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Lohmeyer, Remmen reflect on Meadowlands' Opening Night

by Debbie Little



MEADOWLANDS MATTERS

with **DEBBIE LITTLE**

Storming the castle took on a new meaning on Sept. 1, 1976, as the newly-built palace in East Rutherford, NJ was under siege, but those attempting the assault were not there to plunder, but to wonder.

Opening night at The Meadowlands saw a more-than-capacity crowd descend upon what became the mecca of harness racing.

Hall of Famers Ed Lohmeyer and Ray Remmen were eyewitnesses to the goings-on a half-century ago, which, according to reports at the time, saw the parking lots full prior to the start of the racing.

"They had so many people, and they had no room to get in anymore I guess because of fire codes, so they closed all the gates so nobody else could get in," Lohmeyer said. "But the people were climbing the fence and jumping over to get in the grandstand."

Lohmeyer, 82, said the massive crowd was a hot topic in the paddock, especially because some horsemen almost didn't get there as a result.

"Oh, we were talking like crazy about it, because we couldn't believe it," Lohmeyer said. "One [horseman] came in [the paddock] and said, 'Wow, I just made it. I had to go around this circle here and over there just to get here and I had to park my car over there and walk in.' It was really an event."

Remmen, 79, said he remembers checking in early that night, anticipating things might get out of hand.

"Well, we were all inside the fence and everybody else was outside the fence, so we were in a pretty good spot," Remmen said with a laugh. "It was probably a little intimidating, but like I said, we were inside the fence. Those people on the outside, we really didn't know what was happening."



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The attendance tally for the night of 42,133 is believed to be somewhat low since the gatecrashers were not included. Both the attendance and handle of \$2,446,955 were records for the Garden State, which far surpassed those set at Freehold Raceway of 15,747 and \$1,105,326.

"When you were driving, the crowd was just amazing with how many people were in there, and the noise and everything, and it was very exciting," Lohmeyer said. "You knew it was going to really be a great place and they put together a great team. Sonny Werblin was so great to have in there, and Jack Krumpke... it was a good bunch of people, and of course they brought in Joe DeFrank for race secretary, and they hit a home run there."

"I was young and, you know, just starting to really take off in my career, so it was really nice. I still have the program actually."

DeFrank was also the race secretary at Ontario's Windsor Raceway, not far from Detroit, MI.

Remmen, a native of Saskatoon, SK, said he raced in Windsor in the wintertime and DeFrank had invited both him and fellow horseman Greg Wright to come out and race at The Meadowlands.

"I can tell you that everybody who was participating, all the horsemen on the backstretch, were all very, very excited and we'd never seen a place like this. Nobody'd ever been to a place like The Meadowlands. So, there was a lot of magic in the air, I'd say, that night for everybody."

— Ray Remmen



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"It was a big experience for a lot of country boys," Remmen said with a laugh. "Everything was so impressive. And if you were on the grandstand side, you could see New York City, and they kept advertising, 'Only so many minutes from Times Square.'"

"Everybody was from a different place and everybody was just glad to be here [in New Jersey]. All the horsemen, we all felt privileged just to be here to race."

Remmen was stabled at Hazel Park in Detroit, MI prior to shipping east to race in New Jersey.

"Well, we never planned on moving here, we just thought we'll come down for the meet and go home, but the meet went right on through to August; it was an 11-month meet, actually," said Remmen adding with a laugh. "I've been here 50 years."

Sept. 1, 1976 was not yesterday, but Remmen remembers everything from that night like it was.

"I can tell you that everybody who was participating, all the horsemen on the backstretch, were all very, very excited and we'd never seen a place like this," Remmen said. "Nobody'd ever been to a place like The Meadowlands. So, there was a lot of magic in the air, I'd say, that night for everybody."

Perhaps Remmen's rosy racing recollection is somewhat strengthened by his historic victory with Quick Baron in the first race officially contested at The Meadowlands.

"It was special, and then as time went on, it became more special," Remmen said. "We beat a horse called Napal Dew of Greg Wright's, who was way better than us when we left Detroit."

"But the track that night was a little loose and it was the first night, and it had quite a cushion on it, maybe a little deeper than it should be. Quick Baron, the horse I had, he had bad feet, so it really suited him."

"I remember, going up the backstretch, and I was a pretty conservative driver in my day, but I remember moving first-over against Napal Dew, and I thought, 'Well, I'm in a bad spot here,' because I've got a better horse on the inside of me, but as it ended up my horse went a big race and it was a great feeling."

In addition to a couple of second-place finishes, Lohmeyer also won one on that night's 10-race card.



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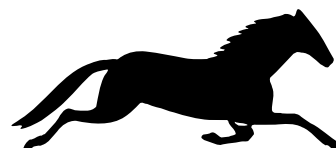


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G1 Hambletonian Winner
G1 Mohawk Million
G1 Peter Haughton Memorial
G3 Stanley Dancer Memorial Winner
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ALLEGIAN

2,1:52.2; 1:48f-'26 (\$1,997,933)

G1 Breeders Crown Winner
G1 Elitlopp
G1 Hugo Aberg's Memorial
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G1 Hambletonian Oaks (finished 3rd)
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2,1:52.4; 3,1:50.1-'26 (\$1,092,969)

G1 Hambletonian Oaks Winner
G2 Delvin Miller Memorial Winner
G2 Kentuckiana Stallion Management Winner
G1 Goldsmith Maid (finished 2nd)

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ENDURANCE

2,1:53.2f; 3,1:51.3f-'26 (\$883,842)

G1 Oak Grove Trot (finished 2nd)
G3 Stanley Dancer Memorial Winner
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2,1:53; 3,1:51.1f-'26 (\$408,270)

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G2 MGM Yonkers Trot Winner

G3 Stanley Dancer Memorial (finished 3rd)

G3 International Stallion (finished 3rd)

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MIKI AND MINNIE

p,2,1:49.2; 3,1:48.2; 4,1:48-'26 (\$2,330,009)

G1 Breeders Crown Winner (at 2 & 3)

G1 Three Diamonds Winner

G1 Fan Hanover Winner

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YO TILLIE

2,1:53.4f; 3,1:50.2 (\$1,400,719)

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"It was with Andy Lobell, he was the sweetest horse to drive," Lohmeyer said. "He won the preferred or the sub-invitational, it was a big race. It wasn't the top open pace that night, but it was the second down. What a nice horse he was to drive. Yeah, I remember that for sure."

The feature race, the \$50,000 Meadowlands Premier, was won by "the horse that God loved," 6-year-old Rambling Willie and owner/trainer/driver Bob Farrington in a career best at the time of 1:55.3 over Joe O'Brien's Nero.

"Not only was it great to race there, but for a horseman who grew up in the business, it was so great to see all these great horses come in and race," Lohmeyer said. "Sometimes [depending on where you raced] you wouldn't get to see them, but they all raced [at The Meadowlands]. Some of them raced every week, and they were really good horses, really good."

"So, you know, my wife [acclaimed veterinarian Patty Hogan] asks me all the time, 'What do you think's going to happen, am I going to have horses to work on?' I said, 'Patty, I've been, you know, almost my whole life in this business.' I helped my uncle at the mile track at Goshen when I was 12 years old, and I've seen so many tracks come and go, and I tell her, 'Don't worry, we're always going to have horses... You

never know when the next [track is] going to close, and all of a sudden somebody's going to build one over here.' And it's true. I told her, 'It's definitely going to downsize, but as far as horse racing goes, you'll never have to worry about that.'"

Just as Remmen won the first race at The Meadowlands, he also won the first Hambletonian contested at The Big M in 1981.

"It's a matter of being at the right place at the right time," Remmen said. "We'd never have had one in the Hambletonian if it had been out west, you know, so that was all just timing. And that's the same as the first race looking back at it. You think when it happens, 'Well, you'll get lots of chances again,' but we never had many chances after that, because we didn't have a Grand Circuit stable. We just had a racehorse stable."

"So, it was the right place at the right time, and it all happened at The Meadowlands. There's no place that'll ever be like The Meadowlands again."

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EUROPEAN REPORT

with THOMAS HEDLUND

Lazy Dust cruises in Danish Trotting Derby, Francesco Zet retired

by Thomas Hedlund

No one could seriously challenge Johan Untersteiner and **Lazy Dust** in Sunday's (Aug. 30) \$250,000 Danish Trotting Derby at Charlottenlund.

"He won with the ear plugs still in, and the race almost worked out a little too perfectly for us," Untersteiner told ATG Live afterward.

Lazy Dust (Brillantissime—Burning Rain) left quickly from behind the gate and Untersteiner put him on the front. Once there, he was allowed to dictate the pace exactly as he wanted.



Adam Ström stalltz

Francesco Zet (with trainer Daniel Reden after winning the 2022 Svenskt Travderby) has been retired after six racing seasons.



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"It was difficult to know how tiring the track would be, and I wanted to keep the pace slow – and that's exactly what happened," Untersteiner said. "When Magnus came up on the outside with Lucky Mom, I felt comfortable and realized there probably wasn't going to be much more movement."

Untersteiner began turning up the pressure down the final backstretch, and over the final half-mile the opposition had difficulty staying with the leader.

"The real racing started with about 700 meters to go, and at that point I felt he should be able to finish it off," Untersteiner said. "That's exactly what he did. I won with the earplugs still in, and that was a great feeling coming down the stretch."

Lee Marvin (Nuncio) followed from the pocket to finish second, while Ludvig Cash (Power) finished third after a strong final 800 meters.

IDAO DE TILLARD SETS STAKES RECORD AT LA CAPELLE

Idao de Tillard did it the hard way in Sunday's €120,000 Grand Prix Fédération Régionale du Nord at mile track La Capelle in France, racing first-over before wearing down the leader in the stretch.

For a while, it appeared Falco Killer Gar might steal the race on the front end. But Clément Duvaldestin waited until the stretch before seriously asking Idao de Tillard (Severino–America de Tillard) for his best. By midstretch, "Idao" had taken command.

He then held off Inexess Bleu, who had followed his cover for much of the race, by a neck.

"I could have taken the lead before Falco Killer Gar, but I wanted to take it a little easy and not go too fast early," Duvaldestin said. "Then the acceleration came suddenly and he got a little jump on us. But Idao de Tillard kept working his way closer and really dug in at the end. He was actually more motivated today than I thought he would be."

Idao de Tillard won in a stakes-record 1:52.2 mile rate for 1,800 meters, capturing the race for the second time.

He erased the previous record of 1:53.2, established by Horsy Dream in 2023. When Idao de Tillard won the race for the first time in 2024, he needed only a 1:56.2 mile rate.

"Throughout his career, he's had a tendency to wait for the other horses," Duvaldestin said. "That's just natural for him."

Inexess Bleu (Vittel de Brévol) was credited with the same time in second. Jingle du Pont (Niky) finished third after following Falco Killer Gar (Varenne) in the pocket, with the early leader settling for fourth.

Idao de Tillard could make his next appearance at Avenches in Switzerland, with another possible start later at Mons in Belgium.

"There are plenty of races available for Idao de Tillard, but it's also about keeping him in good form," Duvaldestin said. "We're trying to race him regularly without asking too much of him."

FRANCESCO ZET RETIRED AFTER INJURY

After 50 starts and 33 victories, the career of one of Sweden's greatest trotters is over. Francesco Zet has been retired.

The Daniel Redén-trained champion suffered an injury in his final start, the Åby Stora Pris, and the damage was serious enough to bring his brilliant six-season racing career to an end.

"It's difficult news for all of us who have had the privilege of living close to him, working with him, and following him through a journey unlike any other," Redén wrote.

There was no doubt about Francesco Zet's standing within Redén's powerful stable.

"Francesco Zet isn't simply one of the many fantastic horses who have passed through Stall Zet," Redén wrote. "He's the greatest horse we've ever had."

Francesco Zet finished second in the short-distance E3 final late in the summer of 2021 before announcing himself as a superstar one month later with a victory in the Swedish Trotting Kriterium.

His 4-year-old campaign was flawless: nine starts, nine victories, and SEK 9 million in earnings. The highlight was his

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victory in the Swedish Trotting Derby, but he also completed a feat not accomplished in 34 years by sweeping the three major Swedish classics for 4-year-old males – the Konung Gustaf V:s Pokal, Sprintermästaren, and Swedish Trotting Derby.

His 5-year-old season consisted of only four starts, but included million-kronor victories in the Norrbottens Stora Pris and Margareta Wallenius-Klebergs Pokal before he established himself among Europe's older elite at 6.

Among the many highlights were two world records: a 1:51.3 mile rate for 2,140 meters in the 2024 Sundsvall Open Trot and 1:54.2 for 2,640 meters in last year's Swedish Championship.

On 13 occasions, Francesco Zet earned a seven-figure prize in Swedish kronor.

FRANCESCO ZET'S MAJOR VICTORIES:

- 2021: \$800,000 Swedish Trotting Kriterium; \$320,000 Breeders Crown, 3-year-old colts and geldings.
- 2022: \$200,000 Konung Gustaf V:s Pokal; \$120,000 Prix Ready Express; \$240,000 Sprintermästaren; \$800,000 Swedish Trotting Derby; \$320,000 Breeders Crown, 4-year-old colts and geldings.
- 2023: \$60,000 Berth Johanssons Memorial; \$200,000 Norrbottens Stora Pris; \$20,000 Victory Tillys Lopp; \$200,000 Margareta Wallenius-Klebergs Pokal.
- 2024: \$20,000 Bergslagsloppet; \$200,000 Norrbottens Stora Pris; \$200,000 Sundsvall Open Trot. He also finished second in the \$1.1 million Åby World Grand Prix.
- 2025: \$200,000 Sundsvall Open Trot; \$20,000 Nuncios Lopp; \$20,000 Ådalspriset; \$30,000 Gävle Stora Pris; \$100,000 Swedish Championship; \$50,000 Gert Lindbergs Lopp.
- 2026: \$300,000 Paralympiatravet.

THANK YOU, FRANCESCO ZET, FOR EVERYTHING

This column was published Tuesday (Sept. 1) on Sulkysport.se:

Everything eventually comes to an end, even a magnificent career on the racetrack.

Now it's Francesco Zet's turn to say goodbye to the equipment, the saddlecloths, the post parades, and – the place he knew better than almost anyone – the winner's circle.

That's where Francesco Zet seemed happiest. Standing in the spotlight, showing everyone that he had been the best.

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I certainly had no idea what was coming. But when Daniel Redén told me about that 3-year-old – perhaps he was still 2 at the



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time – who stood out from the rest, I understood that there was probably something special developing.

The first time I saw him live was at Gävle in the short E3 final in August 2021.

That's when a few doubts started creeping into my mind.

That habit of hitting the brakes around the final turn and giving his rivals an advantage – surely that wasn't the behavior of a horse destined for the stars?

Those doubts disappeared later that fall when Francesco Zet won the Swedish Trotting Kriterium at Solvalla.

Maybe he hesitated just a little that day, too, but Örjan Kihlström had learned his quirks and knew what was coming. Francesco Zet swept around his rivals with almost insulting ease, racing wide around the final turn.

Had we ever seen anything quite like that in a Kriterium?

A horse effectively putting the race away three-wide with 300 meters remaining?

There was a genuine wow factor about everything we witnessed at Solvalla that day.

The rest, of course, is history.

His 4-year-old season is almost impossible to describe. Francesco Zet accomplished something no horse had done in 34 years, sweeping Sweden's three great classics for 4-year-old males: the Konung Gustaf V:s Pokal, Sprintermästaren, and Swedish Trotting Derby.

Then he added the Breeders Crown for good measure. That race, of course, didn't exist in 1988 when Gaston Pride dominated his generation.

For many, Francesco Zet's defining performance will probably be his destruction of the field at Bergsåker in 2024, when he raced outside Borups Victory and simply crushed his rivals.

And yes, what he did that day was extraordinary.

But personally, I don't think anything will ever give me quite the same feeling as his Derby victory.

Something happened inside me that day. Something almost unreal.

He deserved that Derby more than words can say. He was the unquestioned king of his generation, and when he finally put away Lulus Boko at the top of the stretch, all the emotions came pouring out.

There were the warm-up breaks that sent backside reporters racing wildly from one side of the track to the other at racetracks all over Sweden – only to receive the same answer every time: That's just what Francesco Zet does.

There were the breathtaking performances.

The expectations.

The way he loved the camera and the spotlight.

There was Kihlström's memorable response to an ATG Live reporter after the loss in Frances Bulwarks Race last fall.

There was his incredible rally after sitting last in this year's Prix d'Amérique.

There was the sight of him becoming the best again on Swedish soil at Åby in May.

And, before his racing career came to its premature end, there was even time for his trainer Daniel Redén to drive him in a race himself.

Now it's over.

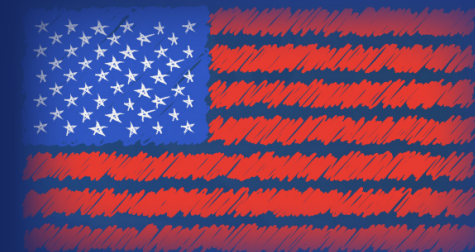
Thank you, Francesco Zet, for everything!

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ALL OVER ONTARIO

with MATTHEW LOMON

No anger between Laver and Webster about doing what's best for Tirade Seelster

by Matthew Lomon

When Darryl Laver took his seat at Progressive Auto Sales Arena last year, he expected a spirited performance from the Sarnia Sting and maybe a point or two from leading scorers Easton Walos and Beckham Edwards.

What the longtime horseman didn't anticipate, however, was a business proposition from an old racetrack acquaintance, Allister Webster.

"I hadn't seen Al for about 12 years," Laver said. "I never trained for him, but he had a few people training for him before he left the industry when the slots went out.

"All these years later, he came up to me at the game and wondered if I wanted a horse. I said, 'Well, yeah. What do you have?' 'I don't have one,' he said, 'but I'm going to get one.'"

Webster's plan, as Laver recounted, was to purchase a trotting filly at the 2025 London Classic Yearling Sale, preferably from Muscle Mass.

About one week after their initial encounter, Webster presented Laver with a list of approximately 10 yearlings that caught his eye.

Webster then set course for the J-AAR Expo Centre at Western Fair District, eager to scout them in person on viewing day, which also happened to fall on Canadian Thanksgiving.

A cornucopia of reconsiderations followed.

"He was down there quick to look at a bunch of them and he was down to about five but then he changed his mind," Laver said with a laugh. "He didn't go to the sale the first day because he was going to buy a racehorse instead.

"Meanwhile, another one of my ownership groups bought a cheap one that day for \$5,000 [Sister Rosetta]. Then, Al calls me that night and says, 'I see you bought one. I'm going to go down tomorrow.'"

Webster's list of five was now two.

"Everybody wants to chase the big headlines, but it's not always what's best for the horse."

— Darryl Laver

"They weren't any of the ones that he picked in the first place," Laver said with another laugh. "They were back-to-back in the sale: two trotting fillies, Hip #185 and 186. The first one was 185, Green Silverado. She is four-for-four for [trainer] Matt Trelford.

"The next horse, 186, was Tirade Seelster."

Laver, who was not in attendance on day two, reached out to Webster with one simple message: "Well, are you a horse owner?"

Webster answered, "Yep," and off the pair went to pick up their new trotting filly, Tirade Seelster.

"The first thing I said was, 'This is a big horse,'" Laver said. "She's a February foal, so it was early, but she was big. She also has a strut to her when she walks – it's like, 'Look at me.'"

The bay daughter of Looklikeachpndale—Tymal Timeout had the class to back up her confidence.

"She broke really easy," Laver said. "She was handled well coming from Seelster Farms – they get lots of handling there. She did everything; she was a natural right from the start."

While there were initial concerns that Tirade Seelster's size may hinder her development, they were quickly laid to rest.

Though, her path forward was not adversity-free.

"It was mid-March [2026] and she was training nice, and then all of a sudden she developed a little nod to her," Laver said. "She would make the odd break coming out of a turn, so we took her to a vet.

"He thought it was in her left front foot, so we X-rayed the foot. Nope. We X-rayed the knee, and she had a little wee line. It took a lot of X-rays to find it, but when we did, the vet said it was going to require four-to-six weeks of stall rest."

Aware that their rookie racer was a "busy body in her stall," Laver and Webster opted for a more appropriate rehabilitation strategy.

