



## STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

### MEETING DETAILS

**Club:** Matamata Racing Club  
**Date:** Wednesday, 20 April 2022  
**Weather:** Overcast  
**Track:** Soft 5  
**Rail:** 7 metres  
**Stewards:** B Jones (Chair), M Williamson, W Robinson  
**Vet:** R McQuillan BVSc  
**Typist:** K Verner

### SUMMARY

**Suspensions:** Nil  
**Fines:** Race 1,2 **T Moki** THE DASH & TAIKA  
Failed to make weight [Rule 330(3)(c)] \$350  
**Warnings:** Race 1 **D Parker** NO AGENDA NIGEL  
Shifting ground 1100 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]  
2 **T Moki** TAIKA  
Whip use [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)]  
5 **J Fawcett** WITH YOU  
Easing the pace 1000 metres [Rule 638(4)]  
**Protests:** Nil  
**Request for Ruling:** Nil  
**Horse Actions:** Race 2 **WINDY HEIGHT**  
Bled. 3 month stand down from racing or trialling, 2 month stand down from exercise. Veterinary clearance required  
**Follow Up:** Nil  
**Rider Changes:** Race 3 **NASSAK DIAMOND**  
A Goindasamy replaced O Bosson  
**Late Scratchings:** Race 3 **GOODO JO**  
At 1.03 pm on veterinary advice  
7 **FLORENCENIGHTNGALE**  
At 3.28 pm at the barrier  
**Medical Certificates:** Nil  
**Swabbing:** ALIGHIERI, TAIKA, CONTEMPLATION, NEIGHBOURHOOD, ELETTRICA, PISCO SOUR, ALCHEMIA, I'M NOT BOSSY, DYZEE

### GENERAL

Stewards granted permission on Tuesday for O Bosson to be released from his ride on NASSAK DIAMOND in Race 3.

### SUPPLEMENTARY

**Waikato Racing Club – Saturday 16 April 2022**

**Race 6 – JOIN TEAM TE AKAU – SHARES AVAILABLE 3YO (1200 metres)**

**FUNNY GIRL** (L Innes) - Trainer L Noble reported that the filly had shown signs of being jarred up upon return to the stable and would be given a short break before resuming work on the water walker.

<b>RACE COMMENTS</b>	
<b>Race 1</b>	<b>MATAMATA FUNCTION CENTRE MAIDEN 1600</b>
<p><b>THE DASH</b> (T Moki) - Rider T Moki was given permission to ride THE DASH at 67.5 kgs, 1.5 kgs above her declared riding weight. Began awkwardly when the rider became unbalanced, then becoming tailed off in the early stages.</p> <p><b>TE ATATU MEMPHIS</b> (B Donoghue) - Slow to begin.</p> <p><b>ALIGHIERI</b> (S O'Malley) - Crowded having to be steadied near the 1100 metres.</p> <p><b>ACAPULCO</b> - (H McNeill) - Steadied near the 800 metres when becoming awkwardly placed inside the heels of OZARK which shifted in when not fully clear. E Farr was reprimanded and advised to exercise greater care in a similar circumstance.</p> <p><b>NO AGENDA NIGEL</b> (D Parker) - Over-raced in the early and middle stages. Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.</p> <p><b>CLEAT</b> (N Downs) - Made the bend awkwardly near the 800 metres.</p> <p><b>D Parker</b> (NO AGENDA NIGEL) - Issued with a warning after permitting his mount to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear of ALIGHIERI which was crowded having to be steadied passing the 1100 metres.</p>	
<b>Race 2</b>	<b>GREGORY EQUINE 2000</b>
<p><b>TAIKA</b> (T Moki) – Rider T Moki was given permission to ride 2.6 kgs over the handicapped weight of 65 kgs as there was no other suitable rider available with Trainer G Opie choosing not to scratch TAIKA.</p> <p><b>TOMMYRA</b> (E Farr) - Crowded leaving the barrier by MEANT TO BE which jumped away awkwardly.</p> <p><b>MEANT TO BE</b> (S O'Malley) – Began awkwardly losing ground.</p> <p><b>ENGLISH GAMBLER</b> (H McNeill) - Raced ungenerously when being restrained passing the 1300 metres then continued to over-race through the middle stages.</p> <p><b>WINDY HEIGHT</b> (D Parker) - Underwent a post-race veterinary examination after returning to the enclosure with blood present in the nasal area. After undergoing an endoscopic examination WINDY HEIGHT was confirmed to have bled. WINDY HEIGHT 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. Connections advised that WINDY HEIGHT would now be retired.</p> <p><b>T Moki</b> (TAIKA) - Issued with a warning after she struck her mount 6 times prior to the 100 metre mark with Stewards taking into account her clear recent record with regard to any breach of a whip rule.</p> <p><b>T Moki</b> (THE DASH &amp; TAIKA) - Admitted a charge in that she failed to make the declared weight for both THE DASH and TAIKA with the Adjudicative Committee imposing a fine of \$350.</p>	
<b>Race 3</b>	<b>CUNNINGHAM DECORATING SERVICES MAIDEN 2000</b>
<p><b>GOODO JO</b> (D Danis) - Late scratched on veterinary advice at the barrier at 1.03 pm after contacting the gate during its preliminary.</p> <p><b>ALTA BELLA</b> (R Elliot) - Began awkwardly.</p>	

**CONTEMPLATION** (M McNab) - Steadied from its wide barrier.

**JIMMY THUMPER** (S Spratt) - Commenced to race ungenerously passing the 1600 metres when awkwardly placed near the heels of UHTRED, then making the bend awkwardly. Hampered when weakening near the 350 metres. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

**OCEAN CRUIZER** (Y Kumagai) – Raced three wide without cover from near the 900 metres. Held up until near the 250 metres.

