



Senior Judges Report

Name of Track	Rideau Carleton	Ottawa			
Date	Sunday 31 March 2024	Post Time	1830 hours		
Weather	Races 1 - 11: Clear (Temp: 10° C)	Wind:	19 km/h (West)		
Track Condition	Races 1 - 11: Fast (Variant 0 secs)				
Number of Races	11	Qualifying races	Ø	Total Entries	95/108
Mutual Handle	\$666,360				
Contact Vet	Paddock Meeting	Track Maintenance Meeting	Investigator Visit	Outgoing Senior Judge Update	

Senior Judge	Associate Judge	Associate Judge
Weber, Michael	Coles, Sharla	Rourke, Katelynn

Report on day's events:

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

Office:

- Trainer transfer approved for MSFRANNIE in the sixth race from Richard Moreau to Sam Sergi. There was also a program correction as this horse was entered without hopples and will race without hopples this evening.
- Trainer transfer approved for SAUBLE AMBER in the fifth race from Richard Moreau to Michel Lagace.
- Program correction in the seventh race, the drivers of TIME TO DANCING and CANDID CAMERON were named as Stephane Pouliot and Donald Jobin, respectively.

Races:

- Clarke Steacy excused from one drive.
1. Inquiry on #4 STONEBRIDGE ROBUST (Ryan Guy) who finished fourth; #4 broke stretch and finish, was not lapped on and did not violate any breaking rules; no change to the order of finish. Clear.
 2. Reviewed the break by #3 INUKSHUK SALLY (Guy Gagnon) after the start; #3 was off stride for more than 25 consecutive strides, finished eighth placed ninth for an extended break (AGCO rule 22.27.02). The #7 BESTGIRL IN TOWN (Melanie Plourde) suffered broken equipment (side hopple hanger) after the ½ mile pole and finished with broken equipment. Clear.

3. Recall due to broken equipment (ear plugs) on #9 JIMS BIG THRILL (Jimmy Gagnon). Clear.
4. Inquiry concerning possible broken equipment on #4 BIG PETES STYLE (Ryan Guy) before the start; #4 suffered broken equipment (rear hopple) causing the horse to break after the start, did receive a fair start, pulled up and did not finish. Clear.

Video: https://youtu.be/0j_Po8-WYm8

5. Clear.
6. Reviewed the break by #1 RAISING RUSTY (Stephane Pouliot) before and after the start; no interference to #9 AMIGO MIO (Ryan Guy) due to the break by #1 as the trailer was following #2; while off stride #1 did cause interference to #6 MSFRANNIE (Antonio Vecchio), who finished ninth, before the ¼ mile pole; #1 finished eighth placed ninth for violation of AGCO rule 22.27 (c) (failure to continuously lose ground while off stride), 22.27.02 (extended break) and causing interference to #6 (AGCO rule 22.09). Clear.
7. Reviewed the performance of #7 SKYLAR (Pascal Berube) before the ¼ mile pole; #5 did go inside one pylon and contact the subsequent pylon; no violations. Driver of #3 WHATS IN THE ESKY (Melanie Plourde) was cautioned regarding urging after the ¾ mile pole. Driver of #4 ROCK N ZEUS (Drew Smyth) was cautioned regarding urging in the stretch. Clear.

8. Clear.

9. Clear.

10. Clear.

11. Clear.

Claims: None