"The very next day, we took her to First Line Training Centre and got Courtney Robson and Boyd Wilson to swim her for us," Laver said. "She swam for six weeks until the end of April. Then I brought her home and she was ready to go."

“I hope we can get [to the OSS Grassroots at 3 with Tirade Seelster]. I think she’s a really nice horse. I’ve always said she’s a really nice horse – she’s smart, she doesn’t pull, she just goes off the gate and does her thing.”

– Darryl Laver

Qualified by June and ready to compete by July, Tirade Seelster showed flashes to begin her career, but was still figuring out where she belonged.

For that answer, Webster turned to Laver.

“Al said, ‘What would you do if you owned her?’ I told him I’d go to the Prospect,” Laver said. “We raced her in the Grassroots and they went in [1]:55 and I said, ‘Let her race in the Prospect. They go for \$10,000, so you get five grand if you win, and she’s going to be all right in there.”

Laver’s intuition proved spot on, as Tirade Seelster, making her Prospect Series debut with Tyler Borth in the race bike, rolled to a confident three-length victory on July 18 at Hanover Raceway.

“He [Borth] never even asked her,” Laver said.

The emerging trotter returned to the Prospect ranks on Aug. 1, delivering a runner-up finish at Hiawatha Horse Park – a mere three kilometers from Progressive Auto Sales Arena, where the unexpected Webster-Laver partnership began.

Any sentimentality was quickly one-upped by a brilliant outing on Aug. 15, this time at Georgian Downs, that saw Tirade Seelster secure her second Prospect score by 1½ lengths.

With Borth unavailable that night, Scott Coulter held the reins. His instructions from Laver were simple.

“Scott asked me what he needed to know, and I told him just to put her on the gate because she’ll push it,” Laver said. “She left the gate from the 7-hole, crossed right over to the front, and he never even asked her.

“In the winner’s circle, Scott said, ‘All I did was whistle to her at the top of the stretch. There’s no BS about it. She just goes.”

While Coulter wasn’t able to pilot Tirade Seelster in her next Prospect event on Aug. 23 at Clinton Raceway, the lifetime winner of more than 6,100 races had high praise for the ascending filly.

“He said to me, ‘Anybody can drive her,” Laver said. “She’s a sports car.”

Coulter’s compliment proved spot on, as Tirade Seelster, with Lorne House in the sulky, secured a second straight

gate-to-wire tally, elevating her Prospect Series scorecard to 3-1-0 from four starts.

“Lorne and I were walking after the race and he said, ‘That was just a training mile for her,” Laver said.

Encouraged by what he’s seen from the \$27,000 purchase, Laver understands how Tirade Seelster’s recent success could spark talk about a potential promotion to the Grassroots.

However, the veteran conditioner has no intentions of rushing his prized pupil’s development.

“Al’s mentioned going back to the Grassroots, and my response to him has been that it’s nice to go there but she’ll be a way better horse next year if we don’t run her into the ground this year,” Laver said.

“It’s nice to compete in those races and be in the big spotlight at Mohawk, but if you don’t do well, then you might as well go for \$10,000 somewhere else.”

Staying in the moment, while carefully managing Tirade Seelster’s short- and long-term futures, has been a point of emphasis for Laver with four Prospect Series legs remaining, including the \$25,000 final on Oct. 6 at the Raceway at Western Fair.

If all goes well over the next five weeks, perhaps a return to the Grassroots will be in order for a 3-year-old Tirade Seelster.

Laver, like Webster, is certainly open to the idea.

“I hope we can get there,” he said. “I think she’s a really nice horse. I’ve always said she’s a really nice horse – she’s smart, she doesn’t pull, she just goes off the gate and does her thing.”

As long, he added, as it’s in the best interests of Tirade Seelster.

“Everybody wants to chase the big headlines, but it’s not always what’s best for the horse,” Laver said.

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ADVENTURES IN ILLINOIS

with NEIL MILBERT

Hawthorne sale is now closed

by Neil Milbert

The latest episode in the sad story of the death of once-vibrant Chicago area racing took place on Wednesday (Sept. 2) when Allimac 23 LTD closed on its \$90 million acquisition of Hawthorne Race Course, a 119-acre property that was owned by the Carey family since 1909.

With some interruptions, Hawthorne's Suburban Downs had been conducting harness racing since 1970.

But this year, the 14 harness programs scheduled for January and February were canceled because of Hawthorne's dire financial situation and, now that it has been sold, the harness meeting that was to begin in early November and continue through December will not be held.

This means there will be no harness racing in Illinois this year for the first time since 1945, a year before Maywood Park in west suburban Chicago inaugurated pari-mutuel betting on the sport.

Extended thoroughbred meetings at Hawthorne date back to the early 1920s. The 2026 thoroughbred meeting began in April, three weeks later than scheduled, and ended on July 19, almost four months earlier than scheduled.

The last three thoroughbreds who'd remained in training at the track were vanned off the backstretch on the morning of Aug. 31 in accordance with an order issued earlier by Judge Timothy Barnes of the U.S. Bankruptcy Court of Northern Illinois.

Working with local charities and other organizations, the Illinois Thoroughbred Horsemen's Association (ITHA) relocated the resident stable area workers and their children after Judge Barnes authorized the sale to Allimac 23 in July. Allimac 23 is a Delaware shell corporation that reportedly is representing the data center giant Digital Realty of Austin, TX.

Although Hawthorne president Tim Carey had assured Judge Barnes that he'd received overtures from entities that wanted to perpetuate racing and activate the dormant casino license that the track had been awarded by the Illinois Gaming Board in 2020, Allimac 23 was the only bidder.

At the Sept. 2 closing, Judge Barnes directed the principals involved in the sale to return to his courtroom on Sept. 23

when a hearing will be held on a motion by U.S. Trustee Adam Brief to either dismiss Hawthorne's Feb. 27 filing for Chapter 11 bankruptcy protection or change it to a much more stringent Chapter 7 reorganization.

Brief cited "gross mismanagement" and "human cost" in arguing that Hawthorne's debtor-in-possession is no longer viable, meaning Carey would no longer have control of either the sale proceeds or the remaining assets that might be liquidated to pay creditors.

The sale price falls far short of the amount needed to pay all of the creditors.

The number of creditors is reportedly in the neighborhood of 250 and estimates of the amount owed range from \$150 million to \$500 million.

According to the U.S. Trustee, "The record is clear that the debtors' gross mismanagement resulted in harm to the horsemen and to contractual counterparts, both of whom the debtors relied on for their operations and revenue. Rather than protecting these necessary relationships, the debtors squandered them [and] have attempted to lay the blame for the chaos they created at the doors of others."

The executive director of the Illinois Harness Horsemen's Association (IHHA), Tony Somone, said the Sept. 23 decision "will be a critical one" because, even though the track is out of business, it still controls a remaining asset, its 11 off-track betting parlors that take wagers on races at downstate Fairmount Park, the thoroughbred track in downstate Collinsville, and other tracks in North America.

"There is still active income and expenses flowing through them and the court will need to decide if Hawthorne can continue to control them," Somone said in a post on the IHHA web-site.

The Illinois Racing Board also may weigh-in on the situation when it conducts hearings and allocates 2027 dates on Sept. 19.

In addition to Fairmount Park, which conducts both thoroughbred racing and casino gambling across the Mississippi River from St. Louis, Hawthorne is asking for both thoroughbred and harness dates, even though the track in the Chicago south suburb of Stickney officially went out of business on Wednesday.

Members of both the harness and thoroughbred communities are baffled by the Hawthorne request and Carey's only explanation is that "it's part of our continuing commitment to Illinois racing."

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Andersen hopes stable keeps rolling

by Ken Weingartner / USTA media relations manager

Nicklas Andersen spent more than a half-dozen years working for several of the most recognized names in harness racing before starting his own training stable. Now, the 30-year-old native of Denmark is hoping to make his own name in the sport.

Andersen's stable, based in central New Jersey, is off to a strong start in its first season of racing and the conditioner is looking

forward to a significant weekend as three of his horses will be in stakes action at The Meadowlands and Pocono Downs at Mohegan Pennsylvania.

Tonight (Sept. 4) at The Big M, Andersen will send out Walnora in the third of three \$25,000 eliminations of the New Jersey Classic for 2-year-old female trotters. On Monday (Sept. 7) at Pocono, he will have Ops Mearas S in the \$50,000 Pennsylvania Sire Stakes consolation for 2-year-old female trotters and Black Tesla in the \$50,000 PASS consolation for 2-year-old male trotters.

Those three freshmen have provided Andersen with five of his six wins this year, with Ops Mearas S leading the way with three. Overall, Andersen's stable has posted 14 top-three finishes in 22 starts.

"The 2-year-olds have been doing very good," Andersen said. "It's been a good start to things, but you've got to keep rolling. You have to carry through all the way to the end of the year."



Courtesy of Nicklas Andersen
Nicklas Andersen and Black Tesla.

Ops Mearas S, a daughter of International Moni—Lily Kronos IT bred and owned by Snogarps Gard Inc., gave Andersen his first win in July at Harrah's Philadelphia.

"I came over here almost eight years ago, and I worked for Åke Svanstedt, Nancy Takter, and Lucas Wallin, but I always had it in my head that I was going to do this on my own one day," Andersen said. "[Last fall], I felt like I'd seen enough and that it was time to try it on my own. To get that first win with Ops Mearas, a 2-year-old you have shaped from the beginning, it can't get more special than that. It's very rewarding."

Ops Mearas S is the 5-2 morning-line favorite in her PASS consolation on Labor Day. She has hit the board in all five of her races, with a second and a third to go with her three victories. Two of her wins came in the Pennsylvania Stallion Series, including a career-best 1:55 score in early August at Philly. Most recently, on Aug. 27, she finished second behind The Captain's Wife in a Pennsylvania Sire Stakes division at Hollywood Casino at The Meadows. She will leave from post 2 on Monday, with Andrew McCarthy in the sulky.

"She can leave pretty good, but her best attribute is that she has a big engine," Andersen said. "She likes rolling at a high tempo. She's not a horse that you want to try to be cute with and go too slow to the half and sprint home; that's not good for her. She can go at a high tempo for a long time. She's going to be a good horse, I think. She's not fully developed yet, and I think she's going to be a lot better next year, and even at the end of this year too."

Ops Mearas S is staked to many of the sport's top remaining races for 2-year-old filly trotters, including the Grade 1 Jim Doherty Memorial and Grade 1 Breeders Crown, the Grade 2 Kentuckiana Stallion Management, and the Grade 3 Bluegrass, Grade 3 International Stallion, and Grade 3 Matron stakes.

"If she does good on Monday, I think we're going to give her a chance in the Jim Doherty," Andersen said, referring to the Sept. 18 event at Harrah's Hoosier Park. "She's going to be better on a bigger track. She struggles a little in the turns, and she takes a little while to get her speed up, but she can carry it. I think it's going to be a big plus for her to go on a bigger track."

Black Tesla, a son of Greenshoe—Fashion Spooner co-bred by owner Wayne Stoltzfus, has a win and a second-place finish in four races this season. He will leave from post 7, with driver Ridge Warren, in his PASS consolation. He is 4-1 on the morning line.

"Tesla' is going to be a little handicapped with that post because he can't leave that much; he's a little slow off the car," Andersen said about the colt, who also is eligible to top stakes later this season. "But he's very, very strong. He can do a lot of work. He keeps going all the way to the wire."

In tonight's New Jersey Classic elims at The Meadowlands, Walnora will leave from post 2 with Tim Tetrick in the sulky. The

daughter of Walner, out of 2020 Hambletonian Oaks winner Sorella, was purchased for \$70,000 at last fall's Lexington Selected Yearling Sale and is owned by M3 Racing Stable and Matt Franklin.

Slowed by minor issues in the spring and early summer, Walnora has posted a win and a third-place finish in two starts this year. She is 10-1 on the morning line for tonight's race, which features undefeated 6-5 favorite Wall Of Fame from the stable of Julie Miller.

"She was really talented the whole time, but was struggling a little keeping up physically," Andersen said about Walnora. "There is no harm in getting a late start with these 2-year-olds. She still has to get a little stronger, but she's super quick and has good technique. She hasn't raced in 15 days, so she's going to go forward with the race."

Racing begins at 6:20 p.m. (EDT) tonight at The Meadowlands and the card includes the return of Apex for his first start since winning the Hambletonian Stakes on Aug. 8. For free TrackMaster past performances for The Big M, [click here](#).

Racing begins at 1 p.m. (EDT) Monday at Pocono Downs. The track also hosts \$300,000 [PASS Championships](#) for the freshman trotters and pacers. For free past performances, visit the [Pennsylvania Harness Horsemen's Association website](#).

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\$2.8M in PA Sire Stakes finales this weekend

by Pennsylvania Harness Horsemen's Association

Harrah's Philadelphia and Pocono Downs at Mohegan Pennsylvania, the two harness racing tracks in eastern Pennsylvania, will be hosting back-to-back \$1.4M cards this Labor Day Weekend, with Philly (Sunday, 12:40) providing the stage for the Pennsylvania Sire Stakes championships for 3-year-olds and their respective consolation races, while on Monday at 1 p.m., Pocono will be offering the same bounty for Pennsylvania Sire Stakes championships for 2-year-olds (again, plus consolations).

The four championship races at each track will go for a purse of \$300,000, with the consolation races offering a \$50,000 bounty. The horses earned their way into their respective spots by accumulating points with high finishes in four preliminary legs. The competitiveness of this year's crop is reflected in the fact that no horse — freshman/sophomore, male/female, trot/pace — could post a victory in each of the four prelim rounds.

Here is a brief look at each of the eight 2026 Pennsylvania Sire Stakes championship races, starting with the 3-year-olds at Philly on Sunday, and also going chronologically within the cards.

3-YEAR-OLDS (SUNDAY AT HARRAH'S PHILADELPHIA)

Filly Trot (race 10): The preliminary points leader has post 8 (Frattina Diablo S), and the 2025 champion has post 7 (Ginger Tree Lex). Carve has the highest 2026 earnings in the field, was just a neck behind winner Nezuko Kamado S in the Hambletonian Oaks, won her last Sire Stakes start, and has

the fastest mark in the field of 1:51.1. Carve has the rail and she's likely to attract the most attention for trainer Noel Daley and driver Andrew McCarthy.

Filly Pace (race 11): Miss Jum Jabber (post 3, trainer Brett Pelling, driver Andrew McCarthy) did not race at 2 but has made up for lost time at age 3, winning 10 of 12 starts including three PASS prelims. In one of those Stakes victories she photoed out 2025 Dan Patch Award winner Loua Dipa, who will be starting just outside her here. Sangria Summer, starting next door to the right of Loua Dipa, has won four straight races, including Pocono's Lynch, and Say Goodnight, from post 6 in the center-of-the-gate foursome, is the defending Stakes champion. Should be a most competitive race.

Colt Trot (race 12): Minoan was the only horse in his group to win two Sire Stakes prelims, which helped him become the leading point winner. He was also third in the Hambletonian final. Another Noel Daley-Andrew McCarthy combination, Minoan does have the major challenge of beating the outside post 8, and five of his opponents won at least once in the Sire Stakes preliminaries. He'll certainly be far, far less than the 103-1 he was in the Hambletonian, but how will he handle the tricky post draw?

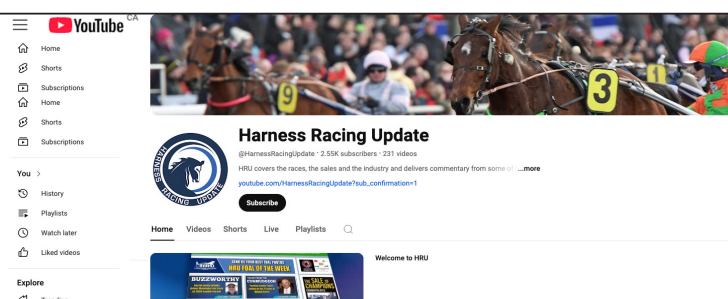
Colt Pace (race 13): After some very good performances that saw him come up just shy, Al Papi (post 1, Yannick Gingras driving for trainer Ron Burke) has now won three of his last four races, including the Adios elimination and final, plus a recent Sire Stakes win that put him over \$1M for his career, as is Burke stablemate Loua Dipa. And speaking of Burke, he is also sending out Melillo, just a head away in the Adios final (post 4, driver Ronnie Wrenn, Jr.), and three-time PASS prelim winner Another C Note (post 7, driver Tyler Buter).

2-YEAR-OLDS (MONDAY AT POCONO DOWNS)

Filly Trot (race 9): Birr Castle looked to have the leadership in this sector until she was second to Orinoco last time, Birr Castle's first defeat after starting her career with three wins (two in the PASS). And in the championship Orinoco (trainer Åke Svanstedt, driver Yannick Gingras) has an edge on Birr Castle (trainer Marcus Melander, driver Scott Zeron), with Orinoco beginning from post 4 and Birr Castle from post 7. And we haven't even mentioned Two Day Hangover (post 3, trainer

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Melander, driver Dexter Dunn), who opened her scorebook with three wins including two Sire Stakes.

Colt Pace (race 10): Of all the weekend's Sire Stakes championships, this race will generate the most interest from serious students of the sulky sport, as it matches up two colts who are undefeated in their first five races: Shalom Hanover (trainer Dr. Ian Moore, driver Louis-Philippe Roy), who set a track record 1:49.2 in his previous appearance here, and Starstruck Dreamer (there's trainer Noel Daley again, with Andrew McCarthy's brother Todd driving), who won three PASS prelims and paced the fastest mile ever by a 2-year-old on a five-eighths-mile track, 1:48.4 at Philly.

Fate gave "Shalom" an edge at the post draw: he got post 1, while "Starstruck" must contend with the outside post 8. Every dramatic element imaginable is coming together in this contest, which has the look of an "instant classic."

Filly Pace (race 11): JK Lady Liberty, whose dam is Horse of the Year JK She'salady, started her career with a second, and since then she hasn't looked back with four victories, including three PASS preliminaries, each at a different track. To be driven by Scott Zeron for trainer Nancy Takter from post 4, JK Lady

Liberty is likely to attract the majority of the fans' attention, especially as she has the fastest winning time in the field, a 1:51.3 success at Philly.

Colt Trot (race 12): Dream Shaq (post 8, trainer Marcus Melander, driver Dexter Dunn) won his first starts in the Sire Stakes program, but in his last two Sires races he has finished second to the later-developing Jimdougie Armitage, who also has a post advantage today, starting from post 3 for the newly-elected member of the Hall of Fame, driver/trainer Åke Svanstedt. (Careful readers may have noticed that trainers Svanstedt and Melander are behind all of the prime PASS championship 2YO contenders we have mentioned here).

The Pennsylvania Stallion Series will also be hosting their championship races this weekend, on Saturday afternoon at The Meadows (who can provide any information needed on those races). One theme of The Meadows' afternoon is whether the Stallion Series program can produce its first sub-1:50 championship mile – sophomore pacing colts Flash Move (The Meadows, 2023) and Sneak Attack (2025, Pocono) have both won in exactly 1:50. The Stallion Series finales look evenly-balanced – like the Sire Stakes, no one took victories in all four rounds of preliminary action.

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Indiana SIRE STAKES REPORT

Fresh faces score in INSS at Harrah's Hoosier Park

by Jacob Rheinheimer / Harrah's Hoosier Park

A trio of divisions of the fifth and penultimate leg of Indiana Sires Stakes for 2-year-old trotting colts was contested on the Wednesday (Sept. 2) card at Harrah's Hoosier Park, with **Steppinouttohelp**, **Fifty And Famous**, and **Tipsy In Vegas** all picking up their first stakes scores of the season.

Steppinouttohelp kicked off the stakes action on the card in the \$46,500 first split, delivering a 15-1 upset from the far outside with trainer Spence Taylor in the bike.

Away from post 7, Taylor hustled Steppinouttohelp to the front off the wings, racing as a parked and pressing second to the outside of Heffae (driven by Lamar Wingard) through a :28 opening panel. Steppinouttohelp cleared on the backstretch and led the way to the half in :57.4 before coming under fire from a first-over Temporal Power (Joey Putnam) who charged alongside the leader at three-quarters in 1:27.3.

