



## STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

### MEETING DETAILS

**Club:** Woodville-Pahiatua Racing Club  
**Date:** Friday, 12 August 2022  
**Weather:** Fine then Showery  
**Track:** Heavy 10  
**Rail:** True  
**Stewards:** B Jones (Chair), K Coppins, B Bateup  
**Vet:** P Loh BVMS  
**Typist:** S Shirriffs

### SUMMARY

**Suspensions:** Nil  
**Fines:** Race 4 **H Schofer** SHOWSHANELLE  
Overweight [Rule 330(3)(c)] \$100 (Minor Infringement)  
**Warnings:** Race 3 **L Douglas** ZA SPIRIT  
Shifting ground 100 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]  
5 **D Bradley** RIDE THE TIDE  
Shifting ground concluding stages [Rule 638(1)(d)]  
**Protests:** Nil  
**Request for Ruling:** Nil  
**Horse Actions:** Race 1 **MADAM RAZIA**  
Required to barrier trial  
**Follow Up:** Race 1 **APOLLONIUS**  
9 **PRECIOUS NIAMH**  
**Rider Changes:** Race 4 **SHOWSHANELLE**  
C Grylls replaced H Schofer (overweight)  
7 **CRIMEA**  
H Schofer replaced B Rogerson (injured)  
9 **ITISWHATITIS**  
C Dell replaced B Rogerson  
**Late Scratchings:** Nil  
**Medical Certificates:** Required from B Rogerson  
**Swabbing:** DON'T ASK, EAGLE COUNTY, SANGRITA, SHELBYROCK'N, SHE'S MISS GEVIOUS, CONOR  
O'CEIRIN, RUN JAKKO RUN, KAHU ROCK, CHOLULA.

### GENERAL

B Rogerson advised Stewards on race morning that she would not be attending today's race meeting. B Rogerson is to provide a medical clearance to Stipendiary Stewards prior to riding next.

### SUPPLEMENTARY

Nothing to report

### RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 **DANNEVIRKE DAIRY SUPPLIES MAIDEN 1200**

**MADAM RAZIA** (L Douglas) - Slow to begin (10L). Connections were advised that the mare would be required to barrier trial to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to racing next.

**JHADIRA** (J Mudhoo) - Slow to begin. Had some difficulty obtaining clear running in the final straight.

**DON'T ASK** (L Allpress) - Slow to begin.

**ELUSIVE JOULE** (F Lazet) - Raced keenly when being restrained in the early stages.

**MY MAN'S BACK** (J Riddell) - Held up rounding the final bend.

**APOLLONIUS** (C Grylls) - Began awkwardly. Gave ground from near the 600 metres. When questioned regarding performance the rider could not offer any excuse and advised that the gelding had been disappointing. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormalities.

**Race 2** | **FARMLANDS PAHIATUA 1200**

The start of this race was delayed after LEON ROUGE (J Mudhoo) required farrier attention.

**LEON ROUGE** (J Mudhoo) - Slow to begin.

**PLATINUM STAR** (A Mudhoo) - Slow to begin.

**BLUE VEIN** (S O'Malley) - Began awkwardly, losing ground.

**EREBUS** (K Hercock) - Steadied when placed in restricted room passing the 1000 metres. Made the bend awkwardly near the 800 metres, shifting outwards. Held up rounding the final bend.

**LITTLEREDCORVETTE** (L Douglas) - Steadied when placed in restricted room approaching the 800 metres to the inside of BIKINDY (F Lazet), which shifted inwards. F Lazet was advised to exercise care in similar circumstances.

**SUNLIT LANE** (L Allpress) - When questioned regarding performance the rider advised that the mare had failed to handle today's track conditions.

**Race 3** | **STEVE SMITH ENGINEERING MAIDEN 1200**

**SANGRITA** (K Hercock) - Began awkwardly, losing ground. Held up rounding the final bend.

**MISS EMERALD** (M Hudson) - Began awkwardly.

**SEQUOIA STAR** (D Turner) - Restrained in the early stages.

**BOASTING** (T Taiaroa) - Raced ungenerously in the early stages when being restrained.

**STOLEN SPIRIT** (A Mudhoo) - Shifted out and away from ZA SPIRIT passing the 150 metres, then was contacted by ZA SPIRIT, which shifted out slightly passing the 100 metres, having to be steadied when placed in restricted inside of BOASTING, which had shifted in slightly.

**ZA SPIRIT** (L Douglas) - Lay out when placed under pressure in the final straight.

**L Douglas** (ZA SPIRIT) - Issued with a warning after permitting his mount to shift outwards passing the 100 metres making contact with STOLEN SPIRIT, which was placed in restricted room. Contributing to the incident was slight inward movement from BOASTING.

Following the running of the race connections of the 4<sup>th</sup> placed STOLEN SPIRIT viewed video footage, alleging interference by the 3<sup>rd</sup> placed ZA SPIRIT, before electing not to proceed with a protest.

