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Senior Stewards Report

Name of Track	Fort Erie		
Date	Tuesday, 16 Jul 2024	Post-time	16:30
Weather	Race 1 - 7: Overcast (Temp: 27 deg. C)		
Track Conditions	Type: Dirt, Sloppy	Turf:	Off
Number of Races	7		
Scratches	Vet: 2	Stewards: 6	Track:

Senior Steward	Associate Steward	Associate Steward
Fenton Platts	Paul Nielsen	Scott Ksionzyk

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

Backstretch:

No issues to report

Races #1 and #4 will have no show or superfecta wagering. Race #7 will
Races #4 and #7 have been taken off the turf and will run at 5 furlongs and 6 ½ furlongs respectively.

Official Veterinarians, Dr. Matt Nugent and Dr. John Starmer on duty today

There was some discussion with a horseman who submitted a claim that was sealed by the glue on the claim envelope. A policy was developed and put forth during Covid that no claiming envelopes would be accepted by the Stewards if they appeared to have been sealed by this method. We have also discussed with Fort Erie management that the envelopes with the glue cannot be sealed in this manner and must be tucked in. We will discuss further.

Film Reviews:

None

Races:

45 Entries

Race 1, Stewards inquiry and Jockey claim of foul, #1 Carpe Bellum, K. Johnson, 3rd, on #5, Collaborative, E. Zenteno, 1st inside the 3/16ths in stretch. Upon review of the front tower and upper pan camera angles, #5 is going by and drifts in under right-handed urging, interfering with the #1 on the rail, #1 has to check hard.

E. Zenteno felt he kept a straight path.

K. Johnson stated he took my room away

#5 was disqualified from 1st position and placed 3rd. Notice of review for the riders sent.

Inquiry video: <https://youtu.be/8oRkpncWN6I>

Race 2, All clear

Race 3, All clear

Race 4, Off turf, All clear

Race 5, Jockey claim of foul, #3, Tonka Wakan, P. Mailhot, 2nd on #5 Follow Me Home, E. Zenteno, 1st, through the stretch. Upon review of the front tower and upper pan camera angles, #3 is outside of the #5, they both come together a few times, it was determined that the contact was evenly distributed and neither rider was forced to stop riding or appeared to be impeded. The claim of foul was disallowed.

#4 You See Me, A Sanchez, 5th lugged out badly into the far turn and was eased, spoke with Sanchez who thought the blinkers may have shifted to impair the horses' sight, reviewed run into the turn. No visible sight of the blinker issue.

Race 6, Jockey claim of foul, #5 M C Jackhammer, D. Gaskin, 2nd on #6 Nameofthegame, M. Buchanan, 1st, going into the far turn. Upon review of the upper pan and back tower camera angles, #6 is outside and in front, #5 inside that one with #4 to the inside of #5. It appears the #6 is clear although it does get tight for #5 inside, does steady his mount. Insufficient evidence to support a placing. Claim of foul disallowed.

Inquiry video: https://youtu.be/Fg93U_vZQmE https://youtu.be/0sDNJL_Z4LU

Race 7, Off turf, #2, Born to Be Good, off a step slow and stumbled when moving laterally to his right before the turn, rest ok.

Mutuel Handle: \$732,506.

Claims: