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POMPANO PARK

***THE ISLE CASINO RACING
POMPANO PARK***

RULES AND REGULATIONS

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RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR 2009-2010 RACING SEASON

Violations of the rules contained herein will be promptly reported to racing judges for appropriate disciplinary action, up to and including suspension or eviction from the grounds. Additionally, if any person on the grounds is suspected to have committed any crime, law enforcement will be immediately notified.

TRACK I.D. BADGES

- **ID badges must be displayed on the person's outermost garment at all times.**
- No person is allowed to work on the grounds without a current Florida PMW License and a valid Isle Casino and Racing Backstretch ID.
- No ID badge will be issued to any person who is not in possession of a current Florida PMW License.
- All person(s) wishing to receive a track ID badge must be on a trainer's stable roster.
- Badges that are faded, mutilated, illegible, unreadable, or expired will not be accepted. It will be the responsibility of the person holding the badge to report to Security and have it replaced at their cost.
- Badges are issued by the Security Department; prices are \$6 for the first badge. **All** replacement badges will be \$12.

VISITORS

- Any authorized owner, trainer, driver, groom or vendor, heretofore referred to as a "sponsor," may bring a visitor into the stable area.
- The visitor must be signed in at Security Gate 5 and will be issued a temporary pass, which must be worn by the visitor and be visible on the visitor's outermost garment.
- Sponsors will be responsible for their guest's actions and safety while they are in the stable area. Infractions by the guest will be considered an infraction by the sponsor.
- Persons in possession of a visitor badge are prohibited from working in any capacity

Note: Security and State investigators continually monitor all activity on the backstretch. Persons failing to have proper identification or failing to obtain a visitor's pass before entering the stable area are subject to ejection from the grounds, and may be fined and/or have their license suspended and/or revoked. Unauthorized persons in the stable area are subject to arrest for trespassing.

PROPER ENTRY TO STABLE AREA FOR VEHICLES AND HORSES

- All horses entering or leaving the stable area must be properly checked and logged in and out by Security at Gate 5.
- All horses entering the stable area must present a current negative Coggins test to Security.
- The Director of Racing or the Race Secretary must approve all horses stabled at The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park. All horses stabled on the property must have a negative Coggins test taken within (1) year of their prior test.
- Documents covering vaccination records of Rabies must be on file with the Stall Superintendent and administered to all horses on the grounds yearly. Vaccinations for “Rhino” must also be on file with the Stall Superintendent and must be administered twice per year. Trainers are advised to consult their veterinarians about other vaccinations such as Influenza, West Nile Virus and Encephalitis, which may prevent the spread of viruses, should the stable area become contaminated.
- All trainers must have a current stable roster, listing all of their licensed owners and employees, which will be kept on file in the stall superintendent’s office. The roster must be updated whenever there is a change in personnel.
- Before entering the stable area, all vehicles, including golf carts must stop at Gate 5 Security and all occupants must present proper identification to the Security Officer.
- Vehicles entering the stable area are subject to search by Security.
- At no time is anyone to climb on or over or otherwise circumvent any fence or other barrier or barricade on the property. Persons caught doing so will be reported to the Judges for disciplinary action up to and including permanent eviction from the grounds.

SPEEDING AND VEHICLE REQUIREMENTS

- The speed limit in the barn area is **10 MPH**. Vehicles exceeding this limit shall be removed from the stable area and denied further entry into the stable area.
- All parking restrictions will be enforced and violators subject to disciplinary action.
- There is to be no reckless driving of any vehicle, including golf carts, in the stable area. Violators will be subject to disciplinary action.
- No motorized two (2) wheel vehicles are allowed in the stable area.
- Abandonment of vehicles in the stable area is prohibited. Abandoned vehicles will be towed out of the stable area at the owner’s expense.

PARKING

- All horse trailers in the stable area must have a proper permit and authorization. A copy of the current trailer registration must be on file in the Stall Superintendent's office. In addition, all trailers must park in the proper designated areas.
- Vehicles may not be parked in the shed row, at the end of the shed row or blocking fire lanes.
- There is no parking near the manure bins.
- The only traffic allowed in shed rows is Security, Maintenance and Veterinarians.

PETS, WEAPONS, ALCOHOL, SMOKING AND ILLEGAL DRUG USE

- No pets are permitted on the grounds.
- Firearms and/or weapons of any kind are not permitted on the grounds.
- Smoking is strictly prohibited in all buildings on the grounds including the racing office, paddock and dormitory buildings. Smoking is also prohibited under the shed rows and near feed storage areas.
- Consumption of alcoholic beverages will be kept to a minimum. At no time will persons on the grounds be in an intoxicated or significantly impaired condition. No person may work on the grounds with a Blood Alcohol Content (BAC) of .02% or higher. No person may operate a motorized vehicle of any kind on the grounds with a BAC of .08% or higher. All persons on the grounds will be required, at the request of Management or Security, to submit to a test of their BAC.
- Any persons possessing unlawful drugs shall be promptly ejected from the grounds and referred to the Judges and other authorities for possible disciplinary action.

DRUG VIOLATION PENALTIES

A) First Offense

Thirty (30) days full suspension from the property of The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park and shall be denied participation in racing at this facility. **The offender must also attend one week of rehabilitation therapy from a State of Florida licensed facility. Documented proof will be required for reinstatement.**

After said thirty (30) day suspension, a formal hearing will be conducted and a determination made regarding reinstatement. Reinstatement may be granted with certain restrictions and conditions for an undetermined length of time.

Consideration will include, but not be limited to, the following:

- Efforts made by the individual to correct drug problems or addictions.
- Proof that the individual has not continued to use drugs.
- Attitude about the problem and the use of drugs.
- Willingness to participate in a rigorous drug-testing program.
- Past history.

B) Second offense within a two (2) year period.

Ninety (90) days full suspension from the property of The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park and shall be denied participation in racing at this facility. **The offender must also attend a thirty (30) day rehabilitation program from a State of Florida licensed facility. Documented proof will be required for reinstatement.**

After said ninety (90) day suspension, a formal hearing will be conducted and a determination made regarding reinstatement. Reinstatement may be granted with certain restrictions and conditions for an undetermined length of time.

Consideration will include, but not be limited to, the following:

- Efforts made by the individual to correct drug problems or addictions.
- Proof that the individual has not continued to use drugs.
- Attitude about the problem and the use of drugs.
- Willingness to participate in a rigorous drug-testing program.
- Past history.

C) Third offense.

Indefinite full suspension from the property of The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park, and shall be denied participation in racing at this facility.

CHILDREN

- Minor children 16 years of age or older will be allowed to work in the stable area for a licensed trainer after obtaining a license from the Department of Business and Professional Regulation. Trainers employing minor children must comply with all applicable child labor laws and be covered by workman's compensation. Children under the age of 15 will be allowed entry into the stable area as a visitor, however, a parent or legal guardian must remain with the child at all times while in the stable area.

DORMITORIES

- Dormitory rooms will be assigned by the Stall Superintendent and granted to individuals that are on a trainer's roster and licensed by the State of Florida.
- The occupant will be responsible for any fees associated with the dorm. A \$100.00 deposit will be required upon the issuance of a dormitory room along with a \$100.00 monthly rental fee.
- The \$100.00 deposit will be returned upon leaving, provided that the room passes an inspection by the Stall Superintendent and the key to the dormitory room is returned. If the dormitory room is left in an unacceptable condition, the deposit will be forfeited.
- The Stall Superintendent will process a request for a deposit voucher if the room is acceptable.
- The dormitory room occupant will be required to sign a condition form covering the rules and regulations with which they must comply during occupancy of said dorm room.
- If a resident becomes unemployed, their I.D. badge is to be turned into the Stall Superintendent and they may be issued a three-day temporary pass. During the three days, they will be allowed to stay in the dormitory and attempt to gain new employment. After the three days, if they have not been able to secure employment, they must leave the grounds.
- Any resident violating the rules of the dormitories or exhibiting destructive or disruptive behavior may lose all dormitory privileges.

