

# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

**MEETING DETAILS** 

Club: Riccarton Park Races

Date: Saturday, 23 October 2021

Weather: Fine

Track: Dead 4, upgraded to Good 3 following Race 2
Rail: Out 8 metres to 1000 metres, rest 11 metres
Stewards: M Davidson (Chair), N McIntyre, D Wadley

**Vet:** A Corser BVSc, D Williamson BVSc

Typist: C McMullan

SUMMARY			
Suspensions:	Race	2	B Murray BEAU STITCH
			Careless riding 1200 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 3/11-9/11, 5 days
		10	K Chowdhoory LINCOLN KING
			Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] Suspended 3/11-9/11, 5 days
Fines:	Race	4	T Newman OUR ECHO
			Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$400
		6	B Grylls WANNABE 'N' PARIS
			Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$500
		6	M Gestain QUEEN SWEEP
			Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$250
Warnings:	Race	5	J Laking STREET FIGHTIN MAN
· ·			Shifting ground 400 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
		8	L Allpress SORRENTO
			Shifting ground 1000 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
Protests:	Nil		
Request for Ruling:	Nil		
Horse Actions:	Race	1	BENTLEY
			To barrier trial
		4	GRANITE RIDGE
			Bled. 3 month stand down from racing or trialling, 2 month stand down from
			exercise. Veterinary certificate required
Follow Up:	Race	5	FIRST ROCK
		8	FERMANAGH
Rider Changes:	Nil		
Late Scratchings:	Race	1	BENTLEY
			11.48am Refusing to load
		7	YEAH RIGHT
			1.42pm Veterinary advice
Medical Certificates:	Nil		
Swabbing:	IRISH RED, SHEPHERD'S DELIGHT, GRACE'S SECRET, OUR ECHO, OKAY PAL, SULU SEA, KING		
	OF THI	e cast	LE, NOVERRE, FIELD OF GOLD, HASABRO, SOUTHERN OCEAN, COLOSSAL

GENERAL	
Nil	

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY**

Nil

#### **RACE COMMENTS**

### Race 1 PRYDE'S EASIFEED MAIDEN 1400m

**BENTLEY** (R Mudhoo) - Late scratched at 11.48am after refusing to load delaying the start. The connections were advised that BENTLEY must barrier trial prior to racing next.

**LEROY** (J Lowry) - Slow to begin. Over raced in the early and middle stages.

**RED SUNDAY** (B Murray) - Crowded shortly after the start losing some ground when STAN WITH ME lay inwards before being straightened by its rider.

STAN WITH ME (T Moseley) - Lay in shortly after the start then over raced for a distance passing the 1000 metres.

IRISH RED (K Asano) - Raced wide in the early stages.

**SERAPHIC** (L Callaway) - Raced wide without cover throughout.

#### Race 2 CUP WEEK HOSPITALITY OPTIONS MAIDEN 1400m

**JUST A PROMISS** (S Wynne) - Began awkwardly shifting out and making contact with CLUBCARD losing ground as a result.

**IFITHAPPENSAGAIN** (J Lowry) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

KOPUTAROA (G Jogoo) - Raced wide without cover throughout.

THEUNNAMEDFEELING (T Moseley) - Raced wide throughout.

**ELIZABETH ROSE** (B Grylls) - Had to be steadied and checked near the 1200 metres.

**IFFRAAJABLE** (K Williams) - Held up in the early stages of the final straight.

**ASTRAKHAN** (L Allpress) - Placed in restricted room over the concluding stages when SHEPHERD'S DELIGHT (K Asano) lay inwards not being able to be fully ridden to the line. K Asano was advised to exercise greater care and straighten his mounts sooner than he had on this occasion.

**SHEPHERD'S DELIGHT** (K Asano) - Lay in over the concluding stages having to be straightened on a number of occasions.

Following the running of this race the connections of  $2^{nd}$  placed ASTRAKHAN viewed replays of the concluding stages before deciding not to proceed with a protest.

**B Grylls** (ELIZABETH ROSE) - Stewards enquired into the manner in which B Grylls used her whip in the home straight and could not be conclusively satisfied that she had contravened the rules.

**B Murray** (BEAU STITCH) - Defended a charge of careless riding in that he allowed his mount BEAU STITCH to shift inwards passing the 1200 metres when not sufficiently clear of ELIZABETH ROSE which had to be restrained and checked. After hearing submissions the Adjudicator upheld the charge and imposed a suspension of B Murray's

licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Tuesday 2 November until the conclusion of racing on Tuesday 9 November, 5 national riding days.

The track was upgraded to Good 3 following this race.

#### Race 3 NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE 800m

SHAZZA (K Williams) - Shifted out abruptly on jumping crowding outside runners.

**SPIRITED CHARM** (T Newman) - Slow to begin.

**JAFFA** (K Kwo) - Crowded and buffeted on jumping losing some ground.

TAP DANCER (M Hudson) - Crowded and buffeted shortly after the start losing some ground.

