



NSA Official Notices

Friday, June 29, 2018

Fall Condition Book

Please click [here](#) to view the fall condition book. Hard copies will be mailed in a few weeks.

Ratings

Updated NSA ratings are listed below.

Summer Racing

See below for the updated summer schedule of steeplechase action at the major tracks. Please note the corrected distance for the races at Monmouth Park.

Restrictions for Jump Races at Saratoga & Belmont

- No Apprentice Riders
- No Maidens
- No Maiden Claiming Winners (unless they have subsequently won over hurdles)
- No starters that have fallen in 2 of the last 5 starts.

NYRA Trainer Continuing Education

All trainers starting 12 or more horses at NYRA tracks are required to complete 4 hours of continuing education (courses available online). If you have fewer than 12 starts, you must request a waiver from the New York State Steward. All NSA trainers are encouraged to participate in the continuing education regardless of the number of starters. Please click the link for more information on the courses: <https://nytha.com/members/continuing-education/>

Summer Racing Licensing Applications

Click the links below for Owner, Trainer and Jockey license applications for the summer race tracks:

Suffolk:

[Instructions](#)

[Owner/Trainer License Application](#)

[Jockey](#)

Saratoga/Belmont:

[Instructions](#)

[Owner/Trainer/Jockey](#)

Monmouth:

[Owner/Trainer/Jockey](#)



Official Ratings

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Horse.....	Rating				
Zanjabeel	148	Ocean Ready	116	Really Ready	103
All the Way Jose	146	Set To Music	116	Canaveral	102
Modem	146	Warp Factor	116	Disobedience	102
Mr. Hot Stuff	146	Willow U	116	Change of View	100
Sempre Medici	137	Able Archer	115	Show King	100
Jamarjo	136	For Goodness Sake	115	Outlaw Cody Z	92
Gibralfaro	133	Last Shani	115		
Personal Start	133	Life Said	115		
Diplomat	132	Sail Ahoy	115		
Schoodic	130	Swellelegent	115		
Show Court	130	Ack Feisty	114		
Lord Justice	129	Deficit	114		
Three Kingdoms	129	Get Ready Set Goes	113		
Surprising Soul	128	Maximum Horsepower	113		
Andi'amu	127	Bishop's Castle	112		
Ice It	127	Kingofalldiamonds	112		
Iranistan	127	Cheers to Us	111		
Mutasaawy	127	Down Royal	111		
New Member	127	First Friday	111		
Kremlin	125	Stormy Alex	111		
Lachares	125	Tubal	111		
Mercoeur	125	Wild Dynaformer	111		
No Wunder	125	Dawn Wall	110		
Barnacle Bill	124	Perfect Union	110		
Officer Sydney	124	Pik Em	110		
Bobabout	122	Gmac	109		
Hardrock Eleven	122	Hanno	109		
Laser Light	122	Holiday Mousse	109		
Osmoz	121	Officer's Oath	109		
Overwhelming	121	Comanchero	108		
Daneking	120	Lady Yeats	108		
L'aigle Royal	120	Longing To Travel	108		
Orchestra Leader	120	Pram	108		
Whitman's Poetry	119	Borderlinedecision	107		
Detroit Blues	118	Quarla	107		
Sarah Joyce	118	Wigwam Baby	107		
Sixty Five	118	Bullet Star	106		
Unsinkable	117	Classical Art	106		
Boss Man	116	Indigo Heart	106		
Cite	116	Norse Star	106		
Dark Gemini	116	Bob'n For Silver	105		
Go Get The Basil	116	Devil's Wrangler	105		
Hoppala	116	Ebullience	105		
Jarir	116	Gotta Get Away	105		
Long House Saint	116	Say No Maux	105		
Notjudginjustsayin	116	Mathayus	103		

2018 NSA Summer Racing Schedule

ENTRIES CLOSE ON THE DAYS INDICATED WITH BILL GALLO (443) 553-1882

**SUFFOLK DOWNS
BOSTON, MA**

SUNDAY, JULY 8

FLAT RACE FOR JUMPERS

ENTRIES CLOSE MONDAY, JULY 2, 2018

Purse \$40,000. For Four Year Olds and Upward which have finished first, second or third in a sanctioned hurdle race. Four-year-olds, 145 lbs., older, 150 lbs. (Preference to winners over hurdles, other than maiden claiming). No apprentice rider allowances.

One Mile and One Half on the Turf. (Flag start)

If this race attracts a sufficient number of entries, it will be split with a \$35,000 purse in each division. Limit of field 12.

NOTE: Owners of horses that finish first through fifth will receive an additional \$500 bonus; owners of horses that finish sixth through last will receive a \$1,500 "runners reward". Trainers will receive \$400 per starter. Owners finishing 1-5 will be charged the standard NSA entry fee equivalent of 2% of the purse in each race. Purses distributed as follows 1st 60%, 2nd 20%, 3rd 10%, 4th 6%, 5th 4%.

