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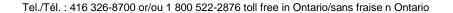
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# **Senior Stewards Report**

Name of Track	k	Woodbine						
Date		Sunday	, 29 Oct 2023				Post-time	13:15
Weather		Race 1 - 10: Overcast (Temp: 7 deg. C)						
Track Conditions		Type:	Tapeta		Turf:	Off turf		
Number of Races		10						
Scratches	Vet:	5	Stewards:	12	Tr	ack:		

Senior Steward	Associate Steward	Associate Steward
Fenton Platts	Gunnar Lindberg	Kelly Counsell, Jason Portuondo

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

# Backstretch:

Races scheduled for turf were removed at approximately 9:30 AM.

Breathalyzer strips were utilized in Races 1 and 2.

Jockey Keveh Nicholls attended to address a fail to fulfill his riding engagements from October 16, 2023, at Fort Erie racetrack, race 9, necessitating a scratch. The Stewards accepted Mr. Nicholls reason of safety as he had ridden the horse previously and the horse did not handle the track as it was muddy.

Trainer John Mattine attended to address AGCO Inspection #2376533. It was determined that Mr. Mattine was in violation of AGCO TB Rule 15.40.02, where the horse Silent Miracle provided a class IV positive sample from a post Official workout on September 3, 2023, Mr. Mattine was issued a monetary penalty in the amount of \$500.00 TB Ruling #2407796

Jockey Eswan Flores issued a three-day riding suspension November 5, 9 and 10, 2023 from Race 4 on October 26, 2023.

### Film Reviews:

None

#### Races:

116 Entries

Race 1, Off EPT turf, All clear

Race 2, Stewards' Inquiry #2 D. Bynoe, 4<sup>th</sup> and Jockey claim of #7, K. Kimura, 8<sup>th</sup> on #8 S. Vives, 6<sup>th</sup> and #6, L. Salles, 3<sup>rd</sup>, at the 1/8 pole. Upon review of upper pan and front tower camera angles, #2 is the horse moving laterally to his right when not clear and outside horses are forced over, #7 has to check hard and does clip a heel and stumbles. #2 finished 4<sup>th</sup> and was placed 8<sup>th</sup> behind #7. Notice of review sent for Desean Bynoe, K. Kimura, S. Vives and Leo Salles to be held November 2, 2023.

Inquiry video: https://youtu.be/KGuIRF-jyhg

Race 3, Off EPT Turf, All clear

Race 4, Off Inner Turf, reviewed run around far turn #1, Reliability does steady as it appears to be moving up on a retiring #9, Taradar, rest good

Race 5, Off EPT turf. #2 Hawkesbury threw head up at start, #3 Gold Bonanza steadies as #14, Lakefield is moving to the inside, there is room for #3, no placings required.

Race 6, Off Inner turf, All clear

Race 7, #9 Green Fleet was eased, rest ok

Race 8, All clear. Operator error, utilized upper pan camera for photo finish.

Race 9, All clear

Race 10, #1 Graceful Fighter off a step slow, prevailed. Rest good

Mutuel handle: \$5,591,274.

# Claims:

Race 7, #3 Palio for \$32,000.00 by Bruno Schickedanz/Trainer Abraham Katryan Race 7, #5 Avowman (4) for \$32,000.00 goes to La Huerta Inc. and D Mac Racing Inc./Trainer Donald MacRae

Race 8, #10 Halaga for \$25,000.00 by Bruno Schickedanz/Trainer Norman McKnight