



# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

## MEETING DETAILS

**Club:** Waikato Racing Club  
**Date:** Saturday, 4 March 2023  
**Weather:** Fine  
**Track:** Good 4  
**Rail:** Out 2 metres  
**Stewards:** J Oatham (Chair), B Jones, G Stewart, W Robinson, L Selvakumaran (remote)  
**Vet:** R McQuillan MVB, S Christopher BVSc  
**Typist:** K Verner

## SUMMARY

<b>Suspensions:</b>	Race	2	<b>T Mitchell</b> WESTWOOD Careless riding 50 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 12-18/3, 4 days
		4	<b>J Bayliss</b> TEVERE Whip use in consecutive strides [Rule 638(3)(g)(ii)] Suspended 12-20/3, 5 days and fined as below
		8	<b>W Kennedy</b> MARK TWAIN Careless riding 400 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 12-24/3, 7 days and fined as below
		9	<b>N Parmar</b> BAD 'N' BOUJ Excessive use of the whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] Suspended 9-10/3, 2 days and fined as below
<b>Fines:</b>	Race	1	<b>N Parmar</b> LEICALOT Excessive use of the whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$300
		1	<b>B Rogerson</b> TE POROPITI Excessive use of the whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$250
		4	<b>J Bayliss</b> TEVERE Whip use in consecutive strides [Rule 638(3)(g)(ii)] \$500
		7	<b>J Laking</b> ELEGANT LADY Failed to make weight [Rule 330(3)(c)] \$300
		6	<b>N Parmar</b> NO LOITERING Excessive use of the whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$500
		8	<b>A Adkins</b> JAFFIRA Excessive use of the whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$350
		8	<b>W Kennedy</b> MARK TWAIN Careless riding 400 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] \$500
		9	<b>N Parmar</b> BAD 'N' BOUJ Excessive use of the whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] \$800
<b>Warnings:</b>	Race	9	<b>N Parmar</b> BAD 'N' BOUJ Whip use in consecutive strides [Rule 638(3)(g)(ii)]
<b>Protests:</b>	Nil		
<b>Request for Ruling:</b>	Nil		
<b>Horse Actions:</b>	Race	2	<b>MARCHAND</b> Cardiac arrhythmia
		3	<b>OSELETA</b> Required to barrier trial prior to racing next
<b>Follow Up:</b>	Nil		

<b>Rider Changes:</b>	Race 7	<b>ELEGANT LADY</b> J Doyle replaced J Laking (overweight)
<b>Late Scratchings:</b>	Race 3	<b>BONNY LASS</b> At 1.53 pm on veterinary advice, at the barrier
<b>Medical Certificates:</b>	Nil	
<b>Swabbing:</b>	LEICALOT, FASHION SHOOT, BABYLON BERLIN, PACKING ROCKSTAR, TEVERE, THE INTIMIDATOR, MASTER BRUTUS, LADIES MAN, SAKURA GIRL, SEDAKA, SHARP 'N' SMART, ANDALUS, FULL OF SINCERITY, BAD 'N' BOUJ, BUTTERFIELD. Pre-race blood testing was carried out at todays meeting.	

<b>GENERAL</b>
Nothing to report

<b>SUPPLEMENTARY</b>
Nothing to report

<b>RACE COMMENTS</b>	
<b>Race 1</b>	<b>EQUIPOTENTIAL THANKS RACEGOERS 2100</b>
<p><b>SHOCKALLIA</b> (J Bayliss) - Slow to begin. Held up near the 300 metres and did not obtain clear running until shifting outwards across heels near the 150 metres.</p> <p><b>ROCCIA</b> (V Colgan) - Slow to begin. Had to be steadied off heels near the 1150 metres.</p> <p><b>SAVACAT</b> (C Lammas) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.</p> <p><b>CANHEROC</b> (O Bosson) - Was inclined to lay inwards under pressure in the straight.</p> <p><b>WHEAO</b> (J Doyle) - When questioned regarding performance rider was unable to offer any excuse advising that he had been very disappointed with the gelding's effort. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.</p> <p><b>REVERBERATIONS</b> (R Elliot) - Lost the left front plate during the running. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which found the gelding to have a minor abrasion to the right hind fetlock.</p> <p><b>N Parmar</b> (LEICALOT) - Admitted a charge in that he struck his mount LEICALOT six times prior to the 100 metre mark being one more than permitted with the Adjudicative Committee imposing a fine of \$300.</p> <p><b>B Rogerson</b> (TE POROPITI) - Admitted a charge in that she struck her mount TE POROPITI six times prior to the 100 metre mark being one more than permitted with the Adjudicative Committee imposing a fine of \$250.</p>	
<b>Race 2</b>	<b>CIVIC GROUP 1300</b>
<p><b>MARCHAND</b> (W Kennedy) – Slow to begin. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the gelding had felt disinterested throughout. A post-race veterinary inspection found the gelding to have suffered from cardiac arrhythmia. Trainer L Noble was advised that MARCHAND will not be permitted to start in any race or trial until a veterinary certificate declaring the horse free of any cardiac arrhythmia following a gallop of at least 1000 metres.</p> <p><b>MILLEFIORI</b> (A Adkins) - Crowded at the start.</p>	

