



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Wanganui Jockey Club
Date: Thursday, 23 February 2023
Weather: Overcast
Track: Soft 6
Rail: Out 4 metres
Stewards: K Coppins (Chair), N Goodwin, M Hepburn
Vet: JR O'Brien BVSc
Typist: S Shirriffs

SUMMARY

Suspensions: Race 5 **J Kamaruddin MCLAREN**
Careless riding concluding stages [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 5-12/3, 5 days

Fines: Nil

Warnings: Race 1 **L Hemi GET FUNKY**
Shifting ground 1000 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]

Protests: Race 5 **CHARLOTTE'S WAY 3rd vs MCLAREN 2nd**
Upheld

Request for Ruling: Nil

Horse Actions: Race 2 **NINJA TURTLE**
Required to trial
4 **BELLE'S ECHO**
Veterinary clearance required
5 **BLUE RATA BOLDNESS**
Required to trial

Follow Up: Nil

Rider Changes: Nil

Late Scratchings: Race 2 **NINJA TURTLE**
1.06pm - veterinary advice
4 **BELLE'S ECHO**
12.45pm - veterinary advice
7 **CHAMPAGNE SUNDAY**
3.50pm - veterinary advice

Medical Certificates:

Swabbing: CHANTILLY LACE, DIGNITOSA, DREAM MACHINE, ROCA FUNDEEDA, BANANARAHMA, KRONE, SUGAH SWEET, VIDIANO.

GENERAL

An inquiry under Rule 801(1)(k) was opened and adjourned to a later date into the non-appearance of Trainer T Bishop who failed to follow a directive of the Racecourse Investigator.

SUPPLEMENTARY

Nothing to report

RACE COMMENTS	
Race 1	PALAMOUNTAINS ANIMAL NUTRITION 2YO 1200 metres
<p>CHANTILLY LACE (K Hannan) - Fractious in the barriers. Hampered shortly after the start when GET FUNKY (L Hemi) shifted inwards approaching the 1000 metres.</p> <p>NO RAIN EVER (R Elliot) - Slow away.</p> <p>TALISKER (M McNab) - Performed below market expectations. When questioned rider had no excuse however he was of the opinion the gelding may have been feeling the effects of recent racing.</p> <p>L Hemi (GET FUNKY) - Issued with a warning after permitting GET FUNKY to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear of CHANTILLY LACE which was hampered near the 1000 metres.</p>	
Race 2	WHANGANUI CHRONICLE MAIDEN 1200 metres
<p>NINJA TURTLE (T Taiaroa) - Fractious in the barriers. Late scratching at 1.06pm on veterinary advice after suffering a cut to the eye. Connections were advised NINJA TURTLE must trial to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to racing next.</p> <p>RUN RABBIT RUN (K Hannan) - Over-raced passing the 1000 metres having to be steadied.</p> <p>ZOOM (C Grylls) - Performed below market expectations. Rider advised the filly had pulled up in a normal post-race condition and he could offer no excuse.</p>	
Race 3	WANGANUI-TARANAKI RACEHORSE OWNERS ASSN 1200 metres
<p>VISHAKHA (C Barnes) - Began awkwardly losing ground.</p> <p>GURTLYN (J Kamaruddin) -Hampered at the start when runners either side shifted ground.</p> <p>SHOWBASTIAN COE (J Riddell) - Performed below market expectations. Rider advised the step up in grade and longer distance were contributing factors.</p> <p>TIMES UP (C Grylls) - Lost the off-hind plate during the running.</p> <p>DREAM MACHINE (L Allpress) - When questioned into the improved performance of DREAM MACHINE, Trainer J Millar advised the mare had been working well and she had expected a good run today.</p>	
Race 4	LIQUORLAND WANGANUI 1200 metres
<p>BELLE'S ECHO – Late scratching at 12.45pm on veterinary advice. Connections were advised BELLE'S ECHO required a veterinary clearance prior to racing next.</p> <p>MOCHATINI (K Hannan) - Began awkwardly hampering TANZANITE ROSE. When questioned rider was of the opinion the mare had not handled today's track conditions however would derive benefit from today's race.</p> <p>TANZANITE ROSE (C Butler) - Hampered at the start losing ground.</p> <p>MEHRTENS (A Mudhoo) - Lay in under pressure over the concluding stages.</p>	
Race 5	COMMDIVES NZ MAIDEN 1340 metres
<p>BLUE RATA BOLDNESS (S Weatherley) - Reared as the start was effected dislodging rider S Weatherley who was uninjured. Connections were advised that BLUE RATA BOLDNESS must trial to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to racing next.</p>	

LADDIE BOY (C Butler) - Began awkwardly. Raced ungenerously through the early and middle stages.

