



STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

MEETING DETAILS

Club: Auckland Thoroughbred Racing at Ellerslie
Date: Saturday, 22 February 2025
Weather: Fine
Track: Soft 5
Rail: Out 5 metres
Stewards: B Jones (Chair), J Oatham, R Haley, G Stewart
Vet: T Walker BVSc, B Vosloo BVSc
Op Support: K Verner

SUMMARY

Suspensions: Race 4 **M Cartwright** PENMAN
Careless riding 100 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 24/2 - 7/3, 7 days
6 **C Barnes** FINAL RETURN
Careless riding 125 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] Suspended 2/3 - 8/3, 5 days and
fined below

Fines: Race 5 **M Hashizume** WILLYDOIT
Whip use forward of the saddle [Rule 638(3)(f)(xi)] \$400
6 **C Barnes** FINAL RETURN
Careless riding 125 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)] \$250

Warnings: Race 3 **G Rooke** DEEBEE BELLFER
Shifting ground 300 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
5 **G Rooke** OCEANA DREAM
Shifting ground 250 metres [Rule 638(1)(d)]
6 **A Bull** BEAVERTOWN BOY
Presented runner late to the enclosure [Rule 625(1)]
6 **C Grylls** SAILOR JACK
Weighed in heavier than weighed out [Rule 648(5)]

Protests: Nil
Request for Ruling: Nil

Horse Actions: Race 4 **CHEVAL D'OR**
Veterinary clearance required
5 **KIWI SKYHAWK**
Veterinary clearance required

Follow Up: Nil
Rider Changes: Nil
Late Scratchings: Nil
Medical Certificates: Received from M Hashizume
Swabbing: LUCY IN THE SKY, TOMODACHI, PLEASE SIR, PENMAN, THEDOCTOROFLOVE,
BOURBON PROOF, BLUE SKY AT NIGHT, ABOUT TIME, EL VENCEDOR, QALI AL FARRASHA,
ORCHESTRAL, SETHITO, DEALT WITH

Pre-race hair and blood testing was carried out at today's meeting.

GENERAL

Nothing to report

SUPPLEMENTARY**Waikato Thoroughbred Racing at Te Rapa - Saturday 8 February 2025****Race 4 DAVID & KARYN ELLIS FILLIES CLASSIC 3YO 2000m (G2)**

LUVABEEL (J Parr) – Te Akau Racing Manager R Trumper reported to Stewards LUVABEEL underwent a veterinary examination on Friday 14 February, which included a dynamic scope which showed abnormalities with the filly. R Trumper further advised LUVABEEL will undergo vocal cord surgery on Wednesday 19 February.

Racing Te Aroha - Wednesday 12 February 2025**Race 9 PETER LOCK RACING 1600m**

WHAT'S THE ONE CODE (A Riddell) – Trainer D Venn reported to Stewards that on Monday 17 February, WHAT'S THE ONE CODE, underwent a veterinary examination which included an endoscopic examination, with no abnormalities being detected. D Venn further advised the gelding has been sent for a brief freshen up and will then carry on with the WHAT'S THE ONE CODE'S preparation.

RACE COMMENTS**Race 1 TAB MAIDEN 2YO 1100**

LUCY IN THE SKY (W Kennedy) - Contacted leaving the barriers briefly unbalancing its rider.

MISS ZIGGY (M McNab) - Crowded leaving the barriers then being restrained to obtain cover. Made contact with SHE'S THE DREAM when shifting outwards to obtain clear running rounding the final turn near the 400 metres.

CURZON PARK (R Hutchings) - Raced wide in the early stages before being restrained to the rear to obtain cover.

SHE'S THE DREAM (W Pinn) - Contacted rounding the final turn near the 400 metres.

Race 2 HORIZON BY SKYCITY 1200

OH NO NO NO (L Sutherland) - Slow away.

DAZZLED (W Kennedy) - Slow away. Steadied for a distance when racing keenly passing the 900 metres when the pace of the race eased. Shifted outwards to avoid the heels of BUTTERFIELD when over-racing near the 600 metres hampering POUR THE WINE which was forced over extra ground. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

PIPPY (T Newman) - Inconvenienced passing the 100 metres by GLAMOUR TYCOON which shifted outwards when placed under pressure. M McNab was advised to exercise care.

