

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Racing Tauranga

Date: Friday, 13 December 2024

Weather: Overcast

Track: Heavy 8, upgraded to Soft 7 prior to Race 1

Rail: Out 4 metres

Stewards: B Jones (Chair), J Oatham, G Stewart

Vet: R McQuillan MVB

Op Support: K Verner

SUMMARY

Suspensions: Nil Fines: Nil

Warnings: Race 1 T Mitchell CHEAP SAV

Shifting ground 75 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]

5 **B Jacobson** PROBOY

Shifting ground 50 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]

Protests: Nil Request for Ruling: Nil

Horse Actions: Race 2 ZANZIBAR

Warning, racing manners

5 **REIMAGINED**

Veterinary clearance required

6 **PREDOMINANCE**

Veterinary clearance required

Follow Up: Race 3 ALADDIN SANE

WREN

5 **REIMAGINED**

Rider Changes: Nil

Late Scratchings: Race 5 WHOSHE'S BOY

At 4.52 pm on veterinary advice

Medical Certificates: Received from W Pinn

Swabbing: MAPALICIOUS, PLEASE SIR, CHARLBURY, POWER OF THREE, TIFFANEE, ASTORIA BROOKE,

EMMY DAZZLER

GENERAL

Nothing to report

SUPPLEMENTARY

Thursday 12 December - Auckland Thoroughbred Racing at Ellerslie

Race 3 STELLA ARTOIS MAIDEN 1200

SANTARELLI (W Pinn) - Co-trainer S Bergerson subsequently reported that the mare had been showing some signs of soreness when being loaded onto the horse transporter to return to their stable. SANTARELLI was then examined by the stable Veterinarian the following morning and confirmed to be lame in the right foreleg which was to be x-rayed and results advised to Stewards.

W Pinn (SANTARELLI) - Following advice that the mare had pulled up sore following the race, after further consideration of the matter Stewards sought and were granted permission to withdraw the charge by the Adjudicator. Under the circumstances, W Pinn was advised that although Stewards were not proceeding with a charge on this occasion, he would be expected to ride his mounts out fully to the end of the race when circumstances permit.

RACE COMMENTS

Race 1 KIWI BUS BUILDERS 1300

NAXOS (A Lawson-Carroll) - Slow to begin.

GLORAFILIA (R Elliot) - Contacted rounding the final turn becoming momentarily unbalanced. Steadied to avoid heels passing the 75 metres.

ITHASSTOBE GIN (M Hashizume) – Lay out rounding the final turn making contact with GLORAFILIA. Inconvenienced passing the 75 metres.

T Mitchell (CHEAP SAV) - Issued with a warning for permitting her mount to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear of GLORAFILIA which had to be steadied to avoid heels passing the 75 metres. Also inconvenienced as a result was ITHASSTOBE GIN.

Race 2 JACKSON REEVES LAWYERS MAIDEN 2100

PLEASE SIR (J Nishizuka) – Jumped away awkwardly. Lay out rounding the final turn and continued to do so in the straight finishing wide out on the track.

ASTARTE (K Myers) – Jumped away awkwardly losing ground. Held up for a distance passing the 400 metres.

DRAGON BUBBLES (N Parmar) – Crowded shortly after leaving the barriers.

CAPTAIN ROY (J Fawcett) - Made the bend near the 1700 metres awkwardly when racing keenly running wider hampering BACKDRAFT and WRY SMILE. When questioned regarding the performance rider advised that the gelding had been a difficult ride throughout and had suggested to connections that they remove the blinkers. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which found the gelding to have a slow recovery.

WRY SMILE (T Mitchell) – Hampered and forced wider passing the 1700 metres. Held up for a distance passing the 400 metres.

BACKDRAFT (U Holmquist) - Hampered and forced wider passing the 1700 metres.

ZANZIBAR (O Bosson) - Raced ungenerously in the early stages before shifting outwards abruptly near the 1700 metres when making the bend awkwardly running wide on the track. Was then obliged to race three wide without cover for the remainder of the race. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed no obvious abnormality. Connections were advised that a warning would be placed on the gelding's racing manners.

