



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Racing Thames at Te Aroha
Date: Monday, 3 January 2022
Weather: Fine
Track: Dead 4, upgraded to Good 3 retrospective to Race 1
Rail: True
Stewards: B Jones (Chair), M Williamson, W Robinson
Vet: K Rooney BVSc
Typist: K Verner

SUMMARY

Suspensions: Race 2 **J Fawcett** RIDGEVIEW CHIEF
Excessive use of the whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] Suspended 7-15/1, 6 days and fined as below

Fines: Race 2 **J Fawcett** RIDGEVIEW CHIEF
Excessive use of the whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$300
R James & R Wellwood HASSTOBEYOU
Presented runner with incorrect gear [Rule 616(2)] \$50 (minor infringement)

Race 7 **D Danis** SPELTERINI
Excessive use of the whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$500

Warnings: Race 8 **M Hashizume** THUNDER
Shifting ground 400 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]

Protests: Nil
Request for Ruling: Nil

Horse Actions: Race 6 **SHELOB**
Veterinary clearance required prior to racing next

Race 8 **BRAHMA SUNSET**
Veterinary clearance required prior to racing next

Race 10 **BADGERINGDAWITNESS**
Required to barrier trial right handed prior to racing next
SAINT BATHANS
Warning, racing manners

Follow Up: Race 10 **SAINT BATHANS**

Rider Changes: Nil

Late Scratchings: Race 6 **SHELOB**
At 3.30 pm at the barrier on veterinary advice

Race 9 **KIRRACONI**
At 4.48 pm due to track conditions

Medical Certificates: Nil

Swabbing: COOL CHANGE, RIDGEVIEW CHIEF, CHAMPAGNE LOLA, KABUGEE, MAVEN BELLE, PINARELLO, CAMAROSA, CLEVERCONVERSATION, SAINT ALICE, NO SECRET

GENERAL

Nothing to report

SUPPLEMENTARY

Nothing to report

RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 ALLENS UNITED PAEROA 3YO MAIDEN (1200 metres)

MICK JAGGARD (T Newman) – Began awkwardly.

LEBANESE TRADER (L Innes) – Knuckled leaving the barrier. Raced keenly in the early stages shifting out to avoid heels near the 800 metres.

WHISKY MAC (M McNab) – Restrained from a wide barrier to obtain cover. Held up until passing the 100 metres.

VADAMOS STAR (M Hashizume) - Had difficulty obtaining clear running early in the final straight.

LONG GAME (J Fawcett) - Lay in passing the 250 metres placing **BOOMER** and **LINEN AND LACE** in restricted room for a distance.

LINEN AND LACE (T Thornton) - Placed in restricted room for a distance passing the 250 metres.

BOOMER (O Bosson) - Placed in restricted room for a distance passing the 250 metres. When questioned regarding performance rider advised the gelding would benefit from some easing of the ground.

Race 2 THAMES HARNESS RACING CLUB SPRINT (1200 metres)

HASSTOBEYOU (R Elliot) - Trainers R James & R Wellwood presented **HASSTOBEYOU** in gear that had not been notified (blinkers) and were fined \$50 under the minor infringement schedule. Threw its head down as the start was being affected and was slow to begin as a result then being further crowded having to steady.

MIRACLE'S HAPPEN (T Thornton) – Knuckled badly leaving the barrier with the rider becoming unbalanced. Over-raced in the early stages when being restrained.

SHAMPAGNE DANCER (M Alam) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

REVERBERATIONS (M Hashizume) - Had difficulty obtaining clear running early in the final straight.

MINI MYSTIC (T Yanagida) - Lay in passing the 400 metres becoming awkwardly placed on heels.

RABADA (M Cameron) – Lay out and away from **REVERBERATIONS** which had shifted outwards hampering **LA DOLCE VITA** which had to be steadied passing the 200 metres.

LA DOLCE VITA (A Goindasamy) – Steadied after improving onto heels passing the 200 metres.

J Fawcett (RIDGEVIEW CHIEF) - Admitted a charge in that she struck her mount **RIDGEVIEW CHIEF** six times prior to the 100 metre mark. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee suspended J Fawcett's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Thursday 6 January up to and including racing on Saturday 15 January, 6 national riding days and in addition imposed a fine of \$300.

