



Turf Paradise Stewards' Report, Week #23: March 16-20, 2019

To: Rudy Casillas, Racing Division Director

From: Turf Paradise Board of Stewards

Date: 03/16/2019

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 21 feet.

Hearings

None

SCRATCHES:

Race #	Program #	Name	Trainer's Name	Type/Scratch	Reason
4	6	SUCCESS RATE	CURT FERGUSON	VETERINARIAN	SICK

CLAIMED HORSES:

Race#	Program #	Horse's Name	New Owner/Trainer	Prior Owner/Trainer
1	1	BOLD CHARMANT	RAJHAN RAMGEET/TINA RAMGEET	SHAMROCK RACING STABLE, LTD/KERRI RAVEN
1	5	PASSED DUE	COREY RUMSEY/O/T	VANCE ALFREY AND STUART ESKEW/CURT FERGUSON
4	3	BOTCH	MICHAEL BULLENE/O/T	RICK KESSLER OR TERRA FIRMA FARM/JOE TOYE
5	2	SHOPPING TIZZY	SARATOGA WEST/JEFF METZ	GEORGE TODARO/WADE RARICK

LATE JOCKEY CHANGES:

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Listed Jockey	New Jockey
7	3	BERT'S BABY	RICHARD LULL	ALLYSSA MORALES
7	5	BULLICIOUS	DAVID LOPEZ	DENNY VELAZQUEZ
8	3	BLUM BLIM	ERIC JEFFERSON	MCKENZIE KING

ADDITIONAL TESTING:

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Trainer's Name	FINISH	Reason
2	6	LITTLESISTERDON'TU	WADE RARICK	2 ND	SPECIALED
5	7	HIGHNOBITY	PAUL KAUFFMANN	2 ND	TCO2
6	3	TIGER BY HIS TAIL	DAN MCFARLANE	1 ST	TCO2
6	2	JOMELO	MOLLY PEARSON	2 ND	SPECIALED
7	3	BERT'S BABY	PEDRO URIAS-SOTO	8 TH	SPECIALED

Significant Incidents /Matters:

Race 1: None

Race 2: None

Race 3: None

Race 4: None

Race 5: The jockey of #3 SHAREMYWAY lost his riding crop near the 3/16^{ths} pole.

Race 6: None

Race 7: #3 BERT'S BABY eased just pass the wire and was vanned off.

Race 8: None

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Hearings

TURF PARADISE RULING #18-19TP113

Jockey Richard Lull (ADG #20107) is hereby summarily suspended and denied access to all grounds under the jurisdiction of the Arizona Department Of Gaming pending a hearing before the Board of Stewards on Saturday, March 16, 2019 at 10:30 AM to answer charges of actions that call into question the best interest of racing, and the safety, welfare, economy, health and peace of the people of the state as well (failed field drug test).

The above described matter constitutes a violation in accordance with:

A.A.C. R19-2-102(76); A.A.C. R19-2-106(C); A.A.C. R19-2-112(12)(13); A.A.C. R19-2-121(E); A.R.S. 5-108(A)

TURF PARADISE RULING #18-19TP114

Having been properly noticed for a formal hearing and having waived that right on March 12, 2019, Jockey Tracy Hebert (ADG #24138) is hereby suspended three (3) racing days (March 16, March 17, and March 18, 2019 inclusive) for failing to maintain a straight course in the stretch aboard his mount "WILD WHISKEY" in the third race on March 10, 2019, causing interference to multiple horses.

This suspension does not preclude Jockey Tracy Hebert from riding in designated races.

The above described matter constitutes a violation in accordance with:

A.A.C. R19-2-106(C); A.A.C. R19-2-119(C)(7)(c); A.A.C. R19-2-121(E)(2); A.A.C. R19-2-121(E)(3); A.A.C. R19-2-121(E)(6)

TURF PARADISE RULING #18-19TP115

Having been properly notified of a hearing, and having appeared; Jockey Richard Lull (ADG #20107) is hereby suspended for SIXTY DAYS from March 11, 2019, through May 10, 2019 (Credited with six days served after being summarily suspended on March 11, 2019) for testing positive for Cocaine. In addition, the respondent must provide a negative urine sample and sign a drug testing agreement form prior to reinstatement.

