

1010 Hurley Way, Suite 300
 Sacramento, CA 95825
 (916) 263-6000
 Fax (916) 263-6042

CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD



PACIFIC RACING ASSOCIATION

Golden Gate Fields
 Albany, California

Report of the Board of Stewards

To the California Horse Racing Board

Honorable Edmund G. Brown Jr., Governor
 Honorable Charles Winner, Chairman
 Honorable Richard A. Rosenberg, Vice Chair
 Honorable Madeline Auerbach, Member
 Honorable Steve Beneto, Member
 Honorable Jesse H. Choper, Member
 Honorable George Krikorian, Member
 Honorable Alex Solis, Member
 Rick Baedeker, Executive Director
 Jacqueline Wagner, Assistant Executive Director
 Darrel McHargue, Chief Steward
 Robert B. Miller, Chief Counsel CHRB

Report for Wednesday January 27, 2016 through Sunday January 31, 2016

WEDNESDAY

01-27-2016¹

ENTRIES AND SCRATCHES

Steward John Herbuveaux was on duty for Thursday scratches and changes and entries for Saturday.

THURSDAY

01-28-2016¹

WINICK RULING (REFER 01/24/2016³)

#14

Trainer **Debbie Winick** is hereby fined the sum of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00)* pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1629 (Penalty For Late Declaration) for failure to follow proper procedures when declaring that a horse will race unshod necessitating a late scratch for the horse **Minister Vivendi** in the third race on Sunday, January 24, 2016; a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1853 (Examination Required).

The above ruling was issued after Winick was apprised of the penalty for her horse having to be scratched.

01-28-2016²

NO SHOW WAGERING 1ST AND 6TH RACES

One Scratch in the 1st race and three scratches in the 6th race reduced both fields to four wagering interests. In accordance with California Horse Racing Board rule #1954 (Pari-mutuel Pools) show wagering was cancelled.

01-28-2016³

ANNOUNCEMENT ON OVERNIGHT

Equine Medical Director Rick Arthur requested the following be placed on the overnight due to an outbreak of Equine Herpes originating in New Mexico:
 "No horses that have been in New Mexico or Arizona will be allowed on the grounds of Golden Gate Fields or Pleasanton until further notice. If you have any questions please contact Dr. Rick Arthur or Dr. Frosty Franklin".

01-28-2016⁴**PROGRAM CHANGES**

1 ST Race-#4 Gotham Sky (Trainer Holly Evans)	
Sick, DVM Isbell	\$ 352.42
6 th Race-#3 Exponentially (Trainer Sherrie Monroe)	
Sick, DVM Isbell	See below
6 th Race-#5 Time To Go Robo (Jockey Diego Sanchez for Frank Alvarado)	
Sore Back	
6 th Race-#6 Matty's Tribal (Trainer Blaine Wright)	See below
Sick, DVM Isbell	
6 th Race-#7 Percy's Bluff (Trainer Efrain Miranda)	
Sick, DVM Isbell	<u>\$307.30</u>
7 th Race-#1 Kadiewu (Trainer John Anderson)	
Sick, DVM Isbell	\$84.02

01-28-2016⁵**7th RACE INQUIRY/ACCIDENT-NO CHANGE**

#6 Kiss My Face trained by Leonard Powell went wrong in the midstretch falling and unseating Jockey Julien Couton. Kiss My Face was humanely euthanized and jockey Couton appeared uninjured. An accident report will be attached.

01-28-2016⁶**HANDLE AND ATTENDANCE**

GGF	730	\$191,904.60
NCOT	1382	\$438,940.80
SCOT		\$217,675.90
<u>OUT OF STATE</u>		<u>\$677,966.96</u>
TOTAL		\$1,526,488.20

FRIDAY01-29-2016¹**KENNEY RULING****#15**

Trainer **Ryan Kenney** is fined the sum of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00)* for failure to have sufficient works on the horse **Top Estate** necessitating a declaration from the sixth race on Saturday, January 30, 2016; a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1437 (Conditions of a Race Meeting).

