

FINES AND SUSPENSIONS BULLETIN

Fri, Jul 1 - Thu, Jul 7

PART ONE

The following action has been taken by the United States Trotting Association. This information is in an abbreviated form.

*** NO RECORDS FOUND ***

PART TWO - MAJOR PENALTIES

The following actions published herein and imposed pursuant to the rules and regulations of the racing commissions of the various states and provinces are given full faith and credit and strictly enforced by the United States Trotting Association consistent with the provisions of USTA Rule 22, Sections 7 and 8 relative to RECIPROCITY OF PENALTIES. The fact that there is no separate action taken by the USTA in the form of a "ruling of reciprocity" shall not be construed as a failure to recognize and/or reciprocate with these published penalties. Please note that the following action is in an abbreviated form and that the USTA is not responsible for the accuracy or timeliness of reported penalties. Further information may be available by contacting the racing commission where the ruling was issued to determine the accuracy of the information.

BREWER, BOBBIE JO

XENIA, OH

YOB 1979

ScD on 5/14/2022

WARNING ISSUED

LOW OR EXCESS LEVEL OF AUTHORIZED MEDICATION

Blood sample #897247 collected at Scioto Downs on 5/14/2022 from the horse TUITION MONEY was found to contain Salicylic Acid at a concentration of 15.4 +/- 0.6 micrograms per milliliter of plasma. This exceeds the Regulatory Threshold of 6.5 micrograms per milliliter adopted by the OSRC. Trainer Bobbie Jo Brewer has been issued a warning. O.S.R.C.-3769-18-01(B)(18)(a).

ScD on 5/18/2022

WARNING ISSUED

LOW OR EXCESS LEVEL OF AUTHORIZED MEDICATION

Blood sample #892028 collected at Scioto Downs on 5/18/2022 from the horse HOWYADOINBUB was found to contain Salicylic Acid at a concentration of 16.4 +/- 0.9 micrograms per milliliter of plasma. This exceeds the Regulatory Threshold of 6.5 micrograms per milliliter adopted by the OSRC. Trainer Bobbie Jo Brewer has been issued a warning. O.S.R.C.-3769-18-01(B)(18)(a).

DUNNING, BRYSON T

CARNEYS POINT, NJ

YOB 2003

PcD on 6/25/2022

FINED: \$200

LATE FOR THE BREATH ANALYZER TEST

PA Title7-203.5 Mr. Dunning was late for the breathalyzer test on 6/25/22. He is fined \$200.00 which must be paid by 7/14/22.

EISENHOWER, JOSEPH M SR.

SEWELL, NJ

YOB 1951

Fhld on 6/11/2022

FULL - INDEFINITELY AS OF 6/29/2022

INDEFINITE SUSPENSION(IND) AS OF 6/29/2022

FAILURE TO PAY FINE(S)

You are hereby suspended indefinitely until such time payment is received by the NJRC.

FINN, LARRY W

XENIA, OH

YOB 1972

ScD on 6/24/2022

FINED: \$250

OFFENSIVE/PROFANE LANGUAGE

Scioto Downs, Trainer Larry Finn is hereby fined the sum of two hundred-fifty dollars (\$250.00) for violation of Ohio State Racing Commission Rule # 3769-17-29(A)(7). Mr. Finn did conduct himself in an inappropriate manner and used offensive and profane language towards another licensee while in the paddock. If your fine is not paid to the judges by 7/15/2022 your license may be suspended by the OSRC.

MARSHALL, SUSAN A

WHITE HAVEN, PA

YOB 1963

Mea on 7/1/2022

FINED: \$500

MAKING A FRAUDULENT CLAIM

PA Code Title 7-205.251(w), 205.501(15) Licensee Susan Marshall entered a claim on the horse THINKING SMART in race 11 on 7/1/22 at the Meadows that the Presiding Judge determined to be fraudulent and therefore voided. Ms. Marshall signed into the paddock as a caretaker of a horse that was in race 8. Surveillance cameras in the paddock show Ms. Marshall repeatedly using her phone to either photograph or video horses that were in races 11 and 12. Furthermore, Commission investigators followed the horse that she signed in as caretaker on in race 8 back to the ship-in barn, only to find that Ms. Marshall had already left and was not caring for the horse. Ms. Marshall is fined \$500.00 which is due within 10 days of this ruling. Ms. Marshall has 10 days to appeal this decision to the Pennsylvania SHRC, Bureau of Standardbred Racing.

