

HISA START FEE TO BEGIN AT MAHONING VALLEY RACE COURSE ON FEBRUARY 17

Austintown, OH (February 8th, 2025) – Pursuant to HISA Rule 8520, beginning February 17th, 2025, Mahoning Valley Race Course (MVRC) will be responsible for collecting and remitting a start fee to HISA for applicable Covered Persons in Covered Horseraces. For the month of February, the starting fee assessment shall be : \$154.83 to the owner(s), \$17.80 to the trainer and \$5.34 to the jockey.

These assessments will be charged to each starter and will change monthly based on HISA provided calculations. To cover these assessments within the purse structure for each race, MVRC will adjust the division of overnight purses beginning on February 17th, 2025.

Additionally, all trainers will be required to have an account with the horsemen’s bookkeeper. MVRC will also add to the conditions of each race a fee required to start that will reflect the amount payable to HISA. As a result, effective on February 17th, 2025, please consider the following language added to the conditions of each race:

“A fee in an amount determined by HISA pursuant to Rule 8520 will be required to start.”

A copy of the revised schedule for the division of purses shall be posted online and available in the racing and horsemen’s bookkeeper’s offices.

Mahoning Valley Division of Overnight Purses - Effective February 17th 2025												
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Starters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th
12	54.00%	16.00%	6.50%	3.50%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%
11	55.00%	17.00%	7.00%	3.50%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%	
10	56.00%	17.50%	8.00%	3.50%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%		
9	57.00%	18.50%	8.50%	3.50%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%			
8	58.00%	18.50%	9.00%	4.50%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%				
7	59.00%	19.50%	9.50%	4.50%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%					
6	60.00%	20.00%	10.00%	5.00%	2.50%	2.50%						
5	62.00%	20.00%	10.00%	5.00%	3.00%							