Steppinouttohelp turned away that foe, before facing new threats from Heffae to his inside, along with Let B Express (Kevin Lambright) and Fifty Proof (Trace Tetrick) who began to close

from the backfield. Let B Express took aim before making an untimely break in stride late in the lane, where Steppinouttohelp was able to get to the line a quarter-length in front in 1:56.1. Fifty Proof was a fast closing second, with Heffae in third just a half-length back of the winner.

The effort was a new career best and the second victory in nine career tries for Steppinouttohelp. Bred by Amos Schwartz, the Helpisontheway—Steppin Out gelding was a \$5,000 bargain buy for owner Backroad Stable as last fall's Midwest Standardbred Mixed Sale and now sports a career bankroll of \$54,324.

The \$46,500 second division belonged to Fifty And Famous who went first-over with leading driver Tetrick en route to victory.

Leaving from the rail, Fifty And Famous was able to tuck in third with the even-money favorite, So Joyful (John De Long), trotting to the point in a :28.3 opening panel. Nectar Of The Gods (Mike Micaleff) brushed to the front from second exiting the first turn, getting to the halfway point in a well-rated :58.4. Fifty And Famous was the first to move entering the far turn, charging to the leader's wheel at three-quarters in 1:28.

Fifty And Famous moved alongside Nectar Of The Gods at the head of the lane, getting the better of that rival with So Joyful shaking loose behind that duo. Trotting home in :27, Fifty And Famous trotted to the wire 1½ lengths clear in a career best 1:55.2. So Joyful rallied for the second spot, with Nectar Of The Gods holding sway for the third spot.

Fifty And Famous has now won two of four on the season, hitting the board in each try. John Barnard's homebred son of Fiftydallabill—Dance To Fame has earned \$42,800 on the year.

The \$47,000 third and final division changed complexion before trotters turned for the gate, with a late scratch of the undefeated Swan Good Bi. Tipsy In Vegas, with hall of famer Yannick Gingras in to drive, inherited favorite status before wiring the field from there.

Away from the outside, Tipsy In Vegas quickly crossed over before the first turn, taking the field of seven to the first quarter in :28. Unchallenged in the middle stages, Tipsy In Vegas got to the half in :58.1 before moving to three-quarters in 1:28 with Mendoza Mafia (Atlee Bender) in pursuit.

Dean Gillette
Steppinouttohelp (Spence Taylor) winning one of three Indiana Sire Stakes races for 2-year-old trotting colts on Wednesday at Harrah's Hoosier Park.





Dean Gillette
Fifty And Famous (Trace Tetrick) winning one of the other two divisions.

Mendoza Mafia moved to the outside in the stretch, taking aim at the favorite midway through the lane. Digging in gamely, Topsy In Vegas fended off that foe by a length on the line to stop the timer in 1:55.3. Copperstone (De Long) finished third, three lengths back of the winner.

Owned and trained by Missy Essig, Topsy In Vegas has won four of seven on the season, banking \$69,165. The gelded son of Helpisontheway—Topsy In Dixie was bred by Brookside Stables, and a \$9,000 purchase at the 2025 Midwest Standardbred Yearling Sale.

Harrah's Hoosier Park will also conduct live racing on Monday (Sept. 7) with a special Labor Day Program. The Labor Day card will get underway at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday (Sept. 8) will be dark at Harrah's Hoosier Park, before racing resumes Wednesday through Saturday for the remainder of the holiday week.

REDICE, FINE WINE EXTEND WIN STREAKS WITH LIFETIME MARKS IN INSS

A duo of \$67,500 divisions of Indiana Sires Stakes for 2-year-old trotting fillies headlined the Tuesday (Sept. 1) card as **Fine Wine** and **Redice** stamped their claim to the winner's circle in their respective splits.

Fine Wine driven and trained by Jay Cross made it back-to-back in a final stretch battle to win the \$67,500 INSS division for 2-year-old filly trotters in race 10.

On the far outside in post 9, Fine Wine was left with work to make up out of the gate as the trotters sprinted toward an early lead. In the Buff (Kyle Wilfong) snatched the advantage through the first turn in :27.4 as Ponda Crystal (Atlee Bender) accelerated along the outside to claim the lead right after. The 10-horse field shuffled around on the backstretch with Prazana and Fine Wine charging on. Prazana stole the lead from Ponda Crystal right

at the halfway mark in :57. Fine Wine was left uncovered first-over after Prazana cleared with Prazana hitting three-quarters in 1:26.1. Teeing off on the stretch, Fine Wine slugged it out with Prazana, climbing past the leader to nail the wire in 1:55 by a half-length. Prazana held for second at 55-1, while In The Buff claimed third.

The Rebuff—Miss Fidget filly was bred by Pleasant Hill Farms while owned by Michael Yoder, Maynard Miller, and Daniel Lehman. Fine Wine secured her second straight win in stakes play, boosting her career earnings to \$80,670. Fine Wine paid \$8.60 to win.

Storming the stretch, Redice driven by Atlee Bender for trainer Erv Miller put together another flawless victory in race 12's INSS 2-year-old filly trot heat.

Redice surveyed the 10-horse field out of the starting gate in post 3 with Dance Remix (Jordan Ross) getting away quickly as Brookview Hersey (Kevin Detweiler) looked shot out of a cannon to the lead at the first turn in :28. Redice pressed down on the gas from fourth cruising to the helm at the half-mile mark in :57.3. Gladden trotted along the outside in second, looking to get a piece of the leader. Redice hit the final turn in 1:26.3 as she approached the stretch with open freeway. Redice did not look back hitting the nitro to smash the wire in a career best 1:54.3 by four lengths. Gladden stayed in second as Ican Hardly Wait got up for third.

Redice added her fourth straight win in Sires Stakes to her resume, increasing her account to \$169,000. The Rebuff—Fuzzy Dice filly is owned by the Ervin Miller Stable Inc, Anothy Lombardi, and Stepbystep Racing. Redice was bred by Kjell Anderson, Lucas Wallin, and Pieter Delis. The post-time favorite paid \$2.40 to win.

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New York

SIRE STAKES REPORT

Chapter Geo J wins \$115,500 NYSS at Batavia Downs Wednesday

by Tim Bojarski for Batavia Downs

After getting a perfect pocket trip, **Chapter Geo J** (Chapter Seven—Miss Vet Hanover) held off three opponents to capture the lone \$115,500 NYSS division for 3-year-old male trotters that was held at Batavia Downs, where driver Drew Monti won half the card with his five-victory performance on Wednesday (Sept. 2) evening.

Al (Ronnie Wrenn, Jr.) and Highway Six (Jeff Gregory) argued for the lead through the first eighth, where Highway Six then crossed-over just as Al made a break. That left Chapter Geo J

(Jason Bartlett) sitting in the garden spot, where he would stay for seven-eighths of the mile. Highway Six then set fractions of :28, :56.1, and 1:28.3 as Al made his way back into contention at that last station.

Highway Six rounded the last bend and took his lead into the stretch as Chapter Geo J and Al were right on his back. Halfway down the stretch, Twin B Seven Sins (Drew Monti) joined the fray and all four horses still had a shot to win. But it was Chapter Geo J who slipped into the passing lane, took the lead from Highway Six, and then held off his fast-closing stablemate, Twin B Seven Sins, to win by 1¼ lengths in 1:57.1.

It was the fifth win in the last six starts and sixth win of the year overall for Chapter Geo J (\$3.42), who is owned by Ken Jacobs and trained by Noel Daley. Lester Beechy bred the winner.

There was also one \$20,000 division of the NYSS Excelsior Series that was won by **Self Portrait** (Chapter Seven—Bird On Money), who went gate-to-wire in 1:58 for driver Drew Monti and trainer Bob Baggitt, Jr. Self Portrait (\$20.90) is owned by Melvin Straley and was bred by Order By Stable Ab.

Self Portrait was the last of five winners driven by Monti on Wednesday. He also won with **Naked Truth** (1:54.2, \$6.32), **Pointomygranson** (1:53.4, \$2.74), **Brookview Darius** (1:59.1, \$3.82), and **Machs Legacy A** (1:54, \$3.14), the last three being a

Wendy J. Lowery

Chapter Geo J (Jason Bartlett) winning the New York Sire Stakes event for 3-year-old trotting colts on Wednesday at Batavia Downs.



natural hat trick in races 3, 4, and 5. Monti also had two seconds and a third from his 10 drives, giving him a stellar .644 UDR for the program.

Trainers Sheena Cohen and Chris Petrelli each registered two wins during live racing on Wednesday.

Tornadoes near Batavia, severe lightning, thunderstorms with torrential rain and hurricane force winds moved into the area later in the card, prompting the cancelation of the final three races for the safety of all involved.

Free full card past performance programs for every live card of racing at Batavia Downs can always be downloaded at the track's website (bataviadownsgaming.com) under the "Live Racing" tab. And you can watch all the races live as they happen for free on the Batavia Downs YouTube page.

COWBOY CANDY STRETCHES NEW YORK SIRE STAKES STREAK TO SIX

Favored 2-year-old pacing fillies **Cowboy Candy** and **Annie O** continued their winning momentum in a pair of \$103,472 New York Sire Stakes on Tuesday afternoon (Sept. 1) at Saratoga Casino Hotel.

Cowboy Candy rattled off her sixth consecutive victory in NYSS action when she was a dominant winner in 1:54.2 over a sloppy track. Jason Bartlett drove the So Surreal—Caviart Elena filly to a nine-length romp for trainer Aaron Lambert after coasting to an easy lead and never looking back. Perfect in six Sire Stakes starts,

Cowboy Candy moved her record to six-for-seven overall, with earnings topping \$265,000 for owner Chain Lightning Stables of Beach Haven, NJ. Fendilicious (Braxten Boyd) and Hollys Choice (Matt Kakaley) rounded out the top three finishers.

Annie O earned her fourth straight NYSS victory with Leon Bailey in the bike as she led wire-to-wire in 1:54.3, winning by 1½ length over Too Pink To Pass (Lauren Tritton) after turning back a final-turn challenge from eventual third-place finisher Huntsvilles Honey (Matt Kakaley). Owned by trainer Andrew Stafford along with Bonnie Benson of Lewes, DE, the Huntsville—Rapunzel Blue Chip filly is now four-for-six in her career with more than \$177,000 in earnings.

Where Is The Love, driven by Tritton, picked up her third straight Excelsior Series victory while taking a new mark of 1:54 in a seven-length romp for trainer Linda Toscano and owners Steven Held of Miller Place, NY and Bill Elliott of Woodstock, ON. Trainer Anette Lorentzon's **Shadow Of A Girl** also dominated her \$27,778 Excelsior division by a wide-open seven lengths, taking a new mark of 1:54.3 for her third win in the series. The Travis Alexander trainee **Prop Bet** (Matt Kakaley) added a fourth straight Excelsior victory to her resume with a 1:55.4 triumph for Florida-based owner Fiddler's Creek Stables.

Live harness racing goes on a brief hiatus at Saratoga and will return on Saturday, Sept. 12 when first post time for the matinee will be noon.

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Amanda Stephens

Captain Kenny J (2, Todd McCarthy) winning the \$80,000 Kentucky Championship Series fourth preliminary for 2-year-old trotting colts on Wednesday at The Red Mile.



Kentucky SIRE STAKES REPORT

Captain Kenny J upsets in Kentucky Championship Series

by Ray Coto for The Red Mile

Todd McCarthy zipped **Captain Kenny J** through an inside seam off a pocket ride to land the winning blow on tempo-setter Command Center and pull a 14-1 upset in the \$80,000 Kentucky Championship Series fourth preliminary for 2-year-old trotting colts and geldings on Wednesday (Sept. 2) at The Red Mile.

Leaving from post 2, McCarthy nestled into a seat behind Command Center (driven by Dexter Dunn) approaching a :28 first quarter and tracked the leader intently heading to a :55.4 half. Command Center cruised through the last turn under minimal pressure to clock three-quarters in 1:24.1 and quickened for home while drifting from the pylons, giving Captain Kenny

J clear sailing. McCarthy capitalized on the gap and clawed forward through the lane to collar Command Center by a head at the end of a 1:51.4 mile, just three-fifths-of-a-second off the track record. Odds-on favorite Presidente (Scott Zeron) gave chase for third from a mild first-over push through the last turn and Carbon Fiber (Yannick Gingras) closed from last for fourth.

Linda Toscano trains Captain Kenny J, a colt by Captain Corey—Tuvalu, for owner Kenneth Jacobs. The colt, a \$140,000 purchase from the 2025 Lexington Yearling Sale, collected his second win from six starts and has now banked \$76,200. He paid \$30.34 to win.

Kountry Win (Gingras) persisted towards the front to clinch the single \$30,000 Kentucky Commonwealth division for freshman trotting males. Gingras sent the Ron Burke pupil towards the lead in a :28.1 first quarter, succumbed to a shuffle into third to a :56 half, and marched uncovered after new leader End Result (Dunn) to three-quarters in 1:25.1 before successfully downing that rival by a neck at the end of a 1:54.2 mile. The winning colt, by King Of The North—Winndevie, races for owners Brad Grant, Robert Leblanc, and Robbie Pryde, and paid \$8.04 to win.

Marcus Melander doubled in the three \$15,000 divisions of the Kentucky Golden Rod Series on the undercard, winning with **Opposition** (Dunn, 1:54 winning mile; \$9.96 to win) and **Gagosian** (Dunn, 1:55.2; \$2.80). **Senor Julio** (Tyler Smith, 1:54.1; \$6.18) took the other division.

Live harness racing at The Red Mile resumes on Sunday (Sept. 6) with a 12-race card headlined by the \$80,000 Kentucky Championship Series fourth preliminary for 2-year-old pacing fillies. First-race post time is 5:05 p.m. (EDT).

For more information on the 2026 live harness racing season, visit The Red Mile website (<https://www.redmilering.com>).

GOBSTOPPER THRUSTS TO KENTUCKY CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES VICTORY

Gobstopper zipped off cover from quick early fractions to pounce and score a 1:50 victory in the \$80,000 fourth preliminary of the Kentucky Championship Series for 2-year-old pacing colts and geldings on Tuesday afternoon (Sept. 1) at The Red Mile.

Leaving from post 7, driver Dexter Dunn pushed into a mid-pack seat with Gobstopper as Wishawave (driven by Scott Zeron) hustled to the front from the pylon post. Wishawave relinquished command as Atlantic Ivey (Atlee Bender) brushed forward to the top through a :26.1 first quarter, but Zeron soon tipped out of the pocket to circle back to the lead.

As Wishawave rolled to a :54.2 half, 8-5 favorite Night Agent (Andy McCarthy) edged off the pylons from fourth to advance uncovered up the rim with Gobstopper securing a tow second-over. Night Agent marched to within a length of the leader by three-quarters in 1:22.2 but gave way spinning for home while Dunn fanned off cover with Gobstopper and darted towards the lead. Gobstopper got the jump on his rivals and held firmly to the finish for a half-length win chased by Rumble And Sway (Tim Tetrick), who rallied from third-over for second, with Blazin Lou (Marvin Luna) kicking from near last for third and Just Perfect Stuff (Joey Putnam) closing from fourth-over for fourth.

Tony Dinges trains Gobstopper, a colt by Sweet Lou—Captiva Island, for owner Rick Berks. The colt won his fourth race from seven starts, amassing \$132,920 in earnings, and paid \$6.90 to win.

Debonaire (Andy McCarthy) rode the pylons to victory in the lone \$30,000 Kentucky Commonwealth Series dash for freshman pacing males. McCarthy sat third through fractions of :28, :55.4, and 1:24.2 before building momentum with an inside seam to collar pocket-popping Crazygirlsburnsage (Josert Fonseca) by three-quarters-of-a-length in a 1:51.3 mile. Tony Alagna trains Debonaire, a colt by Bulldog Hanover—Baby Your The Best, for owners Brittany Farms LLC, Steven Head, and Micki Rae Stables LLC. He paid \$16.50 to win.

Tony Alagna collected a training hat trick on the day. Alongside his victory with Debonaire, Alagna won two of the three \$15,000 Kentucky Golden Rod divisions for freshman pacing males with **Reflector** (Todd McCarthy, 1:51.1 winning mile; \$6.92 to win), a Bulldog Hanover colt out of stakes-winning mare Reflect With Me, and with **A Bettor Dream** (Andy McCarthy, 1:51.4; \$4.04). The other Golden Rod division of the day was won by **Fairway To Heaven** (Andy McCarthy, 1:51.3; \$3.54).



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Michigan

SIRE STAKES REPORT

Northville Downs opens meet with track records and Michigan Sire Stakes elims

by Ken Terpenning for Northville Downs at Barry Expo Center

Northville Downs at Barry Expo Center opened their 2026 meet Tuesday (Sept. 1) and Wednesday (Sept. 2) with Michigan Sire Stakes eliminations as the featured event along with several overnights. Hot temperatures and a well-maintained track surface helped produce multiple track records over the two-day period.

Tuesday opened the 2026 Northville meet. A total of six track records were established or tied this day. Those records included:

- **Supertonic** (Stonebridge Tonic—Kwantum Key) and driver Brad Kramer lowered the 3-year-old pacing filly record to 1:56.4

- **Allamerican Beach** (Wakazashi Beach—Graney) and driver Brad Kramer lowered the 3-year-old pacing gelding mark to an eye-popping 1:55.1

- **What Ma Says** (Captain Victorious—Pv Miracle Mary) and driver David Lake then tied Allamerican Beach's record the very next race in 1:55.1

- **Hardt's Ace** (Manhardt—Blissfulla Sin) and driver Aaron Merriman lowered the 3-year-old pacing colt record to 1:58.2

- **Retta Estelle** (Archangel—Ijustwannahavefun) and driver John Moody set a new 4-year-old mare trotting record to 2:02.4

- **Plumville Prince** (Father Patrick—Lady Athens) and driver Kody Massey established a new older trotting horse record in 1:58.2

On Wednesday, the races did not disappoint fans with multiple track records falling once again. Those records included:

- **Life Blue Bayou** (Muscles For Life—Sister Maggie) and driver Brad Kramer set a new record for 2-year-old trotting geldings to 2:02.4

- **Wheelin Cleatus** (Luck Be Withyou—Lady In Fashion) and driver/trainer Daryl Bontrager who co-owns the 2-year-old pacing gelding with Levi Schmucker, set the new record in his division to 1:57.1

- **Westwins Eagle** (Stars Align A—Pan Vivant) and driver/trainer Lewayne Miller established a new record for 2-year-old pacing colts in a time of 1:57.

Racing at Northville Downs at Barry Expo Center in Hastings, MI returns on Tuesday (Sept. 8) and Wednesday (Sept. 9) with a first post time of 1 p.m. each day.

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Minnesota

SIRE STAKES REPORT

Cash Money Twenty collects another Running Aces feature win on Tuesday

by Darin Gagne for Running Aces Casino, Hotel and Racetrack

Cash Money Twenty rallied from the back of the pack on Tuesday night (Sept. 1) at Running Aces to collect his ninth win of the season with a 1:51 mile in the \$17,000 open handicap pace.

Dean Magee was in the bike aboard the very sharp 4-year-old son of Stevensville and they floated away in seventh position early to let Handsome Sir (driven by Brian Detgen) and Alta Revelry N (Luke Plano) battle it out for the top while Nick Roland and It's Pointless also left fast to track the early leaders from third during the opening fractions of :26.4 and :55.2.

Alta Revelry N held court all the way into the lane while It's Pointless tried a tiring first-over attack and both Cash Money Twenty and Dandy's Freedom (Casey Leonard) got rolling from the back of the pack.

The field was stacking up as they straightened for the drive and Alta Revelry N still had a short lead but Cash Money Twenty was now storming down the center of the track and Dandy's Freedom was also flying home on the far outside.

Cash Money Twenty surged to the wire to grab the victory by three-quarters-of-a-length while Dandy's Freedom was a neck better than Alta Revelry after a place photo.

Players collected \$3.20 for the win tickets while Cash Money Twenty rang his seasonal bankroll up to \$100,050 for owner Heart And Soul Racing and trainer Brett Ballinger.

Minnesota-sired heavy favorites **Slipped Onmybeans** (Dean Magee, \$2.10) and **Captain Ricky** (Leonard, \$2.40) both delivered the goods as the division leaders in the \$15,000 top freshman pacing divisions to continue their respective status at the top. Both are by Captainryanmichael.

