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**REPORT OF THE BOARD OF STEWARDS
GOLDEN GATE FIELDS
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Report for the Week of Wednesday, September 27, 2023, Through Monday, October 02, 2023

WEDNESDAY

9/27/23¹

DUTY STEWARD

Richard Lewis was present to supervise entries for Sunday, October 01, 2023.

9/27/23²

ENTRIES FOR SUNDAY

Nine races scheduled for Sunday.

9/27/23³

CHANGES

Changes were taken for Saturday, September 20, 2023. Three rider changes and two equipment changes were noted for Saturday, September 30, 2023.

9/27/23⁴

ENTRY PANEL

Steward **Richard Lewis** joined the California Horse Racing Board Entry Panel for Golden Gate Fields at 12:00pm for the races to be run on Saturday September 30, 2023.

THURSDAY

9/28/23¹

DUTY STEWARD

Richard Lewis was present to supervise entries for Monday October 02, 2023.

9/28/23²

ENTRIES FOR MONDAY

Nine races were scheduled for Monday. Steward **Richard Lewis** was on hand to oversee changes for Friday's race program.

9/28/23³

CHANGES

Changes were taken for Sunday, October 01, 2023. Two rider and two equipment changes were noted for Sunday.

9/28/23⁴

POSTMORTEM REVIEW

Steward **Richard Lewis** and Safety Steward **Calvin Rainey** were present for a Postmortem Review Panel at 11:00am today at Golden Gate Fields conducted by **Dr. Alina Vale** via Zoom for **Carolina Mia**, Trainer **Felix Rondan**.

9/28/23⁵

ENTRY PANEL

Steward **Richard Lewis** joined California Horse Racing Board Entry Panel for Golden Gate Fields at 12:00pm for the races to be run on Sunday October 01, 2023.

9/28/23⁶

DARK DAY

FRIDAY

9/29/23¹

DUTY STEWARD

Richard Lewis was present to supervise changes for Monday October 02, 2023.

9/29/23²

OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN

Dr. Michael Pirrone was present to assist **Dr. Casille Batten** with morning veterinary examinations and afternoon monitoring of live racing.

9/29/23³

CHANGES

Changes were taken for Monday, October 02, 2023.

9/29/23⁴

ENTRY PANEL

Steward **Richard Lewis** and Safety Steward **Calvin Rainey** were present for a Postmortem Review Panel at 11:00am today at Golden Gate Fields conducted by **Dr. Alina Vale** via Zoom for **Ultimate Diva**, Trainer **Miguel Ramirez**.

9/29/23⁵

DARK DAY

SATURDAY

9/30/23¹

OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN

Dr. Michael Pirrone was present to assist **Dr. Casille Batten** with morning veterinary examinations and afternoon monitoring of live racing.

9/30/23²

PROGRAM CHANGES AND SCRATCHES

4TH Race: Declaration #5 **Councilwoman Jilly** (Tr. **Simon Hobson**)

Sick – **Dr. Batten**

4TH Race: No \$1 Rolling Super High Five

5TH Race: Declaration #1 **Patsy Montana** (Tr. **Jesus Ramos**)

Works – **Stewards**

5TH Race: Declaration #5 **Harbor's Rose** (Tr. **Victor Trujillo**)

Unsound – **Dr. Batten**

5TH Race: No Show Wagering

6TH Race: Declaration #7 **Conquest Secret** (Tr. **Jose Bautista**)

Unsound – **Dr. Cloninger**

6TH Race: #4 **Mirage Code** Trainer **Daniel Franko**, was eased in the stretch.

8TH Race: #3 **Ladywearsthering** (Tr. **Steve Specht**)

Sick – **Dr. Pirrone**

8TH Race: #10 **Honos Man** (Tr. **Isidro Tamayo**)

Unsound – **Dr. Batten**

9TH Race: #3 **Roses R Blue** (Tr. **Isidro Tamayo**)

Sick – **Dr. Batten**

9TH Race: #5 **Takes A Village** (Tr. **Howie Rubin**)

Sick – **Dr. Batten**

9TH Race: No \$1 Rolling Super High Five Wagering

9/30/23³

RULING #20

Jockey **Adrian Castellanos** who rode **Lookout Point** on September 25, 2023, met with the Stewards this morning regarding a riding crop violation on September 25, 2023.

