



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Taumarunui Racing Club @ Te Rapa
Date: Saturday, 30 July 2022
Weather: Fine
Track: Heavy 10
Rail: Out 9 metres
Stewards: B Jones (Chair), A Dooley, G Stewart, W Robinson, L Selvakumaran (remote)
Vet: B O'Shea BVSc, K Rooney BVSc
Typist: K Verner

SUMMARY

Suspensions:	Race	6	R Elliot LYCOMEDES Failed to make weight [Rule 330(3)(c)] Suspended 7-13 August, 4 days
		11	N Parmar INCA WARRIOR Careless riding 400 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 8-19 August, 5 days
Fines:	Race	2	S Karnicnik RED RACKET Failed to retire mount from the race [Rule 638(5)(b)] \$500
		3	L Satherley DIGGER Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$500
		11	N Parmar INCA WARRIOR Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$500
Warnings:	Race	1	C Case AONGATETE EXPRESS Weighed in overweight [Rule 648(5)]
		6	C Bambry NOVELLA & RUBY SEEKER Presented runners late to parade [Rule 625(1)]
		8	A Lawson-Carroll MUSE Weighed in overweight [Rule 648(5)]
		10	E Bragg BULLYBROOK Whip use [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)]
		11	C Grylls MISTRESS MINX Shifting ground 250 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
Protests:	Race	11	INCA WARRIOR 6TH vs MISTRESS MINX 5TH Protest dismissed
Request for Ruling:	Nil		
Horse Actions:	Race	4	SINO HEIGHTS Humanely euthanised
		8	SHOCKING PENNY Veterinary clearance required prior to racing next
		11	BERGAMO FOX Veterinary clearance required prior to racing next
			EVA CHIARA Required to barrier trial prior to racing next
Follow Up:		5	RAUCOUS
		9	ANGELICA
		11	EVA CHIARA
Rider Changes:	Race	6	LYCOMEDES

Late Scratchings:	Race 6	V Colgan replaced R Elliot (overweight) BEYOND SKIES At 12.25 pm on veterinary advice
Medical Certificates:	Nil	
Swabbing:	KAJINO, ABU DHABI, WINDSPEED, KEYBOARD WARRIOR, CARNABY, PACIFIC DRAGON, SOPHMAZE, HEY HAPPY, RIVER RUN, RED INFERNO, BULLYBROOK, MACUSHLA	

GENERAL
M McNab was granted permission by Stewards on Wednesday 27 July to ride DAWN PARADE (R10) 1 kg over the handicapped weight.

SUPPLEMENTARY
Nothing to report

RACE COMMENTS	
Race 1	DOUG MORRIS HURDLE (3200 metres)
<p>OBRIGADO (D Parker) - Slow to begin (3L). When questioned regarding the performance the rider advised that in his opinion the gelding would benefit from improved track conditions.</p> <p>MR FARENHEIT (R Leech) – Bounded as the gates opened, losing ground. Hampered by the fallen runner at the sixth fence.</p> <p>MONBEAU (H McNeill) - Slow to begin.</p> <p>MONITOR (M Cropp) - Jumped the first fence awkwardly losing ground. Hampered by the fallen runner at the sixth fence. Pulled up prior to jumping the final three fences.</p> <p>ODYSSEUS (P Matthews) - Badly misjudged the third fence, losing ground. Raced keenly in the early stages. Retired from the race prior to jumping the final two fences.</p> <p>BROTHER MAX (E Farr) – Ran down the fourth fence. Retired from the race entering the final straight.</p> <p>MR BAZAMOUR (M Roustoby) – Jumped indifferently throughout. Hampered after jumping the fence near the 1900 metres being pulled up by its rider.</p> <p>ELUSIVE ACE (S Karnicnik) - Badly misjudged the sixth fence, knuckled on landing dislodging its rider who was uninjured. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.</p> <p>KAJINO (S Phelan) – Hampered by the fallen runner at the sixth fence.</p> <p>AONGATETE EXPRESS (C Case) - Raced wide through the middle stages.</p> <p>C Case (AONGATETE EXPRESS) – Issued with a warning for weighing in 0.6 kg over the weight at which he weighed out at.</p>	
Race 2	STEWART BROWNE MEMORIAL HURDLE (3200 metres)
BANKS ROAD (E Farr) - Slow to begin. Ran down the second fence.	

PHELAN FOXY (G Walsh) - Began awkwardly.

TAHUROA HEIGHT (M Roustoby) - Began awkwardly. Over-raced when leading through the middle stages. Misjudged the fence near the 1050 metres. Misjudged the last fence and fell, dislodging its rider who was uninjured. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

MAJOR TOM (D Parker) - Over-raced in the early stages. Retired prior to jumping the last three fences.

