



MARYLAND STATE FAIR

P.O. Box 188, TIMONIUM, MARYLAND 21094-0188 410-252-0200 FAX 410-561-5610

On behalf of the Board of Directors and staff of the Maryland State Fair and Agricultural Society Inc., we welcome you to the 2026 race meet at the Big "T"! Race days are August 28, 29, 30, 29, 30 and September 4, 5, 6, and 7 with a post time of 12:00 p.m.

We have a variety of exciting events planned for our 2026 race meet including:

- The running of the Shine Again Stake on Saturday, August 29.
- The annual College Day at the Races on Saturday, August 29, where ten \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded to registered college students in attendance at the races.
- Families can also visit our interactive horse educational area, Horseland, located right beside the Grandstand.
- Join Board Member, Fran Burns on backstretch tours in the mornings before post time. Tours start at the Horseland tent. Tour the racing facilities and meet the outriders' horses and get a chance to experience the starting gate!

The equine industry is a vital part of the history and economy of Maryland. Maryland State Fair is proud to be the only State Fair east of the Mississippi to still host live Thoroughbred racing.

The Fair's mission is to educate and promote the significance of Agriculture in the state. Tour the Fair to see the many agricultural exhibits and educational opportunities provided to fair visitors of all ages. We sincerely hope that you and your families and friends enjoy your day at the Fair!

With Best Wishes,

Mary Amoss, Chairman of the Board
Karen Holloway, President of the Board
David Gordon, General Manager
John Mooney, Chairman of the Racing Committee

Maryland State Fair and Argicultural Society, Inc.



P.O. Box 188
Timonium, Maryland 21094

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Racing Office
1-800-638-1859

Stewards
301-470-5452

STATE of MARYLAND



The Honorable Lawrence Wes Moore, Governor
Aruna Miller, Lt. Governor

Department of Labor
Portia Wu, Secretary

Racing is under the supervision of and licensed by
The Maryland Racing Commission
300 E. Towsontown Blvd., Towson, MD 21286
Web address: www.dlir.state.md.us/racing

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Welcome To Timonium...

We would like to welcome all horsemen to the best days of summer.
We hope this race meeting will be prosperous for all who race with us.

Sincerely,
Racing Secretary's Office



HISA OPERATIONS BULLETIN

Required Tests and Vaccines:

Certificate of Veterinary Inspection
Coggins Test
Encephalitides Vaccine
Rabies Vaccine
Tetanus Vaccine
Influenza Vaccine
Rhinopneumonitis Vaccine

Exception

If a health certificate is submitted for a horse at a licensed racetrack facility or training center and is then transported directly to another licensed facility within the same state, another health certificate is not required to be provided. However, if the horse is transported from a licensed racetrack or training center to an unlicensed facility or farm between races or leaves the state between races, the health certificate must be presented.

Regulations for Each Test and Vaccine

HISA Rule 2143 establishes the requirements for each test and vaccine. In order to race, these requirements must be met. To ensure your horse can race, make sure your horse's negative Coggins test and necessary vaccines are up to date, as required by HISA Rule 2143.



**HORSERACING INTEGRITY
AND SAFETY AUTHORITY**

ADMC RULES & REGULATIONS

HISA implemented the ADMC rules & regulations. Go to hisaus.org/regulations for important information.

Reminder

ALL horses must be registered as a Covered Horse upon completion of their 1st timed and reported work.

Individuals who would like to submit tips should utilize the following contact options

- Phone: (888) 714-HIWU (4498)
- Text: (855) 901-TIPS (8477)
- Email: hiwutips@hiwu.realresponse.com

Maryland Veterinarians

Chesapeake Equine Veterinary Services

Morgan Dove 410.365.0779
Kaelynn Moury 301.343.2645

Maryland Veterinary Group

Office 301.725.9555
Forrest P. Wendaur, DVM..... 410.365.6434

Foxhall Equine

Megan L. Kerford, DVM..... 410.231.6206
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Chris Smith, DVM 410.271.5941

Racetrack Veterinary Associates

Office 301.310.3517
racetrackveterinaryassociates@gmail.com
Alexandro Rubim Dias 304.279.3972
John Sivick 301.343.3870
E. Brian Delp..... 301.343.3878

TMJC, Inc. Veterinarians

Gabrielle Rivest, DVM 240.319.9431
John Connick, DVM 301.356.2588

Services

Blacksmith/Farrier

Kenny Ramsburg 410-984-2932

Equine Photographers

Jim McCue 443-463-8341

trackphoto@comcast.net

JHA Photo Services 410-804-1193

Equine Dentistry

Sean Kelly 410-491-2783

teethtime1@gmail.com

PJ Arnold 302-332-8719

pjjockey@gmail.com

Equine Sports Therapy

Massage & Bodywork

Chiantel Beaumont

207.862.3828

chiantel@gmail.com

www.burningbenjamins.net

Farm & Home Service

410-795-1234

Silks, Blinkers, Saddleclothes

Stitches by Chloe 410-562-5066

stitchesbychloe.com

Horse Massage

Liz McKnight 410-371-6149

Sonja Aleksic 301-326-8415

Horse Transportation

Jodi Rauso

443-243-0486

Feed & Bedding

Myers Feed 301-627-8164

David Myers 240-417-7323

Beaver Shavings 800-443-8124

Insurance

Komlo & Assoc. 301-670-9872

workcomp@komloassoc.com

Hoffberger Insurance Grp

410-542-3300; www.hoffberger.com

Pulse Electro Magnetic

Field Therapy

Madison Meyers 859-576-4872

Tattoo Technician

Frank Saumell 410-419-5872

Equine Appraisals

Robin Graham 410.615.9704

Retraining and Placement

Foxie G. Foundation

301-667-2553

facebook.com/TheFoxyGFoundation

MidAtlantic Horse Rescue

302-376-7297

midatlantichorserescue.org

New Vocations

937-642-3171

horseadoption.com

Retired Racehorse Project

410-507-3351

retiredracehorseproject.org

Thoroughbred Placement Resources

301-579-6898

goodhorse.org

TIMONIUM RACE COURSE

STAKES SCHEDULE

Stakes Closing Saturday, August 15, 2026

Saturday, August 29, 2026

\$75,000 Guaranteed

THE SHINE AGAIN STAKES (NON- WINNERS OF AN OPEN SWEEPSTAKES)

**Fillies And Mares Three Year Olds and Upward
*Six And One Half Furlongs***

THE SHINE AGAIN STAKES (NON- WINNERS OF AN OPEN SWEEPSTAKES) \$75,000 Guaranteed

To Be Run: Saturday, August 29, 2026

FOR FILLIES AND MARES, THREE-YEAR-OLDS AND UPWARD. (Non-winners of an open sweepstakes) Which have not been permitted Lasix within 48 hours of Post Time. By free subscription. \$375 to pass the entry box. \$375 additional to start with \$75,000 Guaranteed of which 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 10% to third, 6% to fourth, 3% to fifth and 1% to sixth. Supplemental nominations of \$750 each will be accepted by the usual time of entry with all other fees due as noted. Weights: Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs. Non-winners of \$50,000 twice in 2026 allowed 2 lbs.; once such race in 2026, 4 lbs.; of \$30,000 once in 2026, 6 lbs. Preference to starters with highest earnings in 2025-2026. Horses may be placed on the also-eligible list. Starters to be named through the entry box by the usual time of closing. Trophy to the owner of the winner.

Six And One Half Furlongs

Nominations Close Saturday, August 15, 2026

F/M			
HORSE	COLOR	SEX	AGE
SIRE	DAM		

NOTICE -- Entries to the above race are submitted by the undersigned with the expressed understanding that: (1) the Rules and Regulations adopted by the Maryland Racing Commission ("MRC") and in effect at the time the Race is run governed and form a part of this contract; (2) the horse(s) so entered will be allowed to start only if in good standing at the time of the running of the race; (3) the person(s) named below agree(s) to be bound by all terms and conditions on both sides of this blank and on the current Stall Application of The Maryland Jockey Club of Baltimore City, Inc. ("MJC"), copies of which may be obtained from MJC, regardless of whether this blank or the Stall Application is manually signed.

OWNER

ADDRESS

SIGNED, AS AUTHORIZED AGENT FOR OWNER

TRAINER

**Email Nominations To: Michele Enck
Michele.Enck@marylandracing.com**

PHONE
(800) 638-1859

Maryland State Fair Trainer's Bonus

\$20,000 Total Bonus Money 2 Categories

Category One

\$10,000 Trainer's Bonus to trainers who have started
65 or more horses between 1/1/26 - 7/31/26

Category Two

\$10,000 Trainer's Bonus to trainers who have started
3 or more horses and have started 64 or less from 1/1/26 - 7/31/26

Bonus points per category as follows:

- Number of Wins - 5 Points
- Number of Seconds - 4 Points
- Number of Thirds- 3 Points
- Number of Fourths- 2 Points
- Each Starter - 1 Point

Points are awarded for the horse's first start at the meet.
If you race a horse more than once the second start
does not count towards your points.

- 1st Place receives \$5,000
- 2nd Place receives \$2,500
- 3rd Place receives \$1,500
- 4th Place receives \$600
- 5th Place receives \$400

May Not Transfer Horses To Another Trainer For The Timonium Meet

**The horse is eligible for bonus points if it is running under the
same trainer as in its previous start before running at Timonium.**

LAUREL PARK RACE COURSE

STAKES SCHEDULE

Stakes Closing Saturday, August 29, 2026

Saturday, September 12, 2026 **\$100,000 Guaranteed**

THE LAUREL DASH

Three Year Olds and Upward

Six Furlongs(Turf)

Saturday, September 12, 2026 **\$100,000 Guaranteed**

THE SENSIBLE LADY TURF DASH

Fillies And Mares Three Year Olds and Upward

Six Furlongs(Turf)

Stakes Closing Saturday, September 5, 2026

Saturday, September 19, 2026 **\$100,000 Guaranteed**

THE WEATHER VANE STAKES

Fillies Three Year Olds

Six Furlongs

Stakes Closing Saturday, September 12, 2026

Saturday, September 26, 2026 **\$125,000 Guaranteed**

THE LAUREL FUTURITY

Two Year Olds

One Mile And One Sixteenth(Turf)

Saturday, September 26, 2026 **\$125,000 Guaranteed**

THE SELIMA STAKES

Fillies Two Year Olds

One Mile And One Sixteenth(Turf)

Saturday, September 26, 2026 **\$100,000 Guaranteed**

THE ALL ALONG STAKES

Fillies And Mares Three Year Olds and Upward

One Mile And One Eighth(Turf)

Stakes Closing Saturday, September 19, 2026

Saturday, October 3, 2026 **\$100,000 Guaranteed**

THE POLYNESIAN STAKES

Three Year Olds and Upward

One Mile

LASIX POLICY

ALL Stake races run at Laurel, and Timonium will be run without the use of Lasix. ALL Two-Year-Old races will continue to be run without the use of Lasix.

LAUREL PARK RACE COURSE
STAKES SCHEDULE

Saturday, October 3, 2026	\$100,000 Guaranteed
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THE TWIXT STAKES

Fillies And Mares Three Year Olds and Upward
One Mile

Saturday, October 3, 2026	\$100,000 Guaranteed
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THE JAMES F. LEWIS III STAKES

Two Year Olds
Six Furlongs

Saturday, October 3, 2026	\$100,000 Guaranteed
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THE SMART HALO STAKES

Fillies Two Year Olds
Six Furlongs

Please Note

There will be a 1.5% assessment on all claims in Maryland to be earmarked for Beyond The Wire aftercare program.

TRPB DIGITAL TATTOOS
As of January 1, 2026

The cost of TRPB Digital Tattoo Certification is \$115 per horse plus applicable state tax. If you have questions about the TRPB horse Identification Program, please call Rachael Stipe at 410.885.4860 or email at Agent@trpb.com.

