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Senior Judges Report

Name of Track	Grand River Raceway				
Date	Wednesday, July 29 2026		Post Time	18:20 hrs	
Weather	25 Celsius		Wind: NNW 24 km/hr		
Track Condition	Fast				
Number of Races	10	Qualifying races	5 (AV)	Total Entries	117
Mutual Handle	\$ 289,184				
Contact Vet	Paddock Meeting	Track Maintenance Meeting	Investigator Visit	Outgoing Senior Judge Update	

Senior Judge Kelly Counsell	Associate Judge Andrew Van't Wout	Associate Judge Larry Hughes
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 is training tonight.
- Early scratches – Cold Creek Nacho R3 (lame), Carsons Wicked One R3 (Judges), Aboriginalbluechip R8 (sick), Jims Rising Son R8 (sick), Dylans Vett (Judges)
- Ruling #3831279 was issued to trainer Greg McNair for a stable error scratch. Monetary penalty \$100.

R1 – Clear

R2 – INQUIRY – Reviewed the break at the start of #5 Longshot Panic (N. Boyd, 4th). No violation.

Video: <https://youtu.be/-JOq5rRyLbg>

R3 - #3 DA Galloway is distanced at the finish and must qualify for performance. Trainer Victor Puddy.

R4 – Clear.

R5 – INQUIRY – Reviewed racing at the head of the stretch where #1 Count On Gord (D. Thiessen, 3rd) goes inside pylons and is lapped on at the finish by #7 Walk On Life (J.

Ryan, 4th). Judges determined that #1 is clearly inside two pylons and is not forced down. #1 finished 3rd and was placed 4th in accordance with pylon rule 18.02.02 (a).

Video: <https://youtu.be/c40mszdFD24>

R6 – Clear.

R7 – Clear.

R8 – Clear.

R9 – Clear. Travis Cullen was issued a monetary penalty of \$200 for failing to set a pace comparable to the class of his horse. Ruling #3831509.

R10 – Clear.

Claims: None

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