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REPORT OF THE BOARD OF STEWARDS
HOLLYWOOD PARK RACING ASSOCIATION
Hollywood Park

To the California Horse Racing Board

- Honorable Arnold Schwarzenegger, Governor
- Honorable Richard B. Shapiro, Chairman
- Honorable John C Harris, Vice Chairman
- Honorable John Andreini, Member
- Honorable Jesse H. Choper, Member
- Honorable Bo Derek, Member
- Honorable David Israel, Member
- Honorable Jerome S. Moss, Member

Kirk E. Breed, Executive Director
Richard "Bon" Smith, Assistant Executive Director

For the period: Wednesday, October 29, 2008 through Sunday, November 02, 2008.

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MINUTES – FIRST WEEK of HOLLYWOOD PARK AUTUMN MEETING

- GENERAL DATA:** HOLLYWOOD PARK FALL RACING ASSOCIATION
P.O. Box 369
Inglewood, CA 90306-0369
- Telephone number of association
(310) 419-1500 <http://www.hollywoodpark.com>
- DATES:** October 29, 2008 – December 21, 2008 (40 days)
- POST TIME:** Post time for the first race Wednesday through Sunday 12:30PM except
Special Racing – Thanksgiving, Thursday 11/27 post 11:00AM;
Fridays 11/7, 11/14, 11/21 post 7:05PM. Dark – Mondays and Tuesdays
- SCRATCH TIME:** 10:00 A.M. day prior to race day
- WAGERING:** \$.10 Superfecta, \$1 Exacta, \$1 Trifecta, \$1 Pick-3, \$1 Pick-4, \$1 Place Pick All, \$2
Win, Place and Show, \$2 Daily Double, \$2 Quinella, \$2 Parlay, \$2 Pick 6, \$1
Super High Five

AUXILIARY STABLES: Santa Anita Park, Fairplex Park, and San Luis Rey Downs.

STEWARDS: Albert Christiansen, Kim Sawyer, Randy Winick
Luis Jauregui, Assistant Steward

RACING OFFICIALS: Racing Secretary: Martin Panza
Assistant Racing Secretaries: Daniel J. Eidson, Richard Wheeler
Kevin Colosi, Placing Judge
Heather Correa, Patrol Judge
Robert Moreno, Placing Judge
Ken Goldberg, Paddock Judge, Patrol Judge
Zachary Soto, Placing Judge
Ruben Hernandez, Clerk of Scales/ Film Room
Charles McCaul, Assistant Clerk of Scales
Gary Brinson, Starter
Lisa Jones, Clerk of the Course
Tim Connor, D.V.M., Official Veterinarian representing the C.H.R.B.
Jill Bailey, D.V.M., Racing Veterinarian representing Hollywood Park
Jennifer Paige, Horse Identifier
Louis Damore, Plater Inspector

ADMINISTRATION: F. Jack Liebau, President, Hollywood Park
Eual Wyatt, Jr., Vice President & General Manager
Barbara Helm, Vice President - Finance
Dyan Grealish, Vice President – Sales & Marketing
Martin Panza, Vice President Racing
Bernie Thurman, Vice President
Don Barney, Director of Security
Clen Bounds, Property Manager
Pete Criswell, RTCA Chaplain
Bernie Eastridge, Turf Course Superintendent
Diane Hudak, Horsemen's Liaison
Russell Hudak, Timer, Morning Line Maker
Dal Jones, Director of Marketing
Michael P. Mooney, Director of Publicity
Dennis Moore, Track Surface Consultant
Robert D. Poole, Director of Pari-Mutuels
Roger Roman, Director of Broadcasting
Mark Tomes, Plant Superintendent
Cole Younger, Manager of Operations
Susan Winter, Paymaster of Purses
Bob Benoit & Associates, Inc., Track Photographer
Jay Cohen, Horn blower
Vic Stauffer, Track Announcer
Plusmic USA, Photo Finish
Kerlan – Jobe Orthopedic, Jockey's Physician

SUNDAY
10/26/08¹

ENTRIES

Steward Kim Sawyer presided as double entries were taken at the racing office on the back side. One hundred twenty nine horses filled each eight race program for the first two days of racing at Hollywood Parks' fall meet.

TUESDAY
10/28/08¹

ENTRIES AND SCRATCHES

There were no notable issues to report from the racing office as Steward Sawyer attended morning entries and scratches.

