



**REPORT OF THE BOARD OF STEWARDS
LOS ALAMITOS SUMMER THOROUGHBRED MEET**

LOS ALAMITOS RACING ASSOCIATION

To the California Horse Racing Board

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WEEK 3 - Thursday, July 12, 2018 through Sunday, July 15, 2018.

WEDNESDAY

07/11/18¹

DARK DAY DUTIES

Tom Ward was present to oversee entries for Saturday and scratches for Friday.

THURSDAY

07/12/18¹

JOCKEY FILM REVIEW

Franklin Ceballos met with the Stewards to review Sunday's first race, jockey RUBEN FUENTES accompanied him. After a review of his outward drift coming off the turn, he was warned to make sure he was clear when moving off his path. He acknowledged the advice. Warning.

07/12/18²

CERIN FORMAL HEARING CASE #18SA0120

A complaint was filed by the CHRB against trainer VLADIMIR CERIN for violation of CHRB rules 1843 (a)(d) (Medication, Drugs and Other Substances), 1844(c) (Authorized Medication), 1887 (Trainer to Insure Condition of Horse) and 1843.1 (b) (Prohibited Drug Substances).

Present before the BOS were, trainer Vladimir Cerin, representing the CHRB Supervising Investigator Phillip Miyazaki, court reporter Michelle Derieg recorded the proceedings and Safety Steward Paul Atkinson sat in as an observer.

Mr. Cerin's runner ROMAN TIZZY who finished third in the first race on April 13, 2018 at Santa Anita Park post-race tested, a level of Phenylbutazone (1.08 ug/ml) and Flunixin (18.6 ng/ml) this is a double NSAID positive which was analyzed by UC Davis Laboratory. It is a Class "4" drug with a Category "C" penalty.

Mr. Cerin had no explanation how this double medication occurred. Decision to follow.

07/12/18³

INQUIRY / ACCIDENT / SECOND RACE - 5/8

Following the running of the race the inquiry sign was posted to review an accident that occurred near the 3/8 pole. Involved were #1 I'LL WRAP IT UP (S. Gonzalez DNF) who fell on its own and #2 TEMPLAR (T. Pereira DNF) could not avoid #1 and fell unseating its jockey. After a review of the available video the original order of finish was made official. Both Tiago Pereira and Santiago Gonzalez were removed from the remainder of their mounts. Mr. Pereira was transported to UC Irvine for further evaluation and Mr. Santiago refused the recommendation of further evaluation.

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VOIDED CLAIMS

After an examination of #1 I'LL WRAP IT UP (who was involved in the accident in the second race) by Official Veterinarian Tim Grande was placed on the Veterinarian's List and the Stewards voided the claim. The horse returned to the stable of trainer Steve Miyadi. Also # 5 LIBERTY JACK who raced in the sixth race failed the examination and was returned to the stable of trainer Peter Miller.

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DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS

1st race #5 JICAMA (Tr. M. Landeros) CW 124. Refund \$0

2nd race #1 I'LL WRAP IT UP (Tr. S. Miyadi) claimed by Tr. WE Morey VOID
#4 AJAC (Tr. A. Aquino) CW 119. Refund \$0

3rd race #3 COPPER COWGIRL (Tr. P. Harrington) CW 115. Refund \$0

4th race #1 CHEESE (Tr. A. Aquino) CW 119
#2 SHARP HOLIDAY (Tr.J. Nunez) claimed by Tr. G. Vallejo
#5 LA GALY (J. Gomez) M. Pedroza replaced T. Pereira (injured). Refund \$0

5th race #2 HAILEY RACHELE (Tr. S. Scolamieri) B. Pena replaced T. Pereira (injured)
#4 MAGNOLIA'S HOPE Veterinarian-injured-Dr. Grande
#7 DON'T PASS (Tr. M. Jones) E. Roman replaced S. Gonzalez (injured)
Refund \$760.60

6th race #1 CROISSANT (Tr. D. O'Neill) claimed by Tr. K. Castaneda
#5 LIBERTY JACK (Tr. P. Miller) claimed by Tr. N. Lowe
#7 FANDAREL DANCER (Tr. J. Wallace) CW 117. Refund \$0

