

## STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

**MEETING DETAILS** 

Club: Rangitikei Racing Club @ Trentham

Date: Saturday, 18 May 2024

Weather: Overcast Track: Soft 7

Rail: Out 6 metres

Stewards: J Oatham (Chair), N Goodwin, B Bateup, V Algar (Remote), K Jillings (Trainee)

**Vet:** R Lenaghan MVB NUI

**Op Support:** S Shirriffs

SUMMARY			
Suspensions:	Race	6	T Davies GREYSTONE
			Careless riding 1900 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 23-30/5, 5 days
Fines:	Race	7	M Singh CHANNEL SURFER
			Arm above shoulder height (Rule 638(3)(f)(ii)] \$400
Warnings:	Race	4	A Mudhoo GREY INVADOR
			Shifting ground 100 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
		7	M Singh CHANNEL SURFER
			Shifting ground 300 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
Protests:	Nil		
Request for Ruling:	Nil		
Horse Actions:	Race	4	BATTLE HYMN
			Required to barrier trial
Follow Up:	Race	1	KNIGHTS REALM
			HAUGHTY
Rider Changes:	Race	2	SANIBEL
			K Hercock replaced M Cameron (injured)
		3	FARRAVALLO
			L Sutherland replaced W Pinn (injured)
		4	GREY INVADOR
			A Mudhoo replaced W Pinn
		5	REIGN IT IN
			L Allpress replaced W Pinn
		5	OPAWA JACK
			C Dell replaced M Cameron
		6	FAR SITE
			C Dell replaced W Pinn
		6	THE DUTCH DAME
			L Allpress replaced M Cameron
		7	CHANNEL SURFER
			M Singh replaced W Pinn
		8	UP THE ANTI
			A Mudhoo replaced W Pinn
		8	PHATS
			S O'Malley replaced M Cameron
Late Scratchings:	Race	4	BATTLE HYMN
			@ 1.45pm

### 7 PRIDE OF ASPEN

@ 2.00pm - no suitable rider available

Medical Certificates: Required from M Cameron

Required from W Pinn

Swabbing: KNIGHTS REALM, BOLD BELLE, KA YING LUCKY, GREY INVADOR, BELLE'S ECHO, LINCOLN

STAR, ISLINGTON LASS, LINCOLN FALLS, LATRELLE.

#### **GENERAL**

Nothing to report

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY**

Wanganui Jockey Club @ Wanganui, Thursday, 9 May 2024

Race 2 KEN DUNCAN RACING MAIDEN HURDLE 3000m

**CALL ME JACK (M Roustoby)** – Trainer Mr. K Myers reported to Stewards, he was satisfied with the post-race condition of CALL ME JACK and will continue on with the gelding's current preparation.

# Taranaki Racing Inc at Pukekura Raceway, New Plymouth, Saturday, 11 May 2024 Race 2 A B ELECTRICAL LTD 2YO 1200m

**PLEASING (L Allpress)** – Trainer Mr. M Breslin advised Stewards, that on Monday 13 May, PLEASING underwent a veterinary examination which included blood test with no abnormalities being detected. M Breslin further advised it is his intention to continue on with the filly's current preparation.

## Race 7 LANDMARK HOMES 1800m

WHITE NOISE – Connections advised that the gelding has now been retired from racing.

## **RACE COMMENTS**

## Race 1 TAB ODDS SURGE EVERY RACE AT TRENTHAM MAIDEN 1400m

LET'S GET LOOSE (C Lindsay) - Jumped away awkwardly shifting outwards contacting HAUGHTY.

**HAUGHTY** (M Cameron) - Contacted at the start. Raced keenly in the early stages.

**HAND ME DOWN** (J Mudhoo) - Began awkwardly shifting outwards contacting HEADLINE NEWS and as a result was slow away. Held up passing the 400 metres and did not obtain clear running until inside the final 200 metres.

**DEADLY PONY** (K Hercock) - Slow away.

**HEADLINE NEWS** (L Allpress) - Contacted at the start.

**ARBITRATE** (M Singh) - Raced three-wide without cover.

**KNIGHTS REALM** (W Pinn) - Shied and ducked outwards when being eased down after the finish, dislodging its rider and bringing down HAUGHTY (M Cameron), which fell, also dislodging its rider. HAUGHTY lay on the track winded for some time before regaining its feet. Both KNIGHTS REALM and HAUGHTY were attended to by the veterinarian and found to be uninjured. W Pinn and M Cameron both required medical attention and were exempted from weighingin. Both riders were stood down from their remaining engagements and required to provide medical clearances prior to riding next.

## Race 2 HAPPY 80<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY GARRY CHITTICK 1100m

WEWILLROCK (J Riddell) - Raced keenly in the early stages. Lost a hind plate leaving the barriers.

## Race 3 TAGS ACCOUNTING 1000m

**MAKETAWA MISS** (L Allpress) - Jumped away awkwardly. Raced wide throughout. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that the mare had not felt comfortable in today's track conditions. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

**STRIDES** (M McNab) - Jumped away awkwardly losing ground. When questioned regarding performance rider was of the opinion the gelding would be better suited over more ground.

**POPSAGOOSEY** (J Riddell) - Restrained to obtain cover after jumping from a wide barrier.

THATZ DAISY (A Lawson-Carroll) - Raced wide throughout.

**FARRAVALLO** (L Sutherland) - Had to be steadied and shift inwards when awkwardly placed near the heels of MAKETAWA MISS approaching the 300 metres.

