

CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD

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**REPORT OF THE BOARD OF STEWARDS
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Report of the Board of Stewards for the week September 26, 2017 through October 1, 2017.

Tuesday

09/26/2017

- (1) **DUTY STEWARD**
Steward Ron Church will preside over morning office duties and record the minutes for the reporting period.
- (2) **ENTRIES AND DRAW**
Friday's eight race program was completed at 1:00 p.m. consisting of five Quarter Horse and three Thoroughbred races. A total of 57 entries passed the entry box.
- (3) **CAL-BRED REPORT**
The fourth race in the condition book, for Cal-Bred maiden three year olds at a distance of 330 yards, was called off with one entry.

Wednesday

09/27/2017

- (1) **SCRATCHES AND CHANGES**
Friday's scratches were taken at 9:00a.m. resulting in one scratch and one equipment change.
- (2) **ENTRIES AND DRAW**
Saturday's eight race program was completed at 1:30 P.M. consisting of four Quarter Horse, three Thoroughbred, and one mixed Quarter Horse/Thoroughbred race. A total of 54 entries passed the entry box.
- (3) **CAL-BRED REPORT**
The fourth race in the condition book, for Cal-Bred maiden three year olds claiming \$12,500 at a distance of 300 yards, was called off with no entries

Thursday

09/28/2017

- (1) **SCRATCHES AND CHANGES**
Saturday's scratches were taken at 9:00a.m. resulting in one jockey change.
- (2) **ENTRIES AND DRAW**
Sunday's eight race program was completed at 1:30 P.M. consisting of six Quarter Horse and two mixed Quarter Horse/Thoroughbred races. A total of 51 entries passed the entry box.

(3) CAL-BRED REPORT

The sixth race in the condition book for Cal-Bred maiden three year olds and upward claiming \$12,500 at a distance of 300 yards, was called off with no entries.

Friday

09/29/2017

(1) SCRATCHES AND CHANGES

Sunday's scratches were taken at 9:00 A.M. resulting in no changes for the evening's program.

(2) RULINGS #256 AND #257

RULING # 256

JOCKEY EDUARDO NICASIO IS FINED TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$200.00)* 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-SECOND OFFENSE WITHIN THE PREVIOUS 60 DAY PERIOD), DURING THE EIGHTH RACE AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE ON SEPTEMBER 24, 2017.

RULING # 257

JOCKEY JOSE NICASIO IS FINED TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$200.00)* 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-SECOND OFFENSE WITHIN THE PREVIOUS 60 DAY PERIOD), DURING THE THIRD RACE AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE ON SEPTEMBER 24, 2017.

The foregoing rulings were issued after neither rider offered an excuse for violating Rule #1688 (b)(6).

(3) PETER MILLER RULING #258 (REF. 9/07/17 (3))

RULING # 258

TRAINER PETER MILLER IS FINED FIFTEEN HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$1,500.00)* FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1874 (2)(3)(4) (DISORDERLY CONDUCT) IN THE SADDLING BARN AT SANTA ANITA RACE TRACK ON JUNE 16, 2017.

The above ruling was issued after Mr. Miller was given a formal hearing at the Los Alamitos Stewards office to address complaint #17SA166 on September 7, 2017.

(4) SIMULCAST PROGRAM ERROR

In the twelfth race from Hoosier Park, a program error was made with the numbering of entries involved in the race. Enclosed is an explanation of the situation from Los Alamitos Mutuel department manager John Ferrero.

(5) PROBLEM FREE EVENING

The evening's eight race program was conducted without noteworthy incident.

(6) LATE DECLARATIONS – CHANGES AND REFUND

1st Race #5 Gracias Tom (Tr. Felix L. Gonzalez) entered back –Stewards' Refund \$164.00
#7 This Dance Is Mine (Tr. Jose Avalos) Injured, Dr. Fitzgerald Refund \$119.00
2nd Race #3 Big Eight (Tr. Marcia Stortz) unsound – Dr. Fitzgerald Refund \$158.00
3rd Race #1 Ar Royal Blue (Tr. John Wells) entered back –Stewards' Refund \$72.00
4th Race #4 Dramatic Angel (Tr. Jaime Gomez) claimed – Tr. Kelly Castaneda
6th Race #5 Mongoose Foose (Jockey Rodrigo Aceves – sore shoulder) replaced by Carlos Huetra.
7th Race #4 Jessa Dynasty (Jockey Rodrigo Aceves) replaced by Jesus Canales
#8 Charter Flight (Tr. Scott Willoughby) entered back – Stewards' Refund \$70.00
8th Race #3 Im Ms Jess Perry (Jockey Ramon Sanchez – sore knee) replaced by J. Canales.
#6 One Sweet Racy (Tr. Jaime Gomez) sick - Dr. Fitzgerald Refund \$455.00

