



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Auckland Thoroughbred Racing @ Pukekohe Park
Date: Saturday, 23 April 2022
Weather: Fine
Track: Good 4
Rail: True
Stewards: B Jones (Chair), L Selvakumaran, W Robinson, M Williamson (remote)
Vet: Dr I Bridge BVSc, A Fowler BVSc
Typist: K Verner

SUMMARY

Suspensions: Race 7 **B Grylls** TELLALL
Excessive use of the whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] Suspended 1-8/5, 6 days

Fines: Race 1,5 **R Elliot** PLAYSAMEANPINBALL & APOSTROPHE
Failed to make weight [Rule 330(3)(c)] \$300
6 **T Thornton** CARTE BLANCHE
Excessive use of the whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$750
7 **A Goindasamy** CAROLINA REAPER
Excessive use of the whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$850
L Innes DEMONETIZATION
Excessive use of the whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$400
M Hashizume THREE SIXTY
Excessive use of the whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$400

Warnings: Nil

Protests: Race 2 **ICONIC STAR 1st vs LETZBEGLAM 1st**
Upheld
LETZBEGLAM 1st vs ICONIC STAR 1st
Dismissed

Request for Ruling: Nil

Horse Actions: Nil

Follow Up: Nil

Rider Changes: Race 1 **PLAYSAMEANPINBALL**
S Spratt replaced R Elliot (overweight)
5 **APOSTROPHE**
L Innes replaced R Elliot

Late Scratchings: Nil

Medical Certificates: Received from L Satherley

Swabbing: RISING STORM, LETZBEGLAM, JOEY'S GIFT, SHARP 'N' SMART, WAITAK, EL VENCEDOR, PINARELLO, TITLED, CAROLINA REAPER, BRANDO, GAGLIARDI

GENERAL

Nothing to report

SUPPLEMENTARY

Nothing to report

RACE COMMENTS	
Race 1	GRAEME THOMSON ANTIQUE JEWELLERS 2100
<p>MAKTOUM (C Grylls) - Began awkwardly then crowded at the start.</p> <p>CHARRED (J Kamaruddin) – Raced wide in the early stages until passing the 1600 metres.</p> <p>PLUSHENKO (J Chung) – Raced ungenerously when being steadied off heels in the early stages. Held up early in the final straight then continued to have some difficulty obtaining clear running until near the 200 metres.</p> <p>PLAYSAMEANPINBALL (S Spratt) - When questioned regarding the performance the rider advised that the gelding had felt lethargic throughout and failed to respond when placed under pressure. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which did not reveal any obvious abnormality.</p>	
Race 2	VERTICAL LOGISTICS 1200
<p>ACUTUS (K Hannan) - Slow to begin.</p> <p>MEGA BOURBON (M McNab) - Restrained from its wide barrier at the start.</p> <p>MANRICO (J Fawcett) – Raced keenly when being restrained in the early stages.</p> <p>SUPREME HEIGHTS (E Nicholas) – Raced wide without cover throughout.</p> <p>LETZBEGLAM (L Innes) – Contacted passing the 150 metres by ICONIC STAR which shifted outwards. Came together with ICONIC STAR just prior to the winning post.</p> <p>ICONIC STAR (C Grylls) – Shifted outwards passing the 150 metres making contact with LETZBEGLAM. Came together with LETZBEGLAM just prior to the winning post.</p> <p>Following the running of the race the connections of the first equal placed horse ICONIC STAR lodged a protest against the first equal placed horse LETZBEGLAM alleging interference in the final straight. The connections of LETZBEGLAM lodged a counter protest also alleging interference in the final straight. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee dismissed the protest with regard to interference received by LETZBEGLAM and upheld the protest with regard to the interference received by ICONIC STAR. The placings now being 1st ICONIC STAR, 2nd LETZBEGLAM, 3rd LORD VALENTINE, 4th MEGA BOURBON.</p>	
Race 3	MW INSURANCE 1200
<p>ELYSIAN FIELDS (J Kamaruddin) - Restrained from its wide barrier at the start. Held up for clear racing room for the majority of the straight.</p> <p>JOEY'S GIFT (S Spratt) - Restrained from its wide barrier at the start. Raced greenly when placed under pressure in the final straight.</p> <p>MOLLYS GAME (A Lawson-Carroll) – Contacted at the start. Held up early in the final straight.</p> <p>MARCELLA (R Beemud) – Began awkwardly making contact with MOLLY GAME.</p> <p>CHEVRON (L Satherley) - Raced keenly in the early stages. Raced three wide without cover throughout. Steadied when weakening passing the 300 metres.</p> <p>NOT GUILTY (L Innes) – Raced wide without cover throughout.</p>	

WINDSPEED (C Grylls) – Steadied passing the 800 metres when improving onto heels. Held up for the majority of the straight.

LILHOOVESGOTMOVES (R Elliot) - Crowded passing the 400 metres. Held up until passing the 200 metres.

ROSBERG (T Yanagida) - Awkwardly placed near heels over the final stages.

MOANA (M Cameron) - Held up until passing the 350 metres.

ELUSIVE EMPIRE (J Chung) - Had difficulty obtaining clear running until near the 200 metres.

Race 4	STAPHANOS BY DEEP IMPACT CHAMPAGNE STAKES (1600 metres) (Listed Race)
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TEXAS (A Calder) - Began awkwardly making contact with FOODIE BROTHERS, losing ground. Held up until passing the 300 metres.

SHADOW BOXER (A Goindasamy) – Restrained from its wide barrier at the start.

