

**Sunday, February 3, 2019**

# McWicked voted Canada's Horse of the Year

*Also at Saturday's O'Brien Awards, Richard Moreau won his sixth straight Trainer of the Year award and Louis Philippe-Roy won his first Driver of the Year title.*

by Standardbred Canada



Dave Landry

**McWicked (Brian Sears) winning in 1:46.2 at Red Mile. He was named Somebeachsomewhere Horse of the Year and Older Pacer of the Year.**

**McWicked** was named Canada's Horse of the Year and [Richard Moreau](#) of Puslinch, ON won his sixth consecutive title as Canada's Trainer of the Year on Saturday at the 30th edition of the O'Brien Awards in Mississauga, ON.

Moreau put up some incredible numbers in the 2018 season, sending 315 winners postward and training horses to more than \$4.6 million in earnings, a new personal best. He was the leading trainer in both wins and earnings at Woodbine Racetrack's final meet and at Woodbine Mohawk Park.

Moreau trained O'Brien Award winner **Jimmy Freight** for part of the sophomore season including his victories in the Ontario Sires Stakes and Somebeachsomewhere. Other top performers from the Moreau Stable in 2018 included pacing colt Backstreet Shadow, trotting horse Big Rich, and pacing mare Witch Dali.

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*McWicked, last year's richest and fastest Standardbred, was sold twice at Harrisburg — first as a \$35,000 yearling and later as a \$210,000 racehorse.*

Harrisburg Yearling Sale graduates had **double the nominations** for O'Brien Awards than graduates of any other sale. We congratulate the connections of the Harrisburg yearling grads listed above, along with all the other award winners honored this year.

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Casie Coleman, the runner-up in this category, did not go home empty handed as two of her horses, McWicked and **Stag Party**, garnered awards. McWicked picked up two O'Brien Awards, one as Older Pacing Horse of the Year and the other as the Somebeachsomewhere Horse of the Year.

Trained by Coleman for Ed James' SSG Stables, McWicked dazzled fans throughout North America this past season winning almost every major event for older pacers and putting together the best single-season of his illustrious career, winning 12 of 19 races and more than \$1.6 million, while boosting his career earnings to more than \$4 million, making him one of the richest pacers in the history of the sport.

The world champion pacer posted major wins in the Ben Franklin Memorial, and William Haughton Memorial. The son of McArdle rattled off five straight wins to end the season, including major victories in the \$430,000 Breeders Crown Final and the \$350,000 TVG Final. McWicked's most lucrative victory came on home soil in the \$600,000 Canadian Pacing Derby at Woodbine Mohawk Park.

Stag Party, trained and co-owned by Coleman, was voted Two-Year-Old Pacing Colt of the Year. The son of Bettors Delight enjoyed a brilliant rookie season in 2018 that included six victories and almost \$670,000 in purse earnings. The colt didn't miss the board in any of his nine races, with his biggest victory in the \$890,000 Metro Pace.

Stallions based at Tara Hills Stud in Port Perry, ON sired seven of the winners, including five by Kadabra.

**Louis-Philippe Roy** took home his first title as Canada's Driver of the Year. His O'Brien Award honor for the 2018 season is a result of a career year that included 416 wins with total purse earnings in excess of \$7.4 million. He topped the Canadian driver charts for both wins and earnings and was the leading driver in both wins and earnings at Woodbine Racetrack and Woodbine Mohawk Park.



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**Richard Moreau won a record sixth straight Canadian Trainer of the Year award.**

Roy recorded his 1,000th career driving victory with HP Titania Runner on August 10 at Woodbine Mohawk Park in an Ontario Sires Stakes event, and was also the winner of the Lampman Cup for 2018 as he finished at the top of the drivers' standings in the Ontario Sires Stakes.

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**Louis-Philippe Roy won his first Canadian Driver of the Year award.**

Roy was the regular driver for O'Brien Award winners **Show Play** and Jimmy Freight.

**Guy Gagnon** of Gatineau, Que., was named the winner of the O'Brien Award of Horsemanship. Gagnon is a regular trainer-driver at Hippodrome 3R and Rideau Carleton Raceway, where he topped the driving charts for wins in 2018. Gagnon posted impressive numbers in both training and driving in 2018 with 209 wins and \$1.1 million in driving earnings along with 59 victories and more than \$352,000 in training earnings.

The Captaintreacherous filly **Tall Drink Hanover** was voted Two-Year-Old Pacing Filly of the Year. She was a top-three finisher in all but one of her 11 races and earned more than \$455,000. She swept the Whenuwishuponastar, the Shes A Great Lady, and won a division of the Eternal Camnaton, all at Woodbine Mohawk Park.

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Shower Play was voted Canada's Three-Year-Old Pacing Filly of the Year. The Shadow Play filly scored six wins during her 2018 campaign, including three Ontario Sires Stakes events, the Fan Hanover Final and Simcoe division. She bankrolled almost \$480,000 and took a mark of 1:50.2 in the Fan Hanover Final at Woodbine Mohawk Park.

**Jimmy Freight** took the title of Canada's Three-Year-Old Pacing Colt of the Year. The son of Sportswriter won 11 races and more than \$834,000, while collecting victories in all five Ontario Sires Stakes races he competed in, including his season-ending Super Final. He also won eliminations of the Messenger and Progress Pace, and finished his season with a runner-up finish in the Progress Final.

Older Pacing Mare honors went to the warhorse **Exhilarated**, who started 44 times from January through December while winning 11 races and \$211,000 in purse money. The Carmen Auciello trainee was a regular competitor in the Fillies and Mares Preferred ranks at Woodbine Mohawk Park.

In the Two-Year-Old Trotting Filly division, **The Ice Dutchess**, a winner of five races and \$472,000, was voted the winner. She swept the Peaceful Way Stakes at Woodbine Mohawk Park and won her Bluegrass Stakes division at The Red Mile.

**Forbidden Trade** was voted Two-Year-Old Trotting Colt of the Year. The son of Kadabra won seven races and \$300,000, including his Ontario Sires Stakes Super Final and four additional OSS events.

The Kadabra filly **Illusioneesta** was named Three-Year-Old Trotting Filly of the Year. Trained by Per Henriksen, she won four races and more than \$241,000 in 2018. Two of those wins were in Ontario Sires Stakes events.

In the Three-Year-Old Trotting Colt division, **Run Director** was voted the O'Brien winner. The son of Kadabra had six wins and purse earnings exceeding \$436,000 last season. Four wins came in Ontario Sires Stakes events, including his OSS Super Final victory.

Older Trotting Mare honors went to **Emoticon Hanover**, who was a winner of six races and more than \$397,000 during her five-year-old campaign. She put an exclamation mark on her stellar season with a three-race win streak that included the elimination and final of the Breeders Crown and the TVG for trotting mares.

**Will Take Charge** was voted Older Trotting Horse of the Year. The talented trotter won nine races and more than \$492,000. The son of Kadabra eclipsed one million dollars in career earnings in 2018 and scored victories in the Maxie

Lee Memorial Invitation and the Crawford Farms Open Trot.

In the Armstrong Breeder of the Year category, **Seelster Farms of Lucan, Ont.**, was voted the winner. Seelster-bred horses earned in excess of \$3.4 million in 2018, and included O'Brien finalists **Bronx Seelster** and **Nirvana Seelster**.

**Chris Lancaster of Airdrie, Alta.** was the Future Star Winner. In his first full-time year of training, **Lancaster conditioned** 29 winners and horses that earned \$216,000 while racing primarily at Fraser Downs, Century Downs and Northlands Park. Lancaster trained the stakes-winning two-year-old pacing filly Rockin Mystery for the latter part of her season, which included an Alberta Sires Stakes Super Final victory.

**Trevor Forgie and Scott Lecain** were named co-recipients of the Outstanding Groom Award, sponsored by the OLG. In the early morning hours of December 21, a devastating fire broke out in the barn leased to trainer Mark Steacy, at First Line Training Centre near Guelph, Ontario. Forgie and Lecain, both employees for Steacy, were two of the first people to arrive at the scene. Their courageous efforts resulted in 33 of the 38 horses being saved.

A complete list of the winners and their respective owners follows, as well as the winners of the Media Excellence Awards, which were also presented at the Gala.

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## CANADIAN PACING DERBY

Three-year-olds and older open pace.  
Final raced on **Saturday, August 31, 2019.**  
Purse \$600,000 E Final (\$350,000 A).

## CANADIAN TROTting CLASSIC

Three-year-old open trot.  
Final raced on **Saturday, September 14, 2019.**  
Purse \$665,000 E (\$400,000 A).

## CASUAL BREEZE

Three-year-old filly trot.  
Raced on **Friday, August 23, 2019.**  
Purse \$150,000 E (\$60,000 A).

## ELEGANT IMAGE

Three-year-old filly trot.  
Final raced on **Saturday, September 14, 2019.**  
Purse \$350,000 E (\$225,000 A).

## ETERNAL GAMNATION

Two-year-old filly pace.  
Raced on **Saturday, August 24, 2019.**  
Purse \$250,000 E (\$60,000 A).

## FAN HANOVER

Three-year-old filly pace.  
Final raced on **Saturday, June 15, 2019.**  
Purse \$425,000 E (\$275,000 A).

## GOODTIMES

Three-year-old open trot.  
Final raced on **Saturday, June 15, 2019.**  
Purse \$260,000 E (\$125,000 A).

## MAPLE LEAF TROT

Three-year-olds and older open trot.  
Final raced on **Saturday, August 31, 2019.**  
Purse \$650,000 E Final (\$350,000 A).

## METRO PACE

Two-year-old open pace.  
Final raced on **Saturday, September 21, 2019.**  
Purse \$850,000 E Final (\$300,000 A).

## MILTON

Three-year-olds and older fillies and mares pace.  
Final raced on **Saturday, September 21, 2019.**  
Purse \$250,000 E Final (\$150,000 A).

## NASSAGAWEYA

Two-year-old open pace.  
Raced on **Saturday, August 24, 2019.**  
Purse \$225,000 E (\$60,000 A).

## PEACEFUL WAY

Two-year-old filly trot.  
Final raced on **Saturday, September 14, 2019.**  
Purse \$380,000 E Final (\$175,000 A).

## ROSES ARE RED

Three-year-olds and older fillies and mares pace.  
Final raced on **Saturday, June 15, 2019.**  
Purse \$370,000 E Final (\$225,000 A).

## SHES A GREAT LADY PACE

Two-year-old filly pace.  
Final raced on **Saturday, September 21, 2019.**  
Purse \$550,000 E Final (\$250,000 A).

## SOMEBEACHSOMEWHERE

Three-year-old open pace.  
Raced on **Saturday, June 1, 2019.**  
Purse \$180,000 E (\$60,000 A).

## WILLIAM WELLWOOD MEMORIAL

Two-year-old open trot.  
Final raced on **Saturday, September 14, 2019.**  
Purse \$400,000 E Final (\$175,000 A).

## BATTLE OF WATERLOO

Ontario Sired Two-year-old open pace.  
Final raced on **Monday, August 5, 2019.**  
Purse \$250,000 E Final (\$90,000 A).

## BATTLE OF THE BELLES

Ontario Sired Two-year-old filly pace.  
Final raced on **Monday, August 5, 2019.**  
Purse \$165,000 E Final (\$60,000 A).

## CONFEDERATION CUP XLI

Four-year-old open pace.  
Final raced on **Sunday, May 19, 2019.**  
Purse \$180,000 E (\$150,000 A).

## BALANCED IMAGE

Ontario Sired Two-year-old trotting fillies & colts in 2019.  
Final raced on **Saturday, August 24, 2019.**  
Purse \$50,000 E (\$20,000 A).

## DREAM OF GLORY

Ontario Sired Three-year-old trotting fillies & colts in 2019, non-winners of \$75,000 (fillies \$100,000) in 2018.  
Final raced on **Saturday, August 3, 2019.**  
Purse \$60,000 E (\$40,000 A).

## KIN PAGE

Ontario Sired Three-year-old pacing fillies in 2019, non-winners of \$50,000 in 2018.  
Final raced on **Sunday, July 7, 2019.**  
Purse \$60,000 E (\$40,000 A).

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### PACERS

#### TWO-YEAR-OLD FILLY PACER

##### Tall Drink Hanover

(Captaintreacheraus—Take Into Account)

**Owned by** Alagna Racing LLC, Manalapan, NJ; Marvin Katz, Toronto, ON; Riverview Racing LLC, Boynton Beach FL.

**Trained by** Tony Alagna

**Bred by** Hanover Shoe Farms

#### TWO-YEAR-OLD COLT PACER

##### Stag Party

(Bettor's Delight—My Lady Day)

**Owned by** John D. Fielding, Toronto, ON; Mac T. Nichol, Burlington, ON; McKinlay & Fielding, Toronto, ON; West Wins Stable, Cambridge, ON

**Trained by** Casie Coleman

**Bred by** Fred Hertich III

#### THREE-YEAR-OLD FILLY PACER

##### Shower Play

(Shadow Play—Alice Emily)

**Owned by** Rene Dion-Susanne J. Kerwood, Rockwood, ON; Martin Leveillee, St-Blaise-Sur-Richelieu, QC

**Trained by** Rene Dion

**Bred by** Tara Hills Stud Ltd.

#### THREE-YEAR-OLD COLT PACER

##### Jimmy Freight

(Sportswriter—Allamerican Summer)

**Owned by** Adriano Sorella, Guelph, ON

**Trained by** Richard Moreau / Andrew Harris

**Bred by** Alan and Randell Eden

#### OLDER PACING MARE

##### Exhilarated

(Mach Three—Animated Art)

**Owned by** Auciello Stables, Stouffville, ON

**Trained by** Carmen Auciello

**Bred by** Steve Stewart and Daisy Acres

#### OLDER PACING HORSE

##### McWicked

(McArdle—Western Sahara)

**Owned by** S S G Stables, North Boston, NY

**Trained by** Casie Coleman

**Bred by** Andray Farm

## TROTTERS

#### TWO-YEAR-OLD FILLY TROTTER

##### The Ice Dutchess

(Muscle Hill—The Ice Queen)

**Owned by** Coyote Wynd Farms, Vancouver, BC

**Trained by** Jimmy Takter

**Bred by** Stephen Dey III, David Reid

#### TWO-YEAR-OLD COLT TROTTER

##### Forbidden Trade

(Kadabra—Pure Ivory)

**Owned by** Determination, Montreal, QC

**Trained by** Luc Blais

**Bred by** Steve Stewart

#### THREE-YEAR-OLD FILLY TROTTER

##### Illusioneesta

(Kadabra—She's A Priority)

**Owned by** Harbor Racing Stable LLC, Aurora, ON; Asa Farm, Norwood, ON

**Trained by** Per Henriksen

**Bred by** Mary A. Smith

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**THREE-YEAR-OLD COLT TROTTER**

**Run Director**

**(Kadabra—Keep The Spirit)**

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**Trained by** Ben Baillargeon

**Bred by** Thomas and Elizabeth Rankin

**OLDER TROTTING MARE**

**Emoticon Hanover**

**(Kadabra—Emmylou Who)**

**Owned by** Determination, Montreal, QC

**Trained by** Luc Blais

**Bred by** Linda Wellwood, Tammy Aspden, Anne Shunock, Diane Ingham

**OLDER TROTTING HORSE**

**Will Take Charge**

**(Kadabra—Celebrity Angel)**

**Owned by** Mac T. Nichol, Burlington, ON; Jeffrey R. Gillis, Mississauga, ON

**Trained by** Jeff Gillis

**Bred by** Kentuckiana Farms

**SOMEBEACHSOMEWHERE HORSE OF THE YEAR**

**McWicked**

**Owned by** S S G Stables, North Boston, NY

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**O'BRIEN AWARD OF HORSEMANSHIP**

**Guy Gagnon**, Gatineau, QC

**ARMSTRONG BREEDER OF THE YEAR**

**Seelster Farms**, Lucan, ON

**DRIVER OF THE YEAR**

**Louis-Philippe Roy**, Guelph, ON

**TRAINER OF THE YEAR**

**Richard Moreau**, Puslinch, ON

**FUTURE STAR AWARD**

**Chris Lancaster**, Airdrie, AB

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*Tall Drink Hanover*

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AND RIVERVIEW RACING LLC

OLDER TROTTING MARE OF THE YEAR

*Hannelore Hanover*

1:49.2 (\$2,835,388)

SWAN FOR ALL - HIGH SOBRIETY

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LLC, FRANK BALDACHINO, AND J & T SILVA STABLES LLC

★WINNER★

OLDER PACING MARE OF THE YEAR

*Caviart Ally*

P4, 1:48.3S<sup>1</sup>-18 (\$1,152,501)

BETTORS DELIGHT - ALLAMERICAN COOL

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OLDER TROTTING MARE OF THE YEAR

*Emoticon Hanover*

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## Young wins lawsuit over yearling, but As-Is Clause still stands

Richard Young may have won his lawsuit over the yearling he purchased that was discovered to have a congenital heart defect, yet despite the legal victory, the As-Is Clause that governs commerce at horse sales is still very much in place.

by Dave Briggs

Despite winning his court case over a yearling he refused to pay for because it was found to have a congenital heart defect, horse owner Richard Young of Boca Raton, FL said the legal victory will not eliminate the As-Is Clause that is the underpinning of the commerce of all horse sales.

“There’s no striking down As-Is clauses. That’s ridiculous, that’s not even a thought,” said Young, the defendant in a case that went to court in December, 2018 in Pennsylvania. “I fought this on principle because (the horse’s breeders) went too far.”

Hanover Shoe Farms president Russell Williams, a lawyer by training, said he studied the case from a legal perspective and “could write a book about it.” Williams stressed the result of the case “absolutely did not” change anything with respect



Dave Landry

**Owner Richard Young (shown signing for a horse at the Lexington Selected Yearling Sale), won his lawsuit over a yearling he bought at Harrisburg in 2013 that was found to have a congenital heart defect.**

to the As-Is Clause, which in the case of the Standardbred Horse Sale Company’s 2018 yearling sale catalogue was written as follows:

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“Richard Young tried to argue that the As-Is Clause was no longer the law in the U.S., therefore he would not even have to go to trial,” Williams said. “That was the main defense and he lost. He lost because the judge decides these motions... Richard lost the pre-trial motion about the As-Is Clause as a matter of law. Therefore, the case had to go to trial, because the Legges (the breeders of the horse) were suing him for payment.”

More on the background of the case in a second. For now, you should know the horse in question, a Well Said filly out of Arts Diva named Eloquent Diva – bred by Brian and David Legge of Ontario – was sold out of the Preferred Equine consignment for \$67,000 as hip 17 to Young at the 2013 Standardbred Horse Sale Company yearling sale. Williams is the chairman and vice-president of the sale company, but was commenting on the case not as a representative of the sale company, but on the basis of his legal background and familiarity with the horse business.

While Young won the case and did not to have the pay for the horse, the important point isn't so much the facts of the case, but what the court decision means for horse buyers and sellers going forward.

Williams said since it was a civil trial the result provides no legal precedent when it comes to the As-Is Clause.

“There's nothing weird or archaic about As-Is,” Williams said. “People in the horse business are the opposite of risk-adverse. It's a risky business and, therefore, when you buy a horse, you buy it As-Is. It's part of the risk-accepting environment of the horse business.”

Lawyer and horse owner Andrew Cohen said the As-Is Clause is a well-understood and accepted principle in the horse business.

