

## **Turf Paradise Stewards' Report, Week #22: March 9-13, 2019**

**To: Rudy Casillas, Racing Division Director**

**From: Turf Paradise Board of Stewards**

**Date: 03/09/2019**

**Re: Turf Paradise Daily Report**

**Track Condition: Fast      Turf: Firm**

**Stewards Present: Magdaleno Perez, Gary Baze, John Adams**

**State Veterinarian: Sue Gale, DVM**

**Track Veterinarian: Wes Vogt, DVM**

**Track Superintendent: Ramiro Flores-Flores**

**Track Maintenance: Harrowed 3 inches, Cut 4 inches: Turf rail set at 14 feet.**

### **Hearings**

#### **TURF PARADISE RULING #18-19TP110**

Having been properly notified of a formal hearing and having waived that right, Jockey Chad Alan Lindsay (ADG #22253) is hereby fined TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$200.00) plus 5% Race Horse Adoption surcharge for a total TWO HUNDRED AND TEN DOLLARS (\$210.00) for failing to attend films on March 4, 2019, as instructed by the Board of Stewards (third offense during the 2018-2019 Turf Paradise race meet).

The fine set forth above must be satisfied within ten days from the date of this order. If it is not paid by March 14, 2019, all licenses held by the respondent are automatically suspended for one hundred and eighty days beginning March 15, 2019 through and inclusive of September 11, 2019, and this matter is referred to the Director of the Arizona Department of Racing with the recommendation that all licenses remain suspended until all requirements herein are satisfied.

The above described matter constitutes a violation in accordance with:  
A.A.C. R-19-2-121(E)

#### **TURF PARADISE RULING #18-19TP111**

Having been properly notified of a formal hearing, and having waived that right on March 9, 2019, Owner/Trainer Ramiro Barraza-Sosa (ADG #10900), is hereby fined FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$500.00) plus 5% Race Horse Adoption Fund surcharge for a total of FIVE HUNDRED AND TWENTY FIFTY DOLLARS (\$525.00) following receipt of a report from Industrial Laboratories indicating blood sample #E306212 taken from the horse "MO ROCK" second place finisher of the first race on February 23, 2019, was confirmed positive for the presence of the Class IV foreign substance DEXAMETHASONE (16.3 +/- 3 pg/mL).

The fine set forth above must be satisfied within ten days from the date of this order. If it is not paid by March 19, 2019, all licenses held by the respondent are automatically suspended for one hundred and eighty days beginning March 20, 2019, through and inclusive of September 16, 2019, and this matter is referred to the Director of the Arizona Department of

Gaming/Racing Division with the recommendation that all licenses remain suspended until all requirements herein are satisfied.

The above described matter constitutes a violation in accordance with:

A.A.C. R19-2-102(19), R19-2-102(39), R19-2-106(C), R19-2-111(A)(B)(C), R19-2-112(12), R19-2-120(C)(D)(O), R19-2-121(E)

**TURF PARADISE RULING #18-19TP112**

Having been properly noticed for a formal hearing and having waived that right on March 9, 2019, Owner/Trainer Robert Craig Smith (ADG #24168) is hereby fined ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100.00) plus 5% RHA surcharge for a total of ONE HUNDRED AND FIVE DOLLARS (\$105.00) for failing to have the horse "TOO AWESOME" properly shod to run on the turf, resulting in a late scratch in the seventh race on March 6, 2019.

The fine set forth above must be satisfied within ten days from the date of this order. If it is not paid by March 19, 2019, all licenses held by the respondent are automatically suspended for one hundred and eighty days beginning March 20, 2019, through and inclusive of September 16, 2019, and this matter is referred to the Director of the Arizona Department of Gaming/Racing Division with the recommendation that all licenses remain suspended until all requirements herein are satisfied.

