



Senior Stewards Report

Name of Track	Fort Erie		
Date	Tuesday, 15 Jun 2021	Post-time	15:00
Weather	Race 1 - 12: Clear (Temp: 22 deg. C)		
Track Conditions	Type: Dirt, Fast	Turf:	Firm, Lane 1
Number of Races	12		
Scratches	Vet: 4	Stewards: 5	Track:

Senior Steward	Associate Steward	Associate Steward
Fenton Platts	Paul Nielsen	Kelly Counsell

Report on day's Events: (Backstretch - accidents, fines, suspensions, objections, disqualifications, refunds, pertinent incidents, general details etc., Film Reviews, Races, Claims)

Office:

Opening day for Fort Erie

No issues to report

Paddock meeting with the jockeys, reminder of the urging policy here in Ontario.

Following the 10th race, the Chief Test inspector informed us that the #6 horse, The Mighty Judge, winner from the 9th race left the testing area prior to a sample being collected. Horse returned 7 minutes later, we advised to abandon test and we will review with trainer Steven Chircop. After review, it was determined there was a miscommunication between parties and Mr. Chircop was assessed a \$200.00 monetary penalty. Ruling #1231243

Races:

105 entries

Race 1, clear

Race 2, #5 Brady O'Brady off a step slow and bore in, rest ok

Race 3, Turf, reviewed start of #1 Blonde Attitude, very fractious and threw its head at start, rest good

Race 4, Turf, clear

Race 5, clear

Race 6, Turf, JCOF #2, Lefootwostomps, S. Singh 2nd on #6 Trail Blazing Essa, A. Santos, 1st, stretch run, Mr. Singh felt the rider on #6 struck his horse on the head area as A. Santos moved from right handed urging to left. Upon review of the upper pan and front tower camera angles, there was no evidence to support the claim. Claim of foul was disallowed. JCOF #4, Natural Habitat, P. Mailhot, 3rd on #6 Trail Blazing Essa, 1st, at the start. Upon review of the start, upper pan and front tower camera angles, #6 does bare in causing interference where the #4 has to check hard. #4 drops back to last and finished strong. #6 was 1st placed 3rd for interference at the start.

Inquiry video: <https://youtu.be/yDkRtVN2CWc>

Race 7, #7 Yallhaveaniceday stumbled start, rest ok

Race 8, #3 Be Vewy Vewy Quiet bobbed after the start, prevailed, rest ok

Race 9, Turf, reviewed run after the start regarding #3 Baddest Blues, H. Newell. Newell was taking a hold as the horse jumped on the bit trying to get into a hole, no violations

Race 10, clear, reviewed crop use by winner #4, P. Mailhot, was given a warning of not reaching back far enough when making contact with mount and film inconclusive as to the amount of times in succession of his crop use.

Race 11, clear

Race 12, clear

Mutuel Handle: \$1,194,397.

Claims:

Race 7, #2 Fafa Foey for \$4,500.00 by Jim Vetere/Julie Mathes trains.

Race 7, 2 way shake for #7 Yallhaveaniceday for \$4,500.00 goes to Robert Elkins/J. Humber trains