



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Auckland Thoroughbred Racing @ Pukekohe Park
Date: Tuesday, 7 November 2023
Weather: Fine
Track: Good 4, upgraded to Good 3 following Race 4
Rail: True
Stewards: J Oatham (Chair), B Jones, L Selvakumaran, G Stewart, C Lomey (Trainee)
Vet: B Vosloo BVSc
Op Support: K Verner

SUMMARY

Suspensions: Race 5 **T Moodley** ACADEMY AWARD
Careless riding 25 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 12/11 - 21/11, 7 days

Fines: Race 5 **S Ritchie & C Murray** GOLDBURG
Late declaration of rider [Rule 537(a)] \$50 (Minor Infringement)

Warnings: Nil
Protests: Nil
Request for Ruling: Nil

Horse Actions: Race 7 **MANRICO**
Cardiac arrhythmia, veterinary clearance required

Follow Up: Race 5 **SCREAMIN EAGLE**

Rider Changes: Race 9 **LIL RED'EYEDNHOD**
J Chung replaced C Butler (transport difficulties)

Late Scratchings: Nil
Medical Certificates: Nil

Swabbing: ANTRIM COAST, ROCCIA, ABOUT TIME, KENOBI, SCREAMIN EAGLE, AQUACADE, AROMATIC, FLAMEBIRD, HABANA, EL VENCEDOR, DODDLE, HIGHLY VINDICATED
Pre-race blood and hair testing was carried out at today's meeting

GENERAL

Apprentice rider C Butler advised Stewards on race morning she would not be attending today's meeting due to transport difficulties.

SUPPLEMENTARY

Auckland Thoroughbred Racing @ Pukekohe Park - Saturday, 28 October 2023

Race 7 HAUNUI FARM 1400

ASK MUM (J Doyle) - Trainer A Scott advised Stewards that the mare had undergone surgery to repair a severed tendon to the left hind leg, further adding that ASK MUM would now be retired from racing.

RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 | **ELLERSLIE EVENTS 1400**

CANNON HILL (M McNab) – Slow to begin. Improved onto heels having to be steadied near the 700 metres.

PULCHRITUDINOUS (V Colgan) - Slow to begin.

LEROY BROWN (M Cameron) - Began awkwardly making contact with ANTRIM COAST. Raced greenly throughout.

ANTRIM COAST (J Doyle) – Contacted start. Briefly held up passing the 350 metres.

AWHINA (L Satherley) – Raced keenly in the early stages when being restrained. Raced three wide without cover throughout. Lay out rounding the final bend then commenced to race greenly in the final straight.

GERIATRIX (W Kennedy) - Steadied making the bend near the 1000 metres awkwardly. Shifted away from CANNON HILL abruptly near the 50 metres unbalancing its rider.

Race 2

DUNSTAN HORSEFEEDS 2400

CRUISY LASS (L Allpress) – Restrained at the start to obtain cover from its wide barrier. When questioned regarding performance the rider was unable to offer any excuse.

RAAJOICES (S Spratt) - Restrained at the start to obtain cover from its wide barrier.

ROCCIA (W Kennedy) - Restrained at the start to obtain cover from its wide barrier. Commenced to race three wide without cover from near the 1500 metres.

CHASE 'N' GOLD (T Newman) - Slow to begin.

BEAU ARCHERS ROSE (J Chung) - Raced keenly through the early and middle stages.

ATA RANGI (N Parmar) – Rider dropped his whip near the 350 metres.

Race 3

NZB READY TO RUN TRAINERS SERIES MAIDEN 1200

FOREVER YOUNG (J Kamaruddin) - Slow to begin. Checked when crowded for room going into the first turn passing the 1000 metres to the inside of MR MOZART which when racing greenly and in restricted room, lay in away from QUEEN ZOU which in turn had BILLY LINCOLN tight to its outside and over-racing. Held up early in the straight having to be steadied shifting out across heels passing the 400 metres.

BILLY LINCOLN (C Barnes) – Began awkwardly. Over-raced in the early stages.

SOUL QUEEN (S Spratt) – Contacted and crowded at the start. Raced three wide without cover.

AUGUSTA (J Doyle) - Began awkwardly making contact with SOUL QUEEN. Raced wide without cover. Lay in when placed under pressure in the final straight having to be steadied away from heels approaching the 200 metres.

