



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Wanganui Jockey Club @ Wanganui
Date: Friday, 9 February 2024
Weather: Fine
Track: Good 4
Rail: Out 4 metres
Stewards: V Algar (Chair), N Goodwin, M Hepburn
Vet: J Bell BVSc
Op Support: S Shirriffs

SUMMARY

Suspensions: Race 5 **T Allan PERFECT POSY**
Shifting ground 1000 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 10-18/2, 6 days

Fines: Nil

Warnings: Race 3 **C Butler STIPULATOR**
Shifting ground 150 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]

Protests: Nil

Request for Ruling: Nil

Horse Actions: Nil

Follow Up: Nil

Rider Changes: Race 2 **IVA MISSION**
J Doyle replaced M McNab (unwell)

3 **BELLA TIMING**
K Asano replaced M McNab

4 **IS THAT SO**
C Grylls replaced M McNab

5 **HASBULLA**
C Dell replaced M McNab

7 **FIRST EDITION**
L Hemi replaced K Hercock (injured)

8 **JUSTIFY THAT**
C Dell replaced M McNab

8 **YELLOW JERSEY**
S O'Malley replaced K Hercock

9 **BENEFACTOR**
L Hemi replaced K Hercock

9 **LOCH IN ORA**
K Asano replaced M McNab

Late Scratchings:

Medical Certificates: Received from T Mitchell
Required by M McNab
Required by K Hercock

Swabbing: THE UNDERBELLY, ENRICO, SINDEE, BRADMAN, BRIDAL TRAIN, ZA SPIRIT, RACE ACE, KHAFRE, FRANK THE TANK.

GENERAL

M McNab advised Stewards on race day morning that he was unwell and would not be attending today's meeting. M McNab is now required to provide a medical certificate prior to riding next.

SUPPLEMENTARY

Nothing to report

RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 | **WANGANUI FUNCTION CENTRE 2060m**

LLANACORD (S O'Malley) - Began awkwardly, making contact with **INMYSHADOW** and as a result lost ground.

INMYSHADOW (J Riddell) - Slow to begin and was then contacted.

BECAUSE (T Mitchell) - Raced three-wide without cover for the majority of the event. Commenced to give ground passing the 600 metres, finishing a distant last. When questioned rider advised that despite being three-wide throughout the gelding had failed to run on and had been disappointing. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

FINAL RETURN (C Dell) - Lay inwards under pressure over the concluding stages making brief contact with **CHIKIRA LASS**.

CHIKIRA LASS (K Asano) - Briefly contacted concluding stages.

Race 2 | **LA NUOVA DRY CLEANERS 2060m**

NOTHING UNUSUAL (L Sutherland) - Slow to begin.

TAKE ON (U Holmquist) - Slow to begin. Had to steady when becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of **NOTHING UNUSUAL**, which was dictated outwards when **ENRICO** (M Hudson) shifted out to obtain clear running near the 150 metres. M Hudson was advised to exercise greater care.

ROULADE (K Asano) - Slow to begin. Raced three-wide without cover from the 1150 metres.

IVA MISSION (J Doyle) - Began awkwardly, making contact with **LURID** and as a result lost ground.

LURID (M Hashizume) - Contacted at the start.

WALKINTHEPARK (C Barnes) - Slow to begin. Raced wide without cover through the early stages.

FABLUE (J Chung) - Raced three-wide without cover through the early stages.

ENRICO (M Hudson) - Raced keenly through the early and middle stages.

MAKKALDEE (K Hercock) - Raced keenly through the early and middle stages.

THE TRUE BELIEVER (L Allpress) - When questioned regarding performance rider could offer no excuse. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

Race 3 | **WANGANUI STEELFORMERS 3YO 1200m**

STIPULATOR (C Butler) - Began awkwardly making contact with **SINDEE** and as a result lost ground. Raced ungenerously through the early and middle stages. Raced wide without cover throughout. Shifted inwards under pressure in the home straight.

SINDEE (C Grylls) - Contacted at the start.

BELLA TIMING (K Asano) - When racing keenly lay outwards rounding the bend near the 1000 metres.

TIVACI'S AFFAIR (L Allpress) - Raced three-wide without cover throughout.

TIGHTLY LACED (J Doyle) - Held up for a run approaching the 200 metres, with the filly going to the line not fully tested.

REVOLT (M Hashizume) - Jostled for several strides when attempting a marginal run which narrowed near the 150 metres when TIVACI'S AFFAIR shifted outwards simultaneously as STIPULATOR (C Butler) shifted inwards under hard riding. M Hashizume, and C Butler in the presence of the Apprentice Mentor, were shown footage. Stewards took into account outward movement from TIVACI'S AFFAIR when assessing the interference but spoke to C Butler advisedly regarding shifting ground under hard riding and issued her with a warning.

C Butler (STIPULATOR) - Issued with a warning after allowing her mount to shift inwards near the 150 metres.

