

FINES AND SUSPENSIONS BULLETIN

Fri, Jun 5 - Thu, Jun 11

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.

ANDERSON, LAURA

PcD on 2/25/2026

MONROE, MI

FINED: \$50

YOB 1995

INDEFINITE SUSPENSION(IND) AS OF 6/2/2026

FAILURE TO OBTAIN PROPER LICENSE

PA Title 7-203.11(e) Laura Anderson has failed to complete licensing requirements in PA for 2026. TRENTE DEO raced on 2/25/2026 at Pocono Downs under a 30 day owner affidavit. Ms. Anderson was fined \$50 and is suspended indefinitely beginning 6/2/2026 and will remain suspended until the fine is paid and all licensing requirements have been met.

BAYLIS, LARRY J

PcD on 2/14/2026

CLARKSTON, MI

FINED: \$50

YOB 1962

INDEFINITE SUSPENSION(IND) AS OF 6/2/2026

FAILURE TO OBTAIN PROPER LICENSE

PA Title 7-203.11(e) Larry J Baylis has failed to complete licensing requirements in PA for 2025. PIRATES SHADOW raced on 2/14/2026 at Pocono Downs under a 30 day owner affidavit. Mr. Baylis was fined \$50 and is suspended indefinitely beginning 6/2/2026 and will remain suspended until the fine is paid and all licensing requirements have been met.

BRANDSTATTER-HALL, CANDACE I BATAVIA, NY

BR on 5/6/2026

FINED: \$500

YOB 1998

FULL - 3 DAYS, 6/14/2026 THRU 6/16/2026

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Candace Brandstatter-Hall, as trainer of record for the horse, HOBBS, in the 10th race on 05/06/2026 at Buffalo Raceway, having appeared before a representative of the New York State Gaming Commission, and waiving the right to a formal hearing and the right to appeal, and waiving the right to a referee sample test, is issued a seven (7) day full suspension (reduced to a three (3) day full suspension) and a One-Thousand Dollar (\$1,000.00) fine reduced to Five-hundred dollar (\$500.00) without appeal. HOBBS who finished 2nd is disqualified and unplaced and the purse money earned One Thousand Three Hundred and Seventy Five (\$1,375) is ordered returned and redistributed. The post-race sample collected from HOBBS was found to contain "METHOCARBAMOL" at a

concentration of 3.56 +/- 0.14 ng. HOBBS shall submit a sample for testing and remain on the Judge`s list until a negative result is obtained and must re-qualify. During the term of the suspension, Candace Brandstatter-Hall is deemed a disqualified person and denied access to all grounds under jurisdiction of the New York State Gaming Commission. Any horses owned or trained by Candace Brandstatter-Hall shall be denied the privilege of participating during the term of the suspension. This is Candace Brandstatter-Hall`s 1st offense in this category in a 365-day period.

CLARKE, BRUCE D
PcD on 3/14/2026

HARVEYS LAKE, PA

YOB 1958

FINED: \$500
HORSE DISQUALIFIED, PURSE
REDISTRIBUTION

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Fined: \$500, Horse Disqualified, Loss of purse \$7,500 PA Code 7-203.22, 401.3(a)(b) Sample # 434971 F collected from the horse BEACH TOWN BOY after race #14 on 3/14/2026 at Pocono Downs was found to contain Dexamethasone (Class C penalty) This is a violation of the PA medication rules. After waiving the right to a hearing/appeal Bruce Clarke (as the trainer of record) is fined \$500 which has been paid. BEACH TOWN BOY finished 1st and was disqualified. Purse money (\$7,500) must be returned to Downs Racing LP for redistribution within 10 days of the ruling.