“When you grow up in this industry you're kind of trained to understand that all sales are final,” Cohen said. “They have the As-Is Clause in all of the sales contracts that nobody reads. It's at the beginning of all the catalogues and it's a profoundly significant legal document. It's a profoundly significant legal contract that you're getting into when you bid successfully on a horse.

“It's an arrangement that's designed to benefit the consignors and the sellers and the people who are putting their horses up for auction. All of us sort of understand the idea behind them, that if you didn't have some sort of

protection for sellers, it would be chaos.”

Imagine a world where buyers decide a week or two after a sale that they want to return a horse and get a refund – perhaps for reasons of buyer's remorse, perhaps because once they got a horse home they weren't as enamored with the horse as they were on sale day. It would, as Cohen said, be chaos.

Though the As-Is Clause is still very much in place, the best Young said he can hope for is that it may be amended slightly to allow for unusual cases such as the one he was involved in.

“Things like OCDs or possible fractures that you can see with an x-ray, that's part of the As-Is. That's what it's about. But does As-Is go so far as to include organ damage, to include congenital heart problems, to include kidney issues? It should not, because we cannot know and we should not be signing something that says I have to be worried about a heart condition,” Young said. “That went too far. So As-Is clauses should remain the way they are and there should be an additional comment in there somewhere that relates to certain types of conditions that cannot be discovered at an auction.

“I do believe – and even Standardbred Horse Sales Company more or less, through talking with their attorneys

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**Russell Williams (center with auctioneers at the 2017 Standardbred Horse Sales Company auction) said the As-Is Clause is alive and well, despite Young's courtroom victory.**

said, "We're going to have to amend what the As-Is Clause is."

Young said the problem is, a buyer rarely can examine the inside of a horse.

"Let's say I go look at 30 horses, what am I going to do, examine them for heart conditions and kidney problems for 30 horses, of which I'm planning to buy two? What kind of expense are we talking about here? What kind of timeframe is required to do all of that? ... You can't x-ray lungs and hearts et cetera," Young said. "You'd need an MRI machine. You need to send the horse to New Bolton. You can't do that."

#### THE CASE

David Reid's Preferred Equine consigned Eloquent Diva to the 2013 yearling sale in Harrisburg, PA on behalf of breeders Brian and David Legge.

Though the filly was later found to have a serious congenital heart defect, Reid said Eloquent Diva, "would have been inspected well over 30 times" prior to the sale without the defect being found.

He said the filly, born in Harrisburg, PA, would have been inspected by a vet as a foal, would have been inspected by a vet again before being shipped to Kendal Hills Stud Farm in Ontario after being weaned, inspected by both himself, as the consignor, and Standardbred Horse Sales Company representative in the spring of 2013 before being accepted in the sale, inspected again by a vet before crossing the border on the way to the sale and then – as a day one, top-ranked yearling prospect – inspected often by top buyers between the Friday when she arrived in Harrisburg

and the Monday when she went into the ring.

Despite the horse being examined a lot before selling, as an interesting article in *Thoroughbred Daily News* attests, [the vetting process prior to a horse selling in a sale is far from a perfect one.](#)

Young purchased the filly for \$67,000. He said the horse



was examined by his vet, Dr. Dey, two days after the purchase.

“Dr. Dey put a hand on the horse’s chest and immediately said ‘We have a problem here. We need to send this horse to New Bolton.’ Now, that’s pretty quick.”

Young contacted Standardbred Horse Sales Company president Dr. Pete Spears who agreed Eloquent Diva should be sent to New Bolton. There, Dr. Virginia Reef examined the filly’s heart.

“It turned out to be a very serious condition. They rate heart murmurs from 1-to-5 and hers was a full 5. Doctor Reef, who is an expert in heart conditions in horses, maybe the biggest expert in all of the United States, said she had never seen one as bad as it. She gave a diagnosis that the horse would likely die by the time she was five or six. She would deteriorate and die... She died two weeks into her fifth year.

“She said it was a condition from birth. She also said, in testimony, they should have found this. And certainly, if Dr. Dey just puts a hand on the horse and finds it in five minutes, how do they not find it in a year-and-a-half? We didn’t argue that (the breeder or seller) knew, because it didn’t matter if they knew. They should’ve known, that’s really what it comes down to.

Young said Spears subsequently told him he, “had a bona fide reason not to pay for the horse and they would not pursue me. This occurred within a couple of weeks of the

actual sale.”

Normally what happens in such cases is a deal is struck and the breeder takes back the horse That did not happen in this case.

“We tried to offer a settlement and (the Legges) turned it down,” Young said. “The Legges decided to pursue me anyway.

“For someone to want to pursue this in the manner in which they pursued it when even the Standardbred Horse Sales Company said ‘he has a bona fide reason not to pay for this’ (was unusual). So, we have an aggressive attorney and people that want to do this... Truthfully, it should have gotten settled,” Young said.

Eloquent Diva was never put into training.

“Jesus, I wasn’t going to train that horse,” Young said. “I wasn’t going to have anybody get on a horse where the prognosis is that it’s going to die in a couple of years and get worse and it might die in training and possibly injure somebody,” Young said.

Reid said the fact this case went to trial – taking the better part of five years to do so – was highly unusual.

“From 1998 to 2018, being conservative, in just the Harrisburg yearling sale, Preferred has sold over 2,300 yearlings and it’s the first time that we’ve had an issue like this. And that’s just Harrisburg yearlings,” Reid said. “From all the other sales, we’ve sold over 5,000 yearlings in the past



Dave Landry

**Lawyer and horse owner Andrew Cohen (with trainer Linda Toscano in Lexington) said the Young case marks "an important milestone for the sport because it forces us to look a little differently at something that we thought was written in stone."**

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20 years and this is the first experience we've had of this nature."

He said the tricky part is, "at the fall of the hammer, the buyer doesn't owe the money to the seller or the consignor, he owes it to the sales company."

That said, he stressed he is always willing to help broker a settlement, if possible.

"There has been cases – a limited amount of cases – where if there is a dispute, Preferred Equine – on behalf of the seller and if the seller is willing to – will listen to any disputes," Reid said. "We would always, always, *always* try to be part of any mediation or any conversation to resolve the matter amicably without going to an attorney. My history has been that any time you involve an attorney, it's a lose-lose-lose situation because all anyone does is spend a lot of money in legal fees."

Williams said the As-Is Clause applied in this case because neither the Legges nor Preferred Equine knew the filly had a heart defect.

"If a consignor knows about a defect, the As-Is does not apply, but you have to prove that they knew about it. If they are innocent, then you accept the risk when you buy the horse. It's a high-risk business. There's nothing wrong with it," Williams said.

"The evidence in the case showed that you had a horse with a heart defect that was not caught. There was no evidence that the Legges knew about it when they sold the horse, so given that nobody in the case testified that there was a warranty – and there has to be evidence that somebody said or wrote something that could constitute a warranty if you read the transcript – there is nothing in there. Therefore, for Young to win, the jury had to just decide, 'We want him to win. Why would a jury do that? The old jury veto. Look at the case. The horse had a terrible heart defect and the guy bought the horse. Even though there was no evidence that the Legges knew about it and it was certainly not the case that Richard Young knew about it, the jury thought that Young deserved to win, so they went his way.

"The jury just wanted to do what was fair and, to them, making Young pay for a horse that was seriously defective and actually died before the trial – the poor thing died – they just didn't think it was right, so they did what they thought was right.

"I'm comfortable with it, because juries are the judges of the facts and not of the law. The law remains unchanged. All

these cases are extremely fact-specific and one little nuance can change the outcome of the trial, because of the role of the jury."

### BUT WAS AS-IS WEAKENED?

Cohen said the verdict likely did not establish a legal precedent, but could be instructive for similar cases in the future.

"Does the verdict by a jury in Pennsylvania have precedent? Is this going to be cited if this comes up at a sale in New York or Kentucky? No, I don't think so," Cohen said. "There's no precedential value, but nevertheless it's instructive. It tells us that when a layperson, who isn't in our sport, is explained all the rules and was explained this fact pattern, the jury came back pretty quickly and said, 'the buyer here deserves some relief. The buyer wasn't treated the way we would want to be treated in the same situation.' So, it's significant.

"The fact of the matter here, after this ruling, the As-Is Clause is not as concretely strong as a lot of us thought it was six months ago or a year ago.

"We know that in certain circumstances you can challenge it in court and we also know, if you read between the lines of this result, that it costs a fortune in legal fees to get everybody to the point of resolution. You could argue, and I'm sure Richard would argue, that everybody lost here, not just the sellers who lost in the jury room, but everybody. Nobody comes away either looking good or whole as a matter of finance.

"What you have there is like a new bloodline, a new way of looking at an old situation in harness racing. Even though nobody wins, including Richard, I think it's an important milestone for the sport because it forces us to look a little differently at something that we thought was written in stone."

Williams said the Standardbred Horse Sales Company is reviewing its terms and conditions, "and thinking about everything that we have to think about in order to protect everyone in our sale, because we have two sets of customers – the consignors are customers, that was Preferred Equine that the Legges were with, and the bidders are customers, too. We don't want anybody to get screwed at our sale.

"But the As-Is exception – I keep saying 'clause' but it's an exception – is alive and well."

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## After a week of rain, youngsters finally get a beautiful day at Sunshine Meadows

by Ron Gurfein

Truly amazing, but after seven days straight of rain, the gods were with us Saturday and we had a beautiful day at Sunshine Meadows. According to Tony Alagna's mom, Ms. Donna Lee, you should allow two seconds for an off track. There was plenty of action but knowledge of the road conditions after all that rain kept the turn out on The Deck to a smaller group than normal. Sam Bowie, and his buddy Terry Miller, made a surprise appearance.

Lindy Farm and Fred Grant were among the missing in the training department, however I did get the opportunity to see **Perfect Hanover**, the Father Patrick colt out of the great mare Passionate Glide for the first time on the track since he had an OCD removed and was quite pleased with the easy way he got over the ground.

Out early was a beautiful 3-year-old filly **The Wonderous Wendy** by Western Ideal from Lush Limbaugh with Megan Scran. The Alagna brigade of 3-year-olds were also in the early action all going solo and looking fine, were my favorite from last years winter sessions **Captain Ahab** ,c, (Captaintreacherous—Aquavella) who in my humble opinion could have a 3-year-old season to rival that of his dad's, along with **Escapetothebeach**, g (Somebeachsomewhere—Shelliscape) **Waterway** c (Captaintreacherous—Capri Hanover) and **Treacherous Reign** f (Captaintreacherous—Scandalous Hanover).

Lee, m a very accomplished equestrian in her own right, trained a trio of exceptional pupils, **Riviera Seelster** f (Sunshine Beach—Rockapulco), **Cliff Hanger** g (Vintage Master—Mystery Game) and **Princess Layla** f (Sportswriter—Jann's Bid).

From the Zeron Stable, **Miss Willa** caught my eye looking the best of her set, the Andover Hall daughter of Miss Athens is a sister to my good filly Dover Miss, she bested **Sixteen** c (Donato Hanover—Mets Inn) and **Tennessee Rain** g (Father Patrick—Rustic Rosie). **Cathedral Belle** f (Father Patrick—Lady Athens), **Madam Justice** f (EL Titan—Lady I Am) and **Enid Hanover** f (Muscle Hill—Emylou Who) were all nailed on the wire by the last to first move of **Val Halla** f (Chapter Seven—Yankee Naila) also from team Zeron.

From Webster/Crogan came a nice set including, **Sassy Michele** f (Roll With Joe—Michelle's Ideal), **Standafar Hanover** f (Captaintreacherous—So Perfect), **Middleton** f (Somebeachsomewhere—Jolting Kate), and **Recoil** f (Rockin

Image—Shot To Go Blue Chip). Also, they trained **Booty Call** f (Somebeachsomewhere—Love Canal) and **Pick Me Upper** c (Trixtion—Pick Me Up) both caught at the finish by **Sweet Beachtime** f (Somebeachsomewhere—Sweet Paprika).

Another nice set from Zeron was: **Burberry** c (Father Patrick—High Heels Kadabra), **Ripley Muscles** f (Muscle Mass—Fin de Maye) and **Fortune Tellin Lindy** f (Trixtion—For A Dancer) who won easily under wraps.

**US Captain** looked strong for Matt Krueger (Alagna Stable). Hopefully, he will have a good 3-year-old campaign, the Captaintreacherous colt is out of the great Brittany mare American Jewel.

Paul Kelley had a nice group, **Amos Hart** c (Trixtion—Zeta Jones) one of my favorites, **Mambo** f (Yankee Glide—Dance To Market) and **Flying Glider** f (Cantab Hall—Highland Glider) all looked good Saturday morning.

Believe it or not the Wizard (Pacey Mindlin) has a very nice Rockin Image colt, **Leon David**, out of the good mare Native Dream in the Peter Wrenn stable. Peter also trained a good looking Always A Virgin filly this morning out of Sand Pleasure her name is **O She's Magic**.

More from Webster/Crogan: **Odds On Daytona** c (American Ideal—Odds On Monet), **Das Deo** c (Captaintreacherous—Lis June) and **Baydis** c (Artspeak—Quick Babe) looked great.

From the Alagna barn, **He Refuses To Lose** c (Captaintreacherous—Fox Valley Zena) beat **Speak The Peace** f (Artspeak—KeepThe Peace) in a sharp 2:42 and **Sea Of Life** c (Captaintreacherous—Fresh Idea) beat a beautiful trotting lass **Confidante** (Father Patrick—Anywhere With You).

Due to the late start and the wet track I was forced to go home to let my dogs out and I want to thank Steve Wienick for texting me the results of the last few Alagna sets.

**It's ShowTime** c (Captaintreacherous—Ufizzi Hanover) came from last to first to best **Ideal Perception** c (American Ideal—Southwind Siren) and **Chief Mate** c (Captaintreacherous—Heaven Forbid). **Karmas Delight** f (Captaintreacherous—Darlins Delight) bested **Treacherous Lady** f (Captaintreacherous—Weapons Against) and **Odds On Orlando** f (Captaintreacherous—Lindys Old Lady).

**Captain Barbosa** c (Captaintreacherous—Swinging Beauty) defeated **Captain Video** c (Captaintreacherous—Eitherurinator) and **Major Risky** c (Captaintreacherous—Flyonce).

Everyone asks about the Zeron story, but there is nothing newsworthy to write about. Thanks for all the great mail. Please keep the questions coming to Ask The Guru and have a wonderful week.

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## In praise of Place and Show pools

by Frank Cotolo

In the initial Bettors Banquet (BB) column ([full column here](#)) there were statements that will serve to guide novice and veteran bettors into a paradigm shift. Each BB column from here on will lean upon those statements, which are actually postulates, using current racing examples and the unfettered realities of the game to improve your wagering experiences.

Let us begin with a constant pari-mutuel reality – the betting pools.

Long before there were numerous exotic wagering possibilities in every betting race, players gambled on races using the three basic pools – win (or “straight”), place and show. They were and they are still separate pools. Yet, players relate to them in a pecking order: the win pool is the most important, the place pool less important than the win pool and the show pool is – well, most players feel it is useless.

Everyone places wagers into the win pool and by everyone I mean *everyone*. Ask a betting friend or a stranger, for instance, who he or she likes to place, or to show, and be mocked. It is a winner every one wants to back. Yet, what do you know? In every race, the place and show pools not only exist, they pay money to bettors correct about their respective finishing positions.

The “other two” pools were always options in the pari-mutuel experience. There were always three distinctive ways to make a profit on a wager – bet a horse to finish second or third as well as first. There being no “pool police,” if you will, anyone betting on a race could bet any combination of win, place and show or all of them.

“Huh?” said one novice bettor. “You can make place and show money on a horse that wins?”

“Sure,” said the so-called veteran bettor, “If you play place and show only and the horse wins, you win money.”

Oh, new bettors think, so there are consolation payoffs. Cool.

Place and/or show bets are not consolations; to look down upon them is to ignore the intrinsic value of the system, which, as we always emphasize, exists to offer many ways to profit. A universal example introduces the constant role of math to our better-betting practices.

At Flamboro Downs on Jan. 24, in Race 2, Bettor X played \$2 to win on Beantownbellacheck (reasons for bets not applicable to this topic). Bettor Y played Miss Daisy Duke for \$2 to place. Bettor Z put \$2 to show on Mollie MoGeoch.

Beantownbellacheck won, paying \$14. Miss Daisy Duke came in second and paid \$11.70 to place. Bettor Z collected \$4.90 for show on Mollie McGeoch.

Which bettor did better?

You are wrong if you said Bettor X did better because you judged a win ticket to be more important to cash than the place or the show ticket. You saw only a face value and that is deceiving. Face values should never be used to measure profits.

Let us digest this constant reality. Bettor X made a profit of \$12 from a win bet. Bettor Y made a profit of \$9.70 from a place bet. Bettor Z made \$2.90 from a show bet. Each bettor achieved their purpose for betting at all – they profited.



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Bettor A made a profit of \$12. Bettor B made a profit of \$4.80 and Bettor Z made a profit of \$2.90.

You should applaud all of them for making a profit on their base bets. Place and show are viable pools to play for profit. There are three Ps a bettor must always keep in mind:

Profit, Profit and Profit.

Place and show pools get bad press. Players demean them. However, place and show pools deserve respect on their own. They serve as legitimate areas in which to make profit above and beyond their functions in exotic wagers. I have brought new fans to the game, always emphasizing that any way they decide to wager using the three basic pools can mean making money.

“Do not discriminate,” I tell them. “When you win money, you win money. Duh!”

I have personally met players whose wagering profits were concentrated on the place and show pools, and did so with minimum bankrolls. Those types of bettors, though rare, had the definition of “profit” embossed in their consciousnesses. So, their aim to make money was devoted, that is, they only bet either pools.

It is amazing to me that how people deal with money when it comes to pari-mutuel wagering; it radically differs from how they deal with money in any other aspect of their lives. People vary definitions for money usage due to perceptions about gambling versus investment. In this BB series we will break down such myths and methods continually.

... to be continued.

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## Muscle Hill - champion sire again in Sweden

by Thomas Hedlund

Swedish harness racing magazine Sulkysport ([sulkysport.se](http://sulkysport.se)) recently published statistics regarding the European stallions for 2018 and Muscle Hill dominated strongly in Sweden last year.

Propulsion (Muscle Hill–Danae) had a tremendous year on the tracks in 2018 and collected more than \$1,214,000 during the season. That, and the fact that Björn Goop's Mellby Free (Muscle Hill–Mellby Ticket) earned more than \$675,000, were major contributing factors for the success of Muscle Hill as a stallion.

Muscle Hill offspring made 1,306 starts and won 258 races for total earnings of \$5,707,349, which is a new record for a single stallion in Sweden.

One reason for the new record is the increasing purses in Sweden last year, which were 18 per cent higher than the previous year.

Ready Cash and Maharajah fought a tight struggle and followed behind Muscle Hill on the Swedish list.

### Sweden 2018 sire list

**Stallion – Starts – Wins – Earnings in dollars**

1. Muscle Hill – 1,306 – 258 – \$5,707,349
2. Ready Cash – 1,224 – 240 – \$3,995,742
3. Maharajah – 1,528 – 255 – \$3,955,644
4. Scarlet Knight – 2,527 – 242 – \$3,439,651
5. Love You – 2,207 – 289 – \$3,420,488

### Ready Cash is hard to beat in France

Ready Cash's dominance as stallion in French harness racing is unsurpassed for the moment. His offspring, both sulky and under saddle, earned a phenomenal \$12,618,047.

