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Weekly Track Report

Saratoga Race Course Meet

Week of Tuesday, August 11, 2015 - Monday, August 17, 2015

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Tuesday, August 11, 2015

Dark Day

Wednesday, August 12, 2015

Stewards- Stephen Lewandowski, Braulio Baeza, Dr. Ted Hill

Weather- 82 degrees and Mostly Cloudy

Total Races	Horses Entered	Horses Started	Race 1	Race 2	Race 3	Race 4	Race 5	Race 6	Race 7	Race 8	Race 9	Race 10
9	86	68	XX 0	C 6	MC 5	C 5	MS 9	C 10	AOC 10	STK 7	AOC 7	MC 9

C- Claiming MC- Maiden Claiming MS- Maiden Special Weight AOC- Allowance Optional Claiming STK- Stakes Single Number- Total Starters In Each Race **Brown Highlight- Inner Turf Race** **Green Highlight- Turf Race** XX- Race Cancelled **Yellow Highlight- Surface Change Turf to Dirt**

No Inquiries Occurred.

Incident Race 8- #2 Micromanage trained by Todd Pletcher and ridden by Javier Castellano was eased through the stretch.

Horses Claimed- Race 2- #3 Defoe Street Claimed by Trainer Carol Fisher for Aron S. Yagoda, #4 Winning for Sarah Claimed by Trainer Jena Antonucci for Drawing Away Stable, #5 Benny's Bullet Claimed by Trainer Steven Asmussen for Steven Asmussen; Race 3- #7 Lady Daphne Claimed by Trainer Abigail Adsit for Matthew Schera; Race 4- #1A Gypsum Johnny Claimed by Trainer Adam Rice for Mulberry Stable, #2 Alex the Terror Claimed by Trainer John Toscano, Jr. for Bran Jam Stable, #3 Old Mexico Claimed by Trainer Bruce Levine for Repole Stable, #5 Chasing Bubbles Claimed by Trainer David Jacobson for David Jacobson, #6 Mr. Romance Claimed by Trainer Robert Reid, Jr. for Swilcan Stable LLC; Race 6- #8 Hillbilly Style Claimed by Trainer Patrick Reynolds for Albert Perrone, #10 Marvinino Claimed by Trainer Michael Maker for Kenneth L. and Sarah K. Ramsey; Race 7- #4 Vicki's Dancer Claimed by Trainer Danny Gargan for Midwest Thoroughbreds, Inc.

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Thursday, August 13, 2015

Stewards- Stephen Lewandowski, Braulio Baeza, Dr. Ted Hill

Weather- 82 degrees and Clear

Total Races	Horses Entered	Horses Started	Race 1	Race 2	Race 3	Race 4	Race 5	Race 6	Race 7	Race 8	Race 9	Race 10
10	95	82	A 8	SA 6	MS 7	C 8	AOC 7	MC 9	A 6	C 12	STK 9	MC 10

A- Allowance SA- Starter Allowance MS- Maiden Special Weight C- Claiming AOC- Allowance Optional Claiming MC- Maiden Claiming STK- Stakes Single Number- Total Starters In Each
Brown Highlight- Inner Turf Race Green Highlight- Turf Race

No Inquiries Occurred.

Incident Race 1- #8 All That Rules trained by Cyril Murphy and ridden by Jack Doyle fell after going over the third hurdle and unseated the rider. Both horse and rider appeared fine.

Incident Race 1- #5 Bau Bai Gold trained by Jasmine Napravnik and ridden by Ross Geraghty fell going over the ninth hurdle and unseated the rider. Both horse and rider appeared fine.

Horses Claimed- Race 4- #2 Doinwhatshelikes Claimed by Trainer Michelle Nevin for Ye Ole Posse Stable, #6 Concealedwithakiss Claimed by Trainer Joseph Mazza for Peace Sign Stables; Race 5- #3 Enchanted River Claimed by Trainer John Terranova, II for Sovereign Stable, #5 Dauphine Russe Claimed by Trainer Mike Maker for Three Diamonds Farm; Race 8- #2 Americas Guest Claimed by Trainer John Terranova, II for Sovereign Stable, #8 Blarp Claimed by Trainer Joe Sharp for Earl Conrad Sanderson, Jr., #12 Lifes Reward Claimed by Trainer Carlos Martin for Matthew Schera; Race 10- #6 Leflore County Claimed by Trainer Ron Moquett for Ron Moquett, #8 Call Daddy Claimed by Trainer Jeffrey Englehart for Frank Fiumera, #11 Tiz for Daddy Claimed by Trainer Brad Cox for John Wentworth

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Friday, August 14, 2015

Stewards- Stephen Lewandowski, Braulio Baeza, Dr. Ted Hill

Weather- 81 degrees and Clear

Total Races	Horses Entered	Horses Started	Race 1	Race 2	Race 3	Race 4	Race 5	Race 6	Race 7	Race 8	Race 9	Race 10
10	93	77	C 6	MC 9	C 7	MS 6	MS 9	C 8	C 10	A 7	STK 5	MS 10

