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Report for the Week of Tuesday, June 7, 2022, through Sunday, June 12, 2022.**TUESDAY**6/7/22¹**ENTRY PANEL**

Safety Steward **Richard Lewis** participated on the entry review panel today for the racing card on Friday, June 10, 2022. He was joined by **Dr. Dionne Benson** and **Dr. Mark Christian**.

WEDNESDAY6/8/22¹**ENTRY DAY**

Steward **Dennis Nevin** was on duty today overseeing entries for Saturday, June 11, 2022. Ten (10) races will be carded for this final Saturday program of the meet. Seventy-six (76) horses are scheduled to start.

THURSDAY6/9/22¹**ENTRY DAY**

Entries for closing day (Sunday, June 12) of this nearly six (6) month meet were taken in the racing office. Steward **Dennis Nevin** was on duty overseeing all matters for the California Horse Racing Board. Racing Secretary **Steve Martinelli** finished the meet strong by filling ten (10) races. Seventy-three (73) horse are scheduled to face Starter **Todd Stephens**.

FRIDAY6/10/22¹**STATE VETERINARIAN CHANGE**

California Horse Racing Board Veterinarian **Forrest Franklin** is off today and tomorrow. **Dr. Diane Isbell** will fill in both days. **Dr. Isbell** formerly served as the examining track veterinarian here at Golden Gate Fields for thirty-one (31) years.

6/10/22²

RACING OFFICIAL CHANGE

Placing Judge **Morgann Schlessner** is off today for personal reasons. Racing Secretary **Steve Martinelli** is filling in today.

6/10/22³

SEVENTH RACE DELAY

Prior to the start of this one (1) mile turf race #8 **Rosabella (Evin Roman)** reared in the starting gate and became cast. She was recommended to be a late scratch by Track Veterinarian **Casille Batten**. Starter **Todd Stephens** and his able crew of Assistant Starters patiently worked with #8 **Rosabella** to get her back on her feet. **Rosabella** walked off the turf course uninjured. Post time for this race was 4:36 p.m. The field was dispatched at 4:48 p.m.

6/10/22⁴

RACING DAY

There were no Stewards' inquiries and/or jockey objections for today's nine (9) race card.

6/10/22⁵

DECLARATIONS, CHANGES & REFUNDS

1ST Race Declaration #1 **Shanghai Wild Cat** (Tr. **B. Galvin**) Reared in Gate – Late - **Casille Batten** DVM. Refund: \$25,767.50

1ST Race Cancel #1 Rolling Super High Five

1ST Race #5 **Ray Of The Sea** (Tr. **S. Miyadi**) Claimed, **D. Franko**, trainer – Voided - lame

#7 **Proof Of Reality** (Tr. **E. Jackson**) Claimed, **L. Eckstrom**, trainer

4TH Race #1 **Great Story** (Tr. **J. Wong**) Claimed, **V. Trujillo**, trainer

#4 **Diamond Ranger** (Tr. **S. Sherman**) Claimed, **J. Steiner**, trainer

#5 **Mr. Mischief** (Tr. **S. Sherman**) Claimed, **J. Fuentes**, trainer

#6 **Mileys Bluecat** (Tr. **T. Mc Canna**) Claimed, **D. Franko**, trainer - Void - unsound

5TH Race #8 **Frosty Dolce** (Tr. **J. Wong**) Injured - **Casille Batten** DVM. Refund: \$269.58

7TH Race Declaration #8 **Rosabella** (Tr. **S. Sherman**) Reared in Gate – Late

Refunds \$40,867.93

8TH Race Declaration #2 **El Berrinches** (Tr. **J. Ramos**) Injured - **Karen Hassan** DVM

Refund: \$92.08

6/10/22⁶

DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	377	\$185,957.40
Out of state	n/a	\$1,895,281.63
SCOTWinc	n/a	\$255,908.44
Total	1,330	\$2,771,081.03

SATURDAY

6/11/22¹

EVIN ROMAN FILM REVIEW

Jockey **Evin Roman** appeared in the Stewards office to review his ride in yesterday's (June 10) eighth race. Jockey **Roman** was aboard #7 **Ikigai** who finished second after a 'photo finish' was requested by the placing judges. Today's film review shows #7 **Ikigai** begin to drift out in the final one hundred yards of this race. During this drift Jockey **Roman** continues to employ the left-hand use of his riding crop. This led to significant contact (bump) with the eventual winner #8 **Proof He Rides (Pedro Terrero)**.

