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Bits & Pieces

President's Message

Wow. . . It's already May and the first race meet is sure sneaking up on us! Your Board of Directors has been working extremely hard to put together another exciting racing season for everyone. This year we will be co-sponsoring three race meets, one in Monroe and two in Elkhorn.

The Elkhorn race meet on July 28th will also serve as the Roy Kline Memorial race meet. We received over \$1,000 in memorial donations and after speaking with the family, we have decided to add that money to conduct a race meet in his honor. In order to help make this special, anyone with stories, pictures or memories of Roy are asked to contact Susan Schroeder so we can make a special memorial program for this event. There will also be a picnic after the races—be sure to check the website for more details!

Speaking of \$1,000 donations, the WHHA received an anonymous donation shortly after the Midwest Horse Fair for this amount! It sure is nice to know we have people out there who like what we are doing and want to make sure it continues.

Now that I mentioned Horse Fair, a big shout of thanks go out to Becky Swinehart & Rick Davis for coordinating this event! We had another great year and it couldn't be done without these two individuals. There were numerous other people who were essential in making this event happen, so in risk of leaving someone out, I'll let Becky & Rick say thanks later in this issue. We do have to thank Jamie Rucker and the USTA for helping out with the cost of exhibiting at the Midwest Horse Fair. THANKS!!

Racing Under Saddle is set to attempt a comeback in the Dairy State! There are further details later in this issue—check it out!

The WHHA is committed to help protect the drivers of our sport. This year we will be splitting the cost of Race Day on-track accident insurance with every race meet that chooses to participate—and we will have 100% participation this year! We thank all the fairs and local horsemen's groups who are helping provide this important insurance for the drivers that we watch compete. Also, because we are providing this costly, but essential extra service, we are requiring that ALL DRIVERS who drive at WHHA race meets this year be members of the Association

in order to drive at our sponsored & co-sponsored events.

In April, I had the opportunity to accompany four other Wisconsinites to the USTA Publicity Workshop in Columbus, OH at the USTA Corporate Office. This one day seminar was filled with promotional ideas and tips on how to get pre and post race publicity for our events. We have applied for the USTA Matching Funds Grants in hopes of being able to implement such ideas as Jog Cart Jamborees, children stick horse races, 2-seat jog cart celebrity races, our own version of American (Racing) Idol, among numerous other ideas. As always, we will need manpower to make these ideas become a reality. If you are willing to help out at, even just one of the fairs, please let Susan Schroeder know ASAP. Also, if another race meet would like more information on what we learned at the workshop and are interested in implementing some of those ideas at your local race meet, Susan and I would be more than happy to fill you in on what it would take to get the promotion/publicity event off the ground. Marketing is everything!

See ya at the races!

-Gabe

WHHA Board of Directors

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Trackside

USTA Passes 5 Rule Changes

In Effect May 1st

The U.S. Trotting Association Board of Directors passed five of the 10 rule change proposals suggested by USTA members and staff at its annual meeting, which came to a close on Monday morning, March 19. Here are the texts of the rules that were passed:

- 1. A proposal to amend Rule 7, Section 2(g), which deals with races only at pari-mutuel tracks, so as to require that an accurate chart line includes lengths behind the leader for each horse at the quarter, half, three-quarters, stretch, and finish, where as the current rule only requires lengths behind the leader to be recorded at the stretch call and finish.
- 2. A proposal to amend Rule 14, Section 1 (g), relative to the drawing of post position, so as to clarify that the judges shall have a separate draw for each race on a card by adding the following at the end:

"A separate draw procedure to determine the post positions of horses in a race shall be conducted for each individual race of a race card. The results of a draw procedure shall not be applied to more than one race of a race card, nor shall such results be applied to another race that is part of another race card."

- 3. A proposal to amend Rule 14, Section 1 (I) to require that when the judges list a horse as being scratch by the judges that the specific reason for the scratch also be listed was amended to include: Whenever the judges list a horse as being scratched by the judges they shall also list the specific reason for the scratch, provided the racetrack has been provided with the software necessary to perform that function." (Editor's Note: the software referred to in the rule change is the USTA's new e-Track system, now in the process of being rolled out).
- 4. A proposal to amend Rule 17, Section 1 (d) (1) relative to the length of driving experience required prior to the advancement from a Qualifying/Fair license to a Provisional driver's license by adding the following sentence to the last sentence at the end of the paragraph:
- "...or have at least 3 months driving experience while holding a Qualifying/Fair license and 24 satisfactory qualifying drives, and the unanimous written consent of the presiding judge and the members of the local District Track Committee."
 - 5. A proposal to amend Rule 24, Section 3

entitled "Track Measurement Certificate," so as to require recertification of track measurement upon request by the United States Trotting Association, as opposed to the current requirement of every five years.

