



# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

## MEETING DETAILS

**Club:** Auckland Thoroughbred Racing @ Pukekohe Park  
**Date:** Saturday, 28 May 2022  
**Weather:** Fine  
**Track:** Heavy 8, upgraded to Soft 7 retrospective to Race 4  
**Rail:** Out 4 metres  
**Stewards:** M Williamson (Chair), A Dooley, L Selvakumaran, W Robinson  
**Vet:** J Sonis BVSc  
**Typist:** K Verner

## SUMMARY

<b>Suspensions:</b>	Race	6	<b>T Thornton</b> CHARMINGAFFAIR Excessive use of the whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] Suspended 2–8/6, 6 days
		10	<b>M Alam</b> GWEN'S DAUGHTER Careless riding 300 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 2–6/5, 5 days
			<b>D Danis</b> HOT SALSA Careless riding 1300 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 2–6/6, 5 days
<b>Fines:</b>	Race	2	<b>T Mitchell</b> QUIZ KID Excessive use of the whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$250
		5	<b>D Walker</b> REVERBERATIONS Presented runner without notified gear [Rule 616(4)] \$50
<b>Warnings:</b>	Race	1	<b>S Spratt</b> MADIRAN Whip use [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)]
		6	<b>T Thornton</b> CHARMINGAFFAIR Shifting ground 400 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
			<b>J Fawcett</b> LEICA WARRIOR Shifting ground 400 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
		8	<b>S Orting</b> JOEY'S GIFT Late declaration of rider Rule [Rule 537(a)]
		9	<b>A Calder</b> CASTLE BAY Whip use [Rule 638(3)(g)(ii)]
		10	<b>D Danis</b> HOT SALSA Shifting ground 900 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
			<b>M Alam</b> GWEN'S DAUGHTER Whip use [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)]
<b>Protests:</b>	Nil		
<b>Request for Ruling:</b>	Nil		
<b>Horse Actions:</b>	Race	1	<b>WHO'S SAM</b> Warning, racing manners
		8	<b>DIAMOND GIRL</b> Warning, barrier manners
<b>Follow Up:</b>	Nil		
<b>Rider Changes:</b>	Race	1	<b>DESTINYS DELIGHT</b> B Grylls replaced E Nicholas (injured)
		2	<b>QUIZ KID</b> T Mitchell replaced E Nicholas

		6	<b>EL BANDOLERO</b> M Sanson replaced E Nicholas
		7	<b>SHOSHONE</b> J Kamaruddin replaced E Nicholas
		8	<b>ONEROA</b> M Cameron replaced E Nicholas
		9	<b>QUEEN OF SOUL</b> J Kamaruddin replaced E Nicholas
		10	<b>NOT A BAD PHELAN</b> A Calder replaced E Nicholas
<b>Late Scratchings:</b>	Race	8	<b>DIAMOND GIRL</b> At 3.14 pm on veterinary advice (at the barrier)
<b>Medical Certificates:</b>	Required for E Nicholas Received from R Elliot		
<b>Swabbing:</b>	FLIP 'N' EASY, LE SABLIER, BUNKERS, LEEDOX, CONTAGIOUS, REKINDLED EXPRESS, SELVA VERDE, NEW YORK JAZZ, LORD VALENTINE, CHEVRON, ROCKSPELL		

<b>GENERAL</b>
Apprentice rider E Nicholas did not attend today's race meeting due to being injured on Thursday morning at trackwork. E Nicholas is required to provide Stewards with a medical certificate prior to riding next.