CRISLER, RANDY D
OAKGR on 4/13/2026

CRYSTAL SPRINGS, MS

YOB 1981

FINED: \$1,500
FULL - 10 DAYS, 6/22/2026 THRU 7/1/2026
HORSE DISQUALIFIED - PLACED 7, PURSE
REDISTRIBUTION

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Mr. Randy Crisler was the listed trainer of #1 JK's Shining Star who was in the 7th Race at Oak Grove on 4/13/2026. After finishing 4th and being selected for testing, report dated 4/28/2026 for sample E620398 that was sent to Industrial Laboratories confirmed a Flunixin in the blood at a level of 7.43 ng/mL which is over the permitted 5 ng/mL violating 810 KAR 8:025 Section 2 – 1. Mr. Crisler requested a split sample which was delivered to EQIAS Labs on 5/27/2026. EQIAS Labs confirmed on 6/3/2026 that sample E620398 had a level of Flunixin of 7.50 ng/mL which is over the permitted level of 5 ng/mL. Mr. Crisler had a hearing before the Board of Judges of the KHRG on 6/8/2026 at Oak Grove. After hearing testimony and considering all the facts the Board of Judges make the following ruling. #1 JK's Shining Star is 4th DQ placed 7th and the purse of \$2,400.00 (Two Thousand Four Hundred Dollars) is ordered to be returned and redistributed. Furthermore Mr. Crisler is issued a \$1,500.00 (One Thousand Five Hundred Dollar) Fine and a 10 (Ten) Day Full Suspension starting 6/22/2026 thru and including 7/1/2026. Any and all horses owned or trained by Mr. Crisler may not be transferred without prior approval by the Board of Judges of the KHRG. Mr. Crisler is denied access to any and all grounds under the jurisdiction of the KHRG during his suspension.

EATON, MARK W
PcD on 3/4/2026

MENDON, MA **YOB 1994**
FINED: \$50
INDEFINITE SUSPENSION(IND) AS OF 6/3/2026

FAILURE TO OBTAIN PROPER LICENSE

PA Title 7-203.11(e) Mark W Eaton has failed to complete licensing requirements in PA for 2026. CHAKRA raced on 3/4/2026 at Pocono Downs under a 30 day owner affidavit. Mr. Eaton was fined \$50 and is suspended indefinitely beginning 6/3/2026 and will remain suspended until the fine is paid and all licensing requirements have been met.

ENGBLOM, PER
M on 4/29/2023

CHESTERFIELD, NJ **YOB 1980**
FINED: \$6,000...**STAYED**
FULL - 380 DAYS, 5/16/2025 THRU
5/30/2026...**STAYED**

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

New Jersey Racing Commission (NJRC) licensee Per Engblom was the programmed trainer of the horse "Mon Amour" when he raced in the 6th race at the Meadowlands Racetrack on April 29, 2023 and finished in first place. Following this race, "Mon Amour" was selected to submit post-race blood and urine samples for analysis. A report from Industrial Laboratories identified the presence of Oxycodone, Carisprodol and Meprobamate, a metabolite of Carisprodol. At Mr. Engblom's request, split sample testing was performed at Texas A&M Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory, which is an approved independent laboratory. These testing results did confirm the presence of Oxycodone, Carisprodol and its metabolite Meprobamate. This is in direct violation of the rules and regulations of the New Jersey Racing Commission. An administrative hearing was conducted on December 6, 2023 in the Judges' office at the Meadowlands Racetrack to accept evidence and testimony regarding this matter. As a result of this hearing, the Board of Judges have determined that NJRC licensee Per Engblom was the programmed trainer of the horse "Mon Amour" when he raced in the 6th race at the Meadowlands Racetrack on April 29, 2023 and the presence of these prohibited substances is in direct violation of N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.1, and N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.6. As a trainer licensed by the NJRC, Mr. Engblom is the absolute insurer of and responsible for the condition of a horse within his care and custody and shall not enter or start a horse that has in its body any drug or substance foreign to the natural horse. As a result of the evidence and testimony presented at the administrative hearing held on December 6, 2023 regarding the post-race positive test from the horse "Mon Amour" for the drug Oxycodone on April 29, 2023, Mr. Engblom is hereby issued a full suspension of his NJRC license for a period of one year (365 days). Said suspension shall begin on March 15, 2024 and run through March 14, 2025 inclusive.

Status as of 6/8/2026 - Stay - The New Jersey Racing Commission ("Commission") is in receipt of a notice of appeal and request for a stay from Andrew R. Benedict, Esq. on behalf of his client, Per Engblom. By Ruling No. 24MDH35, dated February 15, 2024, trainer Per Engblom was issued a three-hundred-eighty day suspension, a \$6,000 fine, disqualification of purse, and 8 Multiple Medication Violation ("MMV") points by the Board of Judges at Meadowlands Racetrack for violation of N.J.A.C.

13:71-7.29(a)13, N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.1(a)(b)1, and N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.6(a)(b)(c)(d) in connection with a positive test result in the horse "MON AMOUR" when it completed in the 6th race at Meadowlands Racetrack on April 29, 2023. On January 2, 2025, Administrative Law Judge ("ALJ") Thomas R. Betancourt issued an initial decision, which affirmed the finding of violations and all penalties except the three-hundred-eighty day suspension which he reduced to ninety days. On March 19, 2025, the Commission determined to modify the initial decision. The Commission found that the appropriate penalty should include a three-hundred-eighty day suspension as ordered by the Board of Judges in Ruling No. 24MDH35. The Commission issued a Final Decision, dated April 23, 2025, setting forth its decision and modifications. On May 14, 2026, the Appellate Division issued a decision affirming the Commission's Final Decision. As a result, the New Jersey Racing Commission suspended Mr. Engblom for three-hundred-eighty days and imposed a \$6,000 fine and eight MMV points. Mr. Engblom was issued a full suspension from June 25, 2026, through and including July 10, 2027. The horse "MON AMOUR" was disqualified from sharing in the purse from the 6th race on April 29, 2023. On June 1, 2026, Ryan J. Mowll, Esq. filed a notice of petition for certification with the Supreme Court of New Jersey on behalf of Mr. Engblom. The Acting Executive Director, having considered the request for a stay, hereby grants a stay of the penalties pending a

