



## STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

### MEETING DETAILS

**Club:** Racing Te Aroha  
**Date:** Saturday, 27 November 2021  
**Weather:** Fine  
**Track:** Dead 4, upgraded to Good 3 following Race 2  
**Rail:** True  
**Stewards:** B Jones (Chair), V Algar, W Robinson, M Williamson (remote)  
**Vet:** K Rooney BVSc, R McQuillan BVSc  
**Typist:** K Verner

### SUMMARY

**Suspensions:** Race 2 **V Colgan BLOOD WARRIOR**  
Whip use in consecutive strides [Rule 638(3)(g)(ii)] Suspended 5-16/12, 5 days

**Fines:** Nil  
**Warnings:** Nil  
**Protests:** Nil  
**Request for Ruling:** Nil

**Horse Actions:** Race 2 **SAKURA BLOSSOM**  
Veterinary clearance required prior to racing next

**Follow Up:** Race 2 **SAKURA BLOSSOM**  
4 **FINEST WINE**  
6 **LES CRAYERES**

**Rider Changes:** Race 1 **SAVVY STAR**  
M Cameron replaced E Leighton  
2 **MAKTOUM**  
Y Kumagai replaced E Leighton  
3 **MONDIAL**  
M Alam replaced E Leighton  
8 **CHA SIU BAO**  
C Barnes replaced E Leighton  
9 **DIAMOND DELIGHT**  
A Goindasamy replaced V Colgan (unwell)

**Late Scratchings:** Nil  
**Medical Certificates:** Required from E Leighton  
**Swabbing:** I CHOOSE YOU, BLOOD WARRIOR, NIGHT NIGHT DORA, ROCK MY HEART, STARRYBEEL, DEMONETIZATION, HYPNOS, PAREANUI BAY, FLASH MARY, GOLD WATCH, JENESSA

### GENERAL

E Leighton advised Stewards that she would not be attending today's meeting. E Leighton was advised that a medical clearance would be required prior to riding next.

At the request of the TAB the following race times were changed:

Race 5 – now 2:42 pm  
Race 6 – now 3:18 pm  
Race 7 – now 3:52 pm  
Race 8 – now 4:27 pm

Race 9 – now 5:08 pm

#### SUPPLEMENTARY

**Waikato Racing Club - Saturday, 20 November 2021**

**Race 4 SKYCITY HAMILTON – OPEN @ LEVEL 2 1200**

**PRINCE KANTO** (M Cameron) – Co-trainer Ms P Gerard advised Stewards PRINCE KANTO has now been sent for a spell.

**Race 5 HAUNUI FARM COUNTIES BOWL (Listed Race) (1100 metres)**

**JOHNY JOHNY** (L Satherley) – Co-trainer Mrs M Carter reported to Stewards JOHNY JOHNY was showing signs of being shin sore. M Carter further advised the gelding will now be sent for a brief freshen up, and on return to the stable will partake in water treadmill work.

#### RACE COMMENTS

**Race 1** | **TE AROHA STALLION SERVICE SCHEME 2YO (1100 metres)**

**SAVVY STAR** (M Cameron) – Due to there being no suitable apprentice replacement rider available permission was given to replace E Leighton with a senior rider. Raced three wide without cover throughout.

**ALABAMA GOLD** (C Grylls) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Held up entering the final straight.

**BILLBOARD** (J Riddell) - Slow to begin.

**TIME RULER** (A Goindasamy) - Slow to begin.

**FAIRSHARE** (L Satherley) – Blundered shortly after the start. Inconvenienced approaching the 300 metres by BILLBOARD which shifted out when not fully clear. J Riddell was advised to exercise care.

**BELLA TIVACI** (T Newman) - Raced keenly in the early stages when being restrained.

**GRACE 'N' GREY** (M McNab) - Over-raced in the early and middle stages.

**ACCIDENTAL TOURIST** (K Asano) - Lay out over the concluding stages.

**Race 2** | **PIAKO RURAL SERVICES 1100**

**THREE SIXTY** (K Asano) - Slow to begin then crowded having to be steadied, losing ground. Awkwardly placed near heels passing the 400 metres. Improved onto heels near the 75 metres.