<b>SUPPLEMENTARY</b>
Nothing to report

<b>RACE COMMENTS</b>	
<b>Race 1</b>	<b>HR FISKEN &amp; SONS LTD MAIDEN 1200</b>
<p><b>WHO'S SAM</b> (T Mitchell) – Began awkwardly losing ground. Shifted out abruptly when entering the first bend near the 900 metres crowding OUR BIG BOY which was badly hampered losing ground. Hampered as a result was MODERINSE and THE LETTER which were both forced wide. Trainer N Tanner was advised a warning would be placed against the gelding's racing manners.</p> <p><b>GO LUCINDA</b> (A Lawson-Carroll) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Hampered 900 metres when improving onto runner's heels.</p> <p><b>MISS SAZERAC</b> (M Hashizume) – Restrained at the start from the outside barrier. Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race.</p> <p><b>DESTINYS DELIGHT</b> (B Grylls) – Knuckled leaving the barrier, then crowded losing ground. Awkwardly placed passing the 700 metres having to be restrained. Held up making the final bend. Had some difficulty obtaining clear running until near the 150 metres. When questioned regarding the performance rider B Grylls advised that after a poor beginning the filly had got further back than intended, further adding that the filly had not been entirely comfortable in today's track conditions.</p> <p><b>ELUSIVE FIGHTER</b> (J Chung) - Raced wide without cover throughout.</p> <p><b>OUR BIG BOY</b> (C Jones) - Raced ungenerously when being steadied in the early stages. Crowded and badly hampered passing the 900 metres then continued to race ungenerously for a distance.</p>	

**MODERINSE** (A Goindasamy) - Hampered and forced wider near the 900 metres. Held up early in the final straight, shifting out approaching the 200 metres to obtain clear running.

**THE LETTER** (T Yanagida) - Hampered and forced wider near the 900 metres. Briefly contacted approaching the 100 metres by MISS SAZERAC which had shifted out and away from SANTENAY which had in turn shifted away from DESTINYS DELIGHT which had shifted out to obtain clear running. B Grylls was advised to exercise care in a similar circumstance.

**S Spratt** (MADIRAN) - Issued with a warning after she struck her mount six 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.

**Race 2** | **ROGER GILL MOTORS 1500**

**THUNDER** (M Sanson) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

**QUIZ KID** (T Mitchell) – Raced wide in the early stages before improving to lead near the 1000 metres.

**MANRICO** (C Jones) – Briefly crowded approaching the 200 metres.

**SWEET CLEMENTINE** (A Calder) - Shifted in to obtain clear running approaching the 200 metres briefly crowding MANRICO.

**T Mitchell** (QUIZ KID) - Admitted a charge in that she struck her mount six times prior to the 100 metre mark with the Adjudicative Committee imposing a fine of \$250.

**Race 3** | **JBM & ASSOCIATES 1400**

**BELLA DORA** (J Kamaruddin) - Slow to begin (3L). Shifted out passing the 350 metres to obtain clear running. Improved into a marginal run 125 metres making contact and becoming unbalanced.

**RABADA** (A Goindasamy) - Began awkwardly losing ground (2L). Over-raced in the early and middle stages.

**BUNKERS** (M Hashizume) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

**FLAT TRACK BULLY** (Y Kumagai) – Raced four wide without cover throughout.

**CANNSEA CLEARLY** (S Spratt) – Crowded and checked near the 125 metres between BELLA DORA which improved to a marginal to its inside which had been diminishing, and RABADA which shifted in and away from RUBYSHOWOFF which shifted in slightly. Riders J Kamaruddin, A Goindasamy and A Calder were all advised to exercise greater care in a similar circumstance. When assessing the incident Stewards took into account BELLA DORA shifting into a diminishing run and slight inward movement from RUBYSHOWOFF and RABADA.

**DECADENCE** (M Cameron) - Had difficulty obtaining clear running for the majority of the final straight.

**Race 4** | **BARFOOT & THOMPSON AUCKLAND FUTURITY STAKES (1400 metres) (Listed Race)**

**ORSOME DUDE** (R Beemud) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

**RARE COMPANY** (J Kamaruddin) - Slow to begin. Held up early in the final straight before shifting out to obtain clear running near the 250 metres.

**NOSNEVETS** (C Jones) - Raced wide throughout.

**LEEDOX** (R Elliot) – Held up for clear running early in the final straight before improving into a run passing the 400 metres and raced in restricted room for a short distance.