If you have questions about billing / commission call Chris Neddo at 410.885.4690 or email at HorselD@trpb.com

For more information, visit www.trpb.com

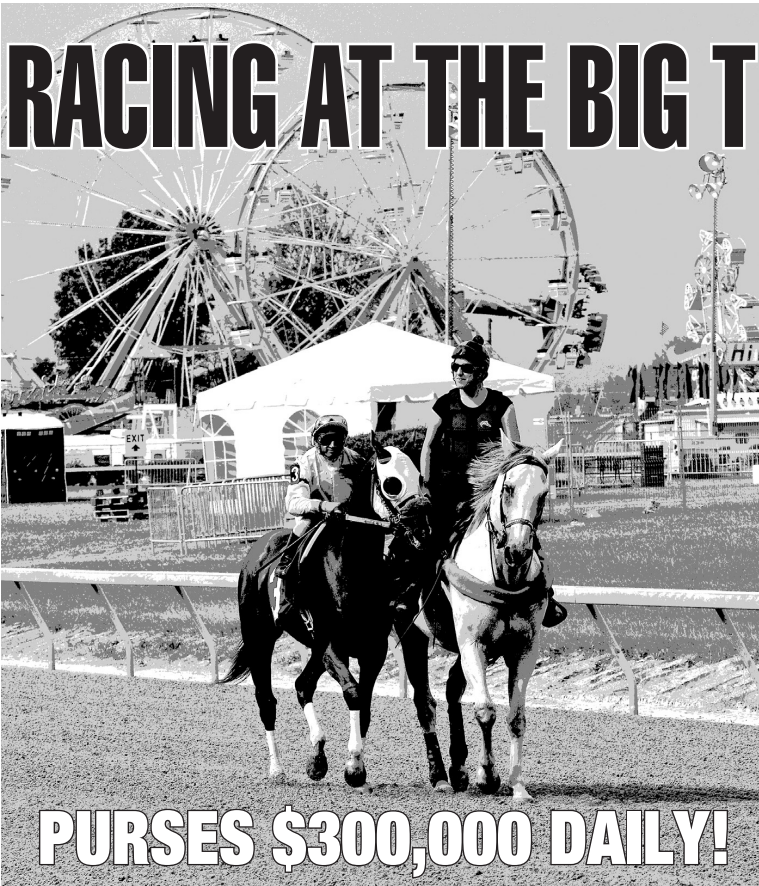
APPRENTICE JOCKEYS

Ebow III, Warren **110.....	J. D. Brown	202-744-1722
Hazlewood, Yedsit *108.....	John DiNatale	410-627-8563
Herman, Noel ***109.....	Mayerling Castillo	267-982-3640
Hernandez, Christopher **109.....	Simon Purdy	410-917-8281
Kingsley, Taylor **112	Jason Beides	917-697-2881
Mongan, Corey ***110		240-527-8136
Ortiz, Joshua **110.....	Yamil Mayo	407-417-1536
Pena, Pedro ***110.....	Frank Douglas	443-889-4576
Rodriguez, Yan *108.....	Tom Stift	206-327-2001
Rosario, Emanuel **108.....	John Weilbacher	513-283-4475
Vargas, Jose E. **112	Kevin Witte	443-864-1513

JOCKEYS

Acosta, J. D. 115.....	Chad Larson	443-477-7367
Araujo, Denis 116	Gersom Rodriguez	215-354-7329
Barbosa, Jeiron 116	Simon Purdy	410-917-8281
Batista, Jose 118.....	Mark Mace	302-588-4509
Betancourt, Jose 114		202-746-6979
Boyce, Forest 116	Jay Burtis	410-703-2640
Briceno, Jean 114	Frank Douglas	443-889-4576
Burnham, Matilda 116.....	Yamil Mayo	407-417-1536
Carrasco, Victor 117.....	Simon Purdy	410-917-8281
Cedeno, Carol 114	George Horner	302-668-8381
Chavez, Andres 112	Frank Douglas	443-889-4576
Chiappe, Richardo 118.....	Tom Stift	206-327-2001
Chuan, Martin 116.....	John Weilbacher	513-283-4475
Corujo, Leonardo 118.....	Justin Kravets	717-612-2164
Cruz, Angel 113.....	Tom Stift	206-327-2001
Gomez, Kevin 111	John Weilbacher	513-283-4475
Hernandez, Jorge F. 114		240-755-5971
Karamanos, Horacio 118.....	Kevin Witte	443-864-1513
Lopez, Carlos E. 117	Roniel Gerardo	443-538-6158
Luna, Paul 115.....	Yamil Mayo	407-417-1536
Lyapustina, Tais 116.....	John DiNatale	410-627-8563
Maldonado, Christian 114		240-470-8118
Mena, Raul 116		954-867-4811
Ortiz, Yomar 112.....	J. D. Brown	202-744-1722
Perez, Xavier 116.....	J. D. Brown	202-744-1722
Pimentel, Julian	Roniel Gerardo	443-538-6158
Rocco Jr., Joe 118	Dulaney Doro	443-787-9270
Ruiz, Jorge 116.....	Scott Silver	302-540-1811
Russell, Sheldon 114.....	Marty Leonard	203-733-1367
Sanchez, Mychel 116	Scott Silver	302-540-1811
Toledo, Jevian 110.....	Marty Leonard	203-733-1367
Vargas Jr., Jorge 117	Erik Fowble	240-308-0408
Villalobos, Ismerio 116	Kevin Witte	443-864-1513

RACING AT THE BIG T



PURSES \$300,000 DAILY!

\$20,000 IN LEADING TRAINER AWARDS

SPONSORED BY THE MARYLAND STATE FAIR

GROOMS AWARD TO BEST TURNED OUT FOR EVERY RACE

AUG 28, 29, 30, SEPT 4, 5, 6, 7 • POST TIME 12:00 DAILY

\$75,000 SHINE AGAIN SWEEPSTAKES

AUG 29 • F&M, 3YO & UP, 6½ Fur. (NON-WINNERS OF AN OPEN SWEEPSTAKES)

Contact Racing Secretary Georganne Hale 443-506-6916 cell • Racing Office 410-561-5641

COLLEGE DAY AT THE RACES • AUG 29

SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED For full-time college students

Must preregister at MarylandStateFair.com and check in at the event to be eligible

Visit MarylandStateFair.com for details

Index of Races

Two Year Olds

Type Of Race	Short	Long
AOCNW1/XMCorNW2orC50000	Sep 5	Sep 6
CLM25000	Aug 29	
MSW	Sep 6	Sep 7
MCL40000/SB50000	Sep 5	
MCL25000-20000/SB30000	Sep 4	Sep 5
MCL12500/SB15000	Aug 29	Sep 7

Three, Four, Five, and Six Year Olds

Type Of Race	Short	Long
MSW	Aug 28	Sep 5
MCL40000/SB50000	Aug 29	Aug 28
MCL25000-20000/SB30000	Sep 4	Aug 30
MCL12500/SB15000	Sep 6	Sep 7
MCL5000/SB8000	Sep 7	Sep 6

Three Year Olds and Upward

Type Of Race	Short	Long
CLM5000	Aug 28	Aug 29
LCL5000NW2	Aug 29	Aug 28
ALW	Aug 29	Aug 28
AOCNW3/XMCorC40000	Sep 4	Aug 30
AOCNW2/XMCorC30000	Sep 5	Sep 7
AOCNW1/XMCorC16000	Aug 28	Aug 29
SOC25000andNW2andorCLM25000	Aug 30	Sep 4
SOC25000andNW3orCLM25000	Aug 30	Aug 29
ALW 1XMC/N2 (MD)	Sep 6	Sep 7
SOC20000orC30000	Aug 29	Aug 30
SOC12500orC20000	Sep 4	Aug 30
SOC8000orC12500	Sep 5	Sep 4
STR5000	Sep 6	Sep 7
LCL16000-14000NW2	Aug 30	Aug 29
LCL10000-8000NW2	Sep 4	Aug 30
BCL5000NW1(6M)orNW4-X	Sep 6	Sep 4
BCL5000NW2(6M)orNW5-X	Sep 7	Sep 6
C8000	Sep 5	Aug 28

Three Year Olds or Four Year Olds and Upward

Type Of Race	Short	Long
N3 \$16,000-\$14,000	Sep 5	Sep 6
BCL10000-8000NW3	Aug 28	Sep 7
LCL5000NW3	Sep 6	Sep 5

HISA / HIWU

**REGULATIONS WILL BE ENFORCED
AT THE 2026 TIMONIUM MEET**

Index of Races

Fillies, Two Year Olds

Type Of Race	Short	Long
AOCNW1/XMCorNW2orC50000	Aug 30	Sep 4
CLM25000	Aug 28	
MSW	Aug 30	Sep 4
MCL40000/SB50000	Aug 29	
MCL25000-20000/SB30000	Aug 28	Aug 30
MCL12500/SB15000	Aug 28	Sep 6

Fillies And Mares, Three, Four, Five, and Six Year Olds

Type Of Race	Short	Long
MSW	Sep 6	Sep 7
MCL40000/SB50000	Sep 5	Sep 4
MCL25000-20000/SB30000	Sep 7	Sep 5
MCL12500/SB15000	Aug 30	Sep 4
MCL5000/SB8000	Aug 29	Aug 28

Fillies And Mares, Three Year Olds and Upward

Type Of Race	Short	Long
BCL5000NW2(6M)orNW5	Sep 5	Aug 30
CLM5000	Aug 30	Sep 4
LCL5000NW2	Sep 4	Aug 30
STK	Aug 29	
ALW	Sep 7	Sep 5
AOCNW3/XMCorC40000	Sep 7	Sep 6
AOCNW2/XMCorC30000	Aug 30	Aug 28
AOCNW1/XMCorC16000	Aug 30	Sep 4
SOC25000andNW2andorCLM25000	Sep 5	Sep 6
SOC25000andNW3orCLM25000	Sep 7	Aug 28
ALW 1XMC/N2 (MD)	Sep 4	Sep 5
SOC20000orC30000	Sep 6	Sep 7
SOC12500orC20000	Sep 7	Sep 6
SOC8000orC12500	Aug 30	Aug 29
STR5000	Sep 4	Sep 5
LCL16000-14000NW2	Sep 5	Sep 4
LCL10000-8000NW2	Aug 29	Aug 28
BCL5000NW1(6M)orNW4-X	Aug 29	Aug 28
BCL5000NW2(6M)orNW5-X	Sep 5	
C8000	Sep 7	Sep 6

Fillies And Mares, Three Year Olds or Four Year Olds and Upward

Type Of Race	Short	Long
N3 \$16,000-\$14,000	Aug 29	Aug 28
BCL10000-8000NW3	Sep 6	Sep 5
LCL5000NW3	Aug 28	Aug 29

Post time: 12:00pm everyday

Vanning

If you are shipping with the MJC shuttle, please contact:
Jesse Purcell at 410-808-0882

On Wednesday, July 1, the bill passed this legislative session to prohibit the slaughter of racehorses for commercial purposes went into effect. Maryland is the only state other than New York to have such a ban in place.

Under the statute, “a person may not:

- (1) slaughter or cause the slaughter of a racehorse in the State for any commercial purpose, including for human or animal consumption; or
- (2) purchase, sell, offer for sale, import into the state, or transport a racehorse if the person knows or reasonably should know that the racehorse will be slaughtered for a commercial purpose, including for human or animal consumption.”

A ‘racehorse’ is also a horse “that has been recorded on the backstretch of a track in the State, has had a recorded workout on a track in the State, or has participated in a race meeting in the State where pari-mutuel betting is allowed.”

The definition of a racehorse is not breed-specific - in Maryland it applies to Arabians, Standardbreds, and Thoroughbreds. Individuals who violate this act can be imprisoned for up to 1 year or fined up to \$2,500.

The State can also revoke any license granted to the individual or corporation by either the Maryland Racing Commission or the Maryland Department of Agriculture.

The statute does not apply to humane euthanasia by a licensed veterinarian for the reasons unrelated to commercial purposes, “including severe injury, maiming, or injury that results in no quality of life for the racehorse as determined by a licensed veterinarian.”

The bill was introduced by the Maryland Department of Labor, which is the agency that has jurisdiction over horse racing. The Maryland Horse Council testified in favor of the bill, as did the Maryland Thoroughbred Horsemen’s Association, The Maryland Jockey Club, and the Maryland Horse Breeders Association.

