

FINES AND SUSPENSIONS BULLETIN

Fri, Aug 14 - Thu, Aug 20

PART ONE

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

FRAZIER, BRIAN H
USTA on 8/11/2026

HOUSTON, DE **YOB 1978**
RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING(RES) AS OF
8/14/2026

USTA MEMBERSHIP ACTION

Membership suspended for violation of Rule 20.10 (financial responsibility).

Status as of 8/14/2026 - Subsequent Ruling - Restored to good standing.

HOOVER, JAYPAUL R
USTA on 8/17/2026

EPHRATA, PA **YOB 1988**
RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING(RES) AS OF
8/20/2026

USTA MEMBERSHIP ACTION

Membership suspended for violation of Rule 20.10 (financial responsibility).

Status as of 8/20/2026 - Subsequent Ruling - Mr. Hoover has been restored to good standing.

MASTERSON, WILLIAM P
USTA on 8/11/2026

YARDVILLE, NJ **YOB 1945**
RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING(RES) AS OF
8/17/2026

USTA MEMBERSHIP ACTION

Declared ineligible for membership for violation of Rule 20.10 (financial responsibility).

Status as of 8/17/2026 - Subsequent Ruling - Mr. Masterson is now eligible to apply for membership with this Association.

MOSHER, MARC G
USTA on 8/17/2026

RIDLEY PARK, PA **YOB 1968**
INELIGIBLE(INE) AS OF 8/17/2026

USTA MEMBERSHIP ACTION

Declared ineligible for membership for violation of Rule 20.10 (financial responsibility).

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.

AUSTIN, J C
Lex on 8/18/2026

WINNER, SD **YOB 2000**
INDEFINITE SUSPENSION(IND) AS OF 8/19/2026

OTHER

Mr. Jerry Austin is suspended pending his appearance before the Board of Judges of the KHRG for his pending criminal charges. During this suspension Mr. Austin is denied the

privileges of all facilities under the jurisdiction of the Kentucky Horse Racing and Gaming Corporation. Entry of all horses owned by Jerry Austin is denied pending transfer to the person acceptable to the KHRG Judges.

FLUET, PHILLIP JAMES

Stga on 7/6/2026

SARATOGA SPRINGS, NY

YOB 1978

FINED: \$500

FULL - 3 DAYS, 9/9/2026 THRU 9/11/2026

HORSE DISQUALIFIED - PLACED 6, PURSE
REDISTRIBUTION

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

On 07/06/2026 at Saratoga Raceway the post race sample #CV3614349 collected from 7th race #1 "CAM AM" trained by Phillip Fluet, was found to contain "METHOCARBAMOL" at a concentration of 24.8 +or- 0.3 ng/ml, this is in excess of the threshold of 1 ng/ml set forth by the NYSGC. Phillip Fluet is fined \$1000.00 and suspended 7 days 09/09/2026 through 09/15/2026. Having appeared before a representative of the New York State Gaming Commission and waiving his right to a formal hearing and his right to appeal the fine and suspension are reduced to \$500.00 and a 3 day suspension (09/09/2026 through 09/11/2026). In addition, "CAN AM" who finished first is disqualified and the purse money won of \$6,500.00 is ordered returned and redistributed. The horse "CAM AM" must provide a negative sample and requalify before being eligible to race (completed). While under suspension Phillip Fluet is a disqualified person and is denied access to all grounds under the jurisdiction of the NYSGC. The transfer of any horses owned by or trained by Phillip Fluet must be approved by the Presiding Judge.