The above described matter constitutes a violation in accordance with:

A.A.C. R19-2-106(C); A.A.C. R19-2-111(A)(B); A.A.C.R19-2-121(E)

**SCRATCHES:**

Race #	Program #	Name	Trainer's Name	Type/Scratch	Reason
2	4	DELIGHTFUL ANA	DAN MCFARLANE	VETERINARIAN	SICK
5	1	SOJOURN	JUAN PABLO SILVA	VETERINARIAN	LOOSE IN BARN AREA
6	4	MAJESTIC SPRING	BRENT ANGELLE	VETERINARIAN	SICK
7	6	FLASHY GOLD	EDDIE MADDEN, SR.	VETERINARIAN	SICK
7	7	PUT IT ON ICE	JUAN PABLO SILVA	VETERINARIAN	LOOSE IN BARN AREA

**CLAIMED HORSES:**

Race#	Program #	Horse's Name	New Owner/Trainer	Prior Owner/Trainer
3	2	CEDAR RAPIDS	ABRAHAM OLIVAS OR GREG EIDSSHCUN/PATRICK FIELDS	SARATOGA WEST OR ALEX ORTEGA, JR. OR DAVID TEITELBAUM OR JEREMY HODGES/JEFF METZ
4	6	I B EZ	BOB BORZONE/ROBERT HAZEL	ESTEBAN MARTINEZ/O/T
4	7	BIG PEBBLE	BRIAN OR BRENDA LABOUCANE/BARRY HODGSON	LLOYD YOTHER OR WILLIAM MATTHEWS/KEVIN EIKLEBERRY
7	5	MONACO GIRL	HUMBERTO BELLOQ/O/T	JANIS CALTON/O/T

**LATE JOCKEY CHANGES:**

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Listed Jockey	New Jockey
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**ADDITIONAL TESTING:**

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Trainer's Name	FINISH	Reason
2	2	SENORADIABLO	MANNY ORTIZ	2 <sup>ND</sup>	SPECIALED
2	2	STORMY MUSIC	DAN MCFARLANE	1 <sup>ST</sup>	TCO2
7	1	OLD TOY	BURTON SIPP	2 <sup>ND</sup>	SPECIALED
8	6	IT'S A BOY	CLAY BRINSON	5 <sup>TH</sup>	TCO2

**Significant Incidents /Matters:**

**Race 1:** The jockey of **#4 A SONG OF FAITH** lost his riding crop inside the 1/16<sup>th</sup> pole. **#4 A SONG OF FAITH** was put on the stewards list for poor performance (beaten 35+ lengths).

**Race 2:** None

**Race 3: STEWARDS INQUIRY/START/NO CHANGE:** Following the running of the race the stewards posted the inquiry sign due to an incident at the start of the race in which seventh place finisher **#3 Cedar Rapids**, ridden by Tracy Hebert, broke several lengths behind the field. After reviewing the videos and taking testimony from starter Denny Hall and the rider, the stewards determined that prior to the break **#3 Cedar Rapids** stepped back and reared slightly as the front doors were opening, however, the starting gate of **#3 Cedar Rapids** opened in unison with the rest of the field and the assistant starter released the horse properly. The horse was given the opportunity of a fair start and therefore the stewards did not make any change to the original order of finish. The official order of finish is as follows: 2-1-5-7-6-4-3-8.

**#8 ALPINE GATHERING** was put on the stewards list for poor performance (beaten 35+ lengths).

There was a two (2) way shake for **#2 CEDAR RAPIDS**.

**Race 4:** None

**Race 5:** None

**Race 6:** None

**Race 7:** None

**Race 8:** None

**To: Rudy Casillas, Racing Division Director**

**From: Turf Paradise Board of Stewards**

**Date: 03/10/2019**

**Re: Turf Paradise Daily Report**

**Track Condition: Fast      Turf: Firm**

**Stewards Present: Magdaleno Perez, Gary Baze, John Adams**

**State Veterinarian: Sue Gale, DVM**

**Track Veterinarian: Wes Vogt, DVM**

**Track Superintendent: Ramiro Flores-Flores**

**Track Maintenance:** Harrowed 3 inches, Cut 4 inches: Turf rail set at 14 feet.

**Hearings**

None

**SCRATCHES:**

Race #	Program #	Name	Trainer's Name	Type/Scratch	Reason
5	3	IZZY THE WARRIOR	ROBERTINO DIODORO	VETERINARIAN	SICK
7	3	SHADOW OF WAR	ANTONIO SOTO	VETERINARIAN	SICK