MCLAREN (J Kamaruddin) - Began awkwardly hampering LEICA SONG. Hampered near the 400 metres.

LEICA SONG (L Hemi) - Hampered at the start, bumping BANANARAHMA. Steadied near the 300 metres when there was simultaneous movement from BANANARAHMA and LADDIE BOY.

BANANARAHMA (C Grylls) - Bumped at the start.

SUPERCELL (K Hannan) - Slow away. Lay outwards over the concluding stages.

KAREHANA BAY (M Hudson) - Made the bend awkwardly, laying inwards for a short distance near the 400 metres hampering CHARLOTTE'S WAY and MCLAREN prior to being straightened.

CHARLOTTE'S WAY (L Allpress) - Hampered near the 400 metres. Bumped, becoming unbalanced near the finish.

TIVACI'S JOY (L Sutherland) – Made the final bend awkwardly.

Following the running of the race the rider of the third placed horse CHARLOTTE'S WAY, L Allpress, lodged a protest with the Adjudicator alleging interference in the final straight by the second placed horse MCLAREN. After considering submissions the Adjudicator upheld the protest and the amended placings are now 1st BANANARAHMA, 2nd CHARLOTTE'S WAY, 3rd MCLAREN.

J Kamaruddin (MCLAREN) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he permitted MCLAREN to shift outwards over the concluding stages, making contact with CHARLOTTE'S WAY and unbalancing that runner near the finish. After considering submissions the Adjudicator imposed a suspension of his licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Saturday, 4 March until the conclusion of racing on Sunday, 12 March, 5 national riding days.

Race 6	MAD BUTCHER WANGANUI MAIDEN 1600 metres
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THE BIG PICTURE (L Sutherland) - Over-raced in the early stages.

LUCIKHAN (A Mudhoo) - Raced ungenerously in the early and middle stages bumping FABIAN HAWK near the 1400 metres.. Lay inwards under pressure in the home straight.

TELLEMALIE (R Elliot) - Over-raced in the early stages. Lost the off-hind plate during the running.

KAZADEROSE (J Kamaruddin) - Raced ungenerously in the early and middle stages.

GOOD WORK MEN (M Hudson) – Awkwardly placed on heels nearing the 400 metres having to be steadied.

FABIAN HAWK (L Allpress) – Bumped near the 1400 metres. Lay inwards under pressure over the concluding stages. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination and found to have a laceration consistent with being galloped on.

Race 7	FLOYD AND TOY REAL ESTATE 1600 metres
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CHAMPAGNE SUNDAY (L Sutherland) - Late scratching on veterinary advice at approximately 3.50pm after bolting during the preliminary.

BRUNO MAGILE (T Taiaroa) – Slow away.

TUTIN CANS (C Grylls) – Slow away. Made the first bend awkwardly, having to be steadied. Lay inwards under pressure over the concluding stages.

BOSTON STRONG BOY (T Newman) - Made the final bend awkwardly. Lay outwards under pressure in the home straight.

Race 8

WANGANUI INSURANCE BROKERS HANDICAP 2040 metres

TRUSTWORTHY (L Hemi) - Restrained to the rear from its wide draw. Had to angle across heels entering the home straight to gain clear racing room.

ROAD DIVA (A Mudhoo) – Restrained to the rear from its wide draw.

SHARE POWER (C Barnes) - Began awkwardly hampering AQUILO. Over-raced in the middle stages having to be steadied on several occasions.

AQUILO (J Kamaruddin) - Hampered at the start losing ground.

SON OF THUNDER (J Riddell) - Raced wide throughout.

DEVOTED (C Grylls) - Lay outwards under pressure over the concluding stages.

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