



# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

## MEETING DETAILS

**Club:** Egmont Racing Club @ Hawera  
**Date:** Saturday, 7 October 2023  
**Weather:** Overcast  
**Track:** Soft 5, Downgraded to Soft 7 retrospective to Race 1  
**Rail:** True  
**Stewards:** N Goodwin (Chair), K Coppins, K Jillings (Trainee)  
**Vet:** J Robins BVSc  
**Op Support:** S Shirriffs

## SUMMARY

**Suspensions:** Race 1 **M Singh** MAGGIESCLAN  
Careless riding 600 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 13-19/10, 4 days  
4 **T Davies** ICONIC LASS  
Careless riding concluding stages [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 16-21/10, 4 days

**Fines:** Nil

**Warnings:** Race 4 **C Grylls** BOW HILL  
Shifting ground concluding stages [Rule 638(1)(d)]  
4 **C Grylls** BOW HILL  
Whip use consecutive strides [Rule 638(3)(g)(ii)]  
8 **L Hemi** LLANACORD  
Shifting ground 250 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]  
8 **G Lahoud** PINION  
Shifting ground 1800 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]

**Protests:** Nil  
**Request for Ruling:** Nil

**Horse Actions:** Race 8 **JAY BEE GEE**  
Required to barrier trial

**Follow Up:** Race 5 **PITKIN COUNTY**

**Rider Changes:** Nil  
**Late Scratchings:**  
**Medical Certificates:**  
**Swabbing:** MAGGIESCLAN, POETIC CHAMPION, STIPULATOR, ICONIC LASS, HI YO SASS BOMB, TOWN CRYER, PROWESS, TUTIN CANS, KINGFISHER LAD, WINNIE ROSE.

## GENERAL

**SO CALL ME.** Was re-handicapped 2kg after winning at Woodville on Thursday, 5 October, which was not included in some publications. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was cleared to start.

## SUPPLEMENTARY

Nothing to report

## RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 | PRESTIDGE ELECTRICAL LTD MAIDEN 1600m

**SNIPSNAP** (L Hemi) - Slow to begin.

**TRIGGER HAPPY** (M Hudson) - Raced wide throughout.

**SKY DANCER** (M McNab) - Raced below market expectations. When questioned rider could offer no excuse.

**STARBILLY** (J Parkes) - Raced below market expectations. When questioned J Parkes reported the gelding pulled up in a normal post-race condition and he had no excuse.

**BOOMTOWN BOY** (L Sutherland) - Checked near the 600 metres.

**M Singh** (MAGGIESCLAN) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he permitted MAGGIESCLAN to shift outwards when not sufficiently clear of BOOMTOWN BOY, which was checked near the 600 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of his licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Thursday, 12 October, until the conclusion of racing on Thursday, 19 October, 4 national riding days.

Track downgraded to Soft 7 retrospective to Race 1 after 3mm of rain.

<b>Race 2</b>	<b>MJC &amp; C LTD &amp; EVERGREEN PLUMBING 2YO MAIDEN 950m</b>
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**SKYMAX** (C Barnes) - Began awkwardly hampering PRINCE REVOLUTION.

**PRINCE REVOLUTION** (J Parkes) - Hampered at the start, losing ground.

**COGNOSCENTI** (M McNab) - When questioned into performance rider advised the gelding had raced greenly but will improve with the run.

<b>Race 3</b>	<b>METCALFE REAL ESTATE 3YO 1200m</b>
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**STIPULATOR** (C Butler) - Slow away, then over-raced, having to be steadied near the 900 metres.

**RACE ACE** (C Grylls) - Over-race, having to be steadied near the 900 metres.

**CRICKETS CHIRPING** (L Allpress) - Lay outwards rounding the final turn.

<b>Race 4</b>	<b>NZB READY TO RUN TRAINERS SERIES 1200m</b>
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**MISS PAMELA** (J Parkes) - Slow away after beginning awkwardly. Finished well back. J Parkes had no excuse. A subsequent veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

**BOW HILL** (C Grylls) - Lay outwards over the concluding stages bumping SCOTCH BONNET.

**ICONIC LASS** (T Davies) - Shifted in under hard riding over the final stages.

**KANA** (M McNab) - Held up near the 300 metres when attempting a marginal run between SCOTCH BONNET and VESMART, when both those runners shifted ground. Checked final stages and could not be ridden out fully to the finish.

