

Hartford Jai Alai

		Performances			Wagers		
Fiscal Year	Operation Dates	Total	Matinees	Evening/ Twilight	Attendance	Amount	Winnings
1976	Opened 05/20/76	43			228,828	\$11,828,615	\$0
1977	07/01/76 - 12/31/76 05/26/77 - 06/30/77	222			1,345,932	\$81,905,826	\$67,833,000
1978	07/01/77 - 12/31/77 05/05/78 - 06/30/78	244	40	204	1,119,187	\$74,909,044	\$61,264,000
1979	07/01/78 - 12/14/78 04/18/79 - 06/30/79	241	38	203	1,048,437	\$72,942,500	\$59,676,000
1980	07/01/79 - 11/26/79 04/02/80 - 06/30/80	224	37	187	845,099	\$66,250,611	\$54,209,000
1981(1&2)	07/01/80 - 11/28/80 04/03/81 - 06/29/81	227	42	185	757,659	\$64,345,696	\$52,655,000
1982	07/01/81 - 11/29/81 02/17/82 - 06/30/82	253	84	169	860,145	\$82,564,493	\$67,565,000
1983(3)	07/01/82 - 11/06/82 01/08/83 - 05/27/83	247	75	172	787,982	\$80,742,255	\$66,073,000
1984	07/01/83 - 10/09/83 01/14/84 - 06/30/84	223	64	159	741,478	\$80,161,353	\$65,487,000
1985	07/01/84 - 12/11/84 01/12/85 - 06/30/85	229	51	178	730,991	\$86,423,900	\$70,841,000
1986	07/01/85 - 12/14/85 01/09/86 - 06/29/86	223	48	175	669,632	\$86,063,505	\$70,459,000
1987	07/03/86 - 12/21/86 01/01/87 - 06/30/87	251	52	199	649,496	\$90,011,368	\$73,682,000
1988(4)	07/02/87 - 12/13/87 01/01/88 - 06/30/88	227	40	187	496,404	\$73,933,590	\$60,523,000
1989	07/01/88 - 12/11/88 01/01/89 - 06/30/89	273	50	223	333,838	\$53,751,707	\$44,001,000
1990	07/01/89 - 12/17/89 01/01/90 - 06/30/90	325	78	247	422,443	\$71,461,646	\$58,504,000
1991	07/01/90 - 12/16/90 01/01/91 - 06/30/91	314	72	242	389,212	\$64,395,222	\$53,164,000
1992	07/02/91 - 12/29/91 01/01/92 - 06/30/92	361	109	252	419,176	\$66,291,926	\$54,237,000
1993	07/02/92 - 12/31/92 01/01/93 - 06/30/93	362	109	253	332,124	\$48,453,942	\$38,705,000
1994	07/01/93 - 12/31/93 01/01/94 - 06/30/94	363	108	255	267,364	\$37,070,024	\$29,611,000
1995	07/01/94 - 12/31/94 01/01/95 - 06/30/95	327	107	220	210,882	\$29,420,711	\$23,502,000
1996(5)	07/01/95 - 09/05/95	59	22	37	32,200	\$4,130,458	\$3,299,000

Notes:

- (1) Hartford Jai Alai operated under WJA Realty until November 28, 1980. Berenson Pari-mutuel, Inc. began operations April 3, 1981.
- (2) Sunday wagering became effective on May 31, 1981.
- (3) A labor dispute involving employees of Berenson's Hartford Jai Alai and Hotel and Restaurant Union Local 217 resulted in a strike action, closing the fronton from May 28, 1983 to June 30, 1983. A total of 34 performances were lost due to this action.
- (4) Players went on strike April 14-15, 1988 and April 26 - June 15, 1988 resulting in the cancellation of 46 performances. On June 29, 1989 the Gaming Policy Board approved the addition of 51 performances to the 1989 schedule to make up for the performances missed because of the strike. The schedule of make-up performances was as follows: Saturday matinees - 21; and performances during the following periods when the facility would have been closed: September 6-30, 1989 - 26 performances; and December 14-17, 1989 - 4 performances.
- (5) Hartford Jai Alai closed September 5, 1995. An off-track betting branch continues to operate at that site. In addition, on November 1, 1995 the State Department of Social Services began distributing welfare benefits from that location.