C- Claiming MC- Maiden Claiming STK- Stakes MS- Maiden Special Weight AOC- Allowance
Optional Claiming Single Number- Total Starters In Each Race **Green Highlight- Turf Race**
Brown Highlight- Inner Turf Race

Stewards Inquiry and Trainer Objection Race 4- Trainer of the fourth place finisher #8 Neverindicted (Manuel Franco) claims foul against the first place finisher #6 Wicked Freud (Jose Lezcano) for alleged interference in the stretch. In the vicinity of the 1/4 pole #6 Wicked Freud brushes with #8 Neverindicted. After reviewing the race video and speaking with all riders involved in the judgment of the Stewards no action was warranted. Decision was unanimous.

Equine Death Race 8- #5 On A Snowy Evening trained by Abigail Adsit and ridden by Fernando Jara was pulled up shortly after the start of the race and taken off on the horse ambulance. Horse was later humanely euthanized.

Horses Claimed- Race 1- #3 Ground Force Claimed by Trainer Joe Sharp for Kenneth L. and Sarah K. Ramsey, #6 Rockford Claimed by Trainer Gary Contessa for Winning Move Stable; Race 3- #3 Midnight Champagne Claimed by Trainer Michael Miceli for Manuel Tobio, #4 In Haste Claimed by Trainer Chris Englehart for My Purple Haze Stables, #7 Heaven's Touch Claimed by Trainer David Jacobson for David Jacobson; Race 6- #5 Mr Palmer Claimed by David Jacobson for David Jacobson, #6 Locker Room Guy Claimed by Trainer Danny Gargan for Midwest Thoroughbreds, Inc., #8 Frost Jordan Claimed by Trainer Gary Contessa for Harold Lerner; Race 7- #4 Jewelisa Claimed by Trainer Joe Sharp for Kenneth L. and Sarah K. Ramsey, #10 Ramble Claimed by Trainer Bobby Dibona for Peace Sign Stables

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Saturday, August 15, 2015

Stewards- Stephen Lewandowski, Braulio Baeza, Dr. Ted Hill

Weather- 83 degrees and Mostly Cloudy

Total Races	Horses Entered	Horses Started	Race 1	Race 2	Race 3	Race 4	Race 5	Race 6	Race 7	Race 8	Race 9	Race 10	Race 11
11	118	92	MS 7	A 8	MC 7	STK 7	AOC 9	MS 8	C 8	AOC 9	A 11	STK 8	C 10

MS- Maiden Special Weight A- Allowance MC- Maiden Claiming STK- Stakes AOC- Allowance Optional Claiming C- Claiming Single Number- Total Starters In Each Race **Brown Highlight- Inner Turf Race Green Highlight- Turf Race**

Stewards Inquiry and Jockey Objection Race 8- Jockey of the fifth place finisher #8 Yes I'm Lucky (Paco Lopez) claims foul against the second place finisher #6 Candir (Javier Castellano) for alleged interference in the stretch. Approaching the wire #6 Candir shifts out causing #8 Yes I'm Lucky to steady. After reviewing the race video and speaking with all riders involved in the judgment of the Stewards the incident altered the finish of the race and #6 Candir is disqualified from second and placed fifth. New order of finish is 10, 7, 3, 8, 6, 1, 2, 9, 5. Decision was unanimous.

No Incidents Occurred

Horses Claimed- Race 3- #4 Gracious Plenty Claimed by Trainer David Jacobson for Paul P. Pompa Jr.; Race 7- #7 Puppy Manners Claimed by Trainer John Toscano, Jr. for Drawing Away Stable; Race 8- #9 Helm Claimed by Trainer David Jacobson for David Jacobson; Race 11- #1 Deficit Hawk Claimed by Trainer Charlton Baker for Charlton Baker, #4 Indiana Stones Claimed by Trainer Robert Falcone, Jr. for Kryptonite Racing

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Sunday, August 16, 2015

Stewards- Stephen Lewandowski, Braulio Baeza, Dr. Ted Hill

Weather- 85 degrees and Clear

Total Races	Horses Entered	Horses Started	Race 1	Race 2	Race 3	Race 4	Race 5	Race 6	Race 7	Race 8	Race 9	Race 10
10	99	77	MS 5	SA 8	A 6	MS 8	SA 8	MS 10	A 6	A 10	STK 6	MS 10

MS- Maiden Special Weight SA- Starter Allowance A- Allowance STK- Stakes Single Number-
Total Starters In Each Race **Green Highlight- Turf Race Brown Highlight- Inner Turf Race**

Stewards Inquiry and Jockey Objection Race 1- Jockey of the second place finisher #1 Malibu Preacher (Eric Cancel) claims foul against the first place finisher #5 Andalusite (Irad Ortiz, Jr.) for alleged interference in the stretch. In the vicinity of the 3/16 pole #5 Andalusite shifts in and brushes with #1 Malibu Preacher and then #1 Malibu Preacher reacting to a left handed crop comes out to #5 Andalusite several times making contact. After reviewing the race video and speaking with all riders involved in the judgment of the Stewards no action was warranted. Decision was unanimous.