HARRISON, GREGORY J

YR on 6/23/2026

CREEK RIDGE, NJ

YOB 1980

FINED: \$1,000

FULL - 60 DAYS, 7/28/2026 THRU
9/25/2026...**STAYED**

ASSAULT AND BATTERY UPON ANOTHER PARTICIPANT LICENSEE

On June 23rd 2026, Gregory Harrison did physically and verbally assault another licensee by improper contact of said licensee in the barn area at Yonkers Raceway. This conduct is detrimental to the best interest of racing. Gregory Harrison is hereby issued a 60-day full suspension of his occupational license and fined \$1000.00. Suspension beginning 7/28/2026 to 9/25/2026. Further violations of this nature will result in greater penalties. Having requested a hearing on this matter a stay has been granted. Although fine has not.

Status as of 8/17/2026 - Stay

JOHNSON, BIANCA

Lex on 5/6/2026

URBANA, OH

YOB 2011

FULL - 136 DAYS, 8/18/2026 THRU 12/31/2026

FALSIFICATION OF LICENSE APPLICATION

Ms. Bianca Johnson has violated 810 KAR 3:020 Section 15 – 1 – F by applying and received a license while under the age of 16 by falsifying her application in 2025 and 2026. Ms. Johnson is hereby fully suspended from 8/18/2026 through 12/31/2026. Ms. Johnson

will be eligible to apply once she has turned 16 years of age and must appear before the Board of Judges prior to being issued any and all licenses in Kentucky.

JOHNSON, BRENDAN

GEORGETOWN, KY

YOB 1965

Lex on 5/6/2026

FINED: \$250

CONDUCT DETRIMENTAL TO THE BEST INTEREST OF HORSE RACING

Mr. Brendan Johnson knowing falsified information for an applicant to be issued a license with the KHRG violating 810 KAR 3:020 Section 15 – 1 – G by signing an application for a groom that was under the age of 16.

KANE, PATRICK J

SUMMERHILL MEATH

YOB 1986

PcD on 3/23/2026

**RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING(RES) AS OF
8/14/2026**

FAILURE TO OBTAIN PROPER LICENSE

PA Title 7-203.11(e) Patrick J Kane failed to complete licensing requirements in PA for 2026. GLOBAL ACTION S raced on 3/23/2026 at Pocono Downs under a 30-day owner affidavit. Mr. Kane was fined \$50 and suspended indefinitely as of 7/15/2026 and will remain suspended until the fine is paid and licensing requirements have been met.

Status as of 8/14/2026 - Subsequent Ruling - Mr. Kane has completed his Pennsylvania licensing requirements and is restored to good standing.

KNUDE, CRAIG T

ABERDEEN, NC

YOB 1965

VD on 8/1/2026

FINED: \$1,000

FULL - 60 DAYS, 10/1/2026 THRU 11/29/2026

POSITIVE TEST- PRE RACE

Craig Knude, as trainer of record for the horse FLIPPINCRAZY in the 1st race on 8/1/2026 at Vernon Downs, is issued a Sixty (60) day full suspension of his occupational license, beginning October 1, 2026, through and including November 29, 2026, and a \$1,000 fine, having met with a representative of the New York State Gaming Commission (NYSGC) and waiving his right to a formal hearing, appeal and 72 hour quarantine. The pre-race blood sample collected from FLIPPINCRAZY on 8/1/2026 tag number CV3723235 and seal number R2610859 was found to have a TCO2 concentration of 39.4 +/- 0.5 millimoles per liter. The sample was marked as not receiving Furosemide. This is in excess of levels established by the NYSGC. FLIIPINCRAZY finished in 7th place in a field of 7 and no monies have been won. The horse FLIPPINCRAZY, must re-test at a permissible TCO2 level prior to being declared eligible to race. FLIPPINCRAZY shall submit to a 6-hour pre-race detention for a period of 6 months, 8/15/2026 through 2/15/2027, without regard as to whether the horse is transferred to a new owner or trainer. The horse must also test in compliance with the above stated rules each time raced during the required pre-race detention period. During the terms of the suspension Craig Knude is deemed a disqualified person and denied access to all grounds under the supervision of the NYSGC. Any horses owned or trained by Craig Knude shall be denied the privilege of participating during the suspension unless transferred to another licensee approved by the Presiding Judge. (1st offense in this category)

