



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Racing Taupo
Date: Wednesday, 21 August 2024
Weather: Fine
Track: Soft 7
Rail: True
Stewards: B Jones (Chair), A Dooley, G Stewart
Vet: T Parsons BVSc
Op Support: K Verner

SUMMARY

Suspensions: Nil
Fines: Race 3 **T Macdonald** PHELAN THE POWER
Late declaration of rider [Rule 537(a)] \$50 (Minor Infringement)
Warnings: Race 2 **S Spratt** BONNIE GEM
Shifting ground 450 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
3 **O Bosson** MY LIPS ARE SEALED
Weighed in heavier than weighed out [Rule 648(5)]
N Hailey WILLIT
Weighed in heavier than weighed out [Rule 648(5)]
Protests: Nil
Request for Ruling: Nil
Horse Actions: Race 4 **LASER BEAM**
Warning, performance
5 **VELOCIOUS**
Warning, barrier manners
6 **SUPERBLY WRITTEN**
Warning, barrier manners
Follow Up: Race 5 **VELOCIOUS**
Rider Changes: Race 3 **WHAT YOU WISH FOR**
R Goyaram replaced T Melvin (injured)
Late Scratchings: Nil
Medical Certificates: Required from T Melvin
Swabbing: ROSINA, SAKURA ROSE, WHAT YOU WISH FOR, SAVAGLEE, ALABAMA LASS, TROBRIAND,
LIVE ON AIR, REPTAK, LORD WEYBURN

GENERAL

T Melvin advised Stewards she would not be attending today's race meeting due to injury. T Melvin is to provide a medical clearance prior to riding next.

SUPPLEMENTARY

Nothing to report

RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 | MVS EQUINE MAIDEN 1800

PRISCA (J Fawcett) – Restrained at the start to obtain cover from the outside barrier.

I’LL HAVA SEMILLON (S Spratt) - Raced wide in the early stages.

ROSINA (J Doyle) – Raced keenly in the early stages having to be steadied off heels.

LAGOBEE (C Grylls) - Improved into restricted room over the concluding stages with runners either side shifting ground.

STORMS AHEAD (O Bosson) – When questioned regarding performance the rider advised that the gelding had over-raced through the middle stages and was unable to respond when placed under pressure. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

Race 2 | **RICH HILL GROUP 1 SIRE POWER MAIDEN 1400**

SICANOOSA (V Colgan) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

OASIS (T Moodley) - Raced keenly through the early and middle stages when leading.

DIAMONDS FOR JEN (M Cartwright) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

SWEET ENVY (W Kennedy) - Steadied when placed in restricted room near the 450 metres.

SAKURA ROSE (M Hashizume) – Rider dropped his whip near the 200 metres.

SALIX (C Grylls) - When questioned regarding performance the rider advised that in his opinion the mare would benefit from more rain affected footing.

S Spratt (BONNIE GEM) - Issued with a warning after angling her mount outwards when not sufficiently clear of SWEET ENVY which had to be steadied when placed in restricted room near the 450 metres.

Race 3 | **RELIABLE MAN @ WESTBURY STUD 1300**

WHAT YOU WISH FOR (R Goyaram) - Restrained at the start to obtain cover from the outside barrier.

DON PAULY (S Spratt) - Slow to begin. Improved onto heels having to be steadied passing the 400 metres being held up for a distance.

JUJU POP (M Hashizume) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Held up rounding the final bend.

MURCH (T Moodley) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

PHELAN THE POWER (T Mitchell) - Raced keenly through the early stages.

BELL TIME POTAE (A Lawson-Carroll) - Steadied off heels when racing keenly near the 1000 metres.

WILLIT (N Hailey) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

MY LIPS ARE SEALED (O Bosson) – Steadied off heels when racing keenly near the 850 metres. Held up rounding the final bend then had difficulty obtaining clear running for the majority of the final straight.

O Bosson (MY LIPS ARE SEALED) – Issued with a warning after weighing in 0.6 kgs over the weight at which he weighed out at.