ABOUT TIME (W Kennedy) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

SMASHING SISTER (V Colgan) - Over-raced in the early stages getting its head up when being restrained rounding the bend passing the 1000 metres.

TRURO (M Cameron) - Over-raced in the early and middle stages with the rider reporting that the gelding had refused to settle which had been detrimental to its chances.

MR MOZART (L Allpress) – Over-raced in the early stages when being restrained. Held up early in the straight and continued to have difficulty obtaining clear running for the remainder of the race.

CHOOSE 'EM BIG (J Fawcett) – Held up for a distance passing the 400 metres and after obtaining clear running lay in away from SMASHING SISTER crowding the weakening MONIQUE TONNERRE passing the 200 metres.

QUEEN ZOU (M McNab) - Contacted near the 300 metres when AUGUSTA lay in.

Race 4 | **UP THE WAHS MAIDEN 1600**

GEETEE FORTY (D Danis) - Slow to begin.

MOLASSES (C Barnes) - Slow to begin. Over-raced when being restrained near the 1200 metres.

JAMAICA FAREWELL (A Goindasamy) - Slow to begin. Had difficulty obtaining clear running throughout the final straight and was unable to be fully tested by its rider.

COPPERS (A Lawson-Carroll) - Began awkwardly.

OMINOUS (W Kennedy) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

RUM AND RUMOUR (J Fawcett) - Raced wide without cover throughout.

SKY DANCER (J Doyle) - Raced wide throughout.

FARAG (C Grylls) – A post-race veterinary inspection found the gelding to have a superficial laceration to its tongue.

Following this race, the track was upgraded to Good 3.

Race 5 | **BARFOOT & THOMPSON 1100**

CANDYCANE (J Fawcett) - Restrained at the start to obtain cover from its wide barrier. Unable to obtain clear running in the final straight going to the line unable to be fully tested by its rider.

MISS SOLITAIRE (N Parmar) - Crowded at the start losing ground.

SEAMSEW (J Kamaruddin) - Began awkwardly then crowded shortly after. Hindquarters contacted by MASTER PARK near the 25 metres.

GOLDBURG (M McNab) - Slow to begin.

MASTER PARK (J Chung) - Crowded at the start. Crowded passing the 50 metres then clipping a heel and blundering badly almost dislodging its rider near the 25 metres.

SAVAGE LOVE (L Satherley) - Began awkwardly making contact with MASTER PARK.

ALABAMA GOLD (M Sanson) - Raced three wide without cover throughout. Crowded over the concluding stages.

DAPPER LAD (W Kennedy) - Raced wide throughout.

ACADEMY AWARD (T Moodley) – Lost the left front plate during the running.

SCREAMIN EAGLE (R Elliot) – Required post-race veterinary treatment for multiple lacerations and a small puncture wound to the right hind leg after being galloped on during the running.

T Moodley (ACADEMY AWARD) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he permitted his mount to shift inwards crowding ALABAMA GOLD onto MASTER PARK which struck a heel and blundered badly near the 25 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of T Moodley's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Saturday 11 November up to and including racing on Tuesday 21 November, 7 national riding days.

S Ritchie & C Murray (GOLDBURG) - Issued with a minor infringement and fined the sum of \$50 for failing to declare a rider for GOLDBURG by the required time.

Race 6 | **BALMERINO STAKES 2050 (G3)**

AQUACADE (W Kennedy) - Was removed from the barriers after becoming fractious to undergo a pre-race veterinary examination being cleared to race.

PLATINUM INVADOR (V Colgan) - Slow to begin.

DIONYSUS (M McNab) - Slow to begin. Lay in when placed under pressure in the straight.

ALL SHOOK UP (L Allpress) – Rider reported that the gelding had hung throughout the running.

Race 7 | **HALLMARK STUD 1400**

IMPRESA (J Chung) - Jumped away awkwardly then further hampered when crowded, losing ground. Briefly placed in restricted room to the inside of FLAMEBIRD near the 300 metres.

MANRICO (A Lawson-Carroll) – Began awkwardly making contact with IMPRESA. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the gelding had not been suited by today's firmer track conditions. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed the gelding to have suffered cardiac arrhythmia. Trainer S Ralph was advised that MANRICO 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.

