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Senior Judges Report

Name of Track	Grand River Raceway			
Date	Wed, July 22, 2026		Post Time	18:20 hrs
Weather	Clear, 20 C Degrees		Wind: 9 km/h W	
Track Condition	Fast (0 sec. variant)			
Number of Races	10	Qualifying races	7AV	Total Entries 101
Mutual Handle	\$267, 289			
Contact Vet	Paddock Meeting	Track Maintenance Meeting	Investigator Visit	Outgoing Senior Judge Update

Senior Judge Emma Pote	Associate Judge Gary Patterson	Associate Judge Andrew Van't Wout
Official Veterinarian: Dr. Shaun Baines		

Report on day's events:

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

Office:

Race Official Katy Crawford here for training this evening.

Due to a race program printing error, Daryl Thiessen was listed on two horses in Race 10. He was removed from the #7 Cold Creek Pantera.

Races:

Race 1 – Clear.

Race 2 – Reviewed racing in the stretch. #4 Happy Jeff (J. Jamieson, 2nd) slowed late in the stretch. #7 Bet The Macks (L. House, 3rd) and #5 Bernoulli (J. Hunt, 4th) had room to get around #4 if they had had enough horse left.

Race 3 – Inquiry: #4 Aboriginalbluechip (N. Boyd, 4th) and #8 Jims Rising Son (JB Renaud, 6th) hooked wheels briefly at the ¾ pole. Video review showed that #4 moves out slightly and #8 drops in slightly. Both horses were equally at fault and therefore no placing was warranted.

<https://youtu.be/X6TeVzchO4>

Race 4 – Reviewed racing going to the half. #6 South St. Donnie (J. Drury, 9th) starts to stop and #4 Now It's a Party (J. Hunt, 7th) runs up on him and gets rough. #6 finished distanced and must qualify for performance.

#7 Sport of Kings (A. Sorrie, 1st) came up lame after the race and was put on the long-term vet list lame and must qualify.

Race 5 – Inquiry: #8 End Of The Trail (D. Thiessen, DNF) did not get to the gate and was outside the fair start pole. Complete pari-mutuel refund of \$3200.00.

<https://youtu.be/Kwlx8k1qbGs>

The #8 horse pulled up going to the half and must qualify for performance. #8 was also put on the short-term vet list lame.

Race 6 – Clear.

Race 7 – Clear.

Race 8 – Clear.

Race 9 – Inquiry: #8 Laser (B. Gallier, DNF) broke stride before the start and was outside the fair start pole. Complete para-mutuel refund of \$354.00.

#8 pulled up before the half and must qualify for breaks and performance.

Race 10 – Inquiry: #1 Carsons buckngo (B. Le Cain, 3rd) pulled to follow #2 Boothill Hudy while #8 Rylentless (B. Galliers, 4th) was on his outside. #8 moved out to allow #1 out and his progress was not impeded. No violations.

<https://youtu.be/xtOE3qj9IT0>

Claims:

No claims entered.