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NEWSLETTER

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Racing for Colorado is in somewhat of a pause with the delay of Arapahoe Park's race meet. However, I think we should be looking forward to a very exciting meet starting August 11th and ending October 2nd. Hopefully, the governor will open the track and grandstand for racing hungry fans.

It has been related to me that the purse fund for the upcoming meet is in a satisfactory position. Off track betting facilities are continuing to open, and with the Triple Crown races and other big races throughout the summer ongoing purse fund should continue to be in favorable position.

Please keep in mind that the CTBA stakes nominations will be mailed in the very near future. These stakes which will be offered as follows: 2 2yr old stakes, 2 3yr old stakes, and 2 stakes for older horses. These stakes will be offered at \$20,000 estimated, but we hope with a good meet these races will reach a \$25,000 value. All of our stakes will be run the last day of the meet which will be called Colorado Day to feature Colorado-breds and the Colorado Thoroughbred industry. This will be our unique chance to show fans it pays to be active in the Colorado Thoroughbred Program.

Usually we have our annual meeting in May at Arapahoe Park Race Track. However, this year we will be holding our annual meeting at the CTBA office at 10 a.m. June 12, 2021. We are still in the Historic City Hall. However our office is now on the 3rd floor, suite 303. All members are welcome and please feel free to bring any interested fans, ideas or suggestions you might have for the board.

We are making every effort possible to have a yearling sale at Arapahoe Park this coming race meet. Plans are not firm yet, but we hope to have a successful sale.

Please help our industry to be successful by having your horses ready for the Arapahoe Park meet in August.

F. H. "Hecky" Heckendorf



Reminders...

To All CTBA Members

**Annual Meeting, Saturday June 12th 10:00am.
Brighton Historic City Hall Building, Suite 303. All
members are welcome.**

**This will be your last correspondence if you have not
paid your 2021 Membership.**

**Please update the office with your e-mail address, you
can send it to ctba@cotba.com.**

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on our website. www.cotba.com**

**If you would like to donate to the CTBA, we will have
a page on our web-site with your name so that those
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you would like to be recognized.**

We Thank You in advance!