



# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

## MEETING DETAILS

**Club:** Matamata Racing Club  
**Date:** Wednesday, 08 June 2022  
**Weather:** Cloudy  
**Track:** Heavy 10  
**Rail:** Out 4 metres  
**Stewards:** A Dooley (Chair), B Jones, L Selvakumaran, W Robinson  
**Vet:** R McQuillan BVSc  
**Typist:** B Gutsell

## SUMMARY

**Suspensions:** Nil  
**Fines:** Nil  
**Warnings:**  
Race 1 **J Chung** BLAZING DANCER  
Whip use out of contention [Rule 638(3)(f)(iii)]  
Race 2 **S Marsh** BEYOND SKIES  
Presented runner without notified gear (Blinkers) [Rule 616(4)] \$50 (Minor Infringement Schedule)  
Race 4 **J Kam** TUNEFUL  
Whip use out of contention [Rule 638(3)(f)(iii)]  
Race 4 **D Prastiyou** MISS LOVATO  
Weighed in 0.4kg under handicap weight [Rule 649(3)]  
**Protests:** Nil  
**Request for Ruling:** Nil  
**Horse Actions:** Race 3 **BLUE SKY AT NIGHT**  
Must trial to satisfaction of Stewards  
**Follow Up:** Race 7 **SHE'S APPLES**  
**Rider Changes:** Nil  
**Late Scratchings:** Race 3 **BLUE SKY AT NIGHT**  
At 12.53pm - Fractious in the barriers  
Race 5 **MAKISBAK**  
At 2.03pm by Order of Stewards (escaped riderless)  
**Medical Certificates:** Nil  
**Swabbing:** OZARK, LEGARTO, SHE'S A SHOWOFF, SAGAN, BOOMER, SHIVERS, MILLEFIORI, MY MAEBELLINE GIRL

## GENERAL

Stewards were advised that the time declared for Race 5 was incorrect and no official time was taken for this race.

## SUPPLEMENTARY

Nothing to report

## RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 MATAMATA GLASS & JOINERY MAIDEN 3YO 1600

**MR HYDE** (A Calder) - Began awkwardly.

**ROESLARE** (S Weatherley) - Began awkwardly.

**ACAPULCO** (D Danis) - Began awkwardly.

**RUSTIC** (L Allpress) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

**THE BIG SHOW** (J Goodwin) - Slow to begin then contacted shortly after. Improved on to heels near the 300 metres having to shift ground outwards to obtain clear running.

**SUPER GUNN** (T Newman) - Crowded at the start. When questioned regarding the performance rider reported that the gelding had failed to handle the Heavy 10 track conditions.

**BLAZING DANCER** (J Chung) - Briefly steadied approaching the 1200 metres when KUROMIES shifted inwards to obtain cover.

**OZARK** (Y Kumagai) - Shifted outwards passing the 300 metres making contact with BULLEEZE ONE.

**BULLEEZE ONE** (R Elliot) - Contacted passing the 300 metres.

**J Chung** (BLAZING DANCER) - Issued with a warning for using his whip on this runner when out of contention.

**Y Kumagai** (OZARK) - Spoken to advisedly regarding making a celebratory gesture prior to the finish line.

<b>Race 2</b>	<b>MURRAY'S SWANSONG MAIDEN 2YO 1100</b>
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**LILI MARLENE** (M Hashizume) - Began awkwardly.

**SUPER WARRIOR** (D Danis) - Began awkwardly.

**GEORGIAN WARRIOR** (S Spratt) - Began awkwardly. Improved on to heels approaching the 600 metres having to be steadied.

**LEGARTO** (T Yanagida) - Crowded at the start.

**LADY HIKA** (C Barnes) - Contacted at the start losing ground. Raced keenly in the early stages when being restrained.

**HEY JUDE** (M Cameron) - Shifted outwards despite the efforts of its rider when making the bend awkwardly near the 800 metres placing TOBLERONE in restricted room.

**TOBLERONE** (S Weatherley) - Raced in restricted room having to be steadied approaching the 800 metres when HEY JUDE made the bend awkwardly shifting outwards.

**GLITZABELLA** (M McNab) - When questioned regarding the performance rider reported that the filly was not comfortable in the Heavy 10 track conditions.

Trainer **S Marsh** (BEYOND SKIES) - Issued with a \$50 Minor Infringement Notice for presenting BEYOND SKIES to race without notified gear (Blinkers).

<b>Race 3</b>	<b>COLIN WEST PANELBEATERS MAIDEN 1200</b>
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**BLUE SKY AT NIGHT** (C Grylls) - Late scratching at 12.53pm after becoming fractious in the barriers. A Veterinary examination revealed the mare to have lacerations to the left hind leg. Connections were advised that BLUE SKY AT NIGHT will be required to trial to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to racing again.

**SWEET BY AND BY** (M Sanson) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

**JUST BUBBLES** (Y Kumagai) - Began awkwardly making heavy contact with TIPPER.

**TIPPER** (M Hashizume) - Heavily contacted at the start losing ground.

<b>Race 4</b>	<b>ROBOW'S, THE MEAT CO &amp; TWO TONES MAIDEN 1200</b>
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**SAGAN** (J Fawcett) - Began awkwardly.

