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Weekly Track Report

Saratoga Race Course Meet

Week of Tuesday, September 1, 2015 - Monday, September 7, 2015

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Tuesday, September 1, 2015

Dark Day

Wednesday, September 2, 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	97	83	AOC 6	C 5	STK 6	MS 7	MC 12	C 10	MS 9	C 9	AOC 9	C 10

AOC- Allowance Optional Claiming C- Claiming 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 1- Inquiry into the stretch run, #4 Mandola (William McCarthy) fell after jumping the tenth fence. After reviewing the race video in the judgment of the Stewards no action was warranted. Decision was unanimous.

Incident Race 1- #4 Mandola trained by Jonathan Sheppard and ridden by William McCarthy fell after going over the final fence unseating the rider. #4 Mandola was taken off the track on the horse ambulance.

Incident Race 7- Ask the Lonely trained by Michelle Nevin was scratched by the Stewards for having the wrong horse presented to the NYRA lasix veterinarian.

Horses Claimed- Race 1- #2 Diplomat Claimed by Trainer Charlton Baker for Newman Racing; Race 2- #6 Battlefront Claimed by William Hickey for Thistle Spring Stables; Race 5- #6 Street Lass Claimed by Trainer Brad Cox for John Wentworth; Race 6- #3 Island Therapy Claimed by Trainer Rudy Rodriguez for Michael Dubb, #6 Baldonnel Claimed by Trainer Anthony Quartarolo for On the Rise Racing Stable; Race 8- #6 Artie Crasher Claimed by Trainer Patrick Reynolds for Alex Kazdan, #7 Market Outlook Claimed by Trainer Ian Wilkes for Brad Stephens, #8 Pep

the Champ Claimed by Trainer Joe Sharp for Kenneth L. and Sarah K. Ramsey; Race 9- #3 Comandante Claimed by Trainer Danny Gargan for Midwest Thoroughbreds, Inc., #9 Bold Vigilante Claimed by Trainer Anthony Quatarolo for JJ Schwartz Racing LLC; Race 10- #4 Dynamic Decision Claimed by Trainer Danny Gargan for Midwest Thoroughbreds, Inc.

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Thursday, September 3, 2015

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

Weather- 84 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	96	81	A 4	A 7	C 6	STK 6	MC 10	MS 10	C 12	AOC 7	AOC 7	MC 12

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

Stewards Inquiry Race 8- Inquiry into the start, #6 Stormin Monarcho (Irada Ortiz, Jr.) reared as the gate doors opened which caused the rider to lose his irons. After reviewing the race video in the judgment of the Stewards no action was warranted. Decision was unanimous.

Stewards Inquiry Race 10- Inquiry into the start, #12 Saratoga by Design bobbles at the start while shifting in unseating her rider. After reviewing the race video in the judgment of the Stewards no action was warranted. Decision was unanimous.

Incident- Alfredo Razo, hot walker for John Quiles tested over the limit for alcohol.

Incident Race 1- #1 Perfect Union trained by Paul Fout and ridden by Bernard Dalton fell after going over the ninth fence and unseated the rider.

Incident Race 8- #3 Pulling G's trained by John Shirreffs and ridden by Junior Alvarado was eased in the stretch and taken off on the horse ambulance.

Incident Race 10- #12 Saratoga by Design trained by Gabriel Goodwin and ridden by Shaun Bridgmohan unseated her rider at the start and jumped the hedge between the inner and mellon turf.

Horses Claimed- Race 3- #4 Saluda Claimed by Trainer Joe Sharp for Kenneth L. and Sarah K. Ramsey, #5 Stolen Victory Claimed by Trainer Gary Sciacca for Flanken Farms, #6 Annie Walker Claimed by Trainer Nicholas Walker for Robert Murray; Race 5- #10 Dacoma Claimed by Trainer Joe Sharp for Kenneth L. and Sarah K. Ramsey; Race 7- #4 Day Six Claimed by Trainer P. Dudley Graham for Stone Creek Racing, #12 Borseggiatore Claimed by Trainer Joe Sharp for Kenneth L. and Sarah K. Ramsey

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Friday, September 4, 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	106	86	MS 7	MC 8	AOC 7	STK 6	C 7	SA 9	MS 10	C 11	AOC 9	MC 12

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

No Inquiries Occurred

Incident Race 2- Jockey Angel Arroyo was knocked to the ground while getting a leg up on the horse Abie while in the paddock prior to the race. Horse was scratched by the Stewards.