GEORGE, DYLAN M
PHL on 12/12/2025

CORDOVA, MD
FINED: \$20,000
FULL - 755 DAYS, 6/8/2026 THRU 7/1/2028

YOB 2001

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

RULING #26003C On May 6, 2026, the Pennsylvania Equine Toxicology & Research Laboratory (PETRL) reported (Lab Report #R2501264) to the Bureau of Standardbred Horse Racing that sample #396493F taken from the horse VENDETTA BLUE CHIP on December 12, 2025, after the 12th Race at Harrah's Philadelphia Racetrack contained Darbepoetin alfa (DPO) in violation of the Commission's regulations. On May 6, 2026, PETRL reported (Lab Report #R2600109) to the Bureau of Standardbred Horse Racing that sample #434989F taken from the horse VENDETTA BLUE CHIP on March 16, 2026, after the 13th Race at Pocono Downs Racetrack contained Darbepoetin alfa (DPO) in violation of the Commission's regulations. On May 6, 2026, PETRL reported (Lab Report #R2600171)) to the Bureau of Standardbred Horse Racing that sample #435192F taken from the horse VENDETTA BLUE CHIP on April 13, 2026, after the 6th Race at Pocono Downs Racetrack contained Darbepoetin alfa (DPO) in violation of the Commission's regulations. At all dates and times and during all races listed above, Dylan Mathew George was the owner/trainer of record of the horse VENDETTA BLUE CHIP. Accordingly, pursuant to 7 Pa. Code, §§203.22(a)(b); 401.45; and 401.46 of the Commission's regulations, as the trainer of the horse VENDETTA BLUE CHIP, Dylan Mathew George is responsible for the above positive tests. These matters have been administratively consolidated for purposes of this ruling. Through counsel, Dylan Mathew George has knowingly and voluntarily waived his due process rights to all hearings and appeals, including hearings before the Board of Judges or any appeals to the State Horse Racing

Commission and any subsequent appeals or challenges to a reviewing court. Upon consideration of the voluntary waiver of his hearing rights, the Commission hereby imposes the following penalty: a \$20,000 fine, a 755-day license suspension commencing June 8, 2026 through and including July 1, 2028 and loss of all purses. All purse monies ear

MARSHALL, HEATHER
PcD on 10/25/2025

MUNNSVILLE, NY **YOB 1988**
FINED: \$50
FULL - 112 DAYS, 2/18/2026 THRU 6/9/2026

FAILURE TO OBTAIN PROPER LICENSE

PENALTY DESCRIPTION Fined: \$50, Suspended: Full - Indefinitely as of 2/18/2026 PA Title 7-203.11(e) Heather Marshall has failed to complete licensing requirements in PA for 2025. PINK BOMB raced on 10/25/2025 at Pocono Downs under a 30 day owner affidavit. Ms. Marshall was fined \$50 and is suspended indefinitely beginning 2/18/2026 and will remain suspended until the fine is paid and all licensing requirements have been met. **Status as of 6/10/2026 - Subsequent Ruling - Heather Marshall has paid her fine from ruling #26013PD and completed all licensing requirements in PA. Ms Marshall has been restored to good standing in PA as of 6/9/2026.**

MCNAIR, R GREGG
NYRWB on 1/22/2026

GUELPH, ON **YOB 1961**
INDEFINITE SUSPENSION(IND) AS OF
6/15/2026...**STAYED**

REFUSAL TO COOPERATE WITH AUTHORITIES DURING AN INVESTIGATION

On January 22, 2026, the New York State Gaming Commission issued a Subpoena Duces Tecum to R. Gregg McNair. By failing to comply with this Subpoena, R. Gregg McNair is in violation of Commission Rules 4101.24(k) and 4119.7(d) and the occupational licenses/receipts of R. Gregg McNair are hereby suspended indefinitely beginning June 15, 2026, until such time that R. Gregg McNair substantively complies with the Subpoena. While suspended R. Gregg McNair is deemed a disqualified person and is hereby ruled off all grounds under the jurisdiction of the New York State Gaming Commission. Any ownership or trainer transfers of horses under the care, control, or custody of R. Gregg McNair will not be permitted without the prior approval of the New York State Gaming Commission, Division of Horse Racing. **Status as of 6/5/2026 - Stay - The stay of suspension has been granted until the Commission's decision on the pending adjudication.**

