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#### Golden Gate Fields

Berkeley, California

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Report for the period: Thursday, January 24 through Sunday, January 27, 2019.

### THURSDAY

1-24-19<sup>1</sup>

#### DARK DAY

Steward **John Herbuveaux** was on hand to handle entry duties for Sunday's card.

### FRIDAY

1-25-19<sup>1</sup>

#### HENRY RULING

##### RULING NO # 20

Jockey **Wesley Henry** who rode **Omache Kid** in the first race at **Golden Gate Fields** on **Monday, January 21, 2019** is fined the sum of **One Hundred dollars (\$100.00)\*** for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1688 (Use of Riding Crop - used more than three times without giving the horse a chance to respond).

The above Ruling was issued after young **Mr. Henry** appeared and reviewed the race in question. He realized his mistake and apologized for his actions.

1-25-19<sup>2</sup>

#### JUSTIN RIVERA CASE 19GG0002

Exercise rider **Justin Rivera** failed to appear to answer charges of failing to present his license in the paddock area. A ruling will be issued if he is not heard from by tomorrow morning.

1-25-19<sup>3</sup>

#### 2<sup>ND</sup> RACE – LATE SCRATCH

#5 **Song of Thorns** trained by **Samuel Calvario** and ridden by **Silvio Amador** flipped and fell behind the gate. **Dr. Grantham** recommended the mare be scratched for precautionary reasons and she was taken out of the race.

1-25-19<sup>4</sup>**PROGRAM CHANGES**

2<sup>ND</sup> Race Declaration #5 **Song of Thorns** – (Tr. **Samuel Calvario**)  
Injured Gate – Dr. Grantham. Refund - \$ 34,471.99

5<sup>TH</sup> Race #3 **Sarni** – (Tr. **Jose Bautista**)  
Injured – Dr. Sporer. Refunds - \$ 408.60

8<sup>TH</sup> Race #7 **Six Gun Smokin** – (Tr. **Mike Lenzini**)  
Re-Enter – Stewards. Refunds - \$ 174.00

1-25-19<sup>5</sup>**ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

NCOT	1,321	\$ 523,909.17
GG	561	\$ 212,080.02
OUT OF STATE	n/a	\$ 1,286,210.84
SCOT	n/a	\$ 267,636.16
TOTAL	1,882	\$ 2,289,836.19

**SATURDAY**1-26-19<sup>1</sup>**RIVERA RULING REF (1/25/19<sup>2</sup>)****RULING NO # 21**

Exercise Rider **Justin L. Rivera** having failed to respond to written notice to appear before the Board of Stewards at **Golden Gate Fields** on or before **January 25, 2019**, is hereby suspended for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1547 (Failure to Appear) pending an appearance at a hearing before the Board of Stewards to answer charges alleging violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1481 (a) (Occupational Licenses and Fees) #1510 (Knowledge of Rules), #1900 (Grounds For Suspension or Revocation) and #1930 (Obedience to Security Officers and Public Safety Officers).

During the term of this suspension, all licenses and license privileges of **Justin L. Rivera** are suspended and pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1528 (Jurisdiction of Stewards), subject is denied access to all premises in this jurisdiction.

The above Ruling was issued after **Mr. Rivera** failed to contact this Board of Stewards.

1-26-19<sup>2</sup>**MONROY RULING****RULING NO # 22**

Jockey **Francisco Monroy** who rode **Tangled Up In Ju** in the fourth race at **Golden Gate Fields** on **January 25, 2019** is fined the sum of **Four Hundred** dollars (**\$400.00**)\* for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1688 (Use of Riding Crop- used more than three times without giving the horse a chance to respond. Fourth offense in the past sixty days).

The above ruling was issued after Jockey **Monroy** appeared and reviewed the race in question. He was told that any future violation for crop misuse within the next 35 days will result in a suspension.

1-26-19<sup>3</sup>**RUVALCABA WARNED – CASE 19GG0005**

A warning was issued to owner, assistant trainer and exercise rider **Alberto Ruvalcaba** for trying to enter the paddock using his expired owner's license. He has three current licenses and mistakenly grabbed his old license to gain access.

1-26-19<sup>4</sup>**PROGRAM CHANGES**

1<sup>ST</sup> Race Declaration #3 **Sir Laughlot** – (Tr. **Blaine Wright**)  
Injured – Dr. Sporer. Refund \$ 676.00

4<sup>TH</sup> Race Declaration #5 **Acharnement** – (Tr. **Blaine Wright**)  
Injured – Dr. Sporer. Refund \$ 285.80

1-26-19<sup>5</sup>**STEWARDS REVIEW FOURTH RACE**

The Stewards conducted a review of the start of the fourth race concerning #2 **Cattering** (Jockey **Abel Cedillo**). Number two rears at the start causing its own problems so there was no reason for an Inquiry.

