Hillis reported to Stewards he was satisfied with the post-race condition of the mare and it is his intention to carry on with her current preparation.

# Race 2 - Ellerslie Jewellers & Engravers 2100

**MASTER HERB** (C Burdan) – Trainer D Sweeney advised Stewards on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> March a veterinary examination was completed on the gelding which confirmed his heart rate to be back to normal. D Sweeney further advised MASTER HERB will now be freshened up and will undergo an electrocardiography prior to his next race day start.

**MIGHTY ASLAN** (S Spratt) – Trainer S McKee advised Stewards upon return to the stable the gelding underwent a veterinary examination, which included an endoscopic examination and blood tests which revealed no abnormalities. S McKee further advised at this stage he intends to carry on with MIGHTY ASLAN current preparation.

## RACE COMMENTS:

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Race 1 TEAM WEALLEANS 1400
MIGHTY COLOMBO (R Kozaki) - Raced wide early before being restrained to obtain cover passing the 1000 meters.
DAWN JESSIE (S McKay) - Improved onto heels over the concluding stages.
<b>T Thornton</b> (MANNIE'S POWER) - Reminded of her obligations of her whip use.
A Calder (DANGER DEE) - Reminded of his obligations of his whip use.
Race 2 RETOX BAR & TOKOROA CLUB (INC) 1200
<b>GREEDY</b> (R Kozaki) - Began awkwardly with the rider becoming briefly unbalanced. Raced ungenerously when being restrained in the early stages.
SAHALAINN (D Johnson) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Raced ungenerously in the early to middle stages.
KIPCHOGE (M Kareem) - Slow away. Held up passing the 350 metres before shifting out entering the final straight to obtain clear running.
HIBERNIA SEA (C Grylls) - Slow away.
FLEUR DE LYS (C Lammas) - Raced ungenerously when being restrained in the early stages.
<b>BLUSHING HEIGHTS</b> (T Newman) - Hung outwards for the majority of the race proving difficult. Briefly crowded whe weakening passing the 100 metres by GREEDY (R Kozaki) which shifted in under pressure. R Kozaki was advised to exercise greater care when in a similar circumstance.
Race 3 TOKOROA COSMOPOLITAN CLUB (INC) & TREES TAVERN 1200
AUTOBAHN (C Lammas) - Slow away.
TRUE BLESSING (R Elliot) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Had difficulty obtaining clear running early in the final
straight.
<b>BO JACKSON</b> (T Thornton) - Rider T Thornton reported the colt had felt indifferent. A post-race veterinary examination could find no obvious abnormalities.
Race 4 TIRAU VETERINARY CENTRE 1200
I'M BUZZ (S McKay) - Raced keenly in the early stages. Held up until passing the 200 metres.

# Race 5 HOLSTER ENGINEERING LALLY AND SYMES SOUTH WAIKATO CUP (2000 metres)

MIGHTY CONNOR (R Kozaki) - Steadied soon after leaving the barrier when awkwardly placed.

**MASTER PAINTON** (M Kareem) - Raced wide without cover until improving forward to sit outside the leader near the 1300 metres.

JOE CARGO (C Lammas) - Began awkwardly shifting out. Checked 1200 metres when crowded.

**M Kareem** (MASTER PAINTON) - Admitted a breach of careless riding in that he permitted MASTER PAINTON to shift in near the 1200 metres when insufficiently clear of JOE CARGO which was checked. After considering submissions the Judicial Committee suspended his licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Saturday 14th March up to and including Thursday 26 March 2020, 7 National days.

Race 6COX PLATE 100 NZ TOUR 1400IPATCH (R Kozaki) - Began awkwardly making contact then losing ground.

**LALONE** (C Grylls) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

**A'NOOD DUDE** (D Johnson) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination after becoming tailed off which could find no obvious abnormalities.

CATWALK GIRL (S Collett) - Over-raced when leading.

**LANDRY** (M Cameron) - Inconvenienced 125 metres when in restricted room to the inside of MARKUS AURELIUS which lay in under pressure.

**O Bosson** (MARKUS AURELIUS) - Reminded of his obligations regarding whip use.

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