Race 3 COMMERCE LANE CHAMBERS 2100

ALADDIN SANE (M Hashizume) - Slow to begin. Raced ungenerously for a distance passing the 1700 metres. When questioned regarding the performance rider advised that the gelding had been disappointing and had felt indifferent in its action when pulling up. Lost the left fore plate during the running. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which found the gelding to be 1/5 lame in the left foreleg.

RANGER (R Goyaram) - Jumped away awkwardly. Steadied passing the 300 metres.

WREN (C Grylls) - Slow to begin. When questioned regarding the performance the rider could not offer any excuse. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

CHARLBURY (K Myers) - Steadied when placed in restricted room when racing keenly passing the 1750 metres. Had to be steadied near the 300 metres after attempting to improve into a marginal run outside of RUACH which shifted out. Having to be steadied as a result was RANGER. B Jacobson & K Myers were advised to exercise care in similar circumstances.

JACK IN THE BOX (M Sanson) – Raced three wide without cover throughout.

Race 4 DUNCAN DENTAL MAIDEN 1200

SHOCKABELLA (W Pinn) - Removed from the barriers after the barrier blanket had become dislodged then being reloaded without the barrier blanket. Had difficulty obtaining clear running in the straight having to be steadied when held up over the final 125 metres.

CONMAN (N Parmar) - Crowded shortly after the start losing ground.

KENNY (J Fawcett) - Began awkwardly losing ground.

LUNA STAR (S Weatherley) – Began awkwardly losing ground. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

BUCCINO (V Colgan) - Raced three wide without cover throughout.

Race 5 GEAR WELDING MAIDEN 1600

ARKADUS (R Goyaram) - Slow away. Contacted and forced outwards passing the 50 metres.

REIMAGINED (C Grylls) – Raced three wide without cover and was a beaten runner rounding the final turn not being persevered with in the straight. When questioned regarding the performance the rider advised that the mare had made abnormal breathing noises throughout the running. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which found the mare to be displaying respiratory distress associated with respiratory noise. Connections were advised that a veterinary clearance would be required prior to racing next.

KHANDO (K Myers) - Contacted and forced outwards passing the 50 metres.

B Jacobson (PROBOY) - Issued with a warning for allowing his mount to shift outwards when not sufficiently clear of KHANDO near the 50 metres which was contacted and forced wider onto ARKADUS.

Following this race, connections of the 4th placed runner KHANDO viewed Stewards films of the concluding stages before electing not to proceed with a protest.

Race 6 ROB PINNY REALTYCOM MAIDEN 1400

ADLERIAN (C Barnes) - Jumped away awkwardly.

NASHA MALA (S Weatherley) – Crowded leaving the barriers.

AMIRA D'ARGENTO (B Rogerson) - Crowded leaving the barriers losing ground.

PILE DRIVER (K Myers) - Crowded leaving the barriers losing ground.

ASTORIA BROOKE (C Grylls) - Jumped away awkwardly then being further hampered when crowded, losing ground. Improved onto heels passing the 450 metres having to be firmly restrained.

BERTIE WOOSTER (S Spratt) - Hampered leaving the barriers losing ground. Improved onto heels passing the 150 metres having to be steadied.

GOLD CURRENCY (J Fawcett) – Raced three wide without cover until improving forward outside the leader near the 800 metres.

PREDOMINANCE (N Parmar) - Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which found the gelding to be 2/5 lame in the right foreleg. Connections were advised that a veterinary clearance would be required prior to racing next.

Race 7 REAL CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS 1400

INCA BELLE (O Bosson) - Hampered shortly after the start losing ground.

BLONDIE (A Lawson-Carroll) - Slow away.

HOT SALSA (R Goyaram) - Raced three wide without cover.

ALATION (V Colgan) - When questioned regarding the performance the rider advised that the mare had not travelled comfortably throughout and would benefit from some easing in the ground. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

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