MCDONALD, DONA M
TgDn on 7/10/2026

FT LAUDERDALE, FL
FINED: \$500
FULL - 15 DAYS, 8/24/2026 THRU 9/7/2026
HORSE DISQUALIFIED, PURSE
REDISTRIBUTION

YOB 1958

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Dona McDonald was trainer of record for the horse APRIL AVA in race six at Tioga Downs on July 10, 2026. Post-race analysis of sample CV1448856 and seal number R2732168 showed the presence of Peimine and Peiminine above the threshold permitted by the Commission. APRIL AVA, finished 1st and was disqualified. All purse monies earned shall be returned and redistributed, and the horse must submit a negative test prior to entering to race (negative test has been submitted). Having appeared before a representative of the NYSGC and waiving the right to a formal hearing and right to appeal, Dona McDonald's 30-day suspension and \$1,000 fine is hereby reduced to a 15 day full suspension and \$500 fine. The suspension shall be served August 24, 2026 through and including September 7, 2026. During the term of suspension, Dona McDonald is ruled off all grounds under the jurisdiction of the NYSGC and deemed a disqualified person. No trainer transfers of horses in her care will be permitted.

PLANO, LUKE
Aces on 7/23/2026

SACRAMENTO, CA
FINED: \$500

YOB 1980

OTHER

RUNNING ACES Trainer LUKE PLANO is hereby fined a sum of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars for omitting a groom from his license application. This is a Violation of MN Rule 7877.0130 Subp 3 – E. All Fines are due within 120 Hours.

PRATHER, CONNOR E
Paris on 7/20/2026

SPRINGFIELD, IL
FINED: \$250
HORSE DISQUALIFIED, PURSE
REDISTRIBUTION

YOB 2004

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Upon receipt of a report from EQIAS Labs on August 5, 2026, stating sample #0138065B taken from CHKNLITESANDCHROME, the first-place finisher in race 5 on July 20, 2026, at the Edgar County Fair in Paris, IL had a finding of diclofenac. After consideration of evidence, Connor Prather, the trainer of record for CHKNLITESANDCHROME, is hereby assessed a civil penalty of \$250 and the purse money won by CHKNLITESANDCHROME is hereby ordered forfeited and redistributed among the horses according to their order of finish.

SANCHEZ ZAVALA, VICTOR MAUNELJACKSON, NJ
M on 8/3/2026

FINED: \$100

YOB UNKN

FAILURE TO OBTAIN PROPER LICENSE

Stable Employee Victor Sanchez-Zavala is hereby fined the sum of one hundred (\$100.00) dollars. Mr. Sanchez-Zavala was employed as a stable employee at a New Jersey Racing Commission licensed farm in Jackson, NJ without first having secured the required license from the New Jersey Racing Commission. All persons working in or about the licensed premises shall be required to be licensed in their appropriate category by the New Jersey Racing Commission. The payment of the fine associated with this ruling must be received by the New Jersey Racing Commission on or before August 29, 2026. Violation of N.J.A.C. 13:71-7.1(a) 4

SOWERS, AUTYM L

WHITEFIELD, ME

YOB 1995

CUMB on 8/1/2026

FINED: \$250

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Ms. Sowers was the trainer of record for her horse Crazycat, who raced at First Tracks on 8/1/26. Crazycat was found to be over the limit allowed for furosemide which is a medication violation with the MSHRC. This is her first violation, therefore, she has been fined the sum of \$ 250.00 for this infraction.

