



Senior Judges Report

Name of Track	Grand River Raceway			
Date	Monday, August 21 2023	Post Time	18:30	
Weather	20C, clear	Wind:	N13km/hr	
Track Condition	Fast			
Number of Races	9	Qualifying races	Total Entries	66
Mutual Handle	\$ 280,675			
Contact Vet	Paddock Meeting	Track Maintenance Meeting	Investigator Visit	Outgoing Senior Judge Update

Senior Judge	Associate Judge	Associate Judge
Neil McCoag	Kelly Counsell	Tyler Fines

Report on day's events:

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

Office:

- Colin Kelly excused from his one drive in R9 tonight.
- Certificate of Positive Analysis confirmed August 19, 2023
Tag# 393923210006
Horse: The Great Reset (1st)
R4 Hanover Raceway, July 29, 2023
Drug: Isoflupredone (Class 4)
- Trainer Lorne House was in to accept the settlement offer. Rulings to follow.
- Spoke to trainer Scott Friend regarding the application of the passing lane [rule 25.05.02.2](#) in R10, Friday, August 18. Further review of racing in the stretch using the pan and front tower videos show that #6 does leave sufficient clearance to the passing lane for the trailing horses, furthermore the film shows the driver of #6 making significant effort to keep the horse out of the passing lane.
- R1 & R6 Prospect Series races.

Races:

R1 – Review of the stretch shows #5 Chaud Holliday (R. Holliday, F3) goes off stride after the finish line. #3 The Blondy (T. Henry, F2) lost a shoe in the race and was charted with broken equipment (BE).

R2 – Clear

R3 – Clear

R4 – INQUIRY. Reviewed #2 Sweeter Than Lou (J. Harris) for possible broken equipment before the start. The horse went off stride and continued to run past the start until the horse got its foot over the hopple. No violation, but the driver did pull the horse up and the horse is charted with broken equipment (BE) after the start.

R5 – Clear

R6 - #1 Caribbean Sky (S. Coulter, F5) went off stride before the start and must qualify for breaks. #3 Had Me Whiskey (W. Henry F3) went off stride after the start and must qualify for breaks. The Paddock Judge was notified.

R7 – Spoke to Brett MacDonald about #4 Autumn's Passion's action at the 3/4. The horse tried to pull up after he pulled the ear plugs.

R8 – Clear

R9 – Reviewed racing at the start where #4 is taking back between horses and touches a wheel. Heza Handy Man is charted with an (I).