



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Wanganui Jockey Club @ Wanganui
Date: Saturday, 31 August 2024
Weather: Fine
Track: Heavy 10
Rail: Out 3 metres
Stewards: M Davidson (Chair), N Goodwin, K Jillings (Trainee), M Hepburn (Trainee)
Vet: J Bell BVSc, S Matthews BVSc
Op Support: S Shirriffs

SUMMARY

Suspensions:	Race	9	J Chung SHE'S SO RELIABLE Careless riding concluding stages [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 9-22/9, 8 days
Fines:	Race	4	T Moodley LIGHTNING JACK Whip arm above shoulder height [Rule 638(3)(f)(ii)] \$250
Warnings:	Nil		
Protests:	Race	9	COCKTAIL LAD 2 ND vs SHE'S SO RELIABLE 1 st Upheld
Request for Ruling:	Nil		
Horse Actions:	Race	3	WURUHI Cardiac arrhythmia – veterinary clearance required prior to trialling or racing next
		5	SOCIAL CLIMBER Warning – barrier manners
Follow Up:	Race	9	SMOKIN MO
Rider Changes:	Nil		
Late Scratchings:	Race	9	PIPER'S SON 9.39am - veterinary advice
Medical Certificates:			
Swabbing:	TO BRAVERY BORN, SHAWSHANK, MAGAWA, HI YO SASS BOMB, READ ABOUT IT, UNBRIDLED JOY, DROP OF SOMETHING, VERRY FLASH, THE FINNSTER, SHE'S SO RELIABLE.		

GENERAL

Nothing to report

SUPPLEMENTARY

Feilding Jockey Club @ Awapuni Synthetic, Friday 23 August 2024

Race 7 FIBER FRESH ACTIVE 1000m

THATZ DAISY (T Bau) – Trainer Ms. A Davies reported to Stewards, upon return to the stable, THATZ DAISY, was examined where it revealed the mare to have minor lacerations to both back legs receiving the appropriate treatment. A Davies further advised it is her intention to continue on with THATZ DAISY'S current preparation.

Egmont Racing Club @ Hawera, Sunday 25 August 2024

Race 2 BIG BLADE HURDLE 3100m

LORD SPENCER (L Douglas) – Trainer Ms. J Rayner reported to Stewards, she was satisfied with the post-race condition of LORD SPENCER and it is her intention to carry on with the gelding's current preparation.

Race 10 THE BOLD ONE@GRANGEWILLIAM STUD MAIDEN 1600m

CHICFLIX (M Hashizume) - Trainer Mr. P Mirabelli reported to Stewards, CHICFLIX has been placed a seven-day course of antibiotics and has been participating in light work. P Mirabelli further advised it is his intention to carry on with the mare's current preparation.

RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 **DAVE HOSKIN CARRIERS MAIDEN 2YO 800m**

ENSIGN ARIA (C Dell) - Began awkwardly crowding outside runners. Raced greenly throughout.

TORETTO (R Elliot) - Contacted at the start.

TO BRAVERY BORN (O Bosson) - Crowded at the start losing some ground.

BORDEAUX BELLE (T Moodley) - Raced wide into the first corner.

Race 2 **WANGANUI-TARANAKI OWNERS ASSOCIATION MAIDEN 1300m**

There was a delay to the start when several runners proved difficult to load.

PREDECESSOR (K Myers) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Steadied away from the heels of FRAULEIN (A Lawson-Carroll) passing the 125 metres. A Lawson-Carroll was advised to exercise greater care when shifting ground.

WILLOUGHBY WHITE (L Douglas) - Slow to begin.

BARBIE DOLL (T Davies) - Blundered leaving the barriers losing ground.

WONDERBOY (K Chowdhoo) - Briefly steadied shortly after the start to avoid heels, then over-raced throughout the run down the back straight. Shifted ground under pressure in the run home.

THE ARCHITECT (T Newman) - Raced wide through the early stages.

NOBLE LEE (A Riddell) - Raced in restricted room passing the 200 metres when WONDERBOY (K Chowdhoo) shifted inwards under pressure. K Chowdhoo was advised to exercise greater care. Rider advised that the gelding was not suited to today's holding track conditions and would prefer tracks with looser ground.

FRAULEIN (A Lawson-Carroll) - Shifted outwards when struck with the whip in the left hand passing the 125 metres, inconveniencing PREDECESSOR.

Race 3 **WHANGANUI CHRONICLE 1200m**

Trainer M Rogers (MADIRAN) was reprimanded for failing to obey a directive issued by a Steward.

TRAINWRECK (C Grylls) - Slow to begin.

PACE ATTACK (J Chung) - Slow to begin.

GRAEME JOHN (T Davies) - Restrained to the rear from a wide draw.

STRIDES (R Elliot) - Began awkwardly losing ground. When spoken to regarding the performance, the rider advised the gelding was not comfortable in today's holding track conditions.

MADIRAN (T Newman) - Raced wide without cover throughout.

WURUHI (E Sole) - Finished a distant last. Rider advised the mare was making abnormal breathing noises during the running. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to have suffered cardiac arrhythmia. Trainer P Pascoe was advised that WURUHI will not be permitted to start in any race or trial until a veterinary certificate declaring the horse free of any cardiac arrhythmia following a gallop of 1000 metres.