7th race No Changes; Refund \$0

8th race #1 KEISEYBELLE (Tr. A. Mathis) Veterinarian-sick-Dr. Grande
#6 MISCHIEVIOUS LASS (Tr. M. Glatt) claimed by Tr. R. Baltus. Refund \$580.90

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DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	978	\$234,908.94
Off Track	3,039	\$857,055.34
Out -of-State	N/A	\$2,442,309.66
Total	4,017	\$3,534,273.94

FRIDAY

07/13/18¹

JOCKEY APPEAL HEARING

A hearing for the appeal of ruling LATS #140 dated April 14, 2018 in which Edwin Maldonado received a three day suspension for careless riding was conducted today.

Present for the hearing before Hearing Officer Patrick Kane were Edwin Maldonado and his counsel Roger Licht, General Counsel for the CHRB Robert Brodnik, witnesses for the CHRB, Kim Sawyer and Grant Baker. Sitting in as observers, CHRB Hearing Administrations, Sharyn Jolly, CHRB Chief Steward Darrel McHargue and Safety Steward Paul Atkinson.

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CERIN RULING Ref 07-12-18²

Mr. Cerin was issued the minimum penalty for a second offense in one year of a class four drug violation. This category C penalty is listed in the ruling issued below.

LATL RULING #005

Trainer VLADIMIR CERIN, who started the horse ROMAN TIZZY, which finished third in the first race at Santa Anita Park on April 13, 2018 is fined ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$1,000.00)* pursuant of California Horse Racing Board rule #1887 (Trainer to Insure Condition of Horse) for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1843(a) (d) (Medication, Drugs and Other Substances), #1843.1(b) (Prohibited Drug Substances) and #1844(c) (Authorized Medication – phenylbutazone [1.08 ug/ml] and flunixin [18.6 ng/ml] – second offense in the last 365 days).

07/13/18³

INQUIRY / NO CHANGE / FOURTH RACE - 3/4

Following the running of the race the inquiry sign was posted to review an accident leaving the starting gate. Involved were #4 IRISH BALLAD (K. McDaid DNF) who broke out sharply and #6 JUNE SIXTH (D. Sanchez 4th) who broke in sharply. Their hard contact with #5 IMAGINEIAMFASTEST (T. Connor 2nd) caused apprentice Kelly McDaid to lose connection with her mount and fall off. The track physician cleared her to ride the remainder of her mounts. The loose horse hit the outside fence near the paddock, was caught by the outrider and ambulance removed at the direction of Racing Veterinarian Dana Stead. As the fouled horse (#5) beat #6 there was no change to the order of finish and the race was made official.

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DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS

- 1st race #4 ASEM (Tr. G. Sherlock) claimed by Tr. K. Castanada. Refund \$0
- 2nd race #1 GAYEBIRD (Tr. P. Harrington) Veterinarian-sick-Dr. Stead
#7 KATHIA (Tr. J. Mendoza) K. McDaid replaced T. Pereira (injured).
Refund \$459.00
- 3rd race No Changes; Refund \$0
- 4th race #2 IT MAKES SENSE (Tr. C. Lopez) E. Roman replaced T. Pereira
#3 BUCK DUANE (Tr. S. Miyadi) Veterinarian-sick-Dr. Grande. Refund \$756.30
- 5th race #3 BLAME IT ONTHESONG (Tr.S. Miyadi) Veterinarian-sick-Dr. Grande
Refund \$432.64
- 6th race No Changes; Refund \$0
- 7th race #1 RHETT BUTLER (Tr. S. Scolamieri) H. Figueroa replaced T. Pereira (injured)
#5 PSYCHEDELICAT (Tr. J. Hollendorfer) Veterinarian-sick-Dr. Stead
Refund \$1,402.49
- 8th race #1 CYCLOLITE (Tr. A. Garcia) Veterinarian-sick-Dr. Grande
#3 FROM THE DISTANCE (Tr. B. Koriner) claimed by Tr. S. Knapp
#5 BELOVED HOLIDAY (Tr. E. Freeman) B. Pena replaced T. Pereira (injured)
#10 TWISTED ROAD (Tr. R. Mandella) claimed by Tr. D. O’Neill. Refund \$87.00