For the third consecutive year, Ready Cash dominated the French stallion stats. Forty-one times his offspring won races with purses higher than 100,000 euro (\$114,300).

Swedish-bred Ready Express won the 2018 Prix d'Amérique, Bold Eagle finished second and the list of victories from prestigious races in France where Ready Cash is the proud father is long.

Bird Parker won Prix de Paris (\$457,000) and Prix de Belgique (\$135,000), Traders won Prix de Cornulier (\$800,126) under saddle and Face Time Bourbon and Eridan won two of the Criterium-races (\$274,328) during 2018.

Bold Eagle earned \$921,288 in 2018 and, by that measure, was the best harness horse in France last year.

Ready Cash can easily continue to dominate French breeding in the years ahead since he also produced the 2-year-old trotter with highest earnings last season. Now 3-year-old Gotland (Ready Cash–Sanawa) had five starts, won them all and earned \$184,029.

Prodigious and Love You entered the podium behind the outstanding Ready Cash.

### France 2018 sire list

**Stallion – Wins – Earnings in dollars**

1. Ready Cash – 283 – \$10,397,228
2. Prodigious – 197 – \$6,127,880
3. Love You – 172 – \$5,536,198
4. Orlando Vici – 138 – \$3,721,941
5. Cocktail Jet – 144 – \$3,685,449

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## Nine in a row for Varenne

In the opinion of many harness racing fans, the best trotter in the world is Varenne and the champion on the tracks also leaves his impression in Italian breeding. In 2018, Varenne took his ninth stallion championship in his home country.

His offspring earned \$4,869,431, combined, in 2018.

Andover Hall was the most successful stallion in Finland, Revenue was tops in Norway and Great Challenger led the pack in Denmark.

## Italy 2018 sire list

### Stallion – Earnings in dollars

1. Varenne – \$4,873,905
2. Ganymede – \$2,272,861
3. Love You – \$1,915,494

## Germany 2018 sire list

### Stallion – Earnings in dollars

1. Love You – \$909,848
2. Conway Hall – \$582,883
3. Quick Wood – \$290,623

## The Netherlands 2018 sire list

### Stallion – Earnings in dollars

1. Ufo Kievitshof – \$203,075
2. Classic Photo – \$187,990
3. Russel November – \$157,191

## Norway 2018 sire list

### Stallion – Earnings in dollars

1. Revenue – \$812,490
2. Orlando Vici – \$770,461
3. Thai Tanic – \$653,335

## Finland 2018 sire list

### Stallion – Earnings in dollars

1. Andover Hall – \$913,590
2. Quite Easy – \$655,380
3. Love You – \$645,093

## Denmark 2018 sire list

### Stallion – Earnings in dollars

1. Great Challenger – \$698,714
2. Ens Snapshot – \$552,202
3. S.J.'s Photo – \$279,438

## Austria 2018 sire list

### Stallion – Earnings in dollars

1. Light Kronos – \$253,286
2. Incredible Hulk – \$126,957
3. Love You – \$93,561

## Face Time Bourbon is hot stuff in France

Four-year-old Face Time Bourbon (Ready Cash—Vita Bourbon) has dominated the races in the F-crop in France so far and the son of Ready Cash was impossible to stop when he won the \$120,000 Prix Charles Tiercelin in a new stakes and track record at Vincennes last Sunday on the Prix d'Amerique card.

Björn Goop drove the Sébastien Guarato trained 4-year-old and the duo had no bigger problems to secure the victory in mid home stretch, after a third-over trip and an attack three wide with a little less than a half mile to go. The mile rate of 1:54.3 over 1.3 miles is a new track record for 4-year-olds at Vincennes and the temperature around the Ready Cash son is rising, not only because his performances at the track, but also due to the big interest for his future breeding services.

At Arqana Trot's sale at Vincennes on Friday, Jan. 25, a 1/90-part of Face Time Bourbon's services as a stud was sold for 110,000 euros, approximately \$125,000 and for the moment, this trotter seems to be hard value in the European trotting business.

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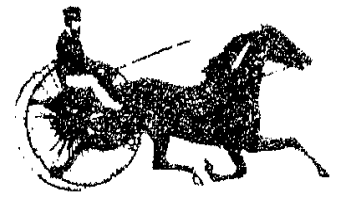
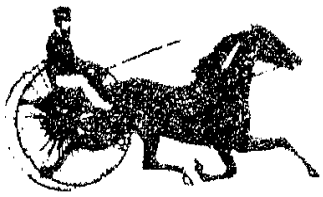


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## Catching up with Hall Of Famers

by Bob Heyden

**Wally Hennessey:** "I show up. All I ever wanted to do was to make a living. The Grand Circuit, that's not for me. Too much going on behind the scenes. I like it at home. When I was going good on the New York Sires Stakes, that was something that just happened. I had taken off of Moni Maker for Monet Blue Chip – she was all over the racetrack that day – and Moni Maker won. Geoff Stein wanted me to drive Moni Maker and I committed to the end of the year with her. It was the only time I EVER committed to a horse. She was just a winner. I don't think anyone was thinking 19-for-20 at that point (at 3 in 1996).

"I was second to Malabar Man with Take Chances in the Hambletonian. I remember that year winning the Kentucky Futurity with him. It was the first time they held that race under the lights. The year before, I was driving Running Sea for Chuck Sylvester and that colt was third in the Hambletonian won by Continentalvictory with Lindy Lane second.

"I've been driving since I was 18. I'm 62 now."

Hennessey said the secret to performing at a high level is to never, "lose your passion for the sport. We are a dying breed-those of us who care as much as we do and do this every day. I'm passionate. I love what I do."

Ask about the 1992 Woodrow Wilson winner Americas Pastime, who was the richest maiden winner (\$800,000 purse) in the sport's history to that point, Hennessey said, "He was in the right spot at the right time. I would have been happy getting to the fence and picking up fifth going in. They wound up battling up front pretty good and he got there in time."

Asked for other career highlights, Hennessey was quick to mention the big event in his hometown of Charlottetown, PEI.

"I won the Gold Cup & Saucer TWICE. I'm Happy," Hennessey said.

## The book on some of this year's Hall of Famers

**Blair Burgess** is the only trainer to have a trotter and a pacer in the 21st century named Horse of the Year – pacer Real Desire in 2002, followed by Glidemaster in 2006. Burgess then followed his 2006 season. In 2007, Burgess trainee Tell All was voted the Pacer of the Year, making Burgess the first trainer to have a trotter be named Horse of the Year followed the next year by a horse that won Pacer of the Year.

**Joe Holloway** currently owns the world race record for females at 1:47 with Shebestingin, and was the trainer of all-time world record holder Always B Miki (1:46) as a sophomore. Holloway's Jennas Beach Boy set the world race record for 3-year-olds in 1995 at 1:48.4 at the Red Mile (9/30/95) and then lowered that better than a second at 4 (1:47.3) at the Meadowlands in the Driscoll-Haughton (6/22/96). Holloway, in the span of one week in 1992, dead-heated to victory in the Yonkers Trot with McCluckey and upset in the North America Cup with Safely Kept – scoring at odds of better than 25-1 and rolling right by a horse you might recall – Western Hanover. Silverman's Glowing Report surpassed \$2 million – putting him into the elite category of trainers having a male and female pacer in the \$2 million club. (Die Laughing). George Steinbrenner's name could pop up on Hall Of Fame Night. Holloway trained his only Meadowlands Pace starter – Rods Deal – in 1997 (No check).

**Jerry Silverman** won the same Triple Crown race a quarter century apart – 1966 Messenger and 1991 Messenger with Romeo Hanover and Die Laughing, respectively.

Only Silverman and Burgess won a Triple Crown with different drivers In 1966, George Sholty and William Myer drove Romeo Hanover and in 2006, George Brennan finished up with Glidemaster in the Yonkers Trot after John Campbell's leg injury sidelined him after winning the Hambletonian and the Kentucky Futurity. Silverman is the rare trainer to have a colt earn better than \$1 million at 2 and 3. Die Laughing pulled off the feat in 1990 and 1991 – and remember that was against the likes of Artsplace and then Precious Bunny.

**Linda Toscano** set the half-mile world race record in 1999 in Delaware Ohio with Jet Laag – 1:49. Toscano is the only trainer since Stanley Dancer to go 1-2 in the Horse of the Year balloting. Both HOY runnerups were the Hambletonian winner that year. Dancer's Albatross earned the HOY over Super Bowl in 1972. Toscano's Chapter Seven defeated Market Share in 2010. Toscano won the last \$1.5 million race in the sport for trotters – the 2012 Hambletonian with



Market Share. Toscano broke through for all the lady conditioners of the world taking down the 2002 Breeders Crown for older pacing mares with Molly Can Do It. Toscano went 1-2 in the 2004 New Jersey Sires Stakes final for \$150,000 – especially impressive considering that in that race was the eventual division champ Timesareachanging and the soon-to-be Meadowlands Pace upsetter Holborn Hanover.

**Ted Wing** drove and trained many of his horses. He tied the Meadowlands all-age track record of 1:53.4 in 1978 with Kerry Gold, a Down Under horse he also part-owned. The Ted Wing barn had a good one in 2008 when Francam was second on Hambletonian Day in the year's fastest mile – 1:47.2 by With Anticipation. Three lengths back and individually timed in 1:48, Wing became the first driver 60 or older to go that fast in a race.

### What is it about age 62?

**Wally Hennessey** is the leading driver at Pompano Park at age 62.

**John Campbell** retired from driving in 2017 at the age of 62

**Tommy Houghton** turns 62 on Feb. 27. It is the same age when we lost his dad, Billy, in 1986 after a racing accident.

**Joe Holloway** is a newly-elected Hall Of Famer at age 62.

**Mike Lachance** won the 2013 Kentucky Futurity with Creatine at age 62 and then won it the next year with My MVP.

**Ron Pierce** is now 62 and will have been retired for four years as of March.

The favorite in the 1989 Dead Heat Hambletonian was Peace Corps, bred by then 62-year-old Stanley Dancer.

**Ron Gurfein** was 62 when his prized 2-year-old Cantab Hall began his streak of 10 straight in 2003. He was not only named divisional winner, but was the only 2-year-old trotters so honored as Trotter of the Year.

**Chuck Sylvester** turned 62 a month after his Chip Chip Hooray gave him his fourth Hambletonian trophy in 2002.

**Linda Toscano** was 62 when she sent out Walner twice in 2017 – and both his victories stood up as the two fastest sophomore trotting miles of the season. Like Holloway, she's bound for the Hall of Fame this summer.

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Dave Landry

**Shartin N (Tim Tetrick) winning the 2018 Allerage Mares Pace at Red Mile.**

## Shartin N's New Zealand origin story

*How a headstrong pacing mare from Christchurch – named for a thoroughbred racetrack – rose to become just the second Down Under horse to win a Dan Patch Award after the legendary Cardigan Bay.*

**by John Coffey**

*Originally published in Australian breeding magazine Trackbred*

Dan Patch was more than a harness racing superstar in the early years of the 20th century in the USA. The horse from Indiana was the most famous athlete in all the land, whether two- or four-legged.

It is no surprise then that the annual awards provided by the U.S. Harness Writers Association for the best horses in all categories are known as the Dan Patch Awards.

In the history of the awards, there was only one Down Under-bred horse that collected a Dan Patch Award for his trophy cabinet and that was the legendary Cardigan Bay, who won the trophy for Older Male Pacer in both 1965 and 1968.

Some 50 years on, the New Zealand-bred mare **Shartin N** has created a history page of her own by joining Cardigan

Bay as just the second Down Under-bred horse to capture a Dan Patch Award.

Shartin N, besides winning the trophy for Older Pacing Mare, also became the first mare in harness racing history to win over \$1 million in prize money in a single season of racing. Her record for the 2018 season stands at 24 starts, 19 wins and one second for earnings of \$1,053,236.

Amongst those 19 wins were nine in major stakes and she remained undefeated in every stakes race she contested – they being:

- \$373,000 Blue Chip Matchmaker Series
- \$281,000 Roses Are Red final
- \$270,000 Older Mares Breeders Crown final
- \$197,000 Lady Liberty pace
- \$175,000 TVG Mares final
- \$161,000 The Artescape pace
- \$150,000 Betsy Ross Invitational
- \$102,000 Chip Noble Memorial
- \$98,500 Allerage Farms pace.

Remarkably, those nine victories came on every size track

in North America – half-mile, five-eighths, seven-eighths and mile tracks.

Shartin N now has every right to be considered for the Horse of the Year title to be announced on Feb. 24 at the Dan Patch gala banquet in Orlando, FL.

Her achievements are even more remarkable considering those nine major wins were spread over almost eight months of racing – a testament to the mental and physical soundness of Shartin N herself and just as importantly to the ability of her trainers Jim King, Jr. and his wife Jo Ann Looney-King to keep her razor sharp for those diamonds in the crown.

The Shartin N story began back in Christchurch, New Zealand with her breeder Grant Crabbe. The 65-year-old motor mechanic by trade lives just around the corner from Nevele R Stud and is a regular at that farm servicing vehicles and helping out with horse work.

Crabbe trained Bagdarin, the dam of Shartin N, on a share arrangement with her breeder Bruce Francis of Ashmorven Stud. The future looked rosy for Bagdarin when she won her first race start impressively at Ashburton in February, 2011. Then a couple of mediocre performances followed by a vet examination revealed chronic arthritis of her knees. That meant the racing career of this daughter of Live Or Die was over shortly after it had begun.

As a result of the share arrangement, Crabbe had the choice of breeding the second foal from Bagdarin.

“I thought Tintin In America had the most devastating speed of any horse I’ve seen race in New Zealand and with his arrival at Nevele R Stud it made the choice an easy one “ Crabbe said recently.

Shartin N entered the world on Oct. 20, 2013.

“I have seen a lot of foals over the years gallop around their paddocks, but one day I was blown away with the speed of this Tintin In America filly as she set sail across my paddock. She had the speed of a thoroughbred, so I thought I had better give her a thoroughbred name... So Shartin after the track in Hong Kong (which by the way is spelt Sha Tin).”

Eventually Crabbe broke in this talented female. She was a little “heady” early on and wanted to get on with it. She paced free legged and broke in nicely with Crabbe being patient with her.

Shartin N qualified at Ashburton in November, 2016, winning her trial both comfortably and impressively as agents were quick to enquire about a sale.

The Victorian-based trainer Dean Braun quickly organized



Claus Andersen

**Shartin N's co-trainer Jo Ann Looney-King after the pacer won the Breeders Crown at The Downs at Mohegan Sun Pocono.**

a trip to Christchurch to drive her and within a month of qualifying she was on a plane bound for Australia.

#### **ON A ROAD TO STARDOM**

Shartin N had her first start in a race on Jan. 29, 2017 at Kilmore in Victoria, which she duly won comfortably after sprinting home her final quarter in 27.4 seconds.

Between that January day in 2017 and December, 2018 , Shartin N raced in Victoria, Tasmania, Queensland, Canada and six U.S. states for a record of 37 starts, 26 wins and prize money of \$1,158,954 – and she’s just getting started.

“I could tell from the day I drove her at Spreydon Lodge in New Zealand that her biggest asset was her speed and it was a no brainer to buy her for the asking price,” said Braun.

Looney-King said she, “also admired Tintin In America as a racehorse for the sheer speed he possessed and the fact that Shartin N was from a Live Or Die mare made me feel very comfortable about what I was buying for myself and my clients.”

Shartin N was always a little head-strong and was a work in progress in most of her starts in Australia. She did have a great constitution though, which made it easier for Braun to travel with her. In just her fifth career start, Shartin N won the Tasmanian Oaks. Now this may not have indicated the talent that was to unfold in 2018, but on a chilly night at Melton in June, 2017 Shartin N did make a lot of people sit up and take notice... including an American owner named Richard Poillucci.

In just her seventh career start, she sat outside Jilliby Kung Fu and wore him down to record an impressive win in 1:52.5. Some eight months later, Jilliby Kung Fu won the Chariots of

Fire in 1:48.8 and then finished second in the record-breaking Miracle Mile won by Field Marshall in 1:46.9.

Three weeks later, in July, 2017, Shartin N won the Queensland Oaks, demolishing some smart fillies with a 54.3 second and 26.4 second last half and quarter.

By now, Poillucci – who had a couple of years earlier purchased Nike Franco from the Dean Braun stable – was smitten with the ability of this lightly-raced 3-year-old filly and made Braun and his owners an offer too good to refuse.

After winning her 13th and final start on Australian soil on Aug. 18, 2017, Shartin said goodbye to the southern hemisphere and said hello to a new career on the other side of the world.

Shartin N settled into her new surroundings in Delaware without a hitch. Her new trainers King and Looney-King were delighted with her looks, but were concerned about photos of her rigging.

“When Tim Tetrick drove her the first couple of times it was like fireworks... She was going to do it her way and he was going to have her do it his way. Without Tim’s gentle hands and my husband’s good training she could have been a hot mess,” Looney-King said.

By the way, Looney-King is the first female to drive a winner at The Meadowlands (on Jan. 31, 1977) and is also the mother of the bubbly and award-winning Heather Vitale, well known to many social media devotees Down Under.

Shartin N had her first start in the USA in March of 2018 and between then and the end of November she saw the starting gate on 24 occasions for 19 wins. She garnered 129 of a possible 130 votes in the year-end Dan Patch award voting in the Older Mare category.

“Shartin’s just a great mare,” Looney-King said. “She falls in line with everything, is very low key in the barn and ships well. She’s all about business on the track and respects the people she is closest to. She loves her caretaker and respects her trainer and driver. It’s been a great partnership and the trip of a lifetime. I’m so grateful to Grant Crabbe for breeding her.”

There is one final chapter to this fairytale story and an important one in the make up of a superstar horse – her sire.

In this instance, it is probably one of the most underrated stallions in the southern hemisphere with the comic character name of Tintin In America.

Both the breeder and Shartin’s first trainer Braun were full of admiration for the sheer speed that this son of McArdle and Zenterfold possessed.



Claus Andersen

**Co-trainer Jimmy King, Jr. and driver Tim Tetrick after winning the Breeders Crown.**

Jo Ann Looney-King however replied, “Tintin who?” when told about the sire of her wonderful mare, but was reassured when it was revealed he was a son of McArdle.

Tintin in America did not receive the patronage a horse of his ability deserved when retired to stud in 2011. From his first three crops though – which were three years and older at the end of the 2017/18 season and which only numbered 125 foals – there have already been 10 per cent of them that have won in excess of \$50,000 and that doesn’t include a potential rising star in the Tritton barn called Gods Spirit.

Horses such as Zee Dana 1:54.6, Divine State 1:51.6 and Share The Road 1:56.1 have displayed exciting ability, while a couple of females in western Australia in Dame Puissant 1:56.2 and Dior Mia More 1:53.2 have shown they are amongst the best of the fairer sex in the west at various stages of their careers.

It is the opinion of Shartin N’s two trainers to date that better times possibly lay ahead as she matures mentally and graduates from the school of racing. Heaven help any mares racing at the highest level in North America in 2019 if this prediction comes to fruition.

We will conclude this amazing story of a mare named after a thoroughbred racetrack with the words of Jo Ann Looney-King.

“I never get tired of talking about Shartin... She’s my dream horse.”

