



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Waikato Racing Club
Date: Saturday, 8 July 2023
Weather: Showery
Track: Heavy 10
Rail: Out 10 metres
Stewards: C Simpson (Chair), B Jones, A Dooley, G Stewart
Vet: P Fraser BVSc, R McQuillan MVB
Op Support: K Verner

SUMMARY

Suspensions: Nil
Fines: Nil
Warnings: Nil
Protests: Nil
Request for Ruling: Nil
Horse Actions: Nil
Follow Up: Nil
Rider Changes: Race 10 **MISS INTERPRET**
M Sanson replaced T Newman (unwell)
Late Scratchings: Nil
Medical Certificates: Required from T Newman
Swabbing: TAHUROA HEIGHT, CAITLYNS WISH, DAWN PARADE, RAUCOUS, SEAJETZ, MAGIC ACE, ELECTRIC TIME, TURN THE ACE, QUEEN SARABI, IN A PICKLE

GENERAL

Random hair testing was carried out at today's meeting.

T Newman was stood down by the oncourse Doctor following Race 8 as she was feeling unwell. T Newman was advised a medical clearance would be required prior to riding next.

SUPPLEMENTARY

Nothing to report

RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 | **TAUMARUNUI RACING CLUB @ TE RAPA 29/7 HURDLE 2800**

IZYMYDAAD (B Lammas) – Slow to begin. Hit the fourth fence. Raced wide without cover in the early and middle stages.

OXYGEN (P Matthews) - Slow to begin. Jumped indifferently in the early and middle stages. Hit the second to last fence.

IMA WONDER (H McNeill) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

BANKS ROAD (E Farr) – Ran down the first fence.

FLYINGWITHOUTWINGS (N Downs) – Raced wide without cover from near the 1600 metres.

MONT VENTOUX (M Roustoby) – Misjudged the fence near the 1100 metres losing ground. When questioned regarding the performance Jockey M Roustoby reported the gelding having missed a race due to the transfer of a racing meeting to the synthetic may have contributed to today's performance.

RED 'N' SURF (D Parker) - Hampered leaving the fence near the 900 metres.

JAKAMA KRYSTAL (J Power) - Put in a poor jump at the fence near the 900 metres and knuckled on landing, dislodging its rider who was uninjured.

LEITRIM LAD (M Cropp) – Misjudged the second to last fence.

Race 2	IRWINS TRUCK BUS 3YO 1200
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SILVER JAVELIN (M Hashizume) - Slow to begin.

IROQUOIS FALLS (S Spratt) - Raced keenly in the early stages. Laid out over the concluding stages.

WINEXPRESS (A Lawson-Carroll) - Raced keenly in the early stages. Laid out over the concluding stages.

FREEZE FRAME (M McNab) - Raced wide without cover throughout.

MISSYWOOD (W Kennedy) - When questioned regarding the performance Jockey W Kennedy reported that the filly failed to handle today's heavy track conditions.

Race 3	GROUP ONE TURF BAR SPRINT 1200
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SO GORGEOUS (J Fawcett) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Over-raced in the early stages having to be steadied off heels.

DAWN PARADE (K Asano) - Began awkwardly. Laid out over the concluding stages.

BUTLER (K Hannan) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

JUSTASKME (T Moodley) – Slow to begin. Became detached from the field in the early and middle stages despite the urgings of its rider. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

NEW YORK JAZZ (T Newman) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

Race 4	SVS STARTING GATES STEEPLECHASE 3900
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TORQUE TIME (B Lammas) - Raced keenly in the early stages. Dipped on landing after jumping the seventh fence, losing ground.

RAUCOUS (J Power) - Ran down the first fence.

PLUSHENKO (N Downs) - Misjudged the sixth fence. Retired from the race prior to jumping the fence near the 600 metres. Lost the near front plate during the running. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

MAJOR TOM (P Matthews) – Misjudged the second fence of the double. Hit the fence near the 1000 metres and fell dislodging its rider who was uninjured. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

SUFFICE TO SAY (S Karnicnik) – Contacted jumping the fence near the 1000 metres.

WHISKEY TANGO (S Fannin) – Retired from the race near the 700 metres. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

ABU DHABI (H McNeill) - Hit the last fence and fell dislodging its rider who was uninjured. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

Race 5 | **UBP TE AWAMUTU CUP 1600**

HELENA BABY (N Hailey) - Began awkwardly. Raced keenly when sitting outside the leader.

CRYSTALLIZE (T Moodley) - Raced keenly in the early stages.

PAISLEY PARK (W Kennedy) – When questioned regarding the performance Jockey W Kennedy advised that the gelding failed to handle today’s heavy track conditions.

