

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



MEETING DETAILS:

Club:	Otaki-Maori Racing Club	Date:	Wednesday, 10 March 2021
Weather:	Showery		
Track:	Dead (5), Downgraded to Slow (7) following Race 1, Retrospective.		
Rail:	True		
Stewards:	N Goodwin, V Algar, B Bateup		
Vet:	M Leyland BVSc		
Typist:	S Shirriffs		

SUMMARY:

Swabbing:	MI GRACIE; ARJAYBEE; FIANO; MEG; ROSE OF DELGATIE; WITHALLMYHEART; SHADY GREY.		
Suspensions:	Nil		
Protests:	Nil		
Fines:	Nil		
Warnings:	Race	1	R Elliot WHEN IN PARIS [Rule 636(1)(d)] – Failing to ride to finish
		2	K Hercocock VISHAKHA [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] – Whip use prior to 100 metres.
		6	M Sanson MARKSMAN [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] – Whip use prior to 100 metres.
Horse Actions:	Race	4	SHE'S SO RELIABLE – Must barrier trial.
Follow Up:	Nil		
Medical Certificates:	J Parkes – Medical clearance required		
Rider Changes:	Race	1	ROCKAMO – T Taiaroa replaced J Parkes (unwell)
		2	TED LASSO – L Allpress replaced J Parkes
		4	IT'S MY PARTY – D Bradley replaced J Parkes
		6	PEARL OF DELGATIE – M Singh replaced J Parkes
		7	SCUTAR – T Yanagida replaced J Parkes
Late Scratchings:	Race	5	HEIRLOOM, at 2.05 pm – change in track conditions
		4	SHE'S SO RELIABLE – 3.13pm at the barrier
		7	PRENDIDO, at 1.34pm – change in track conditions

GENERAL:

SUPPLEMENTARY:

RACE COMMENTS:

Race 1	SCAFF ON DEMAND MAIDEN (1200 Metres)
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JUSTABEAUTY (J Fawcett) – Began awkwardly. Commenced to over-race in the early to middle stages. When questioned, rider reported the filly was unsuited to the Slow track conditions.

ENCHANTING (T Yanagida) – Slow to begin.

ROCKAMO (T Taiaroa) – Began awkwardly.

MI GRACIE (M Hudson) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

TRANSITORY (S Macnab) – Held up briefly passing the 400 metres.

R Elliot (WHEN IN PARIS) – Issued with a warning under Rule 636(1)(d) for failing to ride his mount out fully to the finish when able to do so, after as he was observed to relax his ride when in fifth placing.

Following the running of Race 1, in consultation with riders and further rain, the track condition was downgraded to Slow (7) retrospective.

Race 2	AQUASHIELD ROOFING 3YO MAIDEN (1200 Metres)
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VISHAKHA (K Herccock) – Slow to begin.

WINNIE ROSE (M Singh) – Slow to begin.

POROTENE SLING (J Fawcett) - Raced greenly at the start and shifted wide over extra ground, then over-raced.

TED LASSO (L Allpress) – Raced greenly throughout and hung outwards in the home straight having to be continuously straightened, bumping with SASSY SUSAN near the 200 metres.

SASSY SUSAN (D Johnson) – Bumped near 200 metres.

K Herccock (VISHAKHA) – Issued with a warning for her use of the whip prior to the 100 metres.

M Singh (WINNIE ROSE) – Spoken to regarding his whip use prior to 100 metres.

Race 3	THOROUGH BRED EXCHANGE HANDICAP (1200 Metres)
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LINCOLN'S KRUIZ (S Macnab) – Underwent and passed a pre-race veterinary examination at the barrier after making contact with a rail in the enclosure. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages. Hampered 1000 metres.

SCOTCH (L Allpress) - Underwent and passed a pre-race veterinary examination at the barrier after a cut was detected in the mouth. Slow after being hampered on jumping away. Commenced to over-race in the early to middle stages when being restrained.

SARDEEN (J Fawcett) – Knuckled at the start and then tightened when BUCKY shifted in.

STEPTOE (T Yanagida) - Shifted in on jumping away hampering SCOTCH.

FIANO (A Mudhoo) – Improved rapidly up onto the heels of STEPTOE near the 1000 metres and when being corrected shifted in and hampered LINCOLN'S KRUIZ which had to be steadied.

