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Report for Tuesday, October 13, 2026, through Sunday, October 18, 2026.

TUESDAY
10/13/26¹

ENTRY DAY

Santa Anita Director of Racing Jason Egan and his staff were on duty today putting together a racing card for Sunday October 16. Nine (9) races were drawn by veteran racing officials Charles McCaul and Robert Moreno. Sixty-eight (68) horses are scheduled to start. Steward Kim Sawyer was on duty, handling all matters for the CHRB.

FRIDAY
10/16/26¹

KYLE FREY FILM REVIEW

Jockey Kyle Frey appeared in the Stewards' Office to review his ride in the second race on Monday October 12, 2026. In this 6 ½ furlongs turf event, Jockey Frey finished second aboard #6 Fuzzy Stare. Today's review shows that Jockey Frey employed his riding crop several times in the stretch drive of this race. He agreed with the Stewards analysis of today's video replay. It has been approximately eight (8) months since Jockey Frey has had a similar violation. In a unanimous decision the following HISA Ruling was issued.

HISA RULING #2026-22236

Having violated the Horseracing Integrity and Safety Authority Rule #2280 (Use of Riding Crop) and pursuant to Horseracing Integrity and Safety Authority Rule #2282 (Ruling Crop Violations and Penalties - Class 3), Jockey KYLE FREY, who rode FUZZY STARE in the second race (Purse \$35,000) at Santa Anita Park on October 12, 2026, is suspended for ONE (1) day (October 30, 2026) and fined TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS (\$250.00) for ONE (1) strike over the limit.

Pursuant to California Horse Racing Board #1766 (Designated Races), the term of suspension shall not prohibit participation in designated races.

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HIWU DISQUALIFICATION RULING

The Carla Gaines trained Can't Sleep finished second in the \$100,000 Daisycutter Handicap that was held July 25, 2026, at Del Mar. On October 14, our office received the following notification from HIWU.

The Del Mar Paymaster of Purses, Victoria Layne, will soon receive the official HIWU ruling/revised order of finish found below that has been memorialized by our office.

HIWU RULING #ECM2026-232

After receiving notice from Horseracing Integrity and Welfare Unit (HIWU), the following horse, CAN'T SLEEP, is disqualified for a positive test sample from Race 9 at Del Mar Racetrack on July 25, 2026, Case #ECM2026-232. The Consequences of Disqualification results included forfeiture of all purses and other compensation, prizes, trophies, points and rankings and repayment or surrender (as applicable) of such to the Race Organizer (ADMC Program Rule 3321 – Disqualification of the Covered Horse's Results).

It is further ordered that all purse monies earned or awarded to Owner HARRIS FARMS INC, Trainer CARLA GAINES and Jockey EMISAEEL JARAMILLO be returned to the Paymaster of Purses at Del Mar Racetrack on or before November 13, 2026, for redistribution.

Revised Order of Finish:

1ST AMORITA

2ND TAHINI

3RD PRINCESA MOCHE

4TH KUWAITYA (IRE)

5TH SARATOGA SPECIAL (IRE)

6TH RIPASSARE

7TH IMABOUTAGO (IRE)

10/16/26³

OFFICIAL CHANGE

Paddock Judge Jesus Calvillo Jr. is off this week for personal reasons. Stakes Coordinator James Kasparoff will "wear another hat" and perform the important duties of Paddock Judge and Patrol Judge for the three (3) days.

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CLAIM VOIDED – RACE 3

Third place finisher #7 Andtheomorthethebrave was claimed out of the third race for \$25,000.00. Following the cooling out period, CHRB Veterinarian Nolton Pattio reported this horse was unsound. Stewards voided this claim and this horse returned to the barn of original trainer Steve Knapp.

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GOOD RACING

Today's nine (9) race card went well as it was free of Stewards' inquiries and/or Jockey objections.

10/16/26⁶

DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS

1 st Race	#1 Letmein (Tr. M. Glatt) claimed, G. Papaprodromou, trainer
	#5 Miles Finch (Tr. J. Sadler) claimed, J. Bonde, trainer
	#8 Luck Lucky (IRE) (Tr. P. D'Amato) claimed, I. Kruljac, trainer
2 nd Race	#3 Ima Track Star (Tr. T. Yakteen) claimed, S. Knapp, trainer
3 rd Race	#4 Scene by Me (Tr. M. Glatt) claimed, S. McCarthy, trainer

4th Race Declaration #4 Cotta ride (Tr. M. Glatt) Sick – Jay Deluhery DVM
REFUND: \$490.20

5th Race Declaration #8 Grandisimo (Tr. B. Cunningham) Late – Unsound- Jay
Deluhery DVM. REFUND: \$48,586.34

6th Race Declaration #8 Hungover (Tr. R. Hanson) Injured – Jay Deluhery DVM
REFUND: \$1,209.20

8th Race Declaration #6 Quick Up (Tr. J. Periban) Full Field – Stewards
REFUND: \$235.50

9th Race Declaration #6 Strike It Solo (Tr. B. McLean) Sick – Jay Deluhery
DVM. REFUND: \$990.58

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DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

ON TRACK	3,435	\$374,230.29
SCOTWINC	1,845	\$657,962.01
OUT OF STATE + ADW	n/a	\$5,098,112.64
TOTAL	5,280	\$6,490,828.53

SATURDAY STEWARDS CHANGE

10/17/26¹

Steward Grant Baker is off today, October 17, and tomorrow, October 18, for personal reasons. Steward Richard Lewis drove down from Northern California to replace him.