POSNER, MICHAEL D

JACKSON, NJ

YOB 1954

PHL on 5/20/2022

WARNING ISSUED

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

PA Code Title 7-401.3(a) 401.3(b) 401.45 Mr. Posner was the trainer of the horse ARABELLA`S CADET for the 7th race on May 20, 2022 at Harrah`s Philadelphia. Blood samples drawn (post race) from ARABELLA`S CADET were tested and found to contain Cobalt at a concentration of 36.27 +/- 2.47 ppb. There is no penalty for the trainer, only a written warning. The horse ARABELLA`S CADET shall not be permitted to race until testing for Cobalt at a concentration below 25 ppb. Appeals are due within ten days of ruling and must be submitted in writing (accompanied by a \$750 bond) to: The PA State Horse Racing Commission, 2301 N. Cameron St., Room 304, Harrisburg, PA 17110 ATTN: Anthony Salerno

QUILL, MR SEAMUS

EAST WINDSOR, NJ

YOB 1993

Fhld on 5/8/2022

FULL - INDEFINITELY AS OF 5/8/2022

INDEFINITE SUSPENSION(IND) AS OF 5/8/2022

FAILURE TO PAY FINE(S)

You re hereby suspended till such time payment is received y the NJRC . Said payment shall be effective immediately.

SANER, JOHN E

BATAVIA, IA

YOB 1963

Eldon on 6/16/2022

FINED: \$150

IMPROPER CONDUCT OR LANGUAGE TO AN OFFICIAL

USTA Rule 20.01, improper language to a race official. Mr. Saner made threats to the presiding judge, 2ns offense. The fine has been paid.

SCHMUCKER, MELVIN **BOCA RATON, FL** **YOB 1979**
HoP on 6/12/2022 **FINED: \$1,500**

OUT OF COMPETITION TESTING

71 IAC 5-1-14(a), (b)(16); 71 IAC 5-1-26(a)&(b); 71 IAC 8-3-5(a)(e) On 6/12/2022 IHRC representatives contacted trainer Melvin Schmucker to inform him that his horse MEADOWBROOK NOLA was selected for Out of Competition testing. By IHRC rule, collection from MEADOWBROOK NOLA had to occur not later than one hour after Commission Designee arrives. Mr. Schmucker was reached by phone two and a half hours later. He was given the opportunity to designate someone to assist Commission designee with the taking of samples but was not cooperative resulting in MEADOWBROOK NOLA not being tested.

SHORT, CHRISTOPHER LEE **CARDINGTON, OH** **YOB 1968**
ScD on 6/24/2022 **FINED: \$250**

IMPROPER CONDUCT OR LANGUAGE TO AN OFFICIAL

Scioto Downs, Trainer Chris Short is hereby fined the sum of two hundred-fifty dollars (\$250.00) for violation of Ohio State Racing Commission Rule # 3769-17-35. Mr. Short did conduct himself in an inappropriate manner and used offensive and profane language towards a racing official. If your fine is not paid to the judges by 7/15/2022 your license may be suspended by the OSRC.

STILL, WILLIAM A **MAGNOLIA, DE** **YOB 1969**
Har on 6/28/2022 **FINED: \$200**

FULL - 2 DAYS, 7/8/2022 THRU 7/9/2022

IMPROPER CONDUCT OR LANGUAGE TO AN OFFICIAL

DHRC Licensee William Still, having had a Judge`s hearing on 7/6/22, is fined \$200 and is suspended 2 days (7/8/22 through 7/9/22) for improper conduct and improper language to an official, or persons serving under their orders, after the 11th race on 6/28/22 at Harrington Raceway (see DHRC rule: 5.1.27.1). All fines to be paid within 10 days of receipt of ruling. All appeals are due within 4 business days after the publishing of the ruling (see DHRC rule: 10.2.9 Appeals).

