



# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

## MEETING DETAILS

**Club:** Racing Tauranga  
**Date:** Saturday, 25 March 2023  
**Weather:** Fine  
**Track:** Soft 5  
**Rail:** Out 3 metres - 1000m to 400m, remainder True  
**Stewards:** B Jones (Chair), C Simpson, L Selvakumaran  
**Vet:** R McQuillan BVSc  
**Typist:** B Gutsell

## SUMMARY

**Suspensions:** Nil  
**Fines:** Nil  
**Warnings:** Race 1 **C Lammas JUJU POP**  
Weighed in 0.6kg over weigh out weight [Rule 648(5)]  
Race 4 **R Elliot IN EXTASY**  
Shifting ground concluding stages [Rule 638(1)(d)]  
Race 5 **S Spratt ZAILA**  
Shifting ground 1250 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]  
**Protests:** Nil  
**Request for Ruling:** Nil  
**Horse Actions:** Race 4 **WITH YOU**  
Warned barrier manners  
8 **TIDAL RUSH**  
Veterinary clearance required  
**Follow Up:** Race 3 **WINDSPEED**  
**Rider Changes:** Race 1 **SLAM DUNK**  
J Doyle replaced J Riddell (unwell)  
Race 2 **DEEP PURPLE**  
S McKay replaced J Riddell  
Race 4 **MIDNIGHT SPECIAL**  
S McKay replaced J Riddell  
Race 8 **DRUM MAJOR**  
B Grylls replaced J Riddell  
Race 8 **BURCHA**  
M Sanson replaced T Taiaroa (miscommunication)  
**Late Scratchings:**  
**Medical Certificates:** Required for **J Riddell**  
**Swabbing:** CHURCHILLIAN, KIVA HAN, ARIS ARIS, IN EXTASY, MILLEFIORI, UDERZO, BRANDO, MARRONI, MADAME LE FAY

## GENERAL

J Riddell advised Stewards he was unwell and would not be attending today's meeting. Mr Riddell was replaced on his riding engagements as per the Summary above and advised a Medical Clearance would be required prior to him riding next.

**SUPPLEMENTARY****South Waikato RC @ Matamata, Wednesday, 15 March 2023****Race 3 TOKOROA COSMOPOLITAN CLUB MAIDEN 1200**

**THE PRINCIE ONE (O Bosson)** – Te Akau Racing Manager Mr. R Trumper advised Stewards, the stable was satisfied with the post-race condition of the filly, and it is their intention to carry on with THE PRINCIE ONE'S current preparation, where they may nominate the filly for the Avondale JC meeting on Saturday 1 April.

**RACE COMMENTS****Race 1** | **BAYLEYS MT MAUNGANUI 3YO 1400****FELLINI** (R Elliot) - Slow to begin.**PIXIE EXPRESS** (M Hashizume) - Restrained at the start from its wide barrier.**RING JESSIE** (L Satherley) - Improved on to heels passing the 1200 metres having to be steadied. Over-raced in the early and middle stages.**LHASA** (A Goindasamy) - Steadied to avoid heels passing the 1200 metres. Raced keenly in the middle stages. Held up until approaching the 100 metres.**INSATIABLE** (W Kennedy) - Hampered approaching the 1100 metres when RING JESSIE shifted out slightly when being steadied to avoid heels.**C Lammas** (JUJU POP) – Issued with a warning after weighing in 0.6kg over the weight at which he had weighed out.**Race 2** | **CRAIGS INVESTMENT PARTNERS MAIDEN (1400m)****LOT'S OF TORQUE** (L Satherley) - Crowded at the start losing ground.**MISAPPROPRIATE** (M Hashizume) - Began awkwardly. Raced wide without cover throughout.**WISHEART** (R Elliot) - Slow to begin. Steadied when placed in restricted room just prior to the winning post when runners either side shifted ground.**KARAPIRO** (H McNeill) - Raced in restricted room for a distance approaching the 1000 metres.**KIVA HAN** (S Spratt) - Raced keenly through the middle stages when leading.**LOOSE CHOICE** (A Goindasamy) - Lay out rounding the final bend and was not persevered with in the final straight. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.**Race 3** | **EPIC JOURNEY'S ROYAL ASCOT TOUR 1200****ARIS ARIS** (W Kennedy) - Reared at the start losing ground.**PIN ME UP** (T Taiaroa) - Slow to begin. Raced wide without cover throughout.**BUTTERFIELD** (T Abel) - Raced three wide without cover throughout. Lay in under pressure in the straight.**MONTANA MIST** (M Hashizume) - Inconvenienced near the 350 metres when placed in restricted room after ARIS ARIS (W Kennedy) shifted out when not fully clear. W Kennedy was advised to exercise care in similar circumstances.