Race 4	BALANCE ACCOUNTANTS 1200m
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ONE BOLD CAT (R Goyaram) - Restrained to the rear from a wide draw.

SAINT BATHANS (B Jacobson) - Slow to begin. Over-raced in the middle stages. Inclined to lay inwards across heels early in the run home and was held up, only gaining clear racing room inside the final 200 metres.

LIGHTNING JACK (T Moodley) - Began awkwardly, contacting CAITLYNS WISH shortly after the start.

CAITLYNS WISH (M Sanson) - Contacted shortly after the start.

TAVIS COURT (E Sole) - Raced wide without cover for the majority of the event.

CHAJABA (A Riddell) - Raced wide without cover for the majority of the event.

SPENCER (J Nishizuka) - Raced very wide without cover for the majority of the event.

T Moodley (LIGHTNING JACK) - Admitted a charge in that he used his whip with an action which raised the Rider's arm above shoulder height with the Adjudicative Committee imposing a fine of \$250.

Race 5	HS DYKE WANGANUI GUINEAS (Listed Race) 1200m
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The start of this event was delayed when SOCIAL CLIMBER proved very difficult to load. Stewards advised Co-Trainer G Richardson that the filly was on a final barrier-manners warning and will be loaded first in the future until her barrier manners improve. The Starter was reprimanded for the excessive time given to load the filly away.

SOCIAL CLIMBER (K Myers) - Began awkwardly making contact with STEWART, losing ground.

STEWART (M Hashizume) - Contacted at the start.

UNBRIDLED JOY (O Bosson) - Hung outwards throughout the run and dipped at the 1000 metres.

HE'S LUCID (M Cartwright) - Lay outwards under pressure over the concluding stages.

BELARDI (J Doyle) - Rider J Doyle advised the gelding had raced above himself in a fresh state today and would take natural benefit from today's run.

Race 6	TAKE IT EASY TOURS 1600m
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HACKSAW RIDGE (C Grylls) - Slow to begin.

CROSS ROADS (J Parkes) - Placed in restricted room, having to briefly steady as the field made the bend near the 1450 metres. Rider J Parkes advised that he had opted to steady his mount when in restricted room to avoid heels.

LADY PERFORMER (K Hercock) - Held up passing the 600 metres having to be steadied for a short distance.

KATTEGAT (R Goyaram) - Hung outwards in the run home.

PERFECT TEST (C Dell) - When asked to comment on the performance of a favoured runner, C Dell advised the mare had raced below expectations, adding that she may not have appreciated today's holding track conditions.

THE LETTER (T Newman) - When questioned, rider advised the mare did not handle today's holding track conditions.

Race 7	WANGANUI INSURANCE BROKERS 2060m
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WHAT A CHARMA (T Newman) - Slow to begin, then ridden forward to recover.

CROUCH (K Chowdhury) - Began awkwardly, losing ground.

VERRY FLASH (A Riddell) - Slow to begin. Held up passing the 550 metres, gaining clear racing room passing the 400 metres. Inclined to lay outwards in the run home.

SOLDIER BOY (K Hercock) - When questioned, rider advised the gelding was not comfortable in today's holding track conditions.

Race 8	CLOUDSOFT ACCOUNTING SYSTEMS 2060m
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LOVEHELEN (A Lawson-Carroll) - Crowded shortly after the start, having to be restrained.

HARDTIMES (L Douglas) - Slow to begin.

JERRICOOP (A Riddell) - Lay outwards under pressure in the home straight.

WANNABE 'N' VEGAS (L Sutherland) - Over-raced in the early stages.

SISTER JANE (L Kauri) - When questioned regarding the performance rider advised the mare had raced keenly when leading through the middle stages and when placed under pressure rounding the final bend had failed to respond to his riding and had been disappointing.

Race 9	ST JOHNS CLUB 2060m
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DEMBE (R Elliot) - Slow to begin. When questioned rider advised the gelding had failed to handle today's holding track conditions.

MOMENTS LIKE THESE (J Doyle) - Restrained from an outside draw shortly after the start to obtain cover.

SHE'S SO RELIABLE (J Chung) - Shifted ground throughout the run home and passing the 25 metres made firm contact with COCKTAIL LAD on two occasions.

COCKTAIL LAD (K Hercock) - Contacted and unbalanced on two occasions over the concluding stages.

SMOKIN MO (O Bosson) - Rider advised he was under pressure a long way from home and did not ride the mare out, believing something to be amiss. A post-race veterinary examination did not reveal any obvious abnormality. Stewards will follow up with connections in coming days.

Following the running of the race the rider of the 2nd placed COCKTAIL LAD, K Hercock, lodged a protest with the Adjudicative Committee alleging interference over the concluding stages by the 1st placed horse SHE'S SO RELIABLE. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee upheld the protest and the placings are now 1st **COCKTAIL LAD**, 2nd **SHE'S SO RELIABLE**, 3rd **FAY KHAN IT**.

J Chung (SHE'S SO RELIABLE) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he permitted SHE'S SO RELIABLE to shift outwards when not sufficiently clear of COCKTAIL LAD, which was buffeted and unbalanced twice over the concluding stages. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of his licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Sunday, 8 September, until the conclusion of racing on Sunday, 22 September, 8 national riding days.

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