The board rejected proposed rules dealing with not permitting 2-year-olds to start before July 1; modifying the rule regarding photo finish equipment; a mandate for extra racetrack warning lights; a request to shorten the length of the whip; and one requiring foals to be permanently marked, by tattoo or freeze branding, prior to being registered.

All the above rules will go into effect on May 1, unless otherwise stated within the rule. ~ Courtesy John Pawlak, USTA

For those of you racing in Illinois...

Illinois will begin using photo radar in freeway work zones in July. Second offense tickets are \$1,000 with license suspension.

Beginning in July, the State of Illinois will use speed cameras in areas designated as "Work Zones" on major freeways. Anyone caught by these devices will be mailed a \$375 ticket for the FIRST offense, but the SECOND offense will cost \$1,000 and comes with a 90-day suspension. Drivers will also receive demerit points against their license, which allows insurance companies to raise their rates. This represents the harshest penalty structure yet for a city or state using PHOTO enforcement.

The State will begin with TWO camera vans issuing tickets in work zones with speed limits lowered to 45 mph. Photographs of both the driver's face and the license plate are taken.

For more information visit: www.dot.state.il.us/press/r033005.html

On the cover:

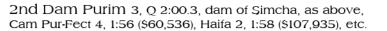
A group of yearlings enjoy a spring day (Photo by Jessica Schroeder)

I Win 4, 1:52.4 (\$166,732)

Cam's Card Shark - Simcha - Sonsam



1St Dam Simcha 3, 1:53.1 (185,592), dam of I Win, as above, Doc's Cam 5, 1:51.4 (\$128,379); Copper Color 3, 1:54.4 (\$10,058), Cha Cha Meg 3, 1:58, Grisonne 3, Q1:59.2 (\$27,681), etc.





I Win is a royally bred son of Cam's Card Shark and already has a lot of foals on the ground. His oldest foals are turning two.

Standing at a introductory fee of

\$500

Contact: David Yoder 16075 Sandstone Dr. Utica, MN 55979 (2 miles South & 1/4 mile West of Utica)

Dem Speedy Bones 4, 1:57.2 (\$94,261)

Speedy Crown - Dem Bones - Bone Fish

1st Dam Dem Bones 3, 1:58, dam of Crown Bones 3, 1:56.4 (\$142,490), Dem Speedy Bones 3, 1:57.2 (\$94,261), Consumate Hero 5, 1:57.2 (\$74,729) Corleone 3, 1:57.4 (\$63,670), Feature Presentatsn 4, QQ1:59.1 (\$93,629)

2nd Dam Heidi Rodney, dam of Joie De Vie 3, 1:56.3 (\$1,017,251), Swiss Connection 4, 1:57.3 (\$78,341), Dem Bones3, 1:58 (\$1133,124), Davids Lucky Day 4, 1:58.4 (\$130,668), Hy Dilly 3, 1:59 (\$54,880), Came To Pass 5, TT1:59 (\$14,784), La Dolce Vita 3, TT1:59.1 (\$33,514), Bunty 3,2:00.3q (\$74,647)

Dem Speedy Bones is a royally bred son of Speedy Crown and already a proven sire of 27 trotters (20 in 2:05) 4 in 2:00

Contact: Harley Yoder 27203 Co Rd 33 Utica, MN 55979 Live Foal Guarantee Standing for a fee of

\$600



Racing Under Saddle

RACING UNDER SADDLE (RUS) GUIDELINES TO RACE IN WISCONSIN

The following are intended to be recommendations for conducting Racing Under Saddle events. They are not rules or regulations of the United States Trotting Association or the Wisconsin Harness Horse Association. The USTA & WHHA's Racing Under Saddle events as "Exhibition Races" only and does not regulate such events or maintain any record of such events.

Horses

Registration of Horse. All horses participating in RUS events should be registered with either the United States Trotting Association or Standardbred Canada in the name of the current owner. Age of Horse. No horse under the age of three should be eligible to start.

Veterinary Examination. All horses entered to race may be subjected to a pre-race veterinary examination conducted by a designated veterinarian prior to the race. If, in the opinion of the veterinarian, the horse is not in fit condition to race, the judges may exclude the horse from racing.

Identification: All horses should be identified by either a lip-brand tattoo or neck freeze brand applied by either the United States Trotting Association or Standardbred Canada.

Riders

Age of Rider: No rider under 16 years of age should be eligible to ride in any event.

