



NSA Official Notices Thursday, September 28, 2023

THURSDAY COURSE REPORTS

Shawan Downs: Course this afternoon measuring compaction of 85-110 on hurdle course and 85-95 on timber course, with moisture at 6-9.

Foxfield Fall: Course this morning measuring compaction of 92, range is 80-120 and moisture is 9. Mowed to 7 inches.

BY ORDER OF THE STEWARDS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The “European Gather Up Start” will be used at all NSA race meets this fall, except for the Parimutuel meets at Far Hill’s and International Gold Cup, where races will be started in post position order.

The new standard fine for “careless riding” will be \$500. Should the infraction be deemed “reckless” or “dangerous” by the stewards, the penalty will be a minimum fine of \$1,000 plus a one (1) day suspension or greater.

VIRGINIA GENERAL PREFERENCE

Similar to Colonial Downs, all Virginia race meets will have a Virginia General Preference. The Preference, in order, will be Virginia Bred, Virginia Sired, Virginia Certified, and all other horses that are stabled or trained in Virginia or owned by Virginians. Note: The “stabled or trained in Virginia or owned by Virginians” is restricted to one horse per trainer.

It is the trainer’s responsibility to claim preferences at the time of entry.

150 DAY LAYOFF REPORT FORMS

150- Day Layoff Report Forms can be submitted directly to Dr. Reynolds Cowles online at the following link:
<http://tharacing.com/resources/layoffreportform/>

If you choose to print the form, please scan and return the document by email directly to Dr. Cowles (rcowles41@icloud.com).

Entries for horses that have not raced for 150 days or more (excluding first-time starters) will not be accepted unless the trainer has competed and submitted a Layoff Report Form.

GENESSEE VALLEY

Genessee Valley will offer the following non- sanctioned races:

TENTH RACE

\$2000 Award to the Owner of the Winner
\$1500 Award to the Trainer of the Winner

The William. P. Wood Memorial

Allowance timber for Four-year-olds and up who have never won two races over timber. About 3 miles over timber. To be ridden by amateur riders. Horses and riders acceptable to the race committee. No first-time starters. Four-year-olds, 155 lbs.; five-year-olds, 160 lbs.; older, 165 lbs. Non-winners over timber, allowed 5 lbs. Trophy and cooler to owner of winner.

Entry fee: \$100.00. Post entry fee: \$110.00

Approximate post time 3:00 pm

ELEVENTH RACE

\$300 Award to the Owner of the Winner
\$200 Award to the Trainer of the Winner

The Oxbow

Training Flat about one and three-quarter miles. For three-year olds and up. To be ridden by amateur riders. Horses and riders acceptable to the race committee. Three-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 155 lbs. Maidens allowed 5 lbs. Apprentice riders allowed 5 lbs. Trophy and a cooler to owner of winner.

Entry fee: \$50.00, Post entry fee \$60.00

Approximate post time 3:30 pm

For Complete details and entry information please click on the link below:

<https://gvhraces.com/race-conditions-and-official-entry/>

MONTPELIER

Please note that the Training Flat Race (#119) **is opened to Virginia bred, Virginia sired, Virginia certified horses, as well as horses owned or trained by Virginians, with preference to Virginia bred, Virginia sired, and Virginia certified horses.**