



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Manawatu Racing Club @ Trentham
Date: Saturday, 17 December 2022
Weather: Showery
Track: Soft 6, Downgraded to Soft 7 following Race 2, Heavy 8 following Race 6
Rail: True
Stewards: J Oatham (Chair), N Goodwin, V Algar, K Coppins
Vet: E Simpson BVSc
Typist: S Shirriffs

SUMMARY

Suspensions:	Race	1	J Doyle PIGNAN Whip use consecutive strides [Rule 638(3)(g)(ii)] Suspended 18-26/12, 5 days
		8	C Zackey SOPRANO SUPREME Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] Suspended 27/12-3/1, 7 days and fined as below
		9	C Zackey APOSTROPHE Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] Suspended 4-12/1, 7 days
Fines:	Race	1	J Doyle PIGNAN Whip use forward of shoulder [Rule 638(3)(f)(i)] \$500
		6	M Singh FLOWER OF WANAKA Whip use above shoulder height [Rule 638(3)(f)(ii)] \$250
		8	C Zackey SOPRANO SUPREME Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$225
Warnings:	Nil		
Protests:	Nil		
Request for Ruling:	Nil		
Horse Actions:	Race	2	LA BELLA NERA Required to trial
		6	DREAM MACHINE Required to trial
		8	CHARMS STAR Warning, barrier manners
Follow Up:	Nil		
Rider Changes:	Race	6	DIVINE SPIRIT K Hercock replaced T Taiaroa (injured)
		8	TOMS J Mudhoo replaced T Taiaroa
		9	FAMILY TIME J Riddell replaced T Taiaroa
Late Scratchings:	Race	4	ZAPPA JAK 1.26pm Track downgrade
		6	MAKKALDEE 1.18pm Track downgrade
		6	BEAN A PLEASURE 1.25pm Track downgrade

	6	DREAM MACHINE 3.18pm Refusing to leave the enclosure
	8	PEP TORQUE 3.08pm Track downgrade
	8	AQUATTACK 4.26pm By Stewards
	9	ORLOV 3.08pm Track downgrade
	9	APACHE ANN 4.20pm Track downgrade
Medical Certificates:	Required from T Taiaroa	
Swabbing:	PIGNAN, PURRFECT PUSS, THE STONEY ONE, ROYAL FLOWER, DENNISMAC, DARCI LA BELLA, COVENTINA BAY, SAGUNTO, SUBTLE POINT, APOSTROPHE.	

GENERAL
Nothing to report

RACE COMMENTS	
Race 1	KERNOW CONSTRUCTION 2YO 1100
<p>LOVE TANIA (K Asano) - Lost its footing at the start when jumping away awkwardly, losing ground.</p> <p>PIGNAN (J Doyle) - Slow to begin.</p> <p>MCKENZIE (C Zackey) - Began awkwardly shifting outwards abruptly, making contact with STICKTO THE ORDERS. Raced greenly when negotiating the junction onto the course proper. Rider C Zackey reported that the colt had raced greenly throughout.</p> <p>STICK TO THE ORDERS (C Grylls) - Contacted then hampered at the start and was forced wider on the track.</p> <p>J Doyle (PIGNAN) - Defended charges of using the whip in 6 consecutive strides shortly after leaving the barriers along with using the whip forward of the horse's shoulder. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee found both charges to be proven, imposing a suspension of J Doyle's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing today, 17 December up to and including racing on Monday, 26 December, 5 national riding days along with a fine of \$500.</p>	
Race 2	THE PAVEMASTERS 1200
<p>RUDYARD (C Zackey) - Contacted at the start.</p> <p>TIMES UP (C Grylls) - Began awkwardly, making contact with RUDYARD.</p> <p>LA BELLA NERA (J Kamaruddin) - Commenced to buck shortly after the start before settling into stride and maintaining contact with the field. Raced wide without cover throughout. Connections were advised that LA BELLA NERA must trial to satisfaction of Stipendiary Stewards prior to racing next.</p> <p>PAPA SURF (F Lazet) - Raced keenly through the early and middle stages. Lay inwards under pressure near the 200 metres crowding DIAGON ALLEY, which was improving into a tight run. PAPA SURF was then unbalanced when DIAGON ALLEY made contact with its hind quarters.</p>	