TRITTON, LAUREN RAE **PINE BUSH, NY** **YOB 1993**
TgDn on 6/18/2022 **FINED: \$500**

IMPROPER CONDUCT OR LANGUAGE TO AN OFFICIAL

While on the grounds as trainer during the races at Tioga Downs on Sunday, June 19, 2022 you failed to conduct yourself in a forthright manner and used improper language toward the track veterinarian.

TRITTON, SHANE PETER **PINE BUSH, NY** **YOB 1983**
TgDn on 6/25/2022 **FINED: \$500**

IMPROPER CONDUCT OR LANGUAGE TO AN OFFICIAL

While on the grounds at Tioga Downs during the races on Sunday, June 19, 2022 you failed to conduct yourself in a forthright manner and used improper language toward the track veterinarian.

WYATT, JOHN W
Fhld on 2/25/2022

LEVITTOWN, PA

YOB 1955

FINED: \$2,000

FULL - 365 DAYS, 8/1/2022 THRU 7/31/2023

POSSESSION OF HYPODERMIC NEEDLES, SYRINGES AND/OR INJECTABLE AND/OR OTHER DRUGS

As a result of the administrative hearing conducted on June 16, 2022 the Board of Judges has determined that: On February 25, 2021 and March 3, 2021, Mr. Wyatt did possess hypodermic needles and other instruments used for injection in his stabling area at Busy Bee Farm, an off-track training facility that is licensed by and under the jurisdiction of the NJRC, which is in violation of NJRC rules 13:71-7.29(a)13, 13:71-23.6(c)(d) and 13:71-23.9. As a result of the violations noted above, Mr. Wyatt is hereby suspended for a total of 12 months and is hereby fined the total sum of \$2000.00. The two 6-month suspensions shall run consecutively beginning August 1, 2022 through July 31, 2023. The fine associated with this ruling must be received by the NJRC on or before July 31, 2023. During the period of suspension, John Wyatt is denied access to all grounds under the jurisdiction of the New Jersey for any and all purposes. BY ORDER OF THE NEW JERSEY RACING COMMISSION BOARD OF JUDGES

PART THREE - WHIPPING VIOLATIONS

ATHEARN, MATTHEW M
PRC on 7/5/2022

CUMBERLAND, ME

YOB 1998

FINED: \$500

DRIVING - 3 DAYS, 7/10/2022 THRU 7/12/2022

INAPPROPRIATE USE OF THE WHIP

USTA Rule 18.00 S18.08 (b)10. On 07/05/2022 at PRC, while driving No.6 SCOTTLYNN SEELSTER in Race 10, driver Matthew Athearn did place the whip between the horses legs repeatedly in the stretch. (3rd whipping violation). As a result of the violation Mr. Athearn is hereby fined \$500.00. In addition Mr. Athearn is suspended from driving only for three days beginning Sunday 07/10/2022 through and including Tuesday 07/12/2022. Subsequent violation will result in additional fines and days. All fines are due within 48 hours of imposition.

CHINDANO, JOSEPH J JR.
TgDn on 5/7/2022

BLOOMINGBURG, NY

YOB 1999

FINED: \$100

EXCESSIVE OR INDISCRIMINATE USE OF WHIP

DEMARS, S BERNARD
OAKGR on 6/29/2022

GREENVILLE, TX

YOB 1968

FINED: \$100

EXCESSIVE OR INDISCRIMINATE USE OF WHIP

810 KAR 5:070 Section 9(3)(a) Mr. Demars is hereby fined \$100.00 for excessive or indiscriminate use of the whip. Fine shall be paid within 14 days of this ruling.