The above ruling was issued after Mr. Kenney was contacted and plead guilty for failure to work his horse 5/8 of a mile as required.

01-29-2016²**MILLER RULING**

Trainer Quentin Miller came to the office at the request of the Stewards to explain his failure to note "shoes off" on the entry of his horse "Bobbylouie". "Bobbylouie" had raced last time without shoes and Miller said he just forgot the requirement that trainers must always declare at time of entry if the horse is to race unshod. Although he does not agree with the rule Mr. Miller accepted the following ruling:

#16

Trainer **Quentin Miller** is fined the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00)* for failure to follow proper procedures when declaring the horse **Bobbylouie** will race unshod in the fourth race on Thursday January 28, 2016; a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1853 (Examination Required).

01-29-2016³**ALBA HEARING-CASE 16GG0001 (REFER 01/08/16² AND 01/07/2016⁴)**

Mr. Adrian Alba failed to show for his scheduled hearing to address possession and use of Methamphetamine. Chaplain Bob Cochran, Winners representative Norma Lee, Officer Mike Miles, and investigator Louis Quezada were all present for the hearing. Mr. Alba will remain on suspension per ruling #7 issued on January 8, 2016 until such time as a hearing can be held.

01-29-2016⁴**EARLY PROGRAM CHANGES**

2 nd Race-#4 Loop Current Eddie (Trainer Rene Amescua)	
Sick, DVM Isbell	\$156.89
6 th Race-#1 Huya (Trainer Michael Lenzini)	
Sick, DVM Isbell	\$73.99
6 th Race-#6 Talladega Ride (Jockey Joe Crispin for Frank Alvarado)	
Sore back	
8 th Race-#6 Marell Street (Jockey Eswan Flores for Frank Alvarado)	
Sore back	

01-29-2016⁵ **BAD WEATHER-GOOD RACING**
Although there was a steady rain today, racing was conducted without incident.

01-29-2016⁶ **HANDLE AND ATTENDANCE**

GGF	796	\$220,764.10
NCOT	1725	\$568,674.60
SCOT		\$287,446.30
<u>OUT OF STATE</u>		<u>\$871,221.31</u>
TOTAL		\$1,948,106.31

SATURDAY

01-30-2016¹ **EARLY PROGRAM CHANGES**
3rd Race-#2 On Luck (Trainer John Martin)
Sick, DVM Isbell \$125.32

01-30-2016² **7TH RACE-CLAIM VOIDED**
A claim deposited by trainer Jack Steiner for fourth place finisher #7 "Athens" was voided by the Stewards after official veterinarian Forrest Franklin placed the horse on the Vet's List following the race. Athens was returned to the barn of Jerry Hollendorfer.

01-30-2016³ **9TH RACE OBJECTION-NO CHANGE**
Jockey Erik Lopez aboard 5th place finisher #7 Zommzoomania lodged a claim of foul against 3rd place finisher #5 High Greeley and jockey Luis Medina for alleged interference near the 3/8 pole. After review and talking to the riders involved, no change was made in a unanimous decision. Although tight quarters existed momentarily no interference was noted.

01-30-2016⁴ **ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE**

GGF	1451	\$396,931.00
NCOT	2646	\$847,576.10
SCOT		\$467,608.50
<u>OUT OF STATE</u>		<u>\$904,604.41</u>
TOTAL		\$2,616,720.00

SUNDAY

01-31-2016¹ **SUSPENDED GROOMS APPREHENDED BY SECURITY (REFER 01/29/2016³)**
Suspended grooms Fernando Amezcua and Adrian Alba snuck into the barn area and were found and apprehended by Sergeant Camillo Lopez. Both were turned over to Berkeley police. Stable superintendent Carrie Fawcett indicated that she would pursue denial of access against both in accordance with California Horse Racing Board rule #1989 (Removal or Denial of Access).