DIAGON ALLEY (L Allpress) - Crowded when improving into a tight run near the 200 metres. Briefly inconvenienced approaching the 100 metres when PURRFECT PUSS lay inwards under pressure. Prior to the authorisation of dividends connections of DIAGON ALLEY viewed Stewards films before electing not to proceed with a protest.

Track downgraded to Soft 7 following Race 2.

Race 3 | **WAKA PROPERTY BUILDING & RENOVATIONS 1200**

PLATINUM ASSAULT (C Zackey) - Shifted outwards shortly after the start having to be corrected by its rider, and as a result CATSACHARMER was crowded.

CATSACHARMER (J Mudhoo) - Crowded shortly after the start, losing ground.

MORE THAN WORDS (J Doyle) - Began awkwardly with runners to its outside becoming crowded.

TASTY COUNTESS (K Asano) - Crowded shortly after the start, losing ground.

VESMART (K Hercock) - Crowded shortly after the start then becoming awkwardly placed on heels having to be steadied, losing ground.

FLY TO THE SKY (M Singh) - Inconvenienced and forced wider near the 300 metres when PERFECT SISTER lay outwards away from GLIDE QUEEN.

Race 4 | **HEDLEY ELECTRICAL 2200**

NOD (T Taiaroa) - Blundered leaving the barriers, dislodging its rider. Apprentice T Taiaroa was immediately attended to by ambulance personnel and as she was unable to immediately be moved the race was abandoned by the Stewards with the race abandonment process activated. T Taiaroa was transferred to Hutt Hospital with a suspected fractured right ankle. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed a minor laceration to the right fore distal limb, heel and pastern.

Race 5 | **INTOWIN.CO.NZ 1200**

VISHAKHA (J Doyle) - Slow away.

SHEZZACATCH (S O'Malley) - Restrained to obtain cover in the early stages after jumping from the outside barrier.

AMOSIA (C Zackey) - Made the crossing awkwardly and shifted outwards bumping MEGLIO DI FALCREST with the following runners all forced outwards over extra ground: ROCKET SCIENCE, IFNDOUBTGETOUT, HYDROEXPRESS. Rider reported that the mare had gone off stride passing the 600 metres and had then felt indifferent in its action. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a minor laceration to the outside right hind consistent with having been galloped on.

MEGLIO DI FALCREST (F Lazet) - Bumped near the 500 metres.

ROCKET SCIENCE (L Allpress) - Raced three wide without cover disputing the pace. Forced over extra ground crossing the junction onto the course proper near the 500 metres. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that after being challenged for the lead through the middle stages, the gelding had been unable to finish the race off as a consequence.

IFNDOUBTGETOUT (J Mudhoo) - Forced over extra ground near the 500 metres. Rider dropped whip near the 250 metres.

HYDROEXPRESS (J Kamaruddin) - Forced over extra ground near the 500 metres.

