



# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

## MEETING DETAILS

**Club:** Riccarton Park - Riccarton Turf  
**Date:** Saturday, 4 May 2024  
**Weather:** Fine  
**Track:** Soft 5  
**Rail:** Out 5 metres  
**Stewards:** J Oatham (Chair), M Davidson, D Wadley, V Algar (remote)  
**Vet:** A Corser BVSc, D Williamson BVSc  
**Op Support:** C McMullan

## SUMMARY

<b>Suspensions:</b>	Race	2	<b>T Ladouceur</b> LA BELLA NERA Careless riding 1000 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 5/5-12/5, 6 days
		9	<b>A Goindasamy</b> OUR MILLY BEE Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)] Suspended 12/5-19/5, 5 days
		9	<b>R Jaun</b> HEREIGOAGAIN Careless riding 1800 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 5/5-11/5, 5 days
<b>Fines:</b>	Race	2	<b>R Patterson</b> SINBIN Late declaration of rider [Rule 537(a)] \$50
<b>Warnings:</b>	Race	4	<b>K Asano</b> ZIGGY STARDUST Excessive use of whip [Rule 638(3)(g)(i)]
		9	<b>C Campbell</b> GENERATION JOY Shifting ground 1800 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
<b>Protests:</b>	Nil		
<b>Request for Ruling:</b>	Nil		
<b>Horse Actions:</b>	Race	8	<b>IT'S THE VIBE</b> Required to barrier trial on multiple occasions
<b>Follow Up:</b>	Nil		
<b>Rider Changes:</b>	Nil		
<b>Late Scratchings:</b>	Nil		
<b>Medical Certificates:</b>	Nil		
<b>Swabbing:</b>	SASSMAN, MOTIONTIME, ZOULANDER, DISCRETION RULES, ZIGGY STARDUST, STAR BALLOT, BOOMTOWN BOY, HARLECH, DANGEROUS LIAISONS, OCEAN LIGHT		

## GENERAL

Nothing to report

## SUPPLEMENTARY

**South Canterbury Racing Club – Wednesday 24 April 2024**

**Race 4 – HOSPITALITY NEW ZEALAND (SC BRANCH) MILE 1600m**

**JUST MAYBE** (K Williams) - Trainer advised that blood tests taken post-race had found the mare to be suffering from a virus receiving the appropriate treatment and would be freshened.

## RACE COMMENTS

<b>Race 1</b>	<b>RICCARTON PARK FUNCTION CENTRE 1200m</b>
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**ON THE WALL** (A Goindasamy) - Slow to begin.

**GEMMA FLITZ** (D Cooper) - Began awkwardly shifting outwards crowding outside runners. Lay out rounding the final turn and continued to do so in the straight.

**GOLDEN HARVEST** (J Doyle) - Crowded at the start losing ground. Held up entering the straight having to angle outwards across heels to obtain clear running near the 250 metres.

**AVITUS** (A Balloo) - Crowded at the start losing ground.

**TAVERNIA** (L Allpress) - Jumped away awkwardly.

**YOSHIME** (K Bakker) - Jumped away awkwardly losing ground. Was unable to obtain clear running throughout the straight.

**MISS BRITTANY** (K Asano) - Bounded at the start.

**JUSTANACE** (K Chowdhury) - Taken back from a wide draw to obtain cover shortly after the start.

**TOMASINA** (C Campbell) - Over raced in the early stages. Had some trouble obtaining clear running early in the run home.

**MOVIE GIRL** (T Comignaghi) - Rider dropped the whip shortly after leaving the barriers. Steadied when awkwardly placed near the heels of NUNCIO near the 450 metres then continued to be held up entering the final straight and was unable to obtain clear running throughout the straight.

**FINGERPRINTED** (S Wynne) - Held up early in the straight.

**DEEP BEAUTY** (N Parmar) - Rider dropped his whip near the 350 metres.

**BRANCASTER BOMBER** (D Tait) - Briefly crowded when weakening after SASSMAN (L Callaway) lay inwards under pressure near the 150 metres. L Callaway was advised to exercise greater care.

**NUNCIO** (T Moseley) - When questioned regarding performance, rider was unable to offer any excuse other than the gelding getting worked up prior to the race and may possibly have held its breath throughout the running.

<b>Race 2</b>	<b>THE TEA HOUSE OPEN DAYS 4-5 MAY 1200m</b>
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**PISCO SOUR** (K Asano) - Shifted outwards abruptly at the start badly hampering EXPRESS COUP and SINBIN.

**SINBIN** (Y Atchamah) - Badly hampered when crowded at the start losing ground.

**EXPRESS COUP** (L Hemi) - Badly hampered when crowded at the start losing ground. Over raced when being steadied off heels near the 1000 metres.

