



Senior Judges Report

Name of Track	Rideau Carleton	Ottawa			
Date	Sunday 17 October 2021	Post Time	1830 hours		
Weather	Races 1 - 12: Cloudy (Temp: 10° C)	Wind:	15 km/h (West)		
Track Condition	Races 1 - 12: Fast (Variant 0 secs)				
Number of Races	12	Qualifying races	2 KC/MW	Total Entries	98/98
Mutual Handle	\$344,846				
Contact Vet	Paddock Meeting	Track Maintenance Meeting	Investigator Visit	Outgoing Senior Judge Update	

Senior Judge	Associate Judge	Associate Judge
Weber, Michael	Counsell, Kelly	Hughes, Larry (remote)

Report on day's events:

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

Office:

- From Thursday 14 October, the AGCO veterinarian examined ROAD RUNNER COLONY after the eighth race and placed this horse on the short term (seven days) veterinarians list due to lameness.
- Notice of Review delivered to Francis Dumouchel regarding the positive result from TWIN B SUNKISSED.
- Early Judges scratch (other) of BARN ONE from the seventh race.
- Early Veterinary scratch (sick) of SILVERADO from the seventh race; this horse is entered on the short term (seven days) veterinarians list.

Races:

- Clarke Steacy excused from five drives.
- Steeven Genoie excused from one drive.

1. Clear.
2. Clear.
3. Clear.
4. Clear.
5. Clear.

6. Inquiry and driver's objection concerning possible interference by the race winner #4 SIR GALAHAD (Benoit Hebert) on #3 FERN HILL BELLA (Mike Healey), who finished second in the stretch; Mr. Healey stated that #4 had beared out and contacted the front leg of his horse in the stretch, which was supported by the video; objection upheld; #3 finished first placed second for causing interference (AGCO rule 22.09).

Video: <https://youtu.be/E11csECholE>

Driver of #4, Benoit Hebert, was adjudged guilty of violating AGCO rule 22.05.01(a) (bear out causing another driver to change course) and assessed a driving suspension of five days (18-22 October, inclusive) (Number 1451274).

Drivers of #7 OFFICIALLY RUSTY, Daniel St. Pierre, and #9 DELLAS BOY, Daniel Laflamme, will each attend a review regarding their urging in the stretch. Clear.

7. Driver of #9 WOO SHARK, Drew Smyth, will attend a review regarding his urging in the stretch. Clear.
8. Clear.
9. The #8 STONEBRIDGE STING (Drew Smyth) suffered broken equipment (knee boot) after the start and finished with broken equipment. Clear.
 - Delay due to a problem with the parimutuel system.
10. Clear.
11. Discussed AGCO rule 22.19 (feet in stirrups) with the driver of #2 THE REGULATOR, Guy Gagnon; the explanation of Mr. Gagnon was partially accepted, and no regulatory action is required. Clear.
12. Clear.

Claims:

- 3 #6 SAULSBROOK KAISEN (1 claim) for \$12,500 by Matthew McDonald (Anne-Marie Turenne trainer).
- 4 #5 MISTER GODRO (2 claims) for \$8,000 by Limco, Inc. (Victor Puddy trainer).