



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Waikato Thoroughbred Racing @ Te Rapa
Date: Saturday, 11 November 2023
Weather: Fine
Track: Good 4, upgraded to Good 3 following Race 4
Rail: Out 8 metres
Stewards: B Jones (Chair), L Selvakumaran, G Stewart
Vet: R McQuillan BVSc, K Rooney BVSc
Op Support: K Verner

SUMMARY

Suspensions: Nil
Fines: Race 1 **T Pike** ARCHAIC SMILE
Late declaration of rider [Rule 537(a)] \$50 (Minor Infringement)
Warnings: Race 4 **J Collett** SO THE FOX
Presented runner late to the birdcage [Rule 625(1)]
Protests: Nil
Request for Ruling: Nil
Horse Actions: Race 5 **JAARFFI**
Cardiac arrhythmia, veterinary clearance required
Follow Up: Race 8 **CHARLOTTE AMALIE**
Rider Changes: Nil
Late Scratchings: Nil
Medical Certificates: Received from V Colgan
Swabbing: VELOCIOUS, FASHIONISTA, GRAIL SEEKER, THE ODYSSEY, LA ROSA LEE, BABYLON BERLIN, MAVEN BELLE, SIR STERLING, TESTIFY ME

GENERAL

Nothing to report

SUPPLEMENTARY -

Racing Tauranga - Saturday, 4 November 2023

Race 2 AONGATETE AVO-JECT 3YO 1200

CU CHULAINN (J Kamaruddin) – Te Akau Racing Manager R Trumper reported to Stewards the gelding pulled up post-race with an abscess to the off-fore heel. R Trumper further advised CU CHULAINN has spent a few days swimming, and at this stage it is the stables intention to continue on with the gelding's preparation.

Race 6 TEAM WEALLEANS 1200

DUBAI DIVA (S Weatherley) – Marsh Racing Trainer Assistant R Mildon advised Stewards the stable was satisfied with the post-race condition of the mare, and it is their intention to carry on with DUBAI DIVA'S current preparation.

Race 8 SEEKA 2100

EL NYMPH (L Satherley) – Co-trainer N Elliot reported to Stewards the laceration that EL NYMPH received to the left hind leg has healed well, and it is his intention to continue with the mare's preparation.

Race 10 CELEBRATING 150 YEARS OF RACING IN TAURANGA 1600

THE QUEEN BEE (C Barnes) – Trainer A Forsman advised Stewards THE QUEEN BEE pulled up post-race slightly sore to the offside foreleg. A Forsman further advised the mare will now no longer be considered as a racing proposition for his stable.

RACE COMMENTS**Race 1 VIRTUAL PRINT DESIGN & BRANDING 2YO 1000**

ARCHAIC SMILE (A Goindasamy) - Slow to begin. Raced greenly throughout. Lay in approaching the winning post having to be straightened by its rider.

TAKE THE CROWN (M Cameron) - Crowded at the start losing ground.

BELLATRIX STAR (N Parmar) - Crowded at the start.

MONTANA BAY (C Barnes) - Raced three wide without cover throughout. When questioned regarding the performance the rider advised that the gelding had raced greenly throughout.

MARACATU (V Colgan) - Raced wide without cover throughout.

VELOCIOSUS (S Spratt) - Briefly steadied near the 400 metres.

T Pike (ARCHAIC SMILE) - Issued with a minor infringement and fined \$50 for failing to declare a rider for ARCHAIC SMILE by the required time.

Race 2 BRANDT EQUIPMENT 2200

FASHIONISTA (C Barnes) - Began awkwardly making contact with CURIOUS GEORGE.

CURIOUS GEORGE (J Kamaruddin) - Contacted at the start.

LIQUID FIRE (A Goindasamy) - Raced keenly in the early and middle stages. Forced outwards over the concluding stages by CORUBA JAK which shifted out when placed under pressure. T Moodley was advised to exercise care in similar circumstances.

AFTER PARTY (S Spratt) - Raced keenly in the early stages when being restrained.

CORUBA JAK (T Moodley) – Raced three wide without cover throughout. Shifted out when placed under pressure over the concluding stages.

DAYDREAM BELIEVER (D Danis) - Steadied approaching the 1400 metres when the pace eased slightly. Raced keenly through the middle stages.

MR FANTASTIC (J Chung) - Lay out rounding the final bend. Steadied when placed in restricted room near the 200 metres to the inside of MAHOE (N Parmar) which had improved into a marginal run inside of AFTER PARTY which had shifted in slightly. N Parmar was advised to exercise care in similar circumstances.

