



Delaware Thoroughbred Racing Commission
Office of the Stewards

Daily Log
Stewards Report
Delaware Park

Date: Thursday, May 24, 2012
Weather: Partly Cloudy Mid 70's
Track - Fast Turf – None

Racing Day: # 7
1:15 post time

Approved scratches for today, filed veterinarian daily treatment sheets, and blood gas test results.

Equine Forensic Drug Testing

We received test clearances from Dalare Associates for Monday, May 14, Wednesday May 16, Saturday, May 19, and Monday, May 21, 2012.

Administrative

Associate Commission Veterinarian Richard Brown is substituting this afternoon for Associate Commission Veterinarian Kathleen Picciano.

We issued a trainer's test today for Assistant Trainer, Mr. Neil Crowther. The results of the test will be forthcoming; a score of seventy five percent or better is required to pass this test.

A hearing was held this morning concerning the scratch of the horse "Ebony Street," which was treated mistakenly with "SALIX" and who was entered in the seventh race on Saturday, May 12, 2012. Present for the hearing were: Dr. Susan Botts Salix Administration Veterinarian, Assistant Trainer, Mr. Lou Albertrani, and Test Barn Supervisor, Ms. Beverly Fowler. After hearing all testimony regarding this error, the Stewards issued a verbal reprimand to all parties involved. The Stewards also informed all parties that a future occurrence of this nature could result in possible monetary penalties.

NOTE: May 23rd report of the Stewards referenced a claim by a jockey that there were rocks on the racing surface. A thorough examination of the racing surface by track superintendent, Ken Brown, Executive Director of Racing, John Mooney, and staff revealed no evidence of rocks on the racing surface. The outriders also reported that there were no rocks on the racing surface.



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FIRST RACE – POST TIME – 1:15 pm. OFF TIME – 1:15 pm. ORDER OF FINISH – “1 - 3 - 6 - 2.”

SECOND RACE – POST TIME – 1:45 pm. OFF TIME – 1:46 pm. #1, “Gabby’s Miracle,” and #2, “Tatum Creek,” were scratched by the vet. #3, “Harbor Fox,” was selected for a blood gas test. We canceled Superfecta, Trifecta, and Show wagering for this race as we were below five betting interests. The #4, “Trippadeedooda,” ridden by Julian Pimentel, pulled up lame after the race and was examined by Associate Commission Veterinarian Jane Teichner, who said the horse was off slightly in the left front. Dr. Teichner requested the horse ambulance to transport the horse back to its stall. **ORDER OF FINISH – “6 - 3 - 5 - 4.”**

THIRD RACE – POST TIME – 2:15 pm. OFF TIME – 2:16 pm. ORDER OF FINISH – “1 - 5 - 6 - 3.”

FOURTH RACE – POST TIME – 2:45 pm. OFF TIME – 2:48 pm. #6, “Ferber,” was selected for a blood gas test. The #1, Skip to the North,” was claimed by Midwest Thoroughbreds Inc – Jamie Ness. The #4, “Rector,” was scratched in the post parade upon recommendation by Associate Commission Veterinarian, Richard Brown, for not warming up well. **ORDER OF FINISH – “1 - 3 - 5 - 2.”**

FIFTH RACE – POST TIME – 3:15 pm. OFF TIME – 3:18 pm. Hold and claim of foul by the #4, “Mach Twelve,” Javier Santiago, against the #7, “Our Bailiwick,” ridden by Abel Castellano Jr. for coming out in front of him causing him to have to alter his course. After interviewing the riders involved and reviewing the films of the race, it looked like the #7 was two lengths clear when he came out. **ORDER OF FINISH – “2 - 7 - 4 - 3.”**

SIXTH RACE – POST TIME – 3:45 pm. OFF TIME – 3:48 pm. The rider on the #3, “Daren,” Mr. Jonathan Joyce was changed to Mr. Abel Castellano Jr.; no double jocks mount. #8, “Bellamy’s Boss,” was selected for a blood gas test. #9, “Birdway,” was claimed by Nick Sanna Stable LLC – Michael Pino. The #6, “Just Ask Eric,” Alex Cintron pulled up lame after the race, was examined by Associate Commission Veterinarian Jane Teichner, who said the horse was sore. Dr. Teichner requested the horse ambulance transport the horse back to its stall. **ORDER OF FINISH – “9 - 1 - 7 - 8.”**

SEVENTH RACE – POST TIME – 4:16 pm. OFF TIME – 4:17 pm. #1a, “Escort,” was scratched as part of a same-owner entry. #6, “Smileforthecamera,” was a vet scratch. **ORDER OF FINISH – “2 - 4 - 7 – 1a.” INQUIRY TOP OF STRETCH –** Hold and claim of foul by the #4, Closing Vision,” Mr. Frankie Pennington, against the #7, “Grand Sensation,” Joe Rocco Jr. for coming in at the top of the stretch causing him to take up on his horse. After talking to the riders involved and reviewing the films of the race, it looked to us as though the #7 came in forcing the #4 in, causing him to bump the #2; this also required the #4 to check his horse. The #7, “Grand Sensation,” was disqualified from first and placed third behind the #4 who was moved up from third to second.



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EIGHTH RACE – ARABIANS - POST TIME – 4:45 pm. OFF TIME – 4:45 pm. #4,
“Secrets In Lace,” was selected for a blood gas test. **ORDER OF FINISH – “1 - 3 - 4 - 2.”**

Handle

Live \$ 39,494

Simulcast \$1,396,438

Total \$1,435,932

Stewards

Jack Houghton Jr.

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