1-26-19<sup>6</sup>

**ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

NCOT	2,699	\$ 1,213,102.32
GG	1,338	\$ 468,106.62
OUT OF STATE	n/a	\$ 1,344,756.57
SCOT	n/a	\$ 498,338.55
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4,037</b>	<b>\$ 3,524,304.06</b>

**SUNDAY**

1-27-19<sup>1</sup>

**JOCKEY ALTERCATION SETTLED**

Jockey **Julien Couton** and Jockey **Abel Cedillo** appeared in the Stewards office to explain an altercation that took place in the Jockeys room following the running of the second race yesterday. Jockey **Couton** verbally attacked Jockey **Cedillo** feeling that **Cedillo** caused interference near the 5/16 pole. **Cedillo** reacted by "pushing" **Couton** and catching him on the lip with his elbow according to testimony. Both apologized to the Stewards and to each other and said they had no hard feelings. The following Rulings were issued to reinforce that altercations will not be tolerated no matter the circumstances:

**RULING NO # 23**

Jockey **Julien Couton** is fined **One Hundred dollars (\$100.00)** for participating in an altercation in the jockey's room on **January 26, 2019**; a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1874 (Disorderly Conduct).

**RULING NO # 24**

Jockey **Abel Cedillo** is fined the sum of **Two Hundred dollars (\$200.00)\*** for participating in an altercation in the jockey's room on **January 26, 2019**; a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1874 (Disorderly Conduct).

1-27-19<sup>2</sup>

**PROGRAM SCRATCHES**

- 2<sup>ND</sup> Race #6 **Rock Slinger** – (Tr. **Clifford Delima**)  
Injured – Dr. Sporer. Refund - \$312.10
- 3<sup>RD</sup> Race #2 **Captain D'Artagnan** – (Tr. **Sergio Ledezma**)  
Sick – Dr. Sporer. Refunds - \$247.10
- 4<sup>TH</sup> Race #4 **Ralph Jacobs** – (Tr. **John Martin**)  
Injured – Dr. Sporer. Refunds - \$416.90
- 5<sup>TH</sup> Race #5 **Gothic Girl** (Tr. **Cliff Delima**)  
Injured – Dr. Sporer. Refunds - \$414.40
- 7<sup>TH</sup> Race #4 **Lindas Black Comet** (Tr. **Jerry R. Puertas**)  
Injured – Dr. Sporer. Refunds – See Below
- #9 **Winter's Nest** (Tr. **Jerry Hollendorfer**)  
Sick – Dr. Sporer. Refunds - \$434.00

1-27-19<sup>5</sup>

**ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

NCOT	1,760	\$ 753,045.98
GG	3,212	\$ 437,584.15
OUT OF STATE	n/a	\$ 1,417,599.33
SCOT	n/a	\$ 419,789.12
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4,972</b>	<b>\$ 3,028,018.58</b>

**Veterinarian's List - There were Twelve (12) horses placed on the vet's list:**

Sick: 1  
 Injured: 9  
 Unsound: 2

**There were Twenty-Four (24) horses removed from the vet's list:**

Sick: 16  
 Injured: 3  
 Unsound: 5

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

**WEEKLY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE SUMMARY FOR SATELLITE FACILITIES**

Fresno	1,119	\$484,180.24
Fresno Club One	335	\$449,655.70
Monterey	975	\$357,446.80
Pleasanton	4,897	\$2,098,748.11
Sacramento	4,015	\$1,518,642.63
San Jose	8,057	\$1,817,881.62
San Mateo	8,862	\$4,160,318.54
Santa Rosa	2,119	\$685,685.48
Stockton	3,443	\$1,246,432.12
Vallejo	2,496	\$1,019,063.94
So. California	n/a	\$7,932,818.12
Out of State	n/a	\$29,507,877.54

	1/25	1/26	1/27	Total	Meet
ACCIDENTS	0	0	0	0	3
CAL-BRED RACES	0	0	0	0	0
CLAIMS	0	3	3	11	61
DISQUALIFICATIONS	0	0	0	0	0
INQUIRIES/OBJECTIONS	0	0	0	0	2
REFUNDS	0	0	0	0	77
RULINGS	0	1	2	5	24
CLAIMS VOIDED	0	0	0	0	4

Respectfully submitted,

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**WILL MEYERS, STEWARD**

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**DENNIS NEVIN, STEWARD**

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**JOHN HERBUVEAUX, STEWARD**