Race 3 THAMES VALLEY INSURANCE MAIDEN 1100

CHAMPAGNE LOLA (J Kamaruddin) – Began awkwardly. Held up early in the final straight.

AMORAMIO (M McNab) – Began awkwardly then crowded. Crowded passing the 1000 metres when runners either side shifted ground. Held up early in the final straight before shifting outwards passing the 200 metres to obtain clear

running. Raced greenly when placed under pressure inside the final 200 metres and shifted outwards abruptly passing the 50 metres.

FASHION A BELLE (A Lawson-Carroll) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

SYMPHONY OF LOVE (D Prastiyou) - Lay in when racing ungenerously passing the 1000 metres. Hampered near the 50 metres by AMORAMIO which shifted outwards abruptly.

VIPER (D Danis) - Raced greenly in the early and middle stages running wide when making the bend near the 800 metres.

AUNT CINDY (K Asano) - Raced ungenerously when being steadied passing the 950 metres. Raced wide without cover throughout. Rider dropped his whip near the 900 metres.

SENSE OF STYLE (M Cameron) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

DARCI'S FLIGHT (S Weatherley) – Attempted to improve into a marginal run passing the 200 metres before having to be steadied after becoming awkwardly placed on heels and was then unable to obtain clear running for the remainder of the race.

HOBSON STREET (C Burdan) – Held up over the final 50 metres.

DEVOTIONINMOTION (A Goindasamy) - Raced in restricted room over the concluding stages when laying in having to be straightened by its rider near the 50 metres to avoid heels.

Race 4	GRAEME WRIGHT TRANSPORT MAIDEN 1000
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HE'S CLASSIC (D Prastiyou) – Began awkwardly.

MOVIE GIRL (S Weatherley) - Restrained from its wide barrier.

CONTAGIOUS (R Elliot) – Raced wide without cover.

SKEW WIFF (C Grylls) - Made the bend awkwardly near the 600 metres when racing greenly then lay out entering the final straight.

SPEEDRUN (T Yanagida) - Held up early in the final straight.

BOLSHOI STAR (M McNab) - Placed in restricted room when weakening passing the 150 metres when runner either side shifted ground.

POUR THE WINE (A Goindasamy) - Lay out over the concluding stages with the rider being unable to ride the filly out fully.

Race 5	HOOTNANNY COUNTRY ROCK FESTIVAL @ THAMES MAIDEN 1000
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MI ELECTRA (K Asano) - Began awkwardly then restrained from its wide barrier.

WAITAK (A Goindasamy) – Raced in restricted room passing the 800 metres and was steadied.

FAIRSHARE (M Cameron) - Raced wide without cover.

HANALEI (M McNab) - Held up early in the final straight and when shifting out to obtain clear running, made brief contact with BLUE SOLITAIRE approaching the 200 metres.

BLUE SOLITAIRE (C Grylls) – Contacted and forced wider approaching the 200 metres.

SAFURA (O Bosson) - When questioned regarding the performance the rider advised that in his opinion the filly would benefit from some easing in the ground. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

Race 6 | **THAMES HARNESS SUPPORTING THAMES JOCKEY CLUB MAIDEN 1600**

SHELOB (D Danis) – Late scratched at the barrier on veterinary advice after the mare was showing signs of lameness behind. Trainer K Knight was advised a veterinary clearance would be required prior to the mare racing next. Trainer K Knight advised that the mare would not be persevered with as a racing proposition.

GLENAMADDY (A Goindasamy) - Slow to begin.

CHEQUERED PAST (K Asano) - Began awkwardly.

CAERUS (C Grylls) - Restrained from a wide barrier.

KING MONDO (T Newman) - Raced ungenerously in the early stages when being restrained. Received post-race veterinary attention after the gelding was found to be lame in the off hind leg.

CALVETTO (S Weatherley) – Raced wide without cover from near the 900 metres. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that in his opinion the gelding would benefit from some easing of the track.

NEAT (R Elliot) - Lay out rounding the final bend before being eased down by its rider. When questioned regarding performance the rider advised that the gelding had raced very greenly and had been a difficult ride. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

SUPERIOR SAM (T Yanagida) – Held up early in the final straight.

GO BUTCH (T Thornton) – Improved onto heels passing the 200 metres having to be steadied.

THE MILKMAN (M McNab) – Steadied when placed in restricted room when weakening passing the 350 metres and again near the 100 metres.

Race 7 | **GLENN TANNER & KARL DAVIS BAYLEYS COUNTRY TEAM 1600**

LORD POLONIUS (T Newman) - Began awkwardly.

SOME LIKE IT HOT (S Weatherley) – Restrained from a wide barrier.

WITHALLMYHEART (J Riddell) - Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.

HAPPY REMARK (J Kamaruddin) - Held up for a distance passing the 400 metres then having some difficulty obtaining clear running until near the 200 metres.

D Danis (SPELTERINI) - Admitted a charge in that he struck his mount SPELTERINI six times prior to the 100 metre mark with the Adjudicative Committee imposing a fine of \$500.

Race 8 | **COASTWOOD HOMES LOCKWOOD THAMES CUP (1600 metres)**

ALOFT (S Weatherley) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

THUNDER (M Hashizume) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

EXCITONIC (N Parmar) – Began awkwardly losing ground. Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.

BRAHMA SUNSET (M McNab) - Gave ground quickly from near the 450 metres. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which found the mare to have an irregular heartbeat. Connections were advised that a veterinary clearance would be required prior to racing next.

MISS INTERPRET (A Goindasamy) - Contacted and unbalanced near the 400 metres. Had to be steadied to avoid heels approaching the 200 metres when runners either side shifted ground.

APOSTROPHE (C Grylls) - Contacted and unbalanced near the 400 metres.

DEEP BEAUTY (R Elliot) – Held up rounding the bend.

M Hashizume (THUNDER) - Issued with a warning for angling his mount outwards making contact with MISS INTERPRET which was forced outwards hampering DEEP BEAUTY near the 400 metres.

Race 9 | **PENCARROW STUD MAIDEN 1400**

RAKAU (J Fawcett) - Knuckled shortly after leaving the barriers when in restricted room losing ground.

INVINCIBEEL (O Bosson) – Began awkwardly then crowded. Raced ungenerously in the early stages making the bend awkwardly near the 900 metres forcing LADY PERFORMER wider then lay out for the remainder of the bend. When questioned regarding performance rider O Bosson advised that the filly had found today's track conditions too firm.

SOUTHERN CROWN (C Burdan) – Briefly hampered approaching the 1200 metres when being restrained by MISCREANT which shifted out when racing keenly. Hampered and forced wider passing the 750 metres.

CAPEL PRINCE (D Danis) – Raced in restricted room passing the 1300 metres to the inside of ROCK UP (M McNab) which was then immediately corrected by its rider. M McNab was advised to exercise care.

ROCABURY (T Thornton) - Raced fiercely in the early to middle stages.

LADY PERFORMER (M Hashizume) - Contacted and forced wider near the 900 metres.

MISCREANT (J Riddell) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

LA FLORA BELLE (N Parmar) – Raced wide without cover throughout. The rider was questioned regarding his riding tactics in particular the reasons why he did not cross to a position outside the leader near the 600 metres when there appeared to be an opportunity to do so. N Parmar explained that he had heard a call from the riders to his inside and at that stage of the race believed he was not clear to shift ground however upon viewing the films agreed with Stewards that he had erred in his judgement by not crossing closer to the running rail.

SAINT ALICE (A Goindasamy) – Improved onto heels near the 750 metres and shifted outwards hampering SOUTHERN CROWN.

Race 10 | **THANK YOU RACING TE AROHA MAIDEN 1400**

REASONTORETIRE (T Thornton) – Slow to begin.

ZADANE (J Fawcett) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Had difficulty obtaining clear running early in the final straight.

RISING DREAM (M Hashizume) - Crowded shortly after the start having to be steadied. Over-raced in the early to middle stages.

BADGERINGDAWITNESS (O Bosson) - Commenced to over-race passing the 1000 metres having to shift outwards to avoid heels then made the bend near the 900 metres awkwardly when continuing to over-race. Ran off passing the 700 metres before being pulled up by its rider. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which did not reveal any obvious abnormality. Connections were advised that the gelding would be required to trial right handed prior to racing right handed next.

THE IRISH GAMBLER (J Kamaruddin) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

SAINT BATHANS (L Innes) - Lay out rounding the final bend running wider. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which did not reveal any obvious abnormality. Connections were advised a warning would be placed on the gelding's racing manners.

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