**Race 4** | **BROADWAY MOTEL MAIDEN 1400**

**GRETA GHARBO** (N Parmar) – Began awkwardly hampering SIZZLING GOLD.

**SIZZLING GOLD** (A Goindasamy) - Hampered start.

**KAI** (J Kamaruddin) – Dipped making the crossing passing the 1200 metres and again approaching the 1100 metres when over-racing. Held up rounding the final bend then shifted outwards passing the 350 metres making contact with the hindquarters of NEIGHBOURHOOD which was unbalanced.

**ROESELARE** (M Hashizume) - Steadied when placed in restricted room passing the 1100 metres.

**FAYTINA** (A Calder) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

**NEIGHBOURHOOD** (L Innes) - Contacted and unbalanced passing the 350 metres.

**Race 5** | **NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES RACE (1400 metres)**

**LA VELOCITA** (M Hashizume) – Crowded leaving the barriers, losing ground.

**RUBYSHOWOFF** (N Parmar) - Slow to begin (3L). Had some difficulty obtaining clear running rounding the final bend.

**NOM DE PLUME** (R Hannam) – Began awkwardly.

**BELLA DORA** (W Pinn) – Restrained from a wide barrier.

**MADAME MOET** (J Kamaruddin) - Restrained from a wide barrier then commenced to over-race, racing wide without cover for the majority of the race.

**MILLEFIORI** (O Bosson) - Had to be firmly restrained passing the 1000 metres to avoid heels when the pace steadied.

**IMPRESA** (E Nicholas) - Had to be firmly restrained passing the 1000 metres to avoid heels when the pace steadied then continued to over-race through the middle stages. Held up over the final 100 metres.

**SHOCKING PENNY** (M Sanson) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

**CHAMPAGNE LOLA** (M Cameron) - When questioned regarding the performance the rider advised that the filly had raced keenly through the middle stages which had been detrimental to its chances.

**J Fawcett** (WITH YOU) – Issued with a warning for the manner in which she eased the pace passing the 1000 metres hampering the trailing MILLEFIORI and IMPRESA.

**Race 6** | **MATAMATA CLUB INC. MAIDEN 1200**

**WEY TOO COOL** (Y Kumagai) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

**CHANTARI BAY** (M Alam) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

**FUN FUN FUN** (J Kamaruddin) - Began awkwardly losing ground then raced keenly in the early to middle stages. Shifted out and away from MAGIC ACE which shifted outwards passing the 350 metres making the bend awkwardly.

**GOOD COUNTRY** (D Danis) - Raced in restricted room soon after leaving the barrier and then steadied.

**AMOROUS STU** (N Parmar) - Steadied when in restricted room passing the 900 metres.

**LEAR JET** (E Nicholas) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

<b>Race 7</b>	<b>THE BOLTHOLDER MAIDEN 1200</b>
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**FLORENCENIGHTNGALE** (M McNab) - Dislodged its rider during the preliminary and galloped some distance before being late scratched at 3.28 pm. Rider M McNab was uninjured.

**ATOMIC** (T Newman) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

**ASK MUM** (M Hashizume) - Began awkwardly then crowded. Had some difficulty obtaining clear running early in the final straight then crowded passing the 200 metres by DESTINO which shifted out under pressure before being corrected by its rider. Contributing was inward movement from ERIDOR which was dictated in by ATOMIC which was racing greenly under pressure. Riders A Goindasamy & T Newman were advised to exercise care in similar circumstances.

**ERIDOR** (O Bosson) - Began awkwardly then crowded. Steadied when placed in restricted room passing the 200 metres.

**ALCHEMIA** (T Yanagida) – Raced wide without cover.

**PENSARDO** (C Grylls) - Raced wide for the majority of the race.

<b>Race 8</b>	<b>TRAC SPORTS BAR MAIDEN 1400</b>
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**I'M NOT BOSSY** (C Grylls) – Crowded soon after leaving the barriers, losing ground. Shifted out to obtain clear running approaching the 300 metres. Shifted in slightly passing the 100 metres making contact with ESPIONAGE.

**MEANDEEL** (S O'Malley) - Began awkwardly.

**AMATERASU** (W Pinn) – Steadied from a wide barrier.

**HIGH CHOICE** (M McNab) - Raced ungenerously when being restrained in the early stages shifting back onto ESPIONAGE which shifted out to avoid that runner's heels passing the 900 metres.

**ESPIONAGE** (O Bosson) - Had to shift out to avoid heels passing the 900 metres. Shifted out under pressure passing the 100 metres making contact with I'M NOT BOSSY.

<b>Race 9</b>	<b>NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES MAIDEN RACE (1400 metres)</b>
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**DYZEE** (R Elliot) – Knuckled soon after leaving the barrier.

**KANTRA** (N Parmar) – Crowded soon after leaving the barrier. Hampered approaching the 800 metres when making the bend awkwardly shifting out across heels.

**BRICKIE'S MOJO** (A Goindasamy) – Began awkwardly then crowded. Raced keenly for a distance approaching the 1000 metres.

**BIT NOSY** (B Grylls) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Raced wide without cover. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which found the filly to be showing signs of tying up.

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