NOTICE - All dormitory rooms are subject to inspection without notice.

AIR CONDITIONERS AND GOLF CARTS

- For the 2009-2010 racing season there will be no fees associated with the use of air conditioners or golf carts.

SEARCHES

- To maintain the integrity of the racing program, as well as the protection of guests and patrons at The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park, any horse owner/trainer, or agent thereof, licensee, professional, including veterinarians, grooms, vendors and/or track team members, who enter upon The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park's property for any reason, hereby voluntarily consent to any reasonable search by persons in authority, including The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park security personnel.
- The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park reserves the right to conduct periodic searches, with or without notice or permission, of any person, personal property or other item, vehicle, barn, or any other physical location, locked or unlocked, that is located at The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park, Sunshine Meadows, Spring Garden Ranch, and the South Florida Trotting Center. In the event that the individual(s) or owner(s) of the property searched refuse(s) to comply with said requests by The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park's authorized representatives, said individual(s) and/or owner(s) will be allowed to vacate the property with items that were not subjected to the search. The situation will then be presented to the Judges and/or authorized officials of The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park, who will schedule a hearing to determine if said individual(s) or owner(s) and/or property in question will be allowed re-entrance to said property and/or impose any applicable fines or suspensions.

STALL CARE, MANURE BINS AND SHOEING

- Stalls and stable area are to be kept clean and presentable at all times. Any work or additions to the barns in the stable area must, first, be approved by the Stall Superintendent. Work orders may be submitted to the Stall Superintendent who will, in turn, pass the request along to the maintenance department.
- **MANURE BINS** – The E.P.A. has strict rules governing manure disposal at racetracks. Please put manure **AND ONLY MANURE** in the bins. Trainers must see that their employees comply with this request. If your container is full, please call Gate 5 at extension # 5053 or the Stall Superintendent at extension # 6470 during normal business hours to arrange for removal.
- **SHOEING** – Absolutely no shoeing will be allowed under the shed row area when heat is required. Anyone that wishes to shoe horses that are not in their stable must obtain a vendors license.

FIRE CODE AND FIRE PLAN

FIRE CODE –

- A.** Extension cords may only be used in temporary situations. Disconnect immediately after use. Be certain the extension cords are not frayed or too light for the load. Do not nail, staple or wire to walls or ceilings. Keep corridors clear.
- B.** No electrical wiring will be done by anyone other than the Maintenance Department's authorized personnel.
- C.** For evacuation purposes each horse must wear a halter at all times.
- D.** We have installed a fire alarm system in the barn area. Horsemen and horsewomen are requested to use caution around the pull boxes as they can be set off very easily.

Trainers, please advise your employees that tampering with a fire alarm device is a FELONY and any violators will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

FIRE PLAN –

- A.** It is the responsibility of all owners, trainers and stable personnel to acquaint themselves with the location of fire extinguishers, telephones and water outlets.
- B.** In the event of a fire anywhere in the stable area, it shall be Reported immediately to the **Pompano Beach Fire Department (911)** and **Security at Gate 5 (EXTENSION 5053)**.
- C.** All licensed personnel in the stable are will immediately make certain that everyone and every horse in the fire affected area is immediately evacuated. If possible, direct all horses to the main track area or the paddock.
- D.** Fire extinguishers must be left in place except when needed. Anyone found tampering with or stealing fire extinguishers will be prosecuted. Use of any fire extinguisher must be reported promptly to the Stall Superintendent so it can be serviced and/or replaced. In conjunction with this, periodic inspections of the barns will be conducted for fire hazards and to assess the condition of fire extinguishers.

Everyone's cooperation in this very serious matter is appreciated.

DISHONORED CHECKS

- Any individual who writes a check payable to The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park that is dishonored (returned) for any reason will have seven (7) business days to recover said check. There will be a charge of \$30.00 for all returned checks. The dishonored check must be replaced with a certified check, cash or a money order.

SHIP IN HORSES

- All ship-in horses "in-to-go" must be on the grounds by **3:00 P.M.** without exception. If a problem is experienced while en-route that causes the horseman to be late, the Judges may consider the reason and make a determination on whether or not the horse will be allowed to start in it's programmed event.

TOWING OF HORSES

- Towing of horses with a golf cart is strictly prohibited, except for the purpose of going to the blacksmith shop or the Lasix barn.
- Line driving of yearlings on the main racetrack and backtrack is permitted after 10:30 A.M.
- Towing is allowed ONLY on the back track and will be permitted between the hours of 6:00 A.M. and 10:00 A.M.
- After 12 noon towing will be permitted once again on the Backtrack only.
- Towing of horses with bicycles is prohibited.
- There shall be no towing on the track access road between 7:00 A.M. and Noon, Monday through Saturday.
- Horses being towed should keep to the inside whenever possible.

STALL FEES, REVOCATION AND TRANSFERS

- Stall rent for the 2009-2010 racing season will be \$75.00 per horse per month. Effective December 1st, stall rent will be charged per stall basis. Any unused stalls should be reported to the Stall Superintendent immediately.
- Stall rent for yearlings is \$1,200.00 per season, \$1,000.00 if paid upfront or \$150.00 a month.
- ***All fees are to be paid by the 1st of the month and are considered delinquent on the 7th of the month.***
- The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park reserves the right to revoke stall space at any time.
- No horse will be permitted to move from stall to stall without approval of the Stall Superintendent and the Race Secretary.

- All directions and instructions by Security Officers must be immediately observed to assure the safety and security of all horsemen.

VETERINARIAN RESTRICTIONS

- On live race days, veterinarians will not be allowed in the stable area after 3:00 P.M. and may return only after all horses in the last programmed race are in the paddock area.
- Exceptions are: Veterinarians assigned to the Lasix program and the track veterinarian.
- Any trainer, who feels there is an emergency in his or her barn necessitating a veterinarian on a live race day after 3:00 P.M., will contact the veterinarian assigned to the Lasix program. This veterinarian will respond to the barn accompanied by Security and assess the situation. If he or she feels that an emergency does, in fact, exist, an outside veterinarian may be called and escorted to the barn by Security.
- Practicing veterinarians will be required to sign in and sign out daily with Gate 5 Security when entering and exiting the grounds.

THIRD PARTY LIABILITY INSURANCE REQUIREMENT

- The management at The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park shall require that all licensed horsemen and horsewomen (owners, trainers and drivers) have third party liability insurance to cover bodily and property damage in the amount of \$ 1,000,000.
- You must show proof of having this insurance or obtain it by being a member of the Florida Standardbred Breeders and Owners Association within ten days of receiving your track identification badge. Failure to comply will result in your not being allowed to enter horses for the purpose of racing at this facility.
- Members of the FSBOA automatically have this required insurance.

