



## Senior Judges Report

<b>Name of Track</b>	Rideau Carleton	Ottawa			
<b>Date</b>	Sunday 22 October 2023	<b>Post Time</b>	1830 hours		
<b>Weather</b>	Races 1 - 11: Rain (Temp: 6° C)	<b>Wind:</b>	24 km/h (NorthWest)		
<b>Track Condition</b>	Races 1 - 11: Good (Variant 3 secs)				
<b>Number of Races</b>	11	<b>Qualifying races</b>	2 SC	<b>Total Entries</b>	84/93
<b>Mutual Handle</b>	\$311,494				
Contact Vet	Paddock Meeting	Track Maintenance Meeting	Investigator Visit	Outgoing Senior Judge Update	

<b>Senior Judge</b>	<b>Associate Judge</b>	<b>Associate Judge</b>
Weber, Michael	Coles, Sharla	Fines, Tyler (remote)

### Report on day's events:

(Accidents, claims, fines and/or suspensions, objections and/or disqualifications, refunds and any other pertinent incidents) ....

### Office:

- Discussed improvements and additions to winterize the temporary paddock and shipping barn to provide for racing to the end of the Rideau race season with Racing Manager Peter Andrusek.
- Early veterinary scratch (lame) of TIMELESS KISS from the second race; this horse is entered on the short term (seven days) Veterinarians list.
- Notification of Positive Analysis (Certificate Number 4523278303)
  - BLACK TIE BASH (2S525); this horse is entered on the Judges List and is ineligible to race, or be entered to race, for a period of thirty (30) days (22 October to 20 November, inclusive) per AGCO rules 9.07.01(iv) & 20.01(j) (Number 2398889).
  - Date: 5 October Race 4 finished first
  - Drug: ractopamine (Class 2)
  - Trainer: Isabelle Darveau, who will attend the Judges Office on Thursday 26 October to receive disclosure. AGCO rule 26.08 is applicable regarding transferring any horse trained, or owned, by Ms. Darveau to the care of another trainer.
- Early Judges scratch (other) of LYONS SHINE ON from the seventh race.
- Driver Jimmy Gagnon has been given a deadline of Thursday 26 October to satisfy his outstanding monetary penalty obligation.

**Races:**

- Jacques Beaudoin excused from one drive.
1. Clear.
  2. The #2 TWIN B CEREALKILLER (Jimmy Gagnon) finished distanced and must qualify for performance (trainer notified). Clear.
  3. Reviewed racing before the ½ mile pole; #5 STREET ART (Stephane Pouliot) did contact three consecutive pylons but did not leave the course; no violations. Clear.
  4. Clear.
  5. Clear.
  6. The #3 WOO SHARK (Ryan Guy) suffered broken equipment (hobble) before the ¼ mile pole, subsequently broke, pulled up and did not finish (charted with an equipment break). The #5 ROCK N ZEUS (Drew Smyth) suffered broken equipment (hobble) at the ¼ mile pole, subsequently broke and finished with broken equipment (charted with an equipment break); while off stride #5 did cause interference to #2 SPRINGBRIDGE JIM (Robert Shepherd), #4 MOONLIGHTER (Jimmy Gagnon), #7 IMA DUDE (Stephane Pouliot) and #8 HEAD OF THE TABLE (Stephane Brosseau); no placing necessary as #5 finished seventh (last). Clear.
  7. Reviewed the break by the race winner #3 PLAISIR (Jimmy Gagnon) before the ¾ mile pole; no violation of the breaking rules. Driver of #4 LEAVINWITHASMILE, Robbie Robinson, will attend a review regarding race pace (28 101<sup>2</sup> 131<sup>4</sup> 202<sup>2</sup>). Report from the Chief Test Inspector that #6 DOUBLE GUM, who finished second and had been selected to provide an official sample, did not report directly to the test barn; trainer Pierre-Marc Longpre will attend a review regarding AGCO rule 9.11 (horses selected to provide and official sample shall report without delay to the retention area). Clear.
  8. Clear.
  9. Driver of #6 UBER HANOVER, Philippe Trudeau, was cautioned regarding the requirement to have distinctive colours regardless of inclement weather. Clear.
  10. Reviewed racing before the ½ mile pole; no violations. Driver of #2 HES GOT A VENDETTA, William Roy, will attend a review regarding his urging in the stretch. Clear.
  11. Clear.

**Claims:** None