N Hailey (WILLIT) – Issued with a warning after weighing in 0.5 kgs over the weight at which he weighed out at.

T Macdonald (PHELAN THE POWER) - Issued with a minor infringement and fined \$50 after failing to declare a rider for PHELAN THE POWER by the required time.

Race 4 | **POVERTY BAY TURF CLUB 3YO COLTS & GELDINGS 1100**

SUPER PHOTON (J Doyle) - Crowded leaving the barriers losing ground. Raced keenly through the early and middle stages.

SAVAGLEE (S Spratt) – Jumped outwards at the start crowding SUPER PHOTON.

LASER BEAM (J Fawcett) – Began awkwardly losing ground. Trailed the field throughout. Connections were advised that a warning would be placed on the gelding's performance.

Race 5 | **TAUPO PAK 'N SAVE 3YO FILLIES 1100**

VELOCIOSUS (C Grylls) – Removed from the barrier to undergo a pre-race veterinary examination after becoming fractious in the barriers being cleared to start. Connections were advised that a warning would be placed on the filly's barrier manners. When questioned regarding performance the rider advised that the filly had peaked on its run soon after entering the final straight and was of the opinion that she would derive benefit from today's performance. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

LITTLE STIRRER (W Kennedy) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

ALABAMA LASS (S Spratt) - Raced greenly when placed under pressure in the final straight.

Race 6 | **WAIKATO STUD 1200**

SUPERBLY WRITTEN (C Grylls) - Reared as the start was effected losing ground. Connections were advised a warning would be placed on the mare's barrier manners. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

CANNON HILL (M Cartwright) – Restrained at the start to obtain cover from the outside barrier. Held up for clear running until near the 100 metres.

FARRENC (J Fawcett) - Raced wide without cover throughout. Raced in restricted room entering the final straight to the outside of RIDGEVIEW CHIEF which shifted out slightly. N Parmar was advised to exercise care in similar circumstances.

GIACOMO (S Spratt) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

WINEXPRESS (A Lawson-Carroll) – Had difficulty obtaining clear running early in the final straight.

NEW MILLENNIUM (W Kennedy) - Raced greenly when placed in restricted room approaching the 150 metres. When questioned regarding performance the rider advised that after being placed in restricted room near the 150 metres the mare had lost momentum and failed to finish the race off.

MERCHANT QUEEN (T Moodley) - When questioned regarding performance the rider advised that the mare had peaked on its run in the final straight and was of the opinion that she would derive benefit from today's performance.

Race 7 | **US NAVY FLAG – CHAMPION 1ST & 2ND SEASON SIRE MAIDEN 1200**

MISTA STITCH (L Sutherland) - Hampered losing ground leaving the barriers when runners either side jumped away awkwardly.

RIDGEVIEW VICKY (J Nishizuka) - Began awkwardly.

HEZA SHARP ONE (W Pinn) - Hampered at the start contacting I'M PEDRO.

I'M PEDRO (S Weatherley) – Began awkwardly contacting HEZA SHARP ONE.

MINER (N Parmar) - Hung outwards during the running placing the rider at a disadvantage.

S Spratt (LEVAKIA) – Reminded of her obligations in that she must ride her mounts out fully to the end of the race when circumstances permit.

Race 8	FIBER FRESH MAIDEN 1200
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CHARMROSE (C Grylls) - Reared up behind the barriers dislodging its rider before being recaptured by the Clerk of the Course undergoing a pre-race veterinary examination being declared to start. Raced keenly shifting away from heels when being steadied near the 900 metres.

SMASHING SISTER (J Fawcett) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

REPTAK (M Hashizume) - Came together with CLEAT approaching the 200 metres.

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Race 9	CAMBRIDGE STUD 1800
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MATETSI (N Parmar) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

TE ATATU DREAM (M Hashizume) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Rider dropped his whip near the 50 metres.

SAN SIMEON (W Pinn) - Raced wide in the early stages before improving forward to settle outside the leader near the 1000 metres.

EMBEZZLER (N Hailey) - Held up for clear running until passing the 200 metres.

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