STAFFORD, PAUL R

EAST WINDSOR, NJ

YOB 1980

YR on 12/9/2025

FINED: \$1,000

FULL - 60 DAYS, 8/18/2026 THRU 10/16/2026

POSITIVE TEST- PRE RACE

On 12/09/2025, at Yonkers Raceway, Paul Stafford was the trainer of the horse #6 MARLBANK ROAD in the 11th race. Pre-race sample tag number CV3606956 showed TCO2 concentration of 41.5 millimoles per liter, which exceeded the allowable limit by the NYSGC. Paul Stafford is hereby assessed a penalty of \$1000.00 fine and a 60-day suspension, to be served (08/18/2026 -10/16/2026). MARLBANK ROAD finished 6th in a field of eight. The horse MARLBANK ROAD, must submit a negative test prior to entering the race. Furthermore MARLBANK ROAD, must submit to a 6-hour pre-race detention each time raced for a period of 6 months, 12/09/2025 through 06/07/2026 without regard to whether the horse is transferred to a new owner or trainer. During the term of suspension, Paul Stafford, will be denied the privilege of and access to all grounds under the supervision of the NYSGC. No trainer transfers of horses owned by or in his care will be permitted without the approval of the presiding judge. (1st offense in this category) The New York State Gaming Commission ("Commission") conducted a hearing, as requested by Paul R. Stafford ("Respondent"), in regard to the ruling of discipline against Respondent issued in Notice Number YR 2-2026 dated January 16, 2026, which included a suspension of Respondent from participating in harness racing for 60 days and a fine of \$1,000 pursuant to 9 NYCRR § 4120.13(d), because an amount of total carbon dioxide (TCO2) was found in the pre-race blood sample from December 9, 2025 of the horse Marlbank Road, trained by Respondent, that exceeded the amount permissible as set forth in 9 NYCRR § 4120.13(a) and because Respondent is responsible for Marlbank Road and the pre-race positive pursuant to 9 NYCRR § 4120.4. Respondent received proper notice of, and participated in, a hearing conducted by video conference on May 8, 2026. The hearing

was conducted on the grounds set forth in the Notice of Hearing dated March 10, 2026. The Hearing Officer submitted a Hear

TINCH, TYLER N
Mrion on 6/29/2026

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

YOB 1989

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

OSRC 3769-18-01-A(4b,15,16), 3769-18-02, 3769-17-43. Blood sample #940834 was tested by the Ohio Department of Agriculture ATL and was found to contain furosemide at a concentration of 120.9 nanograms per milliliter of serum which exceeds the Regulatory threshold of 100 nanograms per milliliter of serum adopted by the OSRC. Blood sample #940834 was provided by #2 Shecaughtthekaty, who finished 1st in race 13 on 6/29/26 at the Marion County Fair, and was trained by Mr. Tinch. Mr. Tinch waived his rights to a hearing, split sample and DNA. This is Mr. Tinch`s first medication violation in the last 365 days. Mr. Tinch is fined \$1000, the penalty will be reduced to \$500 if not appealed, which is due within 10 days of this ruling. #2 is disqualified and unplaced (only 5 horses in the race) and the purse earnings of \$375 are ordered to be returned to the Marion County Fair to be redistributed accordingly. Mr. Tinch has 48 hours to appeal this decision to the OSRC.

VALLEE, SHAUN F
M on 5/16/2026

JACKSON, NJ
FINED: \$500
FULL - 15 DAYS, 8/8/2026 THRU 8/22/2026

YOB 1963

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Shaun Vallee was the programmed trainer of the horse "MIDNIGHT LIGHTNING" when it raced in the fourth race at Meadowlands Racetrack on May 16, 2026. Following the race, "MIDNIGHT LIGHTNING" was required to submit blood and urine for analysis. A report from Industrial Laboratories identified the presence of Sotalol in the urine. Mr. Vallee was given the opportunity to have the split sample tested at an independent laboratory and declined. The presence of Sotalol in the urine is in direct violation of the rules and regulations of the New Jersey Racing Commission. Mr. Vallee appeared at a hearing before the Board of Judges at Meadowlands Racetrack on July 15, 2026. As a result, Mr. Vallee 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 August 8, 2026 and run through August 22, 2026 inclusive. During the period of suspension, Mr. Vallee 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 "MIDNIGHT LIGHTNING" is disqualified from sharing in all purse monies earned on May 16, 2026. The fine associated with this ruling must be received by the New Jersey Racing Commission on or before August 22, 2026. MMV Points incurred 2 points Violation of N.J.A.C. 13:71-1.19 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

