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Proceedings of the Board of Stewards for the period of Monday, February 11, 2013 through Sunday, February 17, 2013. Steward Michael W. "Wayne" Oke was the Reporting and Duty Steward for the enclosed period.

Monday

02/11/13 (1) **Entries for Friday and Saturday**

The race office was open this morning accepting entries for Friday and Saturday cards. Additionally, transfers of ownership, trainer changes and other weekly clerical duties were processed.

02/11/13 (2) **Dark Day**

Tuesday

02/12/13 (1) **Draw for Friday and Saturday Cards**

At the 10:15 am draw for Friday's card, one hundred thirty (130) head were drawn to compete in fifteen (15) pari-mutuel events. Additionally, five (5) head were drawn to compete in an early Non-Wagering event for three (3) year old California Sired Filly and Colt Trotters. Similarly five (5), three (3) year old Pacing Fillies were drawn to contest a second non-wagering event. The purse for both Non-Wagering California Sire Stake events is ten thousand (10,000) dollars. Immediately following a draw was conducted for Saturday's card with one hundred thirty-one (131) head drawn to compete in fifteen (15) pari mutuel events. Included in these events is a California Sire Stake event for three (3) year old Colt and Gelding Pacers with a purse of ten thousand (10,000) dollars. Scratch time is Wednesday at 9:00 am.

02/12/13 (2) **Dark Day**

Wednesday

02/13/13 (1)

Scratch Time for Friday and Saturday Cards

At scratch time for Friday's card there were three (3) injured scratches, one (1) steward scratch, one (1) trainer correction, and numerous driver corrections. For Saturday's card there were numerous driver corrections and one (1) injured scratch.

02/13/13 (2)

Dark Day**Thursday**

02/14/13 (1)

Formal Hearing [Re: CHRB Complaint # 13SW0001]

This complaint was filed against Owner/Trainer Brevator J. Creech alleging violation of CHRB Rule #1530 (Cases Not Covered) and CHRB Rule #1901 (Conflict Of Interest). The complaint alleges that the licensee conducted "Physical Examination" of harness drivers while unlicensed by the California Medical Board. A hearing was convened on Thursday, February 21, 2013 at 9:30 am in the Cal Expo stewards' office to hear the complaint. Present at the hearing were the Board of Stewards Baker, Meyers and Oke, CHRB Investigators Nolan, Tadlock and Respondant Brevator J. Creech. The proceedings were recorded by Yvonne Fenner of Wendy Fraiser Reporting. The hearing was opened, testimony taken, exhibits entered and the matter was deemed submitted. (More to follow)

02/14/13 (2)

Dark Day**Friday**

02/15/13 (1)

Film Review – Driver Randal Smith [Ref: 2/9/13 (5)]

Driver Randal Smith appeared in the steward's office as requested, in order to review his drive on #4 "Blue Boy Yankee" in the ninth race on Saturday, February 9, 2013. In this event the "inquiry" sign was lit and an "objection" was lodged by Driver George Luster #10 "AJ's Little One." As a result of the situation #4 was disqualified from fifth and placed eighth. Driver Smith (a driver with minimal experience) entered the process with a "bad attitude" and departed with a worse one. The licensee refused to take any responsibility for the incident despite strong video evidence to the contrary. After agreeing to disagree the stewards issued the following ruling.

RULING # 18

DRIVER RANDAL SMITH, WHO DROVE "BLUE BOY YANKEE" IN THE NINTH RACE ON SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2013, IS HEREBY FINED THE SUM OF TWO HUNDRED (\$200.00)* DOLLARS FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1721 (I) (DRIVING RULES – COMMIT ACT IMPEDING PROGRESS OF ANOTHER HORSE CAUSING HIM TO BREAK RESULTING IN A DISQUALIFICATION).