MILLER, BRIAN JAY
Nfld on 5/6/2026

DUNDEE, OH **YOB 1996**
FINED: \$500
HORSE DISQUALIFIED - PLACED 9, PURSE
REDISTRIBUTION

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Blood sample #00873 collected at Northfield Park on 5/6/26 from the horse Queen Suzy was found to contain Dexamethasone at a concentration of 49.1 picograms per milliliter of plasma. This exceeds the regulatory Threshold of 5 picograms per milliliter of plasma adopted by the OSRC. Mr. Miller waived his rights to a split sample, DNA, and a hearing.

This is Mr. Miller`s first medication violation in the last 365 days. Mr. Miller is hereby fined \$1000 and return of purse (\$5,100) if not appealed the penalty will be reduced to a \$500 fine and return of purse. O.S.R.C.-3769-18-01 (A)(1,10,13,15,16) 3769-18-02 3769-17-43 The fine and purse has been paid.

MILLER, JOSIAH L
Aces on 5/31/2026

JAMESTOWN, OH
FINED: \$500
HORSE DISQUALIFIED, PURSE
REDISTRIBUTION

YOB 2007

MEDICATION PROCEDURE VIOLATION

Trainer JOSIAH MILLER who was the trainer of record for the horse CATCHAFALLINGSTAR who raced in the first race on May 31st, 2026 is hereby issued a fine of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars, which also includes a forfeiture of purse earnings of thirteen hundred (\$1,300) dollars for the horse CATCHAFALLINGSTAR. A foreign substance (Blue Lotion) was found to be located on the hindquarters of Catchafallingstar in the test barn after the race was concluded. Josiah Miller did comply and cooperate with the Judges during the investigation. This is a Violation of MN Rule 7890.0110 Subp 1. and MN Rule 7890.0100 Sub 13a, C. Josiah Miller did meet with the Board of Judges and did sign the Waiver of Hearing. All fines are due within 120 hours of this ruling.

REID, JEAN FRANCOIS
PcD on 3/17/2026

ANJOU, QC
FINED: \$50
INDEFINITE SUSPENSION(IND) AS OF 6/3/2026

YOB 1975

FAILURE TO OBTAIN PROPER LICENSE

PENALTY DESCRIPTION Fined: \$50, Action(s) against license: Indefinite suspension(IND) as of 6/3/2026 ADDITIONAL INFORMATION PA Title 7-203.11(e) Jean Francois Reid has failed to complete licensing requirements in PA for 2026. KENOGAMI MAT raced on 3/17/2026 at Pocono Downs under a 30 day owner affidavit. Jean Francois Reid was fined \$50 and is suspended indefinitely beginning 6/3/2026 and will remain suspended until the fine is paid and all licensing requirements have been met.

SHERIDAN, NEWTON M
M on 2/28/2026

MANCHESTER, NJ
FINED: \$500
FULL - 15 DAYS, 6/6/2026 THRU 6/20/2026
HORSE DISQUALIFIED, PURSE
REDISTRIBUTION
APPEALED - 6/8/2026

YOB 1978

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Yogi Sheridan was the programmed trainer of the horse "I DREAM OF JEANIE" when she raced in the third race at The Meadowlands Racetrack on February 28, 2026. Following the race, "I DREAM OF JEANIE" was required to submit blood and urine for analysis. A report from Industrial Laboratories identified the presence of 5-Hydroxydantrolene. Mr. Sheridan was offered the opportunity to have the split sample tested and declined. A hearing was held in the judge`s office at The Meadowlands Racetrack on April 29, 2026. As a result, Mr.

Sheridan is hereby issued a full suspension of his New Jersey Racing Commission license for a period of fifteen (15) days and is fined the sum of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars. Said suspension shall begin on June 6, 2026 and run through June 20, 2026 inclusive. During the period of suspension, Mr. Sheridan is denied access to all grounds that are under the jurisdiction of the New Jersey Racing Commission. Consistent with N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.7 the horse "I DREAM OF JEANIE" is disqualified from sharing in all purse monies earned on February 28, 2026. The fine associated with this ruling must be received by the New Jersey Racing Commission on or before June 20, 2026. MMV Points incurred 1/2 point Violation of N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.1 (a) (b) 14 Violation of N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.6 (a) (b) (c) (d) Violation of N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.7 (a) (b) (c) (d) Violation of N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.8 (g) 1