2009-2010 Racing and Qualifying Standards

GENERAL CONDITIONS

1. Stalls will not be given to--and entries will not be accepted from--anyone owing any sum of money to The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park until satisfactory arrangements have been made to satisfy any outstanding debts.
2. All fines must be paid to the Judges within ten (10) days.
3. Overnight purses for races contested at a distance other than one mile and/or having 10 horse fields, will be increased by 10%. Purse distribution on drawn 10 horse fields will pay the top 6 finishers (48%-24%-12%-8%-5%-3%).
4. No horse will be allowed to participate in any Pari-Mutuel race past the age of fourteen (14), No ownership changes shall be made after time of declaration.
5. All wins outside North America shall be considered pari-mutuel wins.
6. All owners, trainers and drivers must have a current and valid U.S.T.A. license in the category in which he/she participates.
7. Only U.S.T.A. approved sulkies will be permitted.
8. Horses claimed at Pompano Park cannot participate in other jurisdictions for 60 days or until the end of the race meeting. Violators may be subject to a fine.
9. Nine (9) horses of separate interest are required in all overnight events or the event may be cancelled.
10. Workouts will be restricted to open or invitational horses or others at the discretion of the Racing Secretary.
11. No two year-olds will be allowed to participate in a pari-mutuel race prior to May 1st.
12. Entries in overnight races-either coupled or uncoupled - will be permitted in open or higher classes or other races at the discretion of the Race Secretary.
13. For the purpose of entering a horse to race at Pompano Park, the Pompano Park Race Office will use the horse's last two (2) purse starts as preference dates.
 - Florida-Breds will have preference over non-Florida-Breds if both have the same last two preference dates.
 - Horses that originally enter an event, to which they are NOT eligible, may LOSE their preference date upon transferring to an event to which they are eligible.
 - Horses that are eligible to their original event entered, but do not draw in, will NOT lose their preference date if transferred to a denoted alternate event, with the exception of "Late" entries.
 - First-time starters will use their first successful qualifying date as their preference date. That qualifying date would be both of their preference dates.

Any changes to the above preference date rules will be denoted on weekly condition sheet(s).

14. Qualifiers will be held Friday mornings at 10:00 AM. The qualifying box will close Thursday morning at 9:00 AM.

POMPANO PARK 2009- 2010 QUALIFYING STANDARDS			
	Two Year Olds	Three Year Olds	4YO & Up
Pacers	2:05	2:02	2:01
Trotters	2:08	2:05	2:04

15. The above standards are for races on a track classified as fast. Qualifying standards may be changed or adjusted by the Race Secretary at any time. Current qualifying standards will be posted on the weekly qualifying sheet.

16. Qualifiers will go – rain or shine.

17. Trainers must make their own arrangements for Lasix administration for qualifying races.

18. Horses coming from a half-mile racetrack will be allowed one second.

19. For horses starting the first time at Pompano Park, qualifying standards will be determined by the last start on a racetrack classified as fast.

20. Horses making breaks in two consecutive races on a racetrack classified fast and not finishing first or second must qualify.

21. Horses making breaks in three consecutive races must qualify.

Note: Rules 21 and 22 do not apply if a horse has been nominated to a series at Pompano Park and is qualified to start in that series. The nominated and qualified horse would be eligible to continue racing in that paid-in series event but would have to qualify if racing in an overnight event. Any changes to this rule will be posted on the weekly condition sheet.

22. Throughout the 2009-2010 race meet, a horse that has not raced in thirty (30) days must qualify. This rule is defined as race date to race date. Any changes to this rule will be posted on the weekly condition sheet.

23. Trainers that wish to race their horses with or without hobbles should refer to section (.09-14) for terms and conditions.

24. Horses that are qualified and race in a qualifier and un-qualify themselves shall not be required to qualify again.

25. Should any horse in the current night's program fall in the paddock area or on the racetrack at any time during the racing program, that horse shall be examined by the track veterinarian who will then determine whether said horse shall be permitted to race. Any horse that gets loose on the racetrack and/or unseats the driver will be scratched. Any horse that is scratched due to these reasons may be required to qualify.

26. Any horse causing a mutuel refund due to recalls or refusal of the starting gate must school and must qualify before entries will be accepted for future races.

27. Entries will not be accepted on horses causing two (2) mutuel refunds due to recalls or refusals of starting gate at this meeting.

28. Any horse that is scratched due to sickness, lameness or injury will not be eligible to race until the seventh (7th) calendar day after being scratched. (If a horse scratches Saturday, it will not be permitted to race until the following Saturday).
29. Any horse that is scratched due to sickness, lameness or injury that was programmed to race from post position eight (8) or post position nine (9) will receive the same post position they had drawn when they were previously scratched if entered to race within a period of seven (7) days.
30. The main racetrack will be closed for training at 12:30 PM.
31. All drivers, trainers, caretakers and owners are required to wear a Snell approved safety helmet at all times, with chin-strap fastened, while jogging or training on the grounds of The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park.
32. Horses in all events must be entered at the Race Secretary's office, including telephone entries, no later than the time prescribed on the weekly condition sheet(s). No entries will be accepted by fax, e-mail, voice mail or any other electronic medium.
33. All changes in trainers must be reported to the Race Office and Judges immediately along with the owner's authorization.
34. All owners and trainers nominating or having horses race at The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park shall be required to stable said horses at The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park's facilities prior to the race in which they were entered and at time specified by The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park. The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park shall have sole discretion in assigning stalls to the particular owners and trainers and shall also have sole discretion in waiving the above stated requirements.
35. All participants racing at The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park (including trainers, owners, drivers, and caretakers) shall abide by all rules and regulations of The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park, the State of Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulation and the rules/guidelines of the United States Trotting Association in regards to the conduct of the race meeting.
36. All trainers must have a signed stall application on file with the racing department (whether stabled on the grounds or not) before participating in races at The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park. All drivers, trainers and owners must be approved before participating at The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park.

All of the above may be changed at the discretion of The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park's Director of Racing, the Racing Secretary or the Judges.

The Isle Casino Racing
Pompano Park 2009-2010 Draw Schedule

2-Day RACING SCHEDULE:

Racing Friday, Sept. 25 & Saturday Sept. 19 and 26

Pompano Park Race-Draw-Scratch Schedule

Race Day..... Draw Day (Entry Box Closes).... Scratch Time

Saturday, Sept. 19th..... Wednesday, Sept. 16th 9:00 A.M.....Thursday 9:00 A.M.

Friday and Saturday (Double-Draw) Tuesday 9:00 A.M.....Wednesday 9:00 A.M.

3-Day RACING SCHEDULE:

Racing Wednesday, Friday & Saturday

Pompano Park Race-Draw-Scratch Schedule

Race Day..... Draw Day (Entry Box Closes).... Scratch Time

Friday and Saturday (Double-Draw) Tuesday 9:00 A.M.....Wednesday 9:00 A.M.

Wednesday Saturday 9:00 A.M.Saturday 9:00 P.M.

4-Day RACING SCHEDULE:

Racing Monday, Wednesday, Friday & Saturday

Pompano Park Race-Draw-Scratch Schedule

Race Day..... Draw Day (Entry Box Closes).... Scratch Time

Friday and Saturday (Double-Draw) Tuesday 9:00 A.M.....Wednesday 9:00 A.M.

Monday..... Thursday 9:00 A.M.Friday 9:00 A.M.

Wednesday Saturday 9:00 A.M.Saturday 9:00 P.M.

5-Day RACING SCHEDULE:

Racing Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday & Saturday

Pompano Park Race-Draw-Scratch Schedule

Race Day..... Draw Day (Entry Box Closes).... Scratch Time

Friday Tuesday 9:00 A.M.Wednesday 9:00 A.M.

Saturday Wednesday 9:00 A.M.Thursday 9:00 A.M.

Monday Thursday 9:00 A.M.Friday 9:00 A.M.