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DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	1,013	\$255,763.91
Off Track	3,492	\$1,169,585.09
Out –of-State	N/A	\$2,754,553.89
Total	4,505	\$4,179,902.89

SATURDAY

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FIGUEROA RULING

After the seventh race yesterday Mr. Figueroa was directed to see the Stewards to discuss the use of his crop. He telephoned, admitted his culpability, and the following ruling was issued.

LATL RULING # 006

Jockey HERIBERTO FIGUEROA is fined THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$300.00)* for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1688(b)(6) (Use of Riding Crop – more than three times in succession without giving the horse a chance to respond – third offense; second offense on May 28, 2018), during the seventh race at Los Alamitos Race Course on July 13, 2018.

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CHEW RULING ref 07-08-18²

The following ruling was issued subsequent to the penalty decision after the hearing on Sunday, July 8.

LATL RULING #007

Trainer MATHEW CHEW, who started the horse TOPAZ TIME, which finished first in the second race at Santa Anita Park on May 25, 2018 is fined ONE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS (\$1,250.00)* pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1887 (Trainer to Insure Condition of Horse) for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1843(a) (d) (Medication, Drugs and Other Substances), #1843.1(b) (Prohibited Drug Substances) and #1844(c) (Authorized Medication – phenylbutazone [0.74 ug/ml] and flunixin [11.3 ng/ml] – second offense in the last 365 days), and for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1843.5(i) (Medication, Drugs and Other Substances Permitted After Entry in a Race – nebulizer on race day).

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INQUIRY/ NO CHANGE / FIFTH RACE - 3/4

Following the running of the race the inquiry sign was posted to review the start of the race. Involved was #5 ALPENHORN (E. Maldonado DNF) who refused to break when the starting gate doors opened. There were no other factors involved in this incident and the original order of finish was made official.

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DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS

1st race	#1 MAGICALCHIC (Tr. L. Bradvica) E. Payeras replaced K. McDaid (injured) Refund \$0
2nd race	#2 QUEEN DREAMER L. Ruiz) S. Gonzalez replaced A. Quinonez (sick) #7 MIDNIGHT CROSSING (Tr. P.Eurton) E. Roman replaced T. Pereira (injured) Refund \$0
3rd race	#2 HEARTOFTHETEMPLE (Tr. D. Greenman) S. Gonzalez replaced T. Pereira (injured) #4 LUCKY FEELIN (Tr. R. Bean) E. Payeras replaced K. McDaid (injured) #7 GET YOURSELF HOME (M. Machowsky) claimed by Tr. N. Lowe. Refund \$1,058.30
4th race	#10 I Adore You (Tr. A. Saavedra) H. Figueroa replaced K. McDaid (injured) Refund \$0
5th race	#2 LOVE A HONEYBADGER (Tr. P. Miller) D.VanDyke replaced T. Pereira (injured) Refund \$0
6th race	#2 CHRISISCOOKIN (Tr. G. Vallejo) Steward-entered back #5 TOWARDS THE LIGHT (Tr. M. Curtis) Steward-entered back #8 PS BETTIN ON YOU (Tr. R. Lucas) C. Franco replaced K. McDaid (injured) #9 QUANTUM FORCE (Tr. C. Greece) claimed by Tr. E. Freeman #12 ATOMIC ACTION (Tr. January) M. Arana replaced K. McDaid (injured) CW 124 Refund \$1,647.96
7th race	#6 SWALLOWS INN GAL (Tr. Lucas) C. Franco replaced K. McDaid (injured) CW 113 #7 ANGELINA'S HEAVEN (Tr. C. Lopez) E. Roman replaced T. Pereira (injured) Refund \$8,454.49
8th race	NO SHOW WAGER. Refund \$0
9th race	#5 CASH PILOT (Tr. M. Pender) C. Russell replaced K. McDaid (injured) CW 120 Refund \$207.70

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DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	1,966	\$597,488.06
Off Track	5,486	\$1,801,830.04
Out –of-State	N/A	\$4,611,318.20
Total	7,452	\$7,010,636.30

SUNDAY

07/15/18¹

WRIGHT RULING

The following ruling was issued after Mr. Wright failed to appear for his scheduled hearing.