**CLAIMED HORSES:**

Race#	Program #	Horse's Name	New Owner/Trainer	Prior Owner/Trainer
6	2	ATHLEISURE	RICK KESSLER OR TERRA FIRMA FARMS/JOE TOYE	TIM BANKERS/MANNY ORTIZ
6	4	GRANDMA PAULINE	MARVIN BUFFALO/O/T	O/BRIEN/OBRIEN LLC/DEBBIE O'BRIEN
7	6	MAXX EFFORT	ESTEBAN MARTINEZ/O/T	TAMARA ANDERSON OR BRENT STAPLEY OR DELWYN ELLIS OR LINDEN HATCH/LINDEN HATCH
8	4	PACKY'S OUT	JEFF JACOBS & TIJUANA RACING STABLES	STEPHEN WILSON/DAN MCFARLANE
8	8	NIGHTLY NEWS	BAGS RACING/JUAN Q. GUTIERREZ	DAN MCFARLANE/O/T

**LATE JOCKEY CHANGES:**

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Listed Jockey	New Jockey
4	3	HERE'S TO WISHING	KASSIE GUGLIELMINO	AVERY WHISMAN
6	6	FAITH IN EXCESS	MCKENZIE KING	ALLYSSA MORALES
7	1	LUAS BRIO	DANIEL AGUILAR	ISRAEL HERNANDEZ

**ADDITIONAL TESTING:**

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Trainer's Name	FINISH	Reason
1	2	J P ROCKER	WADE RARICK	2 <sup>ND</sup>	SPECIALED
4	6	LESEDI	SANDI GANN	2 <sup>ND</sup>	TCO2
5	6	FORTIFIED EFFORT	KEVIN EIKLEBERRY	2 <sup>ND</sup>	SPECIALED
8	7	PURPLE SKY	PATRICK FIELDS	7 <sup>th</sup>	TCO2

**Significant Incidents /Matters:**

**Race 1:** It was announced to the public that **#4 HAYNE'S PAL** had a ½ mile work at Rillito Park on March 5, 2019, in :47.4 breezing.

**Race 2:** It was announced to the public of an owner change to **#4 ROSSO'S GATTO** from Sharon Alesia and Ciaglia Racing LLC to Ciaglia Racing LLC solely.

**Race 3: STEWARDS INQUIRY/STRETCH/NO CHANGE:** Following the running of the race the stewards posted the inquiry sign to review the stretch run of fifth place finisher **#2 Wild Whiskey**, ridden by Tracy Hebert, sixth place finisher **#3 Warrensdirtydancer**, ridden by Denny Velazquez, fourth place finisher **#4 Lineman's Check**, ridden by Francisco Arrieta, and third place finisher **#5 Zambora**, ridden by Danny Vergara. After reviewing the videos and taking testimony from the riders involved, the stewards determined **#2 Wild Whiskey** drifted out mid-stretch

putting **#3 Warrensdirtydancer**, **#4 Lineman's Check**, and **#5 Zambora** in tight quarters. **#5 Zambora** and **#4 Lineman's Check** finished ahead of **#2 Wild Whiskey**, while **#3 Warrensdirtydancer** was well beaten and not cost a better placing as he was tiring at the time of incident. Therefore, the stewards did not make any change to the original order of finish. The official order of finish is as follows: 6-1-5-4-2-3. Jockey Tracy Hebert was put on the films list to review the videos of the race with the stewards.

**Race 4:** None

**Race 5:** **#4 REDNECK WARRIOR** got loose in the post parade behind the starting gate in the six furlong chute causing a three (3) minute delay.