MR MAESTRO (R Elliot) - Began awkwardly making contact with FOODIE BROTHERS.

FOODIE BROTHERS (L Innes) – Contacted and crowded at the start. Raced keenly in the early stages.

WAITAK (O Bosson) - Raced wide without cover throughout.

VINO BIANCA (B Grylls) – Raced keenly in the early stages when being restrained. Hampered passing the 600 metres.

NOSNEVETS (J Kamaruddin) - Crowded having to be steadied near the 600 metres when runners either side shifted ground dropping back onto VINO BIANCO which was hampered. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which revealed minor lacerations to the hind legs.

SHARP ‘N’ SMART (M Cameron) – Raced greenly when placed under pressure in the final straight.

Race 5	VRC TROPHY 1400
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ONEOUTOFTHEBOX (J Kamaruddin) - Crowded shortly after the start, clipping a heel and blundering.

PACKING JOY (C Grylls) - Began awkwardly. Had some difficulty obtaining clear running early in the final straight.

CHAKANA (T Yanagida) - Restrained from its wide barrier at the start.

QUALITY SEEKER (J Chung) - Began awkwardly.

SUPREME KHAN (O Bosson) - Steadied passing the 900 metres when EL VENCEDOR shifted in to obtain cover.

STRINGLINE (M Hashizume) - Held up until near the 300 metres.

APOSTROPHE (L Innes) - Had difficulty obtaining clear running until passing the 200 metres.

Race 6	TRELAWNEY STUD CHAMPIONSHIP STAKES (2100 metres) (G2)
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NOVAK (A Goindasamy) - Began awkwardly.

SAINT BATHANS (C Grylls) - Crowded at the start. Raced keenly in the early stages making the first bend awkwardly.

CARTE BLANCHE (T Thornton) - Crowded shortly after the start.

HOARD THE BOURBON (M McNab) - Crowded at the start.

PINARELLO (L Innes) - Raced keenly in the early stages when being restrained. Lost the right hind plate during the running.

REGAZZO (J Kamaruddin) - Co-trainer S Ritchie advised the colt would now be sent for a spell.

ROCKET LAD (M Cameron) - Co-trainer S Ritchie advised the colt would now be sent for a spell.

T Thornton (CARTE BLANCHE) - Admitted a charge in that she struck her mount CARTE BLANCHE six times prior to the 100 metre mark with the Adjudicative Committee imposing a fine of \$750.

Race 7	MANCO EASTER HANDICAP (1600 metres) (G3)
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THREE SIXTY (M Hashizume) - Slow to begin. Commenced to race ungenerously passing the 1400 metres when being restrained off heels. Steadied approaching the 800 metres after improving onto heels.

OSAKA (A Calder) - Slow to begin.

RED HUSSAR (J Kamaruddin) - Slow to begin.

GERMANICUS (M McNab) – Restrained from its wide barrier at the start. Lay out across heels passing the 200 metres. When questioned regarding the performance the rider advised that the gelding had had a tendency to lay out when placed under pressure. Underwent a post-race veterinary inspection which did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

ORDER AGAIN (T Yanagida) - Slow to begin. Had some difficulty obtaining clear running early in the final straight.

WORDSWORTH (S Spratt) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

CLEVER RUDS (L Satherley) - When questioned regarding the performance the rider advised that in her opinion the mare was feeling the effects of recent racing.

SAMIAM SEUSSIE (M Cameron) - Held up in the early stages of the final straight.

CAROLINA REAPER (A Goindasamy) - Lay in passing the 350 metres making contact with the hindquarters of ON THE ROCKS which became momentarily unbalanced.

ON THE ROCKS (C Grylls) – Contacted and unbalanced passing the 350 metres.

B Grylls (TELLALL) - Admitted a charge in that she struck her mount TELLALL seven times prior to the 100 metre mark. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee suspended B Grylls' licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Saturday 30 April up to and including racing on Sunday 8 May, 6 national riding days.

M Hashizume (THREE SIXTY) - Admitted a charge in that he struck his mount THREE SIXTY seven times prior to the 100 metre mark with the Adjudicative Committee imposing a fine of \$400.

A Goindasamy (CAROLINA REAPER) - Admitted a charge in that he struck his mount CAROLINA REAPER six times prior to the 100 metre mark with the Adjudicative Committee imposing a fine of \$850.

L Innes (DEMONETIZATION) - Admitted a charge in that he struck his mount DEMONETIZATION six times prior to the 100 metre mark with the Adjudicative Committee imposing a fine of \$400.

Race 8

EL ROCA 1600

OHCEEDEE (M Hashizume) - Slow to begin. Steadied passing the 1200 metres when improving onto heels.

NOTHINSWEETABOUTME (A Lawson-Carroll) – Restrained from its side barrier at the start.

CASTLE BAY (A Calder) – Slow to begin. Had difficulty obtaining clear running early in the final straight.

OXYGEN (J Kamaruddin) – Began awkwardly.

HAPPY REMARK (D Danis) - Raced wide without cover throughout.

INDEEM (E Nicholas) – When questioned regarding the performance the rider advised that in her opinion the gelding would benefit from some easing in the ground.

LAVITA VISHVI (M McNab) - When questioned regarding the performance the rider advised that the mare would benefit from some easing in the ground.

A Lawson-Carroll (NOTHINSWEETABOUTME) - Issued with a warning after he struck his mount NOTHINSWEETABOUTME six times prior to the 100 metre mark with Stewards taking into account his clear recent record with regard to any breach of a whip rule.

E Nicholas (INDEEM) – Spoken to regarding her whip use on a runner out of contention.

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