

# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



## MEETING DETAILS:

<b>Club:</b>	Auckland Racing Club	<b>Date:</b>	Saturday 23 January 2021
<b>Weather:</b>	Overcast		
<b>Track:</b>	Dead 4		
<b>Rail:</b>	True		
<b>Stewards:</b>	M Williamson (Chairman), A Coles, W Robinson, V Algar, L Selvakumaran		
<b>Vet:</b>	Dr I Bridge BVSc, B Vosloo BVSc		
<b>Typist</b>	K Verner		

## SUMMARY:

<b>Swabbing:</b>	NEED I SAY MORE, EXPLOSIVELY, TIPTRONIC, IN A TWINKLING, LEVANTE, OUR ALLEY CAT, ON THE BUBBLES, SNEAKY SHARK, AVONALLO, ENTRIVIERE, JUSTACANTA, AEGON, AMARELINHA, MONTRE MOI		
<b>Suspensions:</b>	Race	1	<b>L Innes</b> EXPLOSIVELY Careless riding 1150 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 31/1-8/2, 4 days & fined as below
		5	<b>S Weatherley</b> PRETTY TO SEA Careless riding 100 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 1-10/2, 4 days & fined as below
<b>Protests:</b>	Nil		
<b>Fines:</b>	Race	1	<b>L Innes</b> EXPLOSIVELY Careless riding 1150 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] \$400
		5	<b>S Weatherley</b> PRETTY TO SEA Careless riding 100 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] \$400
		6	<b>D Guy</b> SCREAMIN EAGLE Late declaration of rider [Rule 537(a)] \$250
<b>Warnings:</b>	Race	1	<b>L Innes</b> EXPLOSIVELY Shifting ground 750 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
		2	<b>T Harris</b> IN A TWINKLING Shifting ground 1900 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
			<b>C Grylls</b> DANCE CARD Shifting ground 350 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
		4	<b>L Allpress</b> AVONALLO Shifting ground 1150 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
			<b>L Satherley</b> CHEROKEE WARRIOR Whip use [Rule 636 (3)(b)(ii)]
<b>Horse Actions:</b>	Nil		
<b>Follow Up:</b>	Race	2	<b>GRAND BOUQUET</b>
		6	<b>SUPREME KHAN</b> <b>WAIMOKU FALLS</b>
<b>Medical Certificates:</b>	Nil		
<b>Rider Changes:</b>	Nil		
<b>Late Scratchings:</b>	Nil		

**GENERAL:**

Trainer G Harvey advised Stewards that **MISS IPENEMA** and **BRIX** who were engaged to race in the **DOUBLETREE BY HILTON KARAKA MILLION 2YO** had recovered from a fungal skin infection with a supporting letter received from Dr Jack O'Brien BVSc MRCVS advising both horses displayed mild to moderate loss of hair to the neck region from a previous skin infection which had been treated appropriately with anti-bacterial and anti-fungal topical medication leading up to 21/1/21. The fungal infection was resolved however the hair is yet to grow back. In the opinion of the veterinarian, the skin condition is of low significance and will not affect performance, further advising that routine haematology and biochemistry bloods were taken on 18/1/21 showing no significant abnormalities. Both **MISS IPENEMA** and **BRIX** underwent veterinary examinations upon arrival on course and were passed fit to race.

Trainer D Guy was fined \$250 by the Judicial Committee for failing to declare a rider for **SCREAMIN EAGLE** in the **KARAKA MILLION 3YO CLASSIC** by the required time.

**SUPPLEMENTARY:****Waikato Racing Club - Wednesday 20 January 2021****Race 3 - LOTS 147 & 244 AT KARAKA 2021 (1400 metres)**

**MOUNT REMARKABLE (S McKay)** - Trainer K Hawtin reported that MOUNT REMARKABLE had undergone a veterinary inspection in days subsequent which could find no significant abnormality other than slight heat and bruising to the near fore inside heel.

