

**CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD**  
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**PACIFIC RACING ASSOCIATION**

Golden Gate Fields  
Albany, California

**Report of the Board of Stewards**

To the California Horse Racing Board

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Report for the period Tuesday, August 16, 2011 through Sunday, August 21, 2011.

**GENERAL DATA:**

Dates: Twenty-two (22) days - Friday, August 19 through Sunday, August 21, 2011.  
Special Monday racing Monday, September 5 (Labor Day)

Entries: 48 to 168 hours in advance

Scratch time: 9:00 a.m. the race day before the race

Post times: 12:45 p.m. daily; Friday - Sunday.

Wagering offered: Win, Place and Show; Exacta, Quinella, Trifecta, Superfecta, Daily Double, High Five, Parlay, Pick 3, Pick 4, Pick 6 and Pick All

Northern California Satellite Facilities: Anderson, Bakersfield, Fresno, Fresno Club One, Monterey, Pleasanton, Sacramento, San Jose, San Mateo, Santa Rosa, Stockton, Tulare, Turlock and Vallejo

**STEWARDS:** Representing the California Horse Racing Board  
John B. Herbuveaux, Darrel McHargue and Dennis Nevin;  
(Safety Steward) Paul Nicolo

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Tammy Morris	Patrol Judge/Stewards' Aide
Todd Stephens	Starter
Patrick Kealy	Horse Identifier
Butch Fyllingness	Horseshoe Inspector
Plusmic Corp., Inc.	Photo Finish
Forrest Franklin, DVM	CHRB Veterinarian
Sara Sporer, DVM	Track Veterinarian
Diane Isbell, DVM	Examining Veterinarian

**ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF:**

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Michael Wrona	Track Announcer
Juan Meza	Track Superintendent
Carrie Fawcett	Stable Superintendent
Richard Somers	Price Maker
William Vassar	Track Photographer
David Seftel, M.D.	Track Physician

**Tuesday**

08-16-11

**DUTY STEWARD**

Steward Darrel McHargue was on duty to oversee the entry process for opening day, August 19, 2011.

**Wednesday**

08-17-11

**DUTY STEWARD**

Steward John Herbuveaux was on duty to oversee the entry process for Saturday, August 20, 2011.

**Thursday**

08-18-11

**DUTY STEWARD**

Steward John Herbuveaux was on duty to oversee the entry process for Sunday, August 21, 2011 and scratches for Friday, April 19, 2011.

**Friday**

08-19-11<sup>1</sup>

**CAL-BRED REPORT**

The Cal-bred race for two year old maiden fillies, claiming price \$12,500, one mile, failed to fill.

08-19-11<sup>2</sup>

**DECLARATIONS – REFUNDS**

5<sup>th</sup> race: #3 JESSABOOM (Tr. J. M. Chandler) unsound  
Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer REFUND: \$3,208.59  
8<sup>th</sup> race: #1 DREAM OF DAISY (Tr. Clifford Delima) sick  
Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell REFUND: \$ 48.90

08-19-11<sup>3</sup>

**CLEAR DAY**

The opening day racing program was conducted without incident.

08-19-11<sup>4</sup>

**ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

GGF	1,379	\$	255,324.30
NCOT	2,249	\$	655,727.90
SCOT		\$	129,655.00
Out of State		\$	421,791.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,628</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>1,462,498.20</b>

**Saturday**

08-20-11<sup>1</sup>

**CAL-BRED REPORT**

The Cal-bred race for fillies and mares, three years old and older, claiming price \$5,000, one mile, failed to fill.

08-20-11<sup>2</sup>

**GEGORY B. LATTERI** (Case #11GG0188)

Owner **Gregory B. Latteri** failed to appear to address a financial complaint filed against him by San Francisco Equine, Inc., alleging overdue vet bills totaling \$4,600.00.

No ruling will be issued by this Board of Stewards as Mr. Latteri is currently suspended for failing to appear before the Los Alamitos Board of Stewards to address another financial complaint (Los Alamitos ruling #158, dated 8-12-11).

This current complaint (11GG0188) will be added to Mr. Latteri's California Horse Racing Board license record and must be addressed upon his reinstatement at Los Alamitos.

08-20-11<sup>3</sup>

**RULING NO. 1 – MARTINEZ**

Jockey **CATALINO MARTINEZ**, who rode **SOLD SHORT** in the fourth race at the Sonoma County Fair (Santa Rosa) on Sunday, August 14, 2011, is suspended three (3) racing days (August 28, September 2

and 3, 2011) for failure to make a proper effort to maintain a straight course and causing interference down the backstretch; a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1699 (d) & (f) (Riding Rules – careless riding).

The term of this suspension shall not prohibit participation in designated races in California.

The foregoing was issued following a film review with Mr. Martinez. The veteran jockey acknowledged he erred in altering course and causing interference.

08-20-11<sup>4</sup> **EARLY START – Ninth Race**

The field for the ninth race was dispatched approximately thirty seconds before the listed post time for this five and one half furlong event.

It appears there was confusion at the gate as #4 STORM'S END had unseated his jockey (Pedro Flores) and ran off. After being caught in the three quarter chute, the colt was brought back to the gate to be examined by the track vet, Sara Sporer, D.V.M.

After Dr. Sporer cleared the horse to run, he was led into the gate with the rest of the field hustling up to the gate, immediately loaded and sent on their way.