Tuesday Friday 9:00 A.M.Saturday 9:00 A.M.

Wednesday..... Saturday 9:00 A.M.Saturday 9:00 P.M.

QUALIFIERS – Friday 10:00 AM – Declare By 9:00 AM Thursday

KEY RACING TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Pompano Park Main Number	954-972-2000
Director Of Racing	954-633-6507 or Ext. 6507
Director Of Racing Fax	954-973-4216
Race Office Phone	954-633-6476 or Ext. 6464
Race Office Fax	954-975-3296
Judges	954-633-6473 or Ext. 6473 A.M. Ext. 5056 P.M.
State Office - Licensing	954-971-1425
State Office - Lasix	954-968-1287
State Lasix Office Fax	954-968-1292
Stall Superintendent	954-633-6470 or Ext. 6470
Paddock Judge (Race Nights)	Extension 5155
F.S.B.O.A	954-972-5400
Horsemen's Bookkeeper	Extension 5024
Stable Gate 5 - Security	954-633-6563 or Ext. 5053

2009-2010 Lasix and Paddock Schedules

SHIP - INS – All horses shipping in to race at Pompano Park must be on the grounds of Pompano Park by 3:00 P.M.

LASIX – Trainers must make their own arrangements for Lasix administration for qualifying races.

Paddock and LASIX Schedule for 2009-2010 Racing Season

RACE	Latest Lasix Administration	Horse In Paddock	Approximate Post Time
1	3:05	6:05	7:05
2	3:23	6:23	7:23
3	3:41	6:41	7:41
4	3:59	6:59	7:59
5	4:17	7:17	8:17
6	4:35	7:35	8:35
7	4:53	7:53	8:53
8	5:11	8:11	9:11
9	5:29	8:29	9:29
10	5:47	8:47	9:47
11	6:05	9:05	10:05

All times subject to change. Changes will be announced before they are made.

DRIVERS –

- Drivers participating in the first race, must be checked in with the paddock judge no later than 6:25 P.M.
- Drivers participating in all other races must be checked in with the Paddock Judge prior to the post parade two (2) races before they are scheduled to drive.
- Failing to appear in the paddock at the prescribed times may result in the loss of driving privileges and/or a fine.

RULES OF RACING / JUDGES REGULATIONS

General Rules PPI .09-1

- A.) No person shall use improper, profane or indecent language, or be abusive to a racing official, or any team member of The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park at any time.
- B.) No person shall, in any manner, or at any time, disturb the peace or make themselves obnoxious on the grounds of The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park.
- C.) No person or horse under suspension or ruled off of the grounds of The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park or by any other recognized turf authority or trotting association shall be allowed entrance to the grounds of this property.
- D.) Whenever a trainer is suspended under any provisions of the rules, any horse trained by him/her or under his or her care, but not owned wholly or in part by him/her, may, with the consent of the Judges at that meeting, be released to the care of another licensed trainer and may race. Trainers who wish to accept responsibility for the new horses coming from suspended trainers **MAY NOT** be affiliated with the suspended trainer or stable in any way. **Note:** Horses that test positive for prohibited substances that are classified as being a level 1, 2, or 3 drug shall be suspended from competing in racing for a period of thirty (30) days. Said horse(s) shall also be required to qualify once before being able to race in pari-mutuel events at this facility.
- E.) The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park shall police its grounds at all times in such a manner as to preclude the admission of any person in and around the stables excepting those having bona fide business or duly licensed by the division.
- F.) The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park shall exclude from the paddock, in the interest of public safety, all those persons who have no immediate business with the horses entered, except for the members of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation, their duly assigned representatives and those having special permission from this association.
- G.) No person shall have in their possession any narcotic or hallucinogenic drug, marijuana, or any other drug listed under the dangerous drug laws of this State, unless said drug (s) has been prescribed by a physician or veterinarian.

- H.) Owners, trainers, drivers, grooms, and any other person (s) who submit non-negative results to drug tests given while on the grounds of this property shall be referred to the Judges for further action. *See page 6 of the Pompano Park rules and regulations for drug violation penalties.
- I.) If any individual refuses to submit to any form of drug testing after being requested to do so by any proper authority (including the Judges or The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park security officers) without good cause, said individual may be subject to disciplinary action. **Furthermore**, such refusals may be deemed to be a “non-negative” test.
- J.) No person who has been convicted of illegal possession, sale, use, or giving away of narcotics shall be permitted on the grounds.
- K.) No person shall be permitted to enter in or about the ground (s), stables or stable enclosures who does not have in their possession a license issued by the Department of Business and Professional Regulation as an owner, trainer, driver, agent, stable foreman, groom, blacksmith, veterinarian or other proper credentials issued by the association.
- L.) The only exception to this rule will be guests of owners or trainers; these people will be logged in and out at the stable gate and the respective owners or trainers will be responsible for them while in the stable area. Such guests will be furnished temporary passes by this association.
- M.) No licensee or patron shall carry or exhibit a deadly weapon or otherwise disturb the peace on the premises of this association. Any licensee found to be in violation of this rule shall be fined, suspended or both. Any patron found to be in violation of this rule shall be ejected from the premises. This rule does not prohibit the carrying of a weapon by any duly authorized law enforcement officer or licensed security personnel engaged in their duties.
- N.) Excessive consumption of alcoholic beverages on the property of The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park is strictly prohibited. **REMEMBER**, the minimum age for consumption of alcoholic beverages is 21. Anyone found intoxicated may be expelled from the grounds and referred to the Judges for disciplinary action.
- O.) No person shall have syringes or injectable medications in their possession or shedrow.

P.) No person shall have unlabeled or expired medications in their possession or shed row.

Owners and/or Trainers: PPI .09-2

- A.) An owner or trainer shall not enter or start a horse that:
- Is not in sound racing condition.
 - Has been trachea-tubed.
 - Has been nerved, with the exception of those horses examined and listed as heel-nerved.
 - Has impaired eyesight in both eyes.
 - Does not have a current Coggins Test
 - Does not have Electronic Eligibilities with the US Trotting Association.
- B.) No owner shall employ a driver for the purpose of preventing him from driving in any race.
- C.) No owner or trainer shall accept, directly or indirectly, any bribe, gift, or gratuity in any form which might influence the result of a race, or tend to do so.
- D.) All training bills must be paid in full to the present trainer before a change of trainers may be permitted.
- E.) An owner may NOT employ more than three (3) trainers for the purpose of entering and/or racing horses at The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park.
- F.) Every owner, or trainer, shall, upon making an entry, be required to name a driver for his/her horse. If this is not possible at time of entry, one must be furnished by "scratch time." Failure to name a driver by such time will result in the Judges selecting a driver for said horse.
- G.) A trainer may represent the owner of the horse(s) under their care in the matter of declarations, entries and the employment of drivers.
- H.) If the trainer of record is absent for more than seven (7) days, another licensed trainer must be named unless the absent trainer signs a form stating that he/she accepts all trainer responsibility for the stable, the care of, well-being of, condition of and consequences of the horses that will be programmed in their name while absent from The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park. Trainer responsibility forms will be kept on file with the Judges.