Fossil Fuel (by Big Oil) made it two in a row with a 2:01.3 score in the Minnesota-sired \$17,500 freshman male trot with trainer/driver Brady Jenson in tow, paying \$3.20, and **JR's Starburst** (by World At War Deo) posted her first career victory in 2:01.1 in the \$17,500 filly trot and returned \$4.20 while in rein to Leonard.

The other Minnesota-sired freshman winners on the program included **Heroic Honor** (Nick Roland, \$7.40) in 1:54.4 in the male "B" pace, **Art's Finale** (Rick Magee, \$11.80) in 1:57.1 the male "C" pace, and **Icing On The Cake** (Roland, \$20.60) with a 1:58.2 mile in the filly "B" pace.

Drivers Dean Magee, Casey Leonard, and Nick Roland all had doubles on the card.

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Maine SIRE STAKES REPORT

Maine trotters tussle at Windsor, Hall gets to 1,500

by Chris Tully, for Maine Sire Stakes

All of Maine's 2- and 3-year-old trotters worked their way over to the Windsor Fair on Tuesday (Sept. 1), resulting in some surprises and a new milestone for a prominent trainer/driver.

All four of \$17,000-plus divisions of the Maine Sire Stakes were held before the regular card at Windsor, with the highlight being the 3-year-old filly trot division where Gary Hall drove his star distaff **Hayden** to an easy victory and obtained career driving win number 1,500.

Active since 1977, Hall, a native of Dover, Maine has over 10,300 driving starts and \$2.7 in purse earnings. His best season was 40 years ago in 1986 where he enjoyed 164 trips to the winner's circle.

Veteran trainer/driver Hall took command early with a :30.1 opening panel, sending the daughter of Cantab Fashion to a swift 1:00.1 half. I Think I Can (John Nason) sat a loose pocket while Our Last Quote (Mike Cushing) moving first over into a 1:30.2 third panel.

But, no one was going to catch Hall's fabulous filly as she increased her three-length lead down the stretch to score in 2:00.4, a new lifetime best, while prevailing by 5½ lengths.

Owned and bred by Stephen Hall, it was the seventh seasonal victory for Hayden and her ninth lifetime, as she increased her bankroll to \$102,956. She is currently unbeaten at age 3.

Out Last Quote finished second, I Think I Can was third.

In the other battle for un-beatens, a \$17,210 Maine Sire Stake dash for 2-year-old trotting colts and geldings, it was yet another wire-to-wire rout of a fair track by the Watsons' **U Know I Know**.

Ken Watson steered the son of Whataworkout to his sixth consecutive win in a lifetime best 2:03.3, scoring by three lengths over stablemate Race Me Bruno (Wally Watson).

Trained by Lisa Watson for owner/breeder Barbara Lawson, the unbeaten divisional star now has \$47,416 on his card in six lifetime starts.

Pembroke Zagursky (Heath Campbell) finished third.

Earlier in the card, driver Heath Campbell provided a mild upset when he steered **Mikella Bella** to victory in her \$16,681 Maine Sire Stake for 2-year-old trotting fillies.

The daughter of To The Hilt got away second behind pacesetter stablemate and current divisional leader Princess Caledonia (Gary Hall) who made an uncharacteristic miscue in deep stretch. Campbell capitalized on the situation and helped Mikella Bella pick up her second lifetime victory in 2:10.2.

Co-owned and trained Gary Hall with partners James Kelly, Jr., Betsey Kelley, and Kristina Hall, she was bred in Maine by Anita Anastopoulos.

Cape Cod Friday (Dave Ingraham) finished second; Princess Caledonia was third.

In the \$17,008 Maine Sire Stake for 3-year-old trotting colts and geldings, it looked like an instant replay of the last several weeks as driver Heath Campbell sent **Gus's Workout** to the front with Trottinfortreasure (Kevin Switzer, Jr.) ducking in the 2-hole.

Gus's Workout set mild fractions of :32.1 and 1:05 to the half, with Trottinfortreasure first over and within striking distance into a swifter 1:35.2 (:30.2) third panel. But that is where the threat ended as Campbell sent Gus's Workout on a beeline for the wire and drew off by 3½ lengths to win easily in 2:04.4.

Trained by Valerie Grondin to his third win of the season, the son of Whataworkout is owned and was bred by Lynn-Marie Plouffe. His lifetime earnings have reached \$96,334.

Trottinfortreasure finished second, High Fashion Hank (John Beckwith) was third.

Looking ahead, the Maine Sire Stakes action resumes at Windsor Fair with the 2-year-old female pacers today (Sept. 4). Then it's back to the glamour boys who make their second appearance at Windsor on Sunday (Sept. 6), followed by the 3-year-old filly pacers who close out the meet on Labor Day Monday (Sept. 7).

For more information about the Maine Standardbred Breeders Stakes, follow them on Facebook @MaineBreedersAssociation, or go to their website: MaineSireStakes.com.



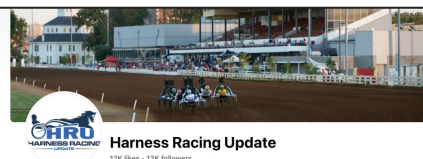
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2	Brandon Blvd (7)	3cp	9 6-2-1	\$895,695	280	2
3	On To Norway (6)	4gt	9 8-1-0	\$413,250	255	3
4	Super Chapter (1)	4ht	6 4-2-0	\$348,507	186	6
5	Miki And Minnie (1)	4mp	8 6-0-2	\$372,099	178	4
6	Nezuko Kamada S	3ft	7 6-1-0	\$543,905	175	7
7	Big Ranger	3ct	8 5-1-0	\$402,337	144	5
8	Bournbonista S	5mt	8 4-2-1	\$185,840	81	8
9	Twin B Joe Fresh	6mp	8 3-2-1	\$245,178	46	9
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Friday, Sept. 4

PP	Track	Race	Race #(s)	1st Race Post
✓	Vernon Downs	NYSS, NY Excelsior Series	3, 5, 7	5:05 p.m.
✓	Grand River	OSS Grassroots	1, 3	6:20 p.m.
✓	The Meadowlands	Miss Versatility, New Jersey Classic eliminations	1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10	6:20 p.m.
✓	Woodbine Mohawk Park	Simcoe (G3), OSS Gold	2, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10	6:30 p.m.

Saturday, Sept. 5

PP	Track	Race	Race #(s)	1st Race Post
✓	The Meadows	PA Stallion Series finals	4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	12:45 p.m.
✓	Hanover	OSS Grassroots	4, 6	1:30 p.m.
✓	Charlottetown Driving Park	PEI Colt Stakes Graduate Series Gold final	14	6 p.m.
✓	Kawartha Downs	OSS Grassroots	4, 6, 8	6 p.m.
✓	Woodbine Mohawk Park	Canadian Pacing Derby (G1) final, Maple Leaf Trot (G1) final, Milton Stakes (G2) final, Simcoe (G3), OSS Gold	2, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11	6:30 p.m.

Sunday, Sept. 6

PP	Track	Race	Race #(s)	1st Race Post
✓	Harrah's Philadelphia	PASS finals and consolations	7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14	12:40 p.m.
✓	The Track On 2	Ron Orr Pace final, Elizabeth Johnson Memorial final	5, 8	1:10 p.m.
✓	Clinton	OSS Grassroots	9, 10	1:30 p.m.



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PP	Track	Race	Race #(s)	1st Race Post
✓	The Red Mile	KYSS, KY Commonwealth Series, KY Golden Rod Series	3, 5, 6, 9	5:05 p.m.
✓	Running Aces	MNSS	1, 4	6 p.m.
✓	Ocean Downs	MDSS finals	1, 3, 5, 7	6:40 p.m.

Monday, Sept. 7

PP	Track	Race	Race #(s)	1st Race Post
✓	Pocono Downs	PASS finals and consolations	3, 4, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12	1 p.m.
	The Red Mile	KYSS, KY Commonwealth Series, KY Golden Rod Series	3, 5, 6, 8, 9, 11	1 p.m.

Tuesday, Sept. 8

PP	Track	Race	Race #(s)	1st Race Post
	Running Aces	MNSS	1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7	7 p.m.

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To request a print catalog, visit lexingtonselected.com/year-sale-form.html.

The sale will be held as usual at the beautiful and spacious Fasig-Tipton Newtown Paddocks. For those unable to attend, the sale will be livestreamed with live bidding offered at proxibid.com.

The yearling auction – which produced this year's Meadowlands Pace winner, five of the last seven renewals of the \$1 million Hambletonian and two of the last four Hambletonian Oaks – gets underway Monday (Oct. 5), with a 7 p.m. evening session. The sale continues Tuesday (Oct. 6), and Wednesday (Oct. 7), with day sessions beginning at a new starting time of 11 a.m., then concludes Thursday (Oct. 8), with a final evening session getting underway at 7 p.m.

According to sale co-managers David Reid and Bruce Brinkerhoff, this fall's renewal offers another power-packed catalog from beginning to end, with yearlings eligible to all major jurisdictions and representation from the sport's leading stallions on both a national and jurisdictional level.

"Year after year, it's the overall depth of the catalog that's impressive," said Reid. "Our consignors represent the best breeding operations in the sport and have once again supplied us with an outstanding group of yearlings with the most diverse pedigrees to be offered anywhere."

"There's quality selling every session at every price point. All of the sport's leading sires are heavily represented. Leading pacing stallions include Captaintreacherous (51), Sweet Lou (47), Downbytheseaside (40), and Huntsville (24), along with exciting first crops of Confederate (52) and Cannibal (16). Leading the way in trotters is the sire of this year's Hambletonian winner, Walner (80), followed by Chapter Seven (58), Tactical Landing (53), and Captain Corey (29), with strong representation from the first crop of Tactical Approach (30)."

Brinkerhoff added, "Our sales graduates speak for themselves, including multiple Dan Patch and Breeders Crown champions

and multiple million-dollar winners year after year. Breeders have re-invested, and it shows."

Included in the catalog of outstanding yearlings being offered this year are 514 dual-eligible yearlings, including 16 that are triple-eligible to the sport's leading jurisdictions.

As it has been for years, the yearling sale is bookended by two weekends of major stakes racing at The Red Mile, and that combination makes up what Reid calls "the Lexington experience."

Sale schedule

Monday (Oct. 5) – Evening session, 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday (Oct. 6) – Day session, 11:00 a.m. (new start time)

Wednesday (Oct. 7) – Day session, 11:00 a.m. (new start time)

Thursday (Oct. 8) – Evening session, 7:00 p.m.

Lexington Selected Yearling Sale

Standardbred Horse Sales Company Yearling Sale Preview available online

Standardbred Horse Sales Company is proud to announce that our 88th Annual Yearling Sale Preview is now available on our website, www.theblackbook.com, including a sortable roster. Pedigrees will be coming soon. Yearling video links will be posted as they are made available.

As always, Standardbred provides multiple "Search" functions and downloadable PDF packets on our website to help in finding your next champion. Our convenient "My Black Book" feature allows customers to store lists of yearling prospects with pedigrees, video links, and personal notes in a confidential format that is accessible from any internet-capable device.

Yearling Sale dates are Nov. 2 through Nov. 4, featuring 916 fabulous yearlings (451 Trotters, 465 Pacers). The sale will be held at the Pennsylvania Farm Show Complex in Harrisburg, PA.

469 by Pennsylvania Sires

143 by New York Sires

126 by Ontario Sires

103 by New Jersey Sires

40 by Ohio Sires
2 by Indiana Sires
27 by Kentucky Sires
1 by Delaware Sires
5 by Overseas Sires
First Crop yearling sires include:
Volume Eight (50)
Cannibal (40)
Tactical Approach (38)
Confederate (31)
Beach Glass (15)
Tattoo Artist (15)
Lou's Pearlman (4)
Slay (4)
Rocky Road Hanover (3)
Jujubee (1)

Printed catalogs will be mailed on Sept. 25. Standardbred will offer catalogs formatted for the iPad through the Equineline.com Sales Catalog App.

Standardbred Horse Sales Company

Yonkers Raceway distributes nearly \$500K in bonuses

When MGM Yonkers Raceway created a bonus program to lure new horses to the track, few could have anticipated such a large turnout. From May 18 to Aug. 21 this year, 355 new horses made their way to Yonkers to compete at the New York half-mile track for the first time in 2026.

The program, which awarded \$2,400 to any new horses which started at least three times at MGM Yonkers Raceway during the three-month period, saw 189 horses qualify. That total produced a \$453,600 payout to owners which took advantage of the plan.

Created in tandem by race secretary Joe Frasure, SOA of NY president Joe Faraldo, and DRF's Derick Givner as a way to increase the horse population, the program was a resounding success.

"We couldn't have asked for a better response," said Frasure. "We may even do it again in the fall."

MGM Yonkers Raceway is currently offering live racing on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday through Saturday, with post time at 6:45 p.m. (EDT) every night except Saturday when post time is 3:30 p.m. There will be no live racing on Friday (Sept. 11) and post time on Sept. 12 is 11:50 a.m.

Yonkers Raceway media

Bangor Raceway announces lucrative fall series

Bangor Raceway will kick off their upcoming September and October meets with the formation of a new, lucrative pacing series to honor the memory of longtime track executive and industry leader, Fred Nichols.

The series, written for pacers who are NW \$4500 last 4 starts or with a TrackMaster rating of 83 or below, will feature two \$8,000 elimination legs to be contested on Sept. 9 and 16, with a \$20,000 (est.) final to be carded on Maine Sire Stakes finals day, Oct. 17.

There is no nomination fee, horses must race in both legs to be eligible for the final, and the box for the first leg closes at 9 a.m. on Sunday (Sept. 6).

Bangor Raceway's four-day September meeting will be conducted on Wednesday and Saturday (Sept. 9 and 10) with post time at 3 p.m., will continue on Sunday (Sept. 13) with an early 12:10 p.m. post, and will conclude on Wednesday (Sept. 16) at 3 p.m.

Bangor Raceway will also play host to the \$400,000 (plus) Maine Sire Stakes sophomore championships on Saturday (Oct. 17) with post time slated for 3 p.m. (EDT) and will continue racing on a three day per week schedule through the first week in November.

For those not able to come to the track, wagering and live video for Bangor Raceway, as well as hundreds of harness and thoroughbred racetracks across the world, is available on Hollywood Races at www.hollywoodraces.com.

For complete information regarding live racing, simulcast wagering, gaming, dining, and hotel accommodations at Bangor's Hollywood Casino and Raceway, please visit the website at www.hollywoodcasinobangor.com.

Mike Sweeney / Bangor Raceway

New look London Classic Yearling Sale roster available online

The London Classic Yearling Sale website now features its complete 2026 roster in a new layout and format which is sortable by sire and consignor and also includes pedigree pages, TrackIT links (updated daily) and yearling videos as they are posted.

The catalog will once again be available on the Equineline app with its robust and convenient organizational features. The hard copy editions are now in print and customers who wish to receive one are reminded to submit their catalog request at www.londonclassic.ca.

The sale which takes place on Tuesday (Oct. 13) and Wednesday (Oct. 14) will also be streamed with remote bidding available on the Digital Livestock Marketing Systems (DLMS) website at www.dlms.ca. CUJO Entertainment will once again produce the live stream from the J-AAR Expo Centre at the Western Fair District.

Customers are also reminded that credit applications and other pertinent information can also be accessed at the sale website. Credit must be established prior to the sale and applications can be sent to sale manager Greg Blanchard at gblanchard@westernfairdistrict.com.

London Classic Yearling Sale

Ocean Storm and Athena's Girl secure spots in 2027 Oak Grove Trotting Derby and Oaks eliminations

Grade 1 William Wellwood Memorial winner Ocean Storm secured his spot in the eliminations to the 2027 \$500,000 Oak Grove Trotting Derby with a stakes record equaling performance of 1:52.4 on Saturday night at Woodbine Mohawk Park. Driver Yannick Gingras won the Wellwood for the fifth time in his career. This Chapter Seven colt was an \$80,000 Lexington Selected yearling and is owned by ADH Holding, LLC, Paul Kautz, Jeff Gural, and Jean Pierre Barjon.

Athena's Girl, a \$300,000 daughter of Walner, out of Fashion Athena, also secured her "Win and You're In" spot for the eliminations to the \$300,000 Oak Grove Trotting Oaks by winning the Grade 1 Peaceful Way at Woodbine Mohawk Park on Saturday night. Trained by Marcus Melander for owner Brad Grant, Athena's Girl established a new lifetime mark of 1:53.

The "Road to..." series was established to reward top 2-year-old trotting performances and enrich Oak Grove's premier events. A series of designated Grand Circuit and Sire Stakes races serve as automatic qualifying events to the Derby and Oaks eliminations.

ROAD TO THE OAK GROVE TROTTING DERBY (COLTS)

Date	Automatic Qualifying Race	2026 Race Winner
8/8/2026	New Jersey Sire Stakes championship	Lifetime Dreamer
8/29/2026	William Wellwood	Ocean Storm
9/7/2026	Pennsylvania Sire Stakes championship	
9/12/2026	Ohio Sire Stakes championship (Scarlet)	
9/12/2026	New York Sire Stakes championship	
9/18/2026	Peter Haughton	
9/20/2026	Kentucky Sire Stakes Championship Series	
9/26/2026	Mohawk Million	
10/9/2026	Indiana Sire Stakes championship	
10/9/2026	Ontario Sire Stakes championship (Gold)	
10/23/2026	Breeders Crown 2YO Trot	
11/14/2026	Valley Victory	

ROAD TO THE OAK GROVE TROTTING OAKS (FILLIES)

Date	Automatic Qualifying Race	2026 Race Winner
8/8/2026	New Jersey Sire Stakes championship	Wall of Fame
8/29/2026	Peaceful Way	Athena's Girl
9/7/2026	Pennsylvania Sire Stakes championship	
9/12/2026	Ohio Sire Stakes championship (Scarlet)	
9/12/2026	New York Sire Stakes championship	
9/18/2026	Jim Doherty	
9/20/2026	Kentucky Sire Stakes Championship Series	
9/25/2026	Kentuckiana Stallion Management	
10/9/2026	Indiana Sire Stakes championship	
10/9/2026	Ontario Sire Stakes championship (Gold)	
10/23/2026	Breeders Crown 2YO Filly Trot	
11/14/2026	Goldsmith Maid	

Oak Grove Racing media

Ferrara, Skladany look for fourth contest score at Big M

With the four-week break from harness racing at The Meadowlands coming up soon, leg 9 of the \$1,000 Big M Monthly Handicapping Contest takes place this Saturday (Sept. 5) just two weeks since the previous leg, instead of the usual four.

A pair of handicappers have done exceptionally well throughout the preliminaries, as both Stefan Ferrara and John Skladany, who finished first and second, respectively in August, now have three entries in the hat for the contest's invitation-only final.

It's important to finish at or near the top of the leaderboard, as the four players with the highest bankrolls at the end of the night win some cash (on a \$500-\$250-\$150-\$100 basis), but only the top two finishers earn spots in the \$10,000 final, which takes place on Dec. 12.

"It really doesn't make sense for anyone in attendance at the track not to play," said contest regular Patrick O'Malley, who has earned two entries into the final. "It's free money. It's the same as going to the teller and buying a \$100 voucher. If you hit something big you can win some of the contest money."

Both Ferrara and Skladany seek to become the first players ever to have four entries in the final. That field will be limited to 22 entries.

Thus far this year, 16 entries have been earned for the year-end competition, those handicappers – with their monthly contest totals – are:

- January: Del Kern (\$934.01) and Stefan Ferrara (\$840.76)
- February: Robert Glaser (\$592.50) and Emile Issa (\$500)
- March: Sean Loeb (\$1,170.06) and Patrick O'Malley (\$832)
- April: O'Malley (\$554) and Ferrara (\$380.20)
- May: John Skladany (\$1,031.60) and James Molina (\$800)
- June: Rodney Duncan (\$822.20) and Skladany (\$497.28)
- July: Jim Sidor (\$1,192.10) and Russ Slader (\$750)
- August: Ferrara (\$1,000.75) and Skladany (\$726.50)

2026 contest schedule:

- Leg 9 – Saturday (Sept. 5)
- Leg 10 – Friday (Oct. 23)
- Leg 11 – Nov. 14
- Invitation-only \$10,000 contest final: Dec. 12

Each monthly contest will follow the same format:

- Contestants must bet a minimum of five Meadowlands races.
- No minimum or maximum bet per race.