During the term of his suspension, Jockey Richard Lull is denied access to all grounds under the jurisdiction of the Arizona Department of Gaming/Racing Division.

The above described matter constitutes a violation in accordance with:

A.A.C. R19-2-106(C); A.A.C. R19-2-112; A.A.C. R19-2-121(E); A.R.S. 5.104(C)

TURF PARADISE RULING #18-19TP116

Having been properly notified of a formal hearing, and having waived that right on March 16, 2019, Trainer Charles Essex (ADG #17298), is hereby fined SEVEN HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS (\$750.00) plus 5% Race Horse Adoption Fund surcharge for a total of SEVEN HUNDRED EIGHTY-SEVEN DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS (\$787.50) following receipt from Industrial Laboratories indicating blood/urine sample #E306235 taken from the horse "LADY ACCLAMATION" who finished FIRST (1st) in the SEVENTH (7th) race on February 25, 2019, at Turf Paradise Race Course, was confirmed positive for the presence of the Class IV foreign substance "METHYLPREDNISOLONE" at a concentration of approximately 192 +/- 20 pg/mL. and was confirmed positive for the presence of the Class IV foreign substance "TRIAMCINOLONE ACETONIDE" at a concentration of approximately 192 +/- 15 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 26, 2019, all licenses held by the respondent are automatically suspended for one hundred and eighty days beginning March 27, 2019, through and inclusive of September 23, 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)

SCRATCHES:

Race #	Program #	Name	Trainer's Name	Type/Scratch	Reason
1	2	MCCALLUM	TOM RYCROFT	VETERINARIAN	SICK
4	6	MAYDAY MALONE	ELOY NAVARRO	VETERINARIAN	INJURED
6	1	DASHIN ASHEN	JUAN PABLO SILVA	VETERINARIAN	SICK
8	5	SUPAH SISTA	SUSAN DENNING	VETERINARIAN	INJURED

CLAIMED HORSES:

Race#	Program #	Horse's Name	New Owner/Trainer	Prior Owner/Trainer
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1	4	SIR KOWBOY	RODNEY LEYENDECKER/TINA RAMGEET	ADELINE O'BRIEN/DANNY O'BRIEN
3	4	MAGIC BLAST	SARATOGA WEST/JEFF METZ	RICHARD RENNIE/EUGENE BURNS

LATE JOCKEY CHANGES:

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Listed Jockey	New Jockey
8	2	MARIANA'S GIRL	RICHARD LUNAN	ALLYSSA MORALES

ADDITIONAL TESTING:

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Trainer's Name	FINISH	Reason
1	6	PLASKA	WADE RARICK	2 ND	SPECIALED
2	4	MISS SHIRLEY C	KEN PERSON	4 TH	TCO2
7	1	OUR DANDY'S BOY	KEVIN OBERHOLTZER	2 ND	SPECIALED
7	5	PLAYOFF BOUND	JOE TOYE	3 RD	TCO2

Significant Incidents /Matters:

Race 1: None

Race 2: None

Race 3: None

Race 4: None

Race 5: None

Race 6: STEWARD 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 sixth place finisher **#3 Sisu**, ridden by Avery Whisman, broke very slowly and trailed the field. After reviewing the videos and taking testimony from starter Denny Hall and the rider, the stewards determined that **#3 Sisu** broke very slowly of her own accord. The starting gate of **#3 Sisu** 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: 7-5-6-4-2-3.

Race 7: None

Race 8: None

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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 21 feet.

Hearings

TURF PARADISE RULING #18-19TP117

Having been properly notified of a formal hearing, and having waived that right on March 17, 2019, Owner/Trainer Manuel Ortiz (ADG #11099), is hereby fined FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$500.00) plus 5% Race Horse Adoption Fund surcharge for a total of FIVE HUNDRED TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS (\$525.00) following receipt of an affidavit from Industrial Laboratories indicating blood/urine sample #E306231 taken from the horse "SERBIAN SYCLONE" who finished FIRST (1st) in the THIRD (3rd) race on February 25, 2019, at Turf Paradise Race Course, was confirmed positive for the presence of the Class IV foreign substance "DEXAMETHASONE" at a concentration of approximately 115 +/- 3.0 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 27, 2019, all licenses held by the respondent are automatically suspended for one hundred and eighty days beginning March 28, 2019, through and inclusive of September 24, 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 #18-19TP118