License Requirements: All riders should be reviewed to determine that they are qualified to ride. No official license will be granted, and a waiver must be signed prior to each race meet. Each participant will be required to finish a brief RUS written examination prior to their first start.

Helmet Requirements: Every rider should wear a protective safety helmet, properly fastened, that meets the standards and requirements as set forth in the Snell Memorial Foundation's 1984 Standard For Protective Headgear for use in Harness Racing or the standards established by the Department of Transportation (D.O.T.). Any equestrian helmet bearing the Snell label or approved by the D.O.T. shall be deemed to have met the performance requirements as set forth in the standards.

Safety Vests: It is recommended that all riders wear a safety vest during the race. In accordance with the Association of Racing Commissioners International Model Rules, as defined by the British Equestrian Trade Association (BETA).

Racing Colors: Riders should provide their own distinguishing racing colors with white pants which shall be worn at all times when the horse and rider are on the race track for warming up and racing. Footwear. Riders should wear footwear that has a minimum heel of one-half inch at all times while warming up and racing.

Declaration/Starting Fees

A declaration to start specifying the name of the horse, rider, and gait at which the horse will be ridden, should be due in accordance with the deadlines established at the track at which the event will be raced.

There will be no starting fee for these events.

Pre Race

Pre-Race Meeting of Participants: There will be a meeting of all riders and trainers competing in Racing Under Saddle races at least two hours prior to the race for the purpose of reviewing the racing guidelines, sign waivers, and other matters relative to the conduct of the race.

Warming Up Horses: Horses should only be warmed up during the time and area designated by the track. All riders should have the expressed permission from the judges prior to riding on the grounds of the race track.

Equipment. Only equipment specifically approved by the judges should be worn by a horse in a race. All horses should be required to wear a saddle and bridle with bit. No head poles should be permitted to be worn by any horse in a race.

Saddle Pads. Traditional saddle pads should be used to identify each horse. Riders may wear numbered arm bands on each arm above the elbow. No head numbers shall be used on any horse.

Starting of Horses

Post Parade: All horses and riders should be required to participate in a post parade and scoring prior to the start of the race.

Starting Gate. All races should be started by using the mobile starting gate.

Starting of Horses: The starting gate should pick the horses up no nearer than 1/4 of a mile before the start of the race as the track will permit. Horses must reach the starting gate in post position order. There should be no recall for a breaking horse. (The speed of the gate may be faster then the speed used for sulky events.)

Schooling of Horses: All horses will have the oppor-

Racing Under Saddle cont'd

-tunity to be schooled under saddle behind the starting gate prior to their first race under saddle. Handicapping. At the discretion of the race secretary, horses might be handicapped based upon their prior performance under saddle.

Suggested Guidelines for the Conduct of the Race

Interference, Jostling or Striking: A rider shall not ride carelessly or willfully so as to permit his/her mount to interfere with, impede, or intimidate any other horse in the race.

No rider shall carelessly or willfully jostle, strike, or touch another rider, another rider's horse, or equipment. No rider should unnecessarily cause his/her horse to shorten its stride so as to give the appearance of having suffered a foul.

Maintaining a Straight Course: When the way is clear in a race, a horse may be ridden to any part of the course, but if any horse swerves, or is ridden to either side, so as to interfere with, impede, or intimidate any other horse, it is a foul. The offending horse may be disqualified, if in the opinion of the judges, the foul altered the finish of the race, regardless of whether the foul was accidental, willful or the result of careless riding. If the judges determine the foul was intentional or due to careless riding, the rider may be held responsible. Breaking Rule: When any horse breaks from its designated trotting or pacing gait under saddle, the rider shall at once, where clearance exists, take such horse to the outside and pull it to its gait. Whip/Spurs/Goading Devices: Riders may carry a riding crop not to exceed 30 inches. The crop is only permitted to come into contact with the horse in front of the saddle. No electrical or mechanical device or other expedient designed to increase or retard the speed of a horse is permitted. No rider shall be permitted to wear spurs.

Licensing Requirements of State Racing Commissions

Although the Racing Under Saddle Events are primarily "exhibition" races and should not require any of the participants to obtain a license from the state racing commission, the WHHA is requiring all riders and either one owner or the trainer of the horse to be members of the WHHA.

Officials

The same compliment of racing officials used in the supervision and judging of sulky races can be used to officiate all Racing Under Saddle events.

Disqualifications/Placing/Disputes

In all matters relating to the conduct of the race, to include claims of foul, violations of the breaking rule, placings, disqualifications, positive tests, and other disputes, the decision of the judges should be final.