INDOF, JEREMY F **BELLE VERNON, PA** **YOB 1996**
Mea on 6/30/2022 FINED: \$200

INAPPROPRIATE USE OF THE WHIP

PA Code Title 7-205.409(c). While driving No. 2 IRISH DAYDREAM during the stretch in race 9 on 6/30/22 at the Meadows, driver Jeremy Indof did use other than wrist and elbow action while whipping. Mr. Indof is fined \$200.00 which is due within 10 days of this ruling. Mr. Indof has 10 days to appeal this decision to the Pennsylvania SHRC, Bureau of Standardbred Racing.

MERRILL, BENSON C **CHELSEA, ME** **YOB 1990**
CUMB on 7/2/2022 FINED: \$150

FAILURE TO KEEP A LINE IN EACH HAND

EXCESSIVE USE OF THE WHIP 2ND TIME AROUND BACKSIDE

MORRIS, LEE S **LEOMINSTER** **YOB 1984**
TgDn on 6/24/2022 FINED: \$100

EXCESSIVE OR INDISCRIMINATE USE OF WHIP

PALONE, DAVID M **WASHINGTON, PA** **YOB 1962**
Mea on 7/2/2022 FINED: \$200

INAPPROPRIATE USE OF THE WHIP

PA Code Title 7-205.409(c) While driving No. 1 CAVIART ROCKLAND in race 7 on 7/2/22 at the Meadows, driver Dave Palone did whip the horse using other than wrist and elbow action while in the stretch. Mr. Palone is fined \$200.00 which is due within 10 days of this ruling. Mr. Palone has 10 days to appeal this decision to the Pennsylvania SHRC, Bureau of Standardbred Racing.

STALBAUM, LARRY D **MATAMORAS, PA** **YOB 1963**
PRC on 7/5/2022 FINED: \$200

OTHER

USTA Rule 18.00 S18.08 (b)2. On 07/05/2022 at PRC, while driving No.5 MISS IRISH ROSE A in Race 11, driver Larry Stalbaum did use the whip in the stretch, more than three times in succession without giving the horse time to respond to urging. (1st offense). As a result of the violation Mr. Stalbaum is hereby fined \$200.00. Subsequent violations will result in additional fines and days. All fines are due within 48 hours of imposition.

THIESSEN, DARYL **ELM CREEK, MB** **YOB 1990**
TgDn on 5/28/2022 FINED: \$100

EXCESSIVE OR INDISCRIMINATE USE OF WHIP

PART FOUR - MINOR PENALTIES

ATHEARN, GRETCHEN R PRc on 7/4/2022 LATE TO THE LASIX/ DETENTION BARN	CUMBERLAND, ME FINED: \$100	YOB 1976
BAMBRICK, FRANKIE HAROLD TgDn on 6/4/2022 OTHER	NICHOLS, NY FINED: \$500	YOB 1966
BATES, BRANDON L HoP on 7/2/2022 FAILURE TO SET AND MAINTAIN A PROPER PACE	MONROE, IN DRIVING - 4 DAYS, 7/4/2022 THRU 7/7/2022	YOB 1975
BETTS, SCOTT R Mea on 6/28/2022 FAILURE TO OBEY THE INSTRUCTIONS OF A RACING OFFICIAL	WASHINGTON, PA FINED: \$100	YOB 1992
BIER, JENNY OD on 7/3/2022 LATE DRIVER CHANGE	DOVER, DE FINED: \$100	YOB 1978
BOWERS, JASON ALAN OD on 7/6/2022 LATE TO THE PADDOCK	SUDLERSVILLE, MD FINED: \$100	YOB 1986
BOYD, BRAXTEN B TgDn on 5/15/2022 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION	JONESVILLE, MI FINED: \$100	YOB 2000
CAMPBELL, MICHAEL N Aces on 7/3/2022 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION	AIDRIE, AB FINED: \$100	YOB 1987
CHARLINO, DANIEL P Mea on 6/29/2022 INTERFERENCE/ CAUSING ANOTHER HORSE TO MAKE A BREAK	MUSE, PA FINED: \$200	YOB 1963
CHARTRAND, ALEK R TgDn on 6/26/2022 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION	SARATOGA SPRINGS, NY FINED: \$100	YOB 1984
CHUPP, MARION W Nfld on 6/29/2022 FAILURE TO PROVIDE ADEQUATE OR PROPER DECLARATION INFORMATION	MILLERSBURG, OH FINED: \$50	YOB 1988