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**Indiana 2018 Pacer of the Year Always A Prince (Trace Tetrick).**

## Indiana honors its best of 2018

*Always A Prince and Custom Cantab topped the list of Indiana champions honored in Indianapolis.*

**by James Platz**

The Indiana racing community celebrated the top performers of 2018 on Saturday (Jan. 26) in ceremonies held in downtown Indianapolis. Always A Prince and Custom Cantab were named the top pacer and trotter in the state, respectively, while Trace Tetrick and Jeff Cullipher were honored as the leading driver and trainer in Indiana last season. Jack Kieninger, outgoing Indiana Standardbred Association president, was one of three inductees into the Indiana Standardbred Hall of Fame.

Always A Prince did not compete as a 2-year-old, but he became a star last summer at Harrah's Hoosier Park, earning him honors as Pacer of the Year. The Always A Virgin—Glorious Princess gelding won 19 of his 22 sophomore starts, including seven straight to begin the year. Developed by the late Jim Dailey for owners Carl and Melanie Atley, Always A Prince raced almost exclusively in

Indiana, capturing the \$155,000 Jenna's Beach Boy, \$220,000 Indiana Sires Stakes Super Final for three-year-old colts, \$36,750 Pegasus, and was placed first by judges in the \$190,000 Monument Circle. Bred by Emerald Highlands Farm, he finished the season with \$492,875 in earnings and a mark of 1:48.3.

Indiana-sired Custom Cantab enjoyed an equally impressive 2018 campaign to secure Trotter of the Year accolades. The Mr Cantab—Custom Model filly finished the season with a 13-3-1 record over 17 starts for trainer and co-owner Chris Beaver. She would claim victory in the \$220,000 Indiana Sires Stakes Super Final for sophomore trotting fillies, as well as the \$183,900 Matron final, \$137,000 Crossroads of America and a \$26,500 Pegasus. Custom Cantab trotted second in the \$172,000 Moni Maker and a \$28,600 Circle City division. Owned by Beaver, Donald Robinson and R.B.H. Ventures Inc., the filly banked \$521,400 for her connections. Over two seasons she has accumulated \$735,886.

Breeders Crown champion Homicide Hunter, that fastest trotter in the history of harness racing, was named Aged



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**Indiana Trotter of the Year Custom Cantab.**

Trotter of the Year, while Rockin Ron was designated Aged Pacer of the Year. Dr. Patrick Graham, Homicide Hunter's breeders and previous owner, was named Small Breeder of the Year. Victory Hill Farm Inc. took home Large Breeder of the Year honors, while Always A Virgin and Swan For All, stallions standing at Victory Hill, earned the distinctions of Pacing Sire of the Year and Trotting Sire of the Year.

Tetrick was once again the toast of the driving colony at Hoosier Park in 2018. He registered 309 wins and purse earnings exceeding \$3.7 million over the course of 160 programs. Those totals earned Tetrick his seventh Hoosier Park title, and fifth consecutive, as well as Pari-Mutuel Driver of the Year. Cullipher was selected Pari-Mutuel Trainer of the Year after sending out 119 winners at Hoosier Park last season. He picked up his second leading trainer title at the track. His first came in 2017 when he tied for the title with fellow trainer Jamie Macomber.

Don Eash and his Eash Racing Stable have been a perennial powerhouse on the Indiana fair circuit, and he was again recognized as the top driver and trainer. He

accumulated more wins in each category last season than any other horsemen competing on the summer-long circuit.

The Indiana Standardbred Hall of Fame added a trio of new inductees: Kieninger, former Indiana lawmaker Luke Kenley and former Indiana Sires Stakes champion Foxy Maneuver. Kieninger has served Indiana's racing industry in many ways, most recently at the helm of the ISA for multiple terms. Besides being named to the Hall of Fame, he also received the ISA President's Award and the Sagamore of the Wabash, one of the state's highest honors.

Kenley served in the Indiana Senate for a quarter century before his retirement in 2017. He was instrumental in shaping the state budget, and was equally critical in supporting the interests of Indiana's horse racing and breeding industry. His involvement helped preserve funding for racing and set the industry on firm footing to grow into what it has become today.

In the early to mid-2000s, free-for-all pacer Foxy Maneuver was one of Indiana's most recognized products. Trained and driven by Eash, "Foxy" secured Indiana Sires Stakes finals at

ages three, four and seven, and finished second on two other occasions. The Armbro Maneuver—Foxy Dragon gelding earned \$130,000 or more in five straight seasons on his way to accumulating \$878,875, making him one of the richest Indiana-sired pacers at the time of his retirement. Bred by Lynn Wilfong, Foxy Maneuver took his 1:49.3 mark at age five.

The complete list of winners is as follows:

**ISA Special Recognition Award:** Linda Dever

**ISA Special Recognition Award:** Pam Cross

**ISA Youth of the Year Award:** Justice Kieninger, Ryan Lavon Raber

### Driver & Trainer Awards:

**Pari-Mutuel Driver of the Year:** Trace Tetrick

**Pari-Mutuel Trainers of the Year:** Jeff Cullipher

**Fair Circuit Driver and Trainer of the Year:** Don Eash

### Breeder & Sire Awards

**Small Breeder of the Year:** Dr. Patrick Graham

**Large Breeder of the Year:** Victory Hill Farm, Inc.

**ISS Pacing Sire of the Year:** Always A Virgin

**ISS Trotting Sire of the Year:** Swan For All

### 2018 Hall of Fame Inductees:

**Living Hall of Fame:** Jack Kieninger, Senator Luke Kenley, Foxy Maneuver

**2018 Pacer of the Year:** Always A Prince

**2018 Aged Pacer of the Year:** Rockin Ron

**2018 Trotter of the Year:** Custom Cantab

**2018 Aged Trotter of the Year:** Homicide Hunter

### 2018 ISA Elite Winners

**2 Year Old Colt Pace:** ER Sam

**2 Year Old Filly Pace:** Coral Bella

**2 Year Old Colt Trot:** J-S Swanman

**2 Year Old Filly Trot:** ER Betty

**3 Year Old Colt Pace:** Hilltop Ginger

**3 Year Old Filly Pace:** Demi Ivy

**3 Year Old Colt Trot:** Northern Skyway

**3 Year Old Filly Trot:** Pinecraft Nellie

### 2018 ISFC Divisional Champions

(Based on points earned before the finals)

**2 Year Old Filly Pace:** DOJEA RITA

**2 Year Old Colt Pace:** A REMARKABLE LIFE

**2 Year Old Filly Trot:** STARLIT TUFFY

**2 Year Old Colt Trot:** J-S POWER CHIP

**3 Year Old Filly Pace:** SKYWAY ATHENA

**3 Year Old Colt Pace:** KING LIL JOE

**3 Year Old Filly Trot:** STRIKING ENCORE

**3 Year Old Colt Trot:** MEGAGLIDE

### 2018 ISS Champions

(Based on points earnings earned before final)

**2 Year Old Filly Pace:** Glorious Virgin

**2 Year Old Colt Pace:** Egomania

**2 Year Old Filly Trot:** Grand Swan

**2 Year Old Colt Trot:** Swandre The Giant

**3 Year Old Filly Pace:** Let Me Fly Low & Voom Or Bang

**3 Year Old Colt Pace:** Always A Prince

**3 Year Old Filly Trot:** Custom Cantab

**3 Year Old Colt Trot:** Katkin American

**Aged Mare Pace:** Always Giggling

**Aged Stal/Geld Pace:** Tookadiveoffdipper

**Aged Mare Trot:** Compelling

**Aged Stal/Geld Trot:** Bridge To Jesse's

### 2018 IS Champions

(Based on total \$ earnings in 2018)

**2 Year Old Filly Pace:** Glorious Virgin

**2 Year Old Colt Pace:** Egomania

**2 Year Old Filly Trot:** Kissesforall

**2 Year Old Colt Trot:** Swandre The Giant

**3 Year Old Filly Pace:** Voom Or Bang

**3 Year Old Colt Pace:** Always A Prince

**3 Year Old Filly Trot:** Custom Cantab

**3 Year Old Colt Trot:** Fiftydallarbill

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October 3, 4, 5, and 6 **ALL POST TIMES 1:00pm**

#### #1) Kentucky Futurity #127

*Foals of 2016 to Race in 2019*



#### #2) Tattersalls Pace 2019

*Foals of 2016 to Race in 2019*

#### #3) Bluegrass Series #44

*Foals of 2016 to Race in 2019*



#### PAYMENT DUE FOR EVENTS

##### #1 and #2

	OPEN	FILLY
February 15, 2019.....	\$1,000	\$500
March 15, 2019.....	\$1,500	\$750

#### PAYMENT DUE FOR EVENT

##### #3

February 15, 2019.....	\$550
March 15, 2019.....	\$750
April 15, 2019.....	\$850

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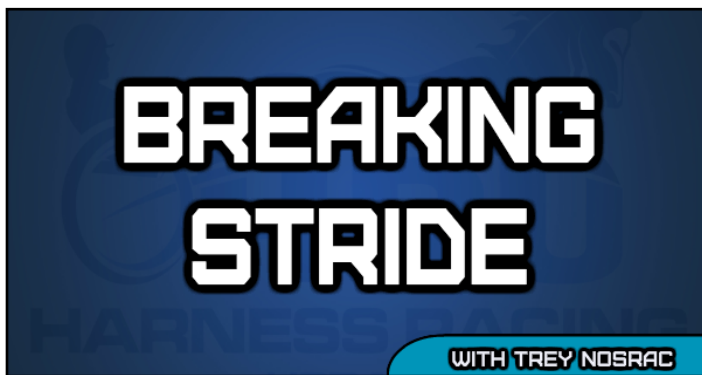
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Lexington Select Yearling Sale

October 1-5, 2019

Lexington Select Mixed Sale

October 6, 2019



## Deck of Cults

*The Real Life Ventures and Adventures of Trey and Batman*

*by Trey Nosrac*

On the exit ramp leading to the Justice Center, I slowed behind a snowplow that sprinkled salt on the windshield and said, "I can't believe you didn't find an excuse to get out of jury duty. Hell, last time I got called, I just sent the notice back with a note on a piece of torn up paper bag that said, 'On the planet Beltron, in the galaxy of Zorf, we do not judge.' They never wrote back."

He smiled, "I just hope I get on a case and don't sit around all day."

I switched gears and said, "I'm joining a cult."

"You're already a card-carrying member of harness racing."

"I'm joining another cult."

"Multicultural, very impressive."

Not even bothering with an eye-roll, I continued, "I have a plan to use this new cult to rejuvenate the sport of racing, training, buying, selling and gambling on standardbred horses."

"Ambitious, do tell."

"The idea came from thinking about the guys on The Deck."

"Who are?"

"A group of statesmen, assorted experts and aficionados. They love the sport. They seem like a fun posse who meet on weekends in the winter at a training center in South Florida to drink coffee, eat bagels and watch the new horses train. I enjoy reading about them. How great would that be? Instead of plowing through this slush, imagine sitting in the sunshine with yearlings, dreams, stories, food, and wisdom."

"That's your old cult. What's the new one?"

"The technical term is Reformed Luddism."

"This should be good," he said.

I continued in a mock serious voice, "We work towards a society that views technology skeptically. We believe that



high-tech advancements, which you have your fingerprints all over, will cause problems and do harm. We're trying to do something about it. You could call us reluctant participants in the digital world."

"Where do you meet, in a cave where you uninvent fire?"

"We meet online, on Facebook, in blogs and in chat rooms."

"Need I point out the irony of your previous sentence?"

"It's a real movement. It's small, but we see that the downsides of technology's inevitable march are real and getting worse. You show me a parent who doesn't worry about 'screen time' for their kids. Everybody with half a brain cell understands that there is a psychological cost to non-stop, addictive, checking, swiping and staring at phones. Families are trying with 'no phone' times, friends agree to head to the cafe or take weekends without their computers. We are resisting with strategies called slow living or slow tech."

"And your plan is to create another antidote to hyper-technology?"

"Yes, I've given this a lot of thought. I've done a lot of research, several days on the Internet."

"Again, ironic."

"Ironic, but not moronic. Batman, I really have a very cool plan that slows the world down and that would draw in new racing fans. It's a plan that will make a profit, rejuvenate the sport, and would be a lot of fun."





He grew serious and said, “We all wonder what we have unleashed. I know a former Google executive who started a nonprofit organization to push back. At every tech conference, a huge topic is the speed of artificial intelligence. We ask: are we the good people or the bad people?”

I nodded and said, “Look, everybody knows the world has changed. Living in a lower-tech world, starting a low-tech business and partial disconnection may be difficult, but it’s not impossible. I’m not just being ornery. This is not some nostalgic or retro idea. I want to use technology but not feel used. My lower tech harness idea just swims upstream.”

“That might be swimming upstream hauling a boulder.”

“We are not trolls or wackos for thinking there are times where being disconnected is good for people. A little Luddism won’t hurt.”

“So what’s your plan?”

“You want my complete Deck pitch?”

He nodded at the white courthouse looming in at the end of the street, “Give me the overview for now.”

“My plan would place hundreds of people in a Deck-like setting on a regular basis. It would include complete strangers from great demographics who will spend mornings where they mingle and watch horses train. They would have a chance to see our wonderful sport up close, in a non-threatening environment.”

“Is kidnapping involved?”

“Nope, this will be easier than you think. What do you want me to start yakking about first – the where, what, why, when or who? I got them all covered.”

He thought for a second and said, “Since you’re talking about a physical place with an old school approach, let’s start with the where.”

We pulled up to the curb in front of the massive marble steps leading to courthouse building. He put his hand on the door handle.

Before he climbed out, I said, “I already have the perfect location – you have never heard of it. It’s very carefully selected. The project has shovels in the ground. I want to show you, not tell you.”

He stepped out and said, “You have my attention, show and tell time on the ride home.”

Before he shut the door, I gave him a thumbs up and shouted, “Cool, I’m taking the damn sport back to the future. And say hello to OJ.”

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An advertisement for Waterhays Alliance. On the left, a photograph shows a harness race in progress with a dark horse pulling a sulky. On the right, a dark blue background contains the text "ADD YOUR VOICE TO OURS AND JOIN TODAY!" in white and red. Below the text is the website address "www.waterhaysalliance.com" in white. To the right of the text is a red octagonal sign with a white border and the word "WHOA" in white capital letters.



# 21st Annual Stallion Auction to Benefit New Vocations

Conducted through OnGait.com

Feb 5-7 ending at 2:00 pm

“Open Ended Format” (all bids are in US dollars)

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Yankee Skyscraper	Walker Standardbreds	2,000
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## INDIANA

Always A Virgin	Owners of Always A Virgin	6,000
Class Included	Owners of Class Included	2,500
Fred and Ginger	Howard Taylor	2,500
Hypnotic Blue Chip	Fran Azur	2,500
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Charlie DeVie	Fox Den Farm	1,500
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Art's Chip	Sally Josefczyk	1,000
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Lis Mara	Deo Volente Farms	2,500
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## NEW YORK

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Conway Hall	Walnut Hal Ltd/Paul Spears	5,000
Crazy Wow	Crawford Farms	3,000
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Third Straight	Morrisville College Fdn Inc	1,000
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## OHIO

Art Director	Kovach Stables	2,000
Big Bad John	Winchester Baye Acres Inc	3,000
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## OHIO

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## Gregory Harmon dead at 47

Gregory V. Harmon passed on Jan. 11, 2019 in New Port Richey, FL as a result of injuries sustained after being hit by a vehicle. He was 47.

Harmon, who was born May 23, 1971 in Akron, OH, was a lifetime member of the USTA and an accomplished driver, trainer, owner and passionate fan of harness racing. A third-generation horseman, Harmon was the son of long-time horseman and racing official Donald L. Harmon and grandson of late driver and trainer William Ingham.

Aside from harness racing, Harmon's other passion was in the automotive industry, where he had a special gift that allowed him to showcase his extraordinary talents and also afford him the opportunity to do the things he loved so much – meeting new people, traveling, and helping others accomplish their goals. He started his automotive career working for the late Jeff Polichena and later worked for Fred Hertrich's family of automobile dealerships after moving to Delaware to be with his family. Harmon's infectious smile, generosity, and fun-loving personality will be forever missed by all that had the opportunity to cross paths with him during his lifetime.

He is survived by his parents Donald L. Harmon and Margaret Ingham Harmon of Camden, DE and Betty Lamborgese of Grafton, OH; brothers Daniel, Donald Jr. (Teresa), David (Nicole); sisters Suzanne (Jeffrey Vales) and Kelly; as well as his loving fiancée and best friend Heidi Veatch Gambaccini. He was especially proud to be an uncle to 14 nieces and nephews, and loved spending time with them and the rest of his extended family and friends. Harmon was preceded in death by his cousin Alfred "Skip" Rundgren, whom Greg considered a brother.

The Harmon family expresses their thanks for the letters of condolence, thoughtful acts of kindness, and overwhelming support during this difficult time.

A celebration of life was recently held in Dover, DE, but another will take place in Ohio in February; details will be announced as soon as finalized.

– USTA

## Mark Horner elected chair of Standardbred Canada

On Saturday (Feb. 2), Standardbred Canada elected its Officers and Executive Committee for 2019.

Mark Horner of St. Marys, ON was elected as the chair of Standardbred Canada. The longtime horseman, a second-generation horse owner, breeder, farm operator and trainer, has been connected with popular performers the likes of The Masters, Button Up and The Joy Luck Club. He will serve his first term as SC Chair, replacing Joanne Colville, after serving as a Standardbred Canada director for the past three years.

"I would like to thank Joanne Colville for her commitment and direction of the Board of Directors for the past three years at SC," Horner said. "I am honored to be elected as chair and look forward to working with Joanne and all our directors across Canada to ensure that our strategic plan for the association remains intact and that we continue to be a member-focused organization going forward."

Horner has also been involved in the SC Executive, Strategic Planning, Governance and Government Relations committees, serves on the board of the Central Ontario Standardbred Association, participates in working groups for the harness racing industry and has been a vocal proponent for government support in the wake of Gateway Casino's decision to lease land for gaming expansion away from The Raceway at the Western Fair District.

The 2019 Executive Committee was also elected to serve a one-year term:

- Mark Horner (Chair of the Board)
- Jackson Wittup (Vice-Chair)
- Diane Bertrand (Chair of Breeders Committee)
- Joanne Colville (Past Chair)
- Ian Fleming (Executive Committee Member)
- Kent Oakes (Executive Committee Member)
- Ann Straatman (Executive Committee Member)

## Ontario racetracks announce new owner integrity condition

A group of Ontario's signature racetracks – Flamboro Downs, Georgian Downs, Grand River Raceway and The Raceway at Western Fair District – have jointly announced a new ownership integrity stakes condition which will take effect on Feb. 15, 2019 and will apply to some of the province's most high-profile races.

Those races include the Confederation Cup, Earl Rowe Memorial, Battle of Waterloo, Battle of the Belles and Camluck Classic, all administered by the Woodbine

Entertainment Group (WEG) which implemented a similar stakes condition on Jan. 1 of this year.

The new stakes condition, which has received the approval of both the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario (AGCO) and Central Ontario Standardbred Association (COSA), is listed here in its entirety:

Any owner who participates in an added money or invitational event with a purse greater than \$50,000 and administered by Woodbine Entertainment Group on behalf of Flamboro Downs, Georgian Downs, The Raceway at Western Fair District, and/or Grand River Raceway with a trainer who has an outstanding Class 1, Class 2 or TC02 positive test under appeal in any jurisdiction, shall be ineligible to participate as an owner in any of the below added money or invitational events for 12 months following the trainer's conviction, if such trainer is later found guilty relating to the Class 1, Class 2 or TC02 positive test. (The above condition is only applicable to a positive test occurring on or after February 15, 2019.)