Race 6 | **DUNSTAN HORSEFEEDS MAIDEN MILE 1600**

BULLEEZE ONE (T Newman) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

STRATHTAY (M Hashizume) - Contacted leaving the barriers.

MIDORIYAMA (M McNab) - Began awkwardly contacting RADRADRA. Steadied approaching the 100 metres.

RADRADRA (K Hannan) – Contacted leaving the barriers. Allowed her mount to shift out from the 250 metres to the winning post which resulted in MIDORIYAMA having to be steadied. Apprentice K Hannan was advised to exercise greater care in similar circumstances.

MAGIC ACE (A Lawson-Carroll) – Restrained to obtain cover in the early stages after jumping from the outside barrier. Allowed his mount to shift in approaching the 250 metres resulting in MIDDLE KHAN having to be steadied. Apprentice A Lawson-Carroll was advised to exercise greater in similar circumstances.

GO FIONA (S Spratt) - Contacted leaving the barriers losing ground.

SHE WROTE MORE (J Doyle) – Raced in restricted room entering the home straight then had to be steadied when improving onto the heels of MIDDLE KHAN.

MIDDLE KHAN (M Sanson) - Had to be steadied approaching the 250 metres. Allowed her mount to shift in approaching the 100 metres which resulted in MIDORIYAMA having to be steadied. Apprentice M Sanson was advised to exercise greater care in similar circumstances.

Race 7 | **MARK SANDERS MEMORIAL 1400**

NO AGENDA NIGEL (A Lawson-Carroll) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

ILLUSION (J Fawcett) - Slow to begin.

LIBRARI (D Cooper) - Slow to begin. Had to be steadied approaching the 900 metres when improving onto heels. When questioned regarding the performance Apprentice D Cooper advised that the filly never travelled in the early stages of the race. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

MR NICE (L Satherley) - Began awkwardly contacting **TEEN TITAN**.

TEEN TITAN (J Doyle) – Contacted leaving the barriers.

CASCATELLA (S Spratt) – Slow to begin.

HIT THE SWITCH (E Nicholas) – Shifted out shortly after the start contacting **KENTUCKY ROSE**.

SAGAN (W Kennedy) - Raced keenly in the early stages.

ELECTRIC TIME (N Hailey) – Laid in entering the home straight briefly contacting **KENTUCKY ROSE**.

KENTUCKY ROSE (K Asano) – Briefly contacted entering the home straight by **ELECTRIC TIME** when it laid in.

MIRIELLA (V Jalalkuncha) – Laid out over the concluding stages.

COVENANT (K Hannan) - Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

Race 8 | **J F GRILLS MEMORIAL CLASSIC 1400**

HI YO SASS BOMB (S Spratt) - Slow to begin. When questioned regarding the performance Jockey S Spratt advised that the mare had failed to handle today's heavy track conditions.

RUDYARD (M McNab) – Crowded leaving the barriers losing ground. Over-raced in the early to middle stages when the speed of the race slackened.

DARCI'S QUEEN (J Doyle) - Began awkwardly contacting **TIDAL RUSH** shortly after the start. When questioned regarding the performance Jockey J Doyle could offer no explanation. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

MACFIRE (N Hailey) - Raced keenly when leading.

KAI (K Asano) - Raced keenly in the early stages. Momentarily held up for clear running entering the home straight. When questioned regarding the performance Jockey K Asano advised that the mare failed to handle today's heavy track conditions.

Race 9 | **JOHN YOUNG FAMILY 2200**

LOT OF ZEES (S Spratt) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

FINEST WINE (K Hannan) - Slow to begin. When questioned regarding the performance Apprentice K Hannan advised that the mare failed to handle today's track with the deteriorating rain.

QUEEN SARABI (K Asano) - Slow to begin. Tightened for racing room near the 800 metres.

PEECE PUSSYCAT (N Hailey) – Over-raced in the early stages.

KING KHAN (J Doyle) – Laid in leaving the 800 metres tightening runners to the inside.

CIVIL UNREST (D Cooper) - Tightened for racing room near the 800 metres having to be steadied.

ALL IN ALL (M McNab) - Not persevered with over the final 400 metres when well beaten. When questioned regarding the performance Jockey M McNab could offer no explanation. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which found the gelding to have a delayed recovery.

Race 10

OTL GROUP LTD 2100

IN A PICKLE (J Fawcett) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

IT'S MARGO (K Hannan) - Contacted leaving the barriers then raced in restricted room shortly afterwards.

ORSOME DUDE (N Hailey) – Shifted out leaving the barriers contacting IT'S MARGO. Over-raced in the middle stages when sitting inside the leader.

HUSK (D Cooper) - Began awkwardly contacting PICK OF THE LITTER.

MISS INTERPRET (M Sanson) - Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

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