Purse Distribution

PURSE \$.....	to 1st	to 2nd.....	to 3rd.....	to 4th
14,000	8400	2800	1400	700
14,500	8700	2900	1450	725
15,000	9000	3000	1500	750
15,500	9300	3100	1550	775
16,000	9600	3200	1600	800
16,500	9900	3300	1650	825
17,000	10200	3400	1700	850
17,500	10500	3500	1750	875
18,000	10800	3600	1800	900
18,500	11100	3700	1850	925
19,000	11400	3800	1900	950
19,500	11700	3900	1950	975
20,000	12000	4000	2000	1000
22,000	13200	4400	2200	1100
23,000	13800	4600	2300	1150
24,000	14400	4800	2400	1200
25,000	15000	5000	2500	1250
26,000	15600	5200	2600	1300
27,000	16200	5400	2700	1350
28,000	16800	5600	2800	1400
29,000	17400	5800	2900	1450
30,000	18000	6000	3000	1500
31,000	18600	6200	3100	1550
32,000	19200	6400	3200	1600
33,000	19800	6600	3300	1650
34,000	20400	6800	3400	1700
35,000	21000	7000	3500	1750
36,000	21600	7200	3600	1800
37,000	22200	7400	3700	1850
38,000	22800	7600	3800	1900
39,000	23400	7800	3900	1950
40,000	24000	8000	4000	2000
41,000	24600	8200	4100	2050
42,000	25200	8400	4200	2100
45,000	27000	9000	4500	2250
46,000	27600	9200	4600	2300
47,000	28200	9400	4700	2350
48,000	28800	9600	4800	2400
49,000	29400	9800	4900	2450
50,000	30000	10000	5000	2500
51,000	30600	10200	5100	2550
52,000	31200	10400	5200	2600
53,000	31800	10600	5300	2650
54,000	32400	10800	5400	2700
55,000	33000	11000	5500	2750
56,000	33600	11200	5600	2800
57,000	34200	11400	5700	2850

Non-stake purses to be divided 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 10% to third, 5% or \$1,000, whichever is greater (wig) to fourth, 3% or \$1,000 wig to 5th; 2% or \$1,000 wig to 6th; \$1,000 minimum to 7th through last

Timonium

FIRST DAY -- Friday, August 28, 2026
(Entries Close on Saturday, August 22, 2026)

1 FIRST RACE **LIFETIME CLAIMING**
Purse \$15,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Never Won Two Races.
 Three Year Olds. 121 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.
 Maidens. 5 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000

ONE MILE AND ONE-SIXTEENTH

2 SECOND RACE **LIFETIME CLAIMING**
Purse \$15,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Fillies Three Years Old or Fillies and Mares Four Years Old and Upward
Which Have Never Won Three Races.
 Three Year Olds. 121 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

3 THIRD RACE **MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT**
Purse \$42,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Maidens, Three, Four, Five, and Six Years Old.
 Three Year Olds. 121 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

4 FOURTH RACE **CLAIMING**
Purse \$15,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds and Upward.
 Three Year Olds. 121 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.
 Non-winners Of Two Races Since June 28. 2 lbs.
 A Race Since Then. 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

5 FIFTH RACE **LIFETIME CLAIMING**
Purse \$18,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Never Won
Two Races.
 Three Year Olds. 121 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.
 Maidens. 5 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$10,000, if for \$8,000, allowed. 4 lbs.

ONE MILE AND ONE-SIXTEENTH

6 SIXTH RACE **CLAIMING**
Purse \$18,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds and Upward.
 Three Year Olds. 121 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.
 Non-winners Of Two Races At A Mile Or Over Since June 28. 2 lbs.
 Such A Race Since Then. 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$8,000

ONE MILE

**HISA: ALL horses must be registered as a
 Covered Horse upon completion of their 1st timed
 and reported work.**

Timonium

FIRST DAY -- Friday, August 28, 2026
(Entries Close on Saturday, August 22, 2026)

7 SEVENTH RACE **BEATEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$18,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds or Four Year Olds and Upward Which Have Never Won
Three Races.

Three Year Olds 121 lbs. Older 126 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$10,000, if for \$8,000, allowed 4 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

8 EIGHTH RACE **BEATEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$22,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Fillies Three Years Old or Fillies and Mares Four Years Old and Upward
Which Have Never Won Three Races.

Three Year Olds 121 lbs. Older 126 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$16,000, if for \$14,000, allowed 4 lbs.

ONE MILE AND ONE-SIXTEENTH

9 NINTH RACE **STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING**
Purse \$29,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Started For A
Claiming Price Of \$25,000 Or Less and Which Have Never Won Three
Races Or Claiming \$25,000 to \$20,000 and which have never won three
races Or Fillies Three Years Old Claiming.

Three Year Olds 121 lbs. Older 126 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$25,000, if for \$20,000, allowed 4 lbs.

ONE MILE

10 TENTH RACE **OPT ALLOWANCE/CLAIMING**
Purse \$44,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Never Won A Race Other Than
Maiden, Claiming, Waiver Claiming, Starter, MD Sired Races Or MD Bred
Races or Claiming Price \$16,000.

Three Year Olds 121 lbs. Older 126 lbs.

Non-winners Of A Race Since June 28 2 lbs.

A Race Since May 28 4 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$16,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

11 ELEVENTH RACE **OPT ALLOWANCE/CLAIMING**
Purse \$47,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Never Won
Two Races Other Than Maiden, Claiming, Starter, Waiver Claiming, State
Sired Races Or State Bred Races or Claiming Price \$30,000.

Three Year Olds 121 lbs. Older 126 lbs.

Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since June 28 2 lbs.

Such A Race Since May 28 4 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$30,000

ONE MILE AND ONE-SIXTEENTH

12 TWELFTH RACE **ALLOWANCE**
Purse \$54,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds and Upward.

Three Year Olds 121 lbs. Older 126 lbs.

Non-winners Of Two Races At A Mile Or Over Since June 28 2 lbs.

Such A Race Since Then 4 lbs.

(Maiden Races, Claiming And Starter Races Not Considered In Allowances)

ONE MILE AND ONE-SIXTEENTH

Timonium

FIRST DAY -- Friday, August 28, 2026
(Entries Close on Saturday, August 22, 2026)

S1 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 1** **BEATEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$15,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Not Won A Race Since February 28 or Which Have Never Won Four Races.
Three Year Olds 121 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since February 28 2 lbs.
Such A Race Since January 28 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000
(Races Where Entered For \$4,000 Or Less Not Considered In Eligibility)

ONE MILE

S2 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 2** **CLAIMING**
Which have not been permitted Lasix within 48 hours of Post Time
Purse \$29,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Fillies Two Years Old.
Weight 120 lbs.
Non-winners Of Two Races Since June 28 2 lbs.
A Race Since Then 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$25,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

S3 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 3** **MAIDEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$36,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Maidens, Three, Four, Five, and Six Years Old.
Three Year Olds 121 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$40,000, MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a claiming price of \$50,000

ONE MILE

S4 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 4** **MAIDEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$14,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Maidens, Fillies And Mares Three, Four, Five, and Six Years Old.
Three Year Olds 121 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000, MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a claiming price of \$8,000

ONE MILE AND ONE-SIXTEENTH

S5 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 5** **MAIDEN CLAIMING**
Which have not been permitted Lasix within 48 hours of Post Time
Purse \$28,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Maidens, Fillies Two Years Old.
Weight 120 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$25,000, if for \$20,000, allowed 4 lbs.
MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a claiming price of \$30,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

S6 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 6** **MAIDEN CLAIMING**
Which have not been permitted Lasix within 48 hours of Post Time
Purse \$20,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Maidens, Fillies Two Years Old.
Weight 120 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$12,500, MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a claiming price of \$15,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

The horse is eligible for bonus points if it is running under the same trainer as in its previous start before running at Timonium.

Maryland State Fair Trainer's Bonus

\$20,000 Total Bonus Money 2 Categories

Category One

\$10,000 Trainer's Bonus to trainers who have started
65 or more horses between 1/1/26 - 7/31/26

Category Two

\$10,000 Trainer's Bonus to trainers who have started
3 or more horses and have started 64 or less from 1/1/26 - 7/31/26

Bonus points per category as follows:

- Number of Wins - 5 Points
- Number of Seconds - 4 Points
- Number of Thirds- 3 Points
- Number of Fourths- 2 Points
- Each Starter - 1 Point

Points are awarded for the horse's first start at the meet.
If you race a horse more than once the second start
does not count towards your points.

- 1st Place receives \$5,000
- 2nd Place receives \$2,500
- 3rd Place receives \$1,500
- 4th Place receives \$600
- 5th Place receives \$400

May Not Transfer Horses To Another Trainer For The Timonium Meet

**The horse is eligible for bonus points if it is running under the
same trainer as in its previous start before running at Timonium.**

Timonium

SECOND DAY -- Saturday, August 29, 2026
(Entries Close on Sunday, August 23, 2026)

1 FIRST RACE **BEATEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$15,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Not Won A
Race Since February 28 or Which Have Never Won Four Races.

Three Year Olds. 121 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.

Non-winners Of A Race Since February 28. 2 lbs.

A Race Since January 29. 4 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000

(Races Where Entered For \$4,000 Or Less Not Considered In Eligibility)

FOUR FURLONGS
Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

2 SECOND RACE **LIFETIME CLAIMING**
Purse \$15,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Fillies Three Years Old or Fillies and Mares Four Years Old and Upward
Which Have Never Won Three Races.

Three Year Olds. 121 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000

ONE MILE

3 THIRD RACE **MAIDEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$36,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Maidens, Three, Four, Five, and Six Years Old.

Three Year Olds. 121 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.

**CLAIMING PRICE \$40,000, MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a
claiming price of \$50,000**

FOUR FURLONGS
Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

4 FOURTH RACE **LIFETIME CLAIMING**
Purse \$18,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Never Won
Two Races.

Three Year Olds. 121 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.

Maidens. 5 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$10,000, if for \$8,000, allowed 4 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS
Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

5 FIFTH RACE **LIFETIME CLAIMING**
Purse \$22,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Never Won Two Races.

Three Year Olds. 121 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.

Maidens. 5 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$16,000, if for \$14,000, allowed 4 lbs.

ONE MILE

6 SIXTH RACE **STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING**
Purse \$22,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Started For A
Claiming Price Of \$8,000 Or Less in Their Last Three Starts or Claiming
Price \$12,500 - \$10,000.

Three Year Olds. 121 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.

Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since June 29. 4 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$12,500, if for \$10,000, allowed 4 lbs.

ONE MILE

Good Luck Trainers!

Timonium

SECOND DAY -- Saturday, August 29, 2026
(Entries Close on Sunday, August 23, 2026)

7 SEVENTH RACE BEATEN CLAIMING
Purse \$22,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Fillies Three Years Old or Fillies and Mares Four Years Old and Upward Which Have Never Won Three Races.

Three Year Olds 121 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$16,000, if for \$14,000, allowed 4 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

8 EIGHTH RACE STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING
Purse \$29,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Started For A Claiming Price Of \$25,000 Or Less and Which Have Never Won Three Races Or Claiming \$25,000 to \$20,000 and which have never won three races Or Three Years Old Claiming.

Three Year Olds 121 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$25,000, if for \$20,000, allowed 4 lbs.

ONE MILE

9 NINTH RACE STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING
Purse \$31,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Started For A Claiming Price Of \$20,000 Or Less in Their Last Three Starts or Claiming Price \$30,000 - \$24,000.

Three Year Olds 121 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race Since June 29 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$30,000, if for \$24,000, allowed 4 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

10 TENTH RACE OPT ALLOWANCE/CLAIMING
Purse \$44,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Never Won A Race Other Than Maiden, Claiming, Waiver Claiming, Starter, MD Sired Races Or MD Bred Races or Claiming Price \$16,000.

Three Year Olds 121 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since June 29 2 lbs.
Such A Race Since May 29 4 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$16,000

ONE MILE

11 ELEVENTH RACE ALLOWANCE
Purse \$54,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Three Year Olds and Upward.

Three Year Olds 121 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of Two Races Since June 29 2 lbs.
A Race Since Then 4 lbs.

(Maiden Races, Claiming And Starter Races Not Considered In Allowances)

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

12 TWELFTH RACE THE SHINE AGAIN STAKES
(NON- WINNERS OF AN OPEN SWEEPSTAKES)
\$75,000 Guaranteed

FOR FILLIES AND MARES, THREE-YEAR-OLDS AND UPWARD. (Non-winners of an open sweepstakes) Which have not been permitted Lasix within 48 hours of Post Time. By free subscription. \$375 to pass the entry box. \$375 additional to start with \$75,000 Guaranteed of which 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 10% to third, 6% to fourth, 3% to fifth and 1% to sixth. Supplemental nominations of \$750 each will be accepted by the usual time of entry with all other fees due as noted. Weights: Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 126 lbs. Non-winners of \$50,000 twice in 2026 allowed 2 lbs.; once such race in 2026, 4 lbs.; of \$30,000 once in 2026, 6 lbs. Preference to starters with highest earnings in 2025-2026. Horses may be placed on the also-eligible list. Starters to be named through the entry box by the usual time of closing. Trophy to the owner of the winner.

Nominations Close Saturday, August 15, 2026

SIX AND ONE HALF FURLONGS

Timonium

SECOND DAY -- Saturday, August 29, 2026
(Entries Close on Sunday, August 23, 2026)

S1 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 1** **LIFETIME CLAIMING**
Purse \$15,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Never Won Two Races.

Three Year Olds 121 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Maidens 5 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

S2 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 2** **CLAIMING**
Purse \$15,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds and Upward.

Three Year Olds 121 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of Two Races At A Mile Or Over Since June 29. 2 lbs.
Such A Race Since Then 4 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000

ONE MILE

S3 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 3** **CLAIMING**
Which have not been permitted Lasix within 48 hours of Post Time
Purse \$29,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Two Year Olds.

Weight 120 lbs.
Non-winners Of Two Races Since June 29. 2 lbs.
A Race Since Then 4 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$25,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

S4 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 4** **MAIDEN CLAIMING**
Which have not been permitted Lasix within 48 hours of Post Time
Purse \$36,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Maidens, Fillies Two Years Old.

