

Board Actions

MTHA Board Meeting – July 12, 2013 – Laurel Park

Members present: Dale Capuano, vice-president, 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: Richard J. Meyer, president, W. Robert Bailes, Howard M. Bender, Christopher W. Grove, Lawrence E. Murray and R. Larry Johnson.

Voiding of Claims

The Board unanimously authorized advocacy to the Maryland Racing Commission for the adoption of the New York rule on the voiding of claims which reads:

§ 4038.5. A (ii) a claim shall be void for any horse that dies during a race or is euthanized on the track following a race.

§ 4038.5. A (iii) a claim is voidable at the discretion of the new owner, for a period of one hour after the race is made official, for any horse that is vanned off the track after the race.

Laurel Park Fall Schedule

The Board unanimously accepted the Purse Committee's recommendation to approve the Purse and Stakes schedules for the Laurel Park 2013 Fall Meet as submitted by Maryland Jockey Club.