PUKETIRO (N Parmar) - Began awkwardly losing ground. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the mare had never travelled comfortably through the running and had been disappointing. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

JUST A TIPPLE (J Fawcett) - Slow to begin.

VOLARE (W Kennedy) - Knuckled at the start.

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

FLAMEBIRD (V Colgan) - Held up passing the 400 metres and did not obtain clear running until near the 200 metres.

Race 8 | **FULTON FAMILY STAKES 1500 (Listed Race)**

APOSTROPHE (L Allpress) - Slow to begin. Had difficulty obtaining clear running for the majority of the straight and was unable to be fully tested by its rider.

THUNDER (A Lawson-Carroll) - Slow to begin. Raced three wide without cover throughout.

MAZZOLINO (C Barnes) - Began awkwardly making contact with TOWN CRYER. Held up near the 350 metres.

TOWN CRYER (J Parkes) - Contacted at the start.

SAMOOT (C Grylls) - Began awkwardly then crowded at the start.

DIGGER (D Danis) - Began awkwardly briefly unbalancing its rider.

COGNITO (N Parmar) - Crowded at the start losing ground.

EL VENCEDOR (J Doyle) – Held up early in the straight having to steady and shift outwards across the heels of DUSTY ROAD to obtain clear running passing the 400 metres.

MASETTO (M Cameron) – Briefly steadied to avoid the heels of HABANA which shifted outwards when not fully clear near the 250 metres. W Kennedy was advised to exercise care.

HABANA (W Kennedy) – Angled outwards across the heels of the weakening DIGGER near the 250 metres to obtain clear running.

MILLEFIORI (J Kamaruddin) - Lost the left hind plate near the 300 metres. Received post-race veterinary attention for a small superficial laceration to the heel of the left hind limb.

Race 9

STELLA ARTOIS 1400

DODDLE (M McNab) – Began awkwardly making contact with NO AGENDA NIGEL.

NO AGENDA NIGEL (A Lawson-Carroll) – Contacted at the start. Lay in across heels having to be steadied near the 200 metres.

ROCKSPELL (L Allpress) - Slow to begin.

IMARICHGIRL (M Cameron) - Slow to begin. Had difficulty obtaining clear running until inside the final 200 metres.

BURGUNDY IFF (J Kamaruddin) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

MIDNIGHT SPECIAL (S Spratt) - Over-raced through the early and middle stages, getting its head up.

ANALYST (J Fawcett) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

LERADO (J Doyle) - Held up in the straight until near the 250 metres.

SNAZZYTAVI (W Kennedy) – Was inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

Race 10

AUCKLAND THOROUGHBRED RACING 1600

LINGJUN XIONGFENG (V Colgan) - Slow to begin. Held up entering the straight until near the 300 metres.

AGERA (M McNab) - Slow to begin. Held up until passing the 200 metres.

NOVAK (T Moodley) - Restrained at the start to obtain cover from its wide barrier. Briefly hampered approaching the 100 metres when ARJAY'S FLIGHT shifted outwards under pressure. Rider dropped his right rein near the 50 metres having to regather and then shifting inwards contacting ARJAY'S FLIGHT just short of the finish with NOVAK then being further taken in by LINGJUN XIONGFENG. Both apprentice rider T Moodley and V Colgan were advised to exercise greater care.

TARTED UP (S Spratt) - Slow to begin.

MERSEY BEAT (A Goindasamy) - Restrained at the start to obtain cover from its wide barrier.

ME LIBEREZ (A Lawson-Carroll) – Raced three wide without cover throughout. Had to be steadied off the heels of KAIDU'S PRIDE which shifted outwards away from other runners near the 250 metres.

ANNA TAIT (L Satherley) - Commenced to over-race passing the 1200 metres continuing to do so through the middle stages. Rider reported that the mare had been inclined to hang outwards and was reluctant to take gaps in the straight.

KAIDU'S PRIDE (L Allpress) - Forced wider near the 1100 metres then raced wide without cover for the remainder of the race.

THE DIVINER (W Kennedy) - Over-raced in the middle stages and shifted outwards to avoid heels near the 1100 metres forcing KAIDU'S PRIDE wider on the track.

ARJAY'S FLIGHT (R Elliot) - Contacted just short of the finish.

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