## The Races

**Confederation Cup** *conducted at Flamboro Downs*

**Earl Rowe** *conducted at Georgian Downs*

**Camluck Classic** *conducted at the Raceway at Western Fair District*

**Battle of Waterloo** *conducted at Grand River Raceway*

**Battle of the Belles** *conducted at Grand River Raceway*

– *Mark McKelvie / Woodbine communications*

## Big rallies in Snowshoe and Blizzard finals

**Legal Bettor** and **Springbridgevision** brought the heat Friday night (Feb. 1) to Woodbine Mohawk Park to win the finals of the Snowshoe and Blizzard Series.

The \$40,800 Snowshoe for 3- and 4-year-old pacer and the \$36,400 Blizzard for 3- and 4-year-old pacing fillies and mares featured full fields of 10.

Legal Bettor rallied from 10th and last at three-quarters to win the Snowshoe final in thrilling fashion for driver Travis Cullen and trainer Jodie Cullen.

Fiesty Fireball led the field to the opening-quarter in :28.3 before Barbados circled from second to the top in the second-quarter and posted fractions of :57.4 and 1:26.2.

Legal Bettor got away ninth and angled off the pylons nearing the half, but didn't gain much ground initially and ended up three-wide and last at the third-marker.

In the stretch, Barbados attempted to get away from rivals and held a lead of just over two-lengths with an eighth of a mile remaining. Legal Bettor and Cullen unleashed a furious

rally, tracking down and nailing Barbados at the wire to win by a neck in 1:55.4.

R Bazingga finished third, while Between The Sheets was fourth.

A 4-year-old gelding, Legal Bettor came into Friday's final off a second-place finish in round two after an opening-leg victory. The Cullen trainee has now won two of five starts this season to bring his career numbers to five wins and \$55,955 earned.

Owned by Gestion J Y Blais Inc, Legal Bettor paid \$7.60 to win.

Sophomore pacing filly Springbridgevision completed her dominance of the Blizzard Series with a sweeping victory for driver James MacDonald and trainer Andrew Moore.

Springbridgevision got away eighth and would sit close to last nearing the half while waiting for outer-flow to develop. Bidforahug made a second-quarter move to the top and led through middle-half panels of :57.4 and 1:27.4. Sand Artist pressured the leader first-up, while Springbridgevision was third-over and just three-lengths from the top turning for home.

In the stretch, Springbridgevision shot to the top spot and had the jump on rival Lyonshedgeabet, who followed the winner around the final turn. Springbridgevision stopped the clock in 1:56.2 to win by half a length over Lyons Hedgeabet. Sand Artist was third, while Charms Little Sis was fourth.

A daughter of Shadow Play, Springbridgevision is now undefeated in four starts this season and has won five of 11 career starts. The Blizzard final victory brings her career earnings to \$51,933 for owners Andrew Moore, Allan Moore, Tommy Godfrey and Charles Farrell.

A \$2 win ticket on Springbridgevision returned \$4.90.

– *Mark McKelvie / Woodbine communications*

## Gingras wins seven Friday at Big M

One would think after winning seven times over the course of last weekend's two race cards at the Meadowlands that driver Yannick Gingras would have a tough time coming up with an encore.

Think again.

The 39-year-old Gingras, who led the Big M driver colony in wins during January with 15, came within one win of history Friday night at the mile oval, winning seven times on the 13-race card, falling one victory short of the Big M single-card record of eight, which is shared by Mike Lachance and Brett Miller.

Gingras got some help from the sport's top trainer, Ron Burke. The potent pair were at it again Friday, teaming up to win five times on the program after winning three on both

Friday and Saturday one week ago.

Chief Justice gave the duo their first winner of the night in the opener, a non-winners of two trot, settling for a dead-heat with Alvisi Hanover, who hit the wire at the same time as the 4-5 favorite in 1:57.3.

Misslarose took the second race co-featured non-winners of \$15,000 trot in 1:54.4 as the even-money public choice, winning a second straight on the front end, before back class-master Resita powered clear in the third race non-winners of \$8,500 in 1:54 as the prohibitive 1-5 choice.

A week ago, several of the Burke-Gingras winners won despite being out of action for a month, but in the fifth race non-winners of \$8,500 trot, they won with 4-5 favorite In Secret – who had been away for three months – in 1:53.1.

But they weren't done quite yet.

Burke and Gingras got their 'one for the thumb' in the eighth race non-winners of \$8,500 for filly and mare pacers with Toronto shipper – and first-time Burke trainee – Bettim Jackie, who scored after making the top down the backside in 1:53.4 as the 5-2 second choice.

Gingras' sixth win came in the 11th race for non-winners of \$3,500 on the trot. The Mark Ford-trained Sortie Hanover hit the wire first in 1:56.3 as the 4-1 third choice before Gingras completed his seven-bagger with 2-5 chalk Bizet in the 13th race for non-winners of three in 1:56.

**A LITTLE MORE:** A simulcast player in Las Vegas made a huge score in the 20-Cent Survivor Pick-10. As the only bettor to last eight legs, he or she walked away with \$12,101.66... The Jenn Bongiorno-trained Divas Image was super in taking the co-featured non-winners of \$15,000 filly and mare pace on the front end in 1:52. She paced her back half in :54.4 to hold off the pocket-sitting Ideal Lifestyle A, who was making her North American debut for trainer Tahnee Camilleri. ... Betting on the card was strong as \$2,874,831 was pushed through the windows, the second-highest total in 2019... Racing resumes Saturday at 7:15 p.m.

– *Dave Little / Meadowlands media relations*



## Children's Valentine's Day craft event / Cradle of the Trotter reading

Bring the kids to the Harness Racing Museum & Hall of Fame, located at 240 Main Street, Goshen, NY on Saturday, Feb. 9 from 10:30 am – noon for a fun-filled Valentine's Day celebration. Participants will decorate a little Valentine heart tree designed from a pattern of their own hand, a special gift for loved ones, and make a horsey treasure box filled with sweet candy treats! Children will engage in fun games like Wagon Wheels, Clean the Stall and Horseshoe Toss. Top off the event with a heart-pounding ride on our 3-D Harness Racing Simulator. The cost for each child is \$5 (Scouts, 4-H and Pony Club members, \$3). Parents are free.

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The Harness Racing Museum & Hall of Fame will present "**The Cradle of the Trotter**," a one-hour staged reading accompanied by numerous photographs and images on **Saturday, February 16th at 1 p.m.** This live performance tells the story of early harness racing, the influence the sport has had on Goshen, NY and the reason generations of Goshenites hold the sport so dear. This program is for those who may be new to the area as well as those who have called Goshen home for years. Designed for the entire family, this presentation will share historical facts, folklore, legend and tales of the people, places and horses that made Goshen's trotting traditions known worldwide. Come see images of Goshen Historic Track and Good Time Park when they were the places to be on race days in Goshen and learn about the influential men and famous horses that made Goshen the Cradle of the Trotter. The performers are **Ben Hudson, Emma Jorgensen** and **Ken Tschan**. Tickets are \$5 and light refreshments will be served.

For further information about the Harness Racing Museum & Hall of Fame, the Museum's educational workshops or children's birthday parties, please contact the Education Department at 845-294-6330 or email [education@harnessmuseum.com](mailto:education@harnessmuseum.com). For information on all the Harness Racing Museum & Hall of Fame events, please visit our website at [www.harnessmuseum.com](http://www.harnessmuseum.com). The Museum is open Tuesday-Sunday from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm.

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## Murray Brown clarifies last week's letter

After what has been a tumultuous week for me, I would like to clarify the meaning and intent of the letter to the editor that I wrote in my personal capacity last week. ([2019-01-27 Feedback here](#)).

My intent in writing it was to share a *personal life experience* regarding a drug, Gabapentin, which has been literally a life saver *for me*. Neither my intent, nor do I believe what I stated, was to advocate the use of Gabapentin on horses that were racing or in jurisdictions that may bar its use. As I specifically wrote, I am neither a doctor nor a scientist. I know absolutely nothing about what the drug's efficacy might be on equines, nor do I purport to.

I believe that anybody who knows me and, I would hope, those who know of me, know that if anything, I am and always have been a strong proponent of drug use restraint unless it is an absolute necessity for the health and preservation of the horse.

I came out under John Simpson Sr, who's philosophy, paraphrased in simplistic terms, was: "If a horse, especially a young horse needs to be vetted, then it needs to be turned out." To a very large degree, I still believe in that philosophy.

To be clear, I was not advocating the use of Gabapentin with respect to horses that are racing or in jurisdictions barring their use. I do and always have advocated to the contrary.

Sincerely,

– Murray Brown / Hanover, PA

**As of Sunday January 27, 2019, after approximately 51 years and 10 months of loyal service to Hanover Shoe Farms, I am no longer in their employ.**

## HRU forum great for constructive debate

What we love about the HRU Forum is allowing harness racing fans with different opinions to offer them in constructive ways. While reader Ken Young provided his case for shutting betting windows before post time ([2019-01-27 Feedback here](#)), I disagree.

First, whatever time the windows close, they would be closed for everybody. If you see a large bet come in before the race, what good does it do you? It would give you more time to stew that you could not "follow the hot money." Of course, we still have the perception issue with the current technology restrictions of odds changing after the race starts. This is a problem for many people. Professional psychics and other purveyors of the supernatural learned to take advantage of us mere mortals when they realized that we only remember the unusual occurrences and not the usual. As one of the few fortunate humans who is immune to this natural disease of the mind (thereby admitting I am a freak of nature), I am also aware how many times I collect more than I expected because the odds changed in my favor. Seems to be a pretty even split.

As for betting on hot money, I try to do just the opposite. Unfortunately, in this day and age, because of the small pools you may be betting against the hot money with two minutes to post, and end up joining the crowd when the race starts. It goes both ways.

If you believe "whales are wagering large sums of money, which are still below their financial levels" what makes you think they are ahead of the game? I welcome sophisticated data sets and programming specialists into the fray. As an old-time computer programmer, I experienced greater success when I learned many years ago that the soft skills of handicapping are more reliable than strict technical analysis. I wonder if those sophisticated data sets include drivers known for their "tells" on the track when those drivers like their horses a lot. Plus, knowing that a driver likes his horse does not always indicate victory, But it MORE OFTEN THAN NOT indicates his driving strategy during the race. Hey, Richie Silverman, since you no longer drive, I can tell you that you were an easy read. As for you drivers still out there, a magician never reveals how he does his tricks.



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Returning to the \$46 payoff, though, the real issue is that certain wagering portals allow you to wager closer to "the bell" than others. Now that is an uneven playing field that needs to be addressed.

– Gil Winston / Manalapan, NJ

## Drive handle in NJ with free online PPs

Mr. Gural is correct ([full story here](#)). The NJ racetracks will have to justify the subsidies by showing a resultant increase in handles for 2019. Perhaps, all three (New Jersey) tracks should consider making more past performances available to the public for free. Yes, this comes with a slight increase in cost to the information providers. However, it appears that when tracks provide past performances free online on races, handle goes way up. One notices the whole card is offered online for free on both Haskell Day and Hambletonian Day. I think this idea is kind of a no brainer. I'm sure if printed, there will be a few claiming I have lost my mind. Rest assured, I still have all my marbles.

– Al Gatto / Roselle Park, NJ

## Re: Monticello Casino closure.

This comes as no surprise ([2019-01-27 Feedback here](#)).

Two things. Once again, when the decision to issue a casino license was under consideration, geographic considerations were either ignored, neglected or the plan was to set up Monticello Raceway for failure.

Since its doors opened, the nearby Resorts World casino and Hotel has been losing money. Revenue projections have been over estimated by quite a margin.

Per [this article](#).

Resorts World management had predicted annual first year revenue of \$280 million. The actual is half that.

A couple things. Due to its location, Resorts isn't exactly "down the street" from the NY metro area. Despite its limited access design, NY 17 / I 86 is a roadway in desperate need of repair.

Plus, casino management insists upon high table minimums, which generally keep the average player away. Also, Resorts places an inflated value on its lodging. Room

rates are inflated as compared to the rest of the region.

Now, despite this, Resorts has made an obvious adverse effect on Monticello. As these two facilities are a short distance apart, the casino would have to cannibalize not add to revenue streams. Essentially, the new casino did not create as much new business, versus simply moving business from the slots at Monticello to the new casino.

As far as racing at Monticello is concerned, who knows? With the average purse around \$3,500 per carded race, it has to be difficult for horsemen and owners to scratch out a living.

My guess is like other tracks across North America that have seen their revenues siphoned off by other forms of gaming, Monticello may very well become the next "victim" of progress.

– Ken Young / Indian Trail, NC

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## RACE RESULTS - FRIDAY

### MEADOWLANDS report

#### Friday's Results:

**2, M, \$16,000, Trot**, N/W \$15,000 in Last 4 Starts AE: N/W \$125,000 Lifetime, 28.4, 58.1, 1:27.1, 1:54.4, FT

**1-Misslarose (m, 5, Majestic Son--Marion Chocolata, by Chocolatier)** \$8,000, Lifetime Record: 46-12-8-9, \$126,250  
O-Burke Racing Stable LLC & Weaver Brusceci LLC. B-Raymond Larose, CA. T-Ron Burke. D-Yannick Gingras.

**2-Cash Me Out (g, 8, Cash Hall--China Victory, by Valley Victory)** \$4,000, \$11,500 2012 MORRIS, Lifetime Record: 163-37-51-23, \$986,843  
O-Traylor Racing LLC. B-Lawrence S Smith. T-Kyle Spagnola. D-Corey Callahan.

**3-Pappy Go Go (g, 5, Tad The Stud--Paging Willy, by Pegasus Spur)** \$1,920, \$4,000 2015 NSPE, Lifetime Record: 55-26-4-7, \$123,400  
O-Michael Goldberg Racingllc. B-William E Andrew, CA. T-Andrew Harris. D-Marcus Miller.

*Replay* - Calls: 1Q, 1Q, Q, T, H - Finish Order: Arrakis, Thisguyisonfire, Nows The Moment, Coastal Region

**12, M, \$18,000, Pace**, Fillies & Mares N/W \$15,000 in Last 5 Starts or N/W \$125,000 Lifetime (N/W \$11,500 Last 5 Starts Drawn Inside) AE: Higher Money Earners Assigned Outside Posts, 27.4, 57.1, 1:25.0, 1:52.0, FT

**1-Divas Image (m, 6, Bettor's Delight--Rocknroll Diva, by Rocknroll Hanover)** \$9,000, Lifetime Record: 67-22-8-12, \$551,347  
O-Joseph Bongiorno LLC & Howard A Taylor & Thomas A Lazzaro & J&T Silva Stbles, LLC. B-Mark E Steacy, CA & Bannon Stables, CA & Diane Bertrand, CA. T-Jennifer Bongiorno. D-Corey Callahan.



**Preferred Equine** MIXED SALE GRADUATE

**2-Ideal Lifestyle A (m, 7, Western Ideal--Trebla Trebla, by Albert Albert)** \$4,500, Lifetime Record: 56-13-6-10, \$91,136  
O-Tahnee J Camilleri. B-W F & G M Ronan, AS & Estate Of Helen Ronan, AS & LJ Ronan, AS. T-Tahnee Camilleri. D-Marcus Miller.

**3-Believe In Me (m, 4, Roll With Joe--Fit N Fancy, by Life Sign)** \$2,160, \$20,000 2016 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 37-6-7-7, \$117,184  
O-Bay Pond Racing Stable. B-Winbak Farm. T-Brett Pelling. D-Eric Carlson.

*Replay* - Calls: 1Q, 1Q, 1Q, 1, NK - Finish Order: Seaswift Joy N, Jewels Forreal, Penpal, Narcian Jewel

### MIAMI VALLEY report

#### Friday's Results:

**10, MVR, \$25,000, Pace**, FILLIES & MARES OPEN HCP PP'S 1-3 DRAWN; NO. 9 ASSIGNED, 27.0, 56.0, 1:23.3, 1:52.1, FT

**1-Feelin Red Hot (m, 6, Feelin Friskie--Red Rapid Girl, by Red River Hanover)** \$12,500, Lifetime Record: 77-20-7-15, \$235,979  
O-Burke Racing Stable LLC & Weaver Brusceci LLC. B-Mary E Stonack & Michael A & John S Palmeri. T-Ron Burke. D-Chris Page.



**Preferred Equine** MIXED SALE GRADUATE

**2-Lease Ness Monster (m, 8, Lease On Life--Sheza Hot Monster, by Mark Johnathan)** \$6,250, \$2,000 2012 BHS, Lifetime Record: 163-32-37-18, \$449,313  
O-Matthew W & David E Waltz. B-Larry J Smith. T-Matt Waltz. D-Sam Widger.

## RACE RESULTS - FRIDAY (CONTINUED)

**3-Zoe Ellasen** (m, 5, Santanna Blue Chip--Spring Delight, by Bettor's Delight) \$3,000, \$9,500 2015 OH-SEL, Lifetime Record: 66-18-5-14, \$323,335  
O-Ronald E Steck & Scott Tyler George. B-William D Walters & Joseph Patrick Mclead. T-Tyler George. D-Trace Tetrick.

**Replay Unavailable** - Calls: 1H, 1, 1Q, 1, T - Finish Order: Gone Girl, Amazing Arya, Cast No Shadow, American Girl, Endeavors Star, Rockin Racer

**12, MVR, \$16,000, Pace, FILLIES & MARES N/W \$8000 IN LAST 4 STARTS AE: N/W 8 PM RACES AT EXT. MEETS, 27.1, 55.4, 1:24.0, 1:53.2, FT**

**1-Sandy Sue (m, 4, Shark Gesture--Twin B Diva, by Camluck)** \$8,000, Lifetime Record: 39-8-5-4, \$65,369

O-Burke Racing Stable LLC & Weaver Brusceci LLC. B-Joe Sbrocco. T-Ron Burke. D-Chris Page.

**2-Auntmilly'smartini** (m, 4, Three Olives--Kennairnmilleyscam, by Million Dollar Cam) \$4,000, \$4,000 2016 BHS, Lifetime Record: 39-9-4-7, \$81,650

O-Bruce A Soulsby & Alan F Weisenberg & Gilbert D Short. B-Ohio State Ati. T-Dan Noble. D-Dan Noble.

**3-Allbeastnobeauty** (m, 4, Sportsmaster--She Likes It All, by The Big Dog) \$1,920, Lifetime Record: 42-16-3-7, \$158,428

O-Eim Racing & Tessa M Roland. B-Fox Valley Standardbreds. T-J D Perrin. D-Brett Miller.

**Replay Unavailable** - Calls: 1, 1, 2, H, 1T - Finish Order: Keene Santanna, Pull The Shade, Endeavors Fantasy, Always About Farah, Brillo Camarillo, Princess Oshie, Bad Lightning

## THE MEADOWS report

### Friday's Results:

**8, Mea, \$18,000, Pace, \*\*PREFERRED\*\***; 27.3, 57.1, 1:24.4, 1:52.2, GD

**1-New Evidence (g, 6, Western Terror--Bouncing Hanover, by Cam's Card Shark)** \$9,000, \$8,000 2014 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 59-14-8-2, \$122,630

O-Northwind Farm. B-Bulletproof Enterprises. T-Herman Hagerman. D-Aaron Merriman.

