



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Auckland Thoroughbred Racing at Ellerslie
Date: Saturday, 26 October 2024
Weather: Overcast
Track: Good 4
Rail: Out 5 metres
Stewards: B Jones (Chair), A Dooley, G Stewart
Vet: J Bullock BVSc, F Wade BVSc
Op Support: K Verner

SUMMARY

Suspensions: Race 5 **M Hashizume** VENDABELLE
Careless riding 200 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 3/11 - 7/11, 4 days
6 **D Danis** HOT SALSA
Careless riding 1100 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 3/11 - 10/11, 6 days

Fines: Race 4 **R Elliot** STORM FRONT
Failed to make handicapped weight [Rule 346(3)] \$100 (Minor Infringement)

Warnings: Race 9 **V Colgan** ACQUARELLO
Shifting ground 50 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]

Protests: Nil
Request for Ruling: Nil

Horse Actions: Race 1 **SAVACAT**
Cardiac arrhythmia. Veterinary clearance required
4 **THAT'S GOLD**
Warning, racing manners
7 **FLASH EFFECT**
Required to barrier trial

Follow Up: Race 6 **SPECTRIER**
7 **ARCHAIC SMILE**

Rider Changes: Race 4 **STORM FRONT**
M Cartwright replaced R Elliot (overweight)

Late Scratchings: Race 7 **FLASH EFFECT**
At 3.38 pm at the barriers

Medical Certificates: Nil

Swabbing: KATTEGAT, JAARFFI, MAFIA MAMMA, STORM FRONT, EL ARISH, KEALOHA, ALABAMA LASS, KITTY FLASH, MEANINGFUL STAR, QALI AL FARRASHA

Blood and hair testing was carried out at today's meeting

GENERAL

Nothing to report

SUPPLEMENTARY

Racing Rotorua @ Arawa Park, Sunday 13 October 24

Race 6 STAPHANOS CLASSIC 1950m

CORK (D Cooper) - Trainer P Gerard advised Stewards she was satisfied with the post-race condition of the mare, however, CORK has now been sent for a spell.

Auckland Thoroughbred Racing @ Pukekohe Park, Wednesday 16 October 24**Race 6 AUCKLAND CO-OP TAXIS MAIDEN 1200m**

SASPERELLA (M Hashizume) - Trainer D Guy reported to Stewards she was satisfied with the post-race condition of SASPERELLA. D Guy further advised she will continue on with the mare's current preparation and may look to nominate SASPERELLA for the Racing Te Aroha meeting on Wednesday 30 October.

RACE COMMENTS**Race 1 AUCKLAND CO-OP TAXIS 2200**

KING KHAN (J Nishizuka) - Slow to begin.

GOLDEN (W Kennedy) – Slow to begin.

FINAL PURCHASE (B Jacobson) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

AWHINA (M Hashizume) - Raced keenly through the middle stages.

HIGH COUNTRY (M Cartwright) - Steadied to avoid the heels of GOLDEN which shifted inwards when not fully clear passing the 1150 metres. W Kennedy was advised to exercise greater care.

SAVACAT (K Myers) - Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed the mare to have suffered cardiac arrhythmia. Connections were advised that SAVACAT 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 at least 1000 metres.

Race 2 BARFOOT & THOMPSON 1200

JAARFFI (W Kennedy) - Slow to begin. Shifted outwards near the 350 metres making brief contact with IMPENDABELLE.

DAME LILIBIC (S Weatherley) – Restrained to obtain cover at the start from the outside barrier. Shifted out making slight contact with IMPENDABELLE near the 150 metres.

NOT GUILTY (N Hailey) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

IMPENDABELLE (M Cartwright) - Briefly contacted near the 350 metres and again near the 150 metres.

Race 3 ENTAIN/NZB INSURANCE PEARL SERIES 1200

EGYPTIAN QUEEN (A Lawson-Carroll) - Began awkwardly then restrained to obtain cover shortly after the start. Held up early in the final straight.

SHE'LL BE RIGHT (L Satherley) – Hung outwards through the early and middle stages. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

AKENEHI (V Colgan) - Had to be steadied after improving onto heels passing the 800 metres to the inside of STIPULATOR which shifted in slightly. Also contributing to this incident was MOET DOWN steadying after improving

onto heels. K Myers was advised to exercise care. Shifted out over the concluding stages making contact with STIPULATOR.

MOET DOWN (N Hailey) – Lay outwards when placed under pressure passing the 200 metres.

STIPULATOR (K Myers) - Contacted over the concluding stages.

Race 4 | **DUNSTAN HORSEFEEDS 1100**

R Elliot (STORM FRONT) - Issued with a Minor Infringement and fined \$100 after failing to make the handicapped weight on STORM FRONT. R Elliot was replaced by M Cartwright.

THAT'S GOLD (S Spratt) - Slow to begin. Raced three wide without cover from near the 900 metres. Hung outwards rounding the final bend shifting wider on the track. Connections were advised that a warning would be placed on the colt's racing manners.⁴

VEGA FOR LUCK (V Colgan) - Raced greenly when leading through the middle stages.