RACING UNDER SADDLE (RUS) GUIDELINES TO RACE IN WISCONSIN

April 15, 2007

Racing Under Saddle (RUS) will take place at the following race meets if horses warrant:

June 10th
June 30th
July 28th
August 19th
August 26th
Sept. 15th or 16th

Monroe, WI
Elkhorn, WI
Wautoma, WI
Weyauwega, WI
Viroqua, WI

Races could be added if interest is expressed by participants and track location.

There is no starting fee.

No purse money. All participants will be awarded \$20 per race for starting.

Blanket will be awarded to heat winner.

Pacers and Trotters will race against one another unless entries warrant split races.

Races will split at 8 horses. In order to hold a RUS race, there must be 4 horses enter, and 3 horses to start.

All races will be exhibition. All races will be ½ mile. USTA Rules govern.

Points will be earned at each event. If a minimum of 4 races are held, there will be a "RUS Horse of the Year" recognized at the annual meeting in January 2008.

For those wishing to participate in any RUS exhibition races at Elkhorn, please look to the back of the newsletter for a contractual release form.

March Meeting Minutes

Wisconsin Harness Horse Association Board of Director's Meeting Sunday, March 25, 2007 - Dane, Wis. *Note: This minutes have not yet been approved by the Board*

Present: Rick Davis, Becky Swinehart, Basil Remley, Gabe Wand, Susan Schroeder, Jeanne Marquis, and Brian McMahan. Absent: Jeanne Wendricks, Gary Rath. Contributing Guest: Nancy Remley

- 1. Call to order. Gabe started the meeting promptly at 11:00.
- 2. Minutes from February meeting were moved approved by Susan and seconded by Brian with the change of a name from Bergum to Wedel. (Sorry, Bobs) Approved and attached.
- 3. Treasurer's report. Susan's report is attached. There was some discussion about the advantage of keeping as much as possible in the money market as the interest rate is good now. We received some money the USTA for promotion at the Midwest Horse Fair. Basil moved acceptance and Brian seconded. Approved.

4. Committee Reports

Annual Meeting – Gabe signed a contract with the Howard Johnson for the only open date Jan.11 and 12, 2008. The same 3 banquet rooms will available. The motel rooms are raised \$3. Iowa is the following weekend and Bob Yohn has already submitted the date to the USTA.

Fund Raising – Raffle Calendars were acclaimed as outstanding. 500 have been printed. We already have orders. Susan has forms to organize the selling. The ticket stubs are to be sent to her in pre stamped envelopes. The drawings will be on the Saturdays indicated at the Elkhorn barn where there will be witnesses. Winning stubs will go back into the pot for a chance to be drawn again. If we sell all 500 we will profit \$6000.

Logowear – Nancy has catalogues with too many choices. She will narrow the selections for us to decide while working at the Horse Fair. We agreed to use basic colors and to order hats with logo for appreciation gifts.

Insurance – There is strong consensus of opinion of this Board that drivers should be covered when they race at our meets. We feel that it is the responsibility of this organization to see that it is provided. According to Vicki Hill of our insurance provider, this costs \$175/ race day. Mineral Point

Fair has been approached to pay half. Connie (Viroqua) and Scott (Richland Center) have not been asked. Wautoma and Weyauwega usually cover fully. If we pay half of 12 co-sponsored events, it will cost \$2100. If we pay half of all 17 it would be \$1575 more than we pay now. Therefore, Susan made a motion that WHHA will pay half race day insurance for all race meets in Wisconsin with the race sponsors paying the other half. Rick seconded. Approved. Gabe will do the contacts and get written contracts from each venue. Claim forms will be kept in the Gate.

Other insurance information is that the organization pays \$506 for general coverage. This is required for the Horse Fair and protects the organization as a whole. The individual third party liability coverage specifics will be researched and clarified in the next newsletter. The anticipated cost is \$22 and begins May or June.

Legislative – No action to report.

Membership – Membership numbers are up 51 since the last meeting and appealing letters having been sent to Wisconsin USTA members. Total is 139 and estimated for budget to grow to 150. Drivers will be required to join as we are providing for insurance protection for them.

Newsletter/ Website – Condition Book will be mailed with the next newsletter. Information must be in Jessica's hands by April 15.

Promotions/ Publicity - Horse Fair April 19, 20, 21. We have been assigned Barn 9 middle aisle, and 8:00 AM demonstrations. Neither of these assignments is particularly good for exposure, as the barn is the farthest away and not many folks are in the arena early in the morning. Becky will be there at noon on Thursday to decorate and could use some help then. Anyone and everyone are encouraged to come and help throughout the weekend but she is not doing a formal sign up. The theme is Rock and Roll. Rick brought some old records, which will be used to incorporate our own records. Jess will get Race Schedule cards ready for passing out. The flag needs to be reinforced at the tail. We have not heard if it will be used for the opening. The horses representing us are Fanny's Mark, Dapple of My Eye, Miles Mirage, Javelina, and Jimmy Champion. Miles Mirage is a first timer.