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MIXED SALE  
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**2-Dapper Dude** (h, 10, The Panderosa--Dress To Suggest, by Camluck) \$4,500, Lifetime Record: 190-48-38-36, \$1,301,770

O-Micki Rae Stables LLC. B-Robert McIntosh Stables Inc, CA & Al McIntosh Holdings Inc, CA. T-Tim Twaddle. D-Ronnie Wrenn Jr.

**3-Stride Of Pride** (g, 6, Manhardt--Apple B, by Stubby B) \$2,160, Lifetime Record: 68-24-13-10, \$213,577

O-Burke Racing Stable LLC & Weaver Brusceci LLC & Rtc Stables Inc. B-Brian L & Kelly R Boring. T-Ron Burke. D-Dave Palone.

**Replay** - Calls: 1H, 1H, 1H, 1Q, 1T - Finish Order: Arthur Pendragon, Vague Traces, Royaltyhasarrived

## WOODBINE MOHAWK report

### Friday's Results:

**3, Wbs, \$18,000, Pace, FILLIES & MARES, NW \$10,600 LAST 5 STARTS OR NW \$20,000 LAST 10 STARTS. AE: NW \$75,000 LIFETIME. AE: NW OF 1 RACE IN 2018-2019, 29.2, 59, 1:27, 1:56**

**1-Aint Three Ok (b,m,5 - Mach Three-Aint Given Up-Jennas Beach Boy)** \$9,000, Lifetime Record: 60-10-12-7, \$504,219

L-Chuck Grubbs B-Thomas Cave T-Mike Weller D-Trevor Henry

**2-Takeyourbreathaway** (b,m,5 - Rock N Roll Heaven-Leave Em Gasping-Western Hanover)

O-Randy Zhok B-Ross Bonafield T-Louie Eftimiadis D-Phillippe Hudon

**3-Quite A Sight** (b,m,4 - Camluck-Breathtacular-No Pan Intended)

O-Robert McIntosh Stables Inc, Mardon Stables B-Robert McIntosh Stables Inc T-Robert McIntosh D-Douglas McNair

**Replay**

**5, Wbs, \$36,400, Pace, BLIZZARD - FINAL - 3 & 4 YEAR OLD FILLIES & MARES. NW 2 RACES OR \$30,000 LIFETIME AS OF OCTOBER 31, 2018, 29, 57.4, 1:27.4, 1:56.2**

**1-Springbridgevision (blk,f,3 - Shadow Play-Stonebridge Vision-Artsplace)** \$18,200, Lifetime Record: 11-5-2-0, \$51,973

O-Andrew Moore, Allan Moore, Tommy Godfrey, Charles Farrell B-Angie Stiller T-Andrew Moore D-James MacDonald

**2-Lyons Hedgeabet** (b,m,4 - Mach Three-Hedgie Blue Chip-Art Major)

O-Geoffrey Lyons Mound B-Northfields Farm Inc T-Jeffrey Gillis D-Bob McClure

**3-Sand Artist** (b,m,4 - Art Major-Parlee Beach-Somebeachsomewhere)

O-Dr Fred Kruszelnicki, Bradley Maxwell B-Patrick Ryan T-Shane Arsenault D-Louis Philippe Roy

**Replay**

# RACE RESULTS - FRIDAY (CONTINUED)

**6, Wbs, \$18,000, Trot**, NW 3 (FM 5) RACES OR \$45,000 (FM \$50,000) LIFETIME, 28.2, 57.4, 1:28.4, 1:58.2

**1-Beauty Cutie (b,m,4 - Winning Mister-La La Nina-Yankee Paco)** \$9,000, Lifetime Record: 25-4-2-4, \$53,212

O-Robert Key B-Robert Key T-Rod Boyd D-Phillippe Hudon

**2-Glider Man** (br,g,4 - Yankee Glide-I Gotta Feelin-Malabar Man)

O-Gary Green, Timothy & Trevor Cherwaiko B-Polly Hilliard T-Timothy Cherwaiko D-Paul MacKenzie

**3-Beholder** (b,m,4 - Donato Hanover-Creme De Cocoa-Chocolatier)

O-Prince Lee Acres B-Doug Ackerman Stables Inc T-Renaldo Morales III D-Jody Jamieson

[Replay](#)

**7, Wbs, \$40,800, Pace**, SNOWSHOE - FINAL - 3 & 4 YEAR OLD COLTS & GELDINGS. NW 2 RACES OR \$30,000 LIFETIME AS OF OCTOBER 31, 2018, 28.3, 57.4, 1:26.2, 1:55.4

**1-Legal Bettor (b,g,4 - Bettors Delight-Legal Entity-Modern Art)** \$20,400, Lifetime Record: 24-5-4-2, \$55,955

O-Gestion J Y Blais Inc B-Robert Hamather T-Jodie Cullen D-Travis Cullen0

**2-Barbados** (br,g,4 - Roll With Joe-Tropics Beachgirl-Jennas Beach Boy)

O-Barry Charles B-Blair Corbeil T-David Russo D-Billy Davis Jr

**3-R Bazingga** (b,g,4 - Real Artist-Oneinamilliongirl-Cole Muffler)

O-Roger Roland B-Fashion Farms Llc T-Stephen Davis D-Phillippe Hudon

[Replay](#)

**8, Wbs, \$22,000, Pace**, FILLIES & MARES, NW \$15,500 LAST 5 STARTS OR NW \$28,000 LAST 10 STARTS. AE: NW \$130,000 LIFETIME. AE: OPT. CLM. \$35,000, 28.2, 58, 1:26.4, 1:55

**1-Jan (b,m,4 - Rock N Roll Heaven-Armbro Savannah-Matts Scooter)** \$11,000, Lifetime Record: 35-12-3-8, \$4155,660

O-Wilma & James Mackenzie B-Blue Chip Bloodstock Inc T-James Dean D-Douglas McNair

**2-American Sara** (b,m,5 - American Ideal-Freckly Sara-Mach Three)

O-Murray Brethour, Dr Reginald Westgarth, Daniel Sarafian B-Murray Brethour T-Murray Brethour D-Sylvain Filion

**3-Artistic Madison** (b,m,8 - Artistic Fella-Michelles Raider-Keystone Raider)

O-James Downer B-Dan Morrissey, William Wood T-Carmen Auciello D-Jonathan Drury

[Replay](#)

**10, Wbs, \$30,000, Pace**, FILLIES & MARES PREFERRED HANDICAP, 28.3, 58.2, 1:26.4, 1:54.3

**1-Kendall Seelster (b,m,4 - Shadow Play-Kiddie Cocktail-Bettors Delight)** \$15,000, Lifetime Record: 38-16-9-3, \$789,950

O-1187422 Ontario Inc B-Seelster Farms Inc T-Rod Boyd D-Sylvain Filon

**2-Tajmeallover** (b,m,8 - Tajma Hall-Watch Over Me-As Promised)

O-Jean Francois Gagne, Peter Van Seggelen, Carl Warnaar, Tapron Holdings Ltd B-Jean Francois Gagne, Peter Van Seggelen T-Jean Francois Gagne  
D-Jean Francois Gagne

**3-Double A Mint** (b,m,4 - Bettors Delight-Double Creme-Albert Albert)

O-Adriano Sorella B-Stephen Dey T-Richard Moreau D-Louis Philippe Roy

[Replay](#)

## YONKERS report

### Friday's Results:

**1, YR, \$17,500, Pace**, NON-WINNERS OF \$10,000 IN LAST 5 STARTS WINNERS OVER \$100,000 IN 2018/19 NOT ELIGIBLE., 29.0, 58.0, 1:27.0, 1:56.2, FT

**1-Highview Conall N (g, 10, Christian Cullen--Signorina, by Vance Hanover)** \$8,750, Lifetime Record: 159-36-17-16, \$369,896

O-Friendship Stables LLC. B-D A Clark, NZ. T-Paul Blumenfeld. D-Brent Holland.

**2-Canbec Kingkazimir** (g, 9, Jereme's Jet--Dragonosa, by The Panderosa) \$4,375, Lifetime Record: 207-14-35-34, \$336,512

O-Bill K Lambos & Dionisios Liberatos. B-Tourmana Inc, CA & Claude Hamel, CA & Lapharmaciedekedgwick Inc, CA. T-Robert Bongiorno. D-Joe Bongiorno.

**3-Shane Adam** (g, 7, Western Ideal--Cheyenne Ava, by Camluck) \$2,100, Lifetime Record: 121-14-16-26, \$365,764

O-Howard A Taylor & Thomas A Lazzaro. B-G.R.J. Partners LLC & Eli Oxenhorn. T-Richard Banca. D-Jason Bartlett.

[Replay](#) - Calls: 3, 3T, 1Q, NS, NK - Finish Order: Some Gold, Major Bucks, Awesomeness, Tenacious One A, Hurricane Beach

# RACE RESULTS - FRIDAY (CONTINUED)

**2, YR, \$23,000, Trot**, NON-WINNERS OF \$20,000 IN LAST 5 STARTS AE. OPTIONAL CLAIMING ALLOWANCE \$30,000, 29.3, 59.2, 1:28.0, 1:57.2, FT

**1-Golden Kronos (g, 5, Chapter Seven--Order By Credit, by Credit Winner)** \$11,500, \$100,000 2015 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 44-15-6-5, \$145,829  
O-Michael L & William Pozefsky & Myron Ekstein. B-Order By Stable, SD. T-Stanley Zombick Jr. D-Brent Holland.

**2-Just For You (m, 5, Yankee Glide--Jodi's Jayme, by American Winner)** \$5,750, \$20,000 2015 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 55-10-8-5, \$103,113  
O-Hutt Racing Stable. B-Windsong Stable. T-Blake Macintosh. D-Matt Kakaley.

**3-Dog Gone Lucky (g, 6, Lucky Chucky--Ebbtide Hall, by Cash Hall)** \$2,760, Lifetime Record: 58-11-14-6, \$633,222  
O-Mr Racing Inc & Maria F De Bruijn. B-Mike L Stoltzfus & Samuel I Stoltzfus Jr. T-Michel Heijnen. D-George Brennan.

**Replay** - Calls: 3, 3H, Q, 1, 1H - Finish Order: Aberforth, Barry Black, Delcrest Massy, Only Passing Thru, Ooh Rah

**3, YR, \$17,500, Pace**, CLAIMING ALLOWANCE \$25,000 3 YO 50%, 4 YO 25%, F&M 20%, 28.1, 57.3, 1:26.0, 1:55.4, FT

**1-Rural Art (g, 8, Major In Art--W C Betina, by Camluck)** \$8,750, Lifetime Record: 161-24-28-22, \$339,617  
O-P T Stable. B-Brenda J & Wayne M Depoorter, CA. T-Richard Banca. D-Jason Bartlett.



**Preferred Equine** MIXED SALE  
GRADUATE

**2-American Venture (g, 9, American Ideal--Pleasant Journey, by Artsplace)** \$4,375, \$20,000 2011 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 179-30-25-27, \$393,393  
O-Robert D Main. B-Brittany Farms LLC. T-Jason Robinson. D-Matt Kakaley.

**3-Swift As A Shadow (h, 9, Bettor's Delight--Flibbertigibbet, by Albert Albert)** \$2,100, Lifetime Record: 158-33-18-19, \$490,744  
O-Jodie Cerillo & Cory Stratton. B-Winbak Farm. T-Cory Stratton. D-Jordan Stratton.

**Replay** - Calls: 1H, 1H, 1H, 1H, NK - Finish Order: Zoeez Boy Henry, We Think Alike, Wild Again, Toatsmygoats, Show The Fashion

**4, YR, \$17,500, Pace**, NON-WINNERS OF \$10,000 IN LAST 5 STARTS WINNERS OVER \$100,000 IN 2018/19 NOT ELIGIBLE., 28.3, 58.1, 1:26.3, 1:55.1, FT

**1-Dream Of Luck (g, 5, Camluck--Dream Of Mimi, by Dream Away)** \$8,750, \$40,000 2015 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 73-12-11-8, \$190,002  
O-William E Emmons. B-Winbak Farm. T-Chris Height. D-Jason Bartlett.



**2-Ourlittlegeneral A (h, 6, Mach Three--Kabbalah Karen B, by Western Terror)** \$4,375, Lifetime Record: 45-17-10-7, \$423,131  
O-Allard Racing Inc, CA & Kapildeo Singh & Stephen Klunowski, CA & Niss Allen Inc. B-Lauriston Bloodstock, AS. T-Rene Allard. D-Daniel Dube.

**3-Beast Mode (g, 6, Rock N Roll Heaven--Gaia's Gold, by Village Jove)** \$2,100, \$5,000 2014 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 85-14-10-8, \$142,718  
O-Jesmeral Stable. B-Nina Simmonds. T-Sheena Mcelhiney. D-George Brennan.

**Replay** - Calls: 1H, 1H, 1H, 1Q, NK - Finish Order: Mighty American N, Oh Jonny B Good N, Itsonlyrocknroll A, Sporty Spook A, Burning Midnight

**5, YR, \$17,500, Pace**, NON-WINNERS OF \$10,000 IN LAST 5 STARTS WINNERS OVER \$100,000 IN 2018/19 NOT ELIGIBLE., 27.3, 57.1, 1:25.4, 1:55.2, FT

**1-Sunken Treasure (h, 6, Somebeachsomewhere--Fastidious Hanover, by Life Sign)** \$8,750, Lifetime Record: 50-10-7-2, \$147,830  
O-T R Stables. B-John A Carver. T-Michael Temming. D-Jordan Stratton.

**2-Catcha Lefty A (g, 7, Village Jasper--Lefty, by Fake Left)** \$4,375, Lifetime Record: 62-24-13-6, \$217,807  
O-Winners Circle Racing LLC & John A Campagnuolo & Barbara A Lucarelli & Barbara R Kurtin. B-C J Monte, AS. T-Rob Harmon. D-Jim Marohn Jr.

**3-Abner The Great (g, 6, Western Paradise--Majortempertantrum, by Art Major)** \$2,100, \$12,000 2014 ATL-CL, Lifetime Record: 81-12-12-14, \$145,323  
O-Centaur Stable & Jordon M Sklut. B-Blair E Campbell, CA. T-Jennifer Bongiorno. D-Joe Bongiorno.

**Replay** - Calls: 6H, 4, 2Q, 1H, 1 - Finish Order: Twin B Speedo, Chucaro Acero Bc, Tj Blast, Reasonable Force, Horsing Around

**6, YR, \$44,000, Pace**, F&M OPEN, 26.4, 57.1, 1:25.4, 1:54.0, FT

**1-Betterb Chevron N (m, 6, Bettor's Delight--Waihemo Anvil, by In The Pocket)** \$22,000, Lifetime Record: 40-18-6-5, \$167,886  
O-William A Hartt. B-Small Car World LTD, NZ. T-Lance Hudson. D-Jordan Stratton.

**2-Aldine Hanover (m, 4, A Rocknroll Dance--Armbo Amoretto, by Artsplace)** \$11,000, \$22,000 2016 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 44-10-11-10, \$300,711  
O-Claim To Fame LLC. B-Hanover Shoe Farms Inc. T-Michael Hall. D-Jason Bartlett.

**3-Delishka N (m, 6, Bettor's Delight--Balishka, by Badlands Hanover)** \$5,280, Lifetime Record: 45-16-5-3, \$209,714  
O-Legacy Racing Of De Inc & Nanticoke Racing Inc & Reginald A Hazzard II & Gary P Calloway. B-E W Knight, NZ & B K Mowbray, NZ. T-Wayne Givens.  
D-Brent Holland.

**Replay** - Calls: 6, 2Q, T, H, H - Finish Order: Amateur Hour, Shez Sugarsweet A, Itty Bitty, Monica Gallagher, Ella Michelle A

## RACE RESULTS - FRIDAY (CONTINUED)

**7, YR, \$29,000, Pace, F&M NON-WINNERS OF \$30,000 IN LAST 5 STARTS AE. 3&4 YEAR OLD NON-WINNERS OF 10 P-M RACES LIFETIME., 28.0, 57.2, 1:25.2, 1:54.0, FT**

**1-Delightfulmemphis (m, 6, Bettor's Delight--Memphis Melody, by Badlands Hanover)** \$14,500, Lifetime Record: 56-17-21-5, \$310,323  
O-Enzed Racing Stable Inc. B-Platinum Breeding Limited, NZ & E R Collins, NZ. T-R. Nifty Norman. D-Jason Bartlett.

**2-Empress Deo (m, 8, Rocknroll Hanover--Little Miss K, by Artsplace)** \$7,250, \$27,000 2012 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 131-32-32-14, \$582,643  
O-Legacy Racing Of De Inc. B-Mjg Racing Stables Inc. T-Wayne Givens. D-George Brennan.

**3-Sally Fletcher A (m, 8, American Ideal--Im Off Limits, by Artscape)** \$3,480, Lifetime Record: 98-26-21-12, \$320,667  
O-Blindswitch Racing Stable. B-D P Harvey, AS & K J & S M Smith, AS. T-Jose Godinez. D-Matt Kakaley.

**Replay** - Calls: 1H, 1H, HD, 1, H - Finish Order: Dudesalady, Culinary Delight N, Made Of Jewels As, Brazuca, Caviart Cherie

**8, YR, \$23,000, Pace, F&M NON-WINNERS OF \$20,000 IN LAST 5 STARTS AE. OPTIONAL CLAIMING ALLOWANCE \$30,000, 28.0, 57.4, 1:26.4, 1:55.3, FT**

**1-Jewel Lehigh A (m, 8, Cammibest--Ultimate Jewels, by Ultimate Falcon)** \$11,500, Lifetime Record: 130-25-32-18, \$341,159  
O-Michael Goldberg Racingllc. B-Burwood Stud, AS. T-Andrew Harris. D-Matt Kakaley.

**2-Dongal Rundlsckr N (m, 7, Bettor's Delight--Boyd's Creek, by Elsu)** \$5,750, Lifetime Record: 75-17-13-10, \$183,917  
O-Shaun F Vallee & Emanuel & Patricia Balsamides & Chris Arvanitis. B-M A Boyd, NZ. T-Anita Vallee. D-Shaun Vallee.

**3-Poppy Drayton N (m, 6, Bettor's Delight--Shannara, by Elsu)** \$2,760, Lifetime Record: 56-11-7-12, \$80,112  
O-Blindswitch Racing Stable & Vip Internet Stable LLC & Gary S Axelrod. B-S B & Mrs A M Phillips, NZ. T-Jose Godinez. D-Jason Bartlett.

**Replay** - Calls: T, 1T, 1H, 1H, NK - Finish Order: Shesjustadelight N, Regil Elektra, Gina Grace N, Prairie Sweetheart, Sail To The Beach

**9, YR, \$20,000, Pace, CLAIMING ALLOWANCE \$30,000 3 YO 50%, 4 YO 25%, F&M 20%, 28.0, 57.3, 1:25.2, 1:53.3, FT**

**1-Adonis Bay (g, 7, If I Can Dream--Kiss Me I'm Lucky, by Jate Lobell)** \$10,000, \$13,000 2013 MORRIS, Lifetime Record: 129-32-15-16, \$233,405  
O-Gus G & James D Scarpas. B-Bulletproof Enterprises. T-James Scarpas. D-Austin Siegelman.