DEATON, RYAN J Nfld on 6/26/2022 LATE DRIVER CHANGE	SOMERVILLE, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 1994
DERUNTZ, MICHAEL J TgDn on 6/25/2022 LATE DRIVER CHANGE	GILLETT, PA FINED: \$100	YOB 1977
DESLANDES, DAN S Bang on 7/3/2022 FAILURE TO KEEP BOTH FEET IN THE STIRRUPS	CLIFTON, ME FINED: \$150	YOB 1992
DUNN, DEXTER J YR on 7/1/2022 TALKING ON THE RACE TRACK	SWEDESBORO, NJ FINED: \$100	YOB 1989
FEKIEH, IBRAHIM Haw on 6/30/2022 OTHER	NORTH OLMSTEAD, OH RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING(RES) AS OF 6/30/2022	YOB 1975
GINGRAS, YANNICK YR on 7/1/2022 TALKING ON THE RACE TRACK	ALLENTOWN, NJ FINED: \$100	YOB 1979
HENNESSEY, EDWARD V ScD on 6/29/2022 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION	GRAND BLANC, MI FINED: \$200 HORSE PLACED 5	YOB 1956
HENNESSEY, WALTER J TgDn on 5/27/2022 SLOW QUARTER/HALF TgDn on 6/26/2022 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION	COCONUT CREEK, FL FINED: \$100 FINED: \$100	YOB 1956
HOLZMAN, PAUL R ScD on 6/25/2022 LATE DRIVER CHANGE	STREETSBORO, OH FINED: \$50	YOB 1962
HORSEY, CEBA M Har on 7/6/2022 PASSING LANE VIOLATION	LAUREL, DE FINED: \$100 HORSE PLACED 4	YOB 1976

HUCKABONE, JUSTIN VICTOR VD on 6/25/2022	UTICA, NY DRIVING - 3 DAYS, 6/30/2022 THRU 7/2/2022 HORSE PLACED 2	YOB 1994
CHANGING COURSE/CAUSING INTERFERENCE		
JONES, TYLER S TgDn on 6/18/2022	VERO BEACH, FL DRIVING - 4 DAYS, 6/30/2022 THRU 7/3/2022 HORSE PLACED 5	YOB 1993
CHANGING COURSE/CAUSING INTERFERENCE		
TgDn on 6/25/2022	FINED: \$50	
FAILURE TO COME UP/STAY IN POSITION		
LESLIE, ROBERT E Stga on 7/2/2022	SARATOGA SPRINGS, NY FINED: \$250	YOB 1956
LATE TO THE LASIX/ DETENTION BARN		
LONGO, GERALD Aces on 7/5/2022	RIVERSIDE, CA FINED: \$200	YOB 1945
JOSTLE, STRIKE OR HOOK WHEELS		
MCCARTHY, ANDREW JOHN Stga on 7/4/2022	SWEDESBORO, NJ FINED: \$100	YOB 1986
FAILURE TO DRIVE WHEN PROGRAMMED		
MERRIMAN, AARON E Nfld on 6/29/2022	NORTHFIELD, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 1978
INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION		
MERTON, MICHAEL J TgDn on 6/24/2022	MONTICELLO, NY	YOB 1971
INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION		
MICALLEF, MICHAEL L ScD on 6/25/2022	FRANKFORT, OH FINED: \$300	YOB 1973
KICKING A HORSE		
MILLER, DAVID S VD on 6/19/2022	ROBBINSVILLE, NJ FINED: \$100	YOB 1964
FAILURE TO DRIVE WHEN PROGRAMMED		
YR on 7/4/2022	FINED: \$100	
KICKING A HORSE		
MILLER, URIAH H ScD on 6/25/2022	NORTHFIELD, OH FINED: \$50	YOB 2000