All parties agreed that the crop was used in excess of the legal limit, therefore the following ruling was issued.

GGF RULING #20

Jockey **ADRIAN CASTELLANOS**, who rode **LOOKOUT POINT** in the first race at Golden Gate Fields on September 25, 2023, is suspended one (1) racing day, October 07, 2023, and fined Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00)* pursuant to Horseracing Integrity and Safety Authority (HISA) Rule #2282 (Riding Crop Violations and Penalties – Class 3, one strike over the limit) for violation of HISA Rule #2280 (Use of Riding Crop).

Furthermore, Jockey **ADRIAN CASTELLANOS** is assigned three (3) violation points that will expire March 30, 2024, six months from the date of final adjudication pursuant to HISA Rule #2282 (Riding Crop Violations and Penalties). Jockey **ADRIAN CASTELLANOS** has now accumulated twelve (12) points.

Ruling #4 Alameda County Fair – June 18, 2023

Ruling #5 California State Fair – July 30, 2023

Ruling #1 Sonoma County Fair – August 26, 2023

9/30/23⁴

RULING #21

The following ruling was issued due to multiple violations of HISA Rule #2283 (Multiple Violations).

GGF RULING #21

Jockey **ADRIAN CASTELLANOS** is suspended seven (7) calendar days, October 08, 09, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14, 2023, having accumulated twelve (12) violation points in the last six (6) months pursuant to Horseracing Integrity and Safety Authority (HISA) Rule #2283 (a)(1) (Multiple Violations) for violation of HISA Rule #2280 (Use of Riding Crop).

Ruling #4 Alameda County Fair – June 18, 2023

Ruling #5 California State Fair – July 30, 2023

Ruling #1 Sonoma County Fair – August 26, 2023

Ruling #20 Golden Gate Fields – September 30, 2023

9/30/23⁵

RACE DAY

Nine (9) races were scheduled with a post time of 1:00pm over a tapeta track rated “Fast” and the turf “Firm”.

9/30/23⁶

1ST RACE

#5 **Blushing Bay**, Trainer **Quentin Miller** eased in the stretch.

9/30/23⁷

CROP USE VIOLATION

In the 8TH race, Jockey **Francisco Monroy** who rode #2 **Tesoro** (Trainer **O.J. Jauregui**) struck his horse seven times in the race. Jockey **Monroy** is scheduled to see the Stewards on Sunday October 01ST.

9/30/23⁸

RACE DAY - VOIDED CLAIM

In the first race, the claim submitted for #1 **Big Gift**, Trainer **Ruby Thomas** was voided by the Official Veterinarian due to unsoundness.

9/30/23⁹

CLAIMS

1ST Race: Claim #6 **Get'em Tiger** Trainer **Jose Puentes** - \$4,000.00

9/30/23¹⁰

DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	1,025	\$258,077.36
Out of state	n/a	\$1,688,528.29
SCOTWinc	n/a	\$288,321.23
Total	2,113	\$2,826,777.18

SUNDAY

10/01/23¹

OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN

Dr. Michael Pirrone is present today to assist **Dr. Casille Batten** with morning veterinary examination and afternoon monitoring of live racing.

10/01/23²

PROGRAM CHANGES AND SCRATCHES

4TH Race: Declaration #8 **Violet Crown** (Tr. **O.J. Jauregui**)

Sick – **Dr. Batten**

5TH Race: Declaration #3 **Daisy Dancer** (Tr. **Clifford DeLima**)

CHRB Panel Scratch

5TH Race: Declaration #7 **JJ'S Hope** (Tr. **Sergio Perez**)

Unsound – **Dr. Batten**

5TH Race: No \$1 Rolling Super High Five

6TH Race: Declaration #1 **O B'S** (Tr. **Bill McLean**)

Injured – **Dr. Batten**

6TH Race: Declaration #3 **Town Performer** (Tr. **Isidro Tamayo**)

Sick – **Dr. Batten**

6TH Race: No \$1 Rolling Super High Five

7TH Race: Declaration #4 **Gross Profit** (Tr. **Samuel Calvario**)

Sick – **Dr. Batten**

7TH Race: No \$1 Rolling Super High Five

8TH Race: Declaration #4 **Love'em N Leave'em** (Tr. **Ruby Thomas**)

Re-Enter – **Stewards**

9TH Race: Declaration #2 **Blue Eyed Jo** (Tr. **Ed Moger**)

Sick – **Dr. Batten**

9TH Race: Declaration #7 **Princess Hekawi** (Tr. **Tim McCanna**)

Sick – **Dr. Batten**

9TH Race: No \$1 Rolling Super High Five

10/01/23³

MONROY RULING #22

Jockey **Francisco Monroy**, who rode **Tesoro** in the eighth race at Golden Gate Fields on September 30, 2023, met with the Stewards this morning regarding a riding crop violation.

