



## STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

### MEETING DETAILS

**Club:** Ashburton Racing Club at Ashburton  
**Date:** Thursday, 4 July 2024  
**Weather:** Fine  
**Track:** Heavy 8  
**Rail:** True  
**Stewards:** M Davidson (Chair), J Oatham, D Wadley  
**Vet:** D Williamson BVSc  
**Op Support:** C McMullan

### SUMMARY

**Suspensions:** Race 1 **L Callaway** SINCERE  
Careless riding 125 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 5/7-12/7, 6 days  
2 **Y Atchamah** RIVIERA REBEL  
Careless riding 50 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 13/7-25/7, 7 days  
8 **S Wynne** TAVERNIA  
Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] Suspended 13/7-21/7, 5 days

**Fines:** Race 2 **L Douglas** POWERFUL MOSS  
Unable to claim down to riding weight [Rule 346(3)] \$100

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

**Horse Actions:** Race 2 **CHOUX MACHER**  
Veterinary clearance required

**Follow Up:** Nil

**Rider Changes:** Race 1 **SINCERE**  
L Callaway replaced K Asano (Flight delay)  
3 **POMALO**  
J Fawcett replaced K Asano  
7 **NIGHT RAIDER**  
A Goindasamy replaced K Mudhoo (Unwell)  
8 **RUBY SUNRISE**  
Y Atchamah replaced K Mudhoo

**Late Scratchings:** Nil  
**Medical Certificates:** Received from **D Tait**  
Received from **L Douglas**

**Swabbing:** SMOOTH OPERATOR, CAPTAIN OUMUAMUA, DRAKE'S DRUM, BALZANO, PRINCE ALBY, THEODEN, EPEE BEEL, EXPLOSIVE LASS, DELMONICO

### GENERAL

Nothing to report

### SUPPLEMENTARY

**Riccarton Park–Amberley @ Riccarton Park, Saturday 22 June 2024**

**Race 4 - DAPHNE BANNAN MEMORIAL OPEN HANDICAP 1200m**

**LE BELLA NERA** (R Jaun) - Co-trainer Mrs K Parsons reported to Stewards that the stable was satisfied with the post-race condition of LE BELLA NERA and it is their intention to continue with the mare's current preparation.

<b>RACE COMMENTS</b>	
<b>Race 1</b>	<b>NZ TRAINERS "GIVE A LITTLE" FOR AMANDA 1600m</b>
<p><b>KOYAMA</b> (S Wynne) - Slow away.</p> <p><b>VAMOS</b> (L Douglas) - Raced three wide without cover.</p> <p><b>BLANCHE</b> (K Williams) - Lay out away from SMOOTH OPERATOR near the 350 metres making contact with SINCERE. Had to be steadied to avoid the heels of SINCERE which shifted inwards under pressure approaching the 125 metres.</p> <p><b>SINCERE</b> (L Callaway) - Contacted near the 350 metres and was inclined to lay inwards under pressure in the straight.</p> <p><b>SMOOTH OPERATOR</b> (T Moseley) - Held up rounding the final bend gaining clear racing room passing the 350 metres.</p> <p><b>MARYWEKA</b> (L Hemi) - Rider advised she had been disappointed with the effort today, with the only excuse that the mare may not have handled the step up in distance.</p> <p><b>L Callaway</b> (SINCERE) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he allowed his mount SINCERE to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear of BLANCHE which was checked approaching the 125 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicator imposed a suspension of L Callaway's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Thursday 4 July until the conclusion of racing on Friday 12 July, 6 national riding days.</p>	
<b>Race 2</b>	<b>GREEN FENCING PH 027 450 0911 1600m</b>
<p><b>L Douglas</b> (POWERFUL MOSS) - Fined \$100 under the Minor Infringement Schedule when unable to claim down to his declared riding weight.</p> <p><b>CAPTAIN OUMUAMUA</b> (K Bakker) - Jumped away awkwardly.</p> <p><b>SASSY CHOUXS</b> (K Mudhoo) - Jumped away awkwardly.</p> <p><b>ALBATROSS</b> (D Tait) - Raced three wide without cover from the 800 metres.</p> <p><b>AYREON</b> (L Hemi) - Held up early in the run home only gaining clear racing room passing the 200 metres. Crowded and checked passing the 50 metres.</p> <p><b>CHOUX MACHER</b> (K Williams) - Hung outwards throughout the run home and could not be ridden to full advantage. A post-race veterinary examination revealed grade 2 lameness in the right hindleg and an elevated heart rate. When advised a veterinary clearance is required prior to racing next, trainer K Shearing indicated the gelding would now be sent for a spell.</p> <p><b>BLOOD DIAMOND</b> (T Moseley) - Rider could offer no tangible excuse for the disappointing performance.</p> <p><b>Y Atchamah</b> (RIVIERA REBEL) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he allowed his mount RIVIERA REBEL to shift outwards under pressure crowding and checking AYREON passing the 50 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicator imposed a suspension of Y Atchamah's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Friday 12 July until the conclusion of racing on Thursday 25 July, 7 national riding days.</p>	
<b>Race 3</b>	<b>GARY MCCORMICK TRANSPORT AND SIMS BAKERY MAIDEN 1400m</b>
<p><b>SPECIOSUS</b> (Y Atchamah) - Slow away.</p> <p><b>COSSETTE</b> (W Kennedy) - Slow away. Rider reported the mare had felt indifferent in its action.</p>	