- All wagers offered on The Meadowlands program are eligible for the contest.
- Contestants keep all pari-mutuel winnings.
- Unlimited entries per person.

There is no entry fee, but a \$100 live-money bankroll is required for players, and the prize pool is guaranteed at \$1,000, funded by The Meadowlands.

On the night of the contest, players must register/check-in at the Clubhouse Lobby by 6:20 p.m. A \$100 betting card must be purchased to participate, as this is a live-money/wagering contest.

The top two finishers from each \$1,000 contest earn spots in the \$10,000 tournament final on Dec. 12 (22 total players).

To register for the competition, go [here](#).

Must be 18 or over to wager on racing. Gambling problem, dial 1-800-GAMBLER.

THE APEX OF RACING: Tonight's card at The Big M is stacked with talent, as eight New Jersey Classic eliminations and leg 4 of the Miss Versatility for open mare trotters will be featured.

The brightest star will be on display in race 8, when Hambletonian champion Apex will be making his first start since taking the most exciting finish in America's Trotting Classic in four decades.

Apex, a 3-year-old colt by Walner—Mission Brief, is trained by Marcus Melander and driven by Dexter Dunn. Lifetime, he's won 10 times from 14 outings and earned \$1.6 million.

JUST TWO WEEKS TO GO: The Meadowlands has just two weeks of harness racing remaining before taking a four-week break.

Harness racing will be conducted on Sept. 4, 5, 11, and 12.

Then, the "Monmouth at The Meadowlands" mini-meet will be conducted with nine nights of thoroughbred turf racing, which will be held on Sept. 18, 19, 25, and 26, and Oct. 2, 3, 9, 10, and 16. Post time is 7 p.m.

Harness racing will then return on Saturday (Oct. 17).

After that, there will be harness racing on Friday and Saturday for the rest of October and throughout November.

December will see a three-day-a-week schedule for the first three weeks of the month, with live action on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday nights through the 19th. Then, after the 19th, there will be only one live harness card for the rest of the year, on the 26th.

The post time for all harness racing programs for the remainder of 2026 is 6:20 p.m.

SIMULCAST SHUTDOWN: Due to regular season National Football League action that will take place at MetLife Stadium, there will be no simulcasting offered at The Meadowlands on Sept. 13, 20, and 27.

IT'S CHRISTMAN IN SEPTEMBER: Joining regular live simulcast show host Dave Little on the Sam McKee Memorial Broadcast Set tonight and Saturday will be Cheyenne Christman, 23, a multimedia content specialist with the United States Trotting Association. Christman is not only an expert handicapper, but a third-generation horsewoman who also brings a wealth of insider knowledge to the show.

The presentation gets underway at 5:45 p.m.

Ken Warkentin will be in his usual spot at the top of the stands calling the action. Little will handle winner's circle interviews with winning connections of the featured events tonight with Gary DiLeo handling that chore on Saturday.

A STELLAR MENU: The Meadowlands' betting public is accustomed to the new \$3 Late Pick-3 (races 12-14) and \$5 Late Daily Double (13-14), but still go for mile oval's wagers that offer a low 15 per cent takeout in a big way.

These are the bets that offer that low takeout for this weekend's 14-race programs:

- Races 1-5: 20-cent Pick-5
- Races 3-9: 20-cent Survivor Pick-7
- Races 4-7: 50-cent Pick-4
- Races 6-10: 20-cent Pick-5
- Races 8-13: 20-cent Pick-6
- Races 10-13: 50-cent Pick-4
- Race 11: 10-cent Pentafecta (Hi-5)
- Race 14: 10-cent Pentafecta (Hi-5)

DOUBLE CARRYOVER: What do multi-leg players at The Meadowlands like more than a carryover? A double carryover, of course, and that's the pool they will be swimming tonight when the 20-cent Pick-6 is offered on races 8 through 13.

The carryover stands at \$10,673, which could lead to an estimated total pool of \$50,000.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY: The Meadowlands has been the top harness track in the sport since it opened, and if you come out on Saturday (Sept. 12), you can celebrate the 50th anniversary of the mile oval.

If you are one of the first 1,000 in attendance, you will receive a commemorative Meadowlands 50th Anniversary flask.

Throughout the evening, there will be video reels, interviews, and more.

In addition, there will be concession specials at the Café, with \$1 hot dogs, pretzels, popcorn, and soda and \$2 Bud and Bud Light drafts (for ages 21 and older).

The specials are available from 6 p.m.-11 p.m. with a limit of five items per transaction.

It's a good night to be in the Players Club. Members can swipe their card at any self-service terminal for a chance to win up to \$50.

ROCK OUT: Hang out on the roof at The Big M on Saturday (Sept. 19) and enjoy the classic rock sounds of The Past Masters.

The show begins at 6 p.m., and there will be drink specials but absolutely no cover charge.

For complete information, go [here](#).

Dave Little / Meadowlands media relations





RESULTS & REPLAYS



PURSE CRITERIA FOR INCLUDED RACES

Non-stakes races with a purse of \$15K+ | Stakes races with a purse of \$10K+

**RACE RESULTS FROM YESTERDAY ARE PUBLISHED AS OF MIDNIGHT.
RESULTS MADE OFFICIAL AFTER MIDNIGHT VIA THE USTA SITE WILL APPEAR IN THE NEXT ISSUE.**

RACE RESULTS - WEDNESDAY

BATAVIA DOWNS *report*

Wednesday's Results:

6, Btva, \$115,500, Trot, NEW YORK SIRES STAKE 3 YEAR OLD COLTS & GELDINGS ENTRY FEE: \$2,100 STARTING FEE: \$42.00, 28.0, 59.1, 1:28.3, 1:57.1, FT

1-Chapter Geo J (c, 3, Chapter Seven--Miss Vet Hanover, by Yankee Glide) \$57,750, \$120,000 2024 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 16-6-5-2, \$285,944

O-Kenneth E Jacobs. B-Lester A Beechy. T-Noel Daley. D-Jason Bartlett.

2-Twin B Seven Sins (c, 3, Chapter Seven--Affair Hall, by Deweycheatumnhowe) \$28,875, \$200,000 2024 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 21-5-4-2, \$236,073

O-Patricia Stables LLC & Allister Stables LLC & L A Express & N Daley & Caviart Farms. B-Twinbrook Limited, CA. T-Noel Daley. D-Drew Monti.

3-Ai (c, 3, Chapter Seven--Image Of Bee, by Muscle Hill) \$13,860, \$150,000 2024 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 25-6-3-5, \$556,662

O-Burke Racing Stable LLC & Hatfield Stables & Knox Services Inc & Weaver Brussemi LLC. B-Steve Jones. T-Ron Burke. D-Ronnie Wrenn Jr..

►► [Replay](#) ►► Calls: 2H, 1H, 1H, 1Q, 1Q - Finish Order: Highway Six, Titans Mischief

7, Btva, \$20,000, Trot, NEW YORK EXCELSIOR SERIES 3 YEAR OLD COLTS & GELDINGS ENTRY FEE: \$300 STARTING FEE: \$42.00, 29.2, 59.3, 1:28.2, 1:58.0, FT

1-Self Portrait (g, 3, Chapter Seven--Bird On Money, by Muscle Hill) \$10,000, \$40,000 2024 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 8-2-1-0, \$29,200

O-Melvin Straley. B-Order By Stable Ab, SD. T-Robert Baggitt Jr. D-Drew Monti.

Another Lexington Selected Grad Winner!

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2-Rubens (g, 3, Chapter Seven--Got You Br No, by Love You) \$5,000, \$110,000 2024 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 20-3-1-3, \$112,125

O-James A Crawford IV & Timothy Drag & Rich Preziotti & Carl L Austin Jr. B-Order By Stable Ab, SD. T-Dan Daley. D-Dan Daley.

3-Acoustic Blue Chip (g, 3, Devious Man--Tangible Blue Chip, by E L Titan) \$2,400, \$54,000 2024 GOSHEN, Lifetime Record: 14-1-2-3, \$27,925

O-Blue Chip Bloodstock Inc. B-Blue Chip Bloodstock Inc. T-Jared Bako. D-Leon Bailey.

►► [Replay](#) ►► Calls: 1Q, 1H, 2, 1T, 1 - Finish Order: Chapter Of Life, Short Chapter, Lou John's Action, Goog Eyes, Muir Woods

CANTON *report*

Wednesday's Results:

2, Cantn, \$13,820, Trot, THREE YEAR OLD COLTS & GELDINGS HOME TALENT COLT STAKES, 30.1, 1:00.2, 1:31.3, 2:02.0, GD

1-Kanye Catchme (g, 3, In Range--This Year's Best, by My MVP) \$6,910, \$9,500 2024 Buck-CL, Lifetime Record: 15-5-4-2, \$30,769

O-Karen A Fread & James A Mims Jr & Darke Iron Racing & Michael L Toth. B-Wendy N Stewart. T-Karen Fread. D-James Day.

2-Hall Stead (g, 3, Volstead--Sand Will To Wynn, by Possess The Will) \$3,455, \$8,000 2024 Buck-CL, Lifetime Record: 28-2-11-5, \$54,576

O-Robert A Kline. B-Daniel D Miller. T-Miles Wollam. D-Daren Harvey.

RACE RESULTS - WEDNESDAY (CONTINUED)

3-Daniel My Brother (g, 3, Long Tom--Anniesbluejeanbaby, by Full Count) \$1,658, Lifetime Record: 25-4-5-5, \$34,160

O-Callam Racing LLC. B-Callam Racing LLC. T-Kara Miller. D-Crist Hershberger.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 1H, 1H, 1Q, Q, 3Q - Finish Order: Short Range, Jogging Diamond, Redallover, Creating Speed

7, Cantn, \$13,820, Pace, THREE YEAR OLD COLTS & GELDINGS HOME TALENT COLT STAKES, 30.3, 58.4, 1:28.1, 1:57.0, GD

1-Stoke The Fire (g, 3, **Catch The Fire--Nyanna Hanover**, by Western Ideal) \$6,910, \$12,000 2024 Buck-CL, Lifetime Record: 24-10-2-3, \$88,520

O-Jonas C Hershberger. B-Black Magic Racing, LLC. T-Scott Cox. D-Crist Hershberger.

2-Catch The Killer (g, 3, Catch The Fire--I Kill Time, by Western Ideal) \$3,455, \$22,000 2024 OH-SEL, Lifetime Record: 28-7-11-2, \$69,750

O-Wayne Mast Jr & Eden Acres Farmstead LLC. B-Steiner Stock Farm. T-Daren Harvey. D-Kurt Sugg.

3-Race On (g, 3, Western Vintage--Missofmanymatters, by Manofmanymissions) \$1,658, Lifetime Record: 30-5-9-4, \$39,443

O-Isaiah N Shrake & Lisa B Bright & Natalie Darnell. B-Michael W Soehnen. T-Isaiah Shrake. D-James Day.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 1Q, HD, H, 1H, 3Q - Finish Order: Always Eighteen, Luck Be My Legend, Fire The Prez, Smoke On The Water

GRAND RIVER RACEWAY *report*

Wednesday's Results:

2, Grv, \$10,000, Trot, PROSPECT SERIES: 2 YEAR OLD COLT & GELDING TROT. LEG 4B. STARTING FEE \$100 CDN (\$80 USD), 29.1, 1:01.2, 1:31.0, 2:00.4

1-Benjamin Blue Chip (b,g,2 - **King Of The North-Essence Of Lindy-Cantab Hall**) \$5,000, Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-0, \$6,947

O-Thomas Riley, Bryn Campbell B-Euro Stall Se T-Amanda Riley D-Brady Galliers

2-Lmc Uncle John (b,c,2 - Muscle Mass-Hornby Gem-Kadabra)

O-Loredana Cirillo B-Loredana Cirillo T-Kyle Bossence D-Jonathan Drury

3-Buffered (b,g,2 - Muscle Mass-Cumin First-Striking Sahbra)

O-Rick Rier, Matthew Trelford B-Hamstan Farm Inc T-Matthew Trelford D-Travis Henry

Replay Unavailable -

4, Grv, \$10,000, Trot, PROSPECT SERIES: 2 YEAR OLD COLT & GELDING TROT. LEG 4B. STARTING FEE \$100 CDN (\$80 USD), 29.2, 1:01.3, 1:31.0, 2:01.4

1-Irish Exit (b,c,2 - **Alarm Detector-Fighting Irish-Southwind Lustre**) \$5,000, Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0, \$7,310

O-James Wilson B-Jeffery Ruch T-Kyle Bossence D-Jonathan Drury

2-Classiest Ruler (b,g,2 - Muscle Mass-Ruling Class-Angus Hall)

O-Morley Bosomworth, John Holding B-Glengate Farm T-John Holding D-Bruce Richardson

3-Speed Me Up (b,c,2 - Green Manalishi S-Stop And Search-Cantab Hall)

O-William McClure B-Wendy Warren Timpano, Princeton Farms Inc, Seaspray Stables Ltd, Frank Tucci T-William McClure D-Scott Young

Replay Unavailable -

HARRAH'S HOOSIER PARK *report*

Wednesday's Results:

8, HoP, \$46,500, Trot, INDIANA SIRE STAKES 2 Year Old Colts and Geldings - Leg 5 (Purse reflects \$43,000 paid by SBDF) ** \$500 Entry Fee ** 28.0, 57.4, 1:27.3, 1:56.1, FT

1-Steppinouttohelp (c, 2, **Helpisontheway--Steppin Out**, by Yankee Glide) \$23,250, \$5,000 2025 MSMS, Lifetime Record: 9-2-3-1, \$54,324

O-Backroad Stable. B-Amos S Schwartz. T-Robert Taylor. D-Robert Taylor.

2-Fifty Proof (c, 2, Fiftydallarbill--Free Drinks, by Bar Hopping) \$11,625, Lifetime Record: 9-0-4-1, \$41,235

O-John E Barnard. B-Morrison Racing Stables. T-Katricia Adams. D-Trace Tetrack.

RACE RESULTS- WEDNESDAY (CONTINUED)

3-Heffae (g, 2, Don't Let'em--Missy Hall, by Andover Hall) \$5,580, \$9,000 2025 MSSYS, Lifetime Record: 7-1-2-1, \$41,870

O-Lamar D Wingard. B-Dennis J Bontrager. T-Mark P'pool. D-Lamar Wingard.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 1Q, 1H, 1, 1H, Q - Finish Order: Dandy's Litt Bro, Temporal Power, High Honor Role, Let B Express

9, HoP, \$16,000, Trot, INDIANA SIRE STAKES ELIGIBLES 2 Year Old Colts and Geldings (Purse reflects \$16,000 paid by SBDF), 28.3, 58.0, 1:27.2, 1:56.1, FT

1-Maxximillion (g, 2, **Swan For All--Magnolia Volo, by Walner**) \$8,000, \$4,000 2025 MSSYS, Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-1, \$22,910

O-William C & William P De Long. B-Abner G Knepp. T-Roger Welch. D-John De Long.

2-Key To Survival (g, 2, Helpisontheway--Keystone Cecilia, by Cantab Hall) \$4,000, \$17,000 2025 MSSYS, Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, \$10,480

O-James A Crawford IV. B-Kad Farms. T-Steve Carter. D-Kyle Wilfong.

3-Rollin Giannis (g, 2, Temporal Hanover--You're So Fine, by Muscles Yankee) \$1,920, \$10,000 2025 MSSYS, Lifetime Record: 9-1-2-1, \$13,360

O-Jeff Fought Racing & Brian K Carsey & Sara Merea Haynes. B-Roman Stoll. T-Walter Haynes Jr. D-Trace Tetrick.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 2, 1T, 2, HD, 2Q - Finish Order: Happy To Help, Turning Pages, Swan Florida, Flying Fozzie, Dewtiful Camden, Jimmy Rebuff It

11, HoP, \$46,500, Trot, INDIANA SIRE STAKES 2 Year Old Colts and Geldings - Leg 5 (Purse reflects \$43,000 paid by SBDF) ** \$500 Entry Fee **, 28.3, 58.4, 1:28.0, 1:55.2, FT

1-Fifty And Famous (c, 2, **Fiftydallarbillion--Dance To Fame, by Yankee Glide**) \$23,250, \$10,000 2025 MSSYS, Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-1, \$42,800

O-John E Barnard. B-John E Barnard. T-Luis Quevedo. D-Trace Tetrick.

2-So Joyful (c, 2, Rebuff--Skateaway, by Walner) \$11,625, \$30,000 2025 MSSYS, Lifetime Record: 7-3-2-0, \$95,203

O-All-Wright Racing LLC & Brian R Code & James M Nellinger. B-Luckiana Farm & Aaron Dale Stutzman. T-Ernest Gaskin. D-John De Long.

3-Nectar Of The Gods (c, 2, Temporal Hanover--Goddess, by Donato Hanover) \$5,580, \$80,000 2025 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 7-4-2-1, \$105,080

O-Bet The House LLC. B-Steve Jones. T-Mike Micallef. D-Mike Micallef.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 2H, 3H, 2, H, 1H - Finish Order: Temporals Dream, Ponda Solve, Starboard, Priceless Help

12, HoP, \$47,000, Trot, INDIANA SIRE STAKES 2 Year Old Colts and Geldings - Leg 5 (Purse reflects \$43,000 paid by SBDF) ** \$500 Entry Fee **, 28.0, 58.1, 1:28.0, 1:55.3, FT

1-Tipsy In Vegas (g, 2, **Helpisontheway--Tipsy In Dixie, by Muscle Mass**) \$23,500, \$9,000 2025 MSSYS, Lifetime Record: 7-4-1-2, \$69,165

O-Melissa S Essig. B-Brookside Stables. T-Melissa Essig. D-Yannick Gingras.

2-Mendoza Mafia (g, 2, Temporal Hanover--Batoutahill, by Muscle Hill) \$11,750, \$110,000 2025 MSSYS, Lifetime Record: 6-0-2-3, \$41,263

O-Pollack Racing LLC & Jeffrey W Cullipher. B-Pond- A- Acres. T-Jeff Cullipher. D-Atlee Bender.

3-Copperstone (g, 2, Helpisontheway--Lady Sansa, by Muscle Massive) \$5,640, \$5,000 2025 MSMS, Lifetime Record: 6-0-0-2, \$14,940

O-Fac Racing LLC & Joseph Di Scala Jr & Michael E Dolan. B-John M Bontrager Jr. T-Ron Burke. D-John De Long.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 1H, 1H, 2, 1H, 1 - Finish Order: Ponda Cheetah, Beaver, Resource, Frozen Fortune, Swan Good Bi

13, HoP, \$16,000, Trot, INDIANA SIRE STAKES ELIGIBLES 2 Year Old Colts and Geldings (Purse reflects \$16,000 paid by SBDF), 28.3, 59.1, 1:29.0, 1:57.2, FT

1-Swan Ace (c, 2, **Swan For All--The Queen B, by Muscle Hill**) \$8,000, \$9,000 2025 MSSYS, Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-0, \$27,525

O-L & S Racing & Richard A Freese & Norman G Wagler. B-Harvey A Knepp. T-Lewayne Miller. D-Lewayne Miller.

2-Haven Lane Diezel (g, 2, Temporal Hanover--Golden Muscle, by Muscle Mass) \$4,000, \$8,000 2025 MSSYS, Lifetime Record: 9-1-2-3, \$18,168

O-Gerald Dean Miller & Therl L Hensley. B-Haven Lane Farm. T-Gerald Miller. D-Jordan Ross.

3-Royal Rebuff (c, 2, Rebuff--Royal Apple, by RC Royalty) \$1,920, \$12,000 2025 MSSYS, Lifetime Record: 8-1-2-2, \$21,665

O-Ernest Gaskin Stables Inc & Douglas R Shore & Final Third Stable. B-Raymond Raber. T-Ernest Gaskin. D-John De Long.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 1T, 1H, 2, 1, 2Q - Finish Order: Total Rebuff, Veil Of Honor, Ponda Avenue, I'm Tempted, Bomb Party, Ball One

HARRINGTON RACEWAY *report*

Wednesday's Results:

4, Har, \$15,000, Trot, WINNERS OF 7 PM RACES LIFE THAT ARE NW 10 (DSBF 11) PM RACES LIFE, 28.2, 58.0, 1:27.1, 1:57.1, GD

1-Bellsforall (g, 4, **Swan For All--Cathedral Belle, by Father Patrick**) \$10,500, \$23,000 2023 HOOSIER, Lifetime Record: 58-10-10-6, \$188,760

O-David Neilson. B-Alvin R Fry. T-Frank Tsipouras. D-Russell Foster.

