

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Waikato Racing Club

Date: Monday, 25 October 2021

Weather: Showery Track: Dead 5 Rail: True

Stewards: J Oatham (Chair), B Jones, W Robinson, R Haley

Vet: G Sommerville BVSc, R McQuillan BVSc

Typist: K Verner

SUMMARY

Suspensions: Nil Fines: Nil

Warnings: Race 6 M McNab PAREANUI BAY

Shifting ground 1200 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]

Protests: Nil

Request for Ruling: Nil

Horse Actions: Race 4 TINY TERROR

Cardiac arrhythmia, Veterinary clearance required prior to racing next

5 WHEAO

Warning, racing manners

Follow Up: Nil

Rider Changes: Race 2 ALFIE OUR MATE

C Grylls replaced C Barnes (unwell)

4 HASSTGOBEMAGIC

S Macnab replaced C Barnes

5 **IFFRAAJINATOR**

B Grylls replaced C Barnes

8 SOLID CONTACT

B Grylls replaced C Barnes

Late Scratchings: Nil
Medical Certificates: Nil

Swabbing: FIVE SCHILLINGS, ZEITAKU, LES CRAYERES, EXCITONIC, JUSTAMAIZ, PAREANUI BAY,

MERITABLE, GOLD WATCH, AURORA DOLCE

GENERAL

No issues to report.

RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 WAIKATO DRAUGHT MILE MAIDEN (1600 metres)

The start of this race was delayed 2 minutes at the request of the TAB.

POSER (C Grylls) - Crowded shortly after the start having to be steadied. Had some difficulty obtaining clear running early in the straight.

TUMBRIL (B Grylls) - Over-raced in the early and middle stages then shifted outwards when racing ungenerously crowding LOOK NORTH near the 1100 metres. Hung outwards making the final turn awkwardly. Rider advised that she had recommended to connections that the blinkers be removed.

LOOK NORTH (J Riddell) – Steadied when crowded near the 1100 metres losing ground going back onto HALSTON which was hampered.

HALSTON (M McNab) – Hampered near the 1100 metres. Was inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

RUMBLING ECHO (J Kamaruddin) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

SUPER SIX (D Johnson) - Steadied to avoid the heels of the weakening NOIFFSORBUTTS near the 450 metres then having some difficult obtaining clear running for a distance.

OAK (L Satherley) - Held up near the 300 metres having to shift ground to obtain clear running.

NANTUCKET (B Rogerson) – When questioned regarding performance rider was unable to offer any excuse.

MERSEY BEAT (C Jones) - Rider dropped his left rein near the 250 metres having to regather.

Race 2 NZB READY TO RUN SALE TRAINERS SERIES 1400

ALFIE OUR MATE (C Grylls) - Slow to begin.

ANDROMEDA (S Weatherley) - Slow to begin.

EVA AMELIA (L Satherley) – Began awkwardly being crowded shortly after having to be steadied.

HIGHLAND WHISPER (T Newman) – Began awkwardly losing ground. Hung outwards rounding the final turn running wide.

CAMAROSA (V Colgan) - Restrained to obtain cover after jumping from the outside barrier then being inclined to over-race through the middle stages.

MACROS (B Grylls) - Raced three wide without cover.

APERITIF (A Goindasamy) – Held up early in the straight.

Race 3 WAIKATO STUD 1500

RIP EM UP (K Asano) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

SCAGLIONI (T Newman) – Slow to begin.

LES CRAYERES (D Johnson) - Began awkwardly.

BATTLE TIME (J Kamaruddin) - When questioned regarding performance rider was of the opinion that the gelding is now better suited to more rain affected footing.

Race 4 ARDROSSAN @ WAIKATO STUD 1200

ROC CHA (B Rogerson) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

MALT TIME (K Asano) - Slow to begin. Badly held up in the straight until approaching the 100 metres.

HASSTOBEYOU (V Colgan) - Over-raced when being restrained near the 900 metres then making the bend near the 800 metres awkwardly when continuing to over-race through the middle stages.

HASSTOBEMAGIC (S Macnab) – Had to be steadied off the heels of HASSTOBEYOU near the 700 metres.

