

VIOLATION OF ANIMAL WELFARE, UNSPORTSMANLIKE CONDUCT AND MEDICATION RULES

The following is a list of individuals disciplined for violation of AQHA animal welfare, unsportsmanlike conduct and/or medication rules. AQHA has established a penalty system in which the lengths of suspension or probation, as well as other penalties and fines, are determined by the severity of the offense, multiple offenses, or previous suspension history of the offender. This list shows the start date of the violator's suspension/probation and the AQHA rule that was violated. A complete list of suspensions can be found at www.aqha.com/suspensions.

FINE ONLY

PARTICIPATION SUSPENSION

NEW VIOLATIONS

PROBATIONS

Cochran, Andy, Pilot Point, TX, 12/11/2020 (2 year probation, \$3,000 fine) VIO 204.7 & VIO204.19 (excessive spurring and other treatment or conduct deemed by a show official to be inhumane or abusive)

Owen, Erica M, Peoria, AZ, 8/13/2021 (2 year probation, \$5,000 fine) VIO204.3 (tying a horse's head around in a stall or anywhere at an AQHA event)

HORSE PARTICIPATION SUSPENSIONS

MADYZ SPARKLE N ZAN, 7/27/17, for owner Fina Azbill's violation of AQHA rules (see below)
PASS DA PEPPER, 8/9/18, owned by Amy Jo Erhardt; 6 months suspension for testing positive for an anabolic steroid in a halter class and overage of an NSAID; reinstatement of horse's eligibility is subject to horse passing drug test after conclusion of 6 month suspension

SUSPENSIONS

**RAC311 violations are related to racing medication violations.*

Anderson, Chris, Fort Morgan, CO, 8/9/2019 (5 years suspension, \$10,000 fine) VIO105
(Competing on the wrong horse)

Arballo, Mark, Rocky Mount, NC, 09/26/14 (suspended indefinitely), VIO205 (legal proceeding involving inhumane treatment)

Azbill, Fina C, Wildersville, TN, 07/27/17 (suspended), failure to respond per VIO103 for violation of VIO104 (intentionally violating AQHA Rules), VIO105 (information provided AQHA or its officers shall be true and correct), VIO108.5 (entering any American Quarter Horse event or competition an AQHA registered horse by a name other than that by which the horse is registered) and VIO230 (inhibiting competition)

Baker, Matt, Reddick, FL, 03/05/16 (suspended), per VIO500.1 failure to pay \$5,000 fine for violation of VIO204.3 (tying a horse's head up, back, or around in a stall or anywhere at an AQHA show in a manner as to cause undue discomfort or distress)

Bannister, Becky, Jacksonville, AL, 03/20/14 (suspended indefinitely), VIO205 (legal proceeding involving inhumane treatment)

Bassett, John H, Dewey, AZ, 10/10/12, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (positive lab result)

Bennett, Jerry T, Scroggins, TX, 08/21/15, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (positive lab result)

Birkenfeld, Kylar, Happy, TX, 07/05/17 (suspended indefinitely), VIO205 (legal proceeding involving inhumane treatment)

Brandt, Patricia L, Collinsville, TX, 03/26/14 (suspended), per VIO500.1 (failure to pay \$350 fine) for violation of VIO405.1 (overage of phenylbutazone)

Brunzell, Sherri, Colorado Springs, CO, 09/23/14 (suspended indefinitely), VIO205 (legal proceeding involving inhumane treatment)

Castillo, Miguel, Albuquerque, NM, 05/21/14, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (positive lab result)

Chapa, Roman Eric, Poteet, TX, 04/23/15, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (possession of an electrical device)

Clark, Jason, Weatherford, TX, 05/15/18, (suspended), per VIO500.1 failure to pay \$1,000 fine for violation of VIO 204.17 (intentional or negligent treatment which results in any bleeding, open wound and/or raw area)

Colegrove, Tessa, Tucson, AZ 01/20/17 (suspended), per VIO500.1 failure to pay \$5,000 fine for violation of VIO204.3 (tying a horse's head up, back, or around in a stall or anywhere at an AQHA show in a manner as to cause undue discomfort or distress)

Daud, Madjid Haj, Israel, 11/5/2019, (1 year suspension) VIO658 & VIO700, reciprocity with Israel Quarter Horse Association (unsportsmanlike conduct)

Dickson, Kathleen Sue, Gallatin Gateway, MT, 06/26/14 (suspended indefinitely), VIO205 (legal proceeding involving inhumane treatment)

Dimitt, Robert Howard, Sallisaw, OK, 08/21/15 (suspended indefinitely), VIO205 (legal proceeding involving inhumane treatment)