<u>USTA Matching Grant</u> – Promoter Susan presented two ideas. Her ideas are: (1) more banners like the one shown at the annual meeting at \$200 each or (2) create an American Idol type contest between races at a couple of fairs?

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Wisconsin Harness Horse Association Membership Benefits

- ~ Quarterly Newsletter
- ~ Condition book for summer racing schedule
- ~ Free classified ads in newsletter for horses/equipment, etc.
 - ~ 10% off WHHA logowear
- ~ Inclusion on "Related Industry Links" web page for your stable or a business with a paid advertisment.
 - ~ Voting rights at the annual meeting
 - ~ Opportunities to hear speakers and learn more about our industry.
- ~ Chance to nominate a person, family or horse for the Wisconsin Harness Racing Hall of Fame.
- ~ Time to share the year's experiences at the annual meeting, awards banquet and auction.
 - ~ Representation with a unified voice. Power in numbers.
 - ~ Satisfaction of knowing you are helping to keep racing alive in Wisconsin.
 - ~ And it's just plain fun!!!



Join the WHHA!

Wisconsin Harness Horse Association

2007 Membership Form

Please fill out the following information completely

Name	
Address	
City, State, Zip Code	
USTA Membership # & Driving Colors	
E-mail address	
Active Membership - \$20.00 each	
I want a Condition Book - Free	
TOTAL ENCLOSED	

Make checks payable to WHHA. Return this page with your check to:

Jeanne Marquis 6651 Hyslop Road Dane, WI 53529

March Meeting Minutes cont'd

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The advantage is that we could get more people in from the midway to see local talent and fill the time between races. This idea needs some more details and she will speak to Mike Magee for more professional help. No conclusions were drawn.

<u>Elkhorn Youth Camp</u> – Elkhorn is waiting for info from the Oneida's Horse Education Grant officials

Racing – 2007 Responsibilities. A chart with indicating particular responsibilities for Monroe, Wautoma, Weyauwega and both Elkhorn meets is attached. The slots were filled as those usually involved continued to volunteer time and energy.

Race Dates – There is a possibility of getting the Elkhorn track and barns for the last Friday in June (the 29th) to try twilight racing. Susan promises hot dogs. A venue for another meet is being sought for the first weekend in August or July. Viroqua is desirable because of the good facilities or possibly Richland Center as a way to promote racing there. Gabe will approach the appropriate representatives. Susan moved that we co-sponsor 2 additional meets, Elkhorn Twilight and one other, pending dates. Basil seconded. Approved.

<u>Video Finish</u> – All WHHA sponsored and co-sponsored meets will have a video camera on the finish line to aid in calling races. The Presiding Judge will call the order of finish they see it. In any race that the placing is decided within one length, the judge is required to review the video before revealing the results to the Clerk of Course and the general public. Video Finish will be used to place each horse, not just the winner.

Policies and Procedures – WHHA Policies and Procedures regarding Breathalyzer testing, newly adopted Video Finish, Membership, and State Coggins testing requirements are delineated on the attached form. Rick moved and Becky seconded that the information included on the form with modifications to the original be adopted and promulgated. So moved. These Policies and Procedures will be published in the Newsletter and Website.

Starting Gate – The gate will need 2 new tires before the first meet. Mark Swinehart and Joe Barnes have been volunteered to get the gate from Viroqua to Elkhorn, change the oil, tires, and prepare for the summer. Myron Kauppi, Superintendent of Speed at Ironwood seeks a reduction in fees. After discussion of the risk of losing the contract, Gabe was given permission to use his discretion in determining the fee.

Hall of Fame – There was a discussion as to how to get our membership to make a special effort to bring forward horsemen and women important to our past. We will each make a special effort to stimulate some memories and encourage people to document and lobby for someone special in their early contacts with the sport. Some serious efforts at interviewing some of our historians could be made. A Hall of Fame Booklet can be created for easy access throughout the year.

- 5. 2007 Budget Approval Gabe presented alternative budgets. One with the additional meets and insurance coverage and one without either. Susan moved that we adopt the budget with the additions we made during this meeting. Brian seconded. Adapted. Attached.
- 6. New Business. None presented.
- 7. Future Meeting Date and Place. To be determined. Anticipated gatherings at the Horse Fair.
- 8.Adjourn. Brian moved we adjourn. Susan seconded. Meeting adjourned at 3:40.