Weight 120 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$40,000, MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a
claiming price of \$50,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: Six And One Half Furlongs

S5 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 5** **MAIDEN CLAIMING**
Which have not been permitted Lasix within 48 hours of Post Time
Purse \$20,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Maidens, Two Years Old.

Weight 120 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$12,500, MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a
claiming price of \$15,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

S6 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 6** **MAIDEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$14,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Maidens, Fillies And Mares Three, Four, Five, and Six Years Old.

Three Year Olds 121 lbs. Older 126 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000, MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a claiming
price of \$8,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

SHOE RULE

DIRT: Front hooves are permitted 2 millimeters or less full rims (no raised toes); Hind hooves are permitted 4 millimeters or less full rims or toe grabs up to 4 millimeters in height.

TURF: Traction devices are prohibited on both front and hind hooves. Traction devices include but are not limited to rims, toe grabs, bends, jar caulks, and stickers.

HISA: ALL horses must be registered as a Covered Horse upon completion of their 1st timed and reported work.

HISA: Horses that have not started in 365 days or have not made a start prior to Jan 1st of their 4 year-old year must satisfy the same requirements as a horse placed on the List as unsound prior to entry.

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Racing Office
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Timonium

THIRD DAY -- Sunday, August 30, 2026
(Entries Close on Monday, August 24, 2026)

1 FIRST RACE **LIFETIME CLAIMING**
Purse \$15,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Never Won Two Races.
Three Year Olds. 121 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.
Maidens. 5 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000

ONE MILE AND ONE-SIXTEENTH

2 SECOND RACE **CLAIMING**
Purse \$15,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward.
Three Year Olds. 121 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of Two Races Since June 30. 2 lbs.
A Race Since Then. 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

3 THIRD RACE **MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT**
Which have not been permitted Lasix within 48 hours of Post Time
Purse \$42,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Maidens, Fillies Two Years Old.
Weight. 120 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

4 FOURTH RACE **STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING**
Purse \$22,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Started For A Claiming Price Of \$8,000 Or Less in Their Last Three Starts or Claiming Price \$12,500 - \$10,000.
Three Year Olds. 121 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race Since June 30. 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$12,500, if for \$10,000, allowed 4 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

5 FIFTH RACE **STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING**
Purse \$29,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Started For A Claiming Price Of \$25,000 Or Less and Which Have Never Won Three Races Or Claiming \$25,000 to \$20,000 and which have never won three races Or Three Year Olds Claiming.
Three Year Olds. 121 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$25,000, if for \$20,000, allowed 4 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

6 SIXTH RACE **STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING**
Purse \$29,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Started For A Claiming Price Of \$25,000 Or Less and Which Have Never Won Two Races Or Claiming \$25,000 to \$20,000 and which have never won two races.
Three Year Olds. 121 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$25,000, if for \$20,000, allowed 4 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

Timonium

THIRD DAY -- Sunday, August 30, 2026
(Entries Close on Monday, August 24, 2026)

7 SEVENTH RACE **STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING**
Purse \$27,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Started For A Claiming Price Of \$12,500 Or Less in Their Last Three Starts or Claiming Price \$20,000 - \$16,000.

Three Year Olds 121 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since June 30 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$20,000, if for \$16,000, allowed 4 lbs.

ONE MILE

8 EIGHTH RACE **STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING**
Purse \$31,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Started For A Claiming Price Of \$20,000 Or Less in Their Last Three Starts or Claiming Price \$30,000 - \$24,000.

Three Year Olds 121 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since June 30 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$30,000, if for \$24,000, allowed 4 lbs.

ONE MILE AND ONE-SIXTEENTH

9 NINTH RACE **OPT ALLOWANCE/CLAIMING**
Which have not been permitted Lasix within 48 hours of Post Time
Purse \$44,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Fillies Two Years Old Which Have Never Won A Race Other Than Maiden, Claiming, Starter, Waiver Claiming, MD Sired Races Or MD Bred Races or Which Have Never Won Two Races or Claiming Price \$50,000.

Weight 120 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race Since July 30 2 lbs.
A Race Since June 30 4 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$50,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

10 TENTH RACE **OPT ALLOWANCE/CLAIMING**
Purse \$44,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Never Won A Race Other Than Maiden, Claiming, Waiver Claiming, Starter, MD Sired Races Or MD Bred Races or Claiming Price \$16,000.

Three Year Olds 121 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race Since June 30 2 lbs.
A Race Since May 30 4 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$16,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

11 ELEVENTH RACE **OPT ALLOWANCE/CLAIMING**
Purse \$47,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Never Won Two Races Other Than Maiden, Claiming, Starter, Waiver Claiming, State Sired Races Or State Bred Races or Claiming Price \$30,000.

Three Year Olds 121 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race Since June 30 2 lbs.
A Race Since May 30 4 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$30,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

Timonium

THIRD DAY -- Sunday, August 30, 2026
(Entries Close on Monday, August 24, 2026)

12 TWELFTH RACE **OPT ALLOWANCE/CLAIMING**
Purse \$50,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Never Won Three Races Other
Than Maiden, Claiming, Starter, Waiver Claiming, State Sired Races Or
State Bred Races or Claiming Price \$40,000.
Three Year Olds. 121 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since June 30. 2 lbs.
Such A Race Since May 30. 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$40,000

ONE MILE

S1 SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 1 **LIFETIME CLAIMING**
Purse \$22,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Never Won Two Races.
Three Year Olds. 121 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.
Maidens. 5 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$16,000, if for \$14,000, allowed. 4 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

S2 SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 2 **LIFETIME CLAIMING**
Purse \$18,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Never Won Two Races.
Three Year Olds. 121 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.
Maidens. 5 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$10,000, if for \$8,000, allowed. 4 lbs.

ONE MILE AND ONE-SIXTEENTH

S3 SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 3 **BEATEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$15,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Not Won Two
Races Since March 1 or Which Have Never Won Five Races.
Three Year Olds. 121 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since January 30. 2 lbs.
Such A Race Since December 30. 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000
(Races Where Entered For \$4,000 Or Less Not Considered In Eligibility)

ONE MILE

S4 SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 4 **MAIDEN CLAIMING**
Which have not been permitted Lasix within 48 hours of Post Time
Purse \$28,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Maidens, Fillies Two Years Old.
Weight. 120 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$25,000, if for \$20,000, allowed. 4 lbs.
MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a claiming price of \$30,000

ONE MILE

**All horses shipping in to race MUST be on the
grounds by 11:00 am.**

Thank you for your cooperation.

Timonium

THIRD DAY -- Sunday, August 30, 2026
(Entries Close on Monday, August 24, 2026)

S5 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 5** **MAIDEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$28,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Maidens, Three, Four, Five, and Six Years Old.

Three Year Olds. 121 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$25,000, if for \$20,000, allowed 4 lbs.

MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a claiming price of \$30,000

ONE MILE AND ONE-SIXTEENTH

S6 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 6** **MAIDEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$20,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Maidens, Fillies And Mares Three, Four, Five, and Six Years Old.

Three Year Olds. 121 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.

**CLAIMING PRICE \$12,500, MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a
claiming price of \$15,000**

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs



NEW

5% Maryland Million bonuses for maiden winners

Starting March 1, 2026, any Maryland Million-eligible*
horse that wins a maiden race in Maryland will earn a
5% bonus on winner's share of the base purse.

**ONLY horses by Maryland Million stallions, who were conceived in Maryland and fully nominated/
certified to the Maryland Million program, are considered eligible for any Maryland Million
program. Stallions must have been nominated for the specific year the horse was conceived.*

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Timonium

FOURTH DAY -- Friday, September 4, 2026
(Entries Close on Saturday, August 29, 2026)

1 FIRST RACE **BEATEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$15,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Not Won A Race Since March 2
or Which Have Never Won Four Races.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since March 2 2 lbs.
Such A Race Since February 4 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000
(Races Where Entered For \$4,000 Or Less Not Considered In Eligibility)

ONE MILE

2 SECOND RACE **LIFETIME CLAIMING**
Purse \$15,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Never Won
Two Races.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Maidens 5 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

3 THIRD RACE **MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT**
Which have not been permitted Lasix within 48 hours of Post Time
Purse \$42,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Maidens, Fillies Two Years Old.
Weight 120 lbs.

ONE MILE

4 FOURTH RACE **STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING**
Purse \$22,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Started For A Claiming Price Of
\$8,000 Or Less in Their Last Three Starts or Claiming Price \$12,500 -
\$10,000.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since July 4 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$12,500, if for \$10,000, allowed. 4 lbs.

ONE MILE

5 FIFTH RACE **LIFETIME CLAIMING**
Purse \$22,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Never Won
Two Races.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Maidens 5 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$16,000, if for \$14,000, allowed. 4 lbs.

ONE MILE

6 SIXTH RACE **STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING**
Purse \$27,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Started For A Claiming Price Of
\$12,500 Or Less in Their Last Three Starts or Claiming Price \$20,000 -
\$16,000.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race Since July 4 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$20,000, if for \$16,000, allowed. 4 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

Timonium

FOURTH DAY -- Friday, September 4, 2026
(Entries Close on Saturday, August 29, 2026)

7 SEVENTH RACE **STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING**
Purse \$29,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Started For A Claiming Price Of \$25,000 Or Less and Which Have Never Won Two Races Or Claiming \$25,000 to \$20,000 and which have never won two races.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$25,000, if for \$20,000, allowed 4 lbs.

ONE MILE

8 EIGHTH RACE **STARTER ALLOWANCE**
Purse \$22,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Started For A Claiming Price Of \$5,000 Or Less In 2025 - 2026.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of Two Races Since July 4 2 lbs.
A Race Since Then 4 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

9 NINTH RACE **OPT ALLOWANCE/CLAIMING**
Which have not been permitted Lasix within 48 hours of Post Time
Purse \$44,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Fillies Two Years Old Which Have Never Won A Race Other Than Maiden, Claiming, Starter, Waiver Claiming, MD Sired Races Or MD Bred Races or Which Have Never Won Two Races or Claiming Price \$50,000.
Weight 120 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since August 4 2 lbs.
Such A Race Since July 4 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$50,000

ONE MILE

10 TENTH RACE **OPT ALLOWANCE/CLAIMING**
Purse \$44,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Never Won A Race Other Than Maiden, Claiming, Waiver Claiming, Starter, MD Sired Races Or MD Bred Races or Claiming Price \$16,000.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since July 4 2 lbs.
Such A Race Since June 4 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$16,000

ONE MILE

11 ELEVENTH RACE **MD Bred or Sired ALLOWANCE**
MD Bred / MD Sired
Purse \$44,000. For Registered Maryland Bred or Sired Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Never Won A State Bred/State Sired Or State Certified Race Other Than Maiden, Claiming, Waiver Claiming, Or Starter and Which Have Not Won Two Races Other Than Maiden, Claiming, Waiver Claiming or Starter or Which Have Never Won Two Races.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race Since July 4 2 lbs.
A Race Other Than Maiden, Claiming Or Starter 3 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

Timonium

FOURTH DAY -- Friday, September 4, 2026
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12 **TWELFTH RACE** **OPT ALLOWANCE/CLAIMING**
Purse \$50,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Never Won Three Races Other
Than Maiden, Claiming, Starter, Waiver Claiming, State Sired Races Or
State Bred Races or Claiming Price \$40,000.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race Since July 4 2 lbs.
A Race Since June 4 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$40,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

S1 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 1** **LIFETIME CLAIMING**
Purse \$18,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Never Won Two Races.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Maidens 5 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$10,000, if for \$8,000, allowed 4 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

S2 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 2** **CLAIMING**
Purse \$15,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of Two Races At A Mile Or Over Since July 4 2 lbs.
Such A Race Since Then 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000

ONE MILE

S3 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 3** **MAIDEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$36,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Maidens, Fillies And Mares Three, Four, Five, and Six Years Old.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$40,000, MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a
claiming price of \$50,000

ONE MILE

S4 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 4** **MAIDEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$28,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Maidens, Three, Four, Five, and Six Years Old.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$25,000, if for \$20,000, allowed 4 lbs.
MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a claiming price of \$30,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

S5 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 5** **MAIDEN CLAIMING**
Which have not been permitted Lasix within 48 hours of Post Time
Purse \$28,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Maidens, Two Years Old.
Weight 120 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$25,000, if for \$20,000, allowed 4 lbs.
MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a claiming price of \$30,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

Timonium

FOURTH DAY -- Friday, September 4, 2026
(Entries Close on Saturday, August 29, 2026)

S6 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 6** **MAIDEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$20,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Maidens, Fillies And Mares Three, Four, Five, and Six Years Old.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$12,500, MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a
claiming price of \$15,000

ONE MILE

Closing Saturday, August 29, 2026

THE SENSIBLE LADY TURF DASH

Purse \$100,000 Guaranteed

Fillies And Mares Three Year Olds and Upward

Six Furlongs (Turf)

(To be run Saturday, September 12, 2026)

THE LAUREL DASH

Purse \$100,000 Guaranteed

Three Year Olds and Upward

Six Furlongs (Turf)

(To be run Saturday, September 12, 2026)

2026 TIMONIUM MEETING

August 28 through September 7

Entry Closing Schedule

Entries	Race Day
Saturday, 8/15	Friday, 8/28
Sunday, 8/16	Saturday, 8/29
Monday, 8/17	Sunday, 8/30
Saturday, 8/29	Friday, 9/4
Sunday, 8/30	Saturday, 9/5
Monday, 8/31	Sunday, 9/6
Tuesday, 9/1	Monday, 9/7

Timonium

FIFTH DAY -- Saturday, September 5, 2026
(Entries Close on Sunday, August 30, 2026)

1 FIRST RACE **LIFETIME CLAIMING**
Purse \$15,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds or Four Year Olds and Upward Which Have Never Won
Three Races.