Status as of 6/8/2026 - Appeal - The New Jersey Racing Commission ("Commission") is in receipt of a notice of appeal and request for a stay from trainer Newton ("Yogi") Sheridan. By Ruling No. 26MDH41, dated May 6, 2026, trainer Newton "Yogi" Sheridan was issued a 15 day suspension, \$500 fine, disqualification of purse and 1/2 Multiple Medication Violation ("MMV") point by the Board of Judges at Meadowlands Racetrack for violation of N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.1 (a) (b) 14, N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.6 (a) (b) (c) (d), N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.7 (a) (b) (c) (d) and N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.8 (g) 1 in connection with a positive test result identifying the presence of 5-Hydroxydantrolene in the horse "I DREAM OF JEANIE" when it competed in the 3rd race at Meadowlands Racetrack on February 28, 2026. The Acting Executive Director, having considered the request for a stay, hereby grants a stay of the penalties pending a final determination by the Racing Commission. This matter will be transmitted to the Office of Administrative Law for a de novo hearing. Related ruling: 26MDH41, dated May 6, 2026

SIMPSON, DIRK
Mea on 2/18/2026

MEADOWLANDS, PA **YOB 1957**
FINED: \$1,000
HORSE DISQUALIFIED - PLACED 9, PURSE
REDISTRIBUTION

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

PA Code Title 7: 203.22(a) 203.22(b) 401.2(a)(1) 401.2(a)(3)(ii) 401.3(a) 401.3(b) Mr. Simpson was the trainer of the horse ONE MORE LIGHT that participated in The Meadows` fourth race on February 18, 2026. Blood samples drawn (post-race) were tested and found to contain Dexamethasone (a therapeutic drug) above the permitted level. As the trainer, Mr. Simpson is responsible for the positive test. ONE MORE LIGHT finished first and is now disqualified. Purse money earned (\$3,500) must be returned within ten days of this ruling. Mr. Simpson is fined \$1,000 (this fine is due within ten days of this ruling). Mr. Simpson has waived his hearing/appeal rights.

WISKOW, DAVID J
MR on 5/18/2026

LAKE HOPATCONG, NJ **YOB 1958**
FINED: \$500

OFFENSIVE/PROFANE LANGUAGE

Rule 4119.1 & 4119.2 On May 18, 2026, on the backstretch at Monticello Raceway, trainer David Wiskow, engaged in a verbal exchange with a fellow licensee. During the exchange

Mr. Wiskow spoke in a threatening manner and used a racial slur. Pursuant to NYGC 4119.1 and 4119.2, trainer David Wiskow is fined the sum of \$500.00 and put on notice that any further conduct violations of this nature shall result in increased monetary penalties or potential suspension of license.

PART THREE - WHIPPING VIOLATIONS

CISCO, SCOTT R **CIRCLE PINES, MN** **YOB 1979**
Aces on 6/4/2026

FINED: \$500
DRIVING - 3 DAYS, 6/14/2026 THRU 6/18/2026

INAPPROPRIATE USE OF THE WHIP

RUNNING ACES Driver SCOTT CISCO is hereby fined five hundred (\$500.00) dollars and issued a 3-day driving suspension from Running Aces (Sunday, June 14th, Tuesday, June 16th and Thursday, June 18th) Mr. Cisco who was the driver of #5 FIFTYSHADESOFCRAY who was in the 5th Race on 6/4/2026 at Running Aces was sent to the test barn for post-race testing and it was noted by the State Veterinarian that numerous welts appeared on the right and left rear hindquarters of Fiftyshadesofcray which is a Violation of MN Rule 7884.0260 Subp A.(3) This is Scott Cisco`s 1st offense of this nature in 2026 at Running Aces. All fines are due within 120 hours of this ruling.

GASBARRO, LOUIS A III **SANFORD, ME** **YOB 1978**
CUMB on 6/7/2026

DRIVING - 10 DAYS, 6/8/2026 THRU 6/17/2026

EXCESSIVE OR INDISCRIMINATE USE OF WHIP

LYNCH, JASON T **DELMAR, DE** **YOB 1989**
Har on 6/8/2026

FINED: \$200

INAPPROPRIATE USE OF THE WHIP

Per DHRC rule 7.6.13.14.3.2 Jason Lynch is issued a \$200 fine for inappropriate use of the whip, while driving #3 Delightful End in the 6th race. This is Jason Lynch`s second whip violation in 2026, any future violations will receive a higher fine or a driving suspension. Per DHRC rule 10.2.7.6 all fines are due within 10 days of this ruling.

