



## STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

### MEETING DETAILS

**Club:** Wellington Racing Club  
**Date:** Sunday, 23 October 2022  
**Weather:** Fine  
**Track:** Soft 5, Upgraded to Good 4 retrospective to Race 1  
**Rail:** True  
**Stewards:** N Goodwin (Chair), J Oatham, M Hepburn  
**Vet:** R Lenaghan MVB  
**Typist:** S Shirriffs

### SUMMARY

**Suspensions:** Nil  
**Fines:** Race 5 **M Singh** WHATSUP  
Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$250  
6 **M McNab** MAUNA LOA  
Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$300  
**Warnings:** Race 4 **D Haworth** ELITE  
Presenting runner with unnotified gear [Rule 616(2)]  
5 **V Jalalkuncha** MONKEY TOWN  
Whip use on a runner out of contention [Rule 638(3)(f)(iii)]  
7 **M Hashizume** ST NANCY  
Shifting ground 800 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]  
7 **L Kauri** (TOMS)  
Whip use prior to 100 metres [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)]  
**Protests:** Nil  
**Request for Ruling:** Nil  
**Horse Actions:** Race 4 **MY MAN'S BACK**  
Bled. 3 month stand down from racing or trialling, 2 month stand down from exercise. Veterinary certificate required.  
**Follow Up:** Nil  
**Rider Changes:** Nil  
**Late Scratchings:** Race 5 **BARZETTI**  
8.55am Veterinary advice  
**Medical Certificates:** Received covering K Hercock – cleared by NZTR Doctor  
Received covering L Kauri  
**Swabbing:** IMPENDABELLE, COOGEE KATE, IS THAT SO, PEEFORE, LAVITA VISHVI, MAUNA LOA, TOWN  
CRYER, HE'S A DOOZY, MARKUS AURELIUS, MARY LOUISE.

### GENERAL

Nothing to report

### RACE COMMENTS

**Race 1** | **TUI – BACKING A WINNER SINCE 1889 2YO MAIDEN 900**

**LANGMORE** (L Allpress) - Hampered at the start when IMPENDABELLE jumped outwards.

**IMPENDABELLE** (M McNab) - Jumped away awkwardly shifting outwards abruptly.

**SWEET ENVY** (S O'Malley) - Had to be steadied when on heels crossing the junction near the 500 metres.

Track upgraded to Good 4 retrospective to Race 1.

**Race 2** | **LIFE DIRECT WELLINGTON GUINEAS PRELUDE 1200**

**RUBY SEEKER** (C Dell) - Lay outwards crossing the junction onto the course proper near the 500 metres, running wide, forcing SHEEZ DOMINANT over extra ground with CHEVEUX also being inconvenienced.

**SHEEZ DOMINANT** (M Singh) - Hampered, being forced over extra ground rounding the bend near the 500 metres.

**CHEVEUX** (K Asano) - Inconvenienced rounding the bend near the 500 metres. Finished well back. When questioned into the run of CHEVEUX, K Asano was of the opinion the filly had failed to back up from its previous run.

**M Singh** (SHEEZ DOMINANT) - Spoken to regarding his whip use in the home straight.

**Race 3** | **RYDGES WELLINGTON "REOPENING SOON" 1200**

**HOLD THE PRESS** (L Allpress) - Jumped away awkwardly after being fractious in the barriers. When questioned into the disappointing run of HOLD THE PRESS, L Allpress considered the mare to be indifferent in its action. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

**VISHAKHA** (A Mudhoo) - Slow away.

**SERGIO** (C Dell) - Lay outwards rounding the final turn. Lost the inside cheek burr during the running.

**Race 4** | **HYDRO-CELL PUMPS LTD MAIDEN 1200**

**KAPONGA** (T Allan) - Anticipated the start, charging the front gate of its barrier stall, beginning very awkwardly as a result, losing several lengths.