POUR THE WINE (V Colgan) – Lost the right front plate during the running.

Race 3 EAGLE CHARTERS 2100

LAGISQUET (D Moor) - Slow away.

VISTOWN (J Fawcett) – Restrained to obtain cover after jumping from the outside barrier.

TRANZED (C Grylls) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

GREY AREA (W Kennedy) – Lay out rounding the final bend and early in the straight.

BLACKWATERFOOT (K Stott) – Hampered near the 300 metres.

OUR TIME (M McNab) - Held up early in the final straight having to shift outwards passing the 150 metres to obtain clear running.

ORTEM LEGACY (S Spratt) - Lay out over the concluding stages inconveniencing PLEASE SIR.

PLEASE SIR (T Mitchell) – Inconvenienced just prior to the winning post.

G Rooke (DEEBEE BELLFER) - Issued with a warning after permitting his mount to shift inwards when not sufficiently clear of BLACKWATERFOOT which was hampered near the 300 metres. When assessing the incident Stewards took into account slight outward movement from GREY AREA.

Race 4 | **BENTLEYS CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS 1400**

GRANDE GALLO (K Stott) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Crowded and checked approaching the 100 metres.

CHEVAL D'OR (M McNab) - Began awkwardly losing ground. When questioned regarding the performance the rider advised that the mare had travelled comfortably throughout however had been quickly beaten when placed under pressure. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed the mare to be 1/5 lame in the left hind leg. Connections were advised a veterinary clearance would be required to racing next.

KOHEROA (W Kennedy) - Restrained to obtain cover after jumping from a wide barrier. Hampered approaching the 100 metres.

PENMAN (M Cartwright) - Held up until shifting outwards approaching the 100 metres making contact with GRANDE GALLO which was forced outwards contacting OVERDRAWN. Also hampered as a result was KOHEROA.

OVERDRAWN (R Hutchings) – Contacted and unbalanced approaching the 100 metres.

YOU SAY D'ORSAY (S Spratt) - Shifted in and away from PENMAN approaching the winning post prior to being straightened by its rider making contact with SAKO which was forced into the line of DIMAGGIO which had to be steadied.

DIMAGGIO (L Sutherland) – Steadied just prior to the winning post when awkwardly placed on heels.

TANGANYIKA (M Hashizume) - When questioned regarding the performance the rider advised that in his opinion the gelding would now be suited to a step up in distance.

M Cartwright (PENMAN) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that he angled his mount outwards when not sufficiently clear of GRANDE GALLO which was checked approaching the 100 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of M Cartwright's licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Sunday 23 February up to and including racing on Friday 7 March, 7 national riding days.

Connections of the second placed runner OVERDRAWN viewed Stewards footage before electing not to proceed with a protest against the first placed PENMAN.

Race 5 | **EAGLE TECHNOLOGY AVONDALE GUINEAS 3YO 2100 (G2)**

SKIPPERS CANYON (J Allen) – Slow away.

SUIT YOURSELF (S Spratt) - Slow away. When questioned regarding the performance the rider could offer no excuse.

WILLYDOIT (M Hashizume) - Restrained to obtain cover in the early stages. Raced keenly in the early to middle stages. When questioned regarding the performance M Hashizume advised that the gelding had been unsuited by the moderate tempo of the race adding that he had been reluctant to improve forward wide from inside the 1000 metres as it was the gelding's first race over the distance so he had attempted to get a trail into the race, however had been unable to quicken as expected.

RIDEFROMTHEASHES (V Colgan) - Raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

THEDOCTOROFLOVE (D Moor) - Raced three wide without cover until near the 1600 metres. Lost the left hind plate during the running.

GOLDEN CENTURY (R Elliot) - Lay in when placed under pressure early in the final straight then was dictated outwards approaching the 300 metres by **THEDOCTOROFLOVE** which shifted outwards. Contacted and unbalanced passing the 250 metres by **OCEANA DREAM** which shifted outwards.

OCEANA DREAM (G Rooke) – Shifted outwards near the 250 metres making contact with **GOLDEN CENTURY** becoming unbalanced.

KIWI SKYHAWK (M Cartwright) - Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which found the gelding to be mildly lame in the left foreleg. Trainer S Marsh was advised that a veterinary clearance would be required prior to racing next.

