



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Racing Tauranga
Date: Wednesday, 5 April 2023
Weather: Fine
Track: Good 4
Rail: Out 6 metres
Stewards: C Simpson (Chair), B Jones, A Dooley
Vet: R McQuillan MVB
Typist: K Verner

SUMMARY

Suspensions: Nil
Fines: Nil
Warnings: Race 3 **V Jalalkuncha MCENROE**
Whip use, arm above shoulder height [Rule 638(3)(f)(ii)]
8 **C Lammas KOOLASCUZ**
Shifting ground 350 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
V Colgan ENDEAN AFFAIR
Shifting ground 300 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
Protests: Nil
Request for Ruling: Nil
Horse Actions: Nil
Follow Up: Nil
Rider Changes: Nil
Late Scratchings: Race 4 **MIDNIGHT BELLE**
At 1.44 pm by order of Stewards
Medical Certificates: Nil
Swabbing: TOWER FLYPASS, ARMINO, MCLAREN, RUBELLITE, RUN BABY RUN, INTREPID GIRL, BRIDGERTON, KIVA HAN

GENERAL

Nothing to report

SUPPLEMENTARY

Nothing to report

RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 | **CONTRIBUTER STANDING AT MAPPERLEY STUD MAIDEN 2YO 1100**

SENSE OF TIMING (S Spratt) - Slow to begin.

VALLARTA (W Kennedy) - Slow to begin then crowded shortly after losing ground. Raced greenly throughout. When questioned regarding performance the rider advised that the filly would benefit from today's run.

SOLIDIFY (R Elliot) - Crowded shortly after the start losing ground. Held up momentarily entering the straight before switching off heels to obtain clear running near the 250 metres.

LORD WEYBURN (V Colgan) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

CYCLONIC KING (S Weatherley) - Raced in restricted room entering the home straight then shifted in contacting TAHITINUI. S Weatherley was advised to exercise greater care in similar circumstances.

TAHITINUI (T Thornton) - When entering the home straight CYCLONIC KING shifted in contacting TAHITINUI which became momentarily unbalanced.

SPRING HOLIDAY (B Rogerson) – When questioned regarding performance the rider advised that the filly had felt indifferent in its action and wasn't fully tested throughout the race. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality. In the trainer's opinion the filly may have felt today's firmer track conditions.

Race 2 | **JUDEA TAVERN MAIDEN 3YO 1600**

FIRRIATO (C Grylls) - Slow to begin. When questioned regarding the performance connections advised that the filly would now be going for a spell.

ANELA (A Goindasamy) – Slow to begin. Over-raced in the middle stages. Made the bend awkwardly near the 800 metres forcing REAL SHOWMAN wider. Was inclined to hang out entering the home straight proving difficult for its rider.

ENTRENCH (T Thornton) - Over-raced when being restrained approaching the 1300 metres to obtain a trail.

REAL SHOWMAN (L Satherley) – Forced wider near the 800 metres.

FOODIE BROTHERS (S Spratt) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

COURS VITE (C Lammas) – Held up for clear running until approaching the 250 metres.

ARMINO (S Weatherley) - Stewards noted A Forsman's explanation for the late declaration of rider on this occasion.

Race 3 | **TRITON PACIFIC MAIDEN 1400**

PRINCESS JASMINE (K Asano) - Slow to begin.

MCLAREN (S Spratt) - Crowded shortly after the start losing ground. Raced three wide without cover throughout. Raced greenly entering the home straight.

MR NICE (V Colgan) - Held up entering the home straight then shifted out slightly when attempting to improve into a marginal run contacting QUADRI which then shifted inwards resulting in MR NICE having to be steadied near the 250 metres. C Grylls was advised to exercise care in similar circumstances.

QUADRI (C Grylls) - Contacted near the 250 metres.

PADDY WAGON (T Abel) - Received veterinary attention post-race for an abrasion to the right foreleg.

V Jalalkuncha (MCENROE) - Issued with a warning for using his whip with an action which raised the rider's arm above shoulder height.

Race 4 | **FINANCIAL INDEPENDENCE MAIDEN 1400**

MIDNIGHT BELLE (R Elliot) - Dislodged its rider during the preliminary and was late scratched at 1.44 pm by order of Stewards. R Elliot was uninjured. As a result, this race ran approximately 6 minutes late.