**Race 5** | **FRANKLIN AUCTIONS 1400**

**REVERBERATIONS** (M Hashizume) – Did not race with the declared shadow roll as there was none available.

**BUGATTI** (M McNab) - Slow to begin.

**CALL ME FLINT** (J Kamaruddin) - Began awkwardly. Improved onto heels near the 225 metres and was briefly steadied before shifting out.

**LINGJUN XIONGFENG** (T Yanagida) - Crowded at the start. Had some difficulty obtaining clear running early in the final straight then continued to do so for a distance.

**REKINDLED EXPRESS** (A Lawson-Carroll) - Raced wide without cover throughout.

**MAGAWA** (J Chung) - Raced three wide without cover when disputing the pace. Raced in restricted room shortly after the start to the inside of ROSBERG which shifted in. K Asano was reprimanded and advised to exercise greater care. When questioned regarding the performance apprentice rider J Chung advised that racing wide without cover had been detrimental to its chances. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

**SMART ROCKS** (R Elliot) – Raced ungenerously when being restrained in the early stages.

**SERESIN** (M Cameron) - When questioned regarding the performance rider M Cameron advised that the gelding had not been entirely comfortable in today's track conditions and had not travelled comfortably through the early and middle stages.

**D Walker** (REVERBERATIONS) - Fined \$50 under the minor infringement schedule after REVERBERATIONS was presented and raced without notified gear (shadow roll).

**Race 6** | **MOUNT SHOP 2100**

**KHAN HUNTER** (J Kamaruddin) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Attempted to improve to the inside of LEICA WARRIOR which was shifting in approaching the 400 metres and was then further crowded by CHARMINGAFFAIR which shifted out to obtain clear running with KHAN HUNTER being hampered and steadied. Shifted in passing the 200 metres to obtain clear running.

**LEICA WARRIOR** (J Fawcett) – Began awkwardly. Raced wide in the early and middle stages.

**SOLID CONTACT** (J Chung) - Raced very wide throughout. Apprentice rider J Chung was referred to riding mentor N Harris.

**RENEGADE FIGHTER** (M Hashizume) - Restrained at the start.

**CLEESE** (D Danis) - Raced in restricted room soon after the start to the inside of ONEOUTOFTHEBOX which shifted in. M McNab was reprimanded and advised to exercise greater care.

**ONEOUTOFTHEBOX** (M McNab) – Raced wide in the early stages before improving to sit outside the leader near the 1600 metres.

**EL BANDOLERO** (M Sanson) - Raced keenly in the early stages.

**T Thornton** (CHARMINGAFFAIR) - Issued with a warning after permitting CHARMINGAFFAIR to shift out approaching the 400 metres when not clear of KHAN HUNTER which was hampered losing ground.

**J Fawcett** (LEICA WARRIOR) - Issued with a warning after permitting LEICA WARRIOR to shift in approaching the 400 metres when not clear of KHAN HUNTER which was hampered losing ground.

**T Thornton** (CHARMINGAFFAIR) - Admitted a charge in that she struck her mount seven times prior to the 100 metre mark. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee suspended T Thornton's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Wednesday 1 June up to and including racing on Wednesday 8 June, 6 national riding days.

**Race 7** | **HAUNUI FARM 1100**

**TIGHTLIGN** (C Lindsay) - Lost a plate when being called up to enter the barrier. Stewards permitted TIGHTLIGN to run without the off fore plate. Raced wide without cover throughout.

**NEW YORK JAZZ** (T Newman) - Restrained from its wide barrier to obtain cover.

**STAR TREASURE** (M Hashizume) – Held up early in the final straight before shifting out passing the 300 metres to obtain clear running.

**ODINPOWER** (T Mitchell) - Lay out from the 200 metres.

Following the race Stewards inquired into the reasons that PALM SPRINGS was not wearing its declared barrier blanket as the start was affected with Starter T McGovern advising that the mare had the barrier blanket applied when entering the barrier but after becoming restless, the barrier blanket became detached. A subsequent attempt was made to remove PALM SPRINGS from the barrier to reapply the barrier blanket which was unsuccessful.