Escareno, Antonio, Sunland Park, NM, 04/14/15, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (possession of an electrical device)

Garcia, Josue, Ardmore, OK, 04/01/14, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (positive lab result)

George, Donald & Bonnie, Irving, NY 05/05/16 (suspended indefinitely), VIO205 (legal proceeding involving inhumane treatment)

Gilmore, Mark, 5/20/19, (suspended, \$700 fine) VIO500.1 failure to pay \$700 fine for violation of VIO401.2, (blood or urine sample contained stimulant, depressant, tranquilizer, or sedative which could affect the performance of a horse)

Grajeda, Vicente, El Paso, TX, 05/21/14, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (crime violation)

Harmon, Rodney, Blanchard, OK, 04/01/14, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (positive lab result)

Hart, Christina J, Terrebonne, OR, 12/17/2019, (suspended indefinitely), VIO205 (legal proceeding involving inhumane treatment)

Hernandez, Hector J, Norwalk, CA, 04/01/14, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (positive lab result)

Hester, Justin, New Albany, IN, 12/07/2020, (suspended), failure to respond per VIO103 for violation of VIO204.3.1 (tying a horse in a stall without access to food or water for an extended period of time) and VIO204.19 (treatment or conduct deemed by a show official to be inhumane or abusive)

Hickerson, Jan L, Spokane, WA, 02/26/14 (suspended indefinitely), VIO205 (legal proceeding involving inhumane treatment)

Hinds, Jennifer, Cave Creek, AZ, 06/08/15 (suspended indefinitely), VIO205 (legal proceeding involving inhumane treatment)

Hoffman, Herman Jr, Conroe, TX, 08/20/15 (suspended indefinitely), VIO205 (legal proceeding involving inhumane treatment)

Jaquez, Abraham, Albuquerque, NM, 02/07/14, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (positive lab result)

Johnson, Joshua, Lunenburg, VT, 10/15/13 (suspended indefinitely), VIO205 (legal proceeding involving inhumane treatment)

Johnson, Kyle, Ringgold, GA, 9/1/2017, (suspended indefinitely), VIO658 & VIO700, Reciprocity with NRHA (unsportsmanlike conduct)

Johnson, Stephanie Nicole, LaPorte, MN 1/1/2020 (suspended indefinitely), VIO200 (inhume treatment)

Jones, James Edward, Coolidge, KS, 11/25/13, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (positive lab result)

Lammey, Sam, Yuma, CO, 03/20/14 (suspended indefinitely), VIO205 (legal proceeding involving inhumane treatment)

Loya, Alonzo, Cartwright, OK, 10/08/12, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (positive lab result)

Luis, Yoel, Miami Lakes, FL, 05/13/15, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (positive lab result)

Mabe, Steve, 1/24/2020 (suspended), per VIO500.1 for failure to pay \$700 fine for violation of VIO401.1 (overage of a stimulant, depressant, tranquilizer or sedative which could affect the performance of a horse)

McCall, Virginia Mary, Galloway, OH, 09/18/15, VIO658 & VIO700, Reciprocity with NRHA (unsportsmanlike conduct)

McWilliams, Daniel R., Muskogee, OK, 02/27/15, (suspended indefinitely), VIO205 (legal proceeding involving inhumane treatment)

Miller, Rachel, Comanche, TX, 06/19/14 (suspended), per VIO500.1 for failure to pay \$500 fine for violation of VIO402 (overage of a conditionally permitted therapeutic medication)

Mitchell, Sarah, Woodsfield, OH, 04/21/17, (suspended indefinitely), VIO205 (legal proceeding involving inhumane treatment)

Montijo, Ervey, Santa Fe, NM, 05/22/14, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (positive lab result)

Null, Jason, Splendora, TX, 09/04/15 (suspended) per VIO500.1 failure to pay \$500 fine for violation of VIO402 (overage of a conditionally permitted therapeutic medication)

Ochoa, Ramon, Laveen, AZ, 11/26/14, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (positive lab result)

Oder, Gabrielle E, Hamilton, OH, 05/26/15 (suspended), per VIO500.1 failure to pay \$350 fine for violation of VIO405.12 (overage of dexamethasone)

O'Donnell, Shari A, Carver, MA, 12/31/15 (suspended), per VIO500.1 failure to pay \$500 fine for violation of VIO402 (overage of a conditionally permitted medication)

Parkhill, Joey E, Deming, NM, 11/19/16 (suspended), per VIO500.1 for failure to pay \$700 fine for violation of VIO401.2 (overage of a stimulant, depressant, tranquilizer or sedative which could affect the performance of a horse)

Reed, Jeffery Heath, Seminole, OK, 10/08/12, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (positive lab result)