Three Year Olds 122 lbs.

Older 126 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000

ONE MILE

2 SECOND RACE **BEATEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$15,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Not Won Two
Races Since March 2 or Which Have Never Won Five Races.

Three Year Olds 122 lbs.

Older 126 lbs.

Non-winners Of A Race Since February 5 2 lbs.

A Race Since January 5 4 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000

(Races Where Entered For \$4,000 Or Less Not Considered In Eligibility)

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

3 THIRD RACE **MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT**
Purse \$42,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Maidens, Three, Four, Five, and Six Years Old.

Three Year Olds 122 lbs.

Older 126 lbs.

ONE MILE AND ONE-SIXTEENTH

4 FOURTH RACE **CLAIMING**
Purse \$18,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds and Upward.

Three Year Olds 122 lbs.

Older 126 lbs.

Non-winners Of Two Races Since July 5 2 lbs.

A Race Since Then 4 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$8,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

5 FIFTH RACE **STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING**
Purse \$22,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Started For A Claiming Price Of
\$8,000 Or Less in Their Last Three Starts or Claiming Price \$12,500 -
\$10,000.

Three Year Olds 122 lbs.

Older 126 lbs.

Non-winners Of A Race Since July 5 4 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$12,500, if for \$10,000, allowed. 4 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

6 SIXTH RACE **LIFETIME CLAIMING**
Purse \$22,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Never Won
Two Races.

Three Year Olds 122 lbs.

Older 126 lbs.

Maidens 5 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$16,000, if for \$14,000, allowed. 4 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

Timonium

FIFTH DAY -- Saturday, September 5, 2026
(Entries Close on Sunday, August 30, 2026)

7 SEVENTH RACE **STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING**
Purse \$29,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Started For A Claiming Price Of \$25,000 Or Less and Which Have Never Won Two Races Or Claiming \$25,000 to \$20,000 and which have never won two races.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$25,000, if for \$20,000, allowed 4 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

8 EIGHTH RACE **STARTER ALLOWANCE**
Purse \$22,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Started For A Claiming Price Of \$5,000 Or Less In 2025 - 2026.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of Two Races At A Mile Or Over Since July 5 2 lbs.
Such A Race Since Then 4 lbs.

ONE MILE

9 NINTH RACE **OPT ALLOWANCE/CLAIMING**
Which have not been permitted Lasix within 48 hours of Post Time
Purse \$44,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Two Year Olds Which Have Never Won A Race Other Than Maiden, Claiming, Starter, Waiver Claiming, MD Sired Races Or MD Bred Races or Which Have Never Won Two Races or Claiming Price \$50,000.

Weight 120 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race Since August 5 2 lbs.
A Race Since July 5 4 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$50,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

10 TENTH RACE **MD Bred or Sired ALLOWANCE**
MD Bred / MD Sired
Purse \$44,000. For Registered Maryland Bred or Sired Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Never Won A State Bred/State Sired Or State Certified Race Other Than Maiden, Claiming, Waiver Claiming, Or Starter and Which Have Not Won Two Races Other Than Maiden, Claiming, Waiver Claiming or Starter or Which Have Never Won Two Races.

Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since July 5 2 lbs.
A Race Other Than Maiden, Claiming Or Starter At A Mile Or Over 3 lbs.

ONE MILE AND ONE-SIXTEENTH

11 ELEVENTH RACE **OPT ALLOWANCE/CLAIMING**
Purse \$47,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Never Won Two Races Other Than Maiden, Claiming, Starter, Waiver Claiming, State Sired Races Or State Bred Races or Claiming Price \$30,000.

Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race Since July 5 2 lbs.
A Race Since June 5 4 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$30,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

Timonium

FIFTH DAY -- Saturday, September 5, 2026
(Entries Close on Sunday, August 30, 2026)

12 TWELFTH RACE ALLOWANCE
Purse \$54,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of Two Races At A Mile Or Over Since July 5. 2 lbs.
Such A Race Since Then. 4 lbs.
(Maiden Races, Claiming And Starter Races Not Considered In Allowances)

ONE MILE AND ONE-SIXTEENTH

S1 SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 1 BEATEN CLAIMING
Purse \$18,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Fillies Three Years Old or Fillies and Mares Four Years Old and Upward Which Have Never Won Three Races.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$10,000, if for \$8,000, allowed 4 lbs.

ONE MILE AND ONE-SIXTEENTH

S2 SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 2 MAIDEN CLAIMING
Purse \$36,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Maidens, Fillies And Mares Three, Four, Five, and Six Years Old.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$40,000, MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a claiming price of \$50,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

S3 SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 3 MAIDEN CLAIMING
Purse \$28,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Maidens, Fillies And Mares Three, Four, Five, and Six Years Old.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$25,000, if for \$20,000, allowed 4 lbs.
MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a claiming price of \$30,000

ONE MILE AND ONE-SIXTEENTH

S4 SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 4 MAIDEN CLAIMING
Which have not been permitted Lasix within 48 hours of Post Time
Purse \$36,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Maidens, Two Years Old.
Weight 120 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$40,000, MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a claiming price of \$50,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: Six And One Half Furlongs

S5 SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 5 MAIDEN CLAIMING
Which have not been permitted Lasix within 48 hours of Post Time
Purse \$28,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Maidens, Two Years Old.
Weight 120 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$25,000, if for \$20,000, allowed 4 lbs.
MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a claiming price of \$30,000

ONE MILE

S6 SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 6 BEATEN CLAIMING
Purse \$22,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Three Year Olds or Four Year Olds and Upward Which Have Never Won Three Races.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$16,000, if for \$14,000, allowed 4 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: Six And One Half Furlongs ()

Timonium

FIFTH DAY -- Saturday, September 5, 2026
(Entries Close on Sunday, August 30, 2026)

S7 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 7** **BEATEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$15,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Not Won Two
Races Since March 2 or Which Have Never Won Five Races.

Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.

Non-winners Of A Race Since February 5. 2 lbs.

A Race At A Mile Or Over Since January 5. 4 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000

(Races Where Entered For \$4,000 Or Less Not Considered In Eligibility)

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: Six And One Half Furlongs

NOTES

Timonium

SIXTH DAY -- Sunday, September 6, 2026
(Entries Close on Monday, August 31, 2026)

1 FIRST RACE **BEATEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$15,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Not Won Two Races Since
March 3 or Which Have Never Won Five Races.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since February 6 2 lbs.
Such A Race Since January 6 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000
(Races Where Entered For \$4,000 Or Less Not Considered In Eligibility)

2 SECOND RACE **ONE MILE CLAIMING**
Purse \$18,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of Two Races At A Mile Or Over Since July 6 2 lbs.
Such A Race Since Then 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$8,000

3 THIRD RACE **MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT**
Which have not been permitted Lasix within 48 hours of Post Time
Purse \$42,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Maidsens, Two Years Old.
Weight 120 lbs.

4 FOURTH RACE **BEATEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$18,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Fillies Three Years Old or Fillies and Mares Four Years Old and Upward
Which Have Never Won Three Races.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$10,000, if for \$8,000, allowed 4 lbs.

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

5 FIFTH RACE **BEATEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$22,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds or Four Year Olds and Upward Which Have Never Won
Three Races.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$16,000, if for \$14,000, allowed 4 lbs.

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

6 SIXTH RACE **STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING**
Purse \$27,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Started For A
Claiming Price Of \$12,500 Or Less in Their Last Three Starts or Claiming
Price \$20,000 - \$16,000.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since July 6 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$20,000, if for \$16,000, allowed 4 lbs.

ONE MILE

Timonium

SIXTH DAY -- Sunday, September 6, 2026
(Entries Close on Monday, August 31, 2026)

7 SEVENTH RACE **STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING**
Purse \$29,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Started For A Claiming Price Of \$25,000 Or Less and Which Have Never Won Two Races Or Claiming \$25,000 to \$20,000 and which have never won two races.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$25,000, if for \$20,000, allowed 4 lbs.

ONE MILE AND ONE-SIXTEENTH

8 EIGHTH RACE **STARTER ALLOWANCE**
Purse \$22,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Started For A Claiming Price Of \$5,000 Or Less In 2025 - 2026.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of Two Races Since July 6 2 lbs.
A Race Since Then 4 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

9 NINTH RACE **STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING**
Purse \$31,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Started For A Claiming Price Of \$20,000 Or Less in Their Last Three Starts or Claiming Price \$30,000 - \$24,000.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race Since July 6 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$30,000, if for \$24,000, allowed 4 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

10 TENTH RACE **OPT ALLOWANCE/CLAIMING**
Which have not been permitted Lasix within 48 hours of Post Time
Purse \$44,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Two Year Olds Which Have Never Won A Race Other Than Maiden, Claiming, Starter, Waiver Claiming, MD Sired Races Or MD Bred Races or Which Have Never Won Two Races or Claiming Price \$50,000.
Weight 120 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since August 6 2 lbs.
Such A Race Since July 6 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$50,000

ONE MILE

11 ELEVENTH RACE **MD Bred or Sired ALLOWANCE**
MD Bred / MD Sired
Purse \$44,000. For Registered Maryland Bred or Sired Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Never Won A State Bred/State Sired Or State Certified Race Other Than Maiden, Claiming, Waiver Claiming, Or Starter and Which Have Not Won Two Races Other Than Maiden, Claiming, Waiver Claiming or Starter or Which Have Never Won Two Races.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race Since July 6 2 lbs.
A Race Other Than Maiden, Claiming Or Starter 3 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

Timonium

SIXTH DAY -- Sunday, September 6, 2026
(Entries Close on Monday, August 31, 2026)

12 TWELFTH RACE **OPT ALLOWANCE/CLAIMING**
Purse \$50,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Never Won Three Races Other Than Maiden, Claiming, Starter, Waiver Claiming, State Sired Races Or State Bred Races or Claiming Price \$40,000.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since July 6 2 lbs.
Such A Race Since June 6 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$40,000

ONE MILE

S1 SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 1 **LIFETIME CLAIMING**
Purse \$15,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Three Year Olds or Four Year Olds and Upward Which Have Never Won Three Races.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

S2 SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 2 **BEATEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$15,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Not Won A Race Since March 3 or Which Have Never Won Four Races.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race Since March 3 2 lbs.
A Race Since February 6 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000
(Races Where Entered For \$4,000 Or Less Not Considered In Eligibility)

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

S3 SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 3 **MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT**
Purse \$42,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Maidens, Fillies And Mares Three, Four, Five, and Six Years Old.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

S4 SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 4 **MAIDEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$20,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Maidens, Three, Four, Five, and Six Years Old.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$12,500, MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a claiming price of \$15,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

S5 SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 5 **MAIDEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$14,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Maidens, Three, Four, Five, and Six Years Old.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000, MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a claiming price of \$8,000

ONE MILE AND ONE-SIXTEENTH

S6 SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 6 **MAIDEN CLAIMING**
Which have not been permitted Lasix within 48 hours of Post Time
Purse \$20,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Maidens, Fillies Two Years Old.
Weight 120 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$12,500, MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a claiming price of \$15,000

ONE MILE

IT PAYS TO RACE Maryland-breds in Maryland

15% OWNER BONUS

SHARE OF PURSE

On all open overnight races for Maryland-bred horses finishing 1st, 2nd or 3rd

Paid as part of the purse, included in typical owner earnings and are reflected in horse's Equibase earnings.

15% DEVELOPER BONUS

SHARE OF PURSE

On all open overnight races for Maryland-bred horses finishing 1st, 2nd or 3rd

Developer is the owner of the horse in its first career start.

Bonuses will continue to be paid to the Developer throughout the horse's racing career, regardless of how many times ownership changes, unless the horse changed hands prior to start of the program on January 22, 2021. Developer bonuses are NOT paid as part of the purse, therefore not reflected in horse's Equibase earnings. Bonuses will be paid monthly by Horsemen's Bookkeeper by check after races are released by the stewards.