Having been properly notified of a formal hearing, and having waived that right on March 17, 2019, Owner/Trainer Manuel Ortiz (ADG #11099), is hereby fined FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$500.00) plus 5% Race Horse Adoption Fund surcharge for a total of FIVE HUNDRED TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS (\$525.00) following receipt of an affidavit from Industrial Laboratories indicating blood/urine sample #E306259 taken from the horse "DUST ROLLER" who finished FIRST (1st) in the THIRD (3rd) race on February 27, 2019, at Turf Paradise Race Course, was confirmed positive for the presence of the Class IV foreign substance "DEXAMETHASONE" at a concentration of approximately 20.9 +/- 3.0 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 27, 2019, all licenses held by the respondent are automatically suspended for one hundred and eighty days beginning March 28, 2019, through and inclusive of September 24, 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.

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SCRATCHES:

Race #	Program #	Name	Trainer's Name	Type/Scratch	Reason
1	6	GATOR DON'T PLAY	TINA RAMGEET	VETERINARIAN	INJURED
5	3	LANDMOWER	MIKE CHAMBERS	VETERINARIAN	SICK

7	6	RAISE THE GAMBLE	ROBERT SCORE	VETERINARIAN	FAILED TO WARM UP PROPERLY
9	3	DIANKA	KENT JENSEN	VETERINARIAN	SICK

CLAIMED HORSES:

Race#	Program #	Horse's Name	New Owner/Trainer	Prior Owner/Trainer
5	5	FLICKER OF HOPE	MOHAMMED KHAN/JAMES BROWN	SAM RIZZO/MANNY ORTIZ

LATE JOCKEY CHANGES:

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Listed Jockey	New Jockey
3	2	KASEYS CALLIN	DAVID LOPEZ	ISRAEL HERNANDEZ
6	4	VIRGHAZI	DAVID LOPEZ	LEONEL CAMACHO-FLORES
8	2	MARK YE WELL	DAVID LOPEZ	JOSE LEON
9	4	FRUITY	DAVID LOPEZ	DANIEL VERGARA

ADDITIONAL TESTING:

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Trainer's Name	FINISH	Reason
2	1	SIERRITA	DAVID VAN WINKLE	2 ND	SPECIALED
2	4	VEILED HOT	ROBERTINO DIODORO	3 RD	TCO2
5	5	FLICKER OF HOPE	MANNY ORTIZ	2 ND	SPECIALED
6	1	EVOLVE	DEBBIE O'BRIEN	1 ST	TCO2
8	2	MARK YE WELL	TODD RARICK	2 ND	SPECIALED

Significant Incidents /Matters:

Race 1: None

Race 2: None

Race 3: It was announced to the public that **#2 KASEYS CALLIN** worked 3/8ths on March 2, 2019 in :38.1 handily from the gate at Turf Paradise.

Race 4: None

Race 5: It was announced to the public that **#2 EDDIE EAGLE** would be wearing blinkers. Equibase was contacted and informed that the race strip of the previous race confirmed that blinkers were worn. Equibase stated they would make the correction.

Race 6: None

Race 7: It was announced to the public that **#4 GOTTA CANDY RIDE** would be L1 (first time Lasix). The rider of **#1 RESPECT THE BOSS** lost his riding crop near the 1/8th pole.

Race 8: None

Race 9: None

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2	6	THE COMMON MAN	CODY AXMAKER	VETERINARIAN	SICK
4	5	CROWN KING	ROBERT SCORE	VETERINARIAN	SORE
4	11	SAND SCRIPT	TRACIE AKER	STEWARDS	IN-ELIGIBLE
6	3	MAJESTIC SPRING	BRENT ANGELLE	VETERINARIAN	FAILED TO WARM UP PROPERLY
8	10	SPIRIT MISSION	PATRICK FIELDS	STEWARDS	ALSO ELIGIBLE
8	11	IMPETU	JOSE SILVA, JR.	STEWARDS	ALSO ELIGIBLE
8	12	POINT GUARD	JUAN PABLO SILVA	STEWARDS	ALSO ELIGIBLE

CLAIMED HORSES:

Race#	Program #	Horse's Name	New Owner/Trainer	Prior Owner/Trainer
8	4	BOBBY BABY	FRANK BEMIS OR SHAWN DAVIS/SHAWN DAVIS	CHRIS FULLMER/BRYCE GALE