Robles, Heliodoro, Los Alamitos, CA, 03/30/15, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (inhumane treatment)

Rockwell, Virginia, Enterprise, WV, 08/14/13 (suspended indefinitely), VIO205 (legal proceeding involving inhumane treatment)

Roth, Shirley Ann, Ocala, FL, 09/19/12 (suspended indefinitely), VIO200 (inhumane treatment)

Sanchez, Alex, Sunland Park, NM, 12/28/12, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (positive lab result)

Sanchez, Alfredo, Chama, NM, 04/01/16, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (positive lab result)

Sanchez, Roberto, Anthony, TX, 12/28/12, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (positive lab result)

Sanchez, Ted, Whitewater, CO, 05/23/13, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (positive lab result)

Sedillo, Carlos, Albuquerque, NM, 10/19/12, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (positive lab result)

Shearer, Marshall E, Elkins, WV, 6/28/2021 (suspended), per VIO650 for failure to pay \$500 fine for violation of VIO401.1 (overage of a stimulant, depressant, tranquilizer or sedative which could affect the performance of a horse)

Silbaugh, Diane, Cuyahoga Falls, OH, 03/26/15 (suspended indefinitely), VIO205 (legal proceeding involving inhumane treatment)

Silbaugh, Thomas J, Cuyahoga Falls, OH 03/26/15 (suspended indefinitely), VIO205 (legal proceeding involving inhumane treatment)

Slabaugh, Eli, Caro, MI, 5/28/18 (suspended indefinitely), VIO200 & VIO650-651 (inhumane treatment)

Smith, Alvin Jr, Vinton, LA, 10/19/12, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (positive lab result)

Snyder, Linda, Woodsfield, OH, 04/21/17 (suspended indefinitely), VIO205 (legal proceeding involving inhumane treatment)

Soileau, John Darrel, Ville Platte, LA, 10/10/12, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (positive lab result)

Strahm, Leslie, Monroe, WA, 06/21/17, VIO205 (suspended indefinitely), VIO205 (legal proceeding involving inhumane treatment)

Stream, Linda, Terrebonne, OR, 12/17/2019, (suspended indefinitely), VIO205 (legal proceeding involving inhumane treatment)

Thomas, Reid, Boerne, TX, 7/20/22 (60 day probation, \$1,000) VIO404.2 (administration of more than one conditionally permitted therapeutic medications)

Tillilie, Carolyn, Mason, TN, 07/05/17 (suspended indefinitely), VIO205 (legal proceeding involving inhumane treatment)

Valenzuela, Raul, Anaheim, CA, 11/21/14, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (possession of an electrical device)

Vallejos, Tomas, Dexter, NM, 04/01/14, RAC311, reciprocity with racing jurisdiction (positive lab result)

Weisner, Jay and/or Cristina, Tecumseh, OK, 02/07/17 (suspended indefinitely), VIO205 (legal proceeding involving inhumane treatment)

Weston, Kyle, Prince George, British Columbia, 04/24/14 (suspended indefinitely), VIO205 (legal proceeding involving inhumane treatment)

VIOLATIONS OF OTHER AQHA RULES

The following is a list of individuals/entities disciplined for violations of AQHA rules other than animal welfare or unsportsmanlike rules (for example, suspension for failure to return a registration certificate, suspension for failure to file a stallion breeding report, or money owed.) This list only represents the additions from last month's publication. A complete list of such suspensions can be found at www.aqha.com/suspensions.

SUSPENSIONS

Boe, Shawn, Great Falls, MT
Dunn, Gavin, Bradford, TN
Fanfani, Federico, Livorno, Italy
Harsh, James, San Jacinto, CA
McNiel, Pecos, Bristow, OK
Owen, Erica, Peoria, AZ
Suderman, Gary, Hillsboro, KS
Turner, Alvin, Abilene, TX

RE-INSTATEMENTS

Aces N Eights Equine Station, Fruitland, NM
Claypool, Laneal, Saint Clairsville, OH
Conway, Kimberly, SW Ranches, FL
Flores, Esmeralda, Santa Ana, CA
Giandomenico, Lugaresi, Italy
Gilbert, Robert & Leanne, Canada
Griffith, Jeff, Pompeys Pillar, MT
Gutierrez, Paul R, Playas, NM
Pitcher, Michael K, Troutman, NC
Pless, Barbara A, Dunnellon, FL
Sorrentino, Emanuel, Italy
Szabo, Attila, Hungary
Tippen, Lee Jack & Babcock, Jim, Whitesboro, TX
Treharne, David A Jr, Rogers, OH
Warhorse Racing LLC, Shawnee, OK
Worsham, Ronnie, Salem, AR
Zickmund, Sandra Ann, Mountain Grove, MO