



Senior Judges Report

Name of Track	Rideau Carleton	Ottawa			
Date	Thursday 1 July 2021	Post Time	1600 hours		
Weather	Races 1 - 11: Cloudy (Temp: 24 deg. C)		Wind: 12 km/h (North)		
Track Condition	Races 1 - 11: Fast (Variant 0 secs)				
Number of Races	11	Qualifying races	Ø	Total Entries	86/91
Mutual Handle	\$312,808				
Contact Vet	Paddock Meeting	Track Maintenance Meeting	Investigator Visit	Outgoing Senior Judge Update	

Senior Judge	Associate Judge	Associate Judge
Weber, Michael	Coles, Sharla	Lawrence, Don (remote)

Report on day's events:

(Accidents, claims, fines and/or suspensions, objections and/or disqualifications, refunds and any other pertinent incidents)

Office:

- Due to a draw error TOO MUCH DUNCAN was omitted from the draw for race ten. Being properly declared, this horse was added in after the draw and assigned the last post position (eight) per AGCO rule 17.15.
- Early Vet scratch (sick) of FINAL TABLE from the fifth race; this horse is entered on the veterinarians short term (seven days) list.

Races:

- Richard Simard excused from one drive.
 - Samuel Fillion excused from three drives.
1. Clear.
 2. Discussed a driver's obligation when cutting the mile with the driver of #4 LA PETITE GRISE, Pascal Berube, concerning the second quarter (28¹ 59¹); the explanation of Mr. Berube was partially accepted although he was cautioned to maintain pace when in front. Clear.
 3. Inquiry and driver's objection concerning possible interference by #3 DARCEE N (Darcy Clancy) on #1 SHANGHAIGOLD (Ryan Guy) before the ¼ mile pole; Mr. Guy stated #3 attempted to force his way into the hole and did cause his horse make a break; Mr. Clancy stated that there was room and #1 had stepped on his wheel; upon review it was determined that #3 did cause interference to #1; #3 finished 4th placed 6th for causing interference to #1 (AGCO rule 22.09).

Video: <https://youtu.be/LfZ4tf-SJs8>

Driver Darcy Clancy was adjudged guilty of violating AGCO rule 22.05.01(a) (bear in causing another driver to pull their horse out of its stride) and assessed a three day driving suspension to be served 11-13 July, inclusive (SB 1243721). Clear.

4. Clear.
5. Recall due to broken equipment on #5 CLEVELAND BEACHBOY (Samuel Fillion). Reviewed the performance of #4 TJ THUNDER (Gordon Ley), who broke before the ½ mile pole; while off stride #4 did cause interference to #1 HAKOMOJITO, #5 CLEVELAND BEACHBOY and #8 SPORTY DEAL; #4 finished 5th placed 7th (last) (AGCO rule 22.09).

Video: <https://youtu.be/pf3oz40Yrb8>

Upon review it was determined that the driver of #4, Gordon Ley, did cause his horse to break by driving up and into the sulky of #6 DE CHAIRMAN (Clarke Steacy), who was charted with an interference. Mr. Ley was adjudged guilty of violating AGCO rule 22.05.01(h) (strike another sulky) and assessed a three day driving suspension to be served 4-6 July, inclusive (SB 1243740). Clear.

6. Inquiry concerning the performance of #8 MISS MATLOCK (Guy Gagon) who broke stretch and finish and was lapped by #1 THE BIG CHEESE and #5 PHILLY FREEDOM; #8 finished 3rd placed 5th for a double lapped-on break (AGCO rule 22.27). Clear.

Video: <https://youtu.be/DjlezO5Qakk>

Note: #8 fell after the wire and into the path of #4 TIMBO SLICE (Samuel Fillion) who also fell. This resulted in interference to #2 IMJUSTALITTLE GIRL (Pascal Berube), #7 AJ DALIA (Clarke Steacy) and #9 PARTY VIBES (Rodney LaFramboise). #4 was examined by the AGCO veterinarian who placed the horse on the short term veterinarians list (seven days) due to minor abrasions. #8 was examined by the AGCO veterinarian who placed the horse on the long term veterinarians list due to a cut and must qualify (trainer notified). Mr. Gagnon was examined by the Rideau Emergency Medical personnel and declared fit to race; Mr. Fillion was excused from his remaining drives and transported to the hospital for observation.

7. Clear.
8. Reviewed the performance of #1 THE GIRLS OF IMAGE (Rodney LaFramboise) who broke after the ¼ mile pole and while off stride did cause interference to #3 VILLAGE JAMIE (Emil Toth); no placing necessary as #1 finished 7th (last). Clear.
9. JOURNALISTIC #1 suffered broken equipment (flat tire) after the start and finished third with broken equipment. Clear.
10. SINGHAMPTON KENNY #4 suffered broken equipment (shoe) after the start and finished seventh with broken equipment. Clear.

11. Clear.

Claims:

- 10 #2 LEVY TAYLORE (1claim) for \$8,000 by Jamie Copley (J. Copley trainer).
- 10 #3 REDDIT HANOVE (1claim) for \$8,000 by Susan Roy (Bill Douglas trainer).