**CALL ME LOLLY** (C Dell) - Hampered leaving the barriers when CHERTSY jumped outwards.

**FLERTA** (J Mudhoo) - Hampered leaving the barriers.

**CHANCE** (D Turner) - Raced four wide without cover.

**CHECKPOINT CHARLIE** (K Herccock) - Raced three wide without cover. Finished some distance back. K Herccock advised the gelding is better suited to a more rain-affected track.

**PEPEHA** (S O'Malley) - Made contact with PEEFORE near the 450 metres.

**PEEFORE** (C Grylls) - Contacted 450 metres.

**MY MAN'S BACK** (A Goindasamy) - Eased down from the 400 metres, being retired from the race near the 200 metres with the rider immediately dismounting. MY MAN'S BACK was immediately attended to by the Veterinarian, and removed from the track in the Horse Ambulance. MY MAN'S BACK was confirmed to have bled, undergoing further veterinary attention. MY MAN'S BACK shall not be ridden in exercise for a period of two months or start in any Race or Trial for a period of three months, and then only after a satisfactory gallop of at least 1000 metres in the presence of a Veterinarian.

**D Haworth** (ELITE) - Issued with a warning after presenting his runner ELITE with pre-race ear covers, which had not been notified.

<b>Race 5</b>	<b>HIREMASTER 2100</b>
<p><b>SAILOR JACK</b> (M Hudson) - Slow away.</p> <p><b>BERRY THE CASH</b> (D Turner) - Restrained to gain cover after jumping from the outside barrier.</p> <p><b>MONKEY TOWN</b> (V Jalalkuncha) - Restrained to gain cover after jumping from an outside barrier.</p> <p><b>PINKERTON</b> (C Dell) - Raced three wide without cover.</p> <p><b>FREE SPIRIT</b> (T Taiaroa) - Raced wide throughout.</p> <p><b>LAVITA VISHVI</b> (L Allpress) - Held up early in the straight.</p> <p><b>ESCALADE</b> (L Sutherland) - Held up over the final 100 metres, having to be steadied to avoid heels over the concluding stages.</p> <p><b>JAY BEE GEE</b> (C Grylls) - When questioned regarding performance rider advised the gelding had not been suited to today's improved track conditions.</p> <p><b>M Singh</b> (WHATSUP) - Admitted a charge in that he struck his mount WHATSUP 6 times prior to the 100 metre mark. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a fine of \$250.</p> <p><b>V Jalalkuncha</b> (MONKEY TOWN) - Issued with a warning for the use of his whip on a runner out of contention.</p>	
<b>Race 6</b>	<b>GRAHAM'S PAINTERS 2200</b>
<p><b>ESTABLISHMENT</b> (J Mudhoo) - Jumped away very awkwardly, almost dislodging the rider who lost the use of his right stirrup iron for a distance with the saddle then shifting, proving a difficult ride before being retired from the race near the 1000 metres.</p> <p><b>QUOTA</b> (L Allpress) - Held up entering the final straight, making contact with BATTLE SECRET when attempting to gain clear running passing the 400 metres.</p> <p><b>BATTLE SECRET</b> (C Grylls) - Contacted 400 metres.</p> <p><b>MONDORANI</b> (T Davies) - Briefly steadied near the 350 metres when BEAUDZ WELL (S O'Malley) shifted outwards. S O'Malley was advised to exercise greater care.</p> <p><b>ALJAY</b> (L Sutherland) - Raced wide without cover throughout.</p> <p><b>M McNab</b> (MAUNA LOA) - Admitted a charge in that he struck his mount MAUNA LOA 6 times prior to the 100 metre mark. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a fine of \$300.</p>	
<b>Race 7</b>	<b>STEPHANIE MURRAY MORTGAGES 1400</b>
<p><b>ST NANCY</b> (M Hashizume) - Steadied to gain cover after jumping from the outside barrier.</p> <p><b>FLYING SURF</b> (F Lazet) - Steadied to gain cover after jumping from an outside barrier. Hampered 800 metres.</p> <p><b>PUKE PARK</b> (M McNab) - Jumped away awkwardly. Raced three wide without cover.</p> <p><b>KELLY COE</b> (M Hudson) - Had to be firmly restrained off heels near the 900 metres continuing to over-race through the middle stages.</p>	

**SUBTLE POINT** (S O'Malley) - Steadied when placed in restricted room to the inside of ST NANCY (M Hashizume) passing the 800 metres, going back on to FLYING SURF, which was hampered.