GGF RULING #22

Jockey **FRANCISCO MONROY**, who rode **TESORO** in the eighth race at Golden Gate Fields on September 30, 2023, is suspended one (1) racing day, October 08, 2023, and fined Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00)* pursuant to Horseracing Integrity and Safety Authority (HISA) Rule # 2282 (Riding Crop Violations and Penalties- Class 3, one strike over the limit) for violation of HISA Rule #2280 (Use of Riding Crop).

Furthermore, Jockey **FRANCISCO MONROY** is assigned three (3) violation points that will expire on April 01, 2024, six months from the date of final adjudication pursuant to HISA Rule #2282 (Riding Crop Violations and Penalties).

10/01/23⁴

VOIDED CLAIM

In the first race five claims were submitted for #6 **Agreetodisagree**, Trainer **Ruby Thomas** won the shake for the claim, however the claim was voided by the **Official Veterinarian** due to unsoundness.

10/01/23⁵

EASED HORSE

8TH #2 **GRAZEN SUN** (Tr. **Blaine Wright**) was eased in the stretch.

10/01/23⁶

CLAIMS

1ST Race: Claim - #1 **Sherlinda** – Trainer **Isidro Tamayo** - \$4,000.00

1ST Race: Claim - #2 **Kerrygold Lady** – Trainer **Sergio Perez** - \$4,000.00

2ND Race: Claim - #2 **O'Banion** - Trainer **Jack Steiner** - \$5,000.00

7TH Race: Claim - #3 **Buttonwood Tree** – Trainer **Steve Sherman** - \$20,000.00

8TH Race: Claim - #8 **Playing Hardball** – Trainer **Mark Glatt** - \$25,000.00

9TH Race: Claim - #8 **Smooove As Silk** – Trainer **Guillermo Preciado** - \$4,000.00

10/01/23⁷

DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	1,173	\$243,448.89
Out of state	n/a	\$1,407,979.11
SCOTWinc	n/a	\$262,130.85
Total	2,084	\$2,368,200.75

MONDAY

10/02/23¹

OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN

Dr. Michael Pirrone is present to assist **Dr. Casille Batten** with morning veterinary examinations.

10/02/23²

FILM REVIEW

The Stewards requested that Jockey **Alexander Chavez** meet with the Stewards this morning for a review of the films from Sunday's races.

Jockey **Chavez** came to the Stewards office today to review the second race on Sunday.

Jockey **Chavez** watched the film of the race with the Stewards and listened to their critique of his ride and agreed to heed to advise of the Stewards, a warning was given.

10/02/23³

PROGRAM CHANGES AND SCRATCHES

6TH Race: Declaration #2 **Bobby's Alibi** – (Tr. **Faith Taylor**)

Injured – **Dr. Batten**

6TH Race: No \$1 Rolling Super High Five

7TH Race: Declaration #3 **Looking for Revenge** (Tr. D.W. Baker)

Sick – **Dr. Batten**

8TH Race: Declaration #7 **Blursday** (M. Lenzini)

Sick – **Dr. Batten**

9TH Race: Declaration #6 **Derrygoolin** (I. Tamayo)

Sick – **Dr. Batten**

10/02/23⁴

RULING ISSUED

GGF RULING #23

Owner LESLIE BLAKE having satisfied the outstanding financial obligation (\$3,587.40) to San Francisco Equine, Inc., his license privileges are restored to good standing and Golden Gate Fields Ruling #15, dated September 24, 2023, is hereby set aside.

The above ruling was issued by the Stewards after Owner **Leslie Blake** having satisfied his outstanding financial obligation to San Francisco Equine, Inc., his license privileges have been restored.