**MONTANA MIST** (M Hashizume) - Began awkwardly. Held up early in the straight and did not obtain clear running until near the 150 metres.

**GUNNAR** (N Parmar) - Contacted leaving the barriers.

**LINGJUN HERO** (C Lammas) - Over-raced in the early and middle stages.

**QUICK PREVIEW** (K Asano) - Raced wide without cover in the early and middle stages.

**WESTWOOD** (T Mitchell) - Lay outwards under pressure in the straight.

**HIGHLIGHTER** (J Doyle) - Hampered near the 50 metres when WESTWOOD shifted outwards.

**T Mitchell** (WESTWOOD) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that she permitted her mount WESTWOOD to shift outwards when not sufficiently clear of HIGHLIGHTER which was hampered near the 50 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of T Mitchell's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Saturday 11 March up to and including racing on Saturday 18 March, 4 national riding days.

<b>Race 3</b>	<b>HAUNUI FARM KINGS PLATE (1200 metres) (G3)</b>
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**BONNY LASS** (C Grylls) - Twisted a plate behind the barriers undergoing a veterinary inspection before being declared a late scratching on veterinary advice at 1.53 pm as the mare was lame in the right foreleg.

**OSELETA** (M McNab) - Very slow to begin losing considerable ground. Trainer S Marsh was advised that the mare must now barrier trial to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to racing next.

**OUR ALLEY CAT** (J Bayliss) – Lost the right front plate during the running.

<b>Race 4</b>	<b>ALPHA FIRST MORTGAGE INVESTMENTS 1500</b>
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**MARRONI** (C Grylls) - Began awkwardly.

**ZOULUMINOUS** (N Parmar) - Began awkwardly.

**BELLE EN ROUGE** (O Bosson) - Slow to begin.

**TEVERE** (J Bayliss) - Slow to begin. Contacted by MARRONI which shifted away from TAVATTACK near the 100 metres.

**TAVATTACK** (K Asano) – Got its head up when being steadied near the 1000 metres.

**ENCIERRO** (M McNab) - Raced three wide without cover.

**PAISLEY PARK** (W Pinn) - Raced wide throughout.

**ON THE ROCKS** (M Sanson) - Had to be firmly restrained when improving onto the heels of MERCURIAL when that runner was being steadied near the 1000 metres.

**GERMANICUS** (J Doyle) – Held up for a distance when attempting to improve to the inside of SERGIO near the 200 metres.

**SERGIO** (R Elliot) - When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the gelding had hung badly throughout.

**J Bayliss** (TEVERE) - Admitted a charge in that he struck his mount TEVERE in two consecutive strides on two occasions over the concluding stages. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of J Bayliss' licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Saturday 11 March up to and including racing on Monday 20 March, 5 national riding days and in addition imposed a fine of \$500.

**Race 5** | **VERTICAL LOGISTICS MUFHASA STAKES 1400 metres (Listed Race)**

**I CHOOSE YOU** (J Doyle) - Slow to begin. Over-raced in the middle stages having to be steadied off heels for a distance near the 800 metres.

**COGNITO** (A Adkins) - Crowded leaving the barriers. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that he had been forced to work early but was still disappointed with the gelding's effort. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

**ALFRISTON** (T Mitchell) - Slow to begin. Over-raced in the early and middle stages

**MAZZOLINO** (C Grylls) – Over-raced in the early stages.

**ACADEMY AWARD** (K Asano) - Over-raced in the early stages.

**MASTER BRUTUS** (J Bayliss) – Raced three wide without cover.

**MATTER OF HONOUR** (M McNab) - When questioned regarding performance rider advised that he had been instructed to ride the gelding more patiently with cover today but he felt following today's experience that it is better being ridden more to its usual pattern of going forward.

**Race 6** | **GO RACING NATHANS MEMORIAL (2200 metres)**

**ESS VEE ARE** (S Weatherley) - Began awkwardly.

**SAGUNTO** (S McKay) - Lost a front plate near the 1000 metres.

**JUSTAMAIZ** (T Mitchell) – Raced wide without cover until near the 1200 metres.

**FIERCE FLIGHT** (J Doyle) - Held up rounding the final turn and early in the straight not obtaining clear running until near the 150 metres.

