



# Gaming Commission

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## Weekly Track Report

### Saratoga Race Course Meet

Week of Tuesday, August 25, 2015 - Monday, August 31, 2015

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Tuesday, August 25, 2015

Dark Day

Wednesday, August 26, 2015

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

**Weather-** 80 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	81	C 6	MS 8	MC 9	C 8	AOC 9	SA 7	C 8	AOC 7	STK 8	MC 11

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

No Inquiries or Incidents Occurred

**Horses Claimed-** Race 1- #1 Keep Bustin Claimed by Trainer Gary Gullo for Mic Duff Stables LLC, #4 Unrepented Claimed by Trainer Chris Englehart for My Purple Haze Stables, #6 D'Princess Claimed by Trainer Steven Asmussen for Steven Asmussen; Race 4- #4 Limerick Lighting Claimed by Trainer Chris Englehart for My Purple Haze Stables, #6 Royal Burgh Claimed by Trainer John Toscano, Jr. for Robert Toscano; Race 5- #1 Stormy Rocit Claimed by Trainer Michael Maker for Kenneth L. and Sarah K. Ramsey; Race 7- #1A Branded Hand Claimed by Trainer John Toscano, Jr. for Ben Mondello, #4 Mills Claimed by Trainer William Mott for William Mott; Race 8- #1A Aireofdistinction Claimed by Trainer Michael Maker for Kenneth L. and Sarah K. Ramsey; Race 10- #11 Pointe Class Claimed by Trainer Carl Domino for Everything's Cricket Racing, #12 Kitten's Angel Claimed by Trainer Michael Mareina for Michael Mareina

**Ruling- Kendrick Carmouche- Jockey-** You are hereby suspended for 5 NYRA racing days for careless riding during the running of the 3rd race on 8/22/2015. Having appealed, a stay of the license suspension or revocation is hereby granted; however, Commission counsel may

make a motion for the stay to be terminated in the event that the appeal hearing is not completed within 90 days of this ruling. If the stay is terminated because of an unreasonable delay in the completion of the hearing, then the license suspension or revocation would begin and run until the appeal hearing is completed. The licensee is also hereby granted a separate stay that will begin only after the appeal hearing is completed. This second stay will terminate when the Commission issues its final agency action (e.g., finding and order).

[Equibase Full Chart Results 8/26](#)

Thursday, August 27, 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
10	87	75	STK 10	C 5	MC 8	MS 7	C 6	AOC 6	C 9	STK 8	A 7	MC 9

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

No Inquiries Occurred.

**Equine Death Race 1-** #2 Divine Fortune trained by Jonathan Sheppard and ridden by Darren Nagle fell going over the last jump and was taken off on the horse ambulance. Horse was later humanely euthanized.

**Incident Race 5-** #2 Greeley Pack trained by Kathleen Feron and ridden by Fernando Jara was pulled up in the stretch and taken off on the horse ambulance.

**Horses Claimed-** Race 2- #1 Samus Claimed by Trainer Marcus Vitali for The Players Group; Race 6- #1 Unbridled Ocean Claimed by Trainer David Jacobson for David Jacobson

**Ruling- Stanley Shina- Jockey Agent-** You are hereby fined \$500.00 for failing to tend to your business in the 9th race on 8/24/2015 (honoring call).

[Equibase Full Chart Results 8/27](#)

Friday, August 28, 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	Race 11
11	98	82	STK 5	MS 7	STK 5	MS 7	STK 7	MS 8	STK 5	MS 10	STK 10	STK 6	MC 12

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

**Stewards Inquiry Race 4-** Inquiry into the start, #7 Dettifoss (Rafael Hernandez) bolts to the outside fence after the start and was pulled up. After reviewing the race video in the judgment of the Stewards no other horses were involved and no action was warranted. Decision was unanimous.

No Incidents or Claimed Occurred

[Equibase Full Chart Results 8/28](#)

Saturday, August 29, 2015

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

**Weather-** 83 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	Race 11	Race 12	Race 13
13	129	119	AOC 6	MS 9	A 8	MS 9	MS 12	STK 6	STK 7	STK 11	STK 12	STK 8	STK 10	STK 9	A 12

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

**Stewards Inquiry Race 9-** Inquiry into the stretch run, in the vicinity of the 3/8 pole #3 Bourbon Courage (Joel Rosario) unseated his rider. After reviewing the race video and speaking with the rider of #2 Takajo (Eric Cancel) in the judgment of the Stewards no action was warranted. Decision was unanimous.