RACE RESULTS- WEDNESDAY (CONTINUED)

2-Call Me Parker (g, 4, Musical Rhythm--Im Peekers, by Kadabra) \$5,250, Lifetime Record: 56-7-15-7, \$155,111

O-Barbara Boese & Wendy R Crissman. B-Benoit O Baillargeon, CA & Santo Vena, CA & Diane N Ingham, CA. T-Chuck Crissman Jr. D-Allan Davis.

3-Queen Cabal (m, 5, Six Pack--Royal Intrigue, by Donato Hanover) \$2,520, \$15,000 2022 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 88-7-17-10, \$139,230

O-Jack D Parker Jr. B-Timber Ridge Stable & Midland Acres Inc. T-Jack Parker Jr. D-Jack Parker Jr.

►► [Replay](#) ►► Calls: 5T, 5, 2Q, 1H, NK - Finish Order: Bourbon Buzz, Grand Prix Zette, Senor Fantastic, Southwind Python, Nifty Fifty

5, Har, \$22,500, Trot, OPEN HANDICAP PP #1-2 Drawn, #3-5 Drawn, #6-7 Drawn, #8 Assigned, M, 27.1, 56.3, 1:25.4, 1:56.0, GD

1-Black Hope (g, 7, Bar Hopping--Blacksirenepedia, by Cantab Hall) \$15,750, Lifetime Record: 118-24-22-18, \$304,224

O-David R Hamm & Frank E Chick. B-D Farm LLC. T-Les Givens. D-Brandon Givens.

2-Baby Bob (g, 5, Southwind Frank--Princessofpink, by Full Count) \$7,875, Lifetime Record: 63-14-9-7, \$149,123

O-Ross T Wolfenden. B-Olivia G Mcelrath. T-Ross Wolfenden. D-Ross Wolfenden.

3-Arrowhead Hanover (g, 4, International Moni--Aarena Hanover, by Donato Hanover) \$2,250, \$30,000 2023 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 60-13-13-13, \$275,686

O-Thestable Arrowheadhanovr. B-Hanover Shoe Farms Inc. T-Daniel Munson. D-Troy Beyer.

3-Speed Away (g, 8, Father Patrick--All The Time, by Muscle Hill) \$3,150, \$50,000 2019 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 121-32-20-22, \$589,018

O-Breakaway Racing & Yorwollahan Racing Team. B-Marvin Katz, CA & Al J Libfeld, CA. T-Nicholas Callahan. D-Corey Callahan.

►► [Replay](#) ►► Calls: 2T, 1T, 1T, 1H, 1 - Finish Order: Dyladmar, Somebody Special, Swan By Land, All Wrapped Up

HASTING *report*

Wednesday's Results:

3, Hstng, \$10,823, Trot, 2 YR OLD FILLY TROT MI SIRE STAKES ELIMINATION, 30.1, 1:01.0, 1:33.0, 2:03.1, FT

1-Naughty Nurse (f, 2, Musclesprinctonian--Red Dress Baby, by Hard Rock N Roll) \$5,411, \$20,000 2025 WCSS, Lifetime Record: 10-6-2-1, \$30,037

O-Brett Boyd Racing Inc & Stony Pointe Racing. B-Harvey E Byler. T-Brett Boyd. D-Braxten Boyd.

2-Ena Sally's Girl (f, 2, Muscles For Life--Keep It Sally, by Dominant Goal) \$2,705, Lifetime Record: 8-4-2-0, \$24,425

O-Timothy L Roach & Willa M Rousseau. B-Elmer Beechy. T-Tim Roach. D-Tim Roach.

3-Glow Of The Moon (f, 2, Moon Bridge--Moonglow, by Credit Winner) \$1,298, \$22,000 2025 WCSS, Lifetime Record: 6-1-2-2, \$13,458

O-Levi L Schmucker & Daryl J Bontrager. B-Marvin Brubacher, CA. T-Daryl Bontrager. D-Daryl Bontrager.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 5, 2, H, 3, 5 - Finish Order: Campten Curves, Sunsetacresjourney

4, Hstng, \$10,823, Trot, 2 YR OLD FILLY TROT MI SIRE STAKES ELIMINATION, 32.0, 1:03.1, 1:33.3, 2:03.2, FT

1-Westwins Gold (f, 2, Celebrity Pegasus--Rc Kandie, by Do The Deal) \$5,411, Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-2, \$21,158

O-Samuel M Eicher. B-Samuel M Eicher. T-Lewayne Miller. D-Lewayne Miller.

2-Mite B The Life (f, 2, Muscles For Life--Tiny Mite, by Wenceslaus) \$2,705, Lifetime Record: 10-4-2-1, \$29,808

O-Rebecca J Glassford & Marshall R Makin. B-Marshall L Makin. T-Marshall R Makin. D-Marshall L Makin.

3-Snoop Doll (f, 2, Medicine Man--Punks Embrace, by Super Punk) \$1,298, Lifetime Record: 10-2-2-3, \$29,560

O-Vickie S Jennings. B-Vickie S Jennings. T-Krista Harmon. D-Don Harmon.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 1, 1, 2, 1, T - Finish Order: Herbies Keeper, Mystic Mj

5, Hstng, \$11,233, Trot, 2 YR OLD COLT TROT MI SIRE STAKES ELIMINATION, 31.0, 1:03.1, 1:34.1, 2:02.4, FT

1-Life Blue Bayou (g, 2, Muscles For Life--Sister Maggie, by Cantab Hall) \$5,616, Lifetime Record: 11-5-3-0, \$60,276

O-Jarold B Hawks. B-Jarold B Hawks. T-Maurice Goldschmidt Jr. D-Brad Kramer.

2-As I Am (g, 2, Lindy The Great--As You Are, by Rompaway Wally) \$2,808, \$26,000 2025 WCSS, Lifetime Record: 7-0-3-1, \$8,711

O-Krista J Harmon. B-David J Kauffman. T-Krista Harmon. D-Don Harmon.

3-Abc Moons Raptor (g, 2, Moon Bridge--Rhapsody, by Swan For All) \$1,347, \$15,000 2025 WCSS, Lifetime Record: 9-1-0-3, \$7,464

O-Teresa K Marotta & Rick Arthur Dobson & Melissa Lynn Kesler. B-Merlin J Yoder. T-Monica Krist. D-Rick Dobson.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 3, 5, 2, 8, 14H - Finish Order: Baby Trick, Marc Andre, Record Keeper

RACE RESULTS- WEDNESDAY (CONTINUED)

6, Hstng, \$11,233, Trot, 2 YR OLD COLT TROT MI SIRE STAKES ELIMINATION, 31.3, 1:03.2, 1:35.2, 2:04.4, FT

1-Uncle Deacon (g, 2, Deacons Valley--Aunt Lottie, by Kadabra) \$5,616, \$6,000 2025 WCSS, Lifetime Record: 9-6-2-0, \$43,849

O-Mark June & Ann Marie Adamic & Mr Longine Morawski. B-Phillip C Yoder. T-Tim Roach. D-Brandon Bates.

2-Prince Of Paris (g, 2, Musclesprintonian--Gertrude Hanover, by Donato Hanover) \$2,808, \$12,000 2025 WCSS, Lifetime Record: 9-2-3-1, \$11,747

O-Teresa K Marotta & Rick Arthur Dobson & Melissa Lynn Kester. B-Miriam Bontrager. T-Monica Krist. D-Rick Dobson.

3-Golden Bachelor (g, 2, Flanagan Memory--Ninety Day Fiance, by Father Patrick) \$1,347, \$7,000 2025 WCSS, Lifetime Record: 7-0-1-4, \$10,061

O-David Kuzara. B-Global Furniture Usa Inc. & Mark A Pfeiffer. T-David Kuzara. D-David Kuzara.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 2, 2, 2, 2, 6T - Finish Order: Rigz, Medical Id, Pill Popper, Living By Luck

7, Hstng, \$11,083, Pace, 2 YR OLD FILLY PACE ELIMINATION, 30.0, 1:01.3, 1:31.3, 1:59.4, FT

1-All The Best (f, 2, Luck Be Withyou--Hickory Big Black, by Village Jolt) \$5,541, \$12,000 2025 WCSS, Lifetime Record: 9-8-1-0, \$51,928

O-Green Rock Stable. B-Ryan A Miller. T-Tim Roach. D-Brandon Bates.

2-Krypto Key (f, 2, Bondi Hanover--Kwani Key, by Keystone Raider) \$2,770, Lifetime Record: 7-4-3-0, \$22,332

O-Kelly F & Sarah E Goodwin. B-Kelly F Goodwin. T-Kelly Goodwin. D-Ty Goodell.

3-Grace Slick (f, 2, Captain Victorious--Kayla Grace, by He's All That) \$1,329, \$9,500 2025 WCSS, Lifetime Record: 10-2-1-6, \$20,888

O-E C S Racing LLC & Jerome D Mihelich. B-E C S Racing LLC & Kevin A St Charles. T-Kevin St Charles. D-John Moody.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: H, 1, 1, 2, 1 - Finish Order: Captainhonorable, Honor's Miracle

8, Hstng, \$11,083, Pace, 2 YR OLD FILLY PACE MI SIRE STAKES ELIMINATION, 29.1, 1:00.2, 1:29.3, 1:58.2, FT

1-Fluke Affair (f, 2, Luck Be Withyou--The Mistress, by Astreos) \$5,541, Lifetime Record: 6-4-1-1, \$18,418

O-Timothy L Roach & Tracee Seekman Hathaway & Mark June & Gerard C Batrow. B-Alayna M Terwilliger. T-Tim Roach. D-Braxten Boyd.

2-Vittoriosa (f, 2, Captain Victorious--Casting Shadows, by Rockin Image) \$2,770, Lifetime Record: 7-2-3-1, \$13,956

O-Laura R & Christopher J Perniciaro & Kelly F Goodwin. B-Darwin L & Ann E Shaver & Laura R & Christopher J Perniciaro. T-Kelly Goodwin. D-Brad Kramer.

3-Westwind Charm (f, 2, Captain Victorious--Sam's Shuffle, by Nobleland Sam) \$1,329, \$10,000 2025 WCSS, Lifetime Record: 7-0-4-1, \$12,260

O-Lewayne L Miller & Richard A Freese. B-Mervin A Hilty. T-Lewayne Miller. D-Lewayne Miller.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 3, 1H, NS, H, 2H - Finish Order: Lv Bit Of Luck, Rve Lady Luck, Vertrona

9, Hstng, \$12,408, Pace, 2 YR COLT PACE MI SIRE STAKES ELIMINATION, 29.2, 59.4, 1:29.4, 1:57.1, FT

1-Wheelin Cleatus (g, 2, Luck Be Withyou--Lady In Fashion, by United Ace) \$6,204, \$3,500 2025 WCSS, Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-2, \$11,644

O-Levi L Schmucker & Daryl J Bontrager. B-Cletus H Schwartz. T-Daryl Bontrager. D-Daryl Bontrager.

2-Ride Or Dye (c, 2, Bondi Hanover--Kwantum Key, by Manhardt) \$3,102, Lifetime Record: 7-4-2-0, \$28,487

O-Lewayne L Miller. B-Libby A Myers. T-Lewayne Miller. D-Lewayne Miller.

3-Kirk (g, 2, Captain Victorious--Dreamadreamforme, by Betterthancheddar) \$1,488, \$18,000 2025 WCSS, Lifetime Record: 9-3-3-1, \$17,175

O-Oldford Racing LLC & Jarold B Hawks & Allen Sisco Stable LLC. B-Denna R Sattelberg. T-Allen Sisco. D-Kody Massey.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 1, 1, 1, 1, 2 - Finish Order: Herecomesralphie, Mega Rolls, Fight Fight Fight, Lv Rockstar, What Spooks You

10, Hstng, \$12,408, Pace, 2 YR OLD COLT PACE MI SIRE STAKES ELIMINATION, 29.0, 57.4, 1:26.3, 1:57.0, FT

1-Westwins Eagle (c, 2, Stars Align A--Pan Vivant, by The Panderosa) \$6,204, Lifetime Record: 6-4-0-0, \$15,729

O-Samuel M Eicher. B-Nathan S Eicher. T-Lewayne Miller. D-Lewayne Miller.

2-Silver Crusader (g, 2, Bondi Hanover--May West, by Gunthatwonthewest) \$3,102, \$2,200 2025 WCSS, Lifetime Record: 7-1-4-0, \$13,464

O-Daryl J Bontrager. B-Libby A Myers. T-Daryl Bontrager. D-Daryl Bontrager.

3-Flashing Shadow (g, 2, Lindysalwaysthinkn--Shadows, by Shadow Play) \$1,488, Lifetime Record: 10-1-3-3, \$10,828

O-Mark A Mittlestat & Timothy L Roach & James L Van Boven. B-Marlin J Yoder. T-Tim Roach. D-Brandon Bates.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 5, 4H, 7, 2, H - Finish Order: Rockinred, Cheat Code, Thinkn Spell, Ok Clear Through

RACE RESULTS- WEDNESDAY (CONTINUED)

THE RED MILE *report*

Wednesday's Results:

1, Lex, \$15,000, Trot, KENTUCKY GOLDENROD SERIES 2 YEAR OLD COLTS & GELDINGS LEG 4 - 1st DIVISION, 28.4, 58.0, 1:26.4, 1:55.2, FT

1-Gagosian (c, 2, Walner--Basquiat, by Cantab Hall) \$7,500, \$300,000 2025 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 4-4-0-0, \$25,000

O-Brittany Farms LLC & S R F Stable. B-Order By Stable Ab, SD. T-Marcus Melander. D-Dexter Dunn.

WINNER-BY-WORLD-CHAMPION

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2-Two Fifty (c, 2, Walner--Highscore Kemp, by Muscles Yankee) \$3,750, Lifetime Record: 3-0-1-0, \$3,750

O-K R Breeding LLC. B-K R Breeding LLC. T-Domenico Cecere. D-David Miller.

3-Munich (c, 2, Rebuff--Angelina Chip, by Andover Hall) \$1,800, \$75,000 2025 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 6-0-1-2, \$14,870

O-Harbor Racing Stable LLC, CA & Wallin Racing Stable Inc & Hickory Hollow Stables & Christoffer Pihl-Svensson, SD. B-Steve H Stewart & Ernst Gerbaulet, GE. T-Lucas Wallin. D-Scott Zeron.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 1, 1Q, H, 1H, 1H - Finish Order: Hook Line Sinkers, Octavius, Barolo, Father Tom, Oscar Papa Bravo

3, Lex, \$10,000, Trot, WILDCAT SERIES 2 YEAR OLD COLTS & GELDINGS 1ST CONDITION - N/W \$7,500 IN 2026 (KY PROUD SERIES EARNINGS EXCLUDED) LEG 4 - 1st Division, 28.0, 56.2, 1:26.0, 1:55.3, FT

1-Robuchon (c, 2, Ecurie D Dk--Julia C, by My Mvp) \$5,000, Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-2, \$15,100

O-Fair Island Farm Inc. B-Fair Island Farm Inc. T-Carter Pinske. D-Todd McCarthy.

2-Sherman Norton (c, 2, Muscle Hill--May Karp, by Cantab Hall) \$2,500, \$140,000 2025 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 4-0-1-1, \$5,100

O-Harbor Racing Stable LLC, CA & Wiesman Sherma Wallin & Joe Sbrocco & Jaf Racing LLC. B-Kountry Lane Standardbred LLC. T-Lucas Wallin. D-Markus Niklasson.

3-Jula Zinfandel (c, 2, Gimpanzee--Jula Champagne, by Trixton) \$1,200, \$17,000 2025 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 5-0-1-1, \$6,480

O-Jula Racing Inc. B-Jula Racing Inc. T-Jim Oscarsson. D-Jim Oscarsson.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 2, 1H, 1Q, Q, 3T - Finish Order: Mr Humdinger, Noren, Super Way, Nomate Volo, Obiter Dictum, Sign Of The Cross

4, Lex, \$15,000, Trot, KENTUCKY GOLDENROD SERIES 2 YEAR OLD COLTS & GELDINGS LEG 4 - 2nd DIVISION, 28.2, 56.4, 1:26.1, 1:54.1, FT

1-Senor Julio (g, 2, Cuatro De Julio--Blacksirenepedia, by Cantab Hall) \$7,500, \$28,000 2025 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 7-3-2-0, \$36,600

O-Tdtrot LLC. B-D Farm LLC. T-Jeff Smith. D-Tyler Smith.

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PREFERRED EQUINE

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2-Dad's Tab (g, 2, Walner--Honor Thy Daughter, by Donato Hanover) \$3,750, \$30,000 2025 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 6-0-2-1, \$8,550

O-Pinske Stables & Enzed Racing Stable Inc & Melvin Hartman, CA. B-Kentuckiana Farms LLC & Al J Libfeld, CA. T-Carter Pinske. D-Tim Tetrick.

3-Adios Amigos Kemp (c, 2, Love You--Southwind Adele, by Muscle Hill) \$1,800, \$70,000 2025 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 5-0-1-1, \$10,050

O-Andy Miller Stable Inc & Arden Homestead Stable & Jean A Goehlen & Adios Amigos Stable. B-Kemppi Stables Oy Inc & Suojalampi Stable Inc. T-Julie Miller. D-Andy Miller.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 6Q, 4H, 1T, T, NK - Finish Order: Mantomic, Rocker Lindy, Oddsologist, Kaws, Custom Content, Crimson Crown



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5, Lex, \$30,000, Trot, KENTUCKY COMMONWEALTH SERIES 2 YEAR OLD COLTS & GELDINGS LEG 4, 28.1, 56.0, 1:25.1, 1:54.2, FT

1-Kountry Win (c, 2, King Of The North--Winndevie, by Credit Winner) \$15,000, \$425,000 2025 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, \$40,500

O-Bradley J Grant, CA & Robert J Leblanc & Robbie Pryde, CA. B-Ola R Yoder. T-Ron Burke. D-Yannick Gingras.

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2-End Result (c, 2, Muscle Hill--Culmination, by Credit Winner) \$7,500, \$105,000 2025 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-3, \$35,700

O-Mantorp LLC & Heights Stable & Joseph King & K Kjellgren Livs Ab Inc. B-Diamond Creek Farm LLC. T-Marcus Melander. D-Dexter Dunn.

3-Back Country (g, 2, Muscle Hill--Alpine, by Creatine) \$3,600, \$42,000 2025 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 6-1-0-2, \$27,200

O-Dark Horse Farm LLC. B-Diamond Creek Farm LLC. T-Matthew Burkholder. D-Tyler Smith.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: H, 2Q, H, H, NK - Finish Order: Headline, Yo Bo, Gustav Vasa, A Man Without Love, Point Blank, Up Top, Gaining Muscle, Eternal Thunder J, Capt Osborne

6, Lex, \$80,000, Trot, KENTUCKY CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES 2 YEAR OLD COLTS & GELDINGS LEG 4, 28.0, 55.4, 1:24.1, 1:51.4, FT

1-Captain Kenny J (c, 2, Captain Corey--Tuvalu, by Chapter Seven) \$40,000, \$140,000 2025 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-0, \$76,200

O-Kenneth E Jacobs. B-Crawford Farms LLC. T-Linda Toscano. D-Todd McCarthy.

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2-Command Center (c, 2, Gimpanzee--Mission Brief, by Muscle Hill) \$20,000, \$500,000 2025 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 4-1-2-1, \$89,600

O-S R F Stable & Holly Lane Stud East LTD & Steve H Stewart. B-Mission Brief Stable. T-Marcus Melander. D-Dexter Dunn.

