

Board Actions

MTHA Board Meeting – April 29, 2013 – Laurel Park

Members present: Richard J. Meyer, president, Dale Capuano, vice-president, W. Robert Bailes, Christine E. Bricker, Linda S. Gaudet, H. Neil Glasser, Arnold A. Heft, Richard J. Hoffberger, Michael F. Horning, Timothy L. Keefe and Katharine M. Voss.

Members absent: Howard M. Bender, Christopher W. Grove, R. Larry Johnson and Lawrence E. Murray.

Maryland-Bred Owner Bonus

The Board supported by a vote of 7 to 2 with 1 abstention the following motion:

“Pending agreement by the Maryland Jockey Club to carry forward all Purse Account overpayments from 2013 and 2014 into 2015 at currently scheduled purse levels, the MTHA Board agrees to fund 50% of the following Maryland-bred owner bonus program from the Maryland Thoroughbred Purse Account: A 25% bonus to be paid to the owners of registered Maryland-breds who finish 1st, 2nd or 3rd in all non-restricted maiden and allowance races and in all non-maiden claiming races where the horse is entered to be claimed for more than \$10,000 during the 2013 Timonium and Laurel Park fall meets.”

Voting in favor: Ms. Bricker, Mr. Capuano, Mrs. Gaudet, Mr. Glasser, Mr. Hoffberger Mr. Keefe, and Ms. Voss. Voting against: Mr. Heft, Mr. Horning. Abstaining: Mr. Bailes.

Maryland Million

The Board unanimously agreed to provide up to \$100,000 of assistance from the Thoroughbred Purse Account, on a matching basis, with the Maryland Horse Breeders Association and Maryland Jockey Club for the financial shortfall of the 2013 running of the Maryland Million.”