**ZACAT** (S Wynne) - Slow to begin.

**MAGNETO** (K Williams) - Unbalanced when contacted shortly after the start when inside runners shifted out.

**INFLAMED** (C Campbell) - Steadied to avoid the heels of LA BELLA NERA near the 1000 metres.

**SORCHA** (A Goindasamy) - Slow to begin. Held up rounding the bend near the 500 metres and early in the run home.

**KITH 'N' KIN** (N Parmar) - Held up entering the straight and again being held up from the 150 metres only gaining clear running just short of the finish.

**BLUE VEIN** (D Tait) - Got its head up for some distance when being steadied to avoid the heels of LA BELLA NERA passing the 1000 metres.

**ANGELS WINGS** (J Doyle) - Held up early in the run home gaining clear racing room passing the 250 metres.

**MARYWEKA** (L Allpress) - Had trouble obtaining clear running early in the run home until inside the final 200 metres.

**T Ladouceur** (LA BELLA NERA) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he permitted his mount LA BELLA NERA to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear of BLUE VEIN which was crowded having to be firmly restrained for a distance passing the 1000 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of T Ladouceur's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Saturday 4 May until the conclusion of racing on Sunday 12 May, 6 national riding days.

<b>Race 3</b>	<b>BUSH INN TAVERN OPEN SPRINT 1200m</b>
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**GOODANYA** (Y Atchamah) - Slow to begin.

**MAKABAR** (K Chowdhury) - Slow to begin.

**BENAUD** (A Najib) - Slow to begin.

**SPARTAN** (S Wynne) - Shifted inwards abruptly when struck with the whip near the 250 metres having to be straightened by its rider and was inclined to lay in throughout the remainder of the run home.

**SASSY MERLOT** (L Allpress) - When questioned regarding performance, rider was unable to offer any excuse other than coming back in distance today. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality.

<b>Race 4</b>	<b>BERKLEY STUD CHAMPAGNE STAKES 1200m</b>
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**OAKSDEEL** (L Hemi) - Slow to begin. Raced greenly through the early stages. Briefly held up early in the straight having to be steadied off heels.

**LIL ZENA** (S Wynne) - Blundered leaving the barriers.

**MAMAEA** (J Doyle) - Shifted outwards at the start contacting GREAT TIME.

**PORTHOUSE LADY** (T Moseley) - Jumped away awkwardly making contact with DISCRETION RULES. Over raced in the middle stages.

**DISCRETION RULES** (N Parmar) - Contacted at the start.

**GREAT TIME** (K Williams) - Dipped shortly after the start when contacted by MAMAEA which shifted outwards. When questioned regarding performance, rider advised that the filly had been inclined to over race in the lead and may be feeling the effects of recent racing and travelling. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality. Trainer advised that GREAT TIME will now be sent for a spell.

**K Asano** (ZIGGY STARDUST) - Issued with a warning after he struck his mount ZIGGY STARDUST 6 times prior to the 100 metre mark, with Stewards taking into account his clear recent record.