- I.) When the Judges determine that someone other than the officially named trainer of record is actually in charge, custody of, or in care of a horse, the Judges shall have the right to hold such person responsible instead of, or in addition to, the person named as trainer of record.
- J.) All trainers must turn in a scratch slip for any horse that he/she wishes to scratch from a race. A vet release may be required before the horse is permitted to enter back to race.
- K.) All horses are required to participate in the post parade. A horse failing to do so, without being excused by the Judges, may be scratched from the race and the trainer of record may be penalized. It is the responsibility of the trainer to ensure that his/her horse participates in the post parade. If a driver fails to notify the trainer of a horse he is scheduled to drive that he will be unable to post parade the horse, the driver may be fined.
- L.) Trainers are responsible for having their horses properly equipped. Trainers whose horses break, or cause delays at the start of the race due to equipment deemed unsafe or improper by the Judges may be penalized.
- M.) Trainers must supply their own mud fenders.
- N.) Any trainer that makes a driver change after scratch time will be subject to a fine of \$ 25.00.
- O.) A trainer shall be responsible at all times for the condition of all horses under his/her care. A trainer shall not start a horse or permit a horse to be started that is under his/her care that has received a substance in violation of the rules set forth by Pompano Park or the State of Florida. Every trainer shall assure that each horse under their general care shall be protected so as to prevent the administration of such substances.
- P.) Any claim of broken equipment must be made to the starter or the paddock judge immediately following the race. The broken equipment must be visually examined by the official, who will in turn report it to the Judges.
- Q.) NEW LASIX ADMINISTRATION RULE PER STATE OF FLORIDA:
"Horses placed on the official Furosemide List must have furosemide administered on race day, at a dosage of 150mg-500mg administered intravenously (I.V.) no closer than four (4) hours prior to the officially scheduled post time of the race in which the horse is entered."

Violations: .09-3

In matters not covered by these rules, the Judges and other officials may render decisions according to the rules of the United States Trotting Association (USTA) provided such rules are not in conflict with these rules or the laws of the State of Florida.

Paddock: .09-4

- A.) This licensed harness racing association or corporation shall maintain a paddock or receiving barn from which all horses shall be raced.
- B.) During racing hours, each licensed racing association shall have such suitable extra equipment in the paddock as may be required for the proper conduct of racing without unnecessary delay.
- C.) CODE OF CONDUCT IN THE Paddock --- While in the paddock, owners, trainers, drivers and grooms shall so conduct themselves as to avoid creating and appearance or suggestion that would reflect adversely on the integrity of racing. The Judges and paddock judge are authorized on any occasion to revoke or curtail the paddock privilege of any person if, in their judgment, circumstances warrant such action in order to maintain proper decorum in the paddock.
- D.) During racing hours the racing association shall provide the services of a blacksmith, within or adjacent to the paddock. The blacksmith shall be equipped with all the tools, materials, and equipment necessary to replace and re-fix lost or dislodged shoes. The blacksmith will be available for emergency purposes only.
- E.) The licensed harness race track shall cause a record to be kept showing the equipment, shoes and harness customarily worn by each horse competing at the track. The equipment, shoes, and harness worn by every horse in every night's program shall be checked in the paddock before each race against such record, and all changes from the previous start shall be noted thereon, and the Judges notified. All horses must be properly equipped.
- F.) ADMISSION TO THE Paddock --- All participants in a racing program (horses, drivers, etc.) shall be in the paddock or receiving barn at such time as prescribed by the Judges.
- G.) Post Parade from Paddock --- In accordance with the schedule given to the paddock judge by the Judges, the horses shall leave the paddock and parade in post position order. All horses shall parade in front of the grandstand not later than five minutes prior to post time. A horse failing to participate in the post parade without being excused by the Judges may be scratched and its trainer may be subject to penalty. It is the trainer's responsibility that the horse participates in the post parade.

- H.) Everyone entering the paddock will enter through Gate 4B. Your track I.D. badge must be displayed on your outermost garment with the exception of trainers and drivers in colors.
- I.) In the event of an accident on the track resulting in a horse falling, only the trainer and/or caretaker directly responsible for the well-being of the horse will be allowed to enter the track and offer assistance—and only with extreme caution. All other horsemen are prohibited from running onto the track from the paddock to offer assistance. The paddock judge will request any other assistance from horsemen, if deemed appropriate and necessary.
- J.) No owner or trainer shall be allowed in the paddock on a racing night unless they have a horse racing.
- K.) No children under the age of sixteen (16) shall be allowed in the paddock on live racing nights. Children will be allowed in the paddock on qualifying days in the designated areas prescribed by the paddock judge.
- L.) Once admitted to the paddock, no trainer, driver or caretaker shall leave until the horse or horses for which they are responsible have completed their race(s), however, a trainer or driver may leave the paddock for the purpose of warming up a horse programmed to participate in the day's/night's racing program. Also, no persons having left the paddock, with the exception of drivers, trainers and owners racing in a later race, shall be permitted to re-enter the paddock until the racing program has been completed in its entirety.
- M.) All horses racing on live race nights must go at least one (1) warm up lap on the main racetrack. Failing to warm horses up on the main racetrack may result in a scratch of the horse and/or a fine.
- N.) Any person admitted to the paddock shall submit to a breath analyzer test when directed to do so by the Judges, paddock judge or security officer.
1. All drivers must submit to a breath analyzer test prior to racing. If the result of the test shows a reading of .05% or higher of alcohol in the blood, that individual shall be ejected from the paddock and referred to the Judges for further action.
 2. In the case of owners, trainers, grooms and race track team members, if the results of said test show a reading of .05% or higher of alcohol in the blood, that individual will be ejected from the paddock and referred to the Judges for further action.

3. All persons entering the paddock must be properly attired. Shirts and proper footwear are required.
4. While in the paddock, loud, obnoxious or otherwise disorderly conduct is prohibited.

O.) There shall be absolutely **NO SMOKING** inside the paddock at any time.

Track Veterinarian: .09-5

- A.) This association shall employ a veterinarian in good standing and licensed to practice under the Florida State Board of Veterinary examiners. No veterinarian employed by this association shall be permitted during the period of their employment, to treat or prescribe for any Standardbred, for compensation or otherwise, except in case of emergency, in which case a full and complete report shall be submitted to the Judges. No owner or trainer shall employ or pay compensation to any such veterinarian, either directly or indirectly, during the period for which they are so employed by this association.
- B.) The track veterinarian shall examine such horses as the Judges request them to examine and shall report the findings of such examination to the Judges.
- C.) The track veterinarian may re-examine and approve for release from the steward's list all horses that have been placed thereon from being lame, sick or injured before they may be declared fit to race again.
- D.) The track veterinarian will be available in the paddock to observe the preliminary warming up of horses by 6:00 P.M. and notify the Judges of any horses that they believe to be in unfit condition to race. The track veterinarian can place any horse on the steward's list for being sick, lame or injured. At the request of the Judges or discretion of the track veterinarian, horses returning to the paddock may be examined for lameness, bleeding, whip incurred injuries or any other ailments.

Starting of the Race: PPI .09-6

A.) All drivers shall obey the instructions of the starter until the word "GO" is given. Drivers may be fined for committing the following violations:

- 1) Delaying the start of a race.
- 2) Crossing over before the start.
- 3) Coming to the gate out of position.
- 4) Scoring ahead of the gate.
- 5) Rushing ahead of the inside or outside of the gate.
- 6) Causing interference before the start.
- 7) Failing to come up and remain in position behind the gate.

Violators of the above rules may result in fines and/or suspensions by the Judges at the recommendation of the starter. Fines may not exceed \$100.00 and a suspension from driving may not exceed 15 days.

B.) The starter may sound a "recall" for one or more of the following reasons only:

- A horse scores ahead of the gate.
- Interference occurs before the start.
- A horse has broken equipment before the start.
- A horse falls before the word "GO" is given.
- A horse refuses.
- A horse comes to the gate out of position.