**Wanganui Jockey Club Thursday 14 January 2021****Race 10 - WHANGANUI CHRONICLE 2040 METRES**

**I AM A CRAFTSMAN (J Parkes)** – Stable representative M Marshall advised Stewards the stable was satisfied with the post-race condition of I AM A CRAFTSMAN, however, has now been sent for a freshen up.

**Wellington Racing Club Saturday 16 January 2021****Race 6 - DEVAN PLASTICS LEVIN CLASSIC (Group I) (1600 Metres)**

**WHIMSICAL (J Parkes)** – Stable representative R Mildon advised Stewards, on Saturday 23 January, WHIMSICAL underwent a veterinary examination, which included a dynamic respiratory endoscopic examination, with results showing WHIMSICAL to have breathing difficulties. R Mildon further advised the filly will now undergo a wind operation.

**RACE COMMENTS:****Race 1 CAMBRIDGE STUD ALMANZOR TROPHY (1200 m)**

**MIRACLE'S HAPPEN (T Thornton)** – Slow away. Restrained to obtain cover approaching the 1000 metres.

**NEED I SAY MORE (T Harris)** – Crowded shortly after the start. Hampered 1150 metres and steadied.

**BABYLON BERLIN (M McNab)** – Began awkwardly losing ground, then ridden urgently to recover.

**MARIA FARINA (S Weatherley)** – Began awkwardly then restrained behind runners shortly after the start.

**EVER SO EASY (C Grylls)** – Raced in restricted room soon after leaving the barriers.

**CADEAU** (S Collett) – Over-raced in the early stages then shifting out off the heels of BABYLON BERLIN approaching the 800 metres forcing EXPLOSIVELY wider. Briefly steadied passing the 200 metres when crowded by EXPLOSIVELY which shifted in under pressure despite the efforts of its rider.

**SO GORGEIOUS** (S Spratt) – Hampered near the 1150 metres and steadied. Improved onto heels of EXPLOSIVELY (L Innes) near the 750 metres which was steady and shifting in after being forced wide with SO GORGEIOUS being and hampered losing ground. Briefly steadied approaching the 300 metres when awkwardly placed near the heels of EVER SO EASY which shifted out.

**EXPLOSIVELY** (L Innes) – Raced greenly under pressure in the final straight.

**L Innes** (EXPLOSIVELY) – Admitted a breach of careless riding in that he permitted EXPLOSIVELY to shift in near the 1150 metres when insufficiently clear of NEED I SAY MORE and SO GORGEIOUS which were both hampered and steadied. After hearing submissions the Judicial Committee suspended L Innes' licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Saturday 30 January until the conclusion of racing on Monday 8 February, 4 national riding days and in addition imposed a fine of \$400.

**L Innes** (EXPLOSIVELY) – Issued with a warning after steady EXPLOSIVELY near the 750 metres and shifting in slightly with SO GORGEIOUS becoming awkwardly placed inside that runner's heels and was hampered losing ground.

**Race 2** | **COLLINSONFOREX KARAKA CUP (2200 m)**

**FIRODEN** (D Danis) – Slow to begin.

**DAYTONA RED** (S Weatherley) – Slow to begin losing ground.

**GRAND BOUQUET** (S McKay) – Began awkwardly. Briefly crowded 1900 metres and steadied going back onto DANCE CARD. Hampered 750 metres after improving onto heels. Crowded 350 metres by DANCE CARD which shifted out when looking to obtain clear running. Lost off front plate during the running. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which could find no obvious abnormalities.

**DANCE CARD** (C Grylls) – Steadied when awkwardly placed on heels 1850 metres. Held up 350 metres.

**SCAGLIONI** (A Goindasamy) – Raced wide without cover before improving forward to sit outside the leader passing the 1300 metres.

**SIR NATE** (L Allpress) – Contacted 1400 metres when briefly crowded by IN A TWINKLING which lay in and away from SCAGLIONI.

**REDCAYENNE** (T Thornton) – Over-raced for a distance passing the 1600 metres shifting out to avoid heels forcing CHEEKY BEE wider on the track.

