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## **Senior Judges Report**

Name of Track	The Race	The Raceway at Western Fair			London	
Date	Wednesda	Wednesday 24 February 2021		Post Time	18:30	
Weather	Overcast r	Overcast rain			Wind: 34 km/h (NorthWest)	
Track Condition	n Sloppy 5 s	Sloppy 5 second variant				
Number of Rac	Number of Races 10 Qualifying races Total Entr		<b>es</b> 83			
Mutual Handle \$ 141,945						
Contact Vet	Paddock Meeting	Track Maintenance Meeting	Investi Visit	gator	Outgoing Senior Judge Update	

Senior Judge	Associate Judge	Associate Judge
Rob McKay	John Dorion	Scott Kzionsyk

## Report on day's events:

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

Post Time for this evenings card has been pushed back to 6:30 pm by Racing Manager Greg Gangle in order to give the track more time to dry out and firm up.

Scott Coulter has been excused from his 3 drives this evening.

Race Official Gunnar Lindberg will work remotely this evening.

Starting gate was tested at 6:10 pm. No problems.

Races.

Race 1 – Judges inquiry at the start.

"Credits Celebrity" #4 (Bruce Richardson) made a break before the start. All horses received a fair start, no interference. Inquiry video: <a href="https://youtu.be/cvTorx0Q85c">https://youtu.be/cvTorx0Q85c</a>

Race 2- Judges inquiry X 2.

Judges inquiry in the stretch drive. "Tanzanite Trixx" #5 (James MacDonald), the 3<sup>rd</sup> place finisher and #8 "Chili N Toast" (Nick Steward), the 2<sup>nd</sup> place finisher come together before the finish. After talking to both drivers involved and viewing the front tower shot it was deemed #5 was bearing in and # 8 was bearing out. No placings. Inquiry video: https://youtu.be/cvTorx0Q85c

Judges inquiry before the start. "Magnitude Ten" #3 (Tyler Borth), the 4<sup>th</sup> place finisher, made a break in stride on his own and followed all the breaking rules. No placing. "Tanzanite Trixx" #5 (James MacDonald), the 3<sup>rd</sup> place finisher, switched to the pace then made a break in stride. He followed all the breaking rules. No placings. Inquiry video: <a href="https://youtu.be/pol.j6y98IDQ">https://youtu.be/pol.j6y98IDQ</a>

Race 3 – All clear.

After consultation with The Western Fair Horseman and Racing Manager Greg Gangle the remainder of the card has been cancelled due to unsafe track conditions.

The qualifying races scheduled for tomorrow at 11:00 am have been cancelled.