**THEGEEWAGON** (J Fillmore) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

**TUNEFUL** (J Kam) - Began awkwardly then crowded shortly after the start.

**GO LUCINDA** (L Allpress) - Shifted out shortly after the start crowding outside runners.

**BERNIE'S EGO** (C Jones) - Crowded shortly after the start.

**CASTLE ESS OH ESS** (A Calder) - Crowded after the start. Finished a distant last. When questioned, rider A Calder advised that the gelding had failed to handle the Heavy 10 track conditions.

**IFYOURAMPLE** (J Kamaruddin) - Held up for clear running rounding the final bend.

**FLIGHT PLAN** (M Hashizume) - Held up for clear running early in the final straight.

**GREASE LIGHTNING** (T Yanagida) - Held up for clear running early in the final straight.

**J Kam** (TUNEFUL) - Issued with a warning for using his whip on this runner when out of contention.

**D Prastiyou** (MISS LOVATO) - Issued with a warning after weighing in 0.4kg under the handicap weight.

<b>Race 5</b>	<b>BETAVET MAIDEN 1400</b>
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**MAKISBAK** (K Asano) - Shied at the crossing on the way to the start dislodging rider K Asano and escaping riderless for a considerable distance before being caught by the Clerk of the Course. Declared a late scratching at 2.03pm by order of Stewards. K Asano was uninjured in this incident. The start of this race was subsequently delayed approximately 4 minutes.

**DIAMOND JAK** (T Yanagida) - Began awkwardly. Lay inwards under pressure over the concluding stages.

**BOOMER** (J Kamaruddin) - Began awkwardly making contact with FARAG. Raced keenly in the early stages having to be restrained off heels near the 1000 metres. When questioned regarding the improved performance trainer M Walker advised the gelding had appreciated being schooled in recent weeks.

**DEEP PURPLE** (L Satherley) - Slow to begin.

**FLY MY WEY** (D Danis) - Slow to begin.

**RAKAU** (J Chung) - Knuckled shortly after the start.

**FARAG** (C Barnes) - Contacted then crowded shortly after the start.

**READY TO DRINK** (O Bosson) - When questioned regarding the performance rider reported that the gelding had failed to handle the Heavy 10 track conditions. A post-race Veterinary examination revealed no abnormalities.

**Race 6** | **TAINUI PRESS DESIGN & PRINT MAIDEN 1400**

**SANTENAY** (J Fawcett) - Shifted in abruptly leaving the barriers making heavy contact with TOFFEE and MOONLIGHT SHADOW which both lost ground.

**TOFFEE** (D Prastiyou) - Heavily contacted and crowded at the start losing ground.

**MOONLIGHT SHADOW** (Y Kumagai) - Heavily contacted at the start losing ground, then crowded shortly after.

**STERNLAND** (J Kamaruddin) - Contacted at the start. When questioned regarding the performance rider reported that the filly was not comfortable in the Heavy 10 track conditions.

**SHIVERS** (T Mitchell) - Raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

**CADA CAMINO** (B Rogerson) - Raced keenly in the early stages when being restrained.

**ON THE PROWL** (W Pinn) - **W Pinn** was shown the replay and reminded of his obligations that he must ensure he rides his mounts out to the end of the race.

**Race 7** | **FAIRVIEW MOTORS MATAMATA 1400**

**THE FIRST LINK** (J Fawcett) - Began awkwardly then crowded shortly after the start. Tailed off in the early stages.

**DANCING SANDS** (J Kamaruddin) - Slow to begin.

**AURORA DOLCE** (M Hashizume) - Crowded shortly after the start.

**SHE'S APPLES** (C Lindsay) - When questioned regarding the performance rider advised that the mare had failed to handle the Heavy 10 track conditions. A post-race Veterinary examination revealed SHE'S APPLES to have a slow recovery. Stewards will follow up the recovery of the mare with trainer S Marsh in the coming days.

**Race 8** | **MATAMATA GLASS & JOINERY MAIDEN 2000**

**GEE SHOCK** (T Newman) - Began awkwardly.

**LILITH** (L Allpress) - Crowded at the start.

**ONEZEDBEE** (C Grylls) - Over-raced in the early stages. Crowded and hampered near the 250 metres when weakening.

**TE ATATU MEMPHIS** (T Yanagida) - Raced keenly in the early stages when being restrained.

**FLYINGWITHOUTWINGS** (Y Kumagai) - Clipped a heel and blundered near the 900 metres losing ground. Rider Y Kumagai was shown a replay in the presence of Riding Master N Harris and advised to exercise greater care.

**MONBEAU** (C Barnes) - Shifted out under pressure near the 250 metres dictating AFITUSI out into the running line of ONEZEDBEE which was crowded and hampered. Contributing to this incident was inwards movement from FLYINGWITHOUTWINGS (Y Kumagai). Riders Y Kumagai and C Barnes were advised to exercise greater care in similar circumstances.

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