**FAKEITTILLUMAKEIT** (B Murray) - Jumped away awkwardly. Got its head up when over racing passing the 1100 metres.

**OUR PRINCESS BOOT** (T Moseley) - Restrained to obtain cover after jumping from a wide barrier.

**ARDEE SEVEN** (A Goindasamy) - Over raced when being restrained approaching the 1200 metres. Lay inwards in the run home.

**TE KANAWA** (K Bakker) - Raced three wide without cover. Lay inwards in the run home and near the 250 metres became awkwardly placed on the heels of **FAKEITTILLUMAKEIT** having to be steadied.

**LUV ROSAY** (D Tait) - Made the bend passing the 800 metres awkwardly, with the rider reporting the filly had proved a difficult ride.

**Race 4** | **AGRAFORUM GROWING INNOVATION 1400m**

**LOUIE LOUIE** (L Douglas) - Slow away. Lay out rounding the final turn.

**LORD DARCI** (D Tait) - Over raced when being restrained in the early to middle stages.

**MASTER MARKO** (K Asano) - Lay inwards throughout the run home with the rider using the whip in the left hand.

**CHARBANO** (K Williams) - Rider advised she was not unhappy with the effort today, adding that the gelding would take natural benefit from its first up run for a month.

Following the running of this race, rider **K Mudhoo** advised Stewards he was unwell suffering the effects of wasting and was stood down from his remaining rides in Races 7 and 8.

**Race 5** | **DUNSTAN HORSE FEEDS 2200m**

**PROSERVE** (K Williams) - Steadied near the 2000 metres when **LEITRIM LAD** (T Moseley) shifted inwards when not fully clear. T Moseley was advised to exercise greater care.

**PRINCE ALBY** (Y Atchamah) - Raced keenly through the middle stages and near the 900 metres had to be steadied away from the heels of the runner in front. Held up early in the straight and did not find clear running until the 200 metres.

**LOFTYS GIFT** (K Bakker) - Lay inwards under pressure passing the 150 metres having to be straightened by the rider.

**LEITRIM LAD** (T Moseley) - Rider could offer no excuse for the disappointing performance.

**Race 6** | **BLACKWELLS ISUZU 2200m**

**MILFORD SOUND** (L Callaway) - Restrained to obtain cover after jumping from the outside barrier.

**BLUEGRASS DIXIE** (K Bakker) - Crowded leaving the barriers making contact with **PEECEE PUSSYCAT** losing ground.

**PEECEE PUSSYCAT** (Y Atchamah) - Contacted leaving the barriers losing ground. Raced wide through the early stages before improving forward to sit outside the leader. Rider advised that the gelding had hung throughout the running which had been detrimental to today's performance.

**MAYBE I'M DREAMING** (D Subramaniam) - Lay out passing the 2100 metres becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of **COSMETIC VIRTUE** (W Kennedy) which shifted in marginally having to be steadied for a distance. W Kennedy was

advised to exercise greater care. Placed in restricted room passing the 1500 metres having to be steadied when THEODEN (R Muniandy) shifted in briefly before being straightened by its rider. R Muniandy was shown a replay and advised to exercise greater care.

**THEODEN** (R Muniandy) - When being steadied shortly after the start shifted outwards striking a heel of TREATY OF PARIS and blundering near the 2000 metres. Continued to race keenly and was obliged to race three wide without cover for the remainder of the race. Inclined to shift ground throughout the run home.