**N Parmar** (NO LOITERING) - Admitted a charge in that he struck his mount NO LOITERING six times prior to the 100 metre mark being one more than permitted with the Adjudicative Committee imposing a fine of \$500.

**Race 7** | **MCKEE FAMILY SUNLINE VASE (2100 metres) (G3)**

**ELEGANT LADY** – J Laking was 0.5 kgs overweight with connections opting to replace him with J Doyle.

**SAFURA** (O Bosson) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

**SEA THE LIGHT** (V Colgan) - Crowded leaving the barriers. Over-raced in the middle stages.

**KAAPTIVATING** (S Weatherley) - Raced three wide without cover.

**AMBERARNA** (R Elliot) - Hampered for some distance behind the weakening KAAPTIVATING rounding the final bend passing the 500 metres.

**CHEVAL D'OR** (M McNab) - Held up rounding the final turn continuing to have difficulty obtaining clear running until passing the 250 metres.

**J Laking** (ELEGANT LADY) - Admitted a charge in that he failed to make the contracted weight on ELEGANT LADY with the Adjudicative Committee imposing a fine of \$300.

**Race 8** | **AUCKLAND THOROUGHBRED RACING NEW ZEALAND DERBY (2400 metres) (G1)**

**TEXAS** (J Bayliss) - Slow to begin.

**DESERT LIGHTNING** (V Colgan) - Over-raced in the early stages. Raced in restricted room rounding the bend near the 450 metres.

**CRUZ MISSILE** (M McNab) - Over-raced in the early stages.

**WARSAW** (C Lammas) – Had to be steadied leaving the straight on the first occasion. Held up behind the weakening OPAWA JACK rounding the final turn from the 600 metres and when attempting to shift outwards across heels placed DESERT LIGHTNING in restricted room near the 450 metres.

**WAITAK** (J Laking) – Over-raced in the early stages. Held up entering the final straight having to shift ground inwards to obtain clear running near the 250 metres.

**FULL OF SINCERITY** (W Pinn) – Improved forward wide from the 1300 metres racing wide without cover for the remainder.

**SAVOIR FAIRE** (J Doyle) – Raced in restricted room rounding the bend near the 450 metres.

**ROCKBURN** (J Riddell) - Raced in restricted room rounding the bend near the 450 metres. Had to be steadied to avoid the heels of MARK TWAIN which shifted outwards passing the 400 metres.

**DEVILDOM** (C Grylls) – Hampered passing the 400 metres.

**A Adkins** (JAFFIRA) - Admitted a charge in that he struck his mount JAFFIRA seven times prior to the 100 metre mark being two more than permitted with the Adjudicative Committee imposing a fine of \$350.

**W Kennedy** (MARK TWAIN) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he angled his mount outwards passing the 400 metres when not sufficiently clear of ROCKBURN which was checked and DEVILDOM which was hampered. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of W Kennedy's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Saturday 11 March up to and including racing on Friday 24 March, 7 national riding days and in addition imposed a fine of \$500.

**Race 9** | **BROKERWEB RISK SERVICES MILE (1600 metres)**

**FELICIENNE** (O Bosson) - Slow to begin.

**UDERZO** (W Kennedy) - Raced three wide without cover.

**GEE CEE** (T Mitchell) - Raced wide without cover.

**RUACH** (J Riddell) - Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

**N Parmar** (BAD 'N' BOUJ) - Issued with a warning after using the whip in two consecutive strides on BAD 'N' BOUJ passing the 100 metres with Stewards taking into account his clear recent record with regards to a breach of this whip rule.

**N Parmar** (BAD 'N' BOUJ) - Admitted a charge in that he struck his mount BAD 'N' BOUJ six times prior to the 100 metre mark being one more than permitted. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of N Parmar's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Wednesday 8 March up to and including racing on Friday 10 March, 2 national riding days and in addition imposed a fine of \$800.

<b>Race 10</b>	<b>DUNSTAN – HORSE RACING NEW CALEDONIA 1400</b>
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**INDUSTRIALIST** (V Colgan) – Began awkwardly.

**JACK THE LASS** (J Doyle) – Contacted leaving the barriers.

**TARTED UP** (K Asano) - Contacted leaving the barriers.

**FAIRSHARE** (S Weatherley) – Restrained to obtain cover in the early stages after jumping from the outside barrier. When questioned regarding performance the rider was unable to offer any excuse. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

**RISING DREAM** (T Mitchell) – Lay inwards in the final straight.

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