Horses Claimed- Race 2- #5 Noble Hustle Claimed by Trainer Bruce Brown for Our Sugar Bear Stable LLC, #7 Magical Connection Claimed by Trainer Joe Sharp for Kenneth L. and Sarah K. Ramsey; Race 5- #2 Oltre' Oro Claimed by Trainer Joe Sharp for Kenneth L. and Sarah K. Ramsey, #5 Native Gold Claimed by Trainer Gregory DiPrima for Amaty Racing Stables; Race 8- #1 Comfort Level Claimed by Trainer Gregory DiPrima for Michael Imperio, #8 Willow U Claimed by Trainer Richard Valentine for Check Mark Stables LLC

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Saturday, September 5, 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	Race 11	Race 12
12	119	100	C 7	MS 10	A 6	MS 10	A 8	A 7	MS 10	STK 8	STK 6	STK 8	STK 9	AOC 11

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

Stewards Inquiry and Jockey Objection Race 6- Jockey of the fourth place finisher #8 Furyofthenorsemen (Angel Arroyo) claims foul against the first place finisher #1 Tale of Life (Irad Ortiz, Jr.) for alleged interference in the stretch. In the vicinity of the 1/16 pole #1 Tale of Life while running up on the #6 Designed for War (Javier Castellano) in tight quarters shifts out sharply forcing the #1 Tale of Life into the #8 Furyofthenorsemen who makes contact with #9 Enjoy the Show (John Velazquez). 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 #1 Tale of Life is disqualified from first and placed fourth. New order of finish is 6, 3, 8, 1, 7, 4, 9. Decision was unanimous.

No Incidents Occurred

Horses Claimed- Race 1- #1 Sourcesandmethods Claimed by Trainer Brad Cox for John Wentworth, #1A Tax Package Claimed by Trainer Michael Trombetta for R.D.M. Racing Stable, #2 April Color Claimed by Trainer Juan Ortiz for Juan C. Fernandez, #6 Howaboutwe Claimed by Trainer Jeremiah Englehart for Team Dunn; Race 12- #10 With Exultation Claimed by Trainer Joe Sharp for Kenneth L. and Sarah K. Ramsey

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Sunday, September 6, 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
11	117	99	AOC 5	MC 8	SA 6	MS 9	C 9	MS 10	C 9	A 11	A 11	STK 10	MS 11

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

No Inquiries or Incidents Occurred

Horses Claimed- Race 5- #1 Political Justice Claimed by Trainer W. Bret Calhoun for William T. Reed; Race 7- #4 The Imposter Claimed by Trainer Joe Sharp for Kenneth L. and Sarah K. Ramsey, #5 Sidearm Claimed by Trainer P. Dudley Graham for Stone Creek Racing, #7 Bajan Summer Claimed by Trainer Gary Contessa for Mark Valentine

Ruling- Michelle C. Nevin- 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 September 2, 2015.

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Monday, September 7, 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
11	125	98	SA 8	MS 9	MC 8	MS 10	C 11	MS 9	A 9	A 8	STK 7	STK 7	A 12

SA- Starter Allowance MS- Maiden Special Weight MC- Maiden Claiming C- Claiming A- 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 3- #10 Augie's Coming Claimed by Trainer Danny Gargan for Midwest Thoroughbreds, Inc.; Race 5- #1A Mr Palmer Claimed by Trainer Rudy Rodriguez for Carl Lizza Racing Stables, LLC, #4 Bemata Claimed by Trainer W. Bret Calhoun for Carl R. Moore, #6 Unstoppable U Claimed by Trainer David Cannizzo for Team West Side Stables, #8 Days Ride Claimed by Trainer Steve Klesaris for Winning Move Stable

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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
64	660	113	16	37	81	685

Wagering Data

Date	Early Pick 4	Late Pick 4	Pick 5	Pick 6	On-Track Handle	Inter-State Handle
9/1/2015	Dark					
9/2/2015	\$ 272,879	\$ 470,677	\$ 434,823	\$ 268,219	\$ 2,329,375	\$ 9,001,300
9/3/2015	219,540	478,734	.393,364	910,377	2,372,014	10,239,707
9/4/2015	276,177	666,929	417,699	79,003	3,154,835	11,551,218
9/5/2015	330,495	1,170,847	513,711	199,724	5,194,933	18,760,655
9/6/2015	279,758	911,491	367,574	565,044	4,326,720	13,916,354
9/7/2015	290,716	1,023,747	464,466	2,715,865	3,942,301	17,850,029

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	3450	3	0.9	413	8.4	40
	Totals	10832	17	1.6	1400	7.7	150