**MARIA FARINA** (S Weatherley) - Began awkwardly. Held up throughout the final straight.

**VIRTUOSO LAD** (A Goindasamy) - Slow to begin. Awkwardly placed near the 175 metres and shifted in to improve.

**SAKURA BLOSSOM** (M McNab) - Hampered shortly after the start losing ground. When questioned regarding performance the rider advised that the mare had been disappointing. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which found the mare to be 1/5 lame in the right foreleg. Connections were advised that a veterinary clearance would be required prior to racing next.

**MAKTOUM** (Y Kumagai) - Began awkwardly getting its head up, losing ground. Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.

**PARADIGM SHIFT** (T Thornton) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

**EVER SO EASY** (C Grylls) - Held up throughout the final straight.

**CLEVER RUDS** (L Satherley) - Raced in restricted room over the concluding stages when weakening.

**V Colgan** (BLOOD WARRIOR) - Admitted a charge of using his whip in two consecutive strides on his mount BLOOD WARRIOR near the winning post. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee suspended V Colgan's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Saturday 4 December up to and including racing on Thursday 16 December, 5 national riding days.

**Race 3** | **TE AROHA JOCKEY CLUB 1200**

**MONDIAL** (M Alam) - Due to there being no suitable apprentice replacement rider available permission was given to replace E Leighton with a senior rider. Began awkwardly losing ground.

**THINKSO** (S McKay) - Began awkwardly getting its head up when being restrained, losing ground. Commenced to race ungenerously in the early and middle stages.

**DON'T LOOK ETHEL** (C Barnes) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Improved onto heels over the concluding stages.

**ROOFTOP** (L Satherley) - Slow to begin. Raced greenly when placed under pressure in the final straight.

**IFYOURAMPLE** (D Johnson) - Restrained behind runners shortly after the start.

**CHASE 'N' GOLD** (T Newman) - Over-raced in the early and middle stages.

**CHANCELLOR** (M Cameron) - Raced in restricted room for a distance passing the 150 metres.

**Race 4** | **DUNSTAN FEEDS 2200**

**TOPKAPI** (S Weatherley) – Crowded shortly after the start losing ground. Held up entering the final straight. Steadied when placed in restricted room just prior to the winning post when runners either side shifted ground slightly.

**ROCK MY HEART** (L Satherley) - Slow to begin.

**NOWANAGEN** (C Barnes) - Began awkwardly.

**MOLLYS GAME** (S McKay) - Began awkwardly. When questioned regarding performance the rider advised that the mare had been unsuited by today's track conditions.

**PLUSHENKO** (K Asano) - Crowded shortly after the start losing ground.

**OSTASIO** (Y Kumagai) – Raced three wide without cover for the majority of the race. Contacted passing the 300 metres becoming briefly unbalanced.

**PIGGY MALONE** (T Newman) - Disappointed for a run passing the 300 metres. The rider reported that the gelding had felt indifferent in its action. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