Race 6	NZB KARAKA 2023 TRAINERS SERIES 1600
<p>DREAM MACHINE (L Douglas) - Declared a late scratching at 3.18pm after refusing to leave the enclosure. Trainer J Millar was advised that the mare is now required to trial to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to racing next.</p> <p>MAZZINI (S O'Malley) - Slow away.</p> <p>CARIGNAN (K Asano) - Jumped away awkwardly.</p> <p>WHAEA MERI (C Grylls) - Contacted shortly after leaving the barriers.</p> <p>DIVINE SPIRIT (K Hercock) - Hampered when contacted leaving the barriers, losing ground. Raced ungenerously when being restrained in the middle stages.</p> <p>DENNISMAC (F Lazet) - Raced wide without cover. When questioned Trainer A Meadows attributed the improved performance to a step up in distance along with the gelding failing to handle the track conditions at its previous start.</p> <p>M Singh (FLOWER OF WANAKA) - Admitted a charge in that he used his whip with an action which raised the Rider's arm above shoulder height. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a fine of \$250.</p> <p>Track further downgraded to Heavy 8 following Race 6.</p>	
Race 7	BRAMCO GRANITE/MARBLE MANAWATU CHALLENGE STAKES (G2) 1400
<p>OSELETA (C Zackey) - Began awkwardly, losing ground. Held up near the 300 metres having to angle outwards across heels to obtain clear running.</p> <p>COVENTINA BAY (C Grylls) - Slow to begin.</p> <p>CAVALLO VELOCE (S McKay) - Became awkwardly placed on heels, having to be steadied shortly after the start.</p> <p>COLORADO STAR (L Hemi) - Inclined to get its head up when being restrained off heels in the middle stages. Contacted near the 400 metres.</p> <p>DARCI LA BELLA (J Riddell) - Held up rounding the final turn and early in the straight, making contact with COLORADO STAR when attempting to obtain clear running near the 400 metres. Continued to have difficulty obtaining clear running until near the 250 metres.</p> <p>BELCLARE (M McNab) - When questioned regarding performance rider M McNab advised he was satisfied with the mare's performance but had struggled over the concluding stages in today's track conditions.</p>	
Race 8	HUMPHRIES CONSTRUCTION MANAWATU CUP (G3) 2300
<p>AQUATTACK (F Lazet) – Declared a late scratching at 4.26pm after dislodging rider F Lazet in the preliminary, galloping some distance and taking considerable time to be recaptured. As a result, the race ran approximately 7 minutes late. F Lazet was examined by ambulance personnel and found to be uninjured.</p> <p>CHARMS STAR (M McNab) - Slow to begin, losing considerable ground. Trainer L Latta was advised a warning would be placed against the mare's barrier manners. Rider M McNab was questioned regarding his lack of vigour in the early stages, advising that his instructions had been not to "dig" the mare early as she can have a tendency to over-race with his explanation being noted.</p> <p>PLATINUM INVADOR (J Riddell) - Jumped away awkwardly.</p>	

LA FLORA BELLE (J Kamaruddin) - When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the mare had failed to handle today's track conditions. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any abnormality.

TOMS (J Mudhoo) - Steadied just short of the finish when PLATINUM INVADOR shifted outwards under pressure over the concluding stages. J Riddell was advised was advised to exercise greater care.

C Zackey (SOPRANO SUPREME) - Admitted a charge in that he struck his mount SOPRANO SUPREME 8 times prior to the 100 metre mark. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of his licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Monday, 26 December, until the conclusion of racing on Tuesday, 3 January 2023, 7 national riding days and in addition imposed a fine of \$225.

Race 9

RICH HILL STALLIONS 1600

BELLACONTTE (S O'Malley) - Slow away.

APOSTROPHE (C Zackey) - Jumped away awkwardly.

FAMILY TIME (J Riddell) - Slow away. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the mare had been unable to quicken in today's track conditions.

TAMAHINE (F Lazet) - Over-raced in the early stages, then had to be firmly restrained to avoid the heels of SACRED PEARL, which shifted in near the 1200 metres when not fully clear.

LADIES MAN (L Douglas) - Held up when disappointed for a run passing the 400 metres.

J Doyle (SACRED PEARK) - Issued with a warning after permitting his mount to shift inwards when not fully clear of TAMAHINE.

C Zackey (APOSTROPHE) - Admitted a charge in that he struck his mount APOSTROPHE 6 times prior to the 100 metre mark. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of his licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Tuesday, 3 January 2023 until the conclusion of racing on Thursday, 12 January, 7 national riding days. Given the poor record under this rule of C Zackey since commencing riding in New Zealand he has been directed to meet with a NZTR appointed Rider Skills Review Panel under the provisions of Rule 343.

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