M on 5/16/2026

FINED: \$1,000

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Shaun Vallee was the programmed trainer of the horse "FIZZING N" when it raced in the fourth race at Meadowlands Racetrack on May 16, 2026. Following the race, "FIZZING N" was required to submit blood and urine for analysis. A report from Industrial Laboratories identified the presence of Sotalol in the urine. Mr. Vallee was given the opportunity to have the split sample tested at an independent laboratory and declined. The presence of Sotalol in the urine is in direct violation of the rules and regulations of the New Jersey Racing Commission. Mr. Vallee appeared at a hearing before the Board of Judges at Meadowlands Racetrack on July 15, 2026. As a result, Mr. Vallee is hereby fined the sum of one-thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars. Mitigating factors were taken into consideration by the Board of Judges when determining this penalty. Consistent with N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.7 the horse "FIZZING N" is disqualified from sharing in all purse monies earned on May 16, 2026. The fine associated with this ruling must be received by the New Jersey Racing Commission on or before August 22, 2026. MMV Points incurred 2 points Violation of N.J.A.C. 13:71-1.19 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

M on 5/22/2026

FINED: \$1,500

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Shaun Vallee was the programmed trainer of the horse "MISS DOTTIE MAE" when it raced in the ninth race at Meadowlands Racetrack on May 22, 2026. Following the race, "MISS DOTTIE MAE" was required to submit blood and urine for analysis. A report from Industrial Laboratories identified the presence of Sotalol in the urine. Mr. Vallee was given the opportunity to have the split sample tested at an independent laboratory and declined. The presence of Sotalol in the urine is in direct violation of the rules and regulations of the New Jersey Racing Commission. Mr. Vallee appeared at a hearing before the Board of Judges at Meadowlands Racetrack on July 15, 2026. As a result, Mr. Vallee is hereby fined the sum of one-thousand five-hundred (\$1,500.00) dollars. Mitigating factors were taken into consideration by the Board of Judges when determining this penalty. Consistent with N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.7 the horse "MISS DOTTIE MAE" is disqualified from sharing in all purse monies earned on May 22, 2026. The fine associated with this ruling must be received by the New Jersey Racing Commission on or before August 22, 2026. MMV Points incurred 2 points Violation of N.J.A.C. 13:71-1.19 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

PART THREE - WHIPPING VIOLATIONS

CAPONE, CAMERON M

CLARKSBURG, NJ

YOB 1999

TgDn on 8/15/2026

FINED: \$100

EXCESSIVE OR INDISCRIMINATE USE OF WHIP

Cameron Capone is hereby assessed a fine of \$100 for failing to restrict the use of the whip to forearm and wrist action only while driving #5 DONTBOTHERMENONE N in race 11 at Tioga Downs on August 15, 2026.