WEDNESDAY
10/29/08¹

OPENING DAY

Office matters for Opening Day were fairly routine in nature. Stewards Christiansen, Sawyer, and Winick met with several licensees' as well as Hollywood Park personnel on various minor issues. All business was consistent with returning to a venue that has been closed for several months.

10/29/08²

DESIGNATED RACES

The Stewards published the list of designated races for the meeting, which includes all graded races.

10/29/08³

RACING PROGRAM

Racing on opening day went smoothly and there were no reportable incidents.

10/29/08⁴

DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS

3rd Race #1 Eileen's Violet (IRE) (Tr. C. Dollase) pulled up, vanned off (turf)
#2 Kayd Kodaun (IRE) (Tr. P. Gallagher) jockey G.Gomez replaced A. Solis(sick)

4th Race #4 Wink and Nod (Tr. M. Polanco) veterinarian scratch, sick – Dr. Bailey
Refund \$202.00; Minus Pool \$367.25

6th Race #3 Black Eyed Lady (Tr. E.G. Harty) veterinarian scratch, sick – Dr. Connor
Refund \$689.60

7th Race #1 America's Friend (Tr. B. Abrams) jockey J. Valdivia replaced A. Solis

10/29/08⁵

DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	3,446	690,735.90
Inter-track	4,425	1,673,892.10
Out of state & Satellites	n/a	2,947,951.80
Total	7,871	\$5,312,579.80

THURSDAY
10/30/08¹

CAL-BRED REPORT

There are two races on today's card for Cal-Bred runners. The second race on the program is for allowance maidens, three years old and upward at one mile and one sixteenth, with a field of six. The fourth event of the afternoon is a maiden claiming \$40,000 race at seven furlongs with six three year olds going postward after 3 scratches.

10/30/08²

HOLLYWOOD ADW SIGNAL LIMITED - PURSES CUT

A stalemate between California horsemen and advance deposit wagering companies resulted in Hollywood Park's ADW signal being restricted to residents of California only.

Hollywood Park management, expecting a drop in handle due to the dispute, immediately announced a 6.25% cut in overnight purses for the 40 day fall meet, effective November 2, 2008. This reduction is in addition to a previously announced overnight purse slice of about 7% enacted prior the start of the meet, made in anticipation of lower revenue due to the ailing economic situation. The horsemen and Hollywood Park had reached an agreement on October 10th allowing operation of the meet, but left the issue of host fees for interstate ADW open.

10/30/08³

MEETING WITH JOCKEYS

Today we had the traditional Stewards meeting with the Hollywood Park jockey colony before the first race to review our expectations of them and to open a dialogue. Safe riding, film reviews, and reporting on time to the walking ring were among the topics discussed. The riders were positive and upbeat overall, knowing full well what the Stewards require in their day to day performance.

10/30/08⁴

AFTERNOON RACING

Today's events were contested without mishap.

10/30/08⁵

DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS

3rd Race #3 Stroppy – Claimed, Tr. J. Alcala
Refund \$267.00

4th Race #3 Chimi's Nugget (Tr. V. Garcia) veterinarian, sick – Dr. Connor
#5 Soul On Ice (Tr. L. Lewis) veterinarian, injured – Dr. Connor
Refund \$876.72; Minus Pool \$4,415.00

6th Race #6 Monica C C (Tr. S. Gonzalez) jockey C. Sutherland replaced S. Figueroa (sick)
#9 Angel Wreath (Tr. L. Lewis) veterinarian, sick- Dr. Connor

7th Race #4 Matty's G Force (Tr. J. Metz) veterinarian, sick – Dr. Connor
#6 Cee Bargara (GB) (Tr. D. Hendricks) jockey J. Talamo replaced A.Solis (sick)
Refund \$197.81

8th Race #1 Las Vegas Lucky (Tr. D. Montes) veterinarian, sick – Dr. Connor
#5 Si Se Puede (Tr. J. Alcala) jockey L. Contreras replaced S. Figueroa
Refund \$227.90

10/30/08⁶

DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	2,624	600,035.90
Inter-track	4,283	1,716,276.40
Out of state & Satellites	n/a	3,174,482.62
Total	6,907	\$5,490,794.92

FRIDAY

10/31/08¹

CAL-BRED REPORT

The sixth race on Friday's card is for California Bred maidens to be run at six furlongs on the main track. A field of eight is scheduled to go postward.