**Race 6:** None

**Race 7:** There was a two (2) way shake for **#6 MAXX EFFORT**.

**Race 8:** None

**To:** Rudy Casillas, Racing Division Director

**From:** Turf Paradise Board of Stewards

**Date:** 03/11/2019

**Re:** Turf Paradise Daily Report

**Track Condition:** Fast      **Turf:** Firm

**Stewards Present:** Magdaleno Perez, Gary Baze, John Adams

**State Veterinarian:** Sue Gale, DVM

**Track Veterinarian:** Verlin Jones, DVM

**Track Superintendent:** Ramiro Flores-Flores

**Track Maintenance:** Harrowed 3 inches, Cut 4 inches: Turf rail set at 14 feet.

**Hearings**

None

**SCRATCHES:**

Race #	Program #	Name	Trainer's Name	Type/Scratch	Reason
8	4	ALASAAL	BURTON SIPP	VETERINARIAN	SICK

**CLAIMED HORSES:**

Race#	Program #	Horse's Name	New Owner/Trainer	Prior Owner/Trainer
2	4	WARRENSROLLINGDICE	BARRY HODGSON/O/T	CLAY BRINSON/O/T
6	3	BUDDUG	TEAM RAMGEET RACING, LLC/TINA RAMGEET	YA KILLING ME LLC OR SARATOGA WEST OR JEFF RAKOCZY/JEFF METZ
7	1	OUT TRUMP'D HER	MARY TATE/LISA GANGIDINO	RAJHAN RAMGEET/TINA RAMGEET
7	4	ANNOY	SHAWN DAVIS/O/T	ANKENY THOROUGHBRED FARMS INC/MIKE BASTIN

**LATE JOCKEY CHANGES:**

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Listed Jockey	New Jockey
4	8	DARRENATOR	MICHAEL YBARRA	DENNY VELAZQUEZ

**ADDITIONAL TESTING:**

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Trainer's Name	FINISH	Reason
1	4	WED O'S CHAMP	ANTONIO SOTO	2 <sup>ND</sup>	SPECIALED
3	2	HERETOPLAY	TINA RAMGEET	4 <sup>TH</sup>	TCO2
5	6	JOHN ARNOLD	KEVIN EIKLEBERRY	2 <sup>ND</sup>	SPECIALED
6	5	OFFENDED	DARCY HAWKES	2 <sup>ND</sup>	SPECIALED
8	6	IMPETU	JOSE SILVA, JR.	5 <sup>TH</sup>	TCO2

**Significant Incidents /Matters:**

**Race 1: STEWARDS INQUIRY/START/NO CHANGE:** Following the running of the race the stewards posted the inquiry sign due to an incident shortly after the start of the race involving eighth place finisher #7 Bluegrass Fugitive, ridden by Karlo Lopez. After reviewing the videos and taking the testimony of the rider involved, the stewards determined that as #7 Bluegrass Fugitive was leaving the 6 ½ furlong chute and approaching the gap just past the 6 furlong marker, he ducked in sharply causing a chain reaction of events to inside horses. All inside horses who had their chances compromised finished ahead of #7 Bluegrass Fugitive, therefore the stewards did not make any change to the original order of finish. The official order of finish is as follows: 2-4-6-8-3-5-1-7-9. An owner change was announced to the public for **#6 MAE BELLE PASSE**. The previous owners of Sharon Alesia and Ciaglia Racing LLC were changed to Ciaglia Racing solely.

**Race 2:** There was a two (2) way shake for **#4 WARRENSROLLINGDICE**.

**Race 3:** None

**Race 4:** **#2 VALID PRINCE** unseated the rider in the post parade

**Race 5:** None

**Race 6:** None

**Race 7:** There was a two (2) way shake for **#1 OUT TRUMP'D HER**.

There was a two (2) way shake for **#4 ANNOY**. The claim was voided for **#4 ANNOY**.