MCNEIGHT, JAMES P JR. **LOCKPORT, NY** **YOB 1996**
BR on 6/5/2026

FINED: \$250
DRIVING - 3 DAYS, 6/11/2026 THRU 6/13/2026

INAPPROPRIATE USE OF THE WHIP

Jim McNeight Jr., on Friday, June 5, 2026, while driving in the 9th race at Buffalo Raceway, was observed using more than hand and wrist action in the stretch. This is Mr. McNeight`s 2nd violation of this nature and is hereby fined \$250.00 and suspended 3 days, from 6/11/2026 until 6/13/2026.

MILLER, JOSIAH L **JAMESTOWN, OH** **YOB 2007**

Aces on 6/2/2026

FINED: \$500

DRIVING - 3 DAYS, 6/9/2026 THRU 6/14/2026

INAPPROPRIATE USE OF THE WHIP

RUNNING ACES Driver Josiah Miller is hereby fined five hundred (\$500.00) dollars and issued a 3-day driving suspension from Running Aces (Tuesday, June 9th, Thursday, June 11th and Sunday, June 14th) Mr. Miller who was the driver of #3 Chevron Art N who was in the 8th Race on 6/2/2026 at Running Aces was sent to the test barn for post-race testing and it was noted by the State Veterinarian that a welt appeared on the right rear of Chevron Art N which is a Violation of MN Rule 7884.0260 Subp A.(3) This is Josiah Miller`s 1st offense of this nature in 2026 at Running Aces. Josiah Miller did meet with the Board of Judges and did sign the Waiver of Hearing. All fines are due within 120 hours of this ruling.

NISONGER, JEFFREY S

LEBANON, OH

YOB 1981

ScD on 6/6/2026

FINED: \$300

INAPPROPRIATE USE OF THE WHIP

OSRC 3769-17-17-B. While driving #4 Seaside Delight during the stretch in race 15 on 6/6/26 at Scioto Downs, Mr. Nisonger did whip the horse using other than wrist and elbow action. Mr. Nisonger is fined \$500, the penalty will be reduced to \$300 if not appealed, which is due within 10 days of this ruling. Mr. Nisonger has 48 hours to appeal this decision to the OSRC.

RATH, GARY A

MARENGO, IL

YOB 1961

Aces on 5/28/2026

FINED: \$250

INAPPROPRIATE USE OF THE WHIP

Running Aces Driver GARY RATH is hereby fined two-hundred and fifty (\$250.00) dollars for a Violation of the MN Rule 7884.0260 Subp 2 – T – 5. During the first race on May 28th, 2026 - MR. RATH did use more than wrist action while driving No.1 MIDNIGHT PROWLER. Mr. Rath did meet with the Board of Judges and did Sign the Waiver of Hearing. All Fines are due within 120 Hours.

ROLAND, NICK ROYCE

GRINNELL, IA

YOB 1982

Aces on 5/28/2026

FINED: \$250

INAPPROPRIATE USE OF THE WHIP

Running Aces Driver NICK ROLAND is hereby fined two-hundred and fifty (\$250.00) dollars for a Violation of the MN Rule 7884.0260 Subp 2 – T – 5. During the first race on May 28th, 2026 - MR. ROLAND did use more than wrist action while driving No.5 TEN K OBO Mr. Roland did Sign the Waiver of Hearing. All Fines are due within 120 Hours.

SHORT, ADAM B

XENIA, OH

YOB 1987

ScD on 6/10/2026

FINED: \$300

INAPPROPRIATE USE OF THE WHIP

OSRC 3769-17-17-B. While driving #8 General Idea at the start of race 14 on 6/10/26 at Scioto Downs, Mr. Short did whip the horse using other than wrist and elbow action. This is Mr. Short`s first whipping offense in the last 365 days. Mr. Short is fined \$500, the penalty

will be reduced to \$300 if not appealed, which is due within 10 days of this ruling. Mr. Short has 48 hours to appeal this decision to the OSRC.

SMITH, JEREMY R **WASHINGTON CH, OH** **YOB 1980**
ScD on 6/5/2026 FINED: \$300
INAPPROPRIATE USE OF THE WHIP
OSRC 3769-17-17-B. While driving #2 Jillian B Miki during the stretch in race 9 on 6/5/26 at Scioto Downs, Mr. Smith did whip the horse using other than wrist and elbow action. This is Mr. Smith`s first whipping offense in the last 365 days. Mr. Smith is fined \$500, the penalty will be reduced to \$300 if not appealed which is due within 10 days of this ruling. Mr. Smith has 48 hours to appeal this decision to the OSRC.

