

September 8, 2023

SAFETY UPDATES

- The PET scan machine is located in the Equine Medical Center/Hagyard Diagnostic Center and is scheduled through your attending veterinarian with the Hagyard Surgery Department.
- A NOTICE OF TRACK CONDITIONS sign will be placed at the Churchill Downs Stable Gate every morning with updates regarding track maintenance and track surface preparation. A trainer text notification system is currently in development as well.

Paddock Schooling

- Paddock schooling will immediately follow training (10:00AM – 10:30AM) on the following days:
 - Monday, September 11 through Thursday, September 14
 - Monday, September 18 and Tuesday, September 19
 - Monday, September 25 and Tuesday, September 26

GENERAL UPDATES AND REMINDERS FOR OWNERS

- The First Turn will continue to be open for KHRC licensed horsemen and women during live racing. The apron in front of the First Turn will be open for the general public to view the paddock and track, while the second and third floor will be closed.
 - The bar closest to the temporary paddock inside the First Turn will be open, providing beverage and light snack options for purchase.
 - Betting machines will be available, though no live tellers will be in place.
 - If we should need to restrict access or close the First Turn, we will give you as much advance notice as possible. If it is closed, we will open the second floor for viewing and betting machines will be available.
- Coady Photography has moved and will be located next to the Turf Club elevator lobby.
- Entry to the track is limited to the Clubhouse Gate and the VIP Gate, with an option to scan KHRC license for entry at the gate just outside the temporary paddock.
- Parking and the temporary paddock will remain the same as the spring meet.
 - Horsemen should park in the yellow or turquoise lots, with the easiest access via the entry on Longfield Avenue. This is best for those wishing to enter only at the Paddock area or the frontside via the Clubhouse Gate.
 - The horsemen shuttle route map can be found at [this link](#), as well as at the end of this update, though from the frontside it is quickest to walk. The easiest path is to get to the ground level and follow signage for the first turn.
 - A helpful link to send to your owners and guests about parking and other things to expect during construction can be found at [this link](#).
- Sports betting will be available in the Aristides Lounge area in addition to usual simulcast offerings.
- Friendly reminder to check KTDF eligibility before making entries. You can check eligibility here: <https://www.kentuckybred.org/ktdf-registration/>
- A horsemen rate has been created at Derby City Gaming and Hotel, \$109 for Sunday-Thursday (subject to availability). Call 502-961-7636 to book.
- Calendar with post times can be found at [this link](#).
 - Dates to note:
 - September 23: Downs After Dark
 - September 30: Aftercare Day

Horsemen specific updates can be found at www.ChurchillDowns.com/horsemen/announcements, please feel free to refer your owners and employees to this page. There is also a [sign up for owners and other](#) horsemen to get emailed updates if they wish, that can be shared to facilitate communication.