LATL RULING #008

Owner CHRISTOPHER WRIGHT having failed to respond to a complaint alleging violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1876 (Financial Responsibility - \$5,971.19 to KC Horse Transport) is suspended for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1547 (Failure to Appear).

During the term of suspension, all licenses and license privileges of CHRISTOPHER WRIGHT are suspended and pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1528 (Jurisdiction of Stewards to Suspend and Fine), CHRISTOPHER WRIGHT is denied access to all premises in this jurisdiction.

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JOCKEY FILM REVIEW

As directed, apprentice Heriberto Figueroa met with the Stewards to review the second race yesterday, in which he was marginally clear, while drifting in the stretch. Warning.

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SECURITY VIOLATIONS

The following two rulings involved Mr. Rodriguez and Mr. Espinoza who were directed by trainer Mike McCarthy to enter the race track to work their horses five minutes after the track closed for renovation. It is suggested in the future that trainer McCarthy be issued the violation notice.

LATL RULING #009

Jockey NORMAN RODRIGUEZ is fined FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00)* for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1930 (Obedience to Security Officers and Public Safety Officers – entering track after closure for renovation break).

LATL RULING #010

Apprentice Jockey ASA ESPINOZA is fined FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00)* for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1930 (Obedience to Security Officers and Public Safety Officers – entering track after closure for renovation break).

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INQUIRY / NO CHANGE / FIFTH RACE – 5/8

Following the running of the race the inquiry sign was posted to review the start of the race in which #1 FOXY FRESH (S. Gonzalez 4th) acted up as the starting gate doors opened causing its own problems. The horse was declared a starter and the original order of finish was made official.

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DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS

- 1st race No Changes; Refund \$0
- 2nd race No Changes; Refund \$0
- 3rd race #5 THANKFUL EVERY DAY (Tr. C. Treece) E. Payeras replaced K. McDaid (injured).
- 4th race #3 THE TATTOO KID (Tr. R. Bean) C. Franco replaced K. McDaid (injured)
- #4 COASTAL EDDY (Tr. S. Miyadi) F. Ceballos replace A. Quinonez (sick).

5th race NO SHOW WAGERING
 #2 BRAGGING RIGHTS (Tr. J. Sadler) Veterinarian – sick - Dr. Stead. Refund \$634.80
 6th race #1 BABY ICE (Tr. S. Knapp) replaced A. Quinonez (sick). Refund \$777.95
 7th race #4 North County Guy (Tr. D. Jacobson) claimed by Tr. G. Vallejo
 #6 Insubordination (Tr. G. Almeida) Veterinarian–unsound post parade-Dr. Stead
 #7 BIG ENERGY (Tr. K. Craigmyle) E. Gomez replaced K. McDaid (injured) CW 124
 Refund \$23,976.42
 8th race #1 FORT LEWIS RIVERS (Tr. P. Jones) A. Espinoza replaced K. McDaid (injured)
 9th race #6 E BRADLEY COOPER (Tr. J. Enriquez) ??? replaced K. McDaid (injured) CW 120

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DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	1,690	\$440,607.47
Off Track	5,019	\$1,660,176.87
Out –of-State	N/A	\$3,945,503.42
Total	6,709	\$6,046,287.76

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 REPORT – WEEK OF 07/09/18 TO 07/15/18

Horses on Vet List	17	Horses off Vet List	12
Shock Wave Therapy	20	Fatalities	0
Medication	0		

SUMMARY

	Wed 7/12	Fri 7/13	Sat 7/14	Sun 7/15	Week	Meet
Accidents	2	1	0	0	3	5
Cal-Bred Races	1	2	0	1	4	15
Claims	3	3	2	1	9	25
Disqualifications	0	0	0	0	0	0
Inquiries	1	1	1	1	4	6
Refunds	2	5	4	3	14	44
Rulings	0	1	2	3	6	10
Voided Claims	2	0	0	0	2	3