LATE JOCKEY CHANGES:

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Listed Jockey	New Jockey
6	5	MINISTER VIVENDI	TRACY HEBERT	ISRAEL HERNANDEZ

ADDITIONAL TESTING:

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Trainer's Name	FINISH	Reason
1	5	TWITTERATI	STACY CAMPO	2 ND	SPECIALED
2	3	CROWN THE KITTEN	JUAN PABLO SILVA	1 ST	TCO2
4	7	HULETT	RICARDO SALDANA	2 ND	SPECIALED
5	6	RIDE HARD KOWBOY	JOSE LUNA SILVA	2 ND	SPECIALED
7	7	FREEDOM HILL	MANNY ORTIZ	4 TH	TCO2

Significant Incidents /Matters:

Race 1: None

Race 2: None

Race 3: There was a short delay to correct the numbers on top of the starting gate prior to the start of the race.

Race 4: There was a delay leaving the paddock as **#3 PULPITS POWER** lost a shoe on his way to the paddock and it had to be replaced.

Race 5: None

Race 6: None

Race 7: None

Race 8: None

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2	3	IMPETU	JOSE SILVA, JR.	VETERINARIAN	SICK
5	4	KICKENIT	ED KERELUK	STEWARDS	RE-ENTER
8	5	DIVINE WAY	MIKE BASTIN	VETERINARIAN	SICK
8	6	BACIAM	RUSSELL CHILDS	VETERINARIAN	SICK

CLAIMED HORSES:

Race#	Program #	Horse's Name	New Owner/Trainer	Prior Owner/Trainer
3	3	ARIZONA RY	O'BRIEN, OBRIEN, LLC & W.L MEHOK/DEBBIE O'BRIEN	BARBARA EAKIN OR SHELLY NANCE/JONATHAN NANCE
3	6	BIG HUNK	RAYMOND TAYLOR/BURTON SIP	JAMES WILLIAMS, RICK GALLEGOS, ERIC ROSSMAN OR CURT STARK/MATT WILLIAMS
7	4	AMERICAN LEAGUE	RICK TAPPE/PATRICK FIELDS	CUSTOM TRUCK ACCESSORIES OR PAUL TREASURE/PAUL TREASURE

LATE JOCKEY CHANGES:

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Listed Jockey	New Jockey
1	3	IT MAKES SENSE	SCOTT STEVENS	ALEX CRUZ
2	2	ROCKANDAHARDPLACE	SCOTT STEVENS	DENNY VELAZQUEZ
3	7	DOING FINE	SCOTT STEVENS	LESLIE MAWING
4	4	LETTHERAINSETTLEIT	SCOTT STEVENS	GLENN CORBETT
5	6	PRESIDENTSKY	SCOTT STEVENS	LESLIE MAWING
8	4	IPRAY	SCOTT STEVENS	LESLIE MAWING

ADDITIONAL TESTING:

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Trainer's Name	FINISH	Reason
2	6	KIT CHECK	MIKE BASTIN	2 ND	SPECIALED
2	4	TRILL POINT	JAMES BROWN	6 TH	TCO2
6	5	TENGAS RANSOM	SCOTT ROLLINS	2 ND	SPECIALED

Significant Incidents /Matters:

Race 1: There was a fifteen (15) minute delay due to an injury to jockey Scott Stevens at the gate and finding a replacement jockey.

Race 2: None

Race 3: None

Race 4: It was announced to the public that **#6 YOU DON'T KNOW JACK** is a Horse (stud) and not a gelding.

Race 5: None

Race 6: None

Race 7: None

Race 8: None

Respectfully Submitted

Magdaleno Perez, State Steward
 Gary Baze, State Steward
 John Adams, Association Steward

WEEK #23 SUMMARY March 16-20, 2019

Races Carded	Stewards' Inquiries	Objections Lodged	Disqualifications	Claims	Afternoon Race-Related Incidents
41	1	0	0	11	0

2018-19 TURF PARADISE MEET TOTALS

Races Carded	Stewards' Inquiries	Objections Lodged	Disqualifications	Claims	Afternoon Race-Related Accidents
791	37	29	13	253	22

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 To anonymously report suspected animal abuse issues, call the Integrity hotline at
 602-364-1716***

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