10/31/08²

STEWARDS OFFICE

Only routine business was conducted this morning in the Stewards office.

10/31/08³

RACING PROGRAM

Afternoon racing this Friday was completed without incident.

10/31/08⁴

DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS

2rd Race #6 Uncle Jeep – Claimed, Tr. M. Mitchell

3rd Race #1 Real Lift – Claimed, Tr. J. Mullins

#6 Turks Rebecca (Tr. J. Mendoza) jockey B. Blanc replaced P. Arambula (sick)

#7 Red Neck Gal – Claimed, Tr. J. Mullins

6th Race #2 Arrogant Carson (Tr. J. Mendoza) veterinarian, injured – Dr. Bailey

#6 Captain Quick (Tr. M. Harrington) veterinarian, injured – Dr. Bailey

Refund \$1,037.76; Minus Pool \$619.73

7th Race #1 Dadsalittleunusual – Claimed, Tr. M. Mitchell

8th Race #5 Turks Heart (Tr. J. Mendoza) jockey J. Contreras replaced P. Arambula

#6 Earlynredhot (Tr. S. Gonzalez) jockey T. Baze replaced S. Figueroa (sick)

#11 Rainbows at Aloha (Tr. P. Schiewe) jockey E. Gomez replaced I. Enriquez (sick)

#16 Ms. Paint It Black (Tr. D. Shidaker) also eligible, Stewards

Refund \$49.00

10/31/08⁵

DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	2,416	668,340.50
Inter-track	4,417	1,995,396.80
Out of state & Satellites	n/a	4,109,920.80
Total	6,833	\$6,773,958.18

SATURDAY

11/01/08¹

CAL-BRED REPORT

Today’s racing will include one California Bred event. The second race is for maiden allowance two year old fillies, going six and one half furlongs. A field of eight is entered.

11/01/08²

GLATT HEARING (CASE #08SA0166)

Trainer Mark Glatt was in for an informal hearing to address the above referenced financial complaint brought by groom Rene Herrarte for non-payment of services rendered. Mr. Glatt produced documentary evidence along with a witness, foreman Tello Gutierrez, to substantiate his claim that he had paid Mr. Herrarte in full for the time he worked with no further compensation owed. Foreman Gutierrez also stated that Mr. Herrarte was not employed at this time. Mr. Herrarte offered one witness for his defense, however his testimony was weak. The Stewards deliberated over this matter and came to the conclusion that the evidence supported Mr. Glatt and dismissed this case in his favor.

11/01/08³

TRUMAN RULING (CASE #08SA157)

The Stewards issued the following ruling after trainer Eddie Truman was contacted by telephone and waived his right to a hearing, in regard to the above referenced complaint. Mr. Truman stated that a mistake was made by his groom giving additional bute in the afternoon feed after the veterinarian had already given an intravenous injection that morning. Mr. Truman accepted his responsibility in this matter and indicated he would take preventative measures to avoid a recurrence.

HRTH Ruling #001

Trainer **EDDIE TRUMAN**, who worked the horse "What's Important" at Santa Anita on September 25, 2008 for removal from the Veterinarian's List, is fined FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$500.00)* pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rules #1866 (Veterinarian's List) and #1887 (Trainer to Insure Condition of Horse) for violation of California Horse Racing Board rules #1843 (d) (Medication, Drugs and Other Substances - Phenylbutazone in excess of permitted level).

11/01/08⁴

SATURDAY RACING

Today's racing program was conducted without any significant incidents.

11/01/08⁵

DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS

5th Race #5 E M Squared (Tr. E. Guillot) veterinarian, injured gate – Dr. Bailey
Refund \$169,463.64

6th Race #2 General Zee (Tr. R. Baltas) veterinarian, unsound – Dr. Bailey
#3 True Freedom (Tr. S. Knapp) veterinarian, sick – Dr. Bailey
Refund \$871.68

7th Race #5 Isabella Monique (Tr. D. Hofmans) jockey R. Bejarano replaced I. Puglisi (injured)

11/01/08⁶

DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	5,485	1,445,791.40
Inter-track	7,863	3,468,391.50
Out of state & Satellites	n/a	6,254,704.20
Total	13,348	\$11,168,887.10

SUNDAY

11/02/08¹

CAL-BRED REPORT

The ninth race for today is a California-Bred two year old maiden \$40,000 claiming affair to be contested at six and one-half furlongs with a full field of fourteen scheduled to go postward.