Respectfully submitted,

 Kim Sawyer, Steward

 Tom Ward, Steward

 C. Scott Chaney, Steward

 Paul Atkinson, Steward

ATTACHMENTS
 BOS:KS:dw

JOCKEY/DRIVER ACCIDENT REPORT

Business and Professions Code Section 19481.3(e) provides that the stewards shall investigate and prepare a report regarding all on-track accidents involving jockeys that occur during the performance of the jockeys' duties. The investigation shall commence no later than the next live racing day and shall be completed expeditiously. Board Rule 1536, Stewards' Minutes, includes drivers in this requirement. **Upon completion of the report, it shall immediately be sent by facsimile or electronic mail to the Jockeys' Guild or California Harness Horsemen's Association (CHHA); the jockey/driver or his representative; the racing association; the horse owner; and the trainer of the horse the jockey/driver was riding/driving at the time of the accident.**

Name of jockey/driver & CHRB License No.: Kellie McDaid #317287

Name of horse owner & CHRB License No.: Susan Derby #268400

Name of trainer & CHRB License No.: Ruben Gomez #305965

Name of horse & Tattoo No.: Irish Ballad #S03374

Race No.: Four

Date/time/location of accident: July 13, 2018 ~ 2:28 pm - Los Alamitos Race Course

DESCRIPTION OF ACCIDENT

Include circumstances of accident, likely causes and the extent of injury to jockey/driver, if any. Complete one Jockey/Driver Accident Report for each jockey/driver involved in an accident. A copy of each report shall be attached to the stewards' minutes in accordance with Rule 1536, Stewards' Minutes.

IRISH BALLAD broke out sharply, bumping the horse to her outside, causing Jockey Kellie McDaid to fall off. Miss McDaid was examined by the Track Physician and cleared to ride her remaining mounts.

Jockey/Driver condition: No injuries cleared to ride.

Horse condition: No injuries reported.

Paul Atkinson
Prepared by:

Signature: _____

7/13/2018
Date report completed:

<p style="text-align: center;">Distribution</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Jockeys' Guild/ CHHA• Jockey/Driver• Racing Association• Owner• Trainer <p style="text-align: center;">Note: Attach original CHRB-201 form to stewards' minutes.</p>
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Name of jockey/driver & CHRB License No.: Tiago Pereira #315311

Name of horse owner & CHRB License No.: Luis Ruiz #299019

Name of trainer & CHRB License No.: Lorenzo Ruiz #297981

Name of horse & Tattoo No.: Templar #P21977

Race No.: Two

Date/time/location of accident: July 12, 2018 ~ 1:35 pm - Los Alamitos Race Course

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TEMPLAR fell over I'LL WRAP IT UP nearing the 3/8 pole, unseating Jockey Tiago Pereira. Mr. Pereira was transported to UC Irvine Medical Center.

Jockey/Driver condition: Transported to UC Irvine Medical Center for further evaluation.

Horse condition: Superficial wounds.

Paul Atkinson
Prepared by:

Signature:

7/12/2018
Date report completed:

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Name of jockey/driver & CHRB License No.: Santiago Gonzalez #316319

Name of horse owner & CHRB License No.: Cory Mitchnick #291230

Name of trainer & CHRB License No.: Steven Miyadi #074727

Name of horse & Tattoo No.: I'll Wrap It Up #001938

Race No.: Two

Date/time/location of accident: July 12, 2018 ~ 1:35 pm - Los Alamitos Race Course

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I'LL WRAP IT UP stumbled and fell nearing the 3/8 pole, unseating Jockey Santiago Gonzalez. Mr. Gonzalez was examined by the Paramedics but refused to be transferred to the Hospital.

Jockey/Driver condition: No injuries reported.

Horse condition: Superficial wounds and placed on Vets List.

Paul Atkinson
Prepared by:

Signature:

7/12/2018
Date report completed:

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