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Senior Stewards Report

Name of Track	Ajax Downs		
Date	Wednesday, June 10 th , 2026	Post-time	15:30
Weather:	26C Overcast humid		
Wind:	17 km/h SW		
Track Conditions	Fast		
Number of Races/Entries:	9 races / 49 races		
Scratches	Stewards: 0	Vet: 5	
Mutual Handle:	\$ 151 808		

Senior Steward	Associate Steward	Associate Steward
Fred Brethour	Scott Ksionzyk	Jason Portuondo
Official Veterinarian: Dr. A. Stovman and Dr.S.Campbell - Heron		

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

Backstretch:

Due to today's high humidity / humidex readings, the track has implemented warm weather protocols for the welfare of the horses. Cooling stations etc.

Jesus Medina was excused from five rides today.

The Stewards' spoke with rider Max Badal regarding his riding on Jjohnpopper from Race 6 last week. No further action necessary.

Races:

Race 1: Clear.

Race 2: #4 Stonecutter Form was entered without blinkers, erroneously programmed with blinkers, did race without and announced to the public during post parade.

Inquiry: #3 Justt Jackson (C.Jeschke), started to rear when the gate to was about open, was held. Refund \$4104.

Inquiry video: https://youtu.be/C1CYb_m5e9c

Tote delay of approximately 10 minutes to go official.

Race 3: Clear.

Race 4: Jockey Brian Bell was warned about striking overhand while riding race winner #1 Lights Dynasty. This is Bell's only and final warning regarding urging.

Race 5: #1 Working Class Hero (H.Vanek), finished 3rd, broke outwardly but did not cause interference to #3 Shaken (C.Jeschke), finished 4th.

Race 6: Clear.

Race 7: #2 Ivory Queen (C.Benitez), finished 4th, and #3 Copilot (H.Vanek), finished 1st, came together after the break. No interference or placings needed.

Race 8: Clear.

Race 9: #1 Favorite Interest (C.Benitez), finished 3rd, in deep stretch crossed over in front of #2 Ms Fixin to Win (R.Castillo), finished 7th, but was well clear to do so.

#3 Shadow of the Night and #6 Caviar On Ice finished 4th in a dead heat.

Claims: None.