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Timonium

SEVENTH DAY -- Monday, September 7, 2026
(Entries Close on Tuesday, September 1, 2026)

1 FIRST RACE CLAIMING
Purse \$18,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of Two Races Since July 7 2 lbs.
A Race Since Then 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$8,000

FOUR FURLONGS
Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

2 SECOND RACE BEATEN CLAIMING
Purse \$18,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Three Year Olds or Four Year Olds and Upward Which Have Never Won Three Races.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$10,000, if for \$8,000, allowed 4 lbs.

ONE MILE AND ONE-SIXTEENTH

3 THIRD RACE MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT
Which have not been permitted Lasix within 48 hours of Post Time
Purse \$42,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Maidens, Two Years Old.
Weight 120 lbs.

ONE MILE

4 FOURTH RACE STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING
Purse \$27,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Started For A Claiming Price Of \$12,500 Or Less in Their Last Three Starts or Claiming Price \$20,000 - \$16,000.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race Since July 7 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$20,000, if for \$16,000, allowed 4 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

5 FIFTH RACE STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING
Purse \$31,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Started For A Claiming Price Of \$20,000 Or Less in Their Last Three Starts or Claiming Price \$30,000 - \$24,000.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since July 7 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$30,000, if for \$24,000, allowed 4 lbs.

ONE MILE AND ONE-SIXTEENTH

6 SIXTH RACE STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING
Purse \$29,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Started For A Claiming Price Of \$25,000 Or Less and Which Have Never Won Three Races Or Claiming \$25,000 to \$20,000 and which have never won three races Or Fillies Three Year Olds Claiming.
Three Year Olds 122 lbs. Older 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$25,000, if for \$20,000, allowed 4 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

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7 SEVENTH RACE STARTER ALLOWANCE
Purse \$22,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Started For A Claiming Price Of
\$5,000 Or Less In 2025 - 2026.

Three Year Olds. 122 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of Two Races At A Mile Or Over Since July 7. 2 lbs.
Such A Race Since Then. 4 lbs.

ONE MILE

8 EIGHTH RACE MD Bred or Sired ALLOWANCE
MD Bred / MD Sired

Purse \$44,000. For Registered Maryland Bred or Sired Three Year Olds
and Upward Which Have Never Won A State Bred/State Sired Or State
Certified Race Other Than Maiden, Claiming, Waiver Claiming, Or Starter
and Which Have Not Won Two Races Other Than Maiden, Claiming,
Waiver Claiming or Starter or Which Have Never Won Two Races.

Three Year Olds. 122 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since July 7. 2 lbs.
A Race Other Than Maiden, Claiming Or Starter At A Mile Or Over. 3 lbs.

ONE MILE AND ONE-SIXTEENTH

9 NINTH RACE OPT ALLOWANCE/CLAIMING
Purse \$47,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Never Won Two Races Other
Than Maiden, Claiming, Starter, Waiver Claiming, State Sired Races Or
State Bred Races or Claiming Price \$30,000.

Three Year Olds. 122 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since July 7. 2 lbs.
Such A Race Since June 7. 4 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$30,000

ONE MILE AND ONE-SIXTEENTH

10 TENTH RACE OPT ALLOWANCE/CLAIMING
Purse \$50,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward Which Have Never Won
Three Races Other Than Maiden, Claiming, Starter, Waiver Claiming, State
Sired Races Or State Bred Races or Claiming Price \$40,000.

Three Year Olds. 122 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race Since July 7. 2 lbs.
A Race Since June 7. 4 lbs.

CLAIMING PRICE \$40,000

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

11 ELEVENTH RACE ALLOWANCE
Purse \$54,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Fillies And Mares Three Years Old and Upward.

Three Year Olds. 122 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of Two Races Since July 7. 2 lbs.
A Race Since Then. 4 lbs.

FOUR FURLONGS

Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

Timonium

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S1 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 1** **BEATEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$15,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Not Won Two Races Since
March 4 or Which Have Never Won Five Races.
Three Year Olds. 122 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.
Non-winners Of A Race Since February 7. 2 lbs.
A Race Since January 7. 4 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000
(Races Where Entered For \$4,000 Or Less Not Considered In Eligibility)

FOUR FURLONGS
Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

S2 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 2** **MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT**
Purse \$42,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Maidens, Fillies And Mares Three, Four, Five, and Six Years Old.
Three Year Olds. 122 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.
ONE MILE AND ONE-SIXTEENTH

S3 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 3** **MAIDEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$28,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Maidens, Fillies And Mares Three, Four, Five, and Six Years Old.
Three Year Olds. 122 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.
CLAIMING PRICE \$25,000, if for \$20,000, allowed 4 lbs.
MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a claiming price of \$30,000

FOUR FURLONGS
Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

S4 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 4** **MAIDEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$14,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Maidens, Three, Four, Five, and Six Years Old.
Three Year Olds. 122 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.
**CLAIMING PRICE \$5,000, MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a claiming
price of \$8,000**

FOUR FURLONGS
Alternate Distance: About Six And One Half Furlongs

S5 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 5** **MAIDEN CLAIMING**
Which have not been permitted Lasix within 48 hours of Post Time
Purse \$20,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Maidens, Two Years Old.
Weight. 122 lbs.
**CLAIMING PRICE \$12,500, MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a
claiming price of \$15,000**

ONE MILE

S6 **SUBSTITUTE RACE NO 6** **MAIDEN CLAIMING**
Purse \$20,000. (*Plus 15% Registered Maryland Bred Owner Bonus) For
Maidens, Three, Four, Five, and Six Years Old.
Three Year Olds. 122 lbs. Older. 126 lbs.
**CLAIMING PRICE \$12,500, MD Bred or Sired horses may run for a
claiming price of \$15,000**

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COUPLED HORSES

As of October 25, 2018 Coupling Rule:

11) Coupled Horses.

(a) In §F(11) of this regulation, “commonality of ownership” means that the same person, persons, entity, or entities own at least 25 percent of a horse entered in a race and also own at least 25 percent of another horse entered in the same race.

(b) Except as provided in this subsection, horses [shall] may be [coupled] uncoupled at the time of entry for betting purposes if the horses have commonality of ownership.

(c) If a race is split into two or more divisions, horses [required to be coupled under] subject to the provisions of §F(11)(b) of this regulation shall be seeded in separate divisions, if possible, but the divisions in which they compete and the post positions shall be determined by lot.

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Z. Declaration in Purse Races and Overnight Handicaps.

(1) The stewards may, for cause, allow a horse to be declared out of a race.

(2) If a horse is declared out of a race under the provisions of §Z(1) of this regulation, the stewards shall prohibit the horse from running out-of-State for a period up to 10 days starting with the day of the race from which the horse was declared out.



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(.09.10.01)(26). A horse is a “starter” when the stall doors of the starting gate open in front of the horse at the time the starter dispatches the field.

Barred Horses (.09.10.04.12)(A). Barred Horses. If a trainer has in the trainer's charge a horse whose name appears on a veterinarian's, starter's, steward's, or judge's list or any other list of horses ineligible to start, commonly known as a “Barred List”, at a race track outside this State, the trainer shall report the name of the horse and the fact that the horse has been barred to the Racing Secretary, as well as to the stewards or judges, at the meeting within the State at which the trainer proposes to enter the horse to race.

Claiming. (.09.10.01.07)(A). Except as provided in §A-1 of this regulation, in claiming races a horse is subject to claim for its entered price by: (1) through a licensed owner; (2) An individual authorized to claim in behalf of a registered stable or other multiple ownership entity; or (3) A registered authorized agent in behalf of a person listed in §A(1) or (2) of this regulation. A-1. In claiming races a horse is not subject to claim if: (1) The horse has not started for a minimum of 120 days; (2) The last start of the horse was a claiming race; (3) The horse is entered for a claiming price not less than the claiming price of its last start; (4) For the first race following the period specified in §A-1 (1) of this regulation, the horse is declared ineligible to be claimed at the time of entry; and (5) The program clearly designates that the horse is ineligible to be claimed. **(B).** Eligibility to claim. (1) Except as provided in §A-1(2) of this regulation, to be eligible to claim, a licensed owner, registered stable, other multiple ownership entity shall designate, as the person who will assume control and responsibility of a claimed horse, a licensed trainer who has been assigned stabling on the grounds under the jurisdiction of the Commission. (2) A licensed owner, registered stable, or other multiple ownership entity that does not have a licensed trainer with assigned stabling on grounds under the jurisdiction of the Commission is eligible to claim only to replace a horse lost to a claim at a track under the jurisdiction of the Commission. **(C.) A person may not be eligible to claim more than one horse in a race, either directly or through another.** **(D).** A valid claim shall: (1) Be in writing on a form provided by the association; (2) Be in the name of a person qualified to claim a horse; (3) Be signed by the person, or the agent of the person, in whose name the claim is made; (4) Contain the name of the horse to be claimed in a manner sufficient to avoid confusion with the name of another horse in the race; **(5) Name the trainer who will assume control and responsibility of the horse to be claimed;** (6) Be for the amount printed in the program as the claiming price of the horse; (7) Be enclosed in a sealed envelope, provided by the association, which shall contain no identifying marks on its outside other than the number of the race in which the claimed horse is to participate; (8) Be deposited in the time lock box of the claims clerk at least 10 minutes before the post time for the race in which the claimed horse is to participate; (9) Be supported by funds on deposit at the association in the name of the claimant in an amount sufficient to cover the cost of the claim and any taxes to which the claim may be subject. **(E).** After the deadline for entering a claim has passed, the stewards or designee shall: (1) Open the claim envelope for the race; (2) After ascertaining compliance with §§D and E of this regulation, if there is more than one valid claim for a horse, conduct a public drawing to determine the successful claimant; and (3) Notify the Racing Secretary of the identity of the successful claimant and the horse claimed. **(F).** The stewards may require a person who submits a claim for a horse in a claiming race to make an affidavit declaring that the person is claiming the horse for



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the person's own account or for the account of another as the registered authorized agent for that person. **(6).** If the stewards determine that a horse was improperly entered in a claiming race, they may; (1) Void a claim of the horse; (2) Order the claiming monies, including all taxes, refunded to the claimant through the Clerk of the Course, the horsemen's bookkeeper, or otherwise; and (3) Order the return of the horse to the original owner.

(.09.10.01.07)(H). Except as provided in §H-1 of this regulation, unless there is a violation of this regulation by the claimant, or the stewards determine that a horse was improperly entered: (1) The claim is irrevocable and the claimed horse becomes the property of the successful claimant from the time the horse is a starter; and (2) A purse earned in the race from which a horse is claimed is the property of the owner from whom the horse is claimed.

(.09.10.01.07)(H-1) A claim shall be voided if a horse is a starter and the horse: (1) Dies on the racetrack; or (2) Suffers an injury which requires the euthanasia of the horse, as determined by a State veterinarian, while the horse is on the racetrack.

(.09.10.01.07)(H-2) A claim is voidable at the sole discretion of the new owner, for a period of 1 hour after the race is made official, for any horse that: (1) Is vanned off the track after the race at the discretion of the State Veterinarian; or (2) Is sent to the detention barn and observed to be lame by the State Veterinarian; or (3) is declared lame by vet in claiming barn.

Notice - There are two ways to void a claim in the above circumstance:

1. An owner, his trainer or authorized representative can elect to void the claim by checking a box for that purpose on the new Maryland Claim Form. If you have no intention of keeping a horse that is vanned off the racetrack you should check this box when you submit the claim.
2. There will be a new Void The Claim Form available in the racing office. If you have claimed a horse that is vanned off the racetrack at the direction of the State Veterinarian and did not elect to automatically void the claim on the Claim Form and you do not want the horse, you will have 1 hour after the race is declared official to file with the racing office a completed Void The Claim Form. If timely filed and approved by the Stewards, the claim will be voided.

For the claim of any horse vanned off the racetrack during the running of a race at the direction of the State veterinarian that does not satisfy either of the above requirements, ownership of the horse passes to the claimant.

(.09.10.01.07)(I). After the race has been run, the successful claimant shall present verification of the claim by the Racing Secretary to the person accompanying the claimed horse.

(.09.10.01.07)(K). If a trainer refuses to deliver a horse that has been claimed to the successful claimant when verification of the claim is presented in accordance with §J of this regulation, the: (1) Trainer is subject to sanctions; and (2) Claimed horse shall be disqualified from participating in further racing until delivery is made.