C.) The starter shall sound no recall for breaking horses once the field is in motion, unless one or more of the above conditions are met.

D.) Where the Judges determine that, after the horses have been released at the starting point, a horse was prevented from having a fair chance to contest a race due to exceptional circumstances and it is deemed in the public interest to do so, such horse **MAY** be declared a non-starter and mutuel refunds may be ordered.

E.) If, in the opinion of the Judges or the starter, a horse is unmanageable, or deemed dangerous to either itself or other participants in the race, the horse may be scratched.

F.) No persons shall be allowed to ride in the starting gate except the starter and his driver or operator, and a patrol judge, unless permission has been granted by the Judges.

- G.) Horses shall be permitted to take two scores before going to the post and upon completion of the second score, the horses shall be gathered by the starter, and then immediately moved into their position behind the gate.
- H.) In the event there are two tiers of horses, the withdrawing of a horse that has drawn or earned a position in the front tier shall not affect the position of the horses that have drawn or earned positions in the second tier.
- I.) Whenever a horse is drawn out from any tier, horses on the outside move in to fill up the vacancy. In an event where there is a horse that has drawn post 10 in the second tier, said horse can start from any position in the second tier.
- J.) The horses shall be deemed to have started when the word "GO" is given by the starter and all horses must go the course except in case of an accident in which it is the opinion of the Judges that it is impossible to go the course. Drivers must be mounted at the finish of the race or their horse will be placed as not finishing.

Entries: .09-7

Every entry shall constitute an agreement that the person making it, the owner, lessee, manager, agent, nominator, driver or other person having control by the horse, shall be subject to these rules and regulations, and will submit all disputes and questions arising, out of such entry to the authority and the determination of the Judges, whose decision shall be final.

Safety Helmets: .09-8

- Acceptable helmets, approved by the Judges, must be worn at all times when training, warming up horses on the tracks, sitting in a jog cart or race bike and while in the stable area of this facility. Chin straps must be fastened at all times.
No exceptions of this rule will be tolerated.
- Passengers riding in jog carts or individuals riding horses are also required to comply with this rule.

Dress Code: .09-9

- A.) Anyone that will be warming up horses on the main racetrack on live race nights, and/or driving in wagering or non-wagering races will be expected to adhere the following dress code rules:
- Must wear a Snell approved helmet. (Chin strap fastened)
 - Must wear registered driving colors.
 - Must wear driving boots. (Sandals or athletic tennis shoes are not be allowed)

- B.) Anyone that will be driving in qualifiers is expected to adhere to the above dress code but shall have the ability to wear a “training suit” if desired. **Drivers wearing jeans in qualifiers is unacceptable.**
- C.) Anyone driving while schooling horses after qualifiers must wear a Snell approved helmet. (Chin strap fastened)
- D.) Everyone must wear a shirt while working a horse on either the main racetrack or the back track.

Stewards List: .09-10

A.) Reasons for a horse to be placed on the Stewards List:

- Unable to meet qualifying standards set forth by the Race Office.
- Two breaks in a row on a FAST track, unless finishing first or second.
- Three (3) consecutive breaks REGARDLESS OF TRACK CONDITION, excluding interference breaks or broken equipment.
- Failure to make qualifying time 2 starts in a row on a fast track.
- A horse makes a break off a qualifying race on a fast track.
- A horse is deemed lame or unmanageable.
- Horses finishing first or second that make a break will not be placed on the steward’s list unless it is their third break in a row.
- Two consecutive scratches, other than a “Judges” scratch.
- Any poor performance or extreme reversal of form.
- Any horse failing to finish the race, other than broken equipment or interference.
- Scratch off a qualifying race, other than a “Judges” scratch.
- Any horse may be put on the stewards list if the Judges deem the performance of the horse to be unsatisfactory.

Procedure for a Horse Injured in a Race: .09-11

If your horse is injured in a race which may necessitate veterinary attention:

- Bring your horse back to the paddock and remain with it.
- Contact the paddock judge and tell them you need a veterinarian.
- If the horse is severely injured and cannot safely return to the paddock area under their own power, the Judges may call for the horse ambulance to transport the horse.

Whipping Rules: .09-12

- A.) All drivers must keep a line in each hand until the 7/8th's pole is reached, at which time they can use the whip with one hand.
- B.) There shall be no whipping below the level of the shaft and stifle area.
- C.) There shall be no putting the whip between the horse's legs.
- D.) There shall be no one-hand whipping of any horse who is not in contention (***strictly enforced***).
- E.) Whips shall be no longer than 48 inches in length and have a snapper no longer than 6 inches. The Snapper shall not be knotted. There shall be no taping of the whip with the exception of the handle.
- E.) Anyone found breaking these rules shall be assessed the following penalties.
- 1st Offense - \$100.00 fine
 - 2nd Offense - \$250.00 fine
 - 3rd Offense - \$500.00 fine and a suspension of driving privileges for a period of three (3) live racing nights.
- *Repeated violations may result in a suspension of driving privileges on live racing nights and/or revocation of all racing privileges at the isle pompano park.
- F.) Anyone found to be whipping a horse excessively at any point throughout the mile shall be fined up to \$1000.00 and subject to suspension from driving, denial of all racing privileges and ejection from the property.

Breaking Rules: .09-13

- A.) When any horse or horses break from their gait in trotting or pacing, their driver shall at once, where clearance exists, take such horse to the outside and pull said horse back to the proper gait.
- B.) The following shall be considered violations of the breaking rule:
- Failure to properly attempt to pull the horse back to the proper gait.
 - Failure to take the horse to the outside, where clearance exists.
 - Failure to lose sufficient ground while on a break.
- C.) Any breaking horse shall be set back when a contending horse on its gait is lapped on the hind quarter of the breaking horse at the finish.

D.) The Judges may set any horse back one or more places if, in their judgment, any of the above violations have been committed.

E.) In case of an accident that results in a driver becoming unseated from his mount, the horse will be placed as not finishing the race.

Trotters Using Hobbles & Free Legged Pacers: .09-14

With respect to hobbles, a trainer may attempt to qualify:

- a formerly free-legged pacer with hobbles;
- a formerly hobbled pacer free-legged;
- a formerly non-hobbled trotter with hobbles;
- a formerly hobbled trotter without hobbles one time.

Should the horse be unable to qualify, the trainer may return the horse to its former status without re-qualifying.

If the trainer makes a second attempt to qualify and proves unsuccessful, the horse will have to re-qualify successfully before it is allowed to enter overnight events.

Euro Rail Rules: .09-15

A.) Any horse that is driven inside one or more pylons during the course of the race may be disqualified if in the determination of the Judges the horse gains an unfair advantage.

B.) If in the determination of the Judges, any horse going inside one or more pylons altered or affected the outcome of the race, that horse may be placed.

C.) If a horse is on a break and goes inside the pylons they may be placed for failure to lose sufficient ground.

D.) Any horse interfered with or forced inside of one or more pylons may be placed at the Judges discretion.

E.) Any driver that has a pylon violation and finishes first through fifth may be fined up to \$50.00.

F.) If a horse has a pylon violation and finishes in a money position, then is placed out of the position, the driver of the horse may be fined.

G.) Horses going inside two (2) pylons and are lapped-on at the finish, will be disqualified and placed behind any lapped-on horses at the wire.

H.) Horses going inside three (3) or more pylons, will be disqualified and placed last.

