



Senior Stewards Report

Name of Track	Ajax		
Date	Wednesday, 26 August 2020	Post-time	12:55
Weather	Race 1 – 8 Temp: +20C Wind from the south @ 6kmh		
Track Conditions	Fast		
Number of Races	8		
Scratches	Vet: 6	Stewards: 0	Track: 0

Senior Steward	Associate Steward	Associate Steward
Allan T. Stiff	Frederick E. Brethour	Fenton K. Platts (C.A.R.)

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

Backstretch:

- Time checks complete

Race 1:

- #1 Phil Jefferson (Max Badal), (finished fifth) broke in the air.
- #5 Junoimzoomin (Norman Lloyd DeSouza), (finished fourth) broke towards and ran along the outside rail. Mr. DeSouza said he used his crop in an overhand fashion to keep the horse from striking the outside rail, due to safety reasons.

Race 2:

- Stewards inquiry reviewed the break by #7 The Lady Is a Winner (Cory Spataro), (finished seventh). #7 dwelt on the break and did receive a fair start.

Inquiry video: <https://youtu.be/kywH-RKwhSI>

- Cautioned riders Max Badal (#4 Peves Braveheart), (finished fifth) and Ismael Eluid Mosqueira (#6 Wildkates Dynasty), (finished sixth). Both riders did use their crop in an overhand cocked position and they know what is expected going forward.

Race 3:

- #2 Blue Eyed Merlin (Tony Phillips), (finished sixth) broke slowly.
- #5 Winning Oakie (Max Badal), (finished eighth) broke in the air.
- #7 Kiss My Crystals (Ramiro Sanchez Castillo), (finished fourth) stumbled on the break.

Race 4:

- A photo finish malfunction occurred during this race. The Stewards used all camera angles to determine the order of finish.

Race 5:

- #5 The Last Fly was fractious in the gate and was subsequently scratched by the Commission Veterinarian.
- Stewards inquiry reviewed racing mid way through the stretch between #7 Caraways Jet Moon (Norman Lloyd DeSouza), (finished second) and #8 All Night Long (Ramiro Sanchez Castillo), (finished third). #7 and #8 come together slightly. When the #8 Jockey goes right-handed the #8 comes in slightly and bumps the #7 in the rear, turning the #7 back towards #8. No placings required.

Inquiry Video: <https://youtu.be/x1keDywnxW0>

- #3 Pegasos Two Underpar (Brian Bell), (finished sixth), lost an iron at the start.

Race 6:

- All clear

Race 7:

- Jockey Ed Walton (#4 Twixt Of Fate), (finished first) was found to be in violation of AGCO rule 9.27.07 (d) & (e) (*did use his crop in an overhand cocked position*). Mr. Walton is subject to a \$200 monetary penalty. Ruling #1060493.

Race 8:

- #2 Shake It Twice (Cassandra Jeschke), (finished seventh) stumbled on the break.

Handle: \$84, 470