HINEKAHA (C Grylls) - When questioned regarding the performance the rider advised that the filly had failed to quicken once placed under pressure and in his opinion was not suited by the slow tempo of the race.

G Rooke (**OCEANA DREAM**) - Issued with a warning after permitting his mount to shift outwards making contact with **GOLDEN CENTURY** near the 250 metres. Contributing to this incident was **GOLDEN CENTURY** laying in.

M Hashizume (**WILLYDOIT**) - Admitted a charge in that he used his whip forward of the saddle whilst the whip was held in a forehand position with the Adjudicative Committee imposing a fine of \$400.

Race 6	EAGLE TECHNOLOGY AVONDALE CUP 2400 (G3)
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MOONLIGHT MAGIC (G Rooke) - Slow away before being further hampered by **ARBY** which jumped outwards. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

ROEDERER (L Sutherland) – Restrained to obtain cover after jumping from the outside barrier. Improved onto heels near the 450 metres having to be steadied.

LOSTCAUSE (T Newman) - Raced in restricted room passing the 2200 metres. Improved onto heels passing the 200 metres having to shift outwards to improve.

BLUE SKY AT NIGHT (T Mitchell) - Raced in restricted room passing the 2200 metres.

CHARLBURY (L Satherley) - Raced in restricted room passing the 1650 metres. Rider reported that the mare had lay out throughout the race.

LET FLY (J Doyle) - Raced three wide without cover until improving forward to race outside the leader near the 1400 metres. Checked near the 125 metres.

MIDNIGHT BLUE (R Elliot) - Improved onto the heels of the weakening **CHARLBURY** near the 500 metres having to be steadied.

INTERPRETATION (J Allen) - Had difficulty obtaining clear running early in the final straight. Had to be steadied near the 125 metres.

ARBY (J Fawcett) - Lay in when placed under pressure throughout the final straight.

SAILOR JACK (C Grylls) - Raced in restricted room passing the 250 metres.

BEAVERTOWN BOY (D Moor) – When questioned regarding the performance the rider advised that the gelding had not travelled comfortably throughout and had been disappointing. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

TRUST IN YOU (M McNab) - Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

A Bull (BEAVERTOWN BOY) - Issued with a warning for presenting BEAVERTOWN BOY late to the enclosure.

C Grylls (SAILOR JACK) - Issued with a warning for weighing in 0.5 kgs over the weight at which he weighed out at.

C Barnes (FINAL RETURN) - Admitted a charge of careless riding in that she permitted her mount to shift out when not sufficiently clear of LET FLY which was checked and INTERPRETATION which had to be steadied when placed in restricted room near the 125 metres. After considering submissions the Adjudicative Committee imposed a suspension of C Barnes' licence to ride in races from the conclusion of racing on Saturday 1 March up to and including racing on Saturday 8 March, 5 national riding days and in addition imposed a fine of \$250.

Race 7	SPORT NATION OTAKI-MAORI WFA CLASSIC 1600 (G1)
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ORCHESTRAL (C Grylls) - Held up early in the straight. Came together with KONASANA near the 350 metres.

JAARFFI (W Kennedy) - Raced keenly in the early stages. Inconvenienced near the 350 metres.

MARY SHAN (M McNab) - Commenced to give ground passing the 400 metres inconveniencing JAARFFI near the 350 metres. Underwent a post-race veterinary examination which did not reveal any abnormality.

KONASANA (R Hutchings) – Came together with ORCHESTRAL near the 350 metres.

Race 8	TREVOR AND CORALLIE EAGLE UNCLE REMUS STAKES 3YO 1400 (Listed Race)
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CHECKMATE (K Stott) - Slow to begin.

SHE'S UNTOUCHABLE (W Pinn) – Raced three wide without cover throughout. Contacted and forced wider entering the final straight.

ROMILLY (L Sutherland) - Steadied when placed in restricted room to the inside of TARDELLI near the 1150 metres. M McNab was advised to exercise care.

SETHITO (S Spratt) - Held up entering the final straight before shifting outwards making contact with SHE'S UNTOUCHABLE which was forced outwards.

HANKEE ALPHA (M Hashizume) - Had difficulty obtaining clear running early in the final straight.

TRISTAR (C Grylls) - Held up for the majority of the final straight.

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