(.09.10.01.07)(L). In claiming races, the following acts, or an attempt to commit the following acts, are prohibited: (1) An agreement to claim, or not to claim, a horse belonging to another owner; (2) Preventing an owner from: (a) Claiming a horse, or (b) Legitimately running a horse in a race; (3) The claiming of a horse by: (a) The owner of the horse, (b) Another person for the account of the owner of the horse, or (c) One owner from another if the trainer of the horse to be claimed trains a horse owned by the entity making the claim; and (a) A



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lien or other encumbrance affecting the transfer of title to the horse unless there is written permission from the holder of the lien or other encumbrance, attached to the horse's foal certificate, allowing the horse to be entered in a claiming race; (b) An ownership dispute, or (c) A written prohibition of the horse being entered in a claiming race which is attached to its foal certificate.

(.09.10.01.07)(M). If a horse is claimed: (1) For a period of 30 days from the day of the claim, the horse may start in a claiming race only for a claiming price at 25% more than the claiming price for which it was claimed; (2) The horse may not be sold or transferred to anyone, wholly or in part, for a period of 30 days from the day of the claim, except: (a) In a claiming race, or (b) When the horse is entered and starts for a claiming price which would cause the horse to become ineligible to be entered at Laurel or Pimlico; (3) Unless reclaimed, the horse may not remain in the same stable or under the control of management of its former owner or trainer for a period of 30 days from the day of the claim; (4) It may not race outside of Maryland for a period of 60 days from the day of the claim except: (a) To participate in a stake; (b) To participate in a claiming race for a price which would cause the horse to become ineligible to be entered at Laurel or Pimlico; or (c) During the scheduled absence of a live thoroughbred race meet in Maryland for at least 15 days.

(.09.10.01.07)(N). For the purposes of §M of this regulation, the day of the claim does not count in computing the time restrictions.

(.09.10.01.07)(O). The stewards shall report action taken by them, in reference to a violation of this regulation, to the Commission which may, in its discretion, take any further action it considers appropriate.

(.09.10.01.07)(P). A horse which was claimed in another state and entered to race in this State remains subject to the conditions of the claiming regulation in the state where the claim was made until those conditions expire.

(.09.10.01.07)(Q). Notwithstanding information printed in the program or other racing publications, the claimant is solely responsible for determining the horse's: (1) Age; (2) Breeding; (3) Physical condition; (4) Racing record; and (5) Sex.

Definitions. (.09.10.03.01)(A). In this chapter, the following terms have the meanings indicated.

General. (.09.10.03.03)(A). Except as provided in §A(14) of this regulation, the following acts are prohibited if committed on the grounds of a facility under the jurisdiction of the Commission, if they affect a race conducted live in the State, or if they affect the betting on a race in this State: (1) Offering, promising, giving, accepting, or soliciting a bribe in any form, directly or indirectly, to or by a person having any connection with the outcome of the race; (2) Entering, or knowingly aiding and abetting in the entering of, a horse ineligible or unqualified to race; (3) Participating in any improper, corrupt, or fraudulent act or practice in relation to racing; (4) Causing, attempting to cause, or any participation in an attempt to cause the prearrangement of a race result; (5) Soliciting bets on a horse from the public by a licensee either by correspondence or other methods; (6) Using or possessing a battery, buzzer, electrical device, or other appliance, other than an ordinary whip, which could be used to alter the speed or racing condition of a horse in a race or workout; (7) Using profane, abusive, or insulting language to employees of the Commission, employees of a facility under the jurisdiction of the Racing Commission, or the public; (8) Being in an intoxicated state; (9) Fighting or other conduct of a disorderly nature; (10) Using or possessing a deadly



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weapon; (11) Committing or participating in the commission of a criminal act; (12) Violating a regulation or condition of the Commission or aiding or abetting a person in the violation of a regulation or condition of the Commission; (13) Failing to comply with an order or ruling of a steward, judge, or other racing official pertaining to a racing matter; (14) Cruelty to a horse wherever committed; (15) Tampering, or attempting to tamper, with a horse for any purpose; (16) Transferring, or attempting to transfer, the ownership of a horse for a purpose other than its legitimate sale or lease; (17) Registering a horse under the name of a person other than the legitimate owner or lessee of the horse; (18) Making false or misleading statements to a racing official or submitting false or misleading statements on a license application; (19) Except as otherwise provided in this regulation, using or possessing, actually or constructively, any of the following items: (a) A drug, or (b) A hypodermic needle, hypodermic syringe, or other device which could be used for injection; (20) Using or possessing the ingredients or the paraphernalia associated with the forced feeding to a horse of a combination of baking soda and sugar, or a form of sugar, or administering a substance by tubing within 24 hours of a racing program in which a horse is scheduled to race; (21) The possession or administration of Erythropoietin or any analogous substance that increases the oxygen carrying capacity of the blood; and (22) Failing to report the knowledge of a violation of this regulation to the stewards, judges, or the Commission.

(.09.10.03.03)(B). The use or possession of the items listed in §A(19)(a) and (b) of this regulation is permissible if the: (1) Item is possessed or used for a legitimate purpose by a licensed veterinarian; (2) Item is possessed or used pursuant to a valid prescription or order from a medical practitioner while acting in the course of the practitioner's professional practice; or (3) Stewards or judges, in their discretion, grant permission authorizing the possession or use of the item.

Drug Prohibition - Horses. (.09.10.03.04)(A). An individual may not administer, cause to be administered, participate, or attempt to participate in any way in the administration of a drug to a horse (1) During the 24-hour period before the scheduled post time for the first race of the program in which the horse is to participate; and (2) Until after the race in which the horse is programmed to participate is run.

(.09.10.03.04)(C). A horse participating in a race may not carry a drug in its body.

(.09.10.03.04)(D). The presence in the post-race urine, blood or other sample taken from a horse is prima facie evidence that the: (1) Horse was administered a drug and carried the drug in its body during the race; and (2) Drug was administered by the person or persons having control, care, or custody of the horse.

(.09.10.03.04)(F). Trainer Responsibility. A trainer is the absolute insurer of, and responsible for, the condition of each horse the trainer enters in a race, regardless of the acts of third parties.

(.09.10.03.04)(G). Enforcement. (1) The stewards or judges may order the: (a) Post-race taking of urine, blood, or other samples for testing purposes from any horse which participated in a race; (b) Denial, forfeiture, and prompt return of a purse, sweepstakes, trophy, or any other reward received by the owner of a horse found to have carried a drug in its body during a race; (c) Redistribution of the items denied, forfeited, and returned, resulting from the disqualification of a horse found to have carried a drug in its body during a race, to those owners whose horses were advanced by the disqualification.



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(2) If the stewards or judges order a disqualification due to a horse having carried a drug in its body during a race, they shall issue a ruling announcing the disqualification.

(.09.10.03.04)(H). Repeat Violations. An individual guilty of violating this regulation, or a comparable regulation of another racing jurisdiction, for the second time is considered a repeat offender, and the stewards, judges, or the Commission shall weigh this factor in determining a sanction.

Search and Seizure. (.09.10.03.07)(A). The stewards, judges, or designated Commission representatives have the right to enter into or upon the buildings, stables, rooms, automobiles, or any other place within the grounds of a facility under the jurisdiction of the Commission for the purposes of examining them, as well as the personal property and effects of a licensee contained there for the purpose of searching for, and the seizure of, items that constitute evidence of a violation of this chapter.

(.09.10.03.07)(B). An individual who has been granted a license by the Commission, by accepting the license, consents to a search and seizure as provided in §A of this regulation.

(.09.10.03.07)(C). A licensee who refuses to permit a search may be disciplined.

Bleeders. (.09.10.03.08)(A). The administration of Lasix to a horse is permissible if: (1) The administration of Lasix is recommended by a practicing veterinarian; (2) The recommendation is submitted to the State Veterinarian in writing; and (3) The trainer declares the use of Lasix at the time of entry.

(.09.10.03.08)(B). A Commission veterinarian is responsible for maintaining up to date records of horses which are permitted to use Lasix, and these records shall be available for inspection during the hours of operation of a race track.

(.09.10.03.08)(C). If a horse has been observed by a Commission veterinarian to have bled from at least one nostril during the running of a race or workout, either on the racing strip or in the barn area, that horse may not be permitted to race for a period of 14 days.

(.09.10.03.08)(D). If a horse has been observed to have bled as described under §C of this regulation within 365 days of the first occurrence, that horse: (1) May not race for 30 days after the first reoccurrence; (2) May not race for 180 days after the second reoccurrence; and (3) Is banned from racing forever after the third reoccurrence.

(.09.10.03.08)(E). For the purpose of counting the number of days a horse is not permitted to race in this State under this section, the day the horse bled is the first day, and the horse shall be permitted to race in the State when the last day has expired.

(.09.10.03.08)(G). Racing Off of Lasix. (1) A horse on the Lasix Program that races without Lasix in any jurisdiction which permits the use of Lasix may not be eligible for its use for a period of 60 days. (2) To become eligible after 60 days: (a) The horse shall have been observed to have bled by a Commission veterinarian either: (i) Externally; or (ii) By endoscopic examination.

(.09.10.03.08)(H). Program Notice. (1) Of the horses scheduled to race, the official program shall denote the horses which have been administered: (a) Lasix; (b) Lasix for the first time (2) In the official program contains past performance lines, each past performance line shall indicate if the horse was administered; (a) Lasix.



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Equine Specimen Testing. (.09.10.03.09)(A). The stewards or judges may designate a horse entered in a race to give blood or urine sample, or both, before or following the race.

Engagements and Transfers (.09.10.01.16)(A). In Maryland, if a horse is sold by private treaty or at public auction, or claimed out of claiming race (unless the conditions of the claiming race stated otherwise), it is considered to be transferred with all its engagements. The written acknowledgment of both parties is necessary to prove otherwise.

(.09.10.01.20)(B). A horse may not be allowed to race unless it has been lip tattooed by the Thoroughbred Racing Protective Bureau (TRPB). For good cause, the stewards or judges may waive this requirement if the horse is otherwise properly identified. However, the horse shall be tattooed thereafter within a time set by the stewards or judges.

(.09.10.01.17)(N). To compete in a race, a horse shall be eligible at the time of starting for that race.

License Badges (.09.10.04.11)(A). A licensed individual who enters a stable area which is under the jurisdiction of the Maryland Racing Commission shall wear upon the individual's outside apparel, in a prominent position, the license badge issued to the individual by the Commission, which contains the individual's picture identification.

Owners (.09.10.01.28)(F-1). Multiple ownership. Forms of multiple ownership shall be duly licensed by the Commission before being allowed to start a horse.

Safety Equipment (.09.10.01.51). An individual, astride a horse or pony on the grounds of a facility under the jurisdiction of the Maryland Racing Commission, shall wear a: **(.09.10.01.51)(A).** Safety helmet which is designed to adequately protect the head from injury; and

(.09.10.01.51)(B). Safety helmet and vest which is equal to or exceeds the requirements set forth in Regulation .21-1 of this chapter.

(.09.10.01.57)(P-1). Substitute and assistant trainers. If a trainer is to be absent from the track where his horses are participating in races, he shall obtain a licensed trainer to substitute for him during his absence. The substitute trainer shall be approved by the board of stewards upon forms approved by the Racing Commission. The original trainer is the absolute insurer of the horse he has entered. The substitute trainer will then become the absolute insurer of any additional horses he may enter.

(.09.10.01.57)(S). Any trainer or owner who harbors anyone not provided with a Maryland occupational license shall be immediately reported to the stewards, so they may make investigation thereof and take appropriate action as they deem necessary, if any, as provided under Regulation .45V.

Worker's Compensation (.09.10.04.19)(A). A person applying for a license who employs one or more individuals in a racing related activity shall have Workers' Compensation insurance as required by Maryland law unless the applicant's sole employee is a spouse.

(.09.10.04.19)(B). An applicant for a license under §A of this regulation shall list the following on the license application: (1) Name of the insurance company; (2) Name of the agent; (3) Policy number; and (4) Policy expiration date.

.09.10.04.19)(C). A licensee shall notify the Commission in writing, not less



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than 5 days before the effective date, of: (1) A change to the information furnished under §B of this regulation; (2) The cancellation of the policy; or (3) The nonrenewal of the policy.

.09.10.04.19)(D). A licensee, not employing one or more individuals in a racing-related activity when the licensee applied for a license, but who subsequently becomes the employer of one or more of these individuals, shall immediately: (1) Obtain the required insurance coverage; and (2) Furnish the Commission licensing office with the

information required under §B of this regulation.

MEDICATION REFORMS EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2014

The Mid Atlantic racing states have joined together to implement a uniform medication and drug testing program.

The following new rules and procedures are effective as of January 1, 2014 in Maryland.

1. Salix® (furosemide), pursuant to Commission supervised administration, is the only medication that can be administered to a horse within 24 hours of its race.

2. The administration of any adjunct medication within 24 hours of a horse's race is strictly forbidden.

3. There is a new medication category called **Controlled Therapeutic Substances**. This category contains a list of 24 therapeutic medications that have been recognized as necessary in the routing treatment of illness or injury in the horse. Withdrawal time guidance and uniform laboratory detection thresholds for these medications are being provided as a safe harbor for horsemen. You are strongly encouraged to restrict your use of medications to those on the Controlled Therapeutic Substances list, which will be amended from time-to-time.