Drivers: PPI .09-16

- A.) No person shall be permitted to drive without being properly licensed by the division of Pari-Mutuel Wagering and the United States Trotting Association, or Standardbred Canada. Possession of the above mentioned licenses does not guarantee that said person will be permitted to drive.
- B.) If the Judges deem a driver unreliable, unfit, not competent to drive, reckless, unmannerly, or if he/she refuses to comply with the Judges direction, he/she may be removed and another driver shall be substituted.
- C.) Without limiting the generality thereof, the license of any driver may be suspended or revoked, or a monetary fine may be imposed at any time to such driver for the following:
- 1) Violating any rule of The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park.
 - 2) Failure to obey the instructions of a racing official appointed or approved by the Department of Business and Professional Regulation.
 - 3) Any act or conduct detrimental to the sport including, but not limited to:
 - a. Failure to drive in a race when programmed unless excused by the Judges.
 - b. The use of loud, boisterous, offensive or profane language.
 - c. Consumption of intoxicating beverages.
 - d. Assault upon any person.
 - e. Smoking in colors while on the racetrack.
 - f. Warming up a horse without wearing colors.
 - g. Failure to participate in the post parade, unless excused by the Judges.
 - h. Talking with other drivers on the track.
- D.) No driver is permitted to drive against a stable with which they are associated with. This includes, but is not limited to:
- Horses that they own, in full or in part.
 - Trainers for which they are employed by, or who train horses that said driver owns.
 - Horses or stables that they train and/or manage.

- E.) All drivers shall be required to make any driving determinations that by scratch time. It is the responsibility of the driver to contact the Judges and make such changes. Any changes not made by the driver, by scratch time, will be made by the Judges.
- F.) After checking in with the paddock judge, drivers are not permitted to access the grandstand or wagering areas of the facility. Furthermore, at no time are drivers permitted to wear their driving colors while in the grandstand or clubhouse.

Racing and Track Rules: PPI .09-17

Driving Violations

- A.) Although a leading horse is entitled to any part of the course except after selecting his position in the homestretch, neither the driver of the first horse or any other driver in the race shall do any of the following, which shall be considered a violation of the driving rules:
- 1.) Change either to the right or left during any part of the race when another horse is so near him that in altering his position he compels the horse(s) behind him to shorten his stride, or causes the driver of said horse to pull him out of his stride.
 - 2.) Jostle, strike, hook wheels or interfere with another horse or driver.
 - 3.) Cross sharply in front of a horse or cross over in such a manner endangering other drivers.
 - 4.) Swerve in and out or pull quickly.
 - 5.) Crowd a horse or driver by "putting a wheel under" another horse.
 - 6.) Carry a horse out or sit down in front of him, take up abruptly in front of other horses so as to cause confusion or interference among the trailing horses, let a horse pass inside needlessly, or do any other act which constitutes what is popularly known as helping.
 - 7.) Commit any act, which shall impede the progress of another horse or cause them to break stride.

8.) Change course after selecting a position in the home stretch and swerve in or out, or bear in or out in such a manner as to interfere with another horse or cause him to change course, take back, or break stride.

9.) Drive in a careless manner.

10.) Fail to set or maintain a pace of faster than 32 seconds per quarter. Failure to do so may result in a fine and/or suspension. There is a one (1) second allowance for 2 year olds.

11.) Fail to keep a hole closed when it is within a horse's ability to do so.

12.) Maintain a "half in-half out" position.

B.) Drivers must keep both feet in the stirrups at all times. Failure to do so may result in a fine. Dropping a foot to touch a hock or kicking will result in an immediate fine, which will escalate with continuing offenses.

C.) Any driver wishing to claim foul must do so immediately following the contesting of the race. Objections must be lodged with the Starting Judge. After lodging the objection, the driver shall report to the Paddock Judge's office to converse with the Judges.

D.) If any of the above violations are committed by someone driving a horse coupled in wagering, the Judges may set both horses back if, in their determination, the violation may have affected the finish of the race. Otherwise, penalties may be applied individually to the drivers with said penalties being fines, suspensions or expulsion.

E.) In case of interference, collision or violation of any of the above Restrictions, the offending driver's horse may be placed behind all unoffending drivers and horses. In the event any such interference prevents any horse from finishing the race, the offending driver's horse may be disqualified from receiving any purse money earned. Furthermore, the offending driver may be fined and/or suspended.

F.) All drivers must drive their horse competitively during the running of the race, and to the finish.

G.) Drivers will be allowed whips not to exceed 45" (3'9"), plus a snapper Not to exceed six inches (6").

Interference Violation Penalties

Driving fines and suspensions for the above interference violations are as follows:

- 1.) \$100.00 fine or three (3) day suspension from driving.
- 2.) Repeated interference violations may result in hearings with the Judges and loss of driving privileges.

If the interference causes another horse(s) to go off stride the penalty will be as follows:

- 1.) 100.00 fine and three (3) day suspension from driving or a 5 day driving suspension, or a \$ 250.00 fine.

Repeated interference violations may result in hearings with the Judges and loss of driving privileges.

Appeal Process: .09-18

- A.) An appeal may be made of any decision or ruling of the Judges relative to the conduct of a race, application of penalties, interpretation of the rules, official placing, or other actions affecting owners, trainers, drivers, grooms, or other licensees.
- B.) Such appeals must be based on a specific charge, which, if true, would warrant modification or reversal of the decision or ruling.
- C.) Appeals must be made on forms supplied by the Judges and filed with the Judges within three (3) days of the notice of decision or ruling, excluding an appeal involving distribution of purse monies, which must be filed before such monies are distributed. A check for \$250.00 made out to PPI, INC. must accompany all appeal requests. Such money will be refunded to the licensee if the appeal is successful.
- D.) The Judges may grant a stay of any penalty which involves a fine or suspension, at their discretion.
- E.) Appeals will be heard by a three person board. Two (2) hearing officers will be appointed by The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park management and one member of the board shall be a representative of the F.S.B.O.A.
- F.) The appeal will be held at a time and place designated by the Judges. Failure to appear for the appeal will result in an automatic dismissal of the appeal.

G.) The hearing officer(s) will render a decision based on the evidence and testimony provided. The hearing officer(s) decision will be final. The officer(s) may modify, dismiss, or increase the penalty prescribed by the Judges.

Claiming Procedures: .09-19

- A.) Any person(s) entering a claim must have a valid license as an owner On file with the Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulation (DBPR) and the United States Trotting Association (USTA).
- B.) No person can claim a horse currently under his/her care, supervision or ownership.
- C.) No owner, trainer or authorized agent shall submit more than one (1) claim for any one race.
- D.) No person(s) shall enter into an agreement, verbal or otherwise, to claim or not to claim or prevent claiming of any horse in a claiming race.
- E.) An owner may not claim a horse currently under the care of a trainer that he/she currently employs.
- F.) No driver shall submit a claim on a horse in which he/she is listed to drive.
- G.) The claimant must have funds on account with PPI, INC. or certified funds in the amount of the claiming price, plus applicable sales tax, along with a separate check for the transferring of registration papers of the horse. No cash will be accepted for claims or transfers of ownership.
- H.) All claim forms must be properly filled out and submitted to the Judges on the official claiming form no later than 15 minutes prior to post time of the race in which the horse is scheduled to compete. The names of all claimants and the new trainer must appear on the claim form.
- I.) Once a claim is submitted to the Judges, it cannot be withdrawn.
- J.) Should more than one claim be entered on the same horse, the successful claimant shall be determined by lot.
- K.) After the race, the horse shall be delivered to the successful claimant in the paddock, under the supervision of the paddock judge. The horse's halter MUST accompany the horse. Altering the shoes of the horse is prohibited. Violators of this rule will be referred to the Judges for further action.