Coming Up in the Next Issue...
2007 Racing Season Review
Award Nomination Information

Deadline for the Next Issue...
August 27, 2007

2007 Horses in Training

	Age	C.	Sex	Sire	Dam	Sire of Dam
Adams Stable, Ell Touch of Sorcerer Owned by: LaVern	3	WI B	G	Sorcerer Hanover	Touched	Armbro Charger
Alexander Stable,	Westfi	eld, W	[
Vapor Maker Sauce Two K	3	Br Br	G G	Vaporize Valley Victor	La Rosita Colors of The Wind	Primrose Lane Master Willie
Orphan Victor Owned by: Bruce &	3	В	G	Homer Hochstetler Valley Victor ie Hochstetler	La Buena	Primrose Lane
Stefani	2	В	F	Vaporize ie & Jay Hochstetler	La Rosita	Primrose Lane
Laser Guided Alemahona	3 · 3	B Br	G G	Sportsmaster Sportsmaster	Dress Code No Uglies	Western Hanover Incredible Finale
Both Owned by: Bri Ifeellikedancing Owned by: Bruce &	2	В	F	Cole Muffler	Dance Session	Laag
Who Am I Owned by: Bruce &	2	В	G	Art's Conquest Harness Horse	Never Again	Ideal Society
Bergum Stable, S BG's Siren Owned by: Robert I	hawand 7		G	Nuclear Siren	Creatif	B.G.'S Bunny
Bon Eire Stable, E	lkhorn	WT				
Snickelfritz Owned by: Becky S	4	Br	М	Sportsmaster	Bon Eire's Bonfire	Masquerade
Bon Eire's Boo Bon Eire's Sugar Bon Eire's Buck	3 4 2	B B B	F M G	Sportsmaster Precious Bunny Sportsmaster	Bon Eire's Camfire Paradise City Bon Eire's Camfire	Cam Fella No Nukes Cam Fella
Bon Eire's Rusty All Owned by: Bon	2 Eire Sta	B ble	G	Park Place	Paradise City	No Nukes
Carey Stable, Mar						
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Caygill Stable, Mi	neral P	oint, W	I			
Our Cathouse Mous Richess Margie Both Owned by: Da	e 4 2	B Br	G F	Armbro Mackintosh Richess Hanover	Alma Terror Margie The Clown	Holy Terror Bret Hanover
C&D Stable, Mine Fox Valley Largo	3	В	G	Richess Hanover	Susan My Love	Sportsmaster
Owned by: Scott & All Jacked Up Owned by: Scott Do	2	igias, Fi B	rancis C G	Nukes Himself	Claire's Lucky Girl	Casino Gambler
Joy of the Sport Owned by: Scott &	7	B Iolas Fi	G rancis (Sportsmaster	Tyler's Joy	Tyler B
Sometimes Scooter Owned by: Robert I	3	B	G	Matt's Scooter	Sometimes I Win	Bonnie and Clyde

2007 Horses in Training cont'd

	Age	C.	Sex	Sire	Dam	Sire of Dam
Clark Stable, Mine	eral Poi	nt, WI				
Lady Marmalade	3	В	F	International Chip	Foxy Vixen	Malabar Man
Owned by: Danny C Revolutionary Love		В	F	Art's Conquest	No Ordinary Love	Broadway Express
Owned by: Helene I					No Ordinary Love	broadway Express
No Ordinary Smile	3	В	F	Cole Muffler	No Ordinary Love	Broadway Express
Owned by: Steve Po	orter					
Davis Stable, Mars	shfield,	, WI				
Jada Dancer	4	В	М	Damien Seelster	Hope's Dancer	Bold Hope
Dancer's Shiann	5	В	М	Warrior For Peace	Hope's Dancer	Bold Hope
Ryan's Victory	10	В	G	Hastings Lobell	Vel's Victory	Noble Jade
All Owned by: Rick	Davis					
Epp Stable, Rice L	ake, W	'I				
Everlasting	4	В	G	Stand Forever	Forever For Now	Life Sign
Puddin Tame	3	В	F	Sportsmaster	Riata Hanover	Western Hanover
Happy Wishes	2	В	F	Park Place	Riata Hanover	Western Hanover
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Macromotion	3	В	G	Camotion	Abercrodebra	Abercrombie
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Sparky Pants	2	Blk	G	Sportsmaster	Can't Catch Castle	IRA
Ruby Lady	2	Br	F	Us and Them	Deadline	Nero
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Owned by: Russ Ga	ia & Rus	ss Snar	ınon			
Gary Magee Stable	-	_		D: T	F 1 C	
Suchamuch	2 4	В	G	Big Tom	Easter Stacy	Sportsmaster
Fox Valley Bunns	-	В	G	International Chip	Speedy Fanny	Florida Pro
Both <i>Owned by:</i> Ga Mighty Dog	i y Mage 3	e B	G	The Big Dog	Easter Stacy	Sportsmaster
Owned by: Del & Di	_	_		The big bog	Laster Stacy	Sportsmaster
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Dynamic Bubba	7	B	G	Anthony P	Freedoms Affair	American Freedom
Owned by: Robert (•	_	Ŭ			
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Owned by. Gary & L	JUJI a K	JUIDEI				