The Stewards were of the unanimous opinion that this was a careless ride as defined in California Horse Racing Board Rule #1699 (Riding Rules). Jockey **Roman** did not disagree with the Stewards in the interpretation of events and the following ruling was issued.

Ruling #67

Jockey **Evin Roman** who rode **Ikigai** in the eighth race at Golden Gate Fields on Friday, June 10, 2022, is suspended three (3) racing days June 18, 19 & 24, 2022 for failure to maintain a straight course in the stretch and causing interference; a violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1699 (Riding Rules-Careless Riding).

6/11/22²

OFFICIAL CHANGE

Placing Judge **Morgann Schlessner** is off today for personal reasons. Racing Secretary **Steve Martinelli** is filling in.

6/11/22³

FIFTH RACE INQUIRY/DISQUALIFICATION

The Stewards posted the Inquiry sign after viewing an incident in the stretch drive of this 5 ½ furlong main track (Tapeta) event. Film review of this race shows fourth place finisher #3 **Bacalar (Adrian Gonzalez**)** drift out approaching the 1/16th pole. This action forces sixth (last) place finisher #7 **Rosarita Carmelita (Jose Rodriquez**)** to 'check' sharply to avoid the heels of #3 **Bacalar**.

The Stewards reviewed all camera angles of the incident, received a patrol judge report, and spoke to both of the Apprentice Jockey's involved. In a unanimous decision #3 **Bacalar** was disqualified and placed sixth (last). Apprentice Jockey **Adrian Martinez** was ordered to film review with the Stewards.

Original Order of finish 8 – 6 – 4 – **3** – 2 - 7

Official Order of finish 8 – 6 – 4 – 2 – 7 - **3**

6/11/22⁴

SIXTH RACE INQUIRY/DISQUALIFICATION

The Stewards posted the Inquiry sign after viewing an incident inside the 1/8th mile marker. This race was contested at one (1) mile on the main track. The Stewards were concerned about the actions of three (3) horses.

- A. #1 **Mogollon Rim (Santos Rivera)** - 4TH Place
- B. #6 **Smiling At Val (Julien Couton)** – 5TH Place
- C. #4 **Cat Gamer (Jose Rodriquez**)** – 6TH Place

Film review of this incident shows #6 **Smiling At Val** drift in just inside the 1/8th pole. This action causes two (2) horses to 'steady' along the inside rail while racing in tight quarters.

The Stewards received a patrol judge report, reviewed all camera angles of the incident, and spoke to all jockeys involved. In a unanimous decision #6 **Smiling At Val** was disqualified and placed sixth.

Original Order of Finish 3 – 2 – 7 – 1 – **6** – 4 – 5

Official Order of Finish 3 - 2 – 7 – 1 – 4 – **6** - 5

6/11/22⁵

DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS

2ND Race #3 **Exceed Speed Limit** (Tr. **S. Sherman**) Claimed, **M. McCarthy**, trainer

3RD Race Declaration # 7 **Callmemarthajane** (Tr. **J. Wong**) Entry Panel - Stewards

Refund: \$414.16

3RD Race Cancel \$1 Rolling Super High Five

4TH Race #4 **Miss Flawless** (FR) (Tr. **E. Truman**) Claimed, **J. Steiner**, trainer

5TH Race Declaration #1 **Unbridle The Wild** (Tr. **B. Galvin**) Sick – **Mike Parker** DVM

#5 **Funky Grey** (Tr. **S. Miyadi**) Sick – **Mike Parker** DVM

Refund Total: \$296.46

5TH Race Cancel \$1 Rolling Super High Five

7TH Race #7 **Silk Road Sally** (Tr. **F. Rondan**) Sick – **Karen Hassan** DVM. Refund: \$186.90

8TH Race #6 **One Silk Stocking** (Tr. **Doug O'Neil**) Unsound – **Karen Hassan** DVM

Refunds: \$359.84

8TH Race Cancel \$1 Rolling Super High Five Wagering

9TH Race #7 **Perfectionistic** (Tr. **A. Mathis**) Unsound – **Karen Hassan** DVM. Refund: \$551.20

10TH Race Declaration #5 **Kiwi's Dream** (AUS) (**V. Trujillo**) Unsound – **Karen Hassan** DVM

Refund: \$793.80

10TH Race Jockey Change #1 **Vantage Point F. Duran** for **F. Alvarado**–Took off in post parade.