CROCHERE, JAC A Tops on 8/15/2026	CHELSEA, ME FINED: \$200	YOB 2005
USING THE WHIP IN UNCONVENTIONAL MANNER		
on 08/15/2026 at the Topsham Fair while driving the horse (Midnight Macneill, Mr. Jac Crochere did violate MSHRC rule Chapter 7, Section 54 1Q2 whipping shall be restricted to wrist and elbow action only. During the stretch drive Mr. Crochere's Elbow was above his shoulder several times and he struck a horse that was not moving forward		
CUSIMANO, RONALD TgDn on 8/15/2026	BOYNTON BEACH, FL FINED: \$100	YOB 1962
EXCESSIVE OR INDISCRIMINATE USE OF WHIP		
Ronald Cusimano is hereby assessed a fine of \$100 for using the whip more than three times in succession without giving the horse time to respond to the urging in the stretch while driving #2 SIR JESSE in race 12 at Tioga Downs on August 15, 2026.		
DEATON, TIMOTHY J VD on 8/15/2026	LEBANON, OH FINED: \$250 DRIVING - 3 DAYS, 8/20/2026 THRU 8/22/2026	YOB 1996
EXCESSIVE OR INDISCRIMINATE USE OF WHIP		
Beyond wrist and forearm action. Second whipping offense in 365 days.		
DETGEN, BRIAN W Aces on 8/16/2026	HAM LAKE, MN FINED: \$500 DRIVING - 3 DAYS, 8/25/2026 THRU 8/30/2026	YOB 1971
INAPPROPRIATE USE OF THE WHIP		
RUNNING ACES Driver BRIAN DETGEN is hereby fined five hundred (\$500.00) dollars and issued a 3-day driving suspension from Running Aces (Tuesday, August 25th, Thursday, August 27th and Sunday, September 30th) Mr. Detgen who was the driver of #2 The Big Bomb who was in the 1st Race on 8/16/2026 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 The Big Bomb which is a Violation of MN Rule 7884.0260 Subp A.(3) This is Brian Detgen's 1st offense of this nature in 2026 at Running Aces. Mr. Detgen did meet with the Board of Judges and did sign the Waiver of Hearing. All fines are due within 120 hours of this ruling.		
FINN, RANDALL E HoP on 8/8/2026	HIDALGO, IL FINED: \$200	YOB 1948
FAILURE TO KEEP A LINE IN EACH HAND		
71 IAC 7-3-13(e) While driving No. 7 WILD EYED GIRL in race 4 at Hoosier Park on August 8, 2026 driver Randall Finn violated the IHRC whipping rules by failing to keep a line in each hand and whipping one-handed throughout the stretch. For this violation Mr. Finn is fined \$200.00. Mr. Finn waived his right to a hearing and has paid the fine.		

GRAFFAM, NICHOLAS M **FALMOUTH, ME** **YOB 1990**
CUMB on 8/17/2026 **FINED: \$200**

FAILURE TO KEEP A LINE IN EACH HAND

The judges found that Mr Graffam failed to keep a line in each hand while in the stretch during the 7th Race on Monday August 17th at Skowhegan Fair.

LACHANCE, PATRICK D **ALLENTOWN, NJ** **YOB 1975**
YR on 8/5/2026 **FINED: \$100**

USING THE WHIP IN UNCONVENTIONAL MANNER

On 8/5/2026 in Race 3 at Yonkers Raceway, driver Pat Lachance did whip his horse # 3 Tip Of Time in an exaggerated manor using more than wrist and elbow action. Since this is the 1st violation in a 365-day period, Pat LaChance is hereby fined the sum of \$100.00. Future violations may incur greater penalties.

LUNA, MARVIN ALFREDO **LEXINGTON, KY** **YOB 2001**
Lex on 8/17/2026 **FINED: \$250**

USING THE WHIP IN UNCONVENTIONAL MANNER

Mr. Marvin Luna was the listed driver of #6 Your Grace who was in the 8th race on 8/17/2026 at The Red Mile. Mr. Luna did use the whip in an unconventional manner violating 810 KAR 5:070 Section 9 – 3 – B.