10/17/26²

FOURTH RACE STEWARDS' INQUIRY

The Stewards posted the Inquiry sign in order to review an incident before the finish line between first place finisher #6 Bear's Board (Armando Aguilar) and third place finisher #7 Springline (Armando Ayuso). Film review shows #6 Boar's Board drift out nearing the finish. The majority felt this action did not warrant a change in the original placings. Steward Jauregui dissented, voting for a disqualification from first to third position, in which the #7 was beaten by a nose for second position.

A patrol judge report and talk with both jockeys involved was conducted before the final decision.

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DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS

4th Race #1 Photogenic (Tr. L. Powell) claimed, S. Williams, trainer

4th Race Declaration #4 Sei Bella (Tr. J. Periban) Injured – Jay Deluhery DVM
REFUND: \$545.49

5th Race Declaration #4 Bottled in Bond (Tr. C. Gaines) Sick- Nolton Pattio
VMD. REFUND: \$1,707.77

7th Race #7 Trump Era (Tr. R. Hanson) claimed, S. Callaghan, trainer

9th Race Declarations #3 Zalamo (FR) (Tr. D. Pederson) Injured – Jay
Deluhery DVM

#8 Dhitjari (GB) (Tr. P. Miller) Owner didn't want to run – Stewards

#11 Mubtaclar (Tr. V. Cerin) Re-enter – Stewards

REFUND TOTAL: \$2,220.32

10/17/26⁴

DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

ON TRACK	6,910	\$674,267.20
SCOTWINC	3,106	\$1,133,474.66
OUT OF STATE + ADW	n/a	\$5,195,290.57
TOTAL	10,016	\$7,576,901.95

SUNDAY
10/18/26¹

PETER MILLER RULING

Trainer Peter Miller called the Stewards and said that his owner, Les Blake, did not want to run in today's ninth race. This scratch reduced the field to eight betting interests. Trainer Miller has had over a dozen Rule #1629 (Penalty for Late Declaration) violations in the last several years.

LATC RULING #13

Trainer PETER MILLER, who was scheduled to start DHITJARI (GB) in the ninth race on October 17, 2026, at Santa Anita Race Track, is fined FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$500.00)* for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1629 (Penalty for Late Declaration – owner didn't want to run).

*California Horse Racing Board Rule #1532 requires "that fines shall be paid (to the paymaster of purses) within seven calendar days from the date of the ruling, or the license of the person upon whom the fine has been imposed shall be suspended."

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RACE ONE – DEAD HEAT

A photo finish for fourth place was called for after the first race. After close examination by three (3) Stewards and two (2) placing judges, it was unanimously agreed upon that #3 Tonakitty (Edwin Maldonado) and #5 Banzal Betty (Kyle Frey) finished on equal terms for fourth place.

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3rd Race Declaration #3 Queen Bay (Tr. S. Callaghan) Unsound – Jay Deluhery DVM. REFUND: \$909.20
4th Race Declaration #4 Jack Fish (Tr. A. Garcia) Injured – Jay Deluhery DVM REFUND: \$229.30
4th Race #1 Supernal (Tr. R. Ellis) claimed, R. Hanson, trainer
8th Race Declarations #1 Hurricane Layla (Tr. A. Garcia) Unsound - Jay Deluhery DVM
#6 Pavel's Etoile (Tr. A. Garcia) Late – Injured – Nolton Pattio VMD
REFUND TOTAL: \$4,885.95

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DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

ON TRACK	5,609	\$560,141.94
SCOTWINC	2,643	\$786,303.94
OUT OF STATE + ADW	n/a	\$4,783,750.05
TOTAL	8,252	\$6,540,039.28

VETERINARIAN REPORT – WEEK OF 10/12/26 – 10/18/26

Horses on Vet List	18
Horses off Vet List	11
Shock Wave Therapy	9
Fatalities	1
Medication	0

SUMMARY

	Fri 10/16	Sat 10/17	Sun 10/18	Week	Meet
Accidents	0	0	0	0	0
Cal-Bred Races	4	2	3	9	35
Claims	5	3	1	9	30
Disqualifications	0	0	0	0	2
Inquiries	0	1	0	1	10
Refunds	8	7	8	23	98
Rulings	0	0	1	1	13
Voided Claims	1	0	0	1	5

Grant Baker, Steward

Kim Sawyer, Steward

Luis Jauregui, Steward

BOS:GB:sh