6/11/22⁶

DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	1,243	\$513,278.10
Out of state	n/a	\$1,622,633.05
SCOTWinc	n/a	\$408,037.04
Total	3,628	\$3,732,148.75

SUNDAY
6/12/22¹

FRANK ALVARADO VISIT

Jockey **Frank Alvarado** appeared in our office this morning. Jockey **Alvarado** was scheduled to ride #1 **Vantage Point** in yesterday's (June 11) tenth race. #1 **Vantage Point** froze and stepped backwards while he attempted to join the post parade. The regular outrider for Trainer **Isidro Tamayo** attempted to assist this horse as did Lead Outrider **Ashton Campoy**. Jockey **Alvarado** 'hopped off' this mount, choosing not to ride him. Jockey **Francisco Duran** replaced him before racing on to a third place finish. **Alvarado** 'tried' his horse for about two (2) minutes.

Jockey **Alvarado** told us he didn't feel safe yesterday with this horse's actions in the post parade. He did not receive any payment for his efforts. In a majority decision (Steward **Baker** dissent) the Stewards issued the following ruling.

Ruling #68

Jockey **Frank Alvarado** who was scheduled to ride **Vantage Point** in the tenth race at Golden Gate Fields on Saturday, June 11, 2022, is fined One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00)* for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1872 (Failure to Fulfill Jockey Agreement).

6/12/22²

ADRIAN MARTINEZ FILM REVIEW (REF: 6/11/22³)

Apprentice **Adrian Martinez** appeared in the Stewards office along with Assistant Starter **Ramon Pulido** who acted as an interpreter. The Steward wanted to review the ride of #3 **Bacalar** who finished fourth but was disqualified and placed sixth (last) for interference in the stretch. Today's film review shows #3 **Bacalar** drift out while Apprentice **Martinez** was employing a right handed riding crop. Rival Apprentice Jockey **Jose Rodriguez** (#7 **Rosarita Carmelita**- original 6th place) was forced to steady sharply during this race. In a unanimous decision the Stewards felt that this was a careless ride, and the following ruling was issued.

Ruling #69

Apprentice Jockey **Adrian Martinez** who rode **Bacalar** in the fifth race at Golden Gate Fields on Saturday, June 11, 2022, is suspended three (3) racing days June 19, 24 & 25, 2022 for failure to maintain a straight course in the stretch and causing interference resulting in the disqualification of his mount from fourth to sixth; a violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1699 (Riding Rules-Careless Riding).

6/12/22³

JULIEN COUTON REVIEW (REF: 6/11/22⁴)

Jockey **Julien Couton** appeared in the Stewards' office to review his ride in the sixth race which was contested at one (1) mile on the main track. Jockey **Couton** and #6 **Smiling At Val** (original fifth place) were disqualified and placed sixth in this race. Today's review shows #6 **Smiling At Val** drift in and force two (2) rivals to his inside to steady sharply along the rail. Those rivals were #1 **Mogollon Rim** (**Santos Rivera**- fourth place) and #4 **Cat Gamer** (**Jose Rodriguez**** - original sixth place). Jockey **Couton** respectfully accepted the following unanimous decision.

Ruling #70

Jockey **Julien Couton** who rode **Smiling At Val** in the sixth race at Golden Gate Fields on Saturday, June 11, 2022, is suspended three (3) racing days June 19, 24 & 25, 2022 for failure to maintain a straight course in the stretch and causing interference resulting in the

disqualification of his mount from fifth to sixth; a violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1699 (Riding Rules-Careless Riding).

6/12/22⁴

SMOOTH CARD

Today's closing day card went well as it was free of Stewards' inquiries and/or jockey objections.