**REGGIE RULER** (K Asano) - Got its head up when being steadied passing the 1200 metres, with the trailing EKSTREMEMISS also having to be steadied.

**EKSTREMEMISS** (T Moseley) - Steadied passing the 1200 metres.

**TREATY OF PARIS** (D Tait) - Rider could offer no tangible excuse for the performance other than the gelding may not have been comfortable on the heavy track surface today.

<b>Race 7</b>	<b>GALLAGHER INSURANCE 1200m</b>
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**BENAUD** (R Khan) - Began awkwardly getting its head up losing ground.

**VICTOR ROUGE** (D Tait) - Hampered leaving the barriers losing ground when RED INFERNO jumped outwards. Over raced in the early stages and wide for the majority of the race.

**RED INFERNO** (J Fawcett) - Jumped away awkwardly.

**GAME DUKE** (G Jogoo) - Slow away. Improved quickly onto heels of the runner in front near the 600 metres having to be steadied and shifting out to avoid those heels.

**ATAAHUA PIPEDREAM** (A Balloo) - Slow away.

**WHERE'S WALLY** (K Williams) - Over raced when being restrained passing the 1000 metres. Raced in restricted room when tiring near the 300 metres when SASSMAN shifted in. Rider was of the opinion the gelding had not been entirely comfortable with the sticky nature of today's heavy track conditions.

**SASSMAN** (L Callaway) - Raced wide without cover. Lay inwards early in the run home having to be straightened by the rider.

**IN DISGUISE** (L Hemi) - Briefly held up near the 150 metres having to shift ground inwards to find clear racing room and was inclined to lay out over the concluding stages.

<b>Race 8</b>	<b>AGRAFORUM ZUMSIL 1400m</b>
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**RUBY SUNRISE** (Y Atchamah) - Due to no suitable replacement rider being available, permission was granted for Y Atchamah to ride claiming 1kg. Raced in restricted room for a short distance passing the 200 metres when runners either side shifted ground.

**VALYRIAN** (K Bakker) - Slow away.

**THE IMMIGRANT** (K Williams) - Slow away. Had some trouble finding clear racing room early in the run home and lay inwards passing the 200 metres having to be straightened by the rider.

**TAVERNIA** (S Wynne) - Jumped away awkwardly losing ground.

**DENARAU** (L Hemi) - Raced ungenerously getting its head up when in restricted room being restrained to take a trailing position.

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

**VICTORIAN CHARM** (L Douglas) - Raced keenly for a distance passing the 1000 metres getting its head up on a number of occasions when in restricted room to the inside of THE ROARING TIGER (T Moseley). T Moseley was advised to exercise greater care.

**S Wynne** (TAVERNIA) - Admitted a charge in that she struck her mount TAVERNIA 7 times prior to the 100 metre mark with another 4 strikes inside the final 100 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicator imposed a suspension of S Wynne's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Friday 12 July until the conclusion of racing on Sunday 21 July, 5 national riding days.

**Race 9**

**FUNDRAISING DINNER FOR AMANDA 19/07 @ ADDINGTON 1600m**

**SILK 'N' DALE** (D Subramaniam) - After becoming fractious in its barrier got its hind leg up and was removed to undergo a veterinary examination and cleared to race.

**MININJAGIRL** (L Callaway) - Slow to begin.

**ZADANE** (G Jogoo) - Restrained from a wide draw to obtain cover.

**ELLENAWROE** (K Bakker) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

**REVERBERATIONS** (L Hemi) - Began awkwardly shifting out and contacting WAIHORA MISS.

**HIDALGO** (T Moseley) - Raced ungenerously for a distance passing the 1300 metres having to be steadied away from heels.

**CRUISE** (R Jaun) - Raced wide without cover for the majority of the race. Passing the 200 metres was placed in restricted room when DELMONICO lay inwards before being straightened by its rider.

**WAIHORA MIST** (A Goindasamy) - Held up through the middle part of the run home having to be steadied when awkwardly placed on the heels of FREEDOM REINS.

**STASH** (D Tait) - Held up in the run home only gaining clear racing room inside the final 200 metres.

**DELMONICO** (K Asano) - Was inclined to shift ground throughout the run home and near the 250 metres shifted in crowding an inside runner before being straightened by its rider.

**DEEP BEAUTY** (W Kennedy) - Rider reported the gelding had been disappointing with the blinkers removed today.

*Stipendiary Stewards report as posted is provisional and subject to further review and amendment*