**#8 WASATCH WONDER** was eased near the 1/8<sup>th</sup> pole and was vanned off.

**Race 8:** None

**To: Rudy Casillas, Racing Division Director**  
**From: Turf Paradise Board of Stewards**  
**Date: 03/12/2019**  
**Re: Turf Paradise Daily Report**

**Track Condition: Wetfast Turf: Off Turf**  
**Stewards Present: Magdaleno Perez, Gary Baze, John Adams**  
**State Veterinarian: Sue Gale, DVM**  
**Track Veterinarian: Verlin Jones, DVM**  
**Track Superintendent: Ramiro Flores-Flores**  
**Track Maintenance: MAIN TRACK SEALED: Turf rail set at 14 feet.**

**Hearings**

None

**SCRATCHES:**

Race #	Program #	Name	Trainer's Name	Type/Scratch	Reason
1	5	BRAVE ACTION	JOSE LUNA SILVA	VETERINARIAN	SICK
2	1	YA ANTABTTSY	MYRON KUMKE	STEWARDS	OFF TURF
2	4	TYLER'S TEK	MIKE CHAMBERS	STEWARDS	OFF TURF
2	6	PRESIDENTSKY	JEFF METZ	STEWARDS	OFF TURF
2	7	GIO'S CALLING	ROBERTINO DIODORO	STEWARDS	OFF TURF
3	2	TEAM FREEDOM	TINA RAMGEET	STEWARDS	TRACK CONDITION
4	7	SUPAH SISTA	SUSAN DENNING	STEWARDS	TRACK CONDITION
5	2	PEACH TIME	RYAN BRATCHER	STEWARDS	OFF TURF
5	5	TORENO	LYMON PERREN	STEWARDS	RE-ENTER
5	6	VEILED HEAT	ROBERTINO DIODORO	STEWARDS	OFF TURF
5	7	ANGELINA'S HEAVEN	SHAWN DAVIS	STEWARDS	OFF TURF
7	1	BORN IN A BREEZE	TOM RYCROFT	STEWARDS	TRACK CONDITION
8	2	DAWN TRAVELLER	ROBERTINO DIODORO	STEWARDS	OFF TURF
8	4	DIANKA	KENT JENSEN	STEWARDS	OFF TURF
8	6	SILKEN SPY	J. ERIC KRULJAC	STEWARDS	OFF TURF

**CLAIMED HORSES:**

Race#	Program #	Horse's Name	New Owner/Trainer	Prior Owner/Trainer
1	6	ZAPPED	TIJUANA RACING STABLES/JUAN PABLO SILVA	TOM EVANS OR JEFF CARON/TOM EVANS

**LATE JOCKEY CHANGES:**

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Listed Jockey	New Jockey
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4	1	SCOTT FOR HER	JOSE ARRIOLA-SERRANO	ALLYSSA MORALES
4	4	MISS DILLY DALLY	RICHARD LULL	LEONEL CAMACHO-FLORES

**ADDITIONAL TESTING:**

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Trainer's Name	FINISH	Reason
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**Significant Incidents /Matters:**

**Race 1:** Off the turf.

**Race 2:** None

The rest of the card was cancelled due to safety concerns over track conditions.

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**To:** Rudy Casillas, Racing Division Director

**From:** Turf Paradise Board of Stewards

**Date:** 03/13/2019

**Re:** Turf Paradise Daily Report

**Track Condition:** Muddy **Turf:** OFF

**Stewards Present:** Magdaleno Perez, Gary Baze, John Adams

**State Veterinarian:** Sue Gale, DVM

**Track Veterinarian:** Verlin Jones, DVM

**Track Superintendent:** Ramiro Flores-Flores

**Track Maintenance:** Harrowed 3 inches, Cut 4 inches: Turf rail set at 14 feet.

**Hearings**

None

Racing was cancelled on Wednesday March 13, 2019.

Respectfully Submitted

Magdaleno Perez, State Steward

Gary Baze, State Steward

John Adams, Association Steward





**WEEK #21 SUMMARY March 9-13, 2019**

Races Carded	Stewards' Inquiries	Objections Lodged	Disqualifications	Claims	Afternoon Race-Related Incidents
26	3	0	0	13	0

**2018-19 TURF PARADISE MEET TOTALS**

Races Carded	Stewards' Inquiries	Objections Lodged	Disqualifications	Claims	Afternoon Race-Related Accidents
750	36	29	13	242	22

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