



Senior Judges Report

Name of Track	Rideau Carleton	Ottawa			
Date	Sunday 3 October 2021	Post Time	1830 hours		
Weather	Races 1 - 11: Overcast (Temp: 12° C)		Wind: 10 km/h (East)		
Track Condition	Race 1: Good (Variant 1 secs) Races 2 - 11: Fast (Variant 0 secs)				
Number of Races	11	Qualifying races	2 AS	Total Entries	79/82
Mutual Handle	\$284,418				
Contact Vet	Paddock Meeting	Track Maintenance Meeting	Investigator Visit	Outgoing Senior Judge Update	

Senior Judge	Associate Judge	Associate Judge
Weber, Michael	Stiff, Al	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:

- Early Veterinary scratch (sick) of SAULSBROOK VELVETA from the first race; this horse is entered on the short term (seven days) veterinarians list.

Races:

- Samuel Fillion excused from eight drives.
 - No front tower due to condensation causing a fogged lens for races 1-5.
1. Clear.
 2. Clear.
 3. Discussed race with the driver of #3 SILVERADO, Ryan Guy, concerning the second quarter (26³ 56²); the explanation of Mr. Guy was partially accepted, and no regulatory action is required, although Mr. Guy was cautioned regarding maintaining pace when cutting the mile. Clear.
 4. Inquiry on the performance of #6 ONE FOR JULIUS (Richard Simard) who broke before the start, had not reached the fair start pole when the starter released the field; full parimutuel refund of \$15,259 (AGCO rule 22.03(l)); #6 qualifies for performance (trainer notified); #6 was examined by the AGCO veterinarian and placed on the short term (seven days) veterinarian list due to lameness.

Inquiry and driver's objection concerning possible interference by the race winner #7 LARRY IS DEBS ROCK (Guy Gagnon) on #4 SAKABUSH STEVE (Pascal Berube)

who finished second; Mr. Berube stated that #7 did bear in forcing him to take hold of his horse; upon video review it was determined that #7 did not impede the progress of #4 in the stretch; objection disallowed. Clear.

Video: <https://youtu.be/k46VAHOMlpQ>

5. Driver of #7 MOONLIGHTBOY, Jimmy Gagnon, was instructed and cautioned regarding the urging rules in Ontario. Driver of #8 TWIN B LAKER, Ryan Guy, was deemed to be in violation of AGCO rule 22.03(j)(vii) (failure to come into position and remain in position behind the starting gate) by Starter Jamie Fiolek and assessed a monetary penalty of \$100 (Number 1374856). The #9 NOTAWORD (Richard Simard) finished distanced and must qualify for performance (trainer notified). Clear.
6. Clear.
7. Clear.
8. Recall due to #1 BET ON A DREAM (Pascal Berube) shying from a piece of tape on the track and breaking. Clear.
9. Late driver change on #7 RYE N CLYNE from Jason Gilchrist to Sebastian Turenne; the panel will inquire with Mr. Gilchrist as to the reason he was not present to fulfill his driving obligation. Clear.
10. Reviewed the break by #3 RAISING RUSTY (Stephane Pouliot) before the ¼ mile pole; while off stride #3 did cause interference to #7 CROSSFIT (Marie-Claude Auger); no placing necessary as #3 finished posterior to #7. Clear.
11. The #7 RED JOHN (Marie-Claude Auger) suffered broken equipment (knee boot) after the start and finished with broken equipment. Clear.

Claims:

- 11 #1 DREAMFAIR TECATE (1 claim) for \$12,000 by Limco, Inc. (Victor Puddy trainer).