



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Matamata Racing Club
Date: Saturday, 25 September 2021
Weather: Fine
Track: Heavy 10
Rail: 9 metres
Stewards: J Oatham (Chair), B Jones, W Robinson
Vet: R McQuillan BVSc
Typist: K Verner

SUMMARY

Suspensions:	Race	4	L Satherley FLASH MARY Excessive use of the whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] Suspended 2-8/10 inclusive, 5 national days, and fined as below
		5	S Spratt WHANGA WONDER Careless riding 150 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 4-10/10 inclusive, 5 national days
Fines:	Race	3	J Kamaruddin ANGELICA Whip use forward of the shoulder [Rule 638(3)(f)(i)] \$650
		4	L Satherley FLASH MARY Excessive use of the whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$400
		8	W Pinn MR BAZAMOUR Excessive use of the whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$250
Warnings:	Race	5	L Satherley DIAMOND GIRL Whip use in consecutive strides [Rule 638(3)(g)(ii)]
Protests:	Nil		
Request for Ruling:	Nil		
Horse Actions:	Race	2	THE LITTLE ENGINE Required to barrier trial prior to racing next
		5	SHE'S APPLES Veterinary clearance required prior to racing next
Follow Up:	Race	2	THE LITTLE ENGINE
Rider Changes:	Nil		
Late Scratchings:	Race	2	THE LITTLE ENGINE 1.13 pm by Stewards
Medical Certificates:	Nil		
Swabbing:	LILY D'OR, WESSEX, BARI, FLASH MARY, FLEURGUNDY, MANRICO, CHERRY LANE, HUSK		

GENERAL

No issues to report.

SUPPLEMENTARY

Racing Taupo – Friday, 17 September 2021

Race 5 - THE BELLE FAMILY (1300 metres)

IMAREADY (K Asano) – Trainer Mr S Marsh advised Stewards IMAREADY, underwent a veterinary examination on Saturday 18 September, which included an endoscopic examination and blood tests, which revealed no abnormalities. S Marsh further advised it is his intention to continue on with the mare's current preparation.

Pakuranga Hunt Club @ Te Aroha - Sunday, 19 September 2021

Race 5 - CLC PAKURANGA HUNT CUP STEEPLECHASE (4200 metres)

IT'S A WONDER (S Phelan) – Trainer Mr H Wilson reported to Stewards he was satisfied with the post-race condition of the gelding, however, IT'S A WONDER has now been retired from racing.

RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 | **TE AKAU RACING 1600**

MAGDALA (S McKay) - Slow to begin.

GLOBAL CURRENCY (M McNab) – Crowded shortly after the start having to be steadied. Held up rounding the final turn and early in the straight before angling outwards across heels to obtain clear running passing the 200 metres.

TANNAHILL (W Pinn) – Began awkwardly crowding **ROLL THE GOLD**

ROLL THE GOLD (M Sanson) - Crowded leaving the barriers. Blundered having to be firmly restrained after improving onto heels near the 1200 metres going back onto **NAVAL FLEET** which was hampered. Over-raced in the middle stages.

TEEN TITAN (N Parmar) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

PLATFORM (T Newman) – Over-raced in the middle stages.

NAVAL FLEET (C Grylls) - Hampered near the 1200 metres. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the mare had not been suited by the moderate tempo of the race and had been unable to make up ground in today's heavy track conditions.

Race 2 | **TRANSPORT MECHANICAL WAHAROA LTD 1000**

THE LITTLE ENGINE (A Goindasamy) - Delayed the start after requiring farrier attention. Declared a late scratching at 1.13 pm after dislodging its rider during the preliminary and escaping riderless making contact with the outside fence. Connections were advised that the gelding would be required to barrier trial to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to racing next. Race 2 started approximately 5 minutes late as a result. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which found the gelding to have a small abrasion to the right shoulder and minor swelling of the right knee.

WESSEX (M Cameron) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

FEEL THE THUNDER (T Newman) - Made the bend near the 800 metres awkwardly and shifted out making contact with **SAVVY STAR** which was forced wider.

SAVVY STAR (C Barnes) - Contacted and forced wider passing the 800 metres. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the gelding had failed to handle today's heavy track conditions.

PACIFIC DRAGON (M McNab) - Lost the right hind plate during the running.

