



## Senior Judges Report

<b>Name of Track</b>	Rideau Carleton	Ottawa			
<b>Date</b>	Thursday 18 May 2023	<b>Post Time</b>	1600 hours		
<b>Weather</b>	Races 1 - 10: Clear (Temp: 16° C)	<b>Wind:</b>	15 km/h (SouthWest)		
<b>Track Condition</b>	Races 1 - 10: Fast (Variant 0 secs)				
<b>Number of Races</b>	10	<b>Qualifying races</b>	Ø	<b>Total Entries</b>	65/73
<b>Mutual Handle</b>	\$208,578				
Contact Vet	x	Paddock Meeting	Track Maintenance Meeting	Investigator Visit	Outgoing Senior Judge Update

<b>Senior Judge</b>	<b>Associate Judge</b>	<b>Associate Judge</b>
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:

- Early Judges scratches (transportation) of AUDACITY OF HOPE from the sixth race, PREMIER STAR from the seventh race and REALRUBIES AT PLAY from the tenth race.
- Review held with driver Stephane Pouliot concerning the seventh race on 14 May while driving WHATS IN THE ESKY. After reviewing the race video and hearing the explanation of Mr. Pouliot it was determined that interference was caused to HES GOT A VENDETTA (Stephane Brosseau) but considering the testimony of Mr. Brosseau no penalty is assigned.
- Reviewed the race nine video from 7 May relative to the break made by JITTERBUG FLIP before the ¾ mile pole with the trainer, Macy Cassell Smyth.
- Discussed EIPH (Lasix) protocols with AGCO veterinarian Dr. Melissa Rocheleau.

### Races:

1. Clear.
2. Clear.
3. Reviewed the start concerning possible interference by the starting gate (due to difficulty folding the wings); none of the field was interfered with and all horses received a fair start. Clear.

4. Inquiry on #3 CROSSFIT (Jimmy Gagnon) who broke after the start and finished fourth; no violation of the breaking rules by #3. Clear.

Video: Not available.

5. Clear.

6. Clear.

7. Reviewed the performance of #4 SUNSHINE SALLY (Jimmy Gagnon) around the last turn; #4 did go inside one pylon; no violation of the inner rail rule. Clear.

8. Inquiry on the #3 STONEBRIDGE HERMES (Jacques Beaudoin) in the last turn concerning possibly leaving the course; #3 did contact two consecutive pylons but did not go inside either; no violation of the inner rail rule. Clear.

Video: Not available.

9. Clear.

10. Clear.

**Claims:**

- 2 #6 NEVER MIND N (1 claim) for \$18,000 by John Hopkins (Mandy Archer trainer).
- 5 #5 YNOTHOS (3 claims) for \$10,625 by Limco, Inc. (Victor Puddy trainer).
- 7 #4 SUNSHINE SALLY (1 claim) for \$27,000 by Jamie Copley & Darren Tingley (Mandy Archer trainer).