08-20-11<sup>5</sup> **ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

GGF	3,308	\$ 449,152.40
NCOT	3,135	\$1,041,419.80
SCOT		\$ 441,632.00
<u>Out of State</u>		<u>\$ 814,321.65</u>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>6,443</b>	<b>\$2,746,525.85</b>

**Sunday**

08-21-11<sup>1</sup> **CAL-BRED REPORT**

The Cal-bred race for three year olds and older, claiming price \$5,000, six furlongs, failed to fill.

08-21-11<sup>2</sup> **DECLARATIONS – REFUNDS**

6 <sup>th</sup> race:	#5 LADY'S COMET	(Tr. Ellen Jackson)	injured
	Examining Veterinarian	Diane Isbell	REFUND: \$ 65.00
8 <sup>th</sup> race:	#4 WIND DIAL	(Tr. Holly Evans)	no rider
	Stewards		REFUND: \$2,067.65
	#10 MARK A STAR	(Tr. Ed Moger)	sick
	Examining Veterinarian	Diane Isbell	REFUND: \$1,186.02

08-21-11<sup>3</sup> **FILM REVIEW**

Jockey's Juan Hernandez (6<sup>th</sup> race) and Geovanni Franco (7<sup>th</sup> race) met with the stewards to review their respective races. Both riders were warned to keep their mounts on a straight course in the stretch.

08-21-11<sup>4</sup> **STARTER TODD STEPHENS** (Refer: 08-20-11<sup>4</sup>)

The stewards met with starter Todd Stephens regarding the premature start of yesterday's ninth race.

Mr. Stephens was advised that even though he had a problem horse (#4 STORM'S END), no horses should be loaded into the gate prior to post time.

Outrider Nancy Barney was also advised by the Board of Stewards not to get the horses to the starting gate prior to post time.

08-21-11<sup>5</sup> **INQUIRY – NO CHANGE – First Race**

The stewards posted the inquiry sign following the first race for a review of an incident in the stretch involving #3 CAROLINE ELENA (Kyle Frey), the winner, and #5 GREAT AUNT NORA, who finished second.

After reviewing the video, talking to the riders involved and considering the patrol judge's report, the stewards decided unanimously to let the original order of finish stand.

The video shows both horses raced wide for most of the six furlong event and then both drifted out together in the stretch.

08-21-11<sup>6</sup> **ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

GGF	6,110	\$ 598,794.90
NCOT	2,810	\$ 886,098.40
SCOT		\$ 465,787.40
Out of State		\$1,097,699.82
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>8,920</b>	<b>\$3,048,380.52</b>

**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. Steward Darrel McHargue was in attendance on the non-racing day (08/16) and steward John Herbuveaux was in August 17 and 18, to handle entries and scratches

**VETERINARIAN RECOMMENDED SCRATCHES**

Date	Race	No	Horse	Trainer	Reason	Vet	Refund
19-Aug	5	3	JESSABOOM	Chandler	unsound	Sporer	<b>\$3,208.59</b>
	8	1	DREAM OF DAISY	Delima	sick	Isbell	<b>\$48.90</b>
21-Aug	6	5	LADY'S COMET	Jackson	injured	Isbell	<b>\$65.00</b>
	8	10	MARK A STAR	Moger	sick	Isbell	<b>\$1,186.02</b>

**VETERINARY REPORT**

**Euthanized / Died** 08-17-11 Princess Jeremy (Tr. Roger Stein) comminuted and closed pelvic fracture; training, dirt (Pleasanton)

**Veterinarian's List** There were six (6) horses placed on the vet's list:

- Sick: 2
- Injured: 1
- Unsound: 3

There were twenty-five (25) horses removed from the vet's list:

Sick: 14

Injured: 9

Unsound: 2

**Shockwave Therapy:** There was one (1) shockwave therapy treatment reported.

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

Anderson	53	\$15,629.20
Bakersfield	242	\$53,542.10
Ferndale		\$78,904.60
Fresno	258	\$51,423.00
Fresno Club One	40	\$24,369.00
Monterey	224	\$74,357.90
Pleasanton	1130	\$360,788.20
Sacramento	730	\$276,454.80
San Jose	1375	\$354,367.40
San Mateo	2142	\$758,630.30
Santa Rosa	505	\$106,299.20
Stockton	588	\$151,744.60
Tulare	125	\$33,733.70
Turlock	252	\$71,714.30
Vallejo	530	\$171,287.80
So. California		\$1,037,074.40
Out of State		\$2,333,800.58

	<b>19- Aug</b>	<b>20- Aug</b>	<b>21- Aug</b>	<b>WEEK</b>	<b>Meet</b>
ACCIDENTS	0	0	0	<b>0</b>	<i>0</i>
CAL-BRED RACES	0	0	0	<b>0</b>	<i>0</i>
CLAIMS	4	2	4	<b>10</b>	<i>10</i>
DISQUALIFICATIONS	0	0	0	<b>0</b>	<i>0</i>
INQUIRIES/OBJECTIONS	0	0	1	<b>1</b>	<i>1</i>
REFUNDS	2	0	3	<b>5</b>	<i>5</i>
RULINGS	0	1	0	<b>1</b>	<i>1</i>

Respectfully submitted,

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**Dennis Nevin, Steward**

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**John B. Herbuveaux, Steward**

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**Darrel McHargue, Steward**

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