**SACRED PEARL** (C Dell) - Had to be steadied passing the 100 metres when CHIKIRA LASS (L Sutherland) shifted outwards when not fully clear. L Sutherland was advised to exercise greater care

**LLANACORD** (D Turner) - When questioned regarding performance rider was unable to offer any excuse.

**M Hashizume** (ST NANCY) - Issued with a warning after permitting ST NANCY to shift inwards when not fully clear of SUBTLE POINT passing the 800 metres.

**L Kauri** (TOMS) - Issued with a warning after he struck his mount TOMS 6 times prior to the 100 metre mark.

**Race 8**

**GEE HICKTON FUNERAL DIRECTOR THOMPSON HANDICAP (G3) 1600**

**HE'S A DOOZY** (K Asano) - Clipped a heel near the 400 metres then being held up for clear running until passing the 300 metres..

**SECRET AMOUR** (C Grylls) - Slow away.

**SHERWOOD FOREST** (S O'Malley) - Restrained to the rear after jumping from the outside barrier. Dictated wider near the 700 metres.

**DEERFIELD** (S McKay) - Jumped away awkwardly hampering ZOLA EXPRESS.

**ZOLA EXPRESS** (C Dell) - Hampered leaving the barriers then steadied to obtain cover. Had some difficulty obtaining clear running in the final straight.

**SIDE BAR** (M Singh) - Hung outwards rounding the home turn and had to be shifted out to avoid the heels of KICK ON, which was checked near the 700 metres. In doing so CHASE and SHERWOOD FOREST were dictated wider on the track.

**KICK ON** (L Sutherland) - Checked near the 700 metres when placed in restricted room between FIELD OF GOLD (A Goindasamy) and CROSS ROADS (M Hudson). After questioning riders involved and viewing film footage, which was somewhat inconclusive, it appeared FIELD OF GOLD lay outwards at that point in the race, making the turn awkwardly after getting close to the heels of runners ahead.

**CHASE** (K Hercock) - Dictated wider near the 700 metres.

**AMUSEZ MOI** (L Allpress) - When questioned regarding performance L Allpress could offer no excuse.

**Race 9**

**NEW ZEALAND CAMPUS OF INNOVATION AND SPORT 1400**

**APACHE ANNE** (C Dell) - Raced three wide without cover.

**NEWSTALK** (D Turner) - Raced wide throughout. Checked passing the 400 metres when disappointed for a run to the inside of BALALAIKA (S O'Malley), which shifted inwards away from TUTIN CANS (L Allpress) after being brushed by that runner, which had shifted inwards slightly. L Allpress was advised to exercise care. When being checked NEWSTALK shifted inwards across the heels of MARY LOUISE, which was shifting outwards at the point, and in doing so NEWSTALK hampered REIGN IT IN.

**REIGN IT IN** (K Asano) - Held up entering the final straight near the 400 metres, then being further hampered shortly after by NEWSTALK.

**BALALAIKA** (S O'Malley) - Shifted inwards after being contacted near the 400 metres.

**MARY LOUISE** (C Grylls) - Briefly held up early in the straight.

**PERFECTSISTER** (A Goindasamy) - Held up rounding the final turn and was unable to obtain clear running until inside the final 100 metres.

**ARJAYBEE** (M Hashizume) - Held up near the 250 metres having to be steadied.

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