



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Waikato Thoroughbred Racing at Te Rapa
Date: Saturday, 23 December 2023
Weather: Overcast
Track: Good 4
Rail: Out 9 metres
Stewards: A Dooley (Chair), B Jones, G Stewart
Vet: R McQuillan MVB, G Sommerville BVSc
Op Support: K Verner

SUMMARY

Suspensions: Race 8 **D Cooper** ORSOME DUDE
Careless riding 250 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 31/12 - 5/1, 6 days

Fines: Nil

Warnings: Race 8 **T Moodley** HARLOW ROCKS
Whip use in consecutive strides [Rule 638(3)(g)(ii)]

Protests: Nil

Request for Ruling: Nil

Horse Actions: Race 8 **MCGRATH**
Warning, barrier manners

Follow Up: Race 3 **SHOES**

Rider Changes: Race 3 **KITH 'N' KIN**
N Hailey replaced N Parmar

4 **TURNMEON**
T Moodley replaced N Parmar

5 **WAIRAU COVE**
T Moodley replaced N Parmar

6 **MINESHAFT**
K Myers replaced N Parmar

7 **ASTERIX**
A Lawson-Carroll replaced N Parmar

8 **MCGRATH**
B Jacobson replaced N Parmar

Late Scratchings: Nil

Medical Certificates: Required from N Parmar

Swabbing: THE ODYSSEY, MAFIA MAMMA, JAARFFI, VERISMO, CHURCHILLIAN, MINESHAFT,
LINGJUN XIONGFENG, KLAIRELLE

GENERAL

Following the running of Race 2 apprentice rider N Parmar advised Stewards that he was unwell and was stood down from his remaining rides due to being dehydrated. N Parmar is to provide a medical clearance prior to riding next.

SUPPLEMENTARY

Matamata Racing Club – Friday, 22 December 2023
Race 9 BELL & GRAHAM MAIDEN 1400

B Jacobson (SMOKESHOW) - Admitted a charge in the he used his whip with an action which raised the rider's arm above shoulder height over the final 100 metres with the Adjudicative Committee imposing a fine of \$250.

RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 **WAIKATO DRAUGHT 2100**

ROCHMIE RAY (J Kamaruddin) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Raced keenly passing the 1500 metres having to be steadied off heels.

MAHOE (M Cameron) - Raced keenly in the early stages. When questioned regarding the performance rider advised that he was disappointed with the gelding's effort and could offer no explanation.

PEACE TRAIN (L Satherley) - Raced wide in the early stages before improving forward to settle outside the leader near the 1400 metres. Came together with **ARHAY'S FLIGHT** near the 300 metres.

THE ODYSSEY (C Barnes) - Raced three wide without cover from near the 1200 metres.

ARJAY'S FLIGHT (J Fawcett) - Came together with **PEACE TRAIN** near the 300 metres. When questioned regarding the performance rider advised that in her opinion the gelding would appreciate a track with more give.

MADAME LE FAY (N Parmar) - Rider dropped his whip near the 300 metres.

CINDY FALLS (K Myers) - Rider dropped her whip near the 50 metres.

Race 2 **NATIONWIDE LIVESTOCK MAIDEN 1200**

ITHASSTOBE GIN (T Newman) - Knuckled on jumping away.

GASGAL (J Fawcett) - Slow to begin.

RIDGEVIEW VICKY (N Parmar) - Knuckled on jumping away losing ground.

MOET DOWN (S Weatherley) – Raced wide without cover in the early stages before obtaining three wide cover from near the 700 metres.

TOMOE GOZEN (J Kamaruddin) - Raced three wide without cover throughout. Lay out rounding the final bend.

DISTINGUISHED (T Moodley) - Lay out approaching the 700 metres making contact with **MOET DOWN**. Held up for clear running early in the final straight.

MAFIA MAMMA (K Myers) – When questioned regarding the improved performance trainer advised that the filly had appreciated being freshened up since last racing.

Race 3 **PETER R WILSON MEMORIAL 1200**

KITH 'N' KIN (N Hailey) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

SALONIUS (U Holmquist) - Began awkwardly then crowded shortly after having to be steadied.

SHOES (B Jacobson) - Knuckled leaving the barriers. Lay out rounding the final bend and early in the straight. When questioned regarding the performance rider advised that the filly had travelled well during the running, however,

when placed under pressure, had failed to respond. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which found the filly to have a delayed recovery. Stewards will follow up the post-race condition of the filly with connections in the coming days.

BRAVE SPIRIT (M Cameron) - Raced wide in the early stages before being allowed to improve forward to settle outside the leader near the 800 metres.

JAARFFI (V Colgan) - Steadied off heels when racing keenly passing the 800 metres. Shifted in and away from SALONIUS approaching the 200 metres and as a result GOLDEN HUE was briefly placed in restricted room.

GOLDEN HUE (B Rogerson) - Briefly steadied approaching the 200 metres when placed in restricted room.

Race 4	DUNSTAN HORSEFEEDS 2400
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KIWI MAN (A Goindasamy) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Lay out when placed under pressure passing the 300 metres.

