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Report for the Week of Tuesday, April 30, 2024 through Sunday, May 05, 2024.

TUESDAY04/30/24¹**POST TIME AMJUSTMENT**

Watch and Wager General Manager Chris Schick requested a post time change for closing night due to an expected increase in the number of races since we are only racing one night on closing weekend. California Horse Racing Board Executive Director approved the request.

04/30/24²**ENTRY DAY**

Steward **Rod Newhart** was present for entries for Friday, May 3rd (closing night). One hundred twelve (112) horses were entered with one hundred three (103) drawing in. There are Thirteen (13) races scheduled for Friday with the amended post time of 6:00 PM.

WEDNESDAY05/01/24¹**CHANGES**

Steward **Rod Newhart** was present to take changes for Friday, May 3rd with some driver changes and three (3) declarations: 7th Race- #9 REAGAN BLUE CHIP- trainer Nathalie Tremblay-Injured- Dr. Lane Schloeder; 11th Race- #10 ALIEN ANT FARM- Trainer Ryan Grundy-Injured- Dr. Lane Schloeder and the 12th Race- #5 WHAT CHEER- Tainer Nick Roland- Not Eligible-Stewards.

THURSDAY05/02/24¹**SUBMISSION OF PROPOSED DECISION**

Steward John Yinger finished writing the "Submission of Proposed Decision" regarding Complaint #24SW0002 and the positive test for TCO2 against Trainer Jennifer Sabot. The Stewards discussed, signed and submitted the proposal to the full CHRB board.

05/02/24²**SCHEDULED HEARING**

A hearing was scheduled for Complaint #24SW0011 regarding the positive test finding on JACK RABBIT SLIMS- Trainer Luke Plano- for "Triamcinolone Acetonide, a Class 4. Penalty C violation. JACK RABBIT SLIMS who finished 3rd in the 10th race on March 3, 2024. Trainer

Plano appeared with a couple general topical medications that may have caused the positive test finding. Ruling to follow.

05/02/24³

SCHEDULED HEARING

A hearing was held for Complaint #24SW0017 against trainer Jose Castillo for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1842.5 (Trainer to Maintain Medication Treatment Records). Trainer Castillo did not appear as he signed a "Waiver of Appearance".

FRIDAY

05/03/24¹

TRAINER WAIVER

Trainer Darryl Cutting, trainer of record of GO WITH FLO who finished 1st in the 2nd race on April 7, 2024 who tested positive for DMSO, a Class 4 Penalty C violation, waived his right to Proper Notice of complaint #24SW0018 and also waived his right to a hearing. Ruling to follow.

05/03/24²

RULINGS WRITTEN

CE Ruling # 53

Cal Expo Trainer Jose Castillo is hereby fined the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1842.5 (Trainer to Maintain Medical Treatment Records).

CE RULING # 54

Cal Expo Trainer Luke Plano was the trainer of record of #7 JACK RABBIT SLIMS who finished third in the 10th race on Sunday March 3, 2024. The University of California Davis Maddy Lab tested the blood sample #PR01280 which revealed the presence of Triamcinolone Acetonide, a Class 4, Penalty C Violation. Mr. Plano is hereby fined the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rules #1843 (a)(b) and (d), #1843.1(a) and #1887(a).

CE RULING #55

Cal Expo Trainer Darryl Cutting was the trainer of record of #3 GO WITH FLO who finished first in the 2nd race on Sunday, April 7, 2024. The University of California Davis Maddy Lab tested the blood sample #PR01444 which revealed the presence of Dimethylsulfoxide, a Class 4, Penalty C Violation. Mr. Cutting is hereby fined the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1843.1(b), #1844(d)(3) and #1887(a). Mr. Cutting waived his right of proper notice and also waived his right to appear.

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DECLARATIONS, CHANGES & REFUNDS

2 nd Race	#5 BUNKERHILL PHIL - Trainer Gerald Longo-Scratched-Injured-Dr. Lane Schloeder. REFUND: \$85.69
8 th Race	#2 DT PET ATTACK- Trainer Rick Cisco- Scratched- Sick- Dr. Eduardo De La Cruz. Refund: \$100.00
8 th Race	#8 MACHET TIME- Trainer Richard Bertrand-Scratched- Injured- Dr. Lane Schloeder. Refund: \$134.31
12 th Race	#4 EYES DON'T LIE- Trainer Riley Asher-Stalbaum-Scratched- Injured- Dr. Lane Schloeder. Refund \$322.43

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RACE DAY

Thirteen (13) races were scheduled under the Watch and Wager banner with the amended scheduled post time of 6:00 PM over a track rated "Fast".

3rd Race Late Declaration- The Stewards were informed by State Veterinarian Dr. Eduardo De La Cruz of a late scratch- #1 WITCH HUNTER – Trainer Richard Schneider- Injured. This was given to the stewards prior to the post parade so there was no reason for a delay in the start of the race. Refund: \$318.41

4th Race Whipping Violation- Driver BRETT ERICKSON who drove #1 TREASURE HORIZON- Trainer- Rene Goulet- that he was being fined two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00) for violation of the California Horse Racing Board Whipping Rule E1734(b)(8). This was his second whipping offense during the meet. Ruling to follow.

6th Race Sire Stakes- The 6th race was a California Sire Stakes Final for Four Year Old Pacing Horses and Geldings. Four (4) horses went postward for a purse of Fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00). These horses were required to report to the detention barn by noon.

9th Race Sire Stakes- The 9th Race was a California Sire Stakes Final for Four Year Old Pacing Mares. Seven (7) Females went postward for a purse of Fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00). These horses were required to report to the detention barn by noon.

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RULING WRITTEN

CE Ruling # 56

Cal Expo Driver BRETT ERICKSON, who drove #1 TREASURE HORIZON in the fourth race on Friday, May 3, 2024, is hereby fined the sum of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00) for violation of the California Horse Racing Board Whipping Rule #1734(b)(8) (Use of the whip more than six times during a race, excluding showing or waving the whip). Second offense within the Cal Expo racing season.

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DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

ON TRACK	400	\$40,822.00
SCOTWINC	N/A	\$357,562.40
OUT OF STATE + ADW	N/A	\$585,965.25
TOTAL	400	\$984,349.65

SATURDAY

05/04/24¹

DARK DAY

SUNDAY

05/05/24¹

DARK DAY

SUMMARY

	Fri 5/03	Sat 5/04	Sun 5/05	Week	Meet
Accidents	0	0	0	0	0
Cal-Bred Races	0	0	0	0	0
Claims	0	0	0	0	0
Disqualifications	0	0	0	0	4
Inquiries	1	0	0	1	16
Refunds	1	0	1	2	49
Rulings	4	0	0	4	56
Voided Claims	0	0	0	0	0

Rod Newhart, Steward

John Yinger, Steward

Steve Carpenito, Steward

BOS:RN:tw