SHE'S A GODDESS (D Hirini) - Raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

Race 4	RIVERSTONE CAFÉ MAIDEN (1400 Metres)
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The start of this race was approximately 5 minutes late after SHE'S SO RELIABLE became cast in its barrier.

SHE'S SO RELIABLE (L Hemi) –Charged the front of its gate, became cast and got down in its stall. The filly was subsequently declared a late scratching after a veterinary inspection. Connections were advised the filly must barrier trial prior to racing next. L Hemi was examined by paramedics and cleared to ride.

The Starter was spoken to following the race after incorrectly advising Stewards and Raceday Control that number 6 KOKOMO was the runner which was to be scratched after getting down in its gate when the correct runner to be scratched was number 13 SHE'S SO RELIABLE. The error was amended prior to any official scratching being processed by the TAB.

IT'S MY PARTY (D Bradley) – Slow to begin, losing ground (5L).

MEG (L Allpress) - Slow to begin, losing ground (5L).

SUGAH SWEET (R Elliot) - Slow to begin.

TAVI WITH ME (J Fawcett) – Slow to begin.

D Bradley (IT'S MY PARTY) – Spoken to regarding his whip use prior to the 100 metres.

Race 5	CAVALLO FARM & CHRIS RUTTEN BLOODSTOCK HANDICAP (2100 Metres)
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The start of this race was incorrectly reported in the official racebook as 3.40pm when the correct time was 3.49pm.

POSH POROTENE (M Singh) – Slow to begin. Raced three wide without cover throughout.

MANINTHESKY (L Hemi) – Slow to begin.

SHE'S A RIPPER (T Allan) - Raced keenly in the early stages.

Race 6	VETS ON RIVERBANK MAIDEN (1600 Metres)
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CAPITAL GAINS (S Macnab) - Knuckled at the start losing ground.

KAZADEROSE (K Hercock) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Commenced to over-race in the early to middle stages when being restrained.

WOCKET WOY (T Yanagida) - Slow to being.

SOUTHROAD (L Hemi) - Slow to begin.

PEARL OF DELGATIE (M Singh) – Knuckled shortly after the start briefly unbalancing its rider who lost the use of his right iron for several strides. Raced keenly in the early stages. When questioned M Singh reported the filly was unsuited to track conditions underfoot.

PANDEMIC (L Allpress) – Commenced to over-race in the early stages having to be steadied off heels passing the 1300 metres.

MELODIOUS (D Johnson) – Finished well back. When questioned regarding performance rider advised the filly was unsuited to today's rain-affected track conditions.

M Sanson (MARKSMAN) – Issued with a warning for striking her mount in consecutive strides prior to the 100 metres.

Race 7	EL CHEAPO CARS HANDICAP (1600 Metres)
<p>ORLOV (R Elliot) – Slow to begin. Slipped 600 metres losing considerable ground.</p> <p>WHITE LIGHTNING (L Allpress) – Slow to begin. Rider reported her mount felt uncertain in the going underfoot.</p> <p>JESSIES ROCK (S Macnab) – Slow to begin.</p> <p>SURPRIZE ME (L Hemi) - Began awkwardly making contact with ROC LEGEND.</p> <p>ROC LEGEND (M Singh) – Hampered then crowded shortly after the start losing ground. Slipped 600 metres.</p> <p>T Yanagida (SCUTAR) – Reminded of his obligations to keep his mount straight after allowing his mount to shift out near the 150 metres when not fully clear of THOMAS AQUINAS, which had to steady and shift ground inwards to improve. A short distance further on SCUTAR shifted inwards under pressure simultaneously as FEELIN FANCY shifted out resulting in SCUTAR having to check off that runner’s heels.</p> <p>TOMAS AQUINAS (K Hercock) – Hampered 150 metres, having to steady and shift ground inwards to improve.</p> <p>LINCOLN HANOVER (F Lazet) - Inclined to hang inwards in the home straight.</p> <p>Following the running of Race 7 riders M Singh (ROC LEGEND) and R Elliot (ORLOV) reported their respective mounts slipped and lost their footing near the 600 metres with ORLOV losing considerable ground. This area of the track was inspected by the RIU which revealed several loose divots in the vicinity. L Allpress also reported that her mount WHITE LIGHTNING was uncertain in the going underfoot.</p>	