



Senior Stewards Report

Name of Track	Woodbine		
Date	August 6, 2023	Post-time	1:05pm
Weather	Partly Cloudy 26c Wind E 9 kph		
Track Conditions	Type: Tapeta	Turf: Firm	EPT lane 3 Inner lane 2
Number of Races	10 80 entered		
Scratches	Vet: 3	Stewards: 3	Track:

Senior Steward	Associate Steward	Associate Steward
Gunnar Lindberg	Fenton Platts	Jeff Minler

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

Office:

The horse "Dreaming of Kona(s)" that was slated to compete in the seventh race, The Hamilton Stakes, failed to be on the Woodbine grounds by the appointed time and is hereby scratched. Owner/Trainer Aldan Spieth was notified that a horse must be on the grounds no later than four hours prior to the first race post time.

Jockey Eswan Flores was issued a one day suspension to be served August 11, 2023 and a monetary penalty of \$300 for excessive use of his crop in the fifth race on August 4, 2023. AGCO ruling #2293337

Film Reviews:

Races:

Race 1 – #4 "Pretzlick" ridden by Amanda Vandermeersch was away slow

Race 2 – Clear

Race 3 – Clear

Race 4 – Clear

Race 5 – Clear

Race 6 - #9 “Hatmaker Gizmo” was fractious in the gate and scratched by the official Veterinarian. Reviewed the top of the stretch regarding #3 “Bucks Fizz” with Rico Walcott and #4 “If You Insist” with Eswan Flores, #4 gets out into the hind quarters of the #3 turning that one in. No action taken. Mutuel refund #9 \$83,785.

Race 7 – The Hamilton Stakes – Clear

Race 8 - #3 “Leslie Chow” with Emma-Jayne Wilson was away slow.

Race 9 – Stewards Inquiry and rider Claim of Foul (COF) by Eswan Flores aboard #1 “Four Aces High” against #2 “Quite Ready” ridden by Rafael Hernandez for interference during the run away from the gate. Eswan said Rafael came over on me and I had to check out of there. Rafael said Eswan’s horse came out into my horses hind quarters turning me in, I had horses to the outside but he had room before he came out to me. After review, the COF was disallowed, no change.

Video review: <https://youtu.be/Lk4cQMU72gY>

Race 10 – Stewards Inquiry into the run down the backstretch regarding #10 “Golden Train” ridden by Juan Crawford. Mr. Crawford comes in fast and interferes with several horses to his inside. Kazushi Kimura called to complain and relayed he yelled a lot at Juan but he just kept coming over, several of us were in big trouble. Juan said his horse was shying from the #11 and he went in with me. After review #10 was disqualified from sixth and placed last.

Video review: <https://youtu.be/ilp2yFUTgMM>

Mutuel handle \$4,574,972.

Claims:

Race 1 - #3 “Swing Dixie” goes to owner Michael Bellissimo for \$7,500. Trainer William Armata

Race 4 - #5 “Mia and Me” goes to owners John Hillier & John Lofts for \$14,000. Trainer Dale Desruisseaux