VAN OTTERLOO, JUSTIN D **ROCK RAPIDS, IA** **YOB 1997**
Aces on 5/31/2026 FINED: \$250
INAPPROPRIATE USE OF THE WHIP
Running Aces Driver JUSTIN VAN OTTERLOO is hereby fined two-hundred and fifty (\$250.00) dollars for a Violation of the MN Rule 7884.0260 Subp 2 – T – 5. During the ninth race on May 31st, 2026 - MR. Van Otterloo did use more than wrist action while driving No.3 OMAHA STORM CHASER. Mr. Van Otterloo did Sign the Waiver of Hearing. All Fines are due within 120 Hours.

WATSON, WALLACE R **DRESDEN, ME** **YOB 1970**
Bang on 6/10/2026 FINED: \$200
INAPPROPRIATE USE OF THE WHIP
on 06/10/2026 at Bangor Raceway while driving the horse Cigars and Port, Mr. Wallace Watson did indeed raise his elbow above his shoulder multiple time during the stretch

PART FOUR - MINOR PENALTIES

ANGUS, TYLER C **SAGAMORE HILLS, OH** **YOB 2002**
Nfld on 6/3/2026 FINED: \$100
INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION

BAILEY, LEON B **GREENWICH, NY** **YOB 1986**
Stga on 6/8/2026 DRIVING - 3 DAYS, 6/17/2026 THRU 6/19/2026
CHANGING COURSE/CAUSING INTERFERENCE

BERRY, PATRICK D **HARRINGTON, DE** **YOB 1976**
Har on 6/10/2026 FINED: \$100
FAILURE TO KEEP BOTH FEET IN THE STIRRUPS

BOLEN, CHARLES J. **JEFFERSONVILLE, OH** **YOB 1992**
ScD on 6/10/2026 FINED: \$1,000

FAILURE TO GO THE COURSE

BOYD, BRAXTEN B PcD on 5/26/2026 FAILURE TO SET AND MAINTAIN A PROPER PACE	JONESVILLE, MI FINED: \$100	YOB 2000
CANCELLIERE, THOMAS PcD on 6/6/2026 FAILURE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE POST PARADE	CHESTERFIELD, NJ FINED: \$100	YOB 1960
CAPONE, CAMERON M PcD on 6/5/2026 NO VACCINATION / COGGINS / HEALTH CERTIFICATE	CLARKSBURG, NJ FINED: \$100	YOB 1999
COCCIOLONE, CARL R Mea on 6/5/2026 WARMING UP BEFORE PRE-RACE BLOOD TEST	MONESSEN, PA FINED: \$500	YOB 1956
CRUSE, BRANDON PHL on 6/5/2026 FAILURE TO DRIVE WHEN PROGRAMMED	MILFORD, DE FINED: \$200	YOB 1994
DAUGHERTY, WILLIAM A JR PcD on 6/6/2026 INACCURATE PROGRAM INFORMATION	MERCER, PA FINED: \$100	YOB 1947
DAVIS, JANET E Har on 6/8/2026 LATE DRIVER CHANGE	CLAYTON, DE FINED: \$100	YOB 1947
DERUE, BRETT D Stga on 6/1/2026 LATE DRIVER CHANGE	QUEENSBURY, NY FINED: \$100	YOB 1985
EBERSOLE, LUKE C. ScD on 6/6/2026 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION	CHESTERVILLE, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 1990
ENGBLOM, PER Mea on 6/5/2026 WARMING UP BEFORE PRE-RACE BLOOD TEST	CHESTERFIELD, NJ FINED: \$500	YOB 1980
EVANS, DAIRL J JR Nfld on 6/7/2026 NO VACCINATION / COGGINS / HEALTH CERTIFICATE	WOOSTER, OH FINED: \$300	YOB 1972

FANNING, THOMAS W PcD on 6/1/2026 INACCURATE PROGRAM INFORMATION	JACKSON, NJ FINED: \$100	YOB 1958
FARNHAM, MICHAEL T Nfld on 6/1/2026 SMOKING Nfld on 6/1/2026 FAILURE TO WEAR A PROTECTIVE VEST	NORTHFIELD, OH FINED: \$200 FINED: \$200	YOB 1971
FORTUNE, STEVEN T OAKGR on 6/9/2026 LATE DRIVER CHANGE	WALNUT GROVE, MS FINED: \$50	YOB 1962
HAGER, CHRISTINA M Nfld on 6/1/2026 SMOKING	STREETSBORO, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 1977
HALL, GARY J Tops on 8/6/2025 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION	NEWPORT, ME	YOB 1952
HANNERS, LUKE ScD on 6/9/2026 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION	CHILLICOTHE, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 2000
INGRASSIA, JACQUELINE M PHL on 6/4/2026 INTERFERENCE/ CAUSING ANOTHER HORSE TO MAKE A BREAK	ALLENTOWN, NJ FINED: \$200	YOB 1947
JOHNSON, OSCAR LEE JR. Nfld on 6/8/2026 FAILURE TO HONOR DECLARATION	CRYSTAL SPRINGS, MS FINED: \$300	YOB 1990
KENNEDY, JAMES E PcD on 6/8/2026 INTERFERENCE/ CAUSING ANOTHER HORSE TO MAKE A BREAK	HARVEY LAKE, PA FINED: \$200 DRIVING - 5 DAYS, 6/11/2026 THRU 6/15/2026 HORSE PLACED 5	YOB 1978
MCNEIL, JOHN C III VD on 5/30/2026 IMPEDING THE PROGRESS OF ANOTHER HORSE	DEANSBORO, NY DRIVING - 3 DAYS, 6/6/2026 THRU 6/8/2026 HORSE PLACED 6	YOB 1987