**HEART OF ALLADIN** (R Mudhoo) - Crowded on jumping.

**THIMBLE THEATRE** (B Grylls) - Initially slow to begin and then lost further ground when crowded by inside runners. Raced wide throughout.

**GRACE'S SECRET** (T Moseley) - Raced greenly in the run home and shied at the shadows of the post shifting out abruptly inconveniencing STIMULANT.

STIMULANT (K Asano) - Inconvenienced in the shadows of the post.

#### Race 4 CONGRATULATIONS STH ISLAND RACING AWARD WINNERS 1200m

**GRANITE RIDGE** (D Bothamley) - Slow to begin. Returned to the enclosure with blood present in both nostrils. Following a veterinary inspection GRANITE RIDGE was confirmed to have bled. GRANITE RIDGE shall not be ridden in exercise for a period of two months or start in any Race or Trial for a period of three months, and then only after a satisfactory gallop of at least 1000 metres in the presence of a Veterinarian.

**OUR ECHO** (T Newman) - Raced wide throughout.

WHERE'S WALLY (K Asano) - Raced wide throughout.

JUST TICKETY BOO (K Kwo) - Held up in the early stages of the run home.

**ANDUIN** (L Allpress) - When asked to comment on the performance of this favoured runner, rider advised she had been instructed to race wide and the gelding had not responded when placed under pressure.

**T Newman** (OUR ECHO) - Admitted a charge in that she struck her mount OUR ECHO 6 times prior to the 100 metre mark. After considering submissions the Adjudicator imposed a fine of \$400.

## Race 5 CANTERBURY LANDSCAPE SUPPLIES 1200m

OHIO SHOWGIRL (M Gestain) - Slow to begin.

**LONDON BOUND** (K Asano) - Slow to begin. Angled across heels passing the 400 metres to find clear racing room. When asked to comment on the performance of this favoured runner, rider could offer no tangible excuse other than being slow to begin and then having to improve wide in the final straight.

I AM A ROCK (M Taylor) - Raced wide throughout.

TAMAHINE (L Hemi) - Raced wide throughout.

BENAUD (K Chowdhoory) - Had to be steadied near the 400 metres when STREET FIGHTIN MAN shifted ground.

**FIRST ROCK** (C Johnson) - Gave ground over the concluding stages with the rider unable to offer any excuse. A post-race veterinary inspection did not reveal any obvious abnormality. Trainer advised he was disappointed with the performance and would be having blood taken in coming days. Stewards will follow up.

TELLYAWHAT (D Bothamley) - The right front plate was displaced during the running.

**M Taylor** (I AM A ROCK) - Stewards enquired into the manner in which rider I AM A ROCK used her whip in the home straight and could not be conclusively satisfied that she had contravened the rules.

**J Laking** (STREET FIGHTIN MAN) – Issued with a warning after permitting STREET FIGHTIN MAN to shift outwards when not sufficiently clear of BENAUD which was crowded having to be steadied near the 400 metres.

#### Race 6 NZB AIRFREIGHT ROAD TO THE JERICHO 3000m

**QUEEN SWEEP** (M Gestain) - Slow to begin.

MADAM DE SOIR (K Asano) - Slow to begin. Over raced in the early stages due to the lack of tempo.

**BLUEY'S CHANCE** (T Jonker)- Over raced in the early stages due to the lack of tempo. Improved around the field to lead passing the 1800 metres.

**AMAZING AZ** (L Allpress) - Over raced in the early stages due to the lack of tempo. When asked to comment on the performance rider advised that after over racing on a very slow tempo in the early stages, the gelding had nothing left in the run home. A post-race veterinary inspection did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

**SULU SEA** (K Chowdhoory) - Over raced in the early stages due to the lack of tempo.

**BLUEY'S CHANCE** (T Jonker) - Over raced skying its head in the early stages.

**B Grylls** (WANNABE 'N' PARIS) - Admitted a charge in that she struck her mount WANNABE 'N' PARIS 6 times prior to the 100 metre mark. After considering submissions the Adjudicator imposed a fine of \$500.

**M Gestain** (QUEEN SWEEP) - Admitted a charge in that she struck her mount QUEEN SWEEP 6 times prior to the 100 metre mark. After considering submissions the Adjudicator imposed a fine of \$250.

## Race 7 BETAVET PROTECT 1800m

**YEAH RIGHT** (T Moseley) - Late scratched at 1.42pm on veterinary advice.

**CHITTER CHAT** (S Wynne) - Blundered at the start.

MILFORD SOUND (L Allpress) - Taken back from a wide draw to obtain cover. Over raced in the early to middle stages.

**BRONTE BEACH** (B Grylls) - Taken back from a wide draw to obtain cover.

**RIVALDO** (K Chowdhoory) - Over raced in the middle stages. Held up rounding the final bend before obtaining clear racing room passing the 300 metres.