LATE DRIVER CHANGE

MORGAN, TERRY R PHL on 7/1/2022 LATE TO THE LASIX/ DETENTION BARN	COLTS NECK, NJ FINED: \$250	YOB 1943
MYERS, CHRISTIAN J Nfld on 6/29/2022 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION	HOUSTON, PA FINED: \$100	YOB 2002
NAPOLITANO, GEORGE JR PcD on 7/2/2022 FAILURE TO KEEP BOTH FEET IN THE STIRRUPS	BOCA RATON, FL FINED: \$200	YOB 1966
OKUSKO, HOWARD W JR VD on 7/4/2022 FAILURE TO DRIVE WHEN PROGRAMMED	VERNON, NY FINED: \$100	YOB 1963
PALONE, DAVID M Mea on 6/29/2022 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION	WASHINGTON, PA FINED: \$200	YOB 1962
PARKER, JUSTIN S OD on 6/29/2022 FAILURE TO DRIVE WHEN PROGRAMMED	MONROEVILLE, NJ FINED: \$50	YOB 1982
PLANO, LUKE Aces on 6/30/2022 LAYING BACK IN SULKY	SACRAMENTO, CA FINED: \$250	YOB 1980
PRICE, ANTHONY J ScD on 6/22/2022 OTHER	WAPAKONETA, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 1958
SCIARRINO, SALVATORE PHL on 6/29/2022 LATE TO THE LASIX/ DETENTION BARN	BEAR, DE FINED: \$250	YOB 1963
SEARS, BRYANT K PRc on 7/4/2022 TAKE UP ABRUPTLY/SIT DOWN IN FRONT OF HORSES CAUSING CONFUSION AMONG TRAILING HORSES	NORTON, MA FINED: \$250	YOB 1987
SHETLER, ANDY R HoP on 6/24/2022	ANDERSON, IN FINED: \$400	YOB 1973

FAILURE TO SET AND MAINTAIN A PROPER PACE

SIEGELMAN, AUSTIN T KINGSTON, PA YOB 1992
YR on 7/2/2022
FINED: \$250
DELAYING THE START

SIMONS, MICHAEL H MILFORD, PA YOB 1961
TgDn on 6/24/2022
FINED: \$100
INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION
TgDn on 6/26/2022
DRIVING - 3 DAYS, 7/1/2022 THRU 7/3/2022
HORSE PLACED 6
CHANGING COURSE/CAUSING INTERFERENCE

SOWERS, MCGWIRE P MONTICELLO, NY YOB 2000
MR on 7/6/2022
FINED: \$100
INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION

STEVENSON, MICHAEL A NEW GLOUCESTER, ME YOB 1964
PRc on 6/30/2022
FINED: \$100
INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION

STRATTON, JORDAN D MONTGOMERY, NY YOB 1987
VD on 6/19/2022
FINED: \$100
KICKING A HORSE

SVENDSEN, LEMOYNE D SACRAMENTO, CA YOB 1958
Aces on 6/7/2022
FINED: \$100
INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION
Aces on 7/3/2022
FINED: \$300
IMPEDING THE PROGRESS OF ANOTHER HORSE

THIESSEN, DARYL ELM CREEK, MB YOB 1990
TgDn on 6/5/2022
FINED: \$100
FAILURE TO DRIVE WHEN PROGRAMMED

WARNER, KERIN J CAZENOVIA, NY YOB 1973
Stga on 7/3/2022
FINED: \$100
LATE DRIVER CHANGE

WRENN, RONNIE H JR. CHAGRIN FALLS, OH YOB 1986
Mea on 7/2/2022
FINED: \$200
FAILURE TO DRIVE WHEN PROGRAMMED

ZERON, SCOTT RICHARD CAMPBELL HALL, NY YOB 1989
YR on 7/4/2022
FINED: \$100

FAILURE TO DRIVE WHEN PROGRAMMED