- L.) A trainer, whose horse has been claimed, is responsible for the horse until after collection of urine, blood or other specimen as may be required by the State of Florida. The trainer is also charged with giving the horse proper care during these procedures and must bring the horse to the blood gas testing area after leaving the State collection area.
- M.) Any person who refuses to deliver a horse that has been claimed will be suspended, along with the horse, until delivery is made. The Judges may also impose a fine on such person.
- N.) The claim of a horse shall become vested upon the word "GO" being given by the starter. However, any purse monies earned by the horse during the race from which they were claimed shall revert back to the owner(s) listed prior to the claim.
- O.) No horse may be claimed from a race unless the race was contested.
- P.) Only horses that are programmed, to compete in events deemed to be "claiming" events in the track's official racing program on the specified racing date are eligible to be claimed. Horses that are withdrawn BEFORE "scratch time," or "Also Eligible" (AE) horses that do NOT scratch in to race, are NOT ELIGIBLE TO BE CLAIMED.
- Q.) No claimed horse may change ownership, unless by way of another claim, for a period of 30 days following the date of the claim. Furthermore, the horse may not start in the name of, or interest of, the original owner, trainer or any other persons connected with said individuals during this period.
- R.) Horses that are programmed to start but are scratched may still be claimed. The claim must be entered 15 minutes prior to the race, as in any other case. The claimant then has until 9:00 AM the day after the race to exercise the claim.
- S.) In the rare occasion that a claimed horse has already been drawn in to a subsequent race, the claimant may scratch the horse without the risk of the horse being claimed.
- T.) Any horse scratched by the Judges due to an error in entry or eligibility will be exempt from being claimed.
- U.) Should the Judges determine that a claim was fraudulent or made in violation of these rules, or that a claimed horse was misrepresented in any significant aspect, they may disallow such claim, and order the return of the horse to the previous owner(s).

V.) Claiming allowances will be allotted as follows:

- 1.) Two Year-Olds get a 100% allowance to base claiming price.
- 2.) Three Year-Olds get a 50% allowance to base claiming price.
- 3.) Four Year-Olds get a 25% allowance to base claiming price.
- 4.) Mares get an additional 20% added to base claiming price plus age allowances.

W.) Should a claimed horse test positive for any prohibited substance after the completion of the race in which the horse was claimed in the judges may void such claim upon notification from the testing laboratory and conclusions made during the administrative hearing process. The listed trainer of the claimed horse that tested positive shall be held responsible for penalties associated with such findings.

Blood Gas Testing Program: 09-20

A.) An excess level of total carbon dioxide (TCO₂) in the racehorse is deemed adverse to the best interests of harness racing, and adverse to the best interest of the horse in that such condition alters its normal physiological state.

Accordingly, in compliance with the post-race testing program provisions of this section, on the date of the race and following a minimum one-hour standing at rest period for the horse subsequent to the conclusion for the race within which it competed, a State Licensed Veterinarian representing The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park, may obtain blood samples from the horse for the purpose of testing the samples by a licensed laboratory, approved by The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park, for TCO₂ level on a Clinical Auto Analyzer that applies an ion selective electrode method (ISE) for measuring TCO₂ in blood.

Where the TCO₂ level, based upon such testing, equals or exceeds the following levels, the Judges shall order the relief authorized pursuant to paragraph two (2) to this section: 37 or more millimoles per liter for those horses not competing on furosemide and 39 or more millimoles per liter for those horses competing on furosemide.

B.) Where the TCO₂ level in a horse is determined to equal or exceed such levels set forth in paragraph one (1) to this section the Judges shall order the following:

C.) The trainer, as absolute insurer of the condition of a horse within his/her care and custody, shall be subject to:

1. First violation—45-day suspension, and a \$500 fine.
2. Second violation—90-day suspension, and a \$1,000 fine.
3. Third violation—No less than 180 day suspension, and a \$2,000 fine. Management reserves the right to permanently exclude an individual from participating at The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park for any violation.
4. In addition to the liability of the trainer as set forth above, any additional persons responsible shall be subject to the penalties set forth above.
5. The horse shall be disqualified and any purse monies paid shall be ordered redistributed.

D.) In the event any owner, trainer or licensed representative of the same fails to cooperate in connection with the blood gas testing program authorized by The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park, or with regard to any procedures set forth in this testing program, the Judges may, consistent with this program, impose fines and/or suspensions and order a purse redistribution on the non-cooperating person. In determining the length of suspension or monetary amount of the fine, the Judges may consider any prior violations of the rules set forth by The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park.

All of the above may be changed at the discretion of The Isle Casino Racing Pompano Park's Director of Racing or the Judges.



CLAIM FORM

THE ISLE CASINO RACING POMPANO PARK

I hereby claim the horse _____ from the _____ race on,
_____ - _____, 20____.

For base price of \$_____ plus \$_____ tax for a total of \$_____.

In making this claim, I certify that I am claiming the above horse for my own account or as an authorized agent.

I hereby designate _____ to take control/custody of the horse immediately after the race in the event I am the successful claimant.

The trainer receiving this horse will be: _____.

<u>OWNER</u>	<u>CITY</u>	<u>STATE</u>	<u>STATE LICENSE#</u>
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1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

SAMPLE

Authorized Agent / Owner's Signature _____

I wish to have this horse tested for anabolic steroids. I understand that I will be responsible for all costs associated with this test should the result be deemed "negative".

Time claim was officially entered: _____

PURSE AUTHORIZATION FORM

Check all that apply: This authorization is for **owner** earnings
 This authorization is for **driver** earnings This authorization is for **trainer** earnings

Name(s): _____
If more than one name with ownership, list all names

Address: _____

Phone #'s: _____

Social Security# _____ OR Federal ID# _____

Use the number of the person who will be tax responsible & COMPLETE W-9 BELOW

I am my checks made to the address above

Signature _____ Date _____

OWNERS - List the names of all persons under ownership: _____

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<p>W-9 Form (Rev. October 2007) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</p>	<p>Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification</p>	<p>Give form to the requester. Do not send to the IRS.</p>
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PLEASE PRINT

Name (as shown on your income tax return) _____

Business name, if different from above _____

Check appropriate box: Individual/Sole proprietor Corporation Partnership
 Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (D=disregarded entity, C=corporation, P=partnership) ▶ _____ Exempt payee
 Other (see instructions) ▶ _____

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on Line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN* on page 3.

Note. If the account is in more than one name, see the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Social security number	
OR	
Employer identification number	

Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

- The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me), and
- I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding, and
- I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below).

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the Certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions on page 4.

Sign Here	Signature of U.S. person ▶ _____	Date ▶ _____
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ISLE CASINO RACING POMPANO PARK

2009-2010 LIVE RACING SCHEDULE



Live Racing

POST TIME 7:05 pm

140 RACING DAYS

September '09						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
						19
					25	26

October '09						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
					2	3
					9	10
			14		16	17
			21		23	24
			28		30	31

November '09						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
	2		4		6	7
	9		11		13	14
	16		18		20	21
	23		25		27	28
	30					

December '09						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
		1	2		4	5
	7	8	9		11	12
	14	15	16		18	19
	21	22	23			26
	28	29	30			

January '10						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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	11	12	13		15	16
	18	19	20		22	23
	25	26	27		29	30

February '10						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
	1	2	3		5	6
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	15	16	17		19	20
	22	23	24		26	27

March '10						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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	15	16	17		19	20
	22	23	24		26	27
	29	30	31			

April '10						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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May '10						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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