



Senior Judges Report

Name of Track	Woodbine Mohawk Park			
Date	Thursday February 16, 2023	Post Time	19:00	
Weather	Freezing Rain -1C	Wind:	25 km/h NE	
Track Condition	R1 – R11: Good (Variant 1 second)			
Number of Races	11	Qualifying races	Total Entries	94/120
Mutual Handle	\$1,965,234			
Contact Vet	Paddock Meeting	Track Maintenance Meeting	Investigator Visit	Outgoing Senior Judge Update

Senior Judge	Associate Judge	Associate Judge
David Stewart	Jason Portuondo	Fred Brethour (remote)

Report on day's events:

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

OFFICE

- Matthew Gregory training this evening to be a Race Official.
- Due to freezing rain and wind, there is no Apex Video this evening. The Front Tower was operational starting in Race 2 and the Back Tower in Race 3.
- A strong head-wind down the backstretch, the weather and track conditions are causing slower second and third quarters this evening. Judges spoke to a couple drivers throughout the night about the second quarters.

RACES

Race 1 – Judges spoke to Driver Bob McClure regarding his driving strategy with 4-5, #6 Angelwithattitude. McClure stated the horse was running in on the first turn and is not the best gaited horse to drive. He elected not to move at the quarter as he did not feel the horse would be able to sustain a first-over trip into the strong wind and clear to the front. He anticipated that #7 Laa Dee Gaa (LP Roy) to his outside would advance so that he could possibly follow cover instead; however, the horses behind him started moving and he was unable to move off the rail. As a result, the horse was shuffled to last around the turn and closed to finish 5th.

The race fractions were corrected to :28, :59, 1:29, 1:57.1.

Race 2 – Inquiry – Reviewed the break by #6 MVN (Sylvain Filion) after the start, finished 4th – no violations of the AGCO breaking rule.

- Inquiry Video: <https://youtu.be/ZsudGtHATHI>

- Reviewed the break by #1 Fastnet Rocky (Jonathan Drury) after the start, finished 5th – no violations of the AGCO breaking rule.

Race 3 – All Clear

Race 4 – Inquiry – Reviewed the break by #3 Thelegendcontinues (Austin Sorrie) before the start – inside the Fair Start Pole.

- Inquiry Video: <https://youtu.be/xuUoBhsM7IE>

Race 5 – All Clear

Race 6 – Inquiry – Reviewed the break by #2 Daisy Day (Bob McClure) at the quarter, finished 4th – no violations of the AGCO breaking rule.

- Inquiry Video: <https://youtu.be/DJg7mrOCIVA>

- Reviewed racing going to the quarter – #8 Barroom Brawl Boys (Ondrej Gois) bears down and causes #6 Moni Ellen (LP Roy) to make a break. #8 finished 6th placed 8th for causing interference; #6 was charted with an interference break.

Race 7 – All Clear

Race 8 – Reviewed racing in the first turn – #3 R Hot Toddy (Bob McClure) races inside one pylon, no violations of the AGCO pylon rule.

Race 9 – Inquiry/Accident at the finish – #8 Sunshineinmypocket (Sylvain Filion) is trying to split horses coming to the wire and gets her front foot stuck in the bike of #7 Sunshine Sally (LP Roy). #8 subsequently makes a break and falls to the track. #6 P L Ooooooooooyah (Jody Jamieson) is unable to avoid #8 and falls over that horse. Both horses were observed by Association Vet Dr. Ballinger and #8 suffered a lip laceration. Jamieson was OK to continue driving. Filion booked off Race 11. No change was needed to the order of finish. No inquiry video posted.

Race 10 – All Clear

Race 11 – All Clear

CLAIMS

R3 – #3 Nine Ways (1) – \$7,000 – Ow. Kevin Skilton, Tr. Dwain Spitzig

R9 – #10 Clodam Bayama (6) – \$18,750 – Ow/Tr. Guy Chretien

R10 – #3 JMR Mach Mel (1) – \$8,750 – Ow. Michael Stamp, Janet Lawrence, Tr. Michael Stamp

R10 – #8 Larjon Lena (1) – \$11,250 – Ow/Tr. Mike Timpano

R11 – #2 Barrys Shelby (1) – \$8,000 – Ow. Shayne Barrington, Alan McGregor, Tr. Shayne Barrington

R11 – #7 Dark Moves (3) – \$8,000 – Ow. Daniel Mead, Tr. Robert Doyle

R11 – #9 Woodmere Rollnpop (1) – \$9,000 – Ow. Tess Waxman, Frank Cirillo, Tr. Isaac Waxman