



2026 UET Elite Circuit – Stage 11
Ulf Thoresen Grand International
Jarlsberg Racetrack, Norway – July 5, 2026

**Veteran DON FANUCCI ZET wins the 11th stage with
the help of Orjan KIHLSSTRÖM**

Daniel REDEN's stable clearly had the key to success in the 11th stage of the UET Elite Circuit, held Sunday at the Jarlsberg Racetrack in Norway. With Örjan KIHLSSTRÖM back in the sulky, the Swedish veteran **DON FANUCCI ZET** showed real grit to claim victory in the "Ulf Thoresen Grand International." Starting from lane 7, he found himself in second position on the outside of the pacesetter, the Italian **EXECUTIV EK**. That position did not prevent the son of **HARD LIVIN**—masterfully driven by Örjan KIHLSSTRÖM—from dominating his rival in the final stretch before narrowly holding off the strong late charges from his compatriot **DAIM BRODDA** and the Norwegian **POWWOW**.

Daniel REDEN's second entry, **KENTUCKY RIVER**, finished in 4th place. This performance earned him 7 points. He now sits in 7th place in the 2026 UET Elite Circuit standings, tied on points with the Italian **FRANK GIO**. **DON FANUCCI ZET** is now hot on his heels. Thanks to his victory, he is now just one point behind his training partner. Both have thus taken advantage of this 11th round to break into the top 10. Although absent from the Norwegian race, the Italian **FREE TIME JEPSON** and the French **GO ON BOY** remain firmly entrenched on the top two res steps of the podium. With the next three stages taking place in Northern Europe, the Scandinavian trotters should be able to capitalize on this to boost their point totals.

2026 UET Elite Circuit Standings after the eleventh stage
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<i>Rank</i>	<i>Horse</i>	<i>Report Points</i>	<i>Points as of 5 July 26</i>	<i>TOTAL</i>
1 st	FREE TIME JEPSON 	37	0	37
2 nd	GO ON BOY 	30	0	30
3 ^e	FRANCESCO ZET 	26	0	26
4 ^e	EPIC KRONOS 	26	0	26
5 ^e	INMAROSA 	24	0	24
6 ^e	FRANK GIO 	22	0	22
7 ^e	KENTUCKY RIVER 	15	7	22
8 ^e	ALWAYS EK 	21	0	21
9 ^e	DON FANUCCI ZET 	5	16	21
10 ^e	JABALPUR 	21	0	21

In the event of a tie in total points, refer to Rule 5.4 of the regulations for determining the ranking.

Next stop: Tuesday, July 28, 2026, in Jagersro (Sweden) for the "Hugo Aberg's Memorial"

Link to follow the overall standings for this edition, to download the rules and scoring system, and to view the details of the final, which will take place in Italy at the **Turin** racetrack on **Sunday, October 11, 2026, alongside the UET Grand Prix:** www.uet-trot.eu/uet-elite-circuit/

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