**CHEEKY BEE** (T Yanagida) – Crowded shortly after the start having to be restrained behind runners. Dictated wider 1600 metres. Dictated wider 800 metres by AMANO which shifted out to avoid the heels of GRAND BOUQUET. Contacted and briefly unbalanced 300 metres.

**M Hashizume** (AMANO) – Severely reprimanded after allowing AMANO to shift in shortly after the winning post crowding and unbalancing DAYTONA RED.

**T Harris** (IN A TWINKLING) – Issued with a warning after permitting IN A TWINKLING to shift in near the 1900 metres when insufficiently clear of GRAND BOUQUET which was briefly steadied.

**C Grylls (DANCE CARD)** – Issued with a warning after permitting DANCE CARD to shift out passing the 350 metres.

**Race 3** | **WESTBURY CLASSIC (1400 m)**

**TRAVELLING LIGHT (M McNab)** – Began awkwardly shifting out making contact with MISS LABASA

**MISS LABASA (W Pinn)** – Contacted shortly after the start, briefly unbalancing its rider. Steadied 1100 metres when awkwardly placed near heels.

**KARALINO (C Grylls)** – Contacted start.

**PIERINA (L Allpress)** – Contacted start.

**OUR ALLEY CAT (S Weatherley)** – Began awkwardly.

**LEVANTE (S Collett)** – Slow to begin.

**STAR OF BOMBAY (D Johnson)** – Crowded and hampered at the start losing ground. Inconvenienced over the concluding stages by FAMILIA which shifted out under pressure. L Innes was advised to exercise care in a similar circumstance.

**KIWI IDA (D Johnson)** – Raced keenly in the early to middle stages.

**S Collett (LEVANTE)** – Reminded of her obligation in that she must not make a celebratory gesture prior to her horse passing the winning post.

**Race 4** | **DOUBLETREE BY HILTON KARAKA MILLION 2YO (1200 m)**

**SEVEN TWENTY (W Pinn)** – Began awkwardly.

**BRIX (T Yanagida)** – Knuckled leaving the barrier then shifted out abruptly forcing MILLEFIORI out onto BRAZEN BLUE and SOPHISTICARDO which were both forced out onto the heels of AVONALLO which was shifting in.

**MILLEFIORI (D Johnson)** – Crowded shortly after the start. Raced in restricted room for a distance approaching the 600 metres when crowded by CALLISSIDENT which was hanging out. When questioned regarding the performance Rider D Johnson advised that the filly may not have backed up as well as anticipated after winning at Tauranga on 15 January. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which failed to find any significant abnormalities.

**BRAZEN BLUE (L Innes)** – Crowded shortly after start.

**SOPHISTICARDO (T Harris)** – Began awkwardly then crowded shortly after start. Received veterinary treatment following the race for a small laceration on the right front dorsal pastern.

**CHEROKEE WARRIOR (L Satherley)** – Began awkwardly then crowded. Commenced to over-race in the early and middle stages when being restrained.

**MISS IPENEMA (S Spratt)** – Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race. Forced wider 800 metres.

**AVONALLO (L Allpress)** – Began awkwardly.

**MR BLUE SKY (M McNab)** – Restrained behind runners shortly after the start.

**ON THE BUBBLES** (J Parkes) – Began awkwardly.

**CALLISSIDENT** (S Weatherley) – Hung out when making the final bend. Held up early in the final straight before shifting in near the 350 metres to obtain clear running.

**FOLLOW YOUR DREAMS** (C Grylls) – Commenced to over-race in the early and middle stages when being restrained shifting out off heels approaching the 800 metres forcing MISS IPENEMA wider on the track. Shifted in near the 600 metres contacting BRAZEN BLUE, becoming unbalanced.

**WESTERN SPRINGS** (V Colgan) – Dictated slightly wider approaching the 300 metres by SEVEN TWENTY which shifted out to obtain clear running.

**SNEAKY SHARK** (S Collett) – Returned to the weigh-in area showing signs of lameness. A subsequent veterinary examination found SNEAKY SHARK to have displaced its near front plate, standing on the toe clip.

