



Senior Stewards Report

Name of Track	Fort Erie		
Date	Tuesday, 17 Oct 2023	Post-time	13:00
Weather	Race 1 - 9: Overcast (Temp: 12 deg. C)		
Track Conditions	Type: Dirt, good	Turf:	Off
Number of Races	9		
Scratches	Vet: 3	Stewards: 2	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)

Office:

Apprentice Jockey Desean Bynoe excused from his mounts today.

Race #8 removed from the turf and will run 6 1/2 furlongs on the main.

Following the 5th race Jockey Brian Cheyne was excused from his mount from the 7th race. Chris Husbands replaced.

Film Reviews:

None

Races:

65 Entries

Race 1, #4 Betka off a step slow, prevailed. Rest ok

Race 2, #1 Breach of Trust off a step slow to the inside, rest ok.

Race 3, Stewards' inquiry, #4 Sweet Finale, start. Upon review of the back tower camera angle, the assistant starter does not interfere with the start of #4 as it rears at the time the Starter releases the field.

Inquiry video: <https://youtu.be/9Vjco-Xuqlw>

Race 4, #5 Paperback Hero squeezed at the start, prevailed. Rest ok

Race 5, #1 Jara lugged in down the backstretch and was steadied making contact with the inside rail, rest good.

Race 6, Jockey claim of foul, #3, I. Mosqueira, 4th against #4, J. Alderson, 2nd, at the start. Upon review of the back tower and upper pan camera angles at the start, #4 does bare in at the start and interfere with the #3. #3 is shuffled back to 6th. #4 was subsequently disqualified from 2nd and placed 4th. no penalty assessed to Jockey J. Alderson.

Inquiry video: <https://youtu.be/54yHQWal3Mg>

Race 7, On advisement of the Official Veterinarian, #3 Le Grand Garcon was scratched at the gate for being fractious and lying down inside the gate, refund of \$38,404. Race All clear.

Race 8, All clear

Race 9, Tour de Fort, All clear

Mutuel handle: \$1,336,292.

Claims:

Race 4, #4 Mayito for \$8,000.00 by Kevin Buttigieg/Owner/Trainer