Race 3 | **GCM FEEDS 1200**

MARIA FARINA (M Cameron) – Began awkwardly. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the mare would derive benefit from today's fresh up race and in his opinion would be better suited by improved track conditions.

IHU (E McCall) - When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the gelding had made abnormal breathing noises and may have got its tongue back during the running. A post-race veterinary inspection failed to reveal any obvious abnormality.

J Kamaruddin (ANGELICA) - Admitted a charge in that he used his whip forward of the shoulder on three occasions between the 250 and 100 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a fine of \$650.

Race 4 | **KILGRAVIN LODGE 1300**

FLASH MARY (L Satherley) - Anticipated the start with its barrier stall opening marginally early with Stewards being satisfied that the filly had gained no advantage.

LA BELLA BEALS (S Collett) - Was inclined to over-race in the middle stages. Reacted poorly when placed in restricted room passing the 150 metres.

L Satherley (FLASH MARY) - Admitted a charge in that she struck her mount FLASH MARY six times prior to the 100 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee suspended L Satherley's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Friday 1 October up to and including racing on Friday 8 October, 5 national riding days and in addition imposed a fine of \$400.

Race 5 | **WAHAROA TRANSPORT CO (1995) LTD 1400**

MAIDSTONE PARK (C Grylls) - Slow to begin.

ALWAYS MORE (N Parmar) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

TRIGON LAD (T Thornton) – Raced wide without cover.

WHOSHE'S GIRL (E McCall) – Raced wide throughout.

AURORA DOLCE (M McNab) - Held up and was unable to obtain clear running in the straight.

CANTSAYTOOMUCH (D Danis) - Briefly steadied to avoid the heels of WHANGA WONDER passing the 200 metres.

WHANGA WONDER (S Spratt) - Held up near the 200 metres before being angled outwards to obtain clear running.

SHE'S APPLES (C Barnes) - Raced three wide without cover. Hampered near the 150 metres. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that after being caught wide the mare had been unable to finish the race off. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which found the mare to be mildly lame (2/5) in the right hind leg. Trainer S Marsh was advised that a veterinary clearance would be required prior to racing next.

S Spratt (WHANGA WONDER) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that she angled her mount outwards when not sufficiently clear crowding SHE'S APPLES which was forced outwards resulting in AURORA DOLCE having to steady to avoid heels near the 150 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee suspended S Spratt's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Sunday 3 October up to and including racing on Sunday 10 October, 5 national riding days.

L Satherley (DIAMOND GIRL) - Issued with a warning after striking her mount in two consecutive strides near the 100 metres.

Race 6 | **WAIKATO EQUINE VETERINARY CENTRE 1400**

MANRICO (T Newman) – Lost the left hind plate during the running.

THUNDER (N Parmar) - Rider dropped his whip near the 150 metres.	
Race 7	ROBERT BRUCE CLOTHIER MEMORIAL (2000 metres)
<p>RIVER RUN (M McNab) - Slow to begin. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the gelding was unsuited by the tempo of the race, adding that it did not feel comfortable in today's holding track conditions.</p> <p>BARBARA (S Spratt) - When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the mare had failed to handle today's holding track conditions. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which did not reveal any obvious abnormality.</p> <p>COLLINSTREET (C Grylls) – When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the gelding had been unable to quicken in today's holding track conditions.</p>	
Race 8	WAHAROA INDUSTRIAL PARK 2000
<p>DELUXE EDITION (D Danis) – Slow to begin.</p> <p>HE CAN SING (S Collett) - Restrained after jumping away</p> <p>LORD POLONIUS (C Grylls) - Made the bend near the 1600 metres awkwardly and shifted out hampering JAKAMA KRYSTAL. LORD POLONIUS then became awkwardly placed near the heels of TAHUROA HEIGHT and blundered.</p> <p>TAHUROA HEIGHT (S Spratt) – Lay in going into the bend near the 1600 metres and when being corrected, shifted into the line of LORD POLONIUS.</p> <p>TAUMALOLO (M Cameron) - Rider reported that the gelding had felt indifferent in its action. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which did not reveal any obvious abnormality.</p> <p>W Pinn (MR BAZAMOUR) - Admitted a charge in that he struck his mount MR BAZAMOUR seven times prior to the 100 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a fine of \$250.</p>	

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