Race 4	LIQUORLAND WANGANUI 1200m
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SCELTA DI ELENA (M Singh) - Began awkwardly, shifting outwards crowding outside runners.

MEGLIO DI FALCREST (L Allpress) - Crowded at the start then becoming awkwardly placed on heels, having to be steadied and as a result lost ground.

PRIORESS (K Asano) - Began awkwardly and was then crowded, losing ground.

BELLE'S ECHO (C Barnes) - Shifted inwards at the start, crowding inside runners.

ACE ROYALE (K Hercock) - Rider dropped right rein which was quickly regathered passing the 200 metres.

Race 5	WANGANUI-TARANAKI OWNERS ASSOCIATION MAIDEN 1360m
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HASBULLA (C Dell) - Began awkwardly.

JUST BEN (J Doyle) - Shifted outwards at the start crowding outside runners, losing ground.

ELLA KATE (J Chung) - Contacted and crowded at the start, having to be steadied off heels, losing ground.

PERFECT POSY (T Allan) - Contacted and crowded at the start, losing ground.

RECOMMENDHER (M Hashizume) - Contacted at the start. Raced keenly through the early and middle stages.

LETS ALL BOOGIE (M Hudson) - Raced three-wide without cover throughout. Contacted 200 metres.

QUINTAIN (K Hercock) - Raced keenly through the early and middle stages.

THE SCUNNER (L Sutherland) - Checked near the 1000 metres.

WAL (J Riddell) - Dictating wider 1000 metres.

BRIDAL TRAIN (C Grylls) - Lay inwards under pressure passing the 200 metres, making contact with LETS ALL BOOGIE.

T Allan (PERFECT POSY) - Defended a charge of careless riding in that he allowed his mount to shift outwards near the 1000 metres dictating WAL outwards into the line of THE SCUNNER, which was checked. After hearing submissions, the Adjudicator found the charged proved and imposed a suspension of his licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing today, Friday, 9 February, up to and including racing on Sunday, 18 February, 6 national riding days.

Race 6 | **ARIZTO REAL ESTATE WITH SHAREN TUNNELL 1360m**

ERNA (T Taiaroa) - Slow to begin. Improved on to heels, having to be steadied when racing keenly near the 1000 metres.

PLATINUM SIXTY SIX (J Riddell) - Slow to begin. Hampered 400 metres.

BOW STREET (J Chung) - Raced three-wide without cover throughout.

HAPPY HERO (L Sutherland) - Held up rounding the final bend and raced in restricted room for the majority of the final straight, with the gelding going to the line not fully tested.

RUBY SEEKER (J Doyle) - Had to steady when becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of ZA SPIRIT (L Allpress), which lay inwards under pressure passing the 250 metres. L Allpress was advised to exercise greater care.

WAITUI ROSE (T Davies) - Held up through the early stages of the final straight, having to shift outwards across heels to obtain clear running near the 250 metres. Raced in restricted room passing the 100 metres.

MEDIA MISS (K Hercock) - Over-reacted when making contact with the running rail near the 300 metres, shifted outwards dislodging its rider, hampering PLATINUM SIXTY SIX. Rider K Hercock was attended to by paramedics and transferred to Whanganui Hospital for further assessment. K Hercock is required to provide a medical clearance prior to riding next.

Race 7 | **CARPET MAINTENANCE & CLEANING MAIDEN 3YO 1600m**

REAL DIVINE (K Asano) - Slow to begin and was then ridden with urgency to recover. Raced keenly through the early stages.

RACE ACE (L Allpress) - Began awkwardly, losing ground.

ELIVABER (C Grylls) - Slow to begin and then blundered shortly after the start. Over-raced through the early and middle stages.

JUNGLE JANE (M Hudson) - Slow to begin. Made the 1400 metre bend awkwardly when over-racing.

CHERISHED LADY (T Davies) - Raced three-wide without cover throughout.

Race 8 | **COMMDIVES NZ 1600m**

YELLOW JERSEY (S O'Malley) - Slow to begin.

DONNYBROOK (J Chung) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Raced keenly through the early and middle stages.

JUSTASKPERCY (C Butler) - Slow to begin.

TRUSTWORTHY (L Hemi) - Restrained behind runners to obtain cover shortly after the start.

MADAME MOET (J Doyle) - Raced three-wide without cover throughout.

Race 9	WANGANUI GREYHOUND CLUB RACING TONIGHT 1600m
FRANK THE TANK (C Grylls) - Slow to begin.	
BENEFACITOR (L Hemi) - Slow to begin.	
TRAV (M Singh) - Raced keenly through the early and middle stages.	
BRANCIFORTI (T Mitchell) - Raced three-wide without cover throughout. Rider advised the saddle slipped entering the back straight.	
TESTIFY ME (C Dell) - Placed in restricted room near the 450 metres having to steady.	

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