**2-Lone Raider (g, 8, Nuclear Breeze--Gen-u-wine Raider, by Keystone Raider)** \$5,000, Lifetime Record: 149-23-25-19, \$210,195  
O-Eric A Prevost. B-Julie A & Lois J Swann. T-Nicholas Devita. D-Jordan Stratton.

**3-Cheyenne Reijane (g, 5, Cheyenne Rei--Unspeakable Joy, by Cole Muffler)** \$2,400, Lifetime Record: 68-10-7-20, \$140,643  
O-Matias S Ruiz. B-Rei's Gang LLC. T-Matias Ruiz. D-Jim Marohn Jr.

**Replay** - Calls: 2, 1T, 2, 2, 2Q - Finish Order: First Class Horse, Skyful Of Lighters, Statesman N, Raksmach N, Sluggem N

**10, YR, \$17,500, Pace, NON-WINNERS OF \$10,000 IN LAST 5 STARTS WINNERS OVER \$100,000 IN 2018/19 NOT ELIGIBLE., 28.0, 58.0, 1:25.4, 1:55.2, FT**

**1-Milliondollar Wave (g, 8, Million Dollar Cam--Im Making Waves, by Beach Towel)** \$8,750, Lifetime Record: 128-28-16-11, \$295,646  
O-Matias S Ruiz & James Louis Mascola. B-Yirribee Pacing Stud, AS. T-Matias Ruiz. D-Jordan Stratton.



**2-Casino Bags Carlo (g, 8, Roddy's Bags Again--Casino Bus, by Village Jove)** \$4,375, Lifetime Record: 142-27-21-20, \$349,079  
O-Engel Stable Of Il LLC & Michael Surick. B-Cavalli Pazzi Stables LLC. T-Nick Surick. D-Joe Bongiorno.

**3-Swellendam (g, 6, Bettor's Delight--Musical Voyage, by Western Hanover)** \$2,100, Lifetime Record: 50-7-6-9, \$63,949  
O-Millar Farms, CA. B-Millar Farms, CA. T-Scott Blackler. D-Jason Bartlett.

**Replay** - Calls: 1T, 2, 2H, 1Q, HD - Finish Order: Mr Right Hanover, Democracy N, Midnight Lightning, Highland Tartan, Twin B Impressive

**11, YR, \$23,000, Trot, NON-WINNERS OF \$20,000 IN LAST 5 STARTS AE. OPTIONAL CLAIMING ALLOWANCE \$30,000, 28.4, 59.2, 1:27.3, 1:57.0, FT**

**1-Southwind Ferrari (g, 5, Chapter Seven--Fillyanthropy, by Donato Hanover)** \$11,500, \$13,000 2015 BHS, Lifetime Record: 52-15-3-9, \$103,642  
O-Scott D Woogen. B-Southwind Farm. T-Arlene Cameron. D-Matt Kakaley.

**2-Consolidator (m, 6, Triumphant Caviar--Muscle Toy, by Muscles Yankee)** \$5,750, \$25,000 2014 OH-SEL, Lifetime Record: 73-20-14-14, \$569,237  
O-Thomas A Lazzaro & Howard A Taylor & Laura L Baker. B-Rose Run Farm. T-Scott Di Domenico. D-George Brennan.

**3-No Recess (g, 10, Rich Boy--Riann Photo, by S J's Photo)** \$2,760, Lifetime Record: 188-52-26-27, \$284,198  
O-Spagnola Racing LLC. B-Jenson Stables. T-Kyle Spagnola. D-Brent Holland.

**Replay** - Calls: 3, 1, 1Q, 1T, NK - Finish Order: Crazycat, Muscles On Fire, Kinetic King, Abc Muscles Boy, Perfect Stick

**12, YR, \$23,000, Pace, F&M NON-WINNERS OF \$20,000 IN LAST 5 STARTS AE. OPTIONAL CLAIMING ALLOWANCE \$30,000, 28.1, 58.0, 1:26.3, 1:56.0, FT**

**1-Best Of Jenna (m, 7, Jenna's Beach Boy--Best Place, by Artsplace)** \$11,500, Lifetime Record: 116-24-26-11, \$323,214  
O-Mark A Graber. B-Dm Stables LLC & William J Rufenacht. T-Cory Stratton. D-Jordan Stratton.

## RACE RESULTS - FRIDAY (CONTINUED)

**2-Wishy Washy Girl** (m, 6, Roll With Joe--Wish All You Want, by Western Terror) \$5,750, Lifetime Record: 77-15-16-8, \$475,547  
O-Michael J Cimaglio & Stephen W Demeter & Glenn Goller. B-Scott A & Thomas R Dillon. T-Richard Banca. D-Jason Bartlett.

**3-Cheyenne Triengel** (m, 6, Mach Three--Cheyenne Ina, by Art Major) \$2,760, Lifetime Record: 96-13-17-17, \$265,510  
O-G.R.J. Partners LLC. B-Gordon M Freeman. T-Jeffrey Smith. D-Matt Kakaley.

**Replay** - Calls: H, 1H, 1H, 1H, HD - Finish Order: Motu Moonbeam N, Betabcool N, Royal Knockout, Miss Irish Rose A, Bring Me Diamonds

## RACE RESULTS - SATURDAY

### MEADOWLANDS report

*Meadowlands had not made any of the results from last night final via USTA at publication time*

### MIAMI VALLEY report

#### Saturday's Results:

**4, MVR, \$16,000, Pace**, HORSES & GELDINGS N/W \$8000 IN LAST 4 STARTS AE: WINNERS NOT MORE THAN 8 PM RACES, 26.1, 55.2, 1:23.3, 1:53.1, SY

**1-Lucky Mctrucky (g, 10, McArdle--Truculent Lady, by Western Ideal)** \$8,000, \$35,000 2010 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 279-57-28-32, \$513,537  
O-Tessa M Roland. B-Perretti Farms. T-J D Perrin. D-Dan Noble.

**2-Dirty Steve** (g, 5, Feelin Friskie--Sara's Lil Sis, by Nobleland Sam) \$4,000, Lifetime Record: 60-15-11-7, \$111,547  
O-Burke Racing Stable LLC & Weaver Brusceci LLC. B-Matt E Rowe. T-Ron Burke. D-Chris Page.

**3-Holdingallthecards** (g, 10, Cam's Card Shark--Ivory Tower, by Jate Lobell) \$1,920, \$8,500 2010 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 183-51-27-14, \$545,250  
O-William G Mcintyre & Richard A Mc Intyre. B-Robert T Unice. T-Tim Maier. D-Josh Sutton.

**Replay Unavailable** - Calls: 1, H, 1H, 2, H - Finish Order: Fourboltmane, Vance Bayama, Three Card, Over Friskie, American Dreamer, Lyons Snyder

**6, MVR, \$27,500, Pace**, CLAIM TO FAME SERIES HORSES & GELDINGS CLAIMING \$39,000 W/A (30% PREMIUM OVER ORIG. PRICE) 2ND LEG - 1ST DIVISION, 26.3, 55.1, 1:23.3, 1:53.1, GD

**1-Swappportunity (g, 7, Mach Three--Swap Blue Chip, by Art Major)** \$13,750, \$35,000 2013 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 76-22-15-11, \$188,162  
O-Lasalle Investments, LLC. B-Edward B Smith, CA & G Arthur Slack, CA & Georgette Guillemette Inc, CA. T-Becky Zubkoff. D-Trace Tetrick.

**2-Iyq Yqr** (g, 6, Richess Hanover--I Y Q, by Big Tom) \$6,875, Lifetime Record: 81-19-4-6, \$135,765  
O-Blindswitch Racing Stable. B-Trenton D & Brenda L Watson. T-Jeff Amann. D-Chris Page.

**3-Evergreen Elite** (g, 7, Duneside Perch--Fancy Muffler, by Cole Muffler) \$3,300, \$9,000 2013 ILL-CL, Lifetime Record: 68-19-13-7, \$166,081  
O-The Panhellenic Stb Corp. B-Fair Meadow Farm. T-Ken Rucker. D-Kyle Ater.

**Replay Unavailable** - Calls: 1H, 1, 1, 1H, 1Q - Finish Order: Rock To Glory, Backstreet Lawyer, Winna Winna, Sonofa Sizzle, Given Up Terror, Big Top Hanover

**8, MVR, \$32,500, Pace**, CLAIM TO FAME SERIES - CHAMPIONSHIP HORSES & GELDINGS CLAIMING \$20,000 (NO CLAIMING IN FINAL), 27.1, 55.4, 1:23.1, 1:52.3, GD

**1-Fan Of Terror (g, 7, Western Terror--Fans Bikini, by Jenna's Beach Boy)** \$16,250, Lifetime Record: 100-28-16-10, \$240,053  
O-Brian&Ira Wallach Racing. B-Goldfinger Enterprises. T-Brady Galliers. D-Dan Noble.



**Preferred Equine** MIXED SALE  
GRADUATE

**2-Latest Desire** (g, 9, Real Desire--Latest Design, by Western Hanover) \$8,125, \$17,000 2011 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 146-43-16-14, \$515,591  
O-Steven C Price & Scott Tyler George. B-Fair Winds Farm Inc. T-Tyler George. D-Trace Tetrick.

**3-Whiskey Friskie** (g, 6, Feelin Friskie--Be My Lucky Star, by Camluck) \$3,900, \$16,000 2014 OH-SEL, Lifetime Record: 121-13-24-18, \$231,344  
O-Gregory C Gardner. B-Midland Acres Inc. T-Brandon Piguet. D-Tyler Smith.

**Replay Unavailable** - Calls: 1H, T, 1H, 3, 2T - Finish Order: Denlow Hanover, Blooming Genius, Valiant Ivy, Vintage Grand, Gypsy Leather, Artsmah

# RACE RESULTS - SATURDAY (CONTINUED)

**9, MVR, \$20,000, Pace, HORSES & GELDINGS OPEN II, 27.1, 56.0, 1:24.4, 1:53.3, GD**

**1-Mojoto Hanover (g, 5, Well Said--Monte Carlo Madam, by Camluck)** \$10,000, \$55,000 2015 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 36-13-7-1, \$119,370  
O-Edward W Dobrowolski. B-Hanover Shoe Farms Inc. T-Zachary Miller. D-Elliott Deaton.

 **ANOTHER WINNER BRED BY HANOVER SHOE FARMS!**

**A LEXINGTON SUCCESS STORY.**  
THIS WINNER WAS SOLD AT THE LEXINGTON YEARLING SALE.

**2-Cruise Patrol (h, 6, Bettor's Delight--Western Cruise, by Western Hanover)** \$5,000, \$60,000 2014 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 84-13-16-9, \$241,056  
O-Coleen J Dowdall. B-Brittany Farms LLC. T-Chris Short. D-Trace Tetrack.

**3-Whataboy (g, 6, Big Bad John--Parapanalia, by Noble Ability)** \$2,400, \$25,000 2014 OH-SEL, Lifetime Record: 82-16-13-10, \$371,121  
O-Carl L Atley & Danny J Dubeansky. B-Dm Stables LLC. T-Danny Dubeansky. D-Tyler Smith.

**Replay Unavailable** - Calls: 4T, 2, 1T, 1, 2 - Finish Order: Doctor Carter, Docdor Friskie, Angelo J Fra, Stonebridge Rocks, Savage Seelster, Stuckey Dote, Migrate Blue Chip

**10, MVR, \$15,000, Trot, N/W 7 (MARES 8) PM RACES AT EXT. MEETS AE: N/W \$60,000 LIFETIME, 28.4, 58.2, 1:27.2, 1:58.2, GD**

**1-Queens On Fire (m, 4, Big Stick Lindy--Queen Of Queens, by Sierra Kosmos)** \$7,500, \$24,000 2016 HOOSIER, Lifetime Record: 51-11-12-4, \$73,242  
O-Rocking Meadows Stable. B-Black Creek Farm. T-Mervin Schmucker. D-Chris Page.

**2-Deweyknowigotit (g, 5, Deweycheatumnhowe--Vapor Rises, by Vaporize)** \$3,750, Lifetime Record: 27-6-3-2, \$44,930  
O-Lionel Ray Watiker. B-Lionel Ray Watiker. T-Derek Watiker. D-Derek Watiker.

**3-Vatanna (m, 5, Dejambro--Dj Babe, by Armbro Iliad)** \$1,800, \$10,000 2015 OH-SEL, Lifetime Record: 47-6-5-9, \$129,115  
O-Anna Kristina Lorentzon. B-R Kevin Greenfield. T-Anette Lorentzon. D-Elliott Deaton.

**Replay Unavailable** - Calls: 2H, 2, T, NS, H - Finish Order: Showboat, Hail To The King, Santini, Here Comes Cash, Hill Side, Missprimetimemel

**11, MVR, \$27,500, Pace, CLAIM TO FAME SERIES HORSES & GELDINGS CLAIMING \$39,000 W/A (30% PREMIUM OVER ORIG. PRICE) 2ND LEG - 2ND DIVISION, 26.2, 55.1, 1:23.2, 1:53.1, GD**

**1-Cyclone Kiwi N (g, 9, Jereme's Jet--Another Kiwi, by Clever Innocence)** \$15,125, Lifetime Record: 91-29-13-10, \$344,067  
O-Adam B Short. B-A S Donaldson, NZ. T-Adam Short. D-Trace Tetrack.

**2-Indiana Cam (g, 7, Majestic Blue--One Fine Cam, by Camluck)** \$6,875, \$5,500 2013 BHS, Lifetime Record: 126-29-13-15, \$211,088  
O-Grant A Wilfong. B-Blue Ridge Standard Farm. T-Charles Stewart. D-Todd Warren.

**3-Sammy The Bull N (g, 10, Bettor's Delight--I'm On Myway, by Holmes Hanover)** \$3,300, Lifetime Record: 172-16-19-36, \$234,847  
O-Matthew L Newsome & Mitchell Standardbreds Inc.. B-Mrs I B Holland, NZ. T-Zach Tackett. D-Josh Sutton.

**Replay Unavailable** - Calls: NS, T, 1, 2, 1Q - Finish Order: Get Around Town, Full On Rocknroll, J M Jet Set, Winning Is Sweet, Verdad, Northern Virgin, Prejudice

**12, MVR, \$25,000, Pace, HORSES & GELDINGS OPEN I HCP PP'S 1-4 & 10 DRAWN; 5-8 DRAWN; 9 ASSIGNED, 27.0, 54.4, 1:22.2, 1:51.2, GD**

**1-Nuclear Dragon (g, 7, Nuclear Breeze--Ms Dragon Flys, by Dragon Again)** \$12,500, Lifetime Record: 102-24-14-7, \$375,798  
O-Richard J Mishkin. B-Richard J Malone Sr & Casey W Foltz. T-Dan Noble. D-Dan Noble.

**2-Whatchyastarinat (g, 7, Up Front Brad--Im Warning U, by As Promised)** \$6,250, Lifetime Record: 90-21-22-22, \$143,667  
O-Wolfswinkel Pacers Inc. B-Henry J Wolfswinkel. T-Dan Ater. D-Kyle Ater.

**3-Shagwiththedragon (g, 5, Dragon Again--Lady Terror, by Western Terror)** \$3,000, Lifetime Record: 48-10-5-8, \$77,306  
O-Tessa M Roland & Eim Racing. B-Glenview Livestock LTD, CA. T-J D Perrin. D-Michael Oosting.

**Replay Unavailable** - Calls: 1, 1, 1, 1H, 1Q - Finish Order: Artistic Major, Granite, My Buddy Ninkster, Dancin Yankee, My Hero Ron, Fools Desire, Tyd Theglyde

**Race 13 official results were unavailable at time of publication**

## NORTHFIELD report

**Saturday's Results:**

**12, Nfld, \$17,000, Pace, FILLIES & MARES OPEN HANDICAP (DRAW POST POSITIONS 1-5; DRAW 6-7 & 9; PP 8 ASSIGNED), 28.0, 56.3, 1:25.0, 1:53.4, FT**

**1-Godiva Seelster (m, 9, Camluck--Go Jme Go, by Jate Lobell)** \$8,500, \$20,000 2011 FOREST, Lifetime Record: 174-58-50-27, \$570,812  
O-Paul M & Patricia A O'Neil. B-2086729 Ontario Inc, CA & Seelster Farms Inc, CA. T-Jessica Roegner. D-Greg Grismore.

**2-A Little Starstruck (m, 8, Well Said--Rookies Luck, by Camluck)** \$4,250, Lifetime Record: 166-32-22-26, \$333,061  
O-Shining Mprb Stable. B-David Goodrow Stable, CA. T-Joe Putnam. D-Aaron Merriman.



# RACE RESULTS - SATURDAY (CONTINUED)

**3-Mcdazzle** (m, 5, Art Official--Dream Mcqueen, by McArdle) \$2,040, Lifetime Record: 76-17-18-17, \$194,466  
O-Burke Racing Stable LLC & Weaver Brusceci LLC. B-Mark L Marroletti. T-Ron Burke. D-Ronnie Wrenn Jr..