2007 Horses in Training cont'd

	Age	C.	Sex	Sire	Dam	Sire of Dam
Long Stable, Miner Rastus B Fastus Owned by: Kerry & D	3	В	G	Kentucky Spur	Bold Imagination	Bold Hope
Maggle Stable, Stu Master Chat T Beep Beep Im Comir Both Owned by: Jose	3 12	B B	/I H H	Sportsmaster Sportsmaster L	Bonnie's Baby ottsa Prizes	Hot Tomato Prize Sarnel
McCabe Stable, Elk Super Donut Kristy Kreme Both Owned by: Lore	4 5	B B	G M /e	Super Vintage Goop Hanover	Ms Donut Ms Donut	Brenks Donut Brenks Donut
Mohr Stable, Elkho Arts Son Tyler and Jake Both Owned by: Rob Mamtrix Owned by: Robert M	4 4 ert Mol	B B hr & A. Blk	F	Sportsmaster	Lady Fairway Town Sweetheart Sworn To Be Best	Jate Lobell Big Towner Cambest
Nelson Stable, Rick Great Getaway Notinamillionyears Fox Valley Evian All Owned by: Van N	6 4 4	Center, B B B	WI G M G	Yankee Glide Yankee Paco Richess Hanover	Kissimmee Won't She Tell Paris Rain	Prakas Mr Vic Bret Hanover
Noack Stable, Shar Storms A Brewin Owned by: Tom Noa	6	WI B	G	Village Jekyll	Brewski Hanover	Walton Hanover
Rick Magee Stable, BT Rocket Owned by: Kevin & H Off Da Heezy Owned by: Rick Mag	4 Rick Ma 3	B gee, Ja	G mes Di	Action Factor ns Sportsmaster	JT Martha Pushy Dame B	Hastings Lobell ig Towner
Schmeichel Stable Silver Lotto Owned by: Del & Dia	8	Gr	Μ	Laag	Magnificat	High Ideal
Schroeder Stable, Bon Eire's Spice Bon Eire's Squire Both Owned by: Sus Starry Night Star Owned by: Susan So	4 9 an Schi 6	B B roeder, B	Ġ	Van Gogh	Bon Eire's Camfire Paradise City Certainly Devine	Cam Fella No Nukes Of Course
Rasberry Butch Owned by: Susan So	11	В	G	Rompaway Butch	Rasberry Kate	Quick Work



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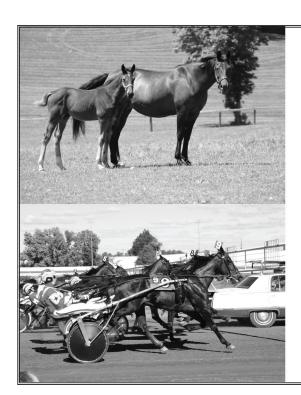
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	Age	C.	Sex	Sire	Dam	Sire of Dam		
Wand Stable, Shullsburg, WI								
Whoopla	4	В	Μ	Armbro Force	Joy To All	Bo Bo Arrow		
Owned by: Mary Sc	hmidtke	e & Jun	e Long					
Wand's Banjo	3	В	G	Tribeca	Miss Gypsy Witt	Gypsy Bret		
Owned by: Robert V	Nand							
Ima Dream Chaser	3	В	F	Smokey Legend	Clue	Keystone Fedora		
Owned by: Gabriel	& Rober	rt Wand	1					
Yohn Stable, Columbus, WI								
Badger One	2	Br	G	Park Place	Hasty Lady	Ideal Society		
Owned by: Phil Krog	gman &	Robert	Yohn					
Brenlin's Park 2	В	F		Park Place	Bugtown Aggie	Armbro Mackintosh		
Owned by: Bruce R	undle							
Praise and Glory	2	В	F	Broadway Express	Glorious Future	Falcons Future		
Owned by: Dr. Ken	& Jana	Rucker						



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To All Wind-Up Circuit Participants:

The Southwestern Wisconsin Wind-Up Circuit has just completed its annual planning for the 2007 racing season. We have a few exciting changes coming up this year. The point system will stay the same, and to be eligible for the Trotter and Pacer award, each horse must race at all three (3) of the Wind-Up Circuit events (Mineral Point, Richland Center & Viroqua.) This year we will recognize each winner in front of the grandstand in Virqoua, and the plaque will be presented at the WHHA Annual Meeting in January in front of all your friends and fellow horsemen.

