

**James L. Gagliano**  
**President & COO**  
**The Jockey Club**



James L. Gagliano became president and chief operating officer of The Jockey Club, the breed registry for Thoroughbred horses in the United States, Canada, and Puerto Rico, on January 1, 2010.

He had served as executive vice president and chief administrative officer for The Jockey Club since June 2005.

Prior to joining The Jockey Club's management team, Gagliano served as executive vice president of Magna Entertainment Corporation's Maryland racing operations, where he was responsible for the day-to-day operations of the Maryland Jockey Club. He also served as president, MEC OTB, and group vice president, MEC Northern Group.

Before that, Gagliano served as executive vice president and general manager of Greenwood Racing Inc. and worked in various roles during a 10-year stint with the New Jersey Sports and Exposition Authority.

Since October 2010, he has served as vice chairman representing the Americas for the International Federation of Horseracing Authorities' Executive Council. In January 2013, he was elected to the American Horse Council (AHC) board of trustees for which he was elected vice chairman in June 2015 and chairman in 2018. He was named AHC board emeritus in 2023. In June 2016, he was named to the Humane Society of the United States National Horse Racing Advisory Council. In addition, he was elected to the board of directors of the Thoroughbred Aftercare Alliance in 2016 and of the National Thoroughbred Racing Association in 2018.

Gagliano is president of TJC Media Ventures and chairman of The Jockey Club Technology Services, TJC Holdings, InCompass Solutions, The Jockey Club Information Systems, and The Jockey Club Racing Services. He also sits on the boards of TrackMaster and BloodHorse.

Gagliano has a Bachelor of Arts in History from Providence College.