11/02/08²

BLACK RULING

HRTH #002

Trainer **KENNETH BLACK**, pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rules #1489 (h) (Grounds for Denial or Refusal of License), is required to undergo an evaluation by the Winner's Foundation and abide by the terms set forth by that organization. Mr. Black is further ordered to enter into a testing agreement with the California Horse Racing Board and his license will be considered probationary for its term.

The ruling referenced above was issued belatedly regarding a hearing which took place at Oak Tree Racing Association on October 3, 2008 with trainer Black.

11/02/08³

CHO RULING

HRTH #003

Trainer **MYUNG CHO**, who worked the horse "Double Galore" at Santa Anita on October 2, 2008 for removal from the Veterinarian's List, is fined FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$500.00)* pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rules #1866 (Veterinarian's List) and #1887 (Trainer to Insure Condition of Horse) for violation of California Horse Racing Board rules #1843 (d) (Medication, Drugs and Other Substances - Flunixin in excess of permitted level).

This ruling was published after an informal hearing with trainer Cho. Mr. Cho disclosed that his barn foreman mistakenly treated his horse the night before a scheduled work for removal from the vet list. He assured the board this was a mistake he would not make again.

11/02/08⁴

CHARLTON RULING

HRTH #004

Jockey **CHERYL CHARLTON** is fined ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100.00)* for violation of California Horse Racing Board rules #1872 (Failure to Fulfill Jockey Agreement) on October 22, 2008.

Ruling #4 was issued to sanction Ms. Charlton after she neglected to take off a mount she was named on, then failed to fulfill her riding engagement at Oak Tree. Ms. Charlton's explanation was that she was unaware of the engagement. The Stewards advised her that it is the rider's responsibility to check the overnights and take off at the proper time, if desired.

11/02/08⁵

SUTHERLAND IN TO SEE STEWARDS

Jockey Chantal Sutherland appeared as requested by the Stewards to explain her tardiness to the walking ring for Friday's first race. Her actions caused the post parade to be held up and the horses went onto the track out of numerical order. Ms. Sutherland said she had a personal problem and additionally, there is no bell to warn the female riders when it is time to leave the jockey's quarters for the paddock. In a majority vote, (Kim Sawyer dissented), the Stewards gave the rider a warning. Jockey Sutherland was advised she must be more aware of her duties or a sanction would be forthcoming.

11/02/08⁶

DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS

2 nd Race	#3 Najrana (Tr. W. Solis) veterinarian, unsound – Dr. Bailey Refund \$720.66
4 th Race	#1 Ashton Girl (Tr. P. Gallagher) veterinarian, sick, - Dr. Connor Refund \$2,193.80
5 th Race	#1 Ann's Plan (Tr. B. Spawr) veterinarian, injured gate – Dr. Bailey Refund \$111,506.44
6 th Race	#8 Acting Lady (Tr. D. O'Neill) veterinarian, sick- Dr. Bailey Refund \$693.64
7 th Race	#4 Taxi Fleet –Claimed, Tr. J. Hollendorfer #5 Austie – Claimed, Tr. W.E. Morey Refund \$522.40

8th Race #1 Exquisite (Tr. P. Gallagher) veterinarian, sick – Dr. Connor
 Refund \$1,694.92

11/02/08⁵

DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	5,599	1,509,673.00
Inter-track	7,934	3,174,996.20
Out of state & Satellites	n/a	5,274,095.52
Total	13,533	\$9,958,764.72

Additions/Removals from Vet List

Week of: 10-27-08 – 11-02-08

Track: Hollywood

Horses on Vet List: 20
 Horses off Vet List: 12
 Shockwave Therapy: 30
 Deceased: 01
 Medication: 09

SUMMARY

	Oct 29	Oct 30	Oct 31	Nov 01	Nov 02		Week	Meet
Accidents	0	0	0	0	0		0	0
Cal-Bred Races	0	2	1	1	1		5	5
Claims	0	0	4	0	2		6	6
Disqualifications	0	0	0	0	0		0	0
Inquiries	0	0	0	0	0		0	0
Refunds	2	4	2	2	6		16	16
Rulings	0	0	0	1	3		4	4

Respectfully submitted,

Randy Winick, Steward

Albert Christiansen, Steward

Kim Sawyer, Steward