## Race 4 WATERFORCE MAIDEN 1600m

**BATTLE HYMN** (M Singh) - Became fractious in the barriers before being declared a late scratching at 1.45pm due to blood being present in the mouth and an abrasion to the right hock. Trainer C Cromarty was advised the gelding is required to barrier trial to the satisfaction of Stipendiary Stewards prior to racing next.

**BUTTON YA LIP** (L Hemi) - Slow away.

**SHE'S PATSY** (K Hercock) - Slow away.

CRY BABY (J Mudhoo) - Slow away.

**RIVER DANCE** (L Sutherland) - Over-raced when being restrained passing the 1400 metres, then racing wide without cover throughout.

**CONEY ISLAND** (C Dell) - Inclined to shift ground under pressure throughout the straight. Contacted and bumped inwards by GREY INVADOR (A Mudhoo) on two occasions passing the 100 metres. Prior to the authorisation of dividends connections viewed Stewards film footage before electing not to proceed with a protest.

**TIKEMYSON** (L Allpress) - Shifted ground under pressure in the straight making contact with GREY INVADOR (A Mudhoo) near the 200 metres, when both runners shifted ground, then having to check off the heels of CONEY ISLAND which lay outwards abruptly despite the efforts of its rider. A Mudhoo and C Dell were both advised to exercise care.

**GREY INVADOR** (A Mudhoo) - Inclined to lay inwards in the straight, making contact with TIKEMYSON near the 200 metres. Then again shifted inwards making contact with CONEY ISLAND on two occasions passing the 100 metres.

**A Mudhoo** (GREY INVADOR) - Issued with a warning after permitting his mount to shift inwards making contact with CONEY ISLAND passing the 100 metres.

### Race 5 AB EQUIPMENT & SPEIRS FINANCE 1400m

**REIGN IT IN** (L Allpress) - Slow to begin, losing several lengths. When questioned regarding performance rider advised that after a poor beginning the gelding had then over-raced in the middle stages and had been unable to finish the race off.

**CARPE DIEM** (J Chung) - Lay outwards under pressure over the final 200 metres.

**BENEFACTOR** (K Hercock) - Had to steady away from the heels of ROCKTILYOUDROP near the 200 metres.

#### Race 6 JOHN TUKINGTON FORESTRY 2200m

**SMART ATTIRE** (M Singh) - Restrained to obtain cover after jumping from the outside barrier.

MASSO (L Hemi) - Restrained to obtain cover after jumping from a wide barrier.

**DIVINE SPIRIT** (J Chung) - Checked to avoid the heels of GREYSTONE (T Davies) which shifted in near the 1900 metres. DIVINE SPIRIT was then allowed to improve forward to lead near the 1700 metres. Lay outwards under pressure having to be straightened near the 100 metres.

FREE SPIRIT (K Hercock) - Crowded to the inside of DIVINE SPIRIT near the 1900 metres.

FAR SITE (C Dell) - Steadied to avoid the heels of DIVINE SPIRIT near the 1900 metres.

JUSTASPERCY (L Sutherland) - Held up rounding the final turn until near the 400 metres.

**GREYSTONE** (T Davies) - Lost a hind plate during the running.

**T Davies** (GREYSTONE) – Admitted a charge of careless riding in that she permitted her mount to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear of DIVINE SPIRIT, which was checked near the 1900 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of her licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Wednesday, 22 May, until the conclusion of racing on Thursday, 30 May, 5 national riding days.

## Race 7 JAMES BULL RANGITIKEI CUP (Listed Race) 1600m

**CHANNEL SURFER** (M Singh) - M Singh was given permission to ride 1kg overweight as there was no other suitable replacement available for W Pinn. Bumped with KING OF HEARTS on a number of occasions near the 700 metres. Lay outwards rounding the final turn and early in the straight making contact with KING OF HEARTS near the 400 metres continuing to lay outwards under pressure, again making contact with KING OF HEARTS near the 300 metres.

**JUSTASKME** (J Riddell) - Crowded leaving the barriers losing ground.

HACKSAW RIDGE (J Chung) - Jumped away awkwardly making contact with LIFFEY.

**LIFFEY** (K Hercock) - Contacted leaving the barriers. Held up early in the straight and continued to have difficulty obtaining clear running until inside the final 200 metres.

**ENRICO** (S O'Malley) - Over-raced passing the 1000 metres.

**KING OF HEARTS** (L Hemi) - Bumped with CHANNEL SURFER on a number of occasions near the 700 metres. Contacted near the 400 metres then again near the 300 metres.

LINCOLN FALLS (A Lawson-Carroll) - Inclined to lay inwards under pressure in the straight.

**M Singh** (CHANNEL SURFER) - Admitted a charge in that he used his whip with an action which raised his arm above shoulder height, being fined the sum of \$400 by the Adjudicative Committee.

**M Singh** (CHANNEL SURFER) - Issued with a warning after permitting his mount to shift outwards making firm contact with KING OF HEARTS near the 300 metres.

## Race 8 SOUTHERN RANGITIKEI VETS & TRANSAG CENTRE 1600m

**OBADIAH** (K Hercock) - Slow away. Lay inwards early in the straight.

**UNSCRIPTED** (J Riddell) - Hampered leaving the barriers.

**MORUS** (T Davies) - Commenced to race ungenerously when being steadied near the 1400 metres, being inclined to get its head up in the run down the back straight hampering NUN SO BAD near the 1300 metres.

**NUN SO BAD** (J Chung) - Hampered near the 1300 metres. Over-raced when being restrained to avoid the heels of MORUS passing the 1000 metres.

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