NASSIMOS, JOSEPH C VD on 5/30/2026	VERNON CENTER, NY DRIVING - 3 DAYS, 6/10/2026 THRU 6/12/2026 HORSE PLACED 5	YOB 1968
INTERFERENCE/ CAUSING ANOTHER HORSE TO MAKE A BREAK		
NISSLEY, JOSEPH D HoP on 6/4/2026	MIDDLEBURY, IN	YOB 1997
OTHER		
NOBLE, DANIEL N Nfld on 6/7/2026	XENIA, OH FINED: \$350 HORSE PLACED 9	YOB 1983
CHANGING COURSE/CAUSING INTERFERENCE		
PALONE, DAVID M Mea on 6/5/2026	WASHINGTON, PA FINED: \$100	YOB 1962
FAILURE TO SET AND MAINTAIN A PROPER PACE		
PRESLEY, CHRIS S ScD on 6/6/2026	THORNVILLE, OH FINED: \$200 HORSE PLACED 4	YOB 1995
JOSTLE, STRIKE OR HOOK WHEELS		
PRESTO, BRANDON J BR on 6/3/2026	HOUSTON, PA FINED: \$250	YOB 1989
FAILURE TO HONOR DECLARATION		
PYOTT, JOHN R Har on 6/9/2026	VINELAND, NJ FINED: \$75	YOB 1962
HORSE LATE TO THE PADDOCK		
RHOADES, BRAIDEN M Nfld on 6/3/2026	ASHLAND, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 2005
INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION		
Nfld on 6/6/2026	FINED: \$100	
FAILURE TO DRIVE WHEN PROGRAMMED		
SILVESTRI, RALPH R III MR on 5/29/2026	PEMBERTON, NJ FINED: \$100 HORSE PLACED 3	YOB 1989
INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION		
ST LOUIS, MARC E JR. ScD on 6/5/2026	SWARTZ CREEK, MI FINED: \$100	YOB 1988

INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION

STEVENS-CLEMONS, TYLER A **SPRINGFIELD, IL** **YOB 1997**
HoP on 5/25/2026 FINED: \$500
UNAUTHORIZED START IN ANOTHER RACE

STEVENSON, MICHAEL A **NEW GLOUCESTER, ME** **YOB 1964**
Bang on 6/5/2026 DRIVING - 2 DAYS, 6/10/2026 THRU 6/12/2026
CROSS IN FRONT OF A FIELD OR HORSES IN A RECKLESS MANNER

STEWART, CORDARIUS D **BYRAM, MS** **YOB 1994**
HoP on 6/3/2026 FINED: \$200
HORSE PLACED 5
INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION

SVANSTEDT, AKE **WRIGHTSTOWN, NJ** **YOB 1958**
PcD on 6/1/2026 FINED: \$200
HORSE PLACED 6
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TAYLOR, ROBERT S **MIDDLETOWN, IN** **YOB 1982**
HoP on 6/3/2026 FINED: \$100
FAILURE TO DRIVE WHEN PROGRAMMED

THAYER, SHAWN A **HERMON, ME** **YOB 1971**
Bang on 6/3/2026 DRIVING - 2 DAYS, 6/6/2026 THRU 6/7/2026
**TAKE UP ABRUPTLY/SIT DOWN IN FRONT OF HORSES CAUSING CONFUSION
AMONG TRAILING HORSES**

WILSON, MATTHEW **BRANDON, MS** **YOB 1999**
OAKGR on 6/9/2026 FINED: \$50
LATE DRIVER CHANGE

WOLLAM, MILES E **VIENNA, OH** **YOB 1982**
Nfld on 6/6/2026 FINED: \$100
LATE DRIVER CHANGE