Race 3 NORRIS WARD MCKINNON MAIDEN MILE 1600

HANAIEI STAR (A Goindasamy) - Hampered at the start losing ground. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

PORTRAIT (L Allpress) - Contacted at the start.

OHTANIE ROSE (D Danis) - Knuckled at the start. When questioned regarding the performance the rider advised that the filly had not travelled comfortably throughout. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

CITY GOLD READY (V Colgan) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

WAR OF SUCCESSION (S Spratt) - Steadied near the 1100 metres when the pace eased slightly. Steadied when placed in restricted room passing the 250 metres.

Race 4

PIMP YOUR RIDE 1400

SO THE FOX (B Grylls) - Crowded at the start losing ground.

JACK THE LASS (M Cameron) - Crowded at the start losing ground.

JAFFIRA (J Kamaruddin) - Began awkwardly.

SUPER WRAITH (A Goindasamy) - Knuckled at the start. Held up for clear running until shifting out passing the 200 metres.

ALFRISTON (J Chung) - When questioned regarding the performance the rider advised that after beginning slowly the gelding had to work in the early stages to obtain the lead and had failed to finish the race off.

J Collett (SO THE FOX) - Issued with a warning for presenting SO THE FOX late into the birdcage.

Following Race 4 the track was upgraded to Good 3.

Race 5

NORTH END LAW 1200

JAARFFI (B Grylls) - Contacted and crowded at the start losing ground. Contacted and forced wider passing the 250 metres. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed the mare to have suffered cardiac arrhythmia. Trainer L Noble was advised that JAARFFI 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.

CORNWALLIS (J Kamaruddin) - Began awkwardly making contact with JAARFFI. Became awkwardly placed on heels approaching the 100 metres when laying out having to be straightened by its rider.

MISS ROCKETTE (M Hashizume) - Began awkwardly making contact with JAARFFI. Raced three wide without cover throughout.

FRANCEE (V Colgan) - Raced keenly through the early stages.

KA YING LUCKY (L Allpress) - Placed in restricted room to the inside of FRANCEE near the 900 metres. Shifted out making contact with JAARFFI passing the 250 metres.

Race 6

LEGACY LODGE SPRINT 1200 (Listed Race)

SASSY MERLOT (A Goindasamy) - Raced keenly in the early stages. Lay in when placed under pressure in the final straight.

MAVEN BELLE (N Parmar) - Held up until near the 200 metres.

ARIS ARIS (J Kamaruddin) – Lost the left hind plate during the running.

A Goindasamy (SASSY MERLOT) - Was spoken to regarding the manner in which he rode over the concluding stages and reminded of his obligations in that he must ride his mounts out fully to the end of the race when circumstances permit him to do so.

Race 7 | **IMPACT OFF ROAD 1300**

MARTELL (A Lawson-Carroll) - Slow to begin.

HASSTOBEFAST (M Hashizume) – Restrained to obtain cover at the start from its wide barrier. Held up for a distance approaching the 400 metres before shifting outwards entering the final straight to obtain clear running.

GIACOMO (S Spratt) - Raced three wide without cover throughout. Lay in onto heels over the concluding stages having to be straightened by its rider.

KAKADU (C Barnes) – When questioned regarding the performance the rider could offer no excuse. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

WINNING FOR ALL (T Moodley) – Lost the right hind plate during the running.

Race 8 | **SKYCITY HAMILTON WAIKATO CUP DAY 16 DEC MILE 1600**

ROCKET LAD (M Cameron) - Slow to begin.

DIMAGGIO (S Spratt) - Knuckled at the start. Raced three wide without cover throughout. Lay in when placed under pressure in the final straight.

POLYGON (B Grylls) - Slow to begin.

ROCK MY HEART (L Satherley) - Slow to begin.

STRATHTAY (J Kamaruddin) - Restrained to obtain cover at the start from its wide barrier. Held up entering the final straight.

BELLE OF THE BALL (N Parmar) – Raced in restricted room when making the bend near the 850 metres. Unable to obtain clear running for the majority of the final straight.

AVALENE (T Newman) - Lay out passing the 400 metres. Steadied when placed in restricted room approaching the 200 metres when DIMAGGIO lay in and I'M LULU (M Hashizume) shifted outwards to obtain clear running. M Hashizume was advised to exercise care in similar circumstances.

WELL I NEVER (A Goindasamy) - Improved onto heels passing the 200 metres having to be steadied before being held up inside the final 100 metres.

I'M LULU (M Hashizume) - Had to shift outwards passing the 200 metres to obtain clear running.

CHARLOTTE AMALIE (C Barnes) - When questioned regarding the performance the rider advised that the mare had failed to handle today's track conditions. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

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