**SARATOGA RACE COURSE
SARATOGA SPRINGS, NY**

WEDNESDAY, JULY 25

THE JONATHAN KISER NOVICE STAKES

ENTRIES CLOSE SATURDAY, JULY 21

(Novice Hurdle Stakes)

Purse \$75,000. Hurdle. For Four Year Olds and Upward which have not won over hurdles prior to March 1, 2017 or which have never won three races, other than three-year-old. Four-year-olds, 143 lbs.; older, 150 lbs. Winners, other than maiden, claiming, starter, or three-year-old: 3 lbs. extra for each race won. **Two Miles and One Sixteenth over National Fences.**

THURSDAY, JULY 26

THE 21st RUNNING OF THE

A.P. SMITHWICK MEMORIAL (Grade I)

NOMINATIONS CLOSE SATURDAY, JULY 14

ENTRIES CLOSE SUNDAY, JULY 22

(Hurdle Stakes)

Purse \$175,000. Hurdle Handicap. For Four-Year-Olds and Upward. Two Miles and One Sixteenth over National Fences.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1

ENTRIES CLOSE SATURDAY, JULY 28

(Allowance Hurdle)

Purse \$65,000. Hurdle. For Four Year Olds and Upward which have never won two races. Four-year-olds, 149 lbs.; older, 156 lbs. Non-winners in 2018 allowed 4 lbs.; in 2017-2018, 8 lbs. **Two Miles and One Sixteenth over National Fences.**

**MONMOUTH PARK
OCEANPORT, NJ**

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 9, 2018
(Sport of Kings Maiden Hurdle)**

Purse \$30,000. Hurdle. For Maidens, Four Years Old and Upward. Four-year-olds, 145 lbs.; older, 154 lbs.

Two Miles and Three Furlongs over National Fences.

(Allowance Hurdle)

Purse \$35,000. Hurdle. For Four Year Olds and Upward which are rated 115 or lower. The highest rated horse will be assigned 158 lbs. with all other weights adjusted accordingly based on the current ratings. Minimum weight 140 lbs.

Two Miles and Three Furlongs over National Fences.

Note: Owners whose horses earn a portion of the purse, will be charged the standard NSA entry fee equivalent of 2% of the purse in each race.

**SARATOGA RACE COURSE
SARATOGA SPRINGS, NY**

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 22
THE MICHAEL G. WALSH NOVICE STAKES
Run in Memory of Charles T. Colgan
ENTRIES CLOSE SATURDAY, AUGUST 18
(Novice Hurdle Stakes)**

Purse \$75,000. Hurdle. For Four Year Olds and Upward which have not won over hurdles prior to March 1, 2017 or which have never won three races, other than three-year-old. Four-year-olds, 141 lbs.; older, 150 lbs. Winners, other than maiden, claiming, starter or three-year-old: 3 lbs. extra for each race won.

Two Miles and Three Furlongs over National Fences.

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 23
NOMINATIONS CLOSE SATURDAY, AUGUST 11
ENTRIES CLOSE SUNDAY, AUGUST 19
THE 74th RUNNING OF THE
NEW YORK TURF WRITERS CUP (Grade I)
(Hurdle Stakes)**

Purse \$175,000. Hurdle Handicap. For Four Year Olds and Upward.

Two Miles and Three Furlongs over National Fences.

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 29
ENTRIES CLOSE SATURDAY, AUGUST 25
(Allowance Hurdle)**

Purse \$65,000. Hurdle. For Four Year Olds and Upward which have never won two races. Four-year-olds, 147 lbs.; older, 156 lbs. Non-winners in 2018 allowed 4 lbs.; in 2017-2018, 8 lbs.

Two Miles and Three Furlongs over National Fences.

**BELMONT PARK
ELMONT, NY**

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 20
NOMINATIONS CLOSE SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 8
ENTRIES CLOSE FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14**

**THE WILLIAM ENTENMANN MEMORIAL
(Novice Hurdle Stakes)**

Purse \$75,000. Hurdle. For Four Year Olds and Upward which have not won over hurdles prior to March 1, 2017 or which have never won three races, other than three year old. Four-year-olds, 144 lbs.; older, 150 lbs. Winners, other than maiden, claiming, starter or three-year-old: 3 lbs. extra for each race won.

Two Miles and One Quarter over National Fences.

**THE LONESOME GLORY STAKES (Grade I)
(Hurdle Stakes)**

**Purse \$175,000. Hurdle Handicap. For Four Year Olds and Upward.
Two Miles and One Half over National Fences.**

SARATOGA AND BELMONT NOTICES

LICENSING

All owners, trainers and riders must be licensed by the New York State Racing and Wagering Board. All trainers must show evidence of Workmen's Compensation Insurance valid in the State of New York.

PURSES & FEES

Purses in steeplechase races at Saratoga and Belmont will be distributed by the NSA as follows: 60% to first; 18% to second; 10% to third; 5% to fourth; 4% to fifth and 3% to sixth. Runners reward still applies with all NSA fees waived for any horse that runs and does not earn a portion of the purse.

In addition to NSA fees, 5% of any purse money earned in the Jonathan Kiser Novice Stakes on Wednesday, July 25th, the Michael G. Walsh Novice Stakes on Wednesday, August 22nd, and the William Entenmann Memorial on September 20th will be deducted as a fee to the Sport of Kings Reserve Fund. In addition, all owners and trainers are required to pay an assessment to the New York Injured Jockey Compensation Fund. The charge is \$250 per start for the first six starts, for a maximum of \$1,500 per year. (If your trainer has stalls on NYRA grounds, the maximum fee will apply). In addition, New York State statutory fees of 1% for the backstretch pension fund plus 2% to NYTHA will be deducted from any purse earnings at Saratoga. There is a \$25 Lasix fee for all horses that are administered Lasix.