02/15/13 (2)

Driver Off

Driver Lemoyne "Mooney" Svendsen was removed from fourteen (14) drives this evening pending adjudication of an alleged violation of CHRB Rule #1500.1 "Random Drug Testing." (More to follow)

- 02/15/13 (3) **Third Race – No Show Wagering**
After the late scratch of #1 “Cycle Power” from this event “Show Wagering” was cancelled.
- 02/15/13 (4) **No Reportable Occurrences**
Other than the high incidence of “driver changes” noted elsewhere there were no reportable occurrences on the evenings’ card.
- 02/15/13 (5) **Program Changes**
- 1st Race Driver Change - #5 “Beach Beach Beach”
James Lackey for programmed Driver Lemoyne Svendsen (excused)
- 2nd Race Driver Change - #1 “Chiselled”
Bruce Clarke for programmed Driver Lemoyne Svendsen (excused)
- 3rd Race Declaration - #1 “Cycle Power” – Trainer Nathalie Tremblay
Refund:\$58.00 Injured – Robert Goodbary DVM
- 4th Race Driver Change - #9 “Red Star Gilda”
Mike Jarvis for programmed Driver Lemoyne Svendsen (excused)
- 5th Race Driver Changes- #6 “Ivegotwhatuned”
Mike Jarvis for programmed Driver Lemoyne Svendsen (excused)
- 6th Race Driver Change - #5 “Pismo Beach”
James Lackey for programmed Driver Lemoyne Svendsen
- 7th Race Driver Changes - #7 “Red Star Popeye”
David Siegel for programmed Driver Lemoyne Svendsen (excused)
- 8th Race Declaration - #2 “Charmer” – Trainer Paul Welence
Refund:\$112.30 Injured – Robert Goodbary DVM
- 8th Race Driver Change - #6 “Preciosita”
Mike Jarvis for programmed Driver Lemoyne Svendsen (excused)
- 9th Race Driver Change - #3 “Arts Spice”
David Siegel for programmed Driver Lemoyne Svendsen (excused)
- 10th Race Declaration - #4 “Cherry Tree Luke” – Trainer Liberio Pacheco
Refund:\$74.80 Injured – Robert Goodbary DVM
- 11th Race Declaration - #1 “Hi Tech Tony” – Trainer Tim Brown
Refund:\$32.00 Injured – Robert Goodbary DVM
- 11th Race Driver Changes - #6 “Dukeofhazards”
Steve Wiseman for programmed Driver Lemoyne Svendsen (excused)
- 12th Race Driver Changes - #9 “Persuade Me”
James Lackey for programmed Driver Lemoyne Svendsen (excused)
- 13th Race Driver Changes - #7 “AJ’s Little One”
Rocky Stidham for programmed Driver George Luster (excused)
#9 “Tangram” – Stewards
David Siegel for programmed Driver Lemoyne Svendsen (excused)
- 02/15/13 (6) **Attendance and Handle**
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| Attendance | 236 |
| Live Handle (On Track) | \$51,163 |
| Handle (In State) | \$239,802 |
| Handle (Out of State) | \$467,078 |
| Total Handle | \$758,043 |

Saturday

- 02/16/13 (1) **Qualifying Entries and Sheet**
The race office was open this morning accepting entries for qualifying races to be conducted this afternoon. The resultant sheet showed eighteen (18) head competing in four (4) qualifying races.
- 02/16/13 (2) **Driver Off**
Driver Lemoyne “Mooney” Svendsen was again removed from twelve (12) drives this evening pending adjudication of an alleged violation of CHRB Rule #1500.1 “Random Drug Testing.” (More to follow)
- 02/16/13 (3) **Qualifying Races**
Four (4) qualifying races were conducted this evening with sixteen (16) of eighteen (18) participants being successful in their qualifying effort.
- 02/16/13 (4) **No Reportable Occurrences**
This evenings’ fourteen (14) race card was conducted with no reportable occurrences.
- 02/16/13 (5) **Program Changes**
1st Race Declaration - #7 “Count Dracula” – Trainer Gretchen Smith
Refund:\$154.49 Injured – Robert Goodbary DVM
1st Race Driver Change - #10 “Aloha Spirt”
James Lackey for programmed Driver Lemoyne Svendsen (excused)
2nd Race Declaraion - #5 “K D Nicol” – Trainer Keith Willey
Refund:\$103.00 Injured – Robert Goodbary DVM
2nd Race Driver Change - #6 “Giles L S Hanover”
James Lackey for programmed Driver Lemoyne Svendsen (excused)
3rd Race Driver Change - #1 “Sea Bug”
James Kennedy for programmed Driver Lemoyne Svendsen (excused)
4th Race Driver Change - #6 “Kablooie”
James Lackey for programmed Driver Lemoyne Svendsen (excused)
6th Race Driver Change - #2 “Style Element”
Steve Wiseman for programmed Driver Lemoyne Svendsen (excused)
7th Race Driver Change - #10 “Larry Horse”
Bruce Clarke for programmed Driver Lemoyne Svendsen (excused)
8th Race Driver Change - #3 “Billy Elliot”
Bruce Clarke for programmed Driver Lemoyne Svendsen (excused)
9th Race Declaration - #9 “Lucky Asset” – Trainer Frank Petrelli
Refund:\$91.70 Injured – Robert Goodbary DVM
9th Race Driver Change - #1 “Hi Ho Hi Ho”
Rocky Stidham for programmed Driver Lemoyne Svendsen (excused)
10th Race Declaration - #5 “Western Tower” – Trainer George Anthrop
Refund:\$494.93 Injured – Robert Goodbary DVM
12th Race Driver Change - #3 “Big Guy Two Win”
James Kennedy for programmed Driver Lemoyne Svendsen (excused)
13th Race Driver Change - #2 “Double L Rumbler”
Tim Maier for programmed Driver Lemoyne Svendsen (excused)
14th Race Driver Change - #5 “Jiffys Flight”
Tim Maier for programmed Driver Lemoyne Svendsen (excused)