6.(1) As of March 1, clenbuterol will not have a permissive threshold. The presence of the substance in a blood or urine sample—at any detectable level—will constitute a violation. A horse found with clenbuterol in its system will be disqualified and the trainer subject to disciplinary action.

The Racing Medication and Testing Consortium has recommended that clenbuterol not be administered to a horse within 28 days of a race at a minimum.

Because clenbuterol is recognized as a therapeutic medication, the regulation allows for its use if the following conditions are met:

a. The prescription for clenbuterol is made for a specific horse based upon a specific diagnosis. The prescription and volume dispensed cannot exceed a treatment period of 30 days.

b. The veterinarian must provide a copy of the prescription and diagnosis to the Equine Medical Director for review and approval. The horse may not receive clenbuterol before this approval is issued.

c. Trainers must make daily notification to the official veterinarian of horse(s) in their custody having been administered clenbuterol. Notification shall be made on a form and by a deadline designated by the Maryland Racing Commission.

d. A horse administered clenbuterol shall be placed on the official veterinarian's list. The horse must meet all conditions for removal from the list including a timed workout and blood and urine sampling. Both samples must have no detectable clenbuterol.

e. A horse may not enter to race until it has completed all the requirements



in subdivision (d).

6.(2) If a clenbuterol is detected in a horse's post-race or out-of-competition sample and appropriate notification as outlined in subdivision 1(a) or (b) was not completed, the horse shall immediately be placed on the official veterinarian's list pending the outcome of an investigation. The horse shall be required to meet all conditions for removal from the veterinarian's list outlined in subdivision 1(d), above.

7. No intra-articular injection may be administered to a horse within 14 days of its next race. Administration of a total dose of 100 mg methylprednisolone acetate (Depo Medrol®) in one articular space will take approximately 21 days for the drug to fall below the testing detection level in plasma. For this and other reasons, **we strongly caution against the use of Depo Medrol® in the racing horse for at least 21 days prior to its race.**

8. During 2014, a new penalty system designed to identify and penalize those who incur multiple medication violations will be implemented. Each medication violation will incur points. Medication violations in the Controlled Therapeutic Substances category will be identified as Controlled Therapeutic violations and not "positive tests" and these violations will have a lesser point value. Violations for drugs and medications not on the Controlled Therapeutic Substances list will incur double points. Trainers risk additional mandatory suspensions if they reach the points thresholds established under the model rule for multiple medication infractions.

THIRD PARTY LASIX ADMINISTRATION PROCEDURES

The administration of Salix® (furosemide), to a horse on race-day will be by a Maryland Racing Commission designated veterinarian and according to the following rules and procedures:

1. The only medication allowed to be administered to a horse within 24 hours of its race is Salix® (furosemide).
2. The administration of any adjunct medication within 24 hours of the horse's race is strictly forbidden.
3. The primary change from the current practice in the administration of Salix® to a horse is that a Commission designated veterinarian who does not practice on the grounds will be administering Salix®.
4. All horses shall be administered Salix® on the grounds of the operating racetrack in their assigned stall.
5. All horses declaring the use of Salix® must be on the grounds of the operating track at least 5 hours prior to post time for their race.
6. Trainers or their representative not requesting the use of Salix® shall declare their horse off of Salix® at the time of entry.
7. Trainers or their representative are responsible to contact and inform the Salix® Clerk at the operating track the dosage of Salix® their horse is to receive.
8. The Salix® Clerk will prepare a list of all horses scheduled to receive Salix®, their dosage and their location at the operating racetrack.



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9. The Veterinarian designated to administer Salix® will identify the horse by its tattoo number, record the dosage and time of administration for each horse treated and make a written report to the Stewards and the State Veterinarian.

10. Trainers are responsible for having their representative present and available when the designated Veterinarian arrives to treat their horse.

11. If the Veterinarian designated to administer Salix® cannot locate a horse for treatment or the trainers representative, the Veterinarian will contact the stewards and relay the information.

12. Consistent with current practice, it is recommended that a horse receive Salix® 5 hours prior to its race, at a dosage between 2 cc's and 10 cc's. **Salix® will be administered IV only.**

13. Under no circumstance will Salix® be permitted to be administered to a horse within 4 hours of its race.

14. Consistent with current practice, a horse that is entered on Salix® and does not receive Salix® will not be permitted to run.

15. The State Veterinarian will continue to be responsible for determining a horses' eligibility for the use of Salix® and also obtaining and verifying the proper documentation for a first-time Salix® horse.

.10 Out-of-Competition Testing.

A. The Commission may, at a reasonable time on any date, take blood, urine, or other biologic samples from a horse to ensure compliance with applicable medication and anti-doping standards set forth by the Association of Racing Commissioners International, Inc., as such standards may be amended and updated from time to time. The Commission shall own such samples. This regulation authorizes only the collection and testing of samples and does not independently make impermissible the administration to or presence in any horse of any drug or other substance. A race day prohibition or restriction of a substance by the Commission's regulations is not applicable to an out-of-competition test, unless there is an attempt to race the horse in a manner that violates such regulations.

B. Horses Eligible for Testing.

(1) Any horse that has been engaging in activities related to competing in horse racing in the State may be tested. This includes, without limitation, any horses that are training outside the State to participate in racing in the State, and all horses that are training in the State, but excludes weanlings, yearlings, and horses no longer engaged in horse racing (e.g., retired broodmares).

(2) A horse is presumed eligible for out-of-competition testing if:

(a) It is on the grounds at a racetrack or training center under the jurisdiction of the Commission;

(b) It is under the care or control of a trainer licensed by the Commission;



- (d) It is entered or nominated to race at a premises licensed by the Commission;
- (e) It has raced within the previous 12 months at a premises licensed by the Commission;
- (f) It is nominated to a program based on racing in the State.

(3) The presumptions set forth in this regulation are conclusive in the absence of evidence that a horse is not engaged in activities related to competing in horse racing in the State.

C. Selection of Horses to Be Tested.

(1) Horses shall be selected for sampling by a Commission veterinarian, the Executive Director, an equine medical director, a steward, a presiding judge, or a designee of any of the foregoing.

(2) Horses may be selected to be tested at random, for cause, or as otherwise determined in the discretion of the Commission.

(3) Licensees of the Commission shall cooperate and comply fully with the provisions of this regulation.

(4) Individuals who apply for and are granted a trainer or owner license shall be deemed to have given their consent for access at such premises as their horse may be found for the purpose of Commission representatives collecting out-of-competition samples. Licensees shall take any steps necessary to authorize access by Commission representatives at such premises.

D. Collection of Samples.

(1) Samples shall be taken under the supervision and direction of a person who is employed or designated by the Commission. All blood samples shall be collected by a veterinarian licensed in the State, or by a veterinary technician who is acting under appropriate supervision of the State-licensed veterinarian.

(2) Upon request of a representative of the Commission, the trainer, owner, or their specified designee shall provide the location of their horses eligible for out-of-competition testing.

(3) The Commission or its designees are not required to provide advance notice before arriving at any location, whether or not licensed by the Commission, to collect samples.

(4) The trainer, owner, or their specified designee shall fully cooperate with the person who takes samples for the Commission, including, but not limited to:

- (a) Assisting in the immediate location and identification of the horse;
- (b) Making the horse available as soon as practical upon arrival of the person who is responsible for collecting the samples;



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(c) Providing a stall or other safe location to collect the samples;

(d) Assisting the person who is collecting samples in properly procuring the samples; and

(e) Witnessing the taking of samples including sealing of sample collection containers.

(5) The management and employees of a licensed racetrack or training facility at which a horse may be located shall cooperate fully with a person who is authorized to take samples. The person who collects samples for the Commission may require that the collection be done at a specified location on such premises.

(6) The Commission, if requested and in its sole discretion, may permit the trainer, owner, or their specified designee to present a horse that is located

in the jurisdiction, but not at a racetrack or training center licensed by the Commission, to be sampled at a time and location designated by the Commission.

E. The Commission may arrange for the sampling of an out-of-State horse by the Commission or the Commission's designee if the horse is located in the State. The Commission or its designee shall follow the relevant provisions of this regulation.

F. The test results shall be made available to the Commission, subject to any restrictions on public disclosure of test results that may apply to the Commission.

G. The Commission, if requested and in its sole discretion, may permit the trainer or owner instead to transport the horse into the State for sampling at a time and place designated by the Commission.

H. The individual who takes samples for the Commission shall provide identification and disclose the purpose of the sampling to the trainer or designated attendant of the horse.

I. An owner or trainer does not consent to a search of the premises by making a horse that is not located at a racetrack or training center available for sampling.

J. If the trainer or other custodian of a selected horse refuses or declines to make the horse available for sampling and the managing owner has previously provided the Commission with a means for the Commission to give immediate notification to the managing owner in such situation, then the Commission shall attempt to notify the managing owner and the eligibility of the horse shall be preserved if the managing owner is able to make the horse available for



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K. The chain of custody record for the sample (including a split sample where appropriate) shall be maintained and made available to the trainer, owner, or their designee when a complaint results from an out-of-competition test.

L. The Commission may have out-of-competition samples tested to produce information that may enhance the ability of the Commission to enforce its medication and anti-doping

rules.

M. An out-of-competition sample that is found to contain a prohibited substance may be adjudicated in the same manner as a post-race sample that is found to contain a prohibited substance.

N. Split sample rules and procedures for post-race testing shall apply to out-of-competition testing.

O. The Commission may use any remaining sample for research and investigation.

P. Willful failure to make a horse available for sampling or other willfully deceptive acts or interference in the sampling process shall constitute a violation of the Commission's laws and regulations and may be subject to penalties available under the applicable laws and regulations.

Q. A selected horse that is presumed eligible for out-of-competition testing shall be placed on the Steward's list and will be ineligible to race in the jurisdiction for 180 days if the horse is not sampled due to the trainer's, owner's or their designee's assertion that the horse is not engaged in activities related to competing in horse racing in the State. This restriction does not apply if the trainer, owner, or their designee voluntarily allows an immediate collection of the samples from the horse.

ATTENTION ALL HORSEMEN AND VETERINARIANS



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This Advisory addresses concerns that have recently been expressed by horsemen and veterinarians regarding compliance with the uniform drug testing thresholds and guidelines for the use of Methylprednisolone Acetate (Depo-Medrol) and Procaine Penicillin. The regulators from the Mid-

Atlantic racing states met on July 1, 2015 and announce the following Advisory.

METHYLPREDNISOLONE ACETATE (Depo-Medrol)

The testing threshold for methylprednisolone acetate (Depo-Medrol) is 100 pg/ml plasma. This testing threshold is based upon the administration of a total dose of 100 mg methylprednisolone as methylprednisolone acetate in one articular space. The recommended withdrawal time for this administration is a minimum of at least 21 days, but there is a footnote warning that intramuscular (IM) administrations can result in plasma concentrations that can exceed the testing threshold for weeks or months. It is important to understand that the testing threshold can be exceeded if there is: 1) an IM injection; 2) an injection in more than one articular space, 3) a different formulation (e.g., compounded) of methylprednisolone, and 4) an injection into a subcutaneous space, i.e. not injecting into the right spot. This is of particular concern when injecting stifles and hocks, as a portion of the medication often is inadvertently deposited into tissues outside the joint capsule. It is important to understand that when a portion of this drug is placed outside the joint capsule of any joint, an intramuscular or subcutaneous injection will be the result.

Accordingly, it is recommended that 1) Depo-Medrol should not be administered to any horse a trainer wishes to race in the Mid-Atlantic region – New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, West Virginia and Virginia; and 2) a trainer who chooses to race a horse that has been treated with Depo-Medrol despite this warning should, at his/her expense, get the horse tested prior to entry to ensure that the horse

will test below the testing threshold of 100 pg/ml plasma. The testing threshold of 100 pg/ml plasma will be enforced.

PROCAINE PENICILLIN

The current Guideline for Procaine penicillin requires the reporting of the administration of this drug to the Racing Commission and a mandatory surveillance of the horse for 6 hours prior to the race if the trainer wishes to race the horse. The purpose of the quarantine is to ensure against a nerve block. The Guideline, however, does not specify how long after administration of procaine penicillin the reporting and mandatory surveillance requirements must be followed.

Effective immediately, only Procaine Penicillin administrations within 30 days of a race need be reported to the Racing Commission. The surveillance requirement remains in effect. The Racing Commission or the racetrack, as the case may be, will provide a security guard for the horse at the owner/trainer's expense. Please note that the testing threshold for Procaine Penicillin is 25 ng/ml plasma regardless of the surveillance requirement and this testing threshold will be enforced.

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