10/02/23⁵

RULING ISSUED

GGF RULING #24

Valet JAY FREY is fined Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) for violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1530 (Cases Not Covered by Rules and Regulations – Reckless Driving)

The above ruling was issued by the Stewards after Jockey Valet **Jay Frey** dangerously change lanes on Golden Gate Fields property while exiting the racetrack after the last race on Sunday October 01, 2023.

10/02/23⁶

RACE DAY

Ten (10) races were scheduled with a post time of 1:45pm over a Tapeta track rated “Fast”, and the Turf course rates “Firm”.

10/02/23⁷

VOIDED CLAIM

In the second race, the claim submitted for #5 **Big Beno**, Trainer **Ruby Thomas** was voided by the Official Veterinarian due to unsoundness.

10/02/23⁸

CLAIMS

2ND Race: Claim - #4 **Wrong Spot** – Trainer **Ruby Thomas** - \$6,250.00

3RD Race: Claim - #1 **Ten the Smart Way** – Trainer **Samuel Calvario** - \$12,500.00

7TH Race: Claim - #9 **Il Capitano** – Trainer **Jack Steiner** - \$8,000.00

10TH Race: Claim - #2 **Upright** – Trainer **Ruby Thomas** - \$8,000.00

10TH Race: Claim - #5 **You Enjoy Myself** – Trainer **Blaine Wright** - \$8,000.00

10/02/23⁹

DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	313	\$104,563.46
Out of state	n/a	\$2,208,622.29
SCOTWinc	n/a	\$75,293.48
Total	523	\$2,461,771.43

SUMMARY

	Fri 9/29	Sat 9/30	Sun 10/01	Mon 10/02	Week	Meet
Accidents	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cal-Bred Races	0	0	0	0	0	0
Claims	0	1	6	5	12	28
Disqualifications	0	0	0	0	0	1
Inquiries	0	0	0	0	0	2
Refunds	0	5	6	4	15	58
Rulings	0	0	0	2	2	24
Voided Claims	0	1	1	1	3	9

VETERINARIAN RECOMMENDED SCRATCHES

Date	Race	No.	Horse	Trainer	Reason	Vet	Refund
30-Sep	4	5	Councilwoman Jilly	S.Hobson	Sick	Batten	\$296.90
30-Sep	5	1	Patsy Montana	J.Ramos	Works	Stewards	See Below
30-Sep	5	5	Harbor's Rose	V.Trujillo	Unsound	Batten	\$394.31
30-Sep	6	7	Conquest Secret	J.Bautista	Unsound	Cloninger	\$128.75
30-Sep	8	3	Ladywearsthering	S.Specht	Sick	Pirrone	See Below
30-Sep	8	10	Honos Man	I.Tamayo	Unsound	Batten	\$389.80
30-Sep	9	3	Roses R Blue	I.Tamayo	Sick	Baten	See Below
30-Sep	9	5	Takes a Village	H.Rubin	Sick	Batten	\$344.90
01-Oct	4	8	Violet Crown	O.Jauregui	Sick	Batten	\$241.70
01-Oct	5	3	Daisy Dancer	C.DeLima	Panel	Vet	See Below
01-Oct	5	7	JJ's Hope	S.Perez	Unsound	Batten	\$255.85
01-Oct	6	1	O B's	B.McLean	Injured	Batten	See Below
01-Oct	6	3	Town Performer	I.Tamayo	Sick	Batten	\$451.95
01-Oct	7	4	Gross Profit	S.Calvario	Sick	Batten	\$222.70
01-Oct	8	4	Love'em N Leave'em	R.Thomas	Re-Enter	Stewards	\$298.10
01-Oct	9	2	Blue Eyed Jo	E.Moger	Sick	Batten	See Below
01-Oct	9	7	Princess Hekawi	T.McCanna	Sick	Batten	\$535.70
02-Oct	6	2	Bobby's Alibi	F.Taylor	Injured	Batten	\$384.45
02-Oct	7	3	Looking for Revenge	D.Baker	Sick	Batten	\$447.45
02-Oct	8	7	Blursday	M.Lenzini	Sick	Batten	\$259.70
02-Oct	9	6	Derrygoolin	I.Tamayo	Sick	Batten	\$658.80

Respectfully submitted,

Calvin Rainey, Steward

Dennis Nevin, Steward

Richard Lewis, Steward

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