SOPHISTICAL (D Johnson) - Raced three wide without cover.

RABADA (C Grylls) - Held up until near the 200 metres.

TINY TERROR (T Newman) - A post-race veterinary inspection found the gelding to have suffered from cardiac arrhythmia with the appropriate veterinary clearance required prior to racing next.

N Parmar (EXCITONIC) - Apprentice N Parmar was shown films and reminded of his obligation in that he must ride his mounts out to the end of the race.

Race 5 DUNSTAN – CELEBRATING 35 YEARS 2100

WHEAO (L Satherley) - Attempted to buck for a distance shortly after the start. Co-trainer M Carter was advised that a warning would be recorded against the gelding.

ZEEFA ZED (S Macnab) – Began awkwardly. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

VIKTOR VEGAS (K Asano) – Slow to begin.

JUSTAMAIZ (M McNab) – Held up rounding the final turn and early in the straight before shifting ground back to the inside to obtain clear running near the 250 metres.

Race 6 JAMES AND ANNIE SARTEN MEMORIAL STAKES (G2) (1400 metres)

MANA NUI (V Colgan) - Began awkwardly then crowded shortly after having to be steadied. Raced in restricted room near the 1200 metres and was then inclined to over-race in the middle stages. Ducked outwards abruptly away from DARK DESTROYER near the 300 metres. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that after a poor beginning the colt had got further back than intended and had not felt comfortable in today's track conditions. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

PAREANUI BAY (M McNab) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

PALAMOS (D Johnson) - Commenced to over-race approaching the 1200 metres then being briefly placed in restricted room before continuing to over-race badly through the middle stages. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that in her opinion the colt may be better suited over a shorter distance. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which did not reveal any obvious abnormality. Trainer J Richards indicated that the colt was now likely to be sent for a spell.

VERSTAPPEN (S Macnab) - Steadied when placed in restricted room near the 1200 metres.

MARCHAND (K Asano) - Had difficulty obtaining clear running for the majority of the final straight having to be firmly restrained after improving into restricted room passing the 150 metres.

SOLDIER BOY (K Hercock) - Had to be firmly restrained when becoming awkwardly placed on heels near the 600 metres.

M McNab (PAREANUI BAY) - Issued with a warning after permitting his mount to shift inwards placing PALAMOS, MANA NUI and VERSTAPPEN in restricted room near the 1200 metres before immediately relieving the pressure to those runners.

Race 7 SUPER SETH @ WAIKATO STUD 1400

GOLD WATCH (J Riddell) - Began awkwardly.

KYA KHOOB LAGTI HO (M Alam) - Began awkwardly shifting outwards making contact with CORINNE.

CORINNE (B Grylls) – Contacted at the start.

VEDO ROSSO (D Johnson) – Restrained from a wide barrier.

ELUSIVE EMPIRE (S Macnab) - Raced three wide without cover.

POW WOW (M Cameron) - Steadied to avoid heels when weakening near the 300 metres. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the gelding had presented in a fresh state today and was of the opinion that it would derive benefit from the race.

Race 8 BANQUO @ WAIKATO STUD MILE (1600 metres)

SOLID CONTACT (B Grylls) - Slow to begin.

LAKEMAN (J Fawcett) - Slow to begin.

BARRACUDA (T Thorton) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

NEW DAWN (K Asano) – Raced keenly in the early and middle stages when wide without cover.

DALMATIA (J Riddell) - Raced three wide without cover. Lay out making contact with NEW DAWN passing the 300 metres. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that after being caught wide the gelding had raced keenly and then been unable to finish the race off as a consequence. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

RUM (O Bosson) - Rider reported that the gelding briefly lost its footing behind near the 800 metres.

TAVIDORA (S Weatherley) - Held up rounding the final turn and throughout the final straight.

THISTLE DO (T Yanagida) - Lay in making contact with FINEST WINE near the 375 metres.

FINEST WINE (D Johnson) - Contacted near the 375 metres then racing in restricted room to the inside of THISTLE DO until inside the final 200 metres.

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