MILLER, URIAH H **SOUTH VIENNA, OH** **YOB 2000**
Troy on 8/18/2026 **FINED: \$300**

INAPPROPRIATE USE OF THE WHIP

OSRC 3769-17-17-B Mr Miller while driving horse tabooma at the miami county fair in troy ohio on 8/18/2026 in the 12 race. Mr Miller did whip his horse inappropriately. Mr Miller did whip his hose using other than wrist and elbow. Mr Miller is fined \$500 \$300 this is his 1st offence in 365 days from this date. If not appealed, which is do within 10 days from this ruling. Mr Miller has 48 hrs to appeal his decision to the OSRC

NOBLE, KOLTIN D **XENIA, OH** **YOB 2004**
ScD on 8/15/2026 **FINED: \$500**

INAPPROPRIATE USE OF THE WHIP

OSRC 3769-17-17-L. While driving #1 Lakeside Buddy during race 9 on 8/15/26 at Scioto Downs, Mr. Noble did use the whip which resulted in blood being on the stifle of #1. Mr. Noble is fined \$750, the penalty will be reduced to \$500 if not appealed, which is due within 10 days of this ruling. Mr. Noble has 48 hours to appeal this decision to the OSRC.

PART FOUR - MINOR PENALTIES

ADAMS, BREWER **LEBANON, OH** **YOB 1975**
ScD on 8/18/2026 **FINED: \$200**
HORSE PLACED 8

INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION

BATES, BRANDON L HoP on 8/11/2026 CHANGING COURSE/CAUSING INTERFERENCE	MONROE, IN FINED: \$200 HORSE PLACED 3	YOB 1975
BEYER, TROY C Har on 8/17/2026 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION	FELTON, DE FINED: \$100	YOB 1995
BUTER, TYLER L YR on 8/6/2026 FAILURE TO DRIVE WHEN PROGRAMMED	MILFORD, PA FINED: \$100	YOB 1985
CAPONE, CAMERON M TgDn on 8/15/2026 FAILURE TO HAVE HORSE PROPERLY EQUIPPED TgDn on 8/16/2026 FAILURE TO HAVE HORSE PROPERLY EQUIPPED	CLARKSBURG, NJ FINED: \$100 FINED: \$100	YOB 1999
CARGO, JAMES W Troy on 8/18/2026 LATE DRIVER CHANGE	MORROW, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 1953
CARTER, STEVEN M ScD on 8/18/2026 INACCURATE PROGRAM INFORMATION ScD on 8/18/2026 FAILURE TO PROVIDE ADEQUATE OR PROPER DECLARATION INFORMATION	LONDONDERRY, OH FINED: \$100 FINED: \$100	YOB 1966
CUSHING, MITCHELL D PRc on 8/18/2026 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION	BALLSTON SPA, NY FINED: \$250	YOB 1998
DALIOUS, BARTON W OD on 7/19/2026 FAILURE TO DRIVE WHEN PROGRAMMED	HARRINGTON, DE FINED: \$100	YOB 1998
DUBE, DANIEL YR on 8/6/2026 FAILURE TO DRIVE WHEN PROGRAMMED	MILLSTONE, NJ FINED: \$100	YOB 1969
FERRARI, LARRY H Nfld on 8/10/2026	MACEDONIA, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 1965

INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION

GRABER, HENRY JR. Nfld on 8/15/2026 LATE TO THE PADDOCK	MONROE, IN FINED: \$150	YOB 1996
HEAP, JAMES R PRc on 8/17/2026 FAILURE TO OBEY THE INSTRUCTIONS OF A RACING OFFICIAL	FARMINGTON, ME FINED: \$100	YOB 1971
HUCKABONE-MILLER, DYLAN M Owego on 8/8/2026 FAILURE TO HONOR DECLARATION Owego on 8/8/2026 FAILURE TO HONOR DECLARATION Owego on 8/8/2026 FAILURE TO HONOR DECLARATION Owego on 8/8/2026 FAILURE TO HONOR DECLARATION Owego on 8/8/2026 FAILURE TO HONOR DECLARATION Owego on 8/8/2026 FAILURE TO HONOR DECLARATION	UTICA, NY FINED: \$100 FINED: \$100 FINED: \$100 FINED: \$100 FINED: \$100 FINED: \$100 FINED: \$100	YOB 2001
HUDSON, BARBARA E Stga on 8/17/2026 LATE DRIVER CHANGE	CHATEAUGAY, NY FINED: \$100	YOB 1968
IRELAND, KIM G PRc on 8/18/2026 INACCURATE PROGRAM INFORMATION	WEST GARDINER, ME WARNING ISSUED	YOB 1955
IRVINE, BRAD D PRc on 8/17/2026 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION	MOUNTAINTOP, PA FINED: \$100	YOB 1971
KASH, KEITH J JR Nfld on 8/12/2026 CHANGING COURSE/CAUSING INTERFERENCE	MEDINA, OH FINED: \$200 HORSE PLACED 6 APPEALED - 8/16/2026	YOB 1979
LAKE, ANGUS D Nfld on 8/16/2026	WOOSTER, OH FINED: \$200	YOB 1969