3-Presidente (c, 2, Walner--Grandma's Moni, by Donato Hanover) \$9,600, \$175,000 2025 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 6-1-2-2, \$79,500

O-Black Horse Racing & Moni Maker Stable & Pryde Stables Inc, CA & Mr Erik Anderberg, SD. B-Moni Maker Stable. T-Nancy Takter. D-Scott Zeron.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 1Q, 1Q, 1Q, NS, HD - Finish Order: Carbon Fiber, Special Day, Chalooch, Nights In Miami, Whateverittakes As

7, Lex, \$15,000, Trot, KENTUCKY GOLDENROD SERIES 2 YEAR OLD COLTS & GELDINGS LEG 4 - 3rd DIVISION, 28.0, 56.2, 1:25.4, 1:54.0, FT

1-Opposition (c, 2, Gimpanzee--Danae, by Andover Hall) \$7,500, \$37,000 2025 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 4-3-1-0, \$21,250

O-240 Partners Inc. B-Fredericka V Caldwell & Bluestone Farms LLC. T-Marcus Melander. D-Dexter Dunn.

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2-Offenbach (c, 2, Greenshoe--Met Gala, by Chapter Seven) \$3,750, \$50,000 2025 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 3-0-1-0, \$6,150

O-Knutsson Trotting Inc. B-Yankeeland Partners Llp & Winbak Farm. T-Marcus Melander. D-Mattias Melander.

3-Madeby Volo (c, 2, Greenshoe--Margarita Momma, by Yankee Glide) \$1,800, \$42,000 2025 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-2, \$17,850

O-Pinske Stables & David J Miller & Kentuckiana Racing Stable. B-Kentuckiana Farms LLC & Jorgen Jahre Jr, NO. T-Carter Pinske. D-Todd McCarthy.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 3, 2T, 2H, 2, 2H - Finish Order: Blazen Sam, Sampras, Nicky Sandals, Pearl Of Hanover, Eruption Zone

9, Lex, \$10,000, Trot, WILDCAT SERIES 2 YEAR OLD COLTS & GELDINGS N/W \$7,500 IN 2026 (KY PROUD SERIES EARNINGS EXCLUDED) LEG 4 - 2nd DIVISION, 29.0, 57.2, 1:27.4, 1:57.0, FT

1-Mackinac Isle (c, 2, Ecurie D Dk--Gossip Hanover, by Muscle Hill) \$5,000, \$18,000 2025 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-1, \$9,500

O-Joseph Giaramita. B-Caviart Farms. T-Tony Alagna. D-Marvin Luna.

2-Bucephalusbluechip (g, 2, Temporal Hanover--Angelita Hanover, by Donato Hanover) \$2,500, \$45,000 2025 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 2-0-1-0, \$2,500

O-Blue Chip Bloodstock Inc & Craig I Turner, CA. B-Blue Chip Bloodstock Inc. T-Andy Miller. D-Andy Miller.

3-Greenbow Runner (g, 2, Six Pack--Illuminata, by Chapter Seven) \$1,200, Lifetime Record: 11-4-1-4, \$29,650

O-Enlow Racing. B-Knutsson Trotting Inc & Little E LLC. T-Jason Enlow. D-Josh Sutton.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 4, 5T, 2Q, H, 1 - Finish Order: Gh Cory, F T W Rebuff, Benedictus, Metal Gear, District Twelve, Boitano, Always Late

RACE RESULTS - THURSDAY

HARRAH'S HOOSIER PARK *report*

Thursday's Results:

4, HoP, \$15,000, Trot, INDIANA SIRE STAKES ELIGIBLES 3 Year Old Fillies (Starters finishing 1st or 2nd in ISS in 2026 not eligible) (Purse reflects \$15,000 paid by SBDF), 26.4, 56.1, 1:26.1, 1:55.0, FT

1-For Heaven's Sake (f, 3, Swan For All--Supergirl Riley, by Muscle Mass) \$7,500, \$32,000 2024 HOOSIER, Lifetime Record: 17-4-2-1, \$40,910
O-Denise L Dennis. B-Blue Chip Bloodstock Inc & John E Lengacher & Danielle Henri, CA. T-Jeff Edwards. D-John De Long.

2-Clear And Cool (f, 3, Don't Let'em--Class Angel, by Archangel) \$3,750, \$15,000 2024 HOOSIER, Lifetime Record: 24-4-5-5, \$97,269
O-Indiana Stables LLC & Frank D Baldachino & Beasty LLC & James B Zito. B-Steven E Mast. T-Henry Graber Jr.. D-Jordan Ross.

3-Meadowbrook Ashley (f, 3, You Know You Do--See Me Sparkle, by Broadway Hall) \$1,800, \$10,000 2024 HOOSIER, Lifetime Record: 27-7-2-4, \$118,964
O-Julie E Rideout & Alan L White & Dave L Gamble. B-Freeman Jay Bontrager. T-Doug Rideout. D-Clint Coy.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 5, 5Q, 1, 1H, 1Q - Finish Order: Make It Spicy, Double A Dream, Girl Math, Ponda Perfect, Indiana Help

5, HoP, \$15,000, Pace, INDIANA SIRE STAKES ELIGIBLES 2 Year Old Fillies (Starters finishing 1st or 2nd in ISS in 2026 not eligible) (Purse reflects \$15,000 paid by SBDF), 27.3, 57.0, 1:24.1, 1:52.1, FT

1-Alexis It Is (f, 2, Tellitlikeitis--Ginger Tree Alexis, by Dragon Again) \$7,500, \$15,000 2025 MSSYS, Lifetime Record: 6-1-0-1, \$21,075
O-Pat A Miller. B-Leonard J Miller. T-Aaron Stutzman. D-Anthony Miller.

2-Chancey Lucre (f, 2, Best In Show--Designer Gal, by Cambest) \$3,750, \$5,000 2025 MSSYS, Lifetime Record: 5-0-1-0, \$17,520
O-Lone Star Stables. B-Jacob L Miller. T-Aaron Stutzman. D-Atlee Bender.

3-Rockinthefreeworld (f, 2, Rockin Image--Stella Z Tam, by Sweet Lou) \$1,800, \$30,000 2025 MSSYS, Lifetime Record: 7-1-0-1, \$20,300
O-Indiana Stables LLC & Henry Graber Jr & Kiwi Stables LLC & Zippett Racing Stable. B-Chapel Ridge Farm & Fashion Hill Farm. T-Henry Graber Jr.. D-Brandon Bates.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 5Q, 2H, 2H, 4, 1Q - Finish Order: Sassy And Bold, Staritis, Straight Artist, Tell The Captain, Northern Nightstar, Skyway Elegant

HOLLYWOOD CASINO AT THE MEADOWS *report*

Thursday's Results:

6, Mea, \$21,000, Trot, **OPEN HANDICAP** P.P. 1-5 DRAWN, 6-8 DRAWN, 26.3, 55.1, 1:22.2, 1:51.4, FT

1-Prince Of Honor (g, 6, Walner--Princess Aurora, by Cantab Hall) \$10,500, \$105,000 2021 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 88-26-14-11, \$610,969
O-Burke Racing Stable LLC & Weaver Brussemi LLC. B-Marvin Katz, CA & Al J Libfeld, CA. T-Ron Burke. D-Ronnie Wrenn Jr..

WINNER-BY-WORLD-CHAMPION

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2-Big Boy Ernest (g, 6, International Moni--Woohoo Hanover, by Donato Hanover) \$5,250, \$30,000 2021 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 100-24-17-22, \$256,048
O-Bart M & Todd D Brice & Edward A Receski. B-Hanover Shoe Farms Inc. T-Norm Parker. D-Mike Wilder.

3-Time Has Come (g, 3, Uncle Peter--Contessa Leigh, by Full Count) \$2,520, Lifetime Record: 17-7-1-2, \$66,749
O-Martin E Wollam & Acadia Farms Inc. B-Martin E Wollam & Acadia Farms Inc. T-Miles Wollam. D-Aaron Merriman.

▶▶ *Replay* ▶▶ Calls: 3, 3, 2, H, 2Q - Finish Order: Guido Di, No Nap Nash, Southwind Caspian, My Next Chapter, Starlit Rambo



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RACE RESULTS - THURSDAY (CONTINUED)

PLAINRIDGE PARK *report*

Thursday's Results:

1, PRc, \$17,000, Trot, 5 YEAR OLDS AND UNDER WINNERS 2 BUT LESS THAN 5 EXTENDED PARI MUTUEL RACES LIFETIME AE: NW 6 EXT PM LT WITH A TMR OF 80 OR LESS (MARES, MASS BRED/OWNED ALLOWED 1 WIN LT), 27.0, 56.1, 1:25.0, 1:54.1, FT

1-Jeffrey Neil (g, 3, Tactical Landing--Allswell Hanover, by Cantab Hall) \$8,500, \$150,000 2024 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 9-3-1-1, \$32,000
O-K R Breeding LLC & Robert A Rudolph. B-Spring Station Bloodstock. T-Domenico Cecere. D-Brett Beckwith.

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2-Brewster Baker (g, 3, Six Pack--Black Broadway, by Broadway Hall) \$4,250, Lifetime Record: 25-4-8-3, \$124,305
O-Michael E Eaton & Robert J Mc Hugh. B-Michael E Eaton & Robert J Mc Hugh. T-Michael Eaton. D-Brad Irvine.

3-Saint Stephens (g, 4, Father Patrick--Caitlee Hall, by Conway Hall) \$2,040, \$14,500 2023 PEO, Lifetime Record: 55-6-9-8, \$73,468
O-Jesse E Mcassey. B-Diane L Giuliano. T-Jesse Mcassey. D-Kyle Swift.

►► [Replay](#) ►► Calls: 1, 2, 3, 4, 2T - Finish Order: He Hunts, Joyous Spirit, All Of A Sudden

2, PRc, \$15,000, Trot, ROMPER ROOM 2 YEAR OLDS IN 2026 MASS BREEDERS STAKES ELIGIBLES PREFERRED ROMPER ROOM EVENTS WILL USE S.O.M. STANDARDS, 29.4, 59.4, 1:29.4, 1:58.4, FT

1-Sensitivity (f, 2, Chapter Seven--Sensibility, by Muscle Mass) \$7,500, Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$11,860
O-W J Donovan & George Ducharme Stable LLC. B-W J Donovan & Joe Sbrocco & Jim Winske & George Ducharme Stable LLC. T-George Ducharme. D-Nicholas Graffam.

2-Ma's Always Right (f, 2, International Moni--It's Alright Ma, by Chocolatier) \$3,750, \$75,000 2025 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 2-0-1-0, \$4,500
O-Paul Kelley Racing Stable & Matthew L Lamont & Go For Glory Stable LLC. B-Moni Market Breeders. T-Paul Kelley. D-Bruce Ranger.

3-Nanny's Ce Ce (f, 2, Muscle Hill--Bomb Hugger, by Chapter Seven) \$1,800, Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$3,800
O-Jesmeral Stable. B-Jesmeral Stable. T-Jeff Gregory. D-Jeff Gregory.

►► [Replay](#) ►► Calls: 3, 2, 1, 1, T - Finish Order: Georgia Ways, Wicked Wink, Flip Flop Nick, Beyond The Rules, Creatine Queenie, On Tap Lindy

4, PRc, \$15,000, Trot, 3 YEAR OLDS AND UNDER NW 2 EXTENDED PARI MUTUEL RACES LIFETIME (MARES, MASS BRED/OWNED ALLOWED 1 WIN LT) AE: NW \$20,000 LIFETIME W/A MAIDENS DRAWN INSIDE, 28.2, 58.0, 1:26.4, 1:55.3, FT

1-Kingmaker (g, 3, Walner--Birthright, by Credit Winner) \$7,500, Lifetime Record: 9-1-1-2, \$14,910
O-Lindy Farms Of Conn. B-Lindy Farms Of Conn. T-Domenico Cecere. D-Brett Beckwith.

RAISED AND GRAZED AT LINDY FARMS **WINNER-BY-WORLD-CHAMPION-WALNER**

2-Peace Field (f, 3, Gimpanzee--Northern Starlight, by Muscle Hill) \$3,750, \$50,000 2024 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 21-2-4-6, \$42,225
O-Jack Clements II. B-Steve H Stewart & Michael D Andrew. T-Kim Ireland. D-Nicholas Graffam.

3-Conservative Plan (g, 3, Walner--Prenuptial, by Muscle Hill) \$1,800, \$43,000 2024 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 22-2-1-3, \$51,750
O-George Bullukian. B-Moni Maker Stable. T-Heidi Cushing. D-Mitchell Cushing.

►► [Replay](#) ►► Calls: 3, 2, 2, 1, H - Finish Order: I Like Green, Grits N Six, Bryce Canyon, Tactical Hd, McMikenmike

9, PRc, \$24,000, Trot, OPEN POST POSITIONS 1-4 DRAWN POST POSITIONS 5-8 DRAWN, 27.0, 55.4, 1:24.1, 1:52.4, FT

1-Pepper Wow (h, 5, Crazy Wow--Tori Hall, by Conway Hall) \$12,000, Lifetime Record: 59-16-8-11, \$328,225
O-Kathy & Earl B Beaman & Ivan J Davies. B-Earl B & Kathy Beaman. T-Ivan Davies. D-Mitchell Cushing.

2-Kazio Dk (g, 5, Muscle Massive--Sasha, by Great Challenger) \$6,000, Lifetime Record: 53-13-15-6, \$257,249
O-Burke Racing Stable LLC & Weaver Brussemi LLC & Fac Racing LLC & Yannick Gingras. B-Stub Mikkil, DE & Vibe Haastrup, DE. T-Joseph Nelson. D-Kyle Swift.

RACE RESULTS - THURSDAY (CONTINUED)

3-Makeorbreakzaz S (g, 6, Nuncio--Spritte Zaz, by S J's Photo) \$2,880, Lifetime Record: 55-11-10-8, \$140,896

O-Eric A Prevost & Larry D Stalbaum. B-Haydo Haydo, SD. T-Larry Stalbaum. D-Larry Stalbaum.

►► [Replay](#) ►► Calls: H, 1H, 1H, 2, H - Finish Order: Spaaaaanzano, Corner Store, Memorynimagination, Platinum As, Ordained

10, PRC, \$16,000, Trot, NW \$9,000 LAST 5 STARTS (MARES, MASS OWNED/BRED ALLOWED \$2,000) OR WITH A TM RATING OF 83 (MARES 84) OR LESS
WINNERS THIS TMR OR HIGHER LAST START NE AE: NW \$12,500 OR TMR 86 TO DRAW OUTSIDE POST, 27.2, 55.3, 1:24.0, 1:54.1, FT

1-Malibu Kid (g, 8, Wishing Stone--Malibu Seelster, by Holiday Road) \$8,000, \$25,000 2019 OH-SEL, Lifetime Record: 180-43-28-29, \$462,964

O-Shark Racing Stable. B-Lawrence J Crawford. T-Larry Stalbaum. D-Brett Beckwith.

2-Just Roxy (g, 6, Whom Shall I Fear--Foxy Roxy, by Garland Lobell) \$4,000, Lifetime Record: 84-19-12-11, \$190,246

O-George Bullukian. B-Nathaniel D Yoder. T-Gretchen Athearn. D-Matthew Athearn.

3-Stonebridge Bomber (g, 6, Muscle Mass--Stonebridge Glider, by Yankee Glide) \$1,920, \$55,000 2021 LON-V, Lifetime Record: 109-18-12-12, \$196,940

O-Aaron Robert Byron, CA. B-Angie M Stiller, CA. T-Aaron Byron. D-Aaron Byron.

►► [Replay](#) ►► Calls: H, 2, 3, 3, 1T - Finish Order: Heavens Pic, Bill Bauer, Sister Swell, Manhattan Moni, Feeling Optimistic

RUNNING ACES CASINO & RACETRACK report

Thursday's Results:

5, Aces, \$21,000, Pace, MINNESOTA SIRE 3-YEAR-OLDS CLASS A, 28.0, 57.1, 1:25.0, 1:53.4, FT

1-Swinging On Over (g, 3, Three Of Clubs--Swinging Again, by Voracious Hanover) \$10,500, \$11,000 2024 HRTLND, Lifetime Record: 32-14-8-2, \$77,929

O-Jesse J De Long & Kenneth Z Stauffer & Stephanie S Anfinson. B-Wolfswinkel Pacers Inc. T-Justin Anfinson. D-Adam Hauser.

2-Cool Mr Cool (g, 3, Wind Me Up--World Of Her Own, by Western Ideal) \$5,250, \$11,000 2024 HRTLND, Lifetime Record: 16-6-5-3, \$72,780

O-Kyle P Larner & Jesse J De Long & Terry J Knothe. B-Alan D & Cheryl J Sandbulte. T-Justin Anfinson. D-Casey Leonard.

3-Hotcheddar Flirt (f, 3, Karpathian Kid--Hotcheddarbrat, by Betterthancheddar) \$2,520, Lifetime Record: 24-4-5-6, \$48,230

O-Dennis M Green. B-Rick L & Mr Carroll D Huffman & Larry Mather. T-Brady Jenson. D-Brady Jenson.

[Replay Unavailable](#) - Calls: 1Q, 2Q, 1Q, 2, T - Finish Order: Cl Dancer, Diesel Thunder Boy, Sparklinchardonnay, Starstruck Fool, Cruisin The Clubs, Wild About Me

SCIOTO DOWNS report

Thursday's Results:

1, ScD, \$20,000, Pace, BUCKEYE STALLION SERIES 2 YEAR OLD FILLY PACE, 27.2, 56.3, 1:25.1, 1:53.0, FT

1-Sempre B Bella (f, 2, Monte Miki--Bella Marta, by Art Major) \$10,000, \$16,000 2025 OH-SEL, Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-1, \$16,951

O-Steven M & Haley Carter. B-Vincent J Costa Jr. T-Steve Carter. D-Tyler Smith.

2-Stormin Suds (f, 2, Lather Up--Rainy Day Chic, by Rockin Amadeus) \$5,000, Lifetime Record: 10-2-3-1, \$14,537

O-Marjorie L Polhamus. B-Marjorie L Polhamus. T-Dan O'Mara. D-Kayne Kauffman.

3-Mbt The Tanks (f, 2, Summa Cum Laude--Mbt, by Sweet Lou) \$2,400, \$32,000 2025 OH-SEL, Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, \$6,650

O-William J Aldrich. B-Midland Acres Inc & Brent A Hopper. T-William Aldrich. D-Sam Widger.

►► [Replay](#) ►► Calls: 7Q, 2T, 1H, HD, H - Finish Order: Fiery Ginger, Ides Of April, Can't Catch Joy, Say Hey Miki, If It Was Easy

6, ScD, \$20,000, Pace, BUCKEYE STALLION SERIES 2 YEAR OLD FILLY PACE, 27.3, 58.1, 1:25.1, 1:53.3, FT

1-Sea Jazz (f, 2, Downbytheseaside--Jazzed, by Betting Line) \$10,000, \$70,000 2025 OH-SEL, Lifetime Record: 8-4-1-1, \$35,420

O-Miller Racing Stable Inc & Chris W Gilbert & Redracer LLC & Roger Miller Jeff Bankey. B-Marvin J Troyer. T-Ryan Miller. D-Ronnie Gillespie.

2-Can'tcatchthelady (f, 2, Catch The Fire--Shesasmokinlady, by McArdle) \$5,000, Lifetime Record: 9-2-5-1, \$29,670

O-Harry Horowitz Estate. B-Harry Horowitz. T-Mark Winters. D-Sam Widger.

RACE RESULTS - THURSDAY (CONTINUED)

3-Poseformiki (f, 2, Monte Miki--Just A Pose, by A Rocknroll Dance) \$2,400, \$10,000 2025 OH-SEL, Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-3, \$22,780
O-Justin D Irvine & Jessica M Otten. B-Wayne P Weaver. T-Sam Schillaci. D-Justin Irvine.

►► [Replay](#) ►► Calls: 1H, 1H, 1, HD, 1 - Finish Order: Sky Miki, Sallie Kaa Dee, Well Intentioned, Demons Angel, Heartbreaker

7, ScD, \$20,000, Pace, BUCKEYE STALLION SERIES 2 YEAR OLD FILLY PACE, 28.1, 56.2, 1:24.3, 1:52.3, FT

1-Midnight Haze (f, 2, Dancin Yankee--Mary Goodnight, by Always A Virgin) \$10,000, Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-1, \$28,400
O-Dr Michael J Latessa & Ashley R & Edward J Miller. B-Dr Michael J Latessa & Ashley R & Edward J Miller. T-Edward Miller. D-Chris Lems.