No Incidents or Claims Occurred

Ruling- Timothy Hills- Owner-Trainer- You are hereby fined \$500.00 for failure to tend to business in a proper manner which necessitated a late scratch in the 7th race at Saratoga Race Course on August 16, 2017. (Medication)

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Monday, August 17, 2015

Stewards- Stephen Lewandowski, Braulio Baeza, Dr. Ted Hill

Weather- 88 degrees and Clear

Total Races	Horses Entered	Horses Started	Race 1	Race 2	Race 3	Race 4	Race 5	Race 6	Race 7	Race 8	Race 9	Race 10
10	98	79	A 6	C 6	C 7	MC 7	MS 10	AOC 7	MC 8	A 7	STK 9	MC 12

A- Allowance C- Claiming MC- Maiden Claiming MS- Maiden Special Weight AOC- Allowance Optional Claiming STK- Stakes Single Number- Total Starters In Each Race **Brown Highlight- Inner Turf Race** **Green Highlight- Turf Race**

Stewards Inquiry and Trainer Objection Race 3- Trainer of the third place finisher #3 Privately Speaking (Eric Cancel) claims foul against the first place finisher #2 Sweetpollypurebrd (Irada Ortiz, Jr.) for alleged interference at the start. #2 Sweetpollypurebrd drifts out at first jump from the gate making contact with #3 Privately Speaking then corrects his horse immediately. After reviewing the race video and speaking with all riders involved in the judgment of the Stewards no action was warranted. Decision was unanimous.

Stewards Inquiry Race 5- Inquiry into the start, #6 Steve's Image (Angel Cruz) ducks in sharply unseating the rider. After reviewing the race video in the judgment of the Stewards no other horses were involved and no action was warranted. Decision was unanimous.

Incident Race 5- #6 Steve's Image trained by Carlos Martin and ridden by Angel Cruz ducked out shortly after the start and unseated his rider.

Horses Claimed- Race 2- #1 This Hard Line Claimed by Trainer Rodrigo Ubillo for Lake Star Stable, #6 Collin's Smile Claimed by Trainer Robert Falcone, Jr. for Amaty Racing Stables; **Race 7-** #1A Tale Stone Claimed by Trainer David Jacobson for Gary Barber, #5 Irish Cat Claimed by Trainer Linda Rice for Linda Rice

Ruling- Jane Cibelli- Trainer- Having received a report from the NYS Gaming Commission Equine Testing Laboratory of the finding of Methylprednisolone *in* the body fluid sample taken from horse "Nic N Jr" (#2) which finished third in the 4th race at Belmont Park on 5/29/15 and having waived your right to appeal, you are hereby fined \$2,500.00 reduced to \$1,500.00.

Furthermore, "Nic N Jr" is disqualified from any share of the purse money and uplaced in the order of finish. The new order of finish is: 1. #5 Weekend Express, 2. #9 Cuppa Joe, 3. #3 J C's Not Brown, 4. #8 Let's Wrap It Up, 5. #4 Ducks Dock, 6. #1 Inside the Pipe, 7. #10 Mangold.

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Full Week Summary

Total Races	Total Horses Entered	Total Scratches	Total NY Breds	Total Claims	Total Jockey Blood Alcohol Tests	Total Drug Samples Taken
60	589	114	15	41	123	635

Wagering Data

Date	Early Pick 4	Late Pick 4	Pick 5	Pick 6	On-Track Handle	Inter-State Handle
8/11/2015	Dark					
8/12/2015	\$ 222,865	\$ 512,451	\$ 381,263	\$ 183,247	Not Reported	Not Reported
8/13/2015	218,759	538,491	390,210	60,289	3,393,626	8,571,821
8/14/2015	248,813	676,772	387,530	89,641	3,970,594	10,222,073
8/15/2015	350,543	1,033,880	622,350	154,040	5,744,901	16,947,911
8/16/2015	324,787	634,552	500,899	471,889	3,793,043	11,568,372
8/17/2015	156,557	535,341	327,875	70,412	2,296,615	6,875,098

Equine Fatality Data

	Meet	Total Starters	Equine Deaths	Rate /1000	Total Races	Horses Per Race	Total Race Days
2015	Winter Inner Track- AQU	2743	7	2.6	363	7.6	42
2015	Spring Main Track- AQU	990	3	3.0	145	6.8	19
2015	Spring Turf- AQU	208	0	0	26	8	-
2015	Spring Main Track- BEL	1814	1	0.6	263	6.9	54
2015	Spring Turf- BEL	2099	3	1.4	243	8.6	-
2015	SARATOGA	1998	2	1.0	234	8.5	23
	Totals	9852	16	1.6	1274	7.7	138