<b>Race 5</b>	<b>HORNBY CLUB FOUNDERS CUP HANDICP 2600m</b>
<p><b>STAR BALLOT</b> (L Allpress) - Crowded at the start losing ground.</p> <p><b>STEVE AUSTIN</b> (D Cooper) - Blundered leaving the barriers. Over raced in the middle stages on a moderate tempo and was allowed to improve forward to lead passing the 1200 metres.</p> <p><b>AMAZON GODDESS</b> (J Doyle) - Over raced when leading through the early to middle stages.</p> <p><b>MY DEGREE</b> (T Moseley) - Had to be steadied when awkwardly placed on heels near the 700 metres.</p>	
<b>Race 6</b>	<b>PGG WRIGHTSON SEEDS 1800m</b>
<p><b>PROSERVE</b> (L Allpress) - Very slow to begin.</p> <p><b>TREYBON</b> (T Moseley) - Began awkwardly losing ground.</p> <p><b>PEECEE PUSSYCAT</b> (Y Atchamah) - Slow to begin. Raced three wide without cover until improving to lead near the 1000 metres. Lay inwards early in the straight.</p> <p><b>TURF WAR</b> (S Wynne) - Slow to begin then ridden forward to recover.</p> <p><b>FIVE PRINCES</b> (A Balloo) - Taken back from a wide draw to obtain cover shortly after the start.</p>	
<b>Race 7</b>	<b>AVON CITY FORD EASTER CUP 1600m</b>
<p><b>THE BUFFER</b> (Y Atchamah) - Slow to begin. Contacted near the 200 metres.</p> <p><b>HARLECH</b> (L Allpress) - Held up rounding the bend and early in the run home before shifting outwards across heels to obtain clear running near the 300 metres.</p> <p><b>CHARBANO</b> (K Chowdhury) - Inconvenienced near the 300 metres when HARLECH (L Allpress) shifted outwards when not fully clear, then being held up for a short distance. L Allpress was advised to exercise greater care.</p> <p><b>GO LOTTE</b> (K Bakker) - Held up near the 250 metres and when angling outwards across heels to obtain clear running made contact with THE BUFFER near the 200 metres. K Bakker was advised to exercise greater care.</p> <p><b>BURGIE</b> (C Campbell) - Raced in restricted room near the 200 metres then again near the 100 metres having to be steadied.</p>	
<b>Race 8</b>	<b>BIRCHFIELD'S GLASS &amp; GLAZING (2023) LTD 1600m</b>
<p><b>IT'S THE VIBE</b> (D Tait) – Very slow to begin then attempted to buck losing further ground. Co-trainer A Harrington was advised that given IT'S THE VIBE's record of similar occurrences the gelding would be required to barrier trial satisfactorily on multiple occasions prior to being permitted to race again. Connections confirmed that IT'S THE VIBE will be sent for a lengthy spell.</p> <p><b>CULLINAN</b> (J Doyle) - Slow to begin.</p> <p><b>VAUDEVIRE</b> (B May) - After being initially slow to begin further hampered when WARLAC shifted outwards at the start losing ground.</p> <p><b>RUBICON REIGNS</b> (L Callaway) - Slow to begin. Raced three wide without cover in the early stages.</p>	

**ANNELIESE** (C Campbell) - Restrained from a wide draw shortly after the start to obtain cover. Over raced in the early stages and near the 1400 metres became awkwardly placed on heels having to be restrained then over racing.

**THE IMMIGRANT** (L Allpress) - Raced wide without cover from the 1000 metres. Was inclined to lay inwards under pressure in the straight becoming awkwardly placed near the heels of SAILING AWAY passing the 100 metres, and was then not ridden out over the concluding stages with the rider reporting the gelding was continuing to hang inwards badly.

**DANGEROUS LIAISONS** (S Wynne) - Shifted inwards abruptly after being struck with the whip near the 300 metres hampering SAILING AWAY and PLENTY O' STYLE which were both forced inwards. S Wynne was advised to exercise greater care.

**SAILING AWAY** (N Parmar) - Hampered near the 300 metres.

**PLENTY O' STYLE** (A Goindasamy) - Hampered near the 300 metres.

<b>Race 9</b>	<b>ROHAN MUDHOO TRUST FUNDRAISER 2000m</b>
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**LUSCIOUS LOVER** (S Wynne) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

**THISTLE** (D Tait) - Slow to begin.

**RUBY SUNRISE** (B May) - Eased shortly after the start to obtain a position closer to the running rail.

**PACKING TAVI** (L Callaway) - Over raced in the early stages and had to be restrained off heels when CAN'T KACH ME was checked near the 1800 metres then continuing to over race for a distance.

**CAN'T KACH ME** (N Parmar) - Checked when crowded passing the 1800 metres.

**FAH LUN** (K Mudhoo) – Crowded near the 1800 metres.

**VAMOS** (Y Atchamah) - Over raced in the early stages. Steadied near the 1800 metres going back onto GENTLE BEN which had to be restrained.

**GENTLE BEN** (T Comignaghi) - Had to be firmly restrained to avoid the heels of VAMOS near the 1800 metres getting its head up.

**TELLME YOU LOVEME** (D Cooper) - Commenced to over race near the 1600 metres with the saddle shifting forward shortly after placing the rider at a disadvantage, then being allowed to stride forward to lead.

**OUR MILLY BEE** (A Goindasamy) - Held up early in the straight then continued to have difficulty obtaining clear running until near the 250 metres.

**C Campbell** (GENERATION JOY) - Issued with a warning after permitting his mount GENERATION JOY to shift inwards when not fully clear of VAMOS rounding the first turn near the 1800 metres.

**A Goindasamy** (OUR MILLY BEE) - Admitted a charge in that he struck his mount OUR MILLY BEE 7 times prior to the 100 metre mark. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of A Goindasamy's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Saturday 11 May until the conclusion of racing on Sunday 19 May, 5 national riding days.

**R Jaun** (HEREIGOAGAIN) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he permitted his mount HEREIGOAGAIN to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear of FAH LUN which was dictated inwards crowding CAN'T KACH ME which was checked near the 1800 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of R Jaun's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Saturday 4 May until the conclusion of racing on Saturday 11 May, 5 national riding days.

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