(7) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	555	On Track Handle:	\$89,000.80
Off Track Attendance:	<u>1,787</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$354,281.40
Total:	2,342	Out of State:	<u>\$716,126.61</u>
			\$1,159,408.81

Saturday

09/30/17

(1) THIRD RACE STEWARDS LIST

After "BK MISS" Thoroughbred was beaten 42 ½ lengths, at a distance of 4 ½ furlongs, the four year old filly was placed on the Stewards' List for poor performance, must re-qualify.

(2) GOOD RACING

The evening's eight race program was conducted without noteworthy incident.

(3) LATE DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS

1st Race #7 Multiple Suns (Tr. Ruben Gomez) injured – Dr. Fitzgerald
Refund: \$391.00

2nd Race #5 Chief Tiger (Tr. Robert Bean) unsound – Dr. Fitzgerald
Refund: \$392.00

4th Race #1 Warrensdollarsigns (Tr. Charles Treece) claimed Tr. Bret Vickery

5th Race #4 Stel A Wish (Jockey Rodolfo Arvizu – sick) replaced by Jairo Rangel

6th Race #1 Royal Tricky Lady (Tr. Monty Arrossa) colic – Dr. Fitzgerald
Refund: \$78.00

(4) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	600	On Track Handle:	\$90,420.70
Off Track Attendance:	<u>1,902</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$370,670.40
Total:	2,502	Out of State:	<u>\$721,935.51</u>
		Total:	\$1,183,026.61

Sunday

10/01/17

(1) PROBLEM FREE

Sunday's eight race program was conducted without noteworthy incident.

(2) LATE DECLARATIONS - CHANGES AND REFUNDS

1st Race #3 Briana Jean (Tr. Jeffrey Metz) sick – Dr. Fitzgerald
Refund: \$222.00

3rd Race #1 Fair And Square (Jockey Rodolfo Arvizu – sick) replaced by Eduardo Nicasio

5th Race #6 Charter Flight (Jockey Carlos Huerta – removed by owner evoked CHRB rule #1683) replaced by Jesus Canales

8th Race #1 Nymph (Jockey Carlos Huerta - CHRB rule #1683) replaced by Jesus Ayala

(3) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	550	On Track Handle:	\$88,252.00
Off Track Attendance:	<u>1,707</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$344,784.70
Total:	2,257	Out of State:	<u>\$670,333.24</u>
			\$1,103,369.94

TRACK SAFETY REPORT

The weekly inspection was conducted on October 1, 2017. There were no equine deaths to report this week. During this reporting period 11 horses were added to the Veterinarian's List as follows; 3 for soundness, 2 for injury, 3 for sickness, and 3 for shock wave therapy. Seven horses previously on the Veterinarian's List were examined and removed from the list.

This report was submitted by Steward Ron Church

CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD SUMMARY 2017

	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI 09/29	SAT 09/30	SUN 10/01	WEEK TOTAL	MEET TOTAL
ACCIDENTS	D				0	0	0	0	8
CAL-BRED RACES		A			0	0	0	0	23
CLAIMS			R		1	1	0	2	271
DISQUALIFICATIONS				K	0	0	0	0	28
INQUIRIES	D				0	0	0	0	57
REFUNDS		A			6	3	1	10	292
RULINGS			Y		3	0	0	3	254
VOIDED CLAIMS				S	0	0	0	0	86

Stewards' Attendance: Stewards Ron Church, James Dreyer, Tom Ward, and Safety Steward Paul Atkinson were in attendance during this reporting period.

Ron Church (Steward)

James Dreyer (Steward)

Tom Ward (Steward)

Paul Atkinson (Safety Steward)