6/12/22⁵

DECLARATIONS, CHANGES & REFUNDS

3RD Race #5 **Colormemoney** (Tr. **J. Steiner**) Claimed, **J. Thomas**, trainer
Voided – Unlicensed owner

3RD Race Declaration #7 **Potente Alba** (Tr. **J. Ramos**) Injured – **Casille Batten DVM**
Refund \$131.90

3RD Race Cancel \$1 Rolling Super High Five Wagering

4TH Race #5 **Shot Of A Lifetime** (Tr. **E. Jackson**) Claimed **B. McClean**, trainer

5TH Race Declarations #2 **Uncle Baby Billy** (Tr. **D. O'Neill**) Sick – **Karen Hassan DVM**
#3 **Cardinal Trick** (Tr. **R. Hansen**) Broke thru gate – late - **Casille Batten DVM**. Refund: \$32,200.39

7TH Race Declarations #1 **Linfield** (Tr. **M. Badilla**) Injured – **Karen Hassan DVM**

#3 **Ingram** (Tr. **Q. Miller**) Sick – **Casille Batten DVM**

#4 **Megameister** (Tr. **J. Puentes**) Sick – **Mike Parker DVM**

#5 **JT's Watch** (Tr. **I. Tamayo**) Sick – **Casille Batten DVM**

Refund Total: \$557.00

7TH Race Win Wagering Only

9TH Race #5 **Wear The Crown** (Tr. **T. McCanna**) Sick – **Mike Parker DVM**. Refund: \$299.70

10TH Race #4 **Into Bourbon** (Tr. **J. Thomas**) Sick – **Casille Batten DVM**. Refund: \$1,120.94

6/12/22⁶

DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	1,161	\$336,834.30
Out of state	n/a	\$1,987,503.61
SCOTWinc	n/a	\$357,937.08
Total	2,048	\$3,146,171.61

SUMMARY

	Fri 6/10	Sat 6/11	Sun 6/12	Week	Meet
Accidents	0	0	0	0	4
Cal-Bred Races	0	0	0	0	12
Claims	4	2	1	7	302
Disqualifications	0	2	0	2	14
Inquiries	0	2	0	2	24
Refunds	7	10	10	27	524
Rulings	0	1	3	4	70
Voided Claims	2	0	1	3	40

VETERINARIAN RECOMMENDED SCRATCHES

Date	Race	No.	Horse	Trainer	Reason	Vet	Refund
10-June	5	8	Frosty Dolce	J. Wong	Injured	Dr. Batten	\$269.58
10-June	8	2	El Berrinches	J. Ramos	Injured	Dr. Hassan	\$92.08
11-June	5	1	Unbridle The Wild	B. Gavin	Sick	Dr. Parker	See Below
11-June	5	5	Funky Grey	S. Miyadi	Sick	Dr. Parker	\$296.46
11-June	7	7	Silk Road Sally	F. Rondan	Sick	Dr. Hassan	\$186.90
11-June	8	6	One Silk Stocking	D. O'Neil	Unsound	Dr. Hassan	\$359.84
11-June	9	7	Perfectionistic	A. Mathis	Unsound	Dr. Hassan	\$551.20
11-June	10	5	Kiwi's Dream	V. Trujillo	Unsound	Dr. Hassan	\$793.80
12-June	3	7	Potente Alba	J. Ramos	Injured	Dr. Batten	\$131.90
12-June	5	2	Uncle Baby Billy	D. O'Neill	Sick	Dr. Hassan	\$32,200.39
12-June	7	1	Linfield	M. Badilla	Injured	Dr. Hassan	See Below
12-June	7	3	Engram	Q. Miller	Sick	Dr. Batten	See Below
12-June	7	4	Megameister	J. Puentes	Sick	Dr. Parker	See Below
12-June	7	5	JT's Watch	I. Tamayo	Sick	Dr. Batten	\$557.00
12-June	9	5	Wear The Crown	T. McCanna	Sick	Dr. Parker	\$299.70
12-June	10	4	Into Bourbon	J. Thomas	Sick	Dr. Batten	\$1,120.94

Respectfully submitted,

Grant Baker, Steward

Dennis Nevin, Steward

Will Meyers, Steward