01-31-2016² **EARLY PROGRAM CHANGES**
1st Race-#5 Mischief Pearl (Trainer William E. Morey)
Sick, DVM Isbell \$305.30
3rd Race-#4 Great Decision (Trainer Eddie Rich)
Injured, DVM Isbell \$109.60

01-31-2016³ **3RD RACE INQUIRY-DISQUALIFICATION**
The inquiry sign was posted to review the stretch run involving #5 Sure Victory (Richard Oliver (1st)) #6 Our Prince Charming (Russell Baze (3rd)) and #3 Bentley's Gone (Kyle Frey (5th)).
After talking to the riders and reviewing the tapes #6 was disqualified from 3rd and placed 5th behind #3. Tapes show tight quarters exist between the three rivals and jockey Russell Baze aboard #6 is cropping left handed, Baze's crop strikes the face of #3 resulting in a unanimous vote for disqualification.
Original order of finish 5-1-6-2-3.
Official order of finish 5-1-2-3-6.

01-31-2016⁴ **LATE SCRATCH**

7th Race-#6 Chugabug (Trainer Jeff Metz)
 Unsound in the post parade, DVM Sporer \$21,778.51

01-24-2016⁵ **HANDLE-ATTENDANCE**

GGF	1882	\$422,300.50
NCOT	2445	\$891,801.90
SCOT		\$497,389.40
OUT OF STATE		<u>\$1,028,092.00</u>
TOTAL		\$2,839,583.80

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

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

VETERINARY REPORT - Euthanized/Died-2

VETERINARIAN RECOMMENDED SCRATCHES

DATE	RACE	NO	HORSE	TRAINER	REASON	REFUND
01-28-16	1	4	Gotham Sky	Evans	Sick	\$352.42
01-28-16	6	6	Matty's Tribal	Sick	Sick	See below
01-28-16	6	7	Percy's Bluff	Miranda	Sick	<u>\$307.30</u>
01-28-16	7	1	Kadiewu	Anderson	Sick	\$84.02
01-29-16	2	4	Loop Current Eddie	Amescua	Sick	\$156.89
01-29-16	6	1	Huya	Lenzini	Sick	\$73.99
01-30-16	3	2	On Luck	Martin	Sick	\$125.32
01-31-16	1	5	Mischief Pearl	Morey	Sick	\$305.30
01-31-16	3	4	Great Decision	Rich	Injured	\$109.60

Veterinarian's List

There were nineteen (19) horses placed on the vet's list:

Sick: 15
 Injured: 1
 Unsound: 3

There were twenty seven (27) horses removed from the vet's list:

Sick: 11
 Injured: 11
 Unsound: 4
 Bled: 1

Shockwave Therapy: There were three (3) shockwave therapy treatments reported.

	01/28	01/29	01/30	01/31	Total	Meet
ACCIDENTS	1	0	0	0	1	5
CAL-BRED RACES	0	0	0	0	0	2
CLAIMS	4	5	4	4	17	66
DISQUALIFICATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	6
INQUIRIES/OBJECTIONS	1	0	1	1	3	15
REFUNDS	4	2	1	3	10	45
RULINGS	1	2	0	0	3	18
CLAIMS VOID	0	0	1	0	1	6

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE SUMMARY FOR SATELLITE FACILITIES

Anderson	52	\$13,699.60
Bankers Casino	37	\$19,761.00
Fresno	265	\$95,722.40
Fresno Club One	59	\$105,656.60
Monterey	209	\$4,388.00
Pleasanton	1138	\$298,174.50
Sacramento	909	\$296,849.20
San Jose	1370	\$354,533.20
San Mateo	2024	\$835,062.90
Santa Rosa	637	\$136,866.20
Stockton	682	\$185,192.20
Turlock	205	\$87,406.00
Vallejo	587	\$204,003.20
So. California	0	\$1,470,123.10
Out of State	0	\$3,481,889.60

Respectfully submitted,

Will Meyers, Steward

Dennis Nevin, Steward

John Herbuveaux, Steward