**VOLVIK** (K Williams) - Lay out rounding the final bend before being straightened by its rider resulting in crowding to LETSBRINGITON, SACRED CAGA and ZOULUMINOUS which were all buffeted for a short distance. Continued to lay out throughout the run home.

**LETSBRINGITON** (G Jogoo) - Crowded and buffeted passing the 400 metres.

SACRED CAGA (K Mudhoo) - Crowded and buffeted passing the 400 metres.

**ZOULUMINOUS** (R Mudhoo) - Crowded and buffeted passing the 400 metres. Inclined to shift ground outwards throughout the run home.

### Race 8 WAR DECREE STAKES (G3) 1600m

FIREGLOW (K Chowdhoory) - Began awkwardly.

**NOVERRE** (J Laking) - Crowded shortly after the start when FIELD OF GOLD shifted out abruptly. Had some difficulty obtaining clear running for a distance passing the 400 metres.

**FIELD OF GOLD** (K Asano) - Shifted out shortly after the start crowding outside runners. Over raced in the early stages and near the 1000 metres had to be restrained for a distance to avoid heels. Lay in early in the run home with the rider then swapping the whip to the left hand, with the gelding racing greenly through the early stages of the run home.

**SORRENTO** (L Allpress) - Raced wide in the early stages.

**PALMETTO** (R Mudhoo) - Raced wide in the early stages getting its head up when being steadied passing the 1300 metres.

**VENTURESOME** (K Mudhoo) - Over raced in the early and middle stages getting its head up on several occasions and was obliged to race wide without cover from the 1000 metres.

**FERMANAGH** (T Moseley) - Eased down over the concluding stages with the rider reporting that the filly had felt indifferent in its action. A post-race veterinary inspection did not reveal any obvious abnormality. Stewards will follow up FERMANAGH's recovery in coming days.

**L Allpress** (SORRENTO) - Issued with a warning after permitting her mount SORRENTO to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear of FIELD OF GOLD which had to be restrained passing the 1000 metres.

### Race 9 COUPLAND'S BAKERIES MILE TRIAL 1400m

**ROCK SENSATION** (K Williams) - Slow to begin.

**MONZA CIRCUITO** (T Newman) - Began awkwardly shifting in crowding and buffeting inside runners. Inclined to lay out throughout the run home.

**OWEN PATRICK** (R Cuneen) - Crowded at the start losing ground when runners either side shifted ground.

**WHALE SONG** (K Chowdhoory) - Taken back from a wide draw to obtain cover early. Had some difficulty obtaining clear running through the middle stages of the run home.

BENEFICIAL (L Allpress) - Crowded and buffeted shortly after the start. Over raced through the middle stages.

**AUGUSTACE** (T Moseley) - Crowded and buffeted shortly after the start.

**EL BEE DARCI** (L Hemi) - Got its head up when over racing in the early stages and being restrained to take cover. Had to be steadied when shifting in and away from an outside runner passing the 75 metres.

**SEVERIN**E (K Asano) - Raced wide without cover throughout.

**SECRET AMOUR** (R Mudhoo) - Became awkwardly placed on heels and held up for a distance passing the 200 metres. When asked to comment on performance, rider advised that although experiencing an interrupted passage in the middle stages of the run home, the mare had been disappointing when placed under pressure.

## Race 10 SOTHYS SPRING CLASSIC 2000m

WILLIAM WALLACE (T Moseley) - Slow to begin.

**EL GLADIADOR** (R Mudhoo) - Began awkwardly briefly unbalancing the rider.

**SOUTHERN OCEAN** (L Allpress) - Raced three wide without cover through the early and middle stages.

**GOLD'NGURU** (C Johnson) - Over raced in the early stages. Gave ground over the concluding stages, with the rider reporting that the gelding was looking for tracks with more moisture.

CAMINO ROCOSO (L Hemi) - Lay outwards under pressure over the concluding stages.

**K Chowdhoory** (LINCOLN KING) - Admitted a charge in that he struck his mount LINCOLN KING 6 times prior to the 100 metre mark. After considering submissions the Adjudicator imposed a suspension of K Chowdhoory's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on 2 November until the conclusion of racing on 9 November, 5 national riding days.

### Race 11 NZB READY TO RUN SALE TRAINERS SERIES 1600m

NAMIBIA MISS (K Williams) - Fractious in the barrier prior to despatch. Raced wide throughout.

EL BEE JACK (M Hudson) - Slow to begin.

**CALL ME COQUETTA** (S Wynne) - Steadied to avoid heels when over racing for a distance passing the 1400 metres.

**THE GARRISON** (S Toolooa) - Slow to begin. Over raced in the middle stages.

MISS CURIOUS (C Johnson) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

**LADY MODENA** (R Mudhoo) - Held up in the early stages of the run home having to shift ground outwards across heels of the tiring MISS CURIOUS passing the 350 metres to find clear racing room.

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