**Race 4** | **TARARUA ALLIANCE HANDICAP 1400**

**SHOWSHANELLE** (C Grylls) - Permission was granted for C Grylls to replace H Schofer (overweight) as there was no other suitable claiming apprentice available. Slow to begin. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that in his opinion the mare may have failed to back up after racing on Sunday, 7 August at Hawera.

**TUI ROCKS** (L Sutherland) - Lay out under pressure over the concluding stages.

**HOLD MY BEER** (M Hudson) - Commenced to weaken from near the 700 metres. When questioned regarding performance the rider could offer no excuse.

**Race 5** | **POUATU MANUKA HONEY MAIDEN 1400**

**IKENWIN** (L Douglas) - Slow to begin.

**MASTER BREWER** (J Riddell) – Slow to begin. Held up rounding the final bend.

**DRAW CARD** (D Turner) - Crowded shortly after the start, having to be steadied.

**RIDE THE TIDE** (D Bradley) - Commenced to over-race passing the 1200 metres and continued to do so through the middle stages. Lay in when placed under pressure in the final straight.

**FABIAN HAWK** (S O'Malley) - Placed in restricted room for a distance approaching the 700 metres. Held up rounding the final bend.

**CEE AR EL** (J Mudhoo) – Unable to obtain clear running for the majority of the final straight, before improving on to heels prior to the winning post, having to be steadied.

**IRONWOOD** (H Schofer) - Had to be steadied after being contacted by RIDE THE TIDE, which shifted inwards passing the 100 metres. Contributing was outward movement from SHE'S MISS GEVIOUS (M Hudson). M Hudson and D Bradley were advised to exercise care. Hampered just prior to the winning post by RIDE THE TIDE, which shifted inwards when struck with the whip.

**D Bradley** (RIDE THE TIDE) - Issued with a warning after permitting his mount to shift inwards just prior to the winning post, hampering IRONWOOD.

Following the running of this race connections of the 3<sup>rd</sup> placed IRONWOOD viewed video footage, alleging interference by the 2<sup>nd</sup> placed RIDE THE TIDE, before electing not to proceed with a protest.

**Race 6** | **PROPERTY BROKERS 1400**

**WAY ABOVE** (S O'Malley) - Slow to begin.

**BELLISSIMO** (M Sanson) - Began awkwardly, losing ground.

**MANOLO** (T Taiaroa) - Slow to begin.

**SURPRIZE ME** (F Lazet) - Crowded shortly after the start having to be steadied.

**MORMAIRE** (L Allpress) - When questioned regarding performance the rider advised that the mare had failed to handle today's track conditions.

**INVISIBLE SPIRIT** (D Turner) - When questioned regarding performance rider was of the opinion that the gelding would be better suited to wearing blinkers as opposed to side winkers. He was also of the opinion **INVISIBLE SPIRIT** had not handled today's track conditions.

**Race 7** | **AWE MCNICOL TRANSPORT MAIDEN 1600**

**UMUTAH LAD** (L Sutherland) - Began awkwardly, losing ground.

**NUN SO BAD** (F Lazet) - Slow to begin. Had to shift outwards passing the 200 metres to obtain clear running.

**INDIE'S JOY** (M Sanson) - Slow to begin.

**GRAND PROSPECT** (A Mudhoo) - Had to be steadied after improving on to heels passing the 400 metres.

**MAGGIESCLAN** (J Mudhoo) - Had difficulty obtaining clear running rounding the bend before shifting outwards passing the 300 metres to improve.

**BLACKCOMB** (J Riddell) – Lay in over the concluding stages.

**Race 8** | **BROKERWEB RISK SERVICES 2200**

**ODYSSEUS** (V Jalalkuncha) - Pulled up passing the 1750 metres after the saddle slipped forward shortly after the start.

**DR HANK** (E Nicholas) - Slow to begin then hampered shortly after. Raced keenly in the early stages. Briefly raced in restricted room passing the 400 metres. Rider dropped her whip passing the 100 metres.

**ALMERAKE** (J Mudhoo) - Slow to begin.

**HALLELUJAH BROTHER** (D Turner) - Jumped the crossing near the 1800 metres then lay out making the bend, running wider, hampering **SPEED CALL** and **TWEEDLEDEE**, which was forced wider.

**SPEED CALL** (K Hercock) - Hampered and forced wider rounding first bend. Knuckled passing the 1500 metres when in restricted room. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the gelding had failed to handle today's track conditions.

**TWEEDLEDEE** (C Dell) - Forced wider rounding first bend.

**Race 9** | **TARARUA HELIWORK/WOODVILLE SERVICE CENTRE 2200**

**SMART ATTIRE** (A Mudhoo) - Slow to begin.

**SAILOR JACK** (L Allpress) - Slow to begin.

**PRECIOUS NIAMH** (J Riddell) - Was not persevered with over the final stages. The rider reported that the mare had felt indifferent in its action. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormalities.

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