ROCKING GOOD TIME (S Phelan) - Raced wide through the middle stages.

MIGHTY COLOMBO (P Matthews) - Retired prior to jumping the last three fences.

AFITUSI (A Roustoby) – Retired prior to jumping the last three fences.

S Karnicnik (RED RACKET) - Admitted a charge in that he failed to retire RED RACKET from the race when out of contention with the Adjudicative Committee imposing a fine of \$500.

Race 3 | **PROPERTY BROKERS TAUMARUNUI 1400**

OPAEA JOE (D Prastiyou) - Began awkwardly losing ground (3L).

SUPERETTE (S Spratt) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Over-raced in the early stages.

CHASE 'N' GOLD (K Asano) - Slow to begin.

L Satherley (DIGGER) - Admitted a charge in that she struck her mount DIGGER six times prior to the 100 metre mark with the Adjudicative Committee imposing a fine of \$500.

Race 4 | **WAIKATO BUSY BEES (3900 metres)**

MOKELE MBEMBE (H McNeill) - Slow to begin.

RULER (S Karnicnik) – Began awkwardly. Jumped the fourth fence awkwardly losing ground. Became detached from the body of the field through the middle stages. Pulled up after jumping the fence near the 1000 metres.

QUAFF (C Case) – Began awkwardly. Jumped the eighth fence awkwardly dislodging its rider who was uninjured.

MAGIC CANNON (E Farr) – Over-raced through the early stages.

SINO HEIGHTS (A Roustoby) - Misjudged the fence near the 1000 metres dislodging its rider who was uninjured. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which found the gelding to have fractured the right fore distal humerus and was humanely euthanised.

LOCALLY SAUCED (G Walsh) – Taken wider being hampered by the riderless horse passing the 350 metres.

Payment was withheld until such time as Stewards were satisfied that when the Clerk of the Course attempted to escort SINO HEIGHTS clear of the field passing the 450 metres, he had not impeded the progress of any runner to a degree that affected the overall placings. The Clerk of the Course was spoken to advisedly in relation to the matter.

Race 5 | **WOODS CONTRACTING 3900**

TELL ME MORE (E Farr) – Slow to begin (3L).

MAGIC WONDER (C Case) – Slow to begin. Contacted the running rail passing the 200 metres becoming unbalanced.

RAUCOUS (S Phelan) - Jumped indifferently throughout. Retired from the race entering the final straight. When questioned regarding the performance the rider advised that the gelding had jumped poorly throughout and had felt indifferent in its action prior to being retired from the event. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

Race 6 | **COURTESY FORD RYDER STAKES (1200 metres) (Listed Race)**

BEYOND SKIES (S Spratt) - Late scratched at 12.25 pm on veterinary advice.

MANHATTAN JAZZ (K Hercock) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

RUBY SEEKER (L Satherley) - Slow to begin. When questioned regarding the performance the rider advised that the filly had failed to handle today's track conditions. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

NOVELLA (M Cameron) - Slow to begin. Hampered when weakening passing the 300 metres by WESSEX. K Asano was advised to exercise care in similar circumstances.

C Bambry (NOVELLA & RUBY SEEKER) – Issued with a warning after presenting NOVELLA and RUBY SEEKER late into the parade ring.

R Elliot (LYDOMEDES) – Admitted a charge in that he failed to make the weight on LYDOMEDES. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee suspended R Elliot's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Saturday 6 August up to and including racing on Saturday 13 July, 4 national riding days.

Race 7 | **NZ HUNTS ASSOCIATION DUKE OF GLOUCESTER CUP (2100 metres)**

DECADENCE (N Smith) - Began awkwardly.

FORTUNE WINGS (S Mynott) - Began awkwardly.

HEY HAPPY (L Kennedy) - Restrained in the early stages to obtain cover.

TICKLE ME ALMO (M Northcott) – Over-raced entering the first bend.

LUCKY VIKING (S MacNab) - When questioned regarding the performance the rider advised that the gelding had failed to handle today's track conditions. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

Race 8 | **TAUMARUNUI RSA GOLD CUP (2200 metres)**

CALL ME JACK (K Hercock) - Jumped outwards at the start making contact with HIT THE ROAD JACK.

HIT THE ROAD JACK (E Nicholas) – Contacted at the start.

RIVER RUN (K Asano) - Restrained in the early stages to obtain cover from the outside barrier.

TAKEITEASY (T Thornton) - Over-raced in the early stages.