CHANGING COURSE/CAUSING INTERFERENCE

LILES, GARY D Oskls on 7/25/2026	LIBERTYVILLE, IA FINED: \$150 HORSE PLACED 4 APPEALED - 8/19/2026	YOB 1956
FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THE BREAKING RULE Humb on 8/1/2026	FINED: \$50	
FAILURE TO SET AND MAINTAIN A PROPER PACE		
LOMBARDO, SALVATORE C Stga on 8/15/2026	ASTORIA, NY FINED: \$100	YOB 1969
LATE DRIVER CHANGE		
LONGO, CHARLES PHL on 8/16/2026	PLEASANTVILLE, NY FINED: \$200 HORSE PLACED 8	YOB 1962
INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION		
MELLOY, PATRICK M JR ScD on 8/18/2026	EATON, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 1967
INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION		
MILLER, ANDY RAY YR on 8/11/2026	CREAM RIDGE, NJ DRIVING - 3 DAYS, 8/13/2026 THRU 8/15/2026	YOB 1968
CROWDING/PUTTING ANOTHER WHEEL UNDER ANOTHER HORSE OR DRIVER		
MILLER, BRETT A Nfld on 8/15/2026	COLUMBUS, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 1973
INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION		
PACHECO, JESSIE L Aces on 8/13/2026	RANCHO CORDOVA, CA FINED: \$100	YOB 1992
LATE DRIVER CHANGE		
QUEVEDO, BRYAN EMANUEL Stga on 8/15/2026	ENGLISHTOWN, NJ FINED: \$100	YOB 2003
FAILURE TO DRIVE WHEN PROGRAMMED		
QUEVEDO, EDWIN ALBERTO PRc on 8/17/2026	ENGLISHTOWN, NJ FINED: \$100	YOB 1983
FAILURE TO OBEY THE INSTRUCTIONS OF A RACING OFFICIAL		
SHAFER, RYAN B Troy on 8/17/2026	FINDLAY, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 1977

LATE DRIVER CHANGE

SMITH, TREVOR GENE ScD on 8/15/2026 JOSTLE, STRIKE OR HOOK WHEELS	FRANKLIN, OH FINED: \$200	YOB 1996
SOWERS, MCGWIRE P Tops on 8/15/2026 INTERFERENCE/ CAUSING ANOTHER HORSE TO MAKE A BREAK	WHITEFIELD, ME FINED: \$200	YOB 2000
STATHOPOULAS, SOTIRIOS HRISTOS M on 7/10/2026 FAILURE TO BE PROPERLY DRESSED	DEMAREST, NJ FINED: \$300	YOB UNKN
WILSON, JERMARRIO D Nfld on 8/12/2026 CHANGING COURSE/CAUSING INTERFERENCE	NORTHFIELD, OH FINED: \$350 HORSE PLACED 9	YOB 1989
WRENN, RONNIE H JR. Nfld on 8/15/2026 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION	CHAGRIN FALLS, OH FINED: \$200 HORSE PLACED 2	YOB 1986
YOUNG, DAVID A II ScD on 8/15/2026 LATE DRIVER CHANGE	CHILLICOTHE, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 1983