Race 5 | **SKYCITY HORIZON MAIDEN 1500**

MONEYPENNY (W Kennedy) - Restrained in the early stages to obtain cover from the outside barrier. When questioned regarding performance the rider advised that after drawing a wide barrier stall and settling at the rear of the field, the filly had failed to respond when placed under pressure and was of the opinion that it had been unsuited by today's track conditions.

ZORRO'S REVENGE (K Myers) - Began awkwardly.

VENDABELLE (M Hashizume) - Contacted leaving the barriers, losing ground.

MOSCHINO (D Mansour) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

CHASING WARRIOR (N Hailey) - Hampered having to be steadied off heels passing the 200 metres.

INTERPLANETARY (V Colgan) - When questioned regarding performance the rider advised that the colt had hung throughout placing him at a disadvantage. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

M Hashizume (VENDABELLE) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he permitted his mount to shift outwards when not sufficiently clear of CHASING WARRIOR which was hampered having to be steadied off heels passing the 200 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of M Hashizume's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Saturday 2 November up to and including racing on Thursday 7 November, 4 national riding days.

Race 6 | **STELLA ARTOIS 1600**

SPECTRIER (V Colgan) - Slow to begin. Eased down over the concluding stages. When questioned regarding performance the rider advised that the gelding felt indifferent over the concluding stages. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

IRISH TWIST (G Rooke) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

HADID (J Doyle) - Raced keenly in the early stages.

GOD OF EROS (D Mansour) - Clipped a heel and blundered passing the 1100 metres losing ground.

MAGICAL ROAD (M Cartwright) - Contacted and forced inwards passing the 1100 metres.

NAKAMOTO (S Spratt) – Had some difficulty obtaining clear running early in the final straight.

MCGRATH (A Lawson-Carroll) - Rider dropped his outside rein near the 150 metres before being regathered near the 50 metres.

KEALOHA (M Hashizume) - Lost the left fore plate during the running.

D Danis (HOT SALSA) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he permitted his mount to shift in when not sufficiently clear of **MAGICAL ROAD** which was forced into the line of **GOD OF EROS** which clipped a heel and blundered passing the 1100 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of D Danis' licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Saturday 2 November up to and including racing on Sunday 10 November, 6 national riding days.

Race 7	WINDSOR PARK STUD SOLILOQUY STAKES 1400 (G2)
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This race ran approximately 2 minutes late due to **FLASH EFFECT** proving difficult to load.

FLASH EFFECT (W Kennedy) - Late scratched at 3.38 pm at the barrier after proving difficult to load. Connections were advised that the filly would be required to barrier trial to the satisfaction of Stewards prior to racing next.

TRISTAR (C Grylls) - Slow to begin.

ACAPELAGO (V Colgan) – Raced keenly through the middle stages.

ARCHAIC SMILE (R Elliot) - Made the final bend awkwardly shifting wider on the track. When questioned regarding performance the rider advised that the filly had commenced to hang outwards from near the 800 metres and had failed to respond when placed under pressure. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

LOVE POEM (M Cartwright) – Had to shift outwards early in the final straight to obtain clear running. Inconvenienced just prior to the winning post by **ALABAMA LASS** which shifted out under pressure. S Spratt was advised to exercise care.

ALABAMA LASS (S Spratt) - Lay outwards when placed under pressure over the final 100 metres.

Race 8	TAB 1600
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STONYBRECK (C Grylls) - Slow to begin. Steadied after improving into restricted room inside of **MEANINGFUL STAR** which shifted in slightly passing the 1000 metres. M Cartwright was advised to exercise care.

SHAMUS (A Lawson-Carroll) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Raced keenly through the middle stages.

POW WOW (S Spratt) – Over-raced in the early stages when being restrained.

SAINT BATHANS (B Jacobson) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

TERRA MITICA (W Kennedy) – Raced wide throughout.

NEREUS (J Doyle) - Held up for a distance passing the 200 metres.

MEANINGFUL STAR (M Cartwright) – Held up rounding the final bend.

RUDYARD (S Weatherley) - When questioned regarding performance the rider advised that after working in the early stages he had been satisfied with the run and in his opinion would derive benefit from today's run.

Race 9

SISTEMA 1400

MALDINI (G Rooke) - Slow to begin. Contacted passing the 50 metres.

DIMAGGIO (K Myers) – Restrained to obtain cover from an outside barrier in the early stages.

LIVID SKY (C Grylls) - Slow to begin.

WET 'N' WILD (R Elliot) – Raced three wide without cover throughout. Hampered passing the 50 metres.

SINGING SUN (S Spratt) - Lay out when placed under pressure in the final straight with the rider being unable to ride the gelding out fully over the final 100 metres.

MATANE (W Kennedy) - Held up for clear running throughout the final straight. Steadied when placed in restricted room passing the 50 metres.

BELLA LUCE (A Lawon-Carroll) - Shifted inwards passing the 50 metres making contact with MALDINI.

V Colgan (ACQUARELLO) - Issued with a warning after permitting his mount to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear of WET 'N' WILD which was hampered and forced inwards placing MATANE in restricted room passing the 50 metres.

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