**Race 8** | **BARFOOT & THOMPSON 1200**

**DIAMOND GIRL** (T Newman) - Removed from the barrier after becoming fractious to undergo a veterinary inspection and was late scratched at 3.14 pm on veterinary advice. Trainer C Gibbs was advised a barrier warning would be placed against the mare.

**UP 'N' GONE** (M Sanson) - Began awkwardly.

**LA ROMANEE** (R Elliot) – Raced keenly in the early stages.

**EL NOIR** (M McNab) - Steadied when in restricted room passing the 850 metres to the inside of LA ROMANEE and ORANGE PEARL which were taken in by EL TIRADOR. Footage of this incident was inconclusive with J Kamaruddin being reprimanded and advised to exercise greater care in a similar circumstance.

**EVER SO EASY** (M Hashizume) – Held up approaching the 400 metres when attempting to improve into a marginal run to the inside of HAPPY EGO with EVERY SO EASY then shifting out to obtain clear running.

**KAMAKAZE** (J Fawcett) – Briefly held up passing the 400 metres when improving onto heels.

**Race 9** | **FRANKLIN LONG ROOFING LTD 1600**

**CASTLE BAY** (A Calder) – Restrained at the start from its wide barrier. Briefly held up entering the final straight.

**SEAJETZ** (M Hashizume) - Raced three wide without cover.

**CHEVRON** (T Newman) – Jumped inwards leaving the barriers crowding RISING ROAD

**RISING ROAD** (C Lindsay) - Crowded leaving the barrier. Raced ungenerously in the early and middle stages. Had difficulty obtaining clear running for the majority of the final straight.

**TEEN TITAN** (M Sanson) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

**HUGH GLASS** (A Lawson-Carroll) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

**CORINNE** (K Asano) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

**PACKING JOY** (M McNab) – Raced in restricted room when attempting a run approaching the 400 metres.

**A Calder** (CASTLE BAY) - Issued with a warning after using the whip in two consecutive strides on CASTLE BAY inside the final 100 metres with Stewards taking into account his clear recent record.

**Race 10**

**DUNSTAN SALUTE 1400**

**CHILLAX** (J Kamaruddin) - Restrained from a wide barrier at the start.

**NOTABADPHELAN** (A Calder) – Crowded at the start losing ground.

**ON DEMAND** (Y Kumagai) - Began awkwardly.

**MADAME LE FAY** (M McNab) – Restrained shortly after the start. Dictated wider passing the 300 metres.

**GWEN'S DAUGHTER** (M Alam) - Crowded leaving the barriers. Raced keenly in the early stages. Crowded 900 metres when awkwardly placed inside the heels of HOT SALSA which shifted in. Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

**HARD NOSE** (R Elliot) - Crowded passing the 1300 metres having to steady, losing ground. Crowded and hampered passing the 300 metres when GWEN'S DAUGHTER which shifted out under pressure. As a result, ELYSIAN FIELDS was also dictated wider.

**ELYSIAN FIELD** (S Spratt) - Dictated wider passing the 300 metres.

**M Alam** (GWEN'S DAUGHTER) - Issued with a warning after he struck his mount six times prior to the 100 metre mark with Stewards taking into account his clear recent record.

**M Alam** (GWEN'S DAUGHTER) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he permitted GWEN'S DAUGHTER to shift out under pressure passing the 300 metres when insufficiently clear of HARD NOSE which was hampered and forced wider. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee suspended M Alam's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Wednesday 1 June up to and including racing on Monday 6 June, 5 national riding days.

**D Danis** (HOT SALSA) - Issued with a warning for permitting HOT SALSA to shift in near the 900 metres when not sufficiently clear of GWEN'S DAUGHTER which was steadied when hampered.

**D Danis** (HOT SALSA) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he permitted HOT SALSA to shift in near the 1300 metres when not sufficiently clear of HARD NOSE which was hampered losing ground. After considering submissions

the Adjudicative Committee suspended D Danis' licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Wednesday 1 June up to and including racing on Monday 6 June, 5 national riding days.

*Stipendiary Stewards report as posted is provisional and subject to further review and amendment*