**Incident Race 9-** #3 Bourbon Courage trained by H. Graham Motion and ridden by Joel Rosario unseated his rider in the area of the 3/8 pole. Jockey was taken to hospital and horse appeared uninjured.

No Claims Occurred

[Equibase Full Chart Results 8/29](#)

Sunday, August 30, 2015

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

**Weather-** 80 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	C 5	MC 10	C 5	MS 6	STK 6	MS 8	MS 10	AOC 9	C 11	AOC 10	C 12

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

No Inquiries or Incidents Occurred

**Horses Claimed-** Race 1- #2 Petrocelli Claimed by Trainer Oscar Barrera III for Jairo A. Espinosa, #6 Springcourt Claimed by Trainer Rudy Rodriguez for Carl Lizza Racing Stables, LLC; Race 2- #1 Fourth of July Claimed by Trainer Joe Sharp for Kenneth L. and Sarah K. Ramsey; Race 3- #1 Cleancut Kid Claimed by Trainer Michael Wilson for David Caprio, #2 Wake Up in Malibu Claimed by Trainer John Parisella for Saul J. and Max Kupferberg; Race 8- #7 Doubledown Again Claimed by Trainer Philip Serpe for Drawing Away Stable; Race 9- #2 Flashlight Claimed by Trainer Michael Maker for Michael M. Hui, #5 Shock Leader Claimed by Trainer Brad Cox for Steve Landers, #7 Honor the Kitten Claimed by Trainer George Weaver for Matthew Schera

**Ruling- Matthew A. Muzikar- Jockey Agent-** You are hereby fined \$2,000.00 for failing to take care of business in a proper manner (giving two commitments in the Grade I Sword Dancer).

[Equibase Full Chart Results 8/30](#)

Monday, August 31, 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	89	74	C 6	MS 7	A 6	A 7	MS 9	MC 9	AOC 7	C 7	STK 5	MC 11

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

No Inquiries Occurred

**Incident Race 4-** #4 Power Crazed trained by Rudy Rodriguez and ridden by Irad Ortiz, Jr. suffered heat exhaustion after the finish and was able to walk off the track under his own power.

**Horses Claimed-** Race 1- #7 Ready for Summer Claimed by Trainer Steve Klesaris for Steve Klesaris; Race 8- #3 Looking Cool Claimed by Trainer Jason Servis for Arthur Misener, #5 Prospero Claimed by Trainer W. Bret Calhoun for Carl R. Moore, #6 Tizmas Claimed by Trainer Abigail Adsit for Blue Stork Stables

**Ruling- Victor Espinoza- Jockey-** You are hereby fined \$15,000.00 for violation of NYS Gaming Commission Rule 4041.6; wearing of advertising without permission and wearing promotional material without permission, after having been specifically instructed not to do so by the stewards.

[Equibase Full Chart Results 8/31](#)

### Full Week Summary

Total Races	Total Horses Entered	Total Scratches	Total NY Breds	Total Claims	Total Jockey Blood Alcohol Tests	Total Drug Samples Taken
65	619	96	17	26	112	606

### Wagering Data

Date	Early Pick 4	Late Pick 4	Pick 5	Pick 6	On-Track Handle	Inter-State Handle
8/25/2015	Dark					
8/26/2015	\$ 275,468	\$ 462,022	\$ 323,236	\$ 73,357	\$ 2,818,327	\$ 8,346,090
8/27/2015	204,925	494,344	.350,978	72,851	2,911,174	7,978,983
8/28/2015	236,665	793,519	453,964	364,550	4,709,081	11,731,342
8/29/2015	457,896	2,058,732	691,176	879,307	11,472,450	38,196,303
8/30/2015	256,331	743,902	457,092	1,937,940	3,861,164	14,437,395
8/31/2015	237,614	538,882	369,459	76,550	2,236,224	8,058,498

## 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	2978	3	1.0	360	8.2	35
	Totals	10832	17	1.6	1400	7.7	150