**JAMES BARRIE** (J Riddell) - Had difficulty obtaining clear running until shifting inwards passing the 150 metres.

**FINEST WINE** (D Johnson) - When questioned regarding performance the rider could not offer any excuse.

<b>Race 5</b>	<b>DUNSTAN FEEDS CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFIER 2200</b>
<p><b>PIPING HOT</b> (M Cameron) – Slow to begin.</p> <p><b>STARRYBEEL</b> (M McNab) - Began awkwardly.</p> <p><b>CURIOUS GEORGE</b> (S Weatherley) - Slow to begin.</p> <p><b>GLOBAL CURRENCY</b> (D Johnson) - Slow to begin.</p> <p><b>TARWYN</b> (J Riddell) - Over-raced in the early stages when being restrained to obtain cover, making the bend near the 1800 metres awkwardly.</p>	
<b>Race 6</b>	<b>EAGLE TECHNOLOGY STAKES (1600 metres) (G3)</b>
<p><b>ROYAL PERFORMER</b> (J Riddell) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Had difficulty obtaining clear running until approaching the 100 metres.</p> <p><b>HYPNOS</b> (V Colgan) - Began awkwardly. Lost the left front plate during the running.</p> <p><b>VOLITIVO</b> (T Thornton) - Restrained behind runners shortly after the start then knuckled when shifting inwards.</p> <p><b>PAISLEY PARK</b> (A Goindasamy) - Raced three wide without cover throughout. Contacted passing the 400 metres. Contacted and unbalanced passing the 100 metres.</p> <p><b>LES CRAYERES</b> (D Johnson) - Over-raced in the early stages. Shifted outwards passing the 400 metres when attempting to obtain clear running making contact with PAISLEY PARK. Improved onto heels over the concluding stages, having to be steadied. When questioned regarding performance the rider advised that the mare had been disappointing. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which did not reveal any abnormality.</p> <p><b>ON THE ROCKS</b> (K Asano) – Shifted inwards abruptly passing the 100 metres making contact with PAISLEY PARK which was unbalanced.</p> <p><b>MARRONI</b> (C Grylls) - Raced in restricted room over the concluding stages when runners either side shifted ground.</p>	
<b>Race 7</b>	<b>TREVOR &amp; CORALLIE EAGLE MEMORIAL 3YO (1500 metres) (Listed Race)</b>
<p><b>JUST DANCE</b> (C Grylls) - Over-raced in the early and middle stages. When questioned regarding the performance rider advised that the filly had raced greenly throughout.</p> <p><b>FLASH MARY</b> (L Satherley) – Had difficulty obtaining clear running early in the final straight.</p> <p><b>LA CRIQUE</b> (V Colgan) - Shifted outwards approaching the 75 metres making brief contact with PAREANUI BAY which then lay in slightly having to be straightened by its rider.</p> <p><b>PAREANUI BAY</b> (M McNab) - Contacted then lay in having to be straightened by its rider over the concluding stages.</p>	
<b>Race 8</b>	<b>GEOFF BRINDLEY MEMORIAL 1400</b>
<p><b>CHA SIU BAO</b> (C Barnes) - Due to there being no suitable apprentice replacement rider available permission was given to replace E Leighton with a senior rider. Slow to begin.</p> <p><b>BELTOY</b> (T Thornton) - Began awkwardly losing ground.</p>	

**TIME TO CELEBRATE** (A Goindasamy) – Began awkwardly losing ground. Inconvenienced passing the 350 metres when RAPOSA RAPIDA shifted out slightly.

**PACKING ROCKSTAR** (V Colgan) - Raced fiercely having to shift out across heels and in doing so clipped the heel of NEW YORK JAZZ and blundered approaching the 1200 metres. Lay out when placed under pressure in the final straight. Lost the left front plate during the running.

**RAPOSA RAPIDA** (C Grylls) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

**RUN TO PERFECTION** (M McNab) - Improved onto heels passing the 50 metres having to shift outwards.

**Race 9**

**CAPISTRANO LODGE 1400**

**DIAMOND DELIGHT** (A Goindasamy) – Due to there being no suitable senior rider available permission was given for an apprentice rider to replace V Colgan. Slow to begin. Unable to obtain clear running throughout the final straight.

**JENESSA** (D Johnson) - Began awkwardly. Held up early in the final straight before shifting outwards passing the 350 metres making contact with LAVITA VISHVI which was forced wider.

**WITHALLMYHEART** (J Riddell) – Restrained behind runners shortly after the start. Held up early in the final straight.

**INCA WARRIOR** (K Asano) - Raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

**LAVITA VISHVI** (L Innes) - Contacted and forced wider passing the 350 metres.

**COME BACK TIGER** (Y Kumagai) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

**MARCELLA** (M McNab) - Had difficulty obtaining clear running for the majority of the final straight.

**IRON EAGLE** (S McKay) - Unable to obtain clear running for the majority of the straight.

**BAHIA EMERALD** (C Grylls) - Unable to obtain clear running until passing the 100 metres. The rider was questioned regarding his decision to improve inside runners passing the 450 metres when there was an opportunity to continue to improve forward wide outside of runners. C Grylls advised that he believed the ground closer to the running rail was superior to that wider on the track as the majority of winners today had come from close to the running rail, further adding that he had received a relatively unimpeded run until COME BACK TIGER had lay in passing the 175 metres placing him in restricted room for a distance before he was able to improve. C Grylls explanation was noted.

**TELEKINETIC** (M Cameron) – Received veterinary attention following the running of this race after suffering from the thumps.

*Stipendiary Stewards report as posted is provisional and subject to further review and amendment*