**WINDSPEED** (S Spratt) - When questioned regarding the performance rider could offer no excuse. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed a slower than normal recovery.

**Race 4** | **J.SWAP CONTRACTORS 1200**

**WITH YOU** (T Taiaroa) - Removed from the barriers to undergo a veterinary examination and was cleared to start. Connections were advised that warning would be placed on the mare's barrier manners record. Slow to begin.

**ODINPOWER** (H McNeill) - Began awkwardly.

**JIMMY KIRK** (M Hashizume) - Raced wide without cover throughout.

**IN EXTASY** (R Elliot) - Lay out under pressure over the concluding stages.

**HAPPY EGO** (A Goindasamy) - Had to be steadied when weakening passing the 350 metres when runners either side shifted ground slightly.

**CANDYCANE** (C Lammas) - Had to be steadied when placed in restricted room just prior to the winning post.

**R Elliot** (IN EXTASY) - Issued with a warning after permitting his mount IN EXTASY to shift outwards when not sufficiently clear of CANDY CANE which had to be steadied when placed in restricted room just prior to the winning post. When assessing this incident Stewards took into account some slight inwards movement from LUXURIANT.

**Race 5** | **TRITON PACIFIC OWENS PLATE (1400m)**

**ZEITAKU** (W Kennedy) - Crowded at the start. Had to be steadied to avoid heels near the 1250 metres.

**ZAILA** (S Spratt) - Began awkwardly. Raced wide without cover throughout.

**MILLEFIORI** (T Taiaroa) - Raced keenly in the early stages when being restrained.

**QUICK PREVIEW** (A Goindasamy) - Raced keenly in the early stages when being restrained.

**S Spratt** (ZAILA) - Issued with a warning after permitting her mount ZAILA to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear of ZEITAKU which had to be steadied to avoid heels near the 1250 metres.

**Race 6** | **BAYLEYS TAURANGA 1600**

**OSAKA** (C Lindsay) - Slow to begin.

**MOTUMAN** (H McNeill) - Crowded at the start losing ground.

**MIDNIGHT MASS** (S Spratt) - Raced keenly through the middle stages when the pace eased. When questioned regarding the performance rider advised that after settling back in the field on a slow pace the gelding had been unable to sprint with the on-pace runners when placed under pressure.

**NO AGENDA NIGEL** (T Taiaroa) - Raced wide without cover throughout when laying out.

**Race 7** | **ULTIMATE MAZDA JAPAN TROPHY (G2) (1600m)**

**MARRONI** (W Kennedy) - Slow to begin. Inconvenienced passing the 150 metres when BRANDO (W Pinn) shifted inwards when not fully clear. W Pinn was advised to exercise care when in similar circumstances.

**ON THE ROCKS** (C Lammas) - Raced keenly in the early stages when being restrained.

**PACKING ROCKSTAR** (S McKay) - Inconvenienced passing the 150 metres.

**TRUE ENOUGH** (A Goindasamy) - Inconvenienced passing the 150 metres.

**FIELD OF GOLD** (V Colgan) - Inconvenienced near the 100 metres when **PERFECT SCENARIO** (R Elliot) shifted outwards when not fully clear. R Elliot was advised to exercise care when in similar circumstances.

**PERFECT SCENARIO** (R Elliot) - When questioned regarding the performance rider advised that the gelding had been reluctant to improve between runners entering the final straight however when a run became available to the outside of runners it had finished the race off well.

**OUR ALLEY CAT** (M Hashizume) - When questioned regarding the performance rider advised that in his opinion the mare would be better suited to a drop back in distance.

**Race 8**

**GARTSHORE CONSTRUCTION 1600**

**TIDAL RUSH** (S Spratt) - Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was cleared to start. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed lameness in the right foreleg. Connections were advised that a veterinary clearance would be required prior to the mare racing next.

**ARJAY'S FLIGHT** (H McNeill) - Began awkwardly.

**MR BIGGLESWORTH** (V Colgan) - Slow to begin.

**VIOLETTA** (W Kennedy) - Slow to begin.

**EVE'S SONG** (L Satherley) - Crowded at the start.

**RANGER** (A Goindasamy) - Raced keenly when being steadied in the early stages.

**MADAME LE FAY** (W Pinn) - Raced greenly when placed under pressure in the final straight.

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