XRATED (W Kennedy) - Slow to begin. Raced in restricted room approaching the 500 metres having to be steadied. Inclined to lay in when placed under pressure in the home straight. When questioned regarding performance the rider advised that the filly had raced greenly when placed amongst other runners.

RIKKI RICARDO (H McNeill) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

REINSTATEMENT (S Weatherley) - Restrained in the early stages to obtain cover from a wide barrier.

ROC ANTHEM (K Asano) – Raced three wide without cover before sitting outside the leader approaching the 900 metres.

TOA HAKA (S Spratt) – Over-raced in the middle stages when being restrained by its rider.

Race 5 | **VOSPER PROPERTY MANAGEMENT MAIDEN 1200**

TELESCOPIC (T Abel) – Began awkwardly losing ground. When questioned regarding performance the rider advised that the mare had never travelled in the early stages of the race.

GIOVANNI (J Nishizuka) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

LA DULCIN'EE (C Lammas) - Made the bend near the 900 metres awkwardly.

LONG GAME (B Rogerson) – Raced three wide without cover from near the 700 metres. Shifted in contacting HUZAZH entering the home straight.

HUZAZH (S Weatherley) - Shifted out slightly entering the home straight contacting LONG GAME having to be steadied off the heels of LA DULCIN'EE.

MY WINE (S McKay) - Shifted out when placed under pressure entering the home straight. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which found the gelding to have a slow post race recovery.

RUN BABY RUN (R Elliot) - Shifted in when placed under pressure over the concluding stages.

Race 6 | **NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES MAIDEN RACE 1200**

SANTENAY (H McNeill) - Slow to begin.

CHLOE'S COMET (K Asano) - Began awkwardly then contacted shortly after, losing ground.

CHANTARI BAY (M Alam) - Slow to begin.

MS CANDEE LANE (T Thornton) – Raced ungenerously in the early and middle stages.

SHANGHAI TANG (W Kennedy) - Raced three wide without cover throughout. When questioned regarding performance the rider could offer no excuse. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

Race 7 | **CHEERS TAVERN MAIDEN 2100**

OCEAN GAIL (V Colgan) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Had difficulty obtaining clear running for a majority of the final straight.

HERE'S JOHNNY (S Weatherley) - Slow to begin.

CONGO (C Lammas) – Over-raced in the early stages when leading.

HOPE IS ETERNAL (T Thornton) - Over-raced in the early stages when there was no speed in the race.

ELTON ROCKS (L Satherley) - Over-raced in the early stages when there was no speed in the race. Held up for a majority of the final straight.

REET PETITE (M Sanson) – Raced keenly in the middle stages before improving forward to race three wide without cover from near the 1100 metres.

ESPRESSO TO GO (B Rogerson) – Raced three wide without cover until approaching the 1600 metres when working forward to lead.

HOLY ORANGE (K Asano) – Raced wide without cover from near the 1000 metres. Lost the right front plate during the running.

Race 8

OWENS IFS 1600

SUFFICE TO SAY (C Barnes) – Crowded shortly after the start losing ground.

KOOLASCUZ (C Lammas) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Shifted out near the 350 metres contacting LORD VALENTINE which became momentarily unbalanced. Also inconvenienced as a result was KENTUCKY ROSE.

KENTUCKY ROSE (S Weatherley) - Slow to begin. Inconvenienced near the 350 metres. When questioned regarding performance the rider advised that the filly was not suited by today's race tempo. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

LORD VALENTINE (D Prastiyou) – Contacted and unbalanced near the 350 metres.

LATE TO THE PARTY (R Elliot) - Had to be steadied approaching the 300 metres when ENDEAN AFFAIR shifted out.

C Lammas (KOOLASCUZ) - Issued with a warning after permitting his mount KOOLASCUZ to shift out when not sufficiently clear of LORD VALENTINE resulting in KENTUCKY ROSE having to be steadied when placed near the heels of LORD VALENTINE near the 350 metres.

V Colgan (ENDEAN AFFAIR) - Issued with a warning after permitting his mount ENDEAN AFFAIR to shift out approaching the 300 metres when not sufficiently clear of LATE TO THE PARTY which had to be steadied.

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