We would also like to thank the WHHA for assisting the Wind-Up Circuit Fairs in obtaining on-track race day accident insurance for all the drivers. This is the first year all three of our fairs have been able to afford this important coverage for drivers. Since the WHHA is generous enough to pay ½ of these expenses at all three locations, we will require all drivers (not horse owners and trainers) to be members of the WHHA in order to drive at the three Wind-Up Circuit events. If the WHHA is willing to pay over \$400 to help insure the drivers of our fairs, we feel it is a small price to ask our drivers to support the WHHA by becoming members. This is our way of expressing our gratitude to the WHHA for all they do for us and racing in Wisconsin.

I hope everyone will take the opportunity to race with us this year as we always need to put on a good show for our fair boards. Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

See ya soon! Scott Gald

President, Southwestern Wisconsin Wind-Up Circuit

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Board Member Meeting Attendance

	Feb	April	May	July	Oct
Gabe	X	X	X	X	X
Rick	X	X		X	X
Susan	X	X	X	X	X
Jeanne M.	X	X	X	X	X
Becky	X	X	X	X	
Brian	X	X	X	X	X
Basil	X	X	X	X	X
Gary	NA	X			
Jeanne W.				X	

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I further state that I have read this Release carefully, that I understand its provisions, and voluntarily and willingly execute this Release.

DATE:	
	Signature of Participant & Date of Birth
DATE:	
	Signature of Witness & Date of Birth

Midwest Horse Fair Happenings

Midwest Horse Fair Thank You

The Midwest Horse Fair was held at the Alliant Energy Center in Madison, Wisc. April 20-22. Many horses and people took part in the demonstration (10 minute demonstrations both on Saturday and Sunday mornings) and preparing and maintaining the booth.

A big thank you goes out to:

Abby Bayer

Rick and Deb Davis

Rick Magee

Kathy and Gregg Nebgen

Kaylla O'Connell

Sadie Smith

Susan Schroeder

Maggie Steiner

Marilyn Therrian

Melissa Thornton & Gabe Wand

And of course the horses:

Dappleofmyeye

Fannie's Mark

Javelina

Jimmy Champion &

Miles Mirage

We think that Dapple hoofographed at least 200 of the new USTA activity books or *Hoof Beats* magazines during the weekend.

We would also like to thank Basil & Nancy Remley who donated their old time race bike that was used in the barn booth display.

Thanks again for everything and we look forward to seeing you next year!

Becky Swinehart



Rick Davis mans the Standardbred booth



Dappleofmyeye "hoof-o-graphs" a USTA activity book

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Wisconsin Harness Horse Association Financial Report January 1, 2007 - March 23, 2007

Total Cash On Hand	\$29,888.93
Money Market Fund Value	\$29,528.38
Checking Account Balance 3-23-07	\$360.55
Transfer to Money Market	\$5,500.00
Expenses Through 3-23-07	\$8,773.19
Income Through 3.23.07	\$11,785.55
Checking Account Balance 1-1-07	\$2,848.19

Administrative Annual Meeting Fund Raising Insurance Membership Newsletter/Website Promotions Racing \$0.00 Starting Gate Hall of Fame	Income \$79.50 \$2,910.00 \$5,993.55 \$0.00 \$2,360.00 \$330.00 \$112.50 \$0.00 \$0.00	Expenses \$321.92 \$3,703.33 \$2,215.52 \$0.00 \$38.47 \$593.95 \$300.00 \$0.00 \$1,560.00 \$40.00	Profit/Loss -\$242.42 -\$793.33 \$3,778.03 - \$2,321.53 -\$263.95 -\$187.50\$1,560.00 -\$40.00
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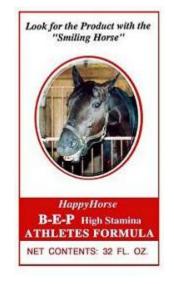
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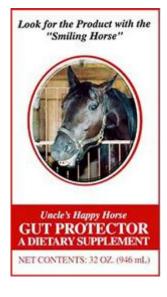
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