**L Allpress** (AVONALLO) – Issued with a warning after permitting AVONALLO to shift in shortly after the start crowding SOPHISTICARDO and BRAZEN BLUE. Stewards took into account the outward movement from BRIX which had forced those runners wider.

**L Satherley** (CHEROKEE WARRIOR) – Issued with a warning for her whip use on a runner that was out of contention.

**T Harris** (SOPHISTICARDO) – Reminded of his obligation with regards to whip use.

**S Spratt** (MISS IPENEMA) – Reminded of her obligation with regards to whip use on a runner that was out of contention.

<b>Race 5</b>	<b>BRIGHTHILL FARM CONCORDE HANDICAP (1200 m)</b>
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**ROCKET FUEL** (W Pinn) – Began awkwardly.

**LOVE SQUIRRELS** (M Hashizume) – Slow to begin.

**VIGOR WINNER** (C Grylls) – Slow to begin.

**JUSTACANTA** (A Goindasamy) – Restrained behind runners shortly after the start.

**PRINCESS RIHANNA** (L Satherley) – Restrained to obtain cover in the early stages.

**PACKING ROCKSTAR** (S McKay) – Raced ungenerously in the early stages going off stride when being restrained approaching the 900 metres when in restricted room. Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race. Hampered and steadied approaching the 100 metres when crowded by PRETTY TO SEA which shifted out to obtain clear running.

**ITS DESTINYS CHILD** (S Spratt) – Raced four wide without cover for the majority of the race.

**FESTIVITY** (L Allpress) – Held up for a distance entering the final straight then could not obtain clear running until approaching the 100 metres.

**GINO SEVERINI** (L Innes) – Improved onto heels near the 150 metres and was then held up for the remainder of the race.

**S Weatherley** (PRETTY TO SEA) – Admitted a breach of careless riding in that he permitted his mount PRETTY TO SEA to shift out approaching the 100 metres when insufficiently clear of PACKING ROCKSTAR which was hampered and steadied. After hearing submissions the Judicial Committee suspended S Weatherley's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Sunday 31 January until the conclusion of racing on Wednesday 10 February, 4 national riding days and in addition imposed a fine of \$400.

**Race 6** | **KARAKA MILLION 3YO CLASSIC (1600 m)**

**BELLA BUTTON** (M McNab) – Slow to begin.

**GURTLYN** (C Johnson) – Began awkwardly.

**LORD ARDMORE** (S Spratt) – Crowded shortly after the start losing ground.

**WAIMOKU FALLS** (A Goindasamy) – Raced keenly when being steadied becoming awkwardly placed near heels approaching the 1200 metres with WAIMOKU FALLS then shifting out when being restrained, clipping the heel of EDGE OF WONDER and blundering, dislodging rider A Goindasamy. After undergoing a medical examination Apprentice A Goindasamy was found to be uninjured other than bruising to the right arm and left shoulder.

**EDGE OF WONDER** (J Parkes) – Raced wide for the majority of the race.

**TANNAHILL** (W Pinn) – Taken wide passing the 500 metres by the riderless WAIMOKU FALLS and forced out into the middle of the track in the final straight.

**INVISIBLE SPIRIT** (S Weatherley) – Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race. Inconvenienced 300 metres when weakening.

**AEGON** (L Innes) – Raced in restricted room shortly after the start. Had difficulty obtaining clear running early in the straight and was again held up approaching the 200 metres before shifting out across heels inconveniencing the weakening ZEE FALLS.

**ZEE FALLS** (C Grylls) – Briefly steadied 200 metres when weakening after being crowded by AEGON (L Innes) which shifted out to obtain clear running. Contributing was inward movement from AMARELINHA (D Johnson). Riders L Innes and D Johnson were both advised to exercise care in a similar circumstance.

**SUPREME KHAN** (T Harris) – When questioned regarding the performance Rider T Harris advised the gelding was disappointing and could not offer any tangible excuse.

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