15th Race Declaration - #8 "Glad To Be Here" – Trainer George Anthrop

Refund:\$408.76

Injured – Robert Goodbary DVM

15th Race Driver Change - #2 "Live A Little"

Steve Wiseman for programmed Driver Lemoyne Svendsen (excused)

02/16/13 (6)	<u>Attendance and Handle</u>	
	Attendance	302
	Live Handle (On Track)	\$47,314
	Handle (In State)	\$209,381
	<u>Handle (Out of State)</u>	<u>\$459,685</u>
	Total Handle	\$716,380

W E E K L Y S U M M A R Y

ATTENDANCE REPORT -

The full Board of Stewards was in session each day during this reporting period for both morning business and the afternoon racing program.

VETERINARIAN RECOMMENDED SCRATCHES

Date	Race	No.	Horse	Trainer	Reason	Vet	Refund
15-Feb	3	1	CYCLE POWER	NATHALIE TREMBLAY	Injured	Goodbary	\$58.00
15-Feb	8	2	CHARMER	PAUL WELENCE	Injured	Goodbary	\$112.30
15-Feb	10	4	CHERRY TREE LUKE	LIBERIO PACHECO	Injured	Goodbary	\$74.80
15-Feb	11	1	HI TECH TONY	TIM BROWN	Injured	Goodbary	\$32.00
16-Feb	1	7	COUNT DRACULA	GRETCHEN SMITH	Injured	Goodbary	\$154.49
16-Feb	2	5	K D NICOL	KEITH WILLEY	Injured	Goodbary	\$103.00
16-Feb	9	9	LUCKY ASSET	FRANK PETRELLI	Injured	Goodbary	\$91.70
16-Feb	10	5	WESTERN TOWER	GEORGE ANTHROP	Injured	Goodbary	\$494.93
16-Feb	15	8	GLAD TO BE HERE	GEORGE ANTHROP	Injured	Goodbary	\$408.76

WEEKLY HANDLE SUMMARY FOR SATELLITE FACILITIES

Bakersfield	\$	3,653.60
Fresno	\$	2,416.30
Fresno Club One	\$	1,422.50
Golden Gate	\$	37,893.30
Monterey	\$	3,827.30
Pleasanton	\$	10,716.00
Sacramento	\$	98,477.50
San Jose	\$	17,958.60
San Mateo	\$	8,102.10
Santa Rosa	\$	-
Stockton	\$	10,799.20
Tulare	\$	4.00
Turlock	\$	-
Vallejo	\$	9,821.30
No. California	\$	-
So. California	\$	300,299.30
Out of State	\$	-

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SUMMARY 2013

	Mon 02/11	Tues 02/12	Wed 02/13	Thurs 02/14	Fri 02/15	Sat 02/16	Total Week	Total Meet
Accidents	D	D	D	D	0	0	0	0
Cal-Bred Races	A	A	A	A	2	1	3	15
Claims	R	R	R	R	0	1	1	4
Disqualifications	K	K	K	K	0	0	0	8
Inquiries	D	D	D	D	0	0	0	32
Refunds	A	A	A	A	4	5	9	89
Rulings	Y	Y	Y	Y	1	0	1	18

Stewards Attendance: Stewards Oke, Meyers and Baker were in attendance.

All drivers submitted to a breath analyzer test.

Michael W. "Wayne" Oke, Steward

Will Meyers, Steward

Grant Baker, Steward