**SCOTCH BONNET** (L Douglas) - Bumped concluding stages.

**T Davies** (ICONIC LASS) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that she permitted her mount ICONIC LASS to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear of KANA, which was checked inside the final 100 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of her licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Sunday, 15 October, until the conclusion of racing on Saturday, 21 October, 4 national riding days.

**C Grylls** (BOW HILL) - Issued with warning allowing his mount to shift outwards over the concluding stages.

**C Grylls** (BOW HILL) - Issued with a warning for his whip use over the final stages.

**Race 5** | **JOHNNY NEIL BUILDERS LTD 1400m**

**RINGTHEBELLEDARCI** (M Singh) - Began awkwardly, bumping COGNITO, which in turn bumped HAKA BOOGIE.

**COGNITO** (M McNab) - Bumped at the start.

**HAKA BOOGIE** (J Parkes) - Bumped at the start.

**PITKIN COUNTY** (L Allpress) - Finished towards the rear. When questioned rider was of the opinion the mare was not suited to today's Soft 7 track conditions. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed a slow recovery rate.

**Race 6** | **GRANGEWILLIAM STUD TARANAKI BREEDERS' STAKES (G3) 1400m**

**SHE'S MISS GEVIOUS** (M Hudson) - Slow away.

**BELCLARE** (S Spratt) - Over-raced in the early and middle stages. Finished towards the rear. When questioned rider was of the opinion the mare was unsuited to today's rain-affected track.

**PROWESS** (M McNab) M McNab reported his mount had dipped in the going rounding the turn, which had deteriorated throughout the day.

**SAMOOT** (L Allpress) - Improved onto the heels of FLOWER OF WANAKA near the 200 metres, having to be angled outwards to improve.

**MAZZOLINO** (C Barnes) - Lay outwards under pressure over the concluding stages.

**J Parkes** (TOWN CRYER) - Stewards inquired into the manner in which J Parkes used his whip in the home straight and could not be conclusively satisfied that he had contravened the rule.

**Race 7** | **EGMONT TYRES 1600m**

**LOVE NESST** (L Douglas) - Slow away.

**FASHIONISTA** (C Barnes) - Slow away.

**TSHIEBWE** (L Allpress) - Began awkwardly.

**LADY PERFORMER** (L Hemi) - Over-raced, having to be steadied passing the 1200 metres.

**SHARADA** (C Dell) - Over-raced, having to be steadied near the 1100 metres.

**DERRYAIRE** (M McNab) - Commenced to weaken from the 400 metres and was not persevered with over the concluding stages. When questioned M McNab advised that although the mare was uncomfortable in the going, he felt it shorten stride early in the home straight so did not persevere over the final stages. A subsequent veterinary examination showed signs of the mare tying-up and being in season.

**TUTIN CANS** (C Grylls) - When asked to comment on the improved performance of TUTIN CANS, Trainer JJ Rayner confirmed the step-up in distance was beneficial to the geldings improved run today.

<b>Race 8</b>	<b>NZ FARMERS LIVESTOCK LTD EGMONT CUP 2100m</b>
<p><b>JAY BEE GEE</b> (M Hudson) - Fractious in the barriers. Over-raced in the early and middle stages. Hung outwards entering the back straight, continuing to do so for the remainder of the race and was not persevered with in the home straight. A subsequent veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality. Connections were advised JAY BEE GEE must barrier trial to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to racing next.</p> <p><b>MAUNA LOA</b> (L Allpress) - Hampered 250 metres.</p> <p><b>CHARMS STAR</b> (S Spratt) - Had to steady passing the winning post on the first round.</p> <p><b>G Lahoud</b> (PINION) - Allowed his mount to shift inwards passing the winning post on the first round when not sufficiently clear of CHARMS STAR, which had to steady. G Lahoud was shown footage of his ride in the presence of S Spratt and issued with a warning.</p> <p><b>L Hemi</b> (LLANACORD) - Issued with a warning after shifting outwards near the 250 metres, hampering MAUNA LOA.</p>	
<b>Race 9</b>	<b>DENIS WHEELER EARTHMOVING 2100m</b>
<p><b>HARDTIMES</b> (C Butler) - Slow to begin.</p> <p><b>COCKTAIL LAD</b> (L Douglas) - Held up passing the 400 metres having to angle outwards near the 250 metres to gain clear racing room.</p> <p><b>LURID</b> (J Parkes) - Finished last. When questioned J Parkes advised the gelding was unsuited to today's track conditions. Trainer L Latta advised Stewards she would monitor the gelding's progress over coming days.</p> <p><b>G Lahoud</b> (ROCCIA) - Spoken to regarding his whip use in the home straight.</p>	

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