MR FAHRENHEIT (B Rogerson) – Crowded shortly after the start having to be steadied.

FARAG (C Barnes) – Raced wide in the early stages before being allowed to improve forward to lead near the 1400 metres.

SELVA VERDE (T Newman) – Raced keenly through the early and middle stages.

CHARLIE CHUCKLE (N Hailey) – Raced three wide without cover for a majority of the race.

ROCK MY HEART (L Satherley) – Held up entering the final straight.

LOFTYS GIFT (S Weatherley) – Held up rounding the final bend before shifting outwards to obtain clear running near the 375 metres.

Race 5	LODGE REAL ESTATE 1400
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DAWN PARADE (E Nicholas) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

DEEBEE ZAPOWER (N Hailey) - Slow to begin.

MYLA (A Lawson-Carroll) - Slow to begin. Held up for clear running until approaching the 100 metres.

KIVA HAN (D Cooper) - Rider dropped his whip shortly after the start.

CHURCHILLIAN (V Colgan) – Raced wide in the early stages.

WAIRAU COVE (T Moodley) - Raced keenly through the early and middle stages. Had to be steadied off the heels of MODERNISE which shifted ground inwards when not fully clear near the 250 metres. Rider T Newman was advised to exercise greater care in similar circumstances.

RUSSIAN SATIRE (A Goindasamy) – Raced keenly through the early and middle stages. Lay out when placed under pressure over the final 100 metres.

SASSY MERLOT (J Fawcett) – Raced keenly through the early and middle stages when leading.

MODERNISE (T Newman) - Had to be steadied off heels approaching the 200 metres.

FREEZE FRAME (S Weatherley) - Held up until near the 150 metres.

Race 6

WAIKATO/BOP RACEHORSE OWNERS ASSOCIATION MAIDEN MILE 1600

MAGICAL ROAD (T Newman) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

FINAL PURCHASE (B Jacobson) - Raced three wide without cover from near the 900 metres. Rider dropped his whip near the 300 metres.

SHIMMERING (D Cooper) - Rider dropped his whip passing the 350 metres.

CAST OF DIAMONDS (V Colgan) - Shifted ground inwards approaching the 100 metres to obtain clear running.

SAYAN (T Moodley) – Lay out when placed under pressure over the final 100 metres. Lost the near hind plate during the running.

HE'S CLASSIC (A Lawson-Carroll) - Improved onto heels passing the 50 metres having to be steadied.

MATAKANA GIRL (S Weatherley) – When questioned regarding the performance rider advised that the filly travelled well during the running, however, when placed under pressure, had failed to respond.

SAXS 'N' SILKS (J Fawcett) - When questioned regarding the performance the rider advised that in her opinion the filly would appreciate a track with more give. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed no abnormalities.

Race 7

PRINT HOUSE MILE 1600

ACCIDENTAL TOURIST (V Colgan) - Began awkwardly losing ground. When questioned regarding the performance rider advised that the gelding travelled well during the running, however, when placed under pressure, had failed to respond. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed no abnormalities.

LINGJUN XIONGFENG (B Jacobson) - Slow to begin. Lay out when placed under pressure over the final 100 metres.

ASTERIX (A Lawson-Carroll) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

JUST A TIPPLE (J Fawcett) - Raced keenly through the early and middle stages.

MONZA (C Barnes) – Lay outwards rounding the final bend.

B Jacobson (LINGJUN XIONGFENG) - Reminded of his obligation with regards to making a celebratory gesture prior to the winning post.

Race 8

SKYCITY HAMILTON NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY MILE 1600

KLAIRELLE (S Weatherley) - Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination after becoming fractious in its barrier stall and was cleared to start.

MCGRATH (B Jacobson) - Slow to begin (5L). Became detached from the body of the field through the early and middle stages. Connections were advised a warning would be placed against the gelding's barrier manners.

WAIHI WARRIOR (U Holmquist) – Lay outwards rounding the final bend.

KENTUCKY ROSE (T Newman) - Had to be steadied approaching the 300 metres when racing to the inside of KLAIRELLE which shifted ground inwards when not fully clear. Rider S Weatherley was advised to exercise greater care in similar circumstances.

CHOOSE 'EM BIG (J Fawcett) - Had difficulty obtaining clear running until passing the 200 metres.

KHAFRE (K Myers) - Firmly contacted near the 250 metres.

HARLOW ROCKS (T Moodley) - Firmly contacted and unbalanced near the 250 metres.

OBADIAH (V Colgan) – Raced keenly through the early and middle stages. Placed in restricted room over the concluding stages having to be steadied away from heels.

T Moodley (HARLOW ROCKS) - Issued with a warning after using his whip in two consecutive strides on HARLOW ROCKS just prior to the winning post with Stewards taking into account his clear recent record with regards to a breach of this rule.

D Cooper (ORSOME DUDE) - Admitted a charge of careless riding after he permitted his mount to shift outwards when insufficiently clear of KHAFRE making firm contact with that runner which in turn shifted outwards contacting HARLOW ROCKS which was unbalanced near the 250 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of D Cooper's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Saturday 30 December up to and including racing on Friday 5 January, 6 national riding days.

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