2-Our Grey Heart (f, 2, Heart Of Chewbacca--Our Gray Girl, by Whitefish Falls) \$5,000, Lifetime Record: 10-6-3-1, \$42,940
O-Cis Racing, LLC. B-Cis Racing, LLC. T-Jeff Nisonger. D-Tyler Smith.

3-Tina Fire (f, 2, Catch The Fire--Posey Tina, by Camluck) \$2,400, Lifetime Record: 9-2-4-1, \$24,984
O-Greg Luther Racing LLC. B-Greg Luther Racing LLC. T-Todd Luther. D-Austin Hanners.

►► [Replay](#) ►► Calls: 3, 1H, 1T, 1H, 3 - Finish Order: You Go Cocoa, Up The Heat, Pictures Of Lily, Fiamma, Venus Laude

11, ScD, \$20,000, Pace, BUCKEYE STALLION SERIES 2 YEAR OLD FILLY PACE, 27.4, 56.4, 1:24.2, 1:52.4, FT

1-Gillette (f, 2, Lather Up--Baby's In Black, by Dragon Again) \$10,000, \$38,000 2025 OH-SEL, Lifetime Record: 7-2-3-0, \$26,100
O-Garry W Martin & B Kleinberg Racing LLC & Lee J Unkefer & Martin R Holden. B-Sugar Valley Farm LLC & Johnny R Smith. T-Garry Martin.
D-Justin Irvine.



2-Ds Ava (f, 2, Monte Miki--Symphony Girl, by Huntsville) \$5,000, \$20,000 2025 OH-SEL, Lifetime Record: 6-1-2-1, \$21,200
O-Wayne Mast Jr & Jason Ash & Green Wave Racing LLC & Wayne T Zollars. B-Double Spring Farm. T-Scott Cox. D-Chris Lems.

3-Apple By The Sea (f, 2, Downbytheseaside--Apple Hanover, by Well Said) \$2,400, Lifetime Record: 6-0-2-3, \$17,200
O-Let It Ride Stables Inc & Virgil V Morgan Jr & Larry W Wills & Jesmeral Stable. B-Let It Ride Stables Inc & J L Benson Stables Inc. T-Virgil Morgan Jr.
D-Luke Hanners.

►► [Replay](#) ►► Calls: 1H, 1H, 1T, 1T, T - Finish Order: Miss Miki, Bit Of L, Ambitious Ember, Fran The Flame, Moondance Sara

WOODBINE MOHAWK PARK *report*

Thursday's Results:

1, Wbs, \$22,000, Trot, 2 YEAR OLD FILLIES: NW 1 RACE OR \$10,000 LIFETIME. NO ALLOWANCES, 29.0, 59.1, 1:28.2, 1:56.4

1-Tic Tac Fashion (b,f,2 - Tactical Landing-Impressive Fashion-Father Patrick) \$11,000, Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-1, \$34,170
O-Rick Zeron Stables, Johnny Marvento, James Walker B-Fashion Farms Llc T-Richard Zeron D-Douglas Mcnair

2-Defy Gravity (b,f,2 - Alarm Detector-Needa Little Magic-Kadabra)
O-Gregg Mcnair, Paul Hawman B-Gregg Mcnair T-Gregg Mcnair D-Trevor Henry

3-Pour Intentions (b,f,2 - Gimpanzee-Flying Glider-Cantab Hall)
O-Gino Toscani B-James Wilhite T-Gino Toscani D-Damian Maclellan

►► [Replay](#) ►►

2, Wbs, \$32,000, Pace, 2 YEAR OLD FILLIES: GRASSROOTS STARTERS, 27.1, 56.4, 1:24.1, 1:51.3

1-Diamondsbestfriend (b,f,2 - Bulldog Hanover-Yellow Diamond-Western Terror) \$16,000, Lifetime Record: 7-4-1-0, \$69,900
O-Jack Darling Stables Ltd B-Steve Jones, Fair Winds Farm Inc T-John Darling D-Bob Mcclure

2-Canadian Blondes (br,f,2 - Bettors Delight-Real Clout-Real Desire)
O-Pollack Racing Llc B-Marlin & Glenn Lehman T-David Menary D-Louis-Philippe Roy

3-Watchmeparty (b,f,2 - Bettors Delight-Party In Rome-Big Jim)
O-Bill Manes, William Cripps, Steven Papillon B-Bill Manes, William Cripps, Steven Papillon T-Courtney Bishop D-Trevor Henry

►► [Replay](#) ►►

RACE RESULTS - THURSDAY (CONTINUED)

3, Wbs, \$22,000, Trot, 2 YEAR OLD COLTS & GELDINGS: NW 1 RACE OR \$10,000 LIFETIME. NO ALLOWANCES, 27.2, 58.2, 1:28.1, 1:57.0

1-Kirwin (br,g,2 - King Of The North-On Top-Trixton) \$11,000, Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$16,500

O-W J Donovan B-Glengate Farms T-Meg Crone D-Louis-Philippe Roy

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2-If Possible (br,g,2 - Captain Corey-Quite Possible-Revenue S)

O-Laura Toscani, Steven Hudon B-Beiler And Beiler Stables T-Laura Toscani D-Steven Hudon

3-Mess Around (b,g,2 - Muscle Mass-Hershey Seelster-Kadabra)

O-Millar Farms B-Millar Farms T-Nick Gallucci D-Trevor Henry

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4, Wbs, \$22,000, Pace, 2 YEAR OLD COLTS & GELDINGS: NW 1 RACE OR \$10,500 LIFETIME. NO ALLOWANCES, 27.1, 56.1, 1:25.2, 1:53.2

1-High Rise Hanover (b,g,2 - Tall Dark Stranger-High Minded-Captaintreacheraus) \$11,000, Lifetime Recod: 6-2-1-0, \$21,010

O-Bruno Comegna B-Hanover Shoe Farms Inc T-Nicky Comegna D-Douglas Mcnair

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2-Moonlit Dancer (b,g,2 - Bulldog Hanover-Good Night Moon-Big Jim)

O-Kevin Harvey, Mitchell Di Cenzo, Randall Beach B-1187422 Ontario Inc T-Chantal Mitchell D-Louis-Philippe Roy

3-Slick Draw (br,g,2 - Betterthancheddar-Katie Snoops-Sportswriter)

O-Laura Toscani, Steven Hudon B-Joseph & Karen Hudon T-Steven Hudon D-Steven Hudon

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5, Wbs, \$20,000, Trot, 4 Y O & YOUNGER, NW 1 (WINNERS FOR A PURSE OF \$10,500 OR LESS 2 RACES) RACE OR \$10,000 LIFETIME. NO ALLOWANCES. AE: N/A \$1,545 P/S IN 2026 (MIN 10 STARTS), 27.3, 57.1, 1:26.0, 1:55.0

1-Monkey Talk (b,g,3 - Gimpanzee-Fly Fly Selena-Explosive Matter) \$10,000, Lifetime Record: 11-1-2-0, \$24,900

O-Monkey Talk Group B-Dustin Jones Stables Inc, Hebert Horses Inc T-Kevin Benn D-Tyler Borth

2-Stormont Friedboy (b,g,3 - Green Manalishi S-Stormont Fried-Kadabra)

O-Stormont Meadows B-Stormont Meadows T-Kevin Benn D-Tyler Borth

3-Beau Knight (b,g,3 - Wheeling N Dealin-Bonamassa-Muscle Mass)

O-Reg Higgs, Blake Macintosh, Princeton Farms Inc B-Reg Higgs T-Blake Macintosh D-Jody Jamieson

►► [Replay](#) ►►

6, Wbs, \$22,000, Pace, 2 & 3 YEAR OLD FILLIES: NW 1 RACE OR \$12,000 LIFETIME. NO ALLOWANCES, 27.4, 57.1, 1:26.1, 1:52.2

1-We Want It All (br,f,2 - Bulldog Hanover-Beach Gal-Somebeachsomewhere) \$11,000, Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$16,000

O-Bradley Grant B-Sergent Stables Llc T-Ian Moore D-Louis-Philippe Roy

2-Biscuitinthebasket (b,f,2 - Cattlewash-Beachy Girl-Real Desire)

O-Laverne Turnbull B-Thomas Porchak T-Meg Crone D-James Macdonald

3-Tenacious (b,f,2 - Bulldog Hanover-Lady Be Great-Western Ideal)

O-Tenacious Stable B-Hamstan Farm Inc T-Ian Moore D-Travis Henry

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RACE RESULTS - THURSDAY (CONTINUED)

YONKERS RACEWAY *report*

Thursday's Results:

1, YR, \$20,000, Pace, CLAIMING ALLOWANCE \$30,000., 27.3, 56.1, 1:24.2, 1:53.0, FT

1-Regal Idea (g, 5, American Ideal--Regal Wish, by Cam's Card Shark) \$10,000, \$37,000 2022 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 64-11-7-17, \$128,188
O-William A Hartt. B-Winbak Farm. T-Lance Hudson. D-Austin Siegelman.



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2-Yorokobi N (g, 9, Bettor's Delight--Rockin Cullen, by Christian Cullen) \$5,000, Lifetime Record: 136-14-26-20, \$302,907
O-Pjt Investments LLC. B-P & B R Duffy, NZ. T-Peter Tritton. D-Jim Marohn Jr.

3-Mind Hunter (g, 7, Captaintreacherous--Mind Boggling, by Cambest) \$2,400, Lifetime Record: 129-25-19-18, \$353,795
O-Melvin G Fink. B-Let It Ride Stables Inc & Docs Farm Inc. T-Andrew Adamczyk. D-Tyler Buter.

►► [Replay](#) ►► Calls: 9, 8Q, 4, 3H, H - Finish Order: Samhara N, Ourmatemenko N, Ever M, C-bet Hanover, Rawtn Tale

2, YR, \$28,000, Trot, NW \$20,000 IN LAST 5 STARTS. AE: WINNERS IN LAST START OF THE BASE CLASS "NW \$15,000 L5." AE: NW 10 P-M RACES LT. AE: OPT. CLM. ALLOW. \$60,000, 28.2, 57.3, 1:26.2, 1:55.3, FT

1-Vandy Lane (g, 4, What The Hill--Lady Laker, by Lockkeeper) \$14,000, Lifetime Record: 47-11-11-3, \$180,193
O-David Rovine Stable LLC & Vip Internet Stable LLC. B-David W & Cody Vanderhyde. T-Travis Alexander. D-Jordan Stratton.

2-Blockchain (g, 5, International Moni--Mixed Metaphor, by Explosive Matter) \$7,000, \$12,000 2022 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 49-11-13-9, \$193,374
O-Burke Racing Stable LLC & Weaver Brussemi LLC. B-Russell C Williams. T-Ron Burke. D-Tyler Buter.

3-Exquisite Taste (m, 4, Resolve--Ghost Glider, by Yankee Glide) \$3,360, \$34,000 2023 LON-CL, Lifetime Record: 51-10-11-7, \$301,801
O-Ecurie CSI, CA & Louis-Philippe Roy Racing, CA. B-Glengate Farms, CA & Ariel Stables, CA. T-Pat Lachance. D-Pat Lachance.

►► [Replay](#) ►► Calls: 6, 6H, 2Q, 1H, HD - Finish Order: E-pass, Commodus A, Lucky Mum N, Vinny De Vie, Taipan As

3, YR, \$15,000, Pace, CLAIMING ALLOWANCE \$15,000., 28.2, 57.2, 1:26.2, 1:55.1, FT

1-Seth Hanover (g, 8, Artspeak--Subtle Charm, by Die Laughing) \$7,500, \$5,000 2019 GOSHEN, Lifetime Record: 185-40-31-21, \$498,978
O-Brian&Ira Wallach Racing & Dilloian Stable LLC. B-Hanover Shoe Farms Inc. T-Doug Dilloian Jr. D-Jason Bartlett.

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2-Shake It (g, 7, Heston Blue Chip--Rock Me Gently, by Rock N Roll Heaven) \$3,750, Lifetime Record: 123-30-29-13, \$448,598
O-Melvin G Fink. B-Let It Ride Stables Inc. T-Andrew Adamczyk. D-Tyler Buter.

3-Camouflage Money (g, 7, Betting Line--Shelliscape, by Artiscape) \$1,800, \$95,000 2020 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 141-25-18-19, \$347,435
O-Quaker Hill Racing LLC. B-Stephen P Dey III. T-Nicholas Sodano. D-Colin Kelly.

►► [Replay](#) ►► Calls: 1H, 1H, T, 1, NS - Finish Order: Gothic Rock, He's Special, Ferragamo Hanover, Squadron Seelster, Shine A Light

4, YR, \$43,000, Trot, INVITATIONAL POST POSITION: 1 ASSIGNED POST POSITIONS: 2-6 DRAWN, 27.4, 57.0, 1:25.1, 1:54.3, FT

1-Uncle Rat (g, 4, Uncle Peter--Royal Illusions, by RC Royalty) \$21,500, \$17,000 2023 OH-SEL, Lifetime Record: 48-16-10-7, \$171,061
O-Scott A Berquist. B-F H L Farm. T-Travis Alexander. D-Jordan Stratton.

RACE RESULTS - THURSDAY (CONTINUED)

2-Asteroid (g, 8, Creatine--Ultimate Cameron, by Yankee Glide) \$10,750, Lifetime Record: 85-26-15-20, \$645,928

O-Pollack Racing LLC. B-Diamond Creek Farm LLC. T-Enrico Robinson. D-Colin Kelly.

3-Sir Pinocchio (g, 5, Met's Hall--Lady Cromwell, by Chapter Seven) \$5,160, Lifetime Record: 55-22-11-5, \$1,069,526

O-Carolyn Atherton. B-Carolyn Atherton. T-Linda Toscano. D-Jason Bartlett.

►► [Replay](#) ►► Calls: 5, 4H, 4H, 2Q, NK - Finish Order: Oliver The Great, My Degenerate, Payback Moni

5, YR, \$18,000, Pace, F&M CLAIMING ALLOWANCE \$20,000, 27.3, 55.4, 1:24.2, 1:54.1, FT

1-Milagro (m, 4, Always B Miki--Thecrowdiswatching, by Sportswriter) \$9,000, \$3,000 2023 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 60-20-12-7, \$126,383

O-Tony B & Linda J. Schadel. B-Joseph Davino & Anthony Perretti Farm LLC & Brad Shackman, CA. T-Tony Schadel. D-Tyler Buter.

2-Onederfulbeach (m, 6, Beachtree--Tailwind Hanover, by Art Major) \$4,500, \$7,000 2021 Buck-CL, Lifetime Record: 121-17-19-26, \$313,743

O-Bill Reepmeyer LLC. B-Robert J Eicher. T-Bruce Lauer. D-Brent Holland.

3-Younonothinjon (m, 7, Captaintreacherous--Simply Liz, by Art Major) \$2,160, Lifetime Record: 140-14-15-21, \$155,367

O-Anatolia Racing LLC. B-Anatolia Racing Stb Inc. T-Andrew Adamczyk. D-Jordan Stratton.

►► [Replay](#) ►► Calls: 2Q, 3H, 3, Q, 2 - Finish Order: Big City Daisy, Racin For Royalty, Bettor's Ticket, Doc's Love, Jive Dancing A

6, YR, \$22,000, Trot, CLAIMING ALLOWANCE \$40,000., 28.2, 57.0, 1:26.1, 1:56.2, FT

1-Stacking Green (m, 4, Greenshoe--Majestic Lexi, by Uncle Peter) \$11,000, Lifetime Record: 54-15-10-11, \$208,700

O-Triple D Stables Inc & Team Dream Catcher & Tim Tetrack LLC. B-Black Magic Racing, LLC. T-Scott Di Domenico. D-George Brennan.

GREENSHOE WINNER



2-Kays In Charge (m, 4, Can't Afford It--Armbrø Bahrain, by King Conch) \$5,500, \$14,000 2023 WALKER, Lifetime Record: 59-21-20-4, \$322,489

O-Anatolia Racing LLC & Adamczyk Racing LLC. B-Fox Valley Standardbreds. T-Andrew Adamczyk. D-Brent Holland.

3-The Brodster (g, 4, Propulsion--Temple Ruins, by Donato Hanover) \$2,640, \$81,000 2023 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 47-12-2-10, \$168,199

O-Engblom Farm LLC & Evans Nation. B-Bluestone Farms LLC & Fredericka V Caldwell. T-Petter Engblom. D-Jason Bartlett.

►► [Replay](#) ►► Calls: T, 1T, 1H, NS, T - Finish Order: Jesses Doll, Theobald, Hat Trick Marleau, Sunday Shoes, Songs In The Wind

7, YR, \$22,000, Trot, CLAIMING ALLOWANCE \$40,000., 29.1, 58.4, 1:27.3, 1:57.0, FT

1-B Nicking (g, 9, Wishing Stone--B Nicki, by Like A Prayer) \$11,000, Lifetime Record: 180-35-34-21, \$601,676

O-Melvin G Fink. B-Ben F Robards. T-Andrew Adamczyk. D-Tyler Buter.

2-Bellissimo Face S (g, 7, Raja Mirchi--Marita's Legacy, by Yankee Glide) \$5,500, Lifetime Record: 77-17-11-10, \$306,396

O-Fac Racing LLC & Joseph Di Scala Jr. B-Lutfi Kolgjini Ab, SD & Anna Svensson, SD. T-Petter Engblom. D-Jason Bartlett.

3-Radio Lab (g, 7, Crazyed--Warrawee Jade, by Angus Hall) \$2,640, \$18,995 2020 LON-V, Lifetime Record: 157-26-20-17, \$258,612

O-Joseph A Faraldo & Triple D Stables Inc. B-Meridian Trot. T-Scott Di Domenico. D-George Brennan.

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8, YR, \$28,000, Trot, NW \$20,000 IN LAST 5 STARTS. AE: WINNERS IN LAST START OF THE BASE CLASS "NW \$15,000 L5." AE: NW 10 P-M RACES LT. AE: OPT. CLM. ALLOW. \$60,000, 28.1, 57.2, 1:26.0, 1:55.1, FT

1-Always A Story (m, 4, Chapter Seven--Danica Hall, by Deweycheatumnhowe) \$14,000, \$45,000 2023 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 54-14-12-9, \$283,115

O-Kap Singh Racing Stable & Earl Hill Jr, CA. B-Midwind Farms. T-Jared Bako. D-Colin Kelly.



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2-Wheelzablazin (g, 5, Wheeling N Dealin--Blazing Shot, by Via Blaze) \$7,000, Lifetime Record: 96-27-12-8, \$273,807

O-Greg Luther Racing LLC. B-Tom A Gallant, CA. T-Travis Alexander. D-Jim Marohn Jr.

3-Kildare King (g, 8, Trixton--Exclusivity, by Yankee Glide) \$3,360, \$50,000 2019 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 113-29-21-10, \$763,150

O-Evans Nation & Engblom Farm LLC & Hickory Hollow Stables. B-Robert Goodman. T-Petter Engblom. D-Jason Bartlett.

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9, YR, \$19,000, Pace, NW \$8,367 IN LAST 5 STARTS. WINNERS OF THE BASE CLASS "NW \$7,500 L5" IN LAST START NE. AE: WINNERS IN LAST START OF THE BASE CLASS "NW \$5,000 L5"; 28.1, 56.4, 1:24.4, 1:53.0, FT

1-Shipmaster (g, 4, Captaintreacherous--Trim Hanover, by Camluck) \$9,500, \$50,000 2023 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 50-10-4-12, \$178,125
O-David Rovine Stable LLC & Vip Internet Stable LLC. B-Brittany Farms LLC. T-Travis Alexander. D-Jason Bartlett.

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2-Music Hall (g, 6, Sweet Lou--Rockette, by Rocknroll Hanover) \$4,750, Lifetime Record: 108-29-16-20, \$329,010
O-William E Emmons. B-Let It Ride Stables Inc. T-Chris Height. D-Brent Holland.

3-Brutallyhandsome A (g, 8, Art Major--Life Inthefastlane, by Life Sign) \$2,280, Lifetime Record: 146-23-26-17, \$345,237
O-Caldwell Mamie Racing LLC. B-John James & C Yeomans, AS. T-Cory Stratton. D-Vincent Ginsburg.

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