



## NSA Official Notices Wednesday, June 9, 2021

### **Nominations and Pre-Entries for Iroquois Steeplechase**

Nominations for the three Iroquois stakes: The Green Pastures Novice Stakes (#58), The Margaret Currey Henley Filly & Mare Stakes (#60), and the Calvin Houghland Iroquois (#62) close on Monday, June 14. In addition, we will be taking pre-entries for all other races: Ratings (#57), Maiden (#59), and Allowance Timber (#61). A draft overnight will be published on Monday afternoon to give horsemen a preview of the entire race card scheduled for Saturday, June 26.

The following bonus will be added to the Mason Houghland Memorial Allowance Timber (#61): The owner of the winner of this race will receive a \$10,000 bonus if the horse is ridden by an amateur licensed by the NSA and acceptable to the Iroquois race committee.

### **Summer Horses in Training**

All NSA trainers participating in summer jump racing at Iroquois, Colonial Downs, or Saratoga must submit a "Horses in Training" list to Bill Gallo via email, text, or phone as soon as possible.

### **Summer Racing Schedule**

**COLONIAL DOWNS** - Monday, July 19

\$30,000 Maiden Hurdle 2

\$30,000 Filly & Mare Maiden Hurdle 2

**SARATOGA** - Wednesday, July 21

\$75,000 Jonathan Kiser (Novice Stakes) 2-1/16

**SARATOGA** - Thursday, July 22

\$150,000 A.P. Smithwick (Gr. I Hurdle Stakes) 2-1/16

**COLONIAL DOWNS** - Monday, July 26

\$30,000 Maiden Hurdle 2

\$20,000 Ratings Handicap Hurdle (110 or lower) 2-1/4

**SARATOGA** - Wednesday, July 28

\$65,000 Allowance Hurdle (NW 2) 2-1/16

**COLONIAL DOWNS** - Monday, August 2

\$30,000 Maiden Hurdle 2

\$30,000 Maiden Hurdle (4 YO) 2

**SARATOGA** - Wednesday, August 4

\$70,000 Ratings Handicap Hurdle (130 or lower) 2-1/16

**COLONIAL DOWNS** - Monday, August 9

\$25,000 Ratings Handicap Hurdle (115 or lower) 2-1/4

\$75,000 Randolph D. Rouse (Filly & Mare Stakes) 2

**SARATOGA** - Wednesday, August 11

\$65,000 Allowance Hurdle (NW 2) 2-1/16

**COLONIAL DOWNS** - Monday, August 16

\$30,000 Maiden Hurdle 2

\$20,000 Ratings Handicap Hurdle (110 or lower) 2-1/4

**SARATOGA** - Wednesday, August 18

\$75,000 Michael G. Walsh (Novice Stakes) 2-3/8

**SARATOGA** - Thursday, August 19

\$150,000 Jonathan Sheppard (Gr. I Hurdle Stakes) 2-3/8

**COLONIAL DOWNS** - Monday, August 23

\$30,000 Maiden Hurdle (4 YO) 2

\$25,000 Ratings Handicap Hurdle (115 or lower) 2-1/4

**SARATOGA** - Wednesday, August 25

\$65,000 Allowance Hurdle (NW 2) 2-3/8

**COLONIAL DOWNS** - Monday, August 30

\$30,000 Maiden Hurdle 2

\$30,000 Filly & Mare Maiden Hurdle 2

**SARATOGA** - Wednesday, September 1

\$70,000 Ratings Handicap Hurdle (130 or lower) 2-3/8

**BELMONT** - Thursday, September 16

\$75,000 William Entenmann (Novice Stakes) 2-1/4

\$150,000 Lonesome Glory (Gr. 1 Hurdle Stakes) 2-1/2

**New NYRA Policy**

Please note that horses aged 10 years old and upward will not be permitted to run at NYRA race-tracks. This change in policy does apply to steeplechase races.

## **Ratings**

Please see the attached current ratings list. If your ratings horse does not appear on this list, **or is not in training** please inform Bill Gallo or Harper McVey.

## **Revised NSA Shoe Policy**

Following recent incidents of horses slipping and falling, and after hearing the concerns of horsemen, the Stewards Advisory Committee has made the following modification (in bold) to the NSA Shoe Policy:

No toe grabs, caulks, stickers, turndowns, inserts, trailers, or heel extensions will be allowed on the front or hind shoes. Note: The insert on the toe of the Queen's Plate is considered a "wear plate," not a toe grab. Block heels on the hind shoes (not to exceed ¼ inch) are permissible. **Outer rim shoes are allowable providing there is no toe grab.**

## **NSA Clenbuterol Policy**

Clenbuterol is an accepted treatment for certain respiratory diseases in the horse, however, it has been used off label for its partitioning affects and as an anabolic agent.

Clenbuterol is prohibited in racing and NSA has a zero tolerance level for this substance in post-race testing. If a horse has been prescribed by a veterinarian for the treatment of respiratory disease in a horse that is to run in an NSA sanctioned race, a copy of that prescription must be filed with the NSA Equine Medical Director at the NSA office.

**No horse should run within 30 days of treatment and if there is a question of clearance then a pre-race drug test should be run to ensure compliance.**

If clenbuterol has been detected in a horse's post race or out-of-competition sample and the appropriate prescription has not been filed, the horse shall be placed on the Official Veterinarian's List pending investigation.

## **NSA Vet's List Policy**

A horse may be placed on the NSA Vet's List by the Stewards, based on a recommendation by the race meet veterinarian, due to pre-race veterinary examination findings or lameness or injury during a race or lameness or heath conditions observed post race. During the pre-race examination, if the examining vet discovers a condition that warrants a second review, that horse may be walked "in hand," not lunged or ridden before a second examination.

Any horse that is placed on the NSA Vet's List "for lameness" shall not be eligible for race entry for at least seven (7) days and said horse must be examined by an equine veterinarian at the resident stable. That exam must consist of a complete assessment of that horse with particular attention to the findings that placed the horse on the vet's list. The horse will be observed in hand and under tack at a walk, trot and canter. If examination findings indicate that the horse is racing sound, a drug screen shall be drawn and submitted to a testing laboratory. If that screen is negative, the horse will be removed from the Vet's List. The cost of the examination and the drug screen shall be the responsibility of the trainer or owner of the horse.

This examination of a horse on the NSA Vet's List differs from most flat racing jurisdictions in that there is no designated work required other than observation under tack. This difference is due to the wide-

spread geographic distribution of horses involved in jump racing and the lack of supervising regulatory veterinarians in most areas.

### **Updated Lasix Guideline**

A horse that is entered on Lasix and does not receive Lasix will not be permitted to run, **unless it is determined by the Stewards that there were extenuating circumstances that led to the inability to administer the medication in a timely manner, and the trainer of the horse chooses to run the horse without Lasix. Under these conditions, the trainer assumes all risk as it relates to the health and condition of the horse during or immediately following the race.**

Note: This policy supersedes NSA Rules of Racing 10.1.B.



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