SHOCKING PENNY (M Sanson) - When questioned regarding the performance the rider could offer no excuse. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed a slower than normal recovery rate. Connections were advised that a veterinary clearance would be required prior to racing next.

A Lawson-Carroll (MUSE) - Issued with a warning for weighing in 0.6 kg over the weight at which he weighed out at.

Race 9 | **NZ FARMERS LIVESTOCK 1200**

ANGELICA (M Kareem) - Underwent a veterinary examination at the barriers and was declared fit to start. When questioned regarding the performance the rider advised that the mare had never travelled comfortable throughout. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination including an endoscopic examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

DEEBEE ZAPOWER (V Colgan) - Jumped inwards at the start making contact with BELLACONTTE.

BELLACONTTE (L Satherley) - Contacted at the start. When questioned regarding the performance the rider advised that the filly had been unsuited by today's track conditions.

VIKTOR VEGAS (E Leighton) - Slow to begin.

STAR TREASURE (Y Kumagai) - Steadied when placed in restricted room passing the 850 metres when racing keenly.

Race 10 | **BOB & COLLEEN DONALDSON MEMORIAL 1400**

DAWN PARADE (M McNab) – Began awkwardly. Raced keenly in the middle stages. Held up for clear running early in the final straight. When questioned regarding the performance the rider could offer no excuse.

FONTeyN (A Goindasamy) - Began awkwardly.

PULLYOURSOCKSUP (C Lindsay) - Began awkwardly. Over-raced in the early stages.

AERO DE PARIS (Y Kumagai) – Over-raced through the middle stages when racing wide without cover. Came together with SO GORGEOUS on several occasions in the final straight when both runners shifted ground.

SO GORGEOUS (T Yanagida) - Rider dropped his whip near the 100 metres. Came together with AERO DE PARIS on several occasions in the final straight when both runners shifted ground.

E Bragg (BULLYBROOK) - Issued with a warning after she struck her mount BULLYBROOK six times prior to the 100 metre mark with Stewards taking into account her clear recent record with regard to any breach of this whip rule.

Race 11 | **WOODS CONTRACTING 1400**

SONOFABUTCHER (M Kareem) - Slow to begin.

SAGAN (A Goindasamy) – Hampered shortly after the start losing ground. Shifted out and away from INCA WARRIOR approaching the 350 metres hampering MIGHTY CASTLE which had to be steadied dropping back onto EVA CHIARA which had to be steadied to avoid heels.

MIGHTY CASTLE (E Bragg) - Hampered passing the 350 metres.

EVA CHIARA (M McNab) - Hampered shortly after the start losing ground. Had to be steadied to avoid heels approaching the 350 metres then was not persevered with from near the 300 metres after refusing to hit out being retired from the race. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality. Connections were advised that the filly would be required to barrier trial to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to racing next.

BERGAMO FOX (V Colgan) - Jumped outwards at the start contacting EVA CHIARA. Was not persevered with in the final straight. Connections were advised that a veterinary clearance would be required prior to racing next. Trainer advised Stewards that it was now their intention to retire the gelding.

GNASHER (E Nicholas) - Reared as the start was affected.

ANNA GRACE (D Danis) – Crowded and checked passing the 400 metres.

INCA WARRIOR (N Parmar) - Contacted AURORA DOLCE which shifted outwards passing the 250 metres simultaneously as INCA WARRIOR shifted inwards.

C Grylls (MISTRESS MINX) - Issued with a warning after permitting his mount to shift outwards when not sufficiently clear of ODINPOWER which shifted out and away dictating SHE'S APPLES onto AURORA DOLCE which made contact with INCA WARRIOR simultaneously as INCA WARRIOR shifted inwards passing the 250 metres.

N Parmar (INCA WARRIOR) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he allowed his mount INCA WARRIOR to shift out when insufficiently clear of ANNA GRACE which was crowded and checked passing the 400 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee suspended N Parmar's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Sunday 7 August up to and including racing on Friday 19 August, 5 national riding days.

N Parmar (INCA WARRIOR) - Admitted a charge in that he struck his mount INCA WARRIOR six times prior to the 100 metre mark with the Adjudicative Committee imposing a fine of \$500.

Following the race, connections of the 6th placed horse INCA WARRIOR lodged a protest alleging interference near the 250 metres by the 5th placed horse MISTRESS MINX. After considering submissions and hearing evidence the Adjudicative Committee dismissed the protest with placings standing 1ST MACUSHLA, 2ND THE FIRST LINK, 3RD SONOFABUTCHER, 4TH AURORA DOLCE, 5TH MISTRESS MINX, 6TH INCA WARRIOR.

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