[Replay](#) - Calls: 1H, 2, 1H, 1T, H - Finish Order: Tiger's Sue, Cruzin Coco, Champagne Shower, Do U Mind, Official Treasure, Vow To Wow

## WOODBINE MOHAWK report

### Saturday's Results:

**2, Wbs, \$18,000, Pace**, FILLIES & MARES, 5 YEAR OLDS & YOUNGER, NW 3 RACES OR \$61,000 LIFETIME, 27.3, 57.1, 1:25.3, 1:54

**1-Beaches Be Crazy (b,m,5 - Somebeachsomewhere-Dress To Suggest-Camluck)** \$9,000, Lifetime Record: 23-2-5-0, \$47,600  
O-Robert McIntosh Stables Inc, Al McIntosh Holdings Inc B-Robert McIntosh Stables Inc T-Robert McIntosh D-James MacDonald

**2-Dry Silk Flowers** (ch,m,4 - Vintage Master-Silky Flower-Allamerican Native)

O-Robert Key B-Robert Key T-Rod Boyd D-Phillippe Hudon

**3-Woodmere Ceilidh** (b,m,4 - Articulator-Highland Dancer-Mach Three)

O-Stephen Klunowski B-Bruce Wood T-Carmen Auciello D-Douglas McNair

[Replay](#)

**3, Wbs, \$18,000, Pace**, NW \$10,800 LAST 5 STARTS OR NW \$20,000 LAST 10 STARTS. AE: OPT. CLM. \$30,000 AE: NW 6 RACES LIFETIME, 29, 57, 1:25.4, 1:53.4

**1-Te Kawau N (br,g,9 - Bettors Delight-Haylin Express-Christian Cullen)** \$9,000, Lifetime Record: 124-27-23-15, \$460,274  
O-Albina Montini, William Rogers, Kwong Sum Low, Vincent Albanese B-K R & S D Farrier T-Anthony Montini D-Jody Jamieson



**2-East End** (br,g,6 - Bettors Delight-London Eye-Western Ideal)

O-Percy Elkins B-Diamond Creek Farm Llc T-Carmen Auciello D-Douglas McNair

**3-Ramblingamblinman** (b,g,8 - Lis Mara-Armro Althea-Artsplace)

O-R L Polese B-Perretti Farms T-Shayne Barrington D-Chris Christoforou

[Replay](#)

**7, Wbs, \$22,000, Pace**, NW \$15,500 LAST 5 STARTS OR NW \$27,000 LAST 10 STARTS. AE: OPT. CLM. \$45,000. AE: NW \$135,000 LIFETIME, 26.1, 55.2, 1:24.1, 1:51.2

**1-Rock This Way (br,g,5 - Rocknroll Hanover-Racy Gal Hanover-Modern Art)** \$11,000, Lifetime Record: 69-9-10-11, \$203,985

O-Santo & Nunzio Vena B-Santo & Nunzio Vena T-Benoit Baillargeon D-Chris Christoforou

**2-Fancourt** (br,g,6 - Big Jim-Catch A Wish-Jennas Beach Boy)

O-Millar Farms B-Millar Farms T-Nick Gallucci D-Randall Waples

**3-Torrin Hanover** (b,g,4 - Well Said-Transference-Camluck)

O-Richard Berthiaume B-Hanover Shoe Farms Inc T-Benoit Baillargeon D-Sylvain Filion

[Replay](#)

**8, Wbs, \$18,000, Pace**, 5 YEAR OLDS & YOUNGER, NW 3 RACES OR \$56,000 LIFETIME, 26.4, 55.3, 1:24.2, 1:52.2

**1-Darkest Secret (b,g,5 - Somebeachsomewhere-Dark Secret-Western Hanover)** \$9,000, Lifetime Record: 40-11-6-4, \$56,831

O-La Ferme Drummond Inc B-Hamstan Farm Inc T-Richard Moreau D-Sylvain Filion



**2-Stolen Art** (b,g,4 - Art Major-Hilarious-Die Laughing)

O-David Brown, Jim Elburg B-James Avritt T-David Brown D-James MacDonald

**3-Legal Power** (b,g,4 - Somebeachsomewhere-Authorize-Western Ideal)

O-Douglas Dunbar, Frederick Woolford B-Brittany Farms Llc T-Anthony Montini D-Douglas McNair

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# RACE RESULTS - SATURDAY (CONTINUED)

9, Wbs, \$27,000, Pace, NW \$28,500 LAST 5 STARTS. AE: NW \$175,000 LIFETIME. AE: OPT. CLM. \$80,000, 27.1, 55.2, 1:23.2, 1:50.4

**1-Traceur Hanover (b,h,7 - Western Ideal-Transference-Camluck)** \$13,500, Lifetime Record: 112-27-11-15, \$832,549  
O-Richard Berthiaume B-Hanover Shoe Farms Inc T-Benoit Baillargeon D-Chris Christoforou

**Hanover** ANOTHER WINNER BRED BY HANOVER SHOE FARMS!

**2-Physicallyinclined (b,h,7 - Mach Three-Artisticlyinclined-Artsplace)**  
O-Robert Watson, Armando Cappuccitti, Mike Bartram, Auciello Stables B-Big Als Stables Inc T-Carmen Auciello D-Paul Macdonell

**3-Regal Son (b,g,8 - Stonebridge Regal-On This Day-Camluck)**  
O-Donald Lindsey, William Alempijevic B-Robert McIntosh Stables Inc T-Donald Lindsey D-Sylvain Filion

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10, Wbs, \$18,000, Pace, NW \$10,800 LAST 5 STARTS OR NW \$20,000 LAST 10 STARTS. AE: OPT. CLM. \$30,000. AE: NW 6 RACES LIFETIME, 26.4, 56.1, 1:24.2, 1:52.1

**1-Alexas Jackpot (b,g,9 - Million Dollar Cam-Michelles Jackpot-Artsplace)** \$9,000, Lifetime Record: 130-24-28-30, \$562,855  
O-Marty Fine, Highland Thoroughbred FRM B-Jeffrey Snyder T-Marty Fine D-Ryan Guy

**2-Major Hill (b,g,6 - Art Major-Bunnys Legacy-Western Hanover)**  
O-Percy Elkins B-Tom Hill T-Carmen Auciello D-Chris Christoforou

**3-Senior K (b,g,6 - Bettors Delight-Love You Forty-Artsplace)**  
O-Keith Waples, Robert Kyle Fellows, Susan Miller, Donald Mac Lellan B-Winbak Farm T-Robert Kyle Fellows D-James MacDonald

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### Saturday's Results:

1, YR, \$23,000, Pace, NON-WINNERS OF \$20,000 IN LAST 5 STARTS, 28.3, 58.2, 1:26.4, 1:54.3, FT

**1-Soho Lennon A (g, 9, Mach Three--Dream Royale N, by Beach Towel)** \$11,500, Lifetime Record: 134-36-16-15, \$486,535  
O-David Linker & Pit Bull Stable LLC. B-R J Watson, WA. T-Doug Dilloian Jr. D-Jordan Stratton.

**2-Stars Align A (h, 6, Art Major--Nosotros, by Albert Albert)** \$5,750, Lifetime Record: 41-17-6-3, \$188,973  
O-Allard Racing Inc, CA & Yves Sarrazin, CA & Bruce A Soulsby & Alan F Weisenberg. B-Benstud Standardbreds, AS. T-Rene Allard. D-Daniel Dube.

**3-Scotch Mcewan (g, 5, McArdle--Forever Ivy, by Stand Forever)** \$2,760, \$30,000 2015 OH-SEL, Lifetime Record: 53-17-6-6, \$434,258  
O-Joe P Racing LLC. B-Rebecca L Ewing. T-Brandon Todd. D-Brent Holland.

[Replay](#) - Calls: 1H, 1T, 1H, 1Q, T - Finish Order: Capozzo, Mach Time N, Mcerlean, Twin B Speed Dial, Midway Island

2, YR, \$23,000, Pace, NON-WINNERS OF \$20,000 IN LAST 5 STARTS, 28.1, 58.1, 1:26.3, 1:54.1, FT

**1-Shneonuczrydiamnd A (g, 6, Somebeachsomewhere--Bella Shine, by Bettor's Delight)** \$11,500, Lifetime Record: 64-13-15-7, \$178,691  
O-Let It Ride Stables Inc & Mr Dana L Parham. B-LJ & I G Johnson, AS & G R Johnson, NZ. T-Ross Croghan. D-Daniel Dube.

**2-Avatar J (h, 5, American Ideal--Art's Fantasy, by Artsplace)** \$5,750, \$110,000 2015 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 28-10-4-2, \$114,202  
O-Jody J Sanderson, QT. B-Steiner Stock Farm. T-Andrew Harris. D-Jason Bartlett.

**3-Bettor Rock On N (g, 10, Bettor's Delight--Jingle Belle Rock, by Caprock)** \$2,760, Lifetime Record: 160-33-25-27, \$451,242  
O-William A Hartt. B-Paul Yesberg, NZ & R & A Hemingway, NZ. T-Lance Hudson. D-Jordan Stratton.

[Replay](#) - Calls: 1Q, 1H, 1, 1Q, T - Finish Order: Perfectly Close, Orillia Joe, Artifact Hanover, Dr Drake Ramoray, Sports Column

3, YR, \$23,000, Pace, NON-WINNERS OF \$20,000 IN LAST 5 STARTS, 27.2, 56.4, 1:25.1, 1:54.0, FT

**1-Texas Terror N (g, 11, Western Terror--Alicia Maree, by Holmes Hanover)** \$11,500, Lifetime Record: 174-32-34-30, \$437,859  
O-Blindswitch Racing Stable. B-Neville J Cockroft, NZ & Mrs L A & B G Grose, NZ. T-Jose Godinez. D-Matt Kakaley.

**2-Late Mail N (g, 6, Bettor's Delight--Lendusquid, by In The Pocket)** \$5,750, Lifetime Record: 71-10-15-6, \$147,004  
O-Let It Ride Stables Inc & Mr Dana L Parham. B-Roydon Lodge Stud LTD, NZ. T-Ross Croghan. D-Brent Holland.

**3-Vegas Rocks (g, 7, Rocknroll Hanover--Stonebridge Hugs, by Artsplace)** \$2,760, \$45,000 2013 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 115-25-11-15, \$231,258  
O-Jody J Sanderson, QT. B-Angie M Stiller, CA. T-Andrew Harris. D-Jim Marohn Jr.

[Replay](#) - Calls: 1Q, 1T, 1Q, 1H, NK - Finish Order: Delightful Offer N, Mariner Seelster, Doctor Butch, Mach Deja Vu, Dream Out Loud N

# RACE RESULTS - SATURDAY (CONTINUED)

**4, YR, \$22,000, Pace,** CLAIMING ALLOWANCE \$40,000 3 YO 50%, 4 YO 25%, F&M 20%, 28.0, 57.3, 1:26.2, 1:55.3, FT

**1-Roll Away Joe (g, 6, Roll With Joe--Chatelaine, by Western Hanover)** \$11,000, \$110,000 2014 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 70-12-12-13, \$507,072  
O-Leona M Morrissey, CA. B-Twinbrook Limited, CA. T-Dan Morrissey. D-Tyler Buter.

**2-Stolen Car (h, 11, Mach Three--Ashlee's Luck, by Camluck)** \$5,500, Lifetime Record: 225-38-49-26, \$715,313  
O-Jeffrey K Levine. B-Nurko N Sokolovic, CA & Craig A Barss, CA. T-Jeffrey Bamond Jr.. D-Matt Kakaley.

**3-Betterlatethnnever (g, 10, Western Terror--Lady Graceful, by Camluck)** \$2,640, \$120,000 2010 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 70-31-10-6, \$249,538  
O-David M Glazer, CA. B-Perfect World Enterprises. T-Jimmy Nickerson. D-George Brennan.

**Replay** - Calls: 7H, 6Q, 4T, 3H, 1 - Finish Order: Heez Orl Black N, Ace Of Clubs, Buggy Maguire, Chevals Clivesdale

**5, YR, \$23,000, Pace,** NON-WINNERS OF \$20,000 IN LAST 5 STARTS, 27.1, 57.0, 1:25.3, 1:54.2, FT

**1-Lachie Maguire N (g, 9, Bettor's Delight--Miss Jubilee, by In The Pocket)** \$11,500, Lifetime Record: 133-27-30-24, \$319,662  
O-Barry R Charles. B-R L & Mrs D C Kennedy, NZ. T-Jose Godinez. D-Jason Bartlett.

**2-Vanquished N (g, 7, Bettor's Delight--Motu Racy Girl, by In The Pocket)** \$5,750, Lifetime Record: 86-18-17-10, \$206,416  
O-Shaun F & Sarah L Vallee & Johnathan P Ahle. B-Motu Lodge Stud LTD, NZ. T-Anita Vallee. D-Shaun Vallee.

**3-All Down The Line (g, 6, Western Ideal--Amazing Marker, by Cole Muffler)** \$2,760, \$18,000 2014 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 100-14-17-13, \$269,151  
O-Stephen B Schneider & William W Siegel. B-Diamond Creek Farm LLC. T-Marthe Drolet. D-Matt Kakaley.

**Replay** - Calls: 1, 1H, 1H, 1H, H - Finish Order: Vapour N, Nitro Glistening, Chaching Hanover, Settlemoir, Master The View

**6, YR, \$44,000, Trot,** OPEN HANDICAP POST POSITIONS 1-4 ASSIGNED POST POSITIONS 5-8 DRAWN, 27.2, 56.4, 1:25.3, 1:54.4, FT

**1-Weslynn Dancer (m, 5, Deweycheatumhowe--Weslynn Legacy, by Windsong's Legacy)** \$22,000, Lifetime Record: 47-15-8-1, \$203,896  
O-Barbara & James K. Boese. B-1788938 Ontario LTD, CA. T-Richard Banca. D-Matt Kakaley.

**2-Melady's Monet (g, 10, Revenue S--Keystone Melady, by Keystone Smothers)** \$11,000, Lifetime Record: 175-53-36-27, \$1,360,458  
O-Melady Enterprises LLC. B-Luca & Ester Balenzano. T-Hermann Heitmann. D-Jordan Stratton.

**3-Smalltownthrowdown (g, 6, Cash Hall--Ann's Promise, by Balanced Image)** \$5,280, \$21,000 2014 MORRIS, Lifetime Record: 67-24-14-6, \$854,383  
O-Allard Racing Inc, CA & Yves Sarrazin, CA & Vip Internet Stable LLC & Bruce A Soulsby. B-David R Firmstone. T-Rene Allard. D-Daniel Dube.

**Replay** - Calls: 7H, 6, 3, 1Q, NS - Finish Order: Lily's Swan Pond, Mostinterestingman, Dw's Ny Yank, Andy Ray, Hoofin' It

**7, YR, \$35,000, Pace,** PREFERRED HANDICAP POST POSITIONS 1-3 ASSIGNED POST POSITIONS 4-7 DRAWN POST POSITION 8 ASSIGNED, 27.4, 57.2, 1:25.2, 1:53.1, FT

**1-Imarocnrollegend N (g, 7, Rock N Roll Heaven--The Chance Todance, by Albert Albert)** \$17,500, Lifetime Record: 53-12-11-10, \$122,176  
O-David Linker & Pit Bull Stable LLC. B-Stonewall Stud LTD, NZ. T-Doug Dilloian Jr. D-George Brennan.

**2-Lockton Luck A (g, 6, Major In Art--Dream Saver, by In The Pocket)** \$8,750, Lifetime Record: 55-15-11-8, \$101,144  
O-William A Hartt. B-Hillcrest Lodge Racing Syn Hillcrest Lodge Racing Syn, AS. T-Lance Hudson. D-Jordan Stratton.

**3-Tehtor Hanover (g, 7, Well Said--Tempest Blue Chip, by Bettor's Delight)** \$4,200, \$32,000 2013 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 146-27-24-25, \$481,683  
O-Jesmeral Stable. B-Hanover Shoe Farms Inc. T-Donald Sider. D-Matt Kakaley.

**Replay** - Calls: 1H, 2, 2Q, 2H, 2 - Finish Order: Beyond Delight, Mighty Mr Sharkey N, Blayde Hanover, Saulsbrook Lanny, Bellows Binge

**8, YR, \$44,000, Pace,** OPEN HANDICAP POST POSITIONS 1-3 ASSIGNED POST POSITIONS 4-6 DRAWN POST POSITIONS 7&8 DRAWN, 27.2, 56.1, 1:24.3, 1:53.2, FT

**1-Rockathon (g, 4, Pet Rock--Pantathlon, by The Panderosa)** \$22,000, \$25,000 2016 OH-SEL, Lifetime Record: 27-10-7-4, \$361,540  
O-Ricky A Bucci & Blue Meadow Farm LLC. B-Ron P Salcedo. T-Ricky Bucci. D-Jordan Stratton.

**2-Air Strike (g, 5, Always A Virgin--My Best Girl, by Cambest)** \$11,000, \$75,000 2015 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 56-17-6-2, \$325,315  
O-Ervin Miller Stable Inc & John E Koliopoulos. B-Frank E Coleman. T-Erv Miller. D-Brent Holland.

**3-Bettors Fire N (g, 11, Bettor's Delight--Sparks A Flyin, by Sands A Flyin)** \$5,280, Lifetime Record: 114-46-16-11, \$734,844  
O-Kevin R Sywyk & Ronald L Cushing & Frank M Ranaldi, AS. B-A J & S M Wakefield, NZ. T-Heidi Gibbs. D-Ron Cushing.

**Replay** - Calls: 2, 1Q, 1Q, 1H, H - Finish Order: Our Zak Whitby A, Christen Me N, Ballerat Boomerang, Weona Sizzler A, Aston Hill Dave

**9, YR, \$23,000, Pace,** NON-WINNERS OF \$20,000 IN LAST 5 STARTS, 27.3, 57.0, 1:25.0, 1:53.2, FT

**1-Stormont Czar A (g, 9, Bettor's Delight--Czarina Katerina, by Christian Cullen)** \$11,500, Lifetime Record: 107-26-17-19, \$253,121  
O-Oldford Racing LLC & Tyler L Buter. B-Mr K & M L & Dr G T Dodd, AS & H B Dunn, AS. T-Amber Buter. D-Tyler Buter.

**2-Decision Day (g, 4, Rock N Roll Heaven--Chief Karen, by Camluck)** \$5,750, \$35,000 2016 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 51-11-6-8, \$126,910  
O-Shirley A Le Vin. B-Curran Racing LLC & Adam T Michael. T-Bruce Saunders. D-Daniel Dube.

## RACE RESULTS - SATURDAY (CONTINUED)

**3-Don'tcallmefrancis** (g, 6, Rocknroll Hanover--Nanny Withafanny, by Incredible Finale) \$2,760, \$25,000 2014 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 104-22-16-14, \$383,594  
O-Blindswitch Racing Stable. B-Stephen P Dey III. T-Jose Godinez. D-Jason Bartlett.

**Replay** - Calls: 1H, 1H, T, 1H, 1Q - Finish Order: Mr Hasani N, Griffon Hanover, Rootin Tootin, Voracity, Shady City

**10, YR, \$29,000, Pace**, NON-WINNERS OF \$30,000 IN LAST 5 STARTS AE. 3&4 YEAR OLD NON-WINNERS OF 10 P-M RACES LIFETIME., 27.4, 57.3, 1:25.2, 1:53.2, FT

**1-Simple Kinda Man** (g, 4, Sportswriter--Sorcha Bluestone, by Rocknroll Hanover) \$14,500, \$30,000 2016 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 33-7-2-6, \$186,407  
O-Go Fast Stable & Vip Internet Stable LLC & Never 2 Late Stable. B-Bluestone Farms LLC & Carol Agins & S Steven Arak. T-Rene Allard. D-George Brennan.

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**2-Run Oneover N** (g, 8, Changeover--Presidential Belle, by Presidential Ball) \$7,250, Lifetime Record: 90-23-21-14, \$420,335  
O-David Linker & Pit Bull Stable LLC & Keith Motusesky. B-D B Odium, NZ. T-Doug Dilloian Jr. D-Jason Bartlett.

**3-Gratian Hanover** (g, 7, Western Ideal--Gray Major, by Art Major) \$3,480, \$20,000 2013 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 118-19-24-17, \$412,319  
O-Jennifer Bongiorno Stable LLC. B-Hanover Shoe Farms Inc. T-Jennifer Bongiorno. D-Joe Bongiorno.

**Replay** - Calls: 1H, 1T, 1H, 1H, NK - Finish Order: Luciano N, The Wall, Tremendous Play, Gokudo Hanover, Black Chevron N

**11, YR, \$29,000, Trot**, NON-WINNERS OF \$30,000 IN LAST 5 STARTS AE. 3&4 YEAR OLD NON-WINNERS OF 10 P-M RACES LIFETIME., 28.0, 58.2, 1:27.1, 1:56.1, FT

**1-Fearless Man** (g, 9, Elegant Man--Lasting Beauty, by Yankee Glide) \$14,500, \$15,000 2011 IN-PREM, Lifetime Record: 137-41-13-20, \$659,824  
O-Rick Zeron Stables, CA & Noblock Racing Stable, CA & Murray L Greenfield & Cool Cat Racing, Inc. B-Bobby A Brower. T-Andrew Harris. D-Jason Bartlett.

**2-New Heaven** (g, 5, Yankee Glide--New Day, by Conway Hall) \$7,250, \$10,000 2015 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 60-17-16-7, \$216,575  
O-Burke Racing Stable LLC & Weaver Brusceci LLC & Knox Services Inc & David B Wills. B-Arden Homestead Stable & Vieux Carre Farms. T-Ron Burke. D-George Brennan.

**3-Meadowbranch Ricky** (g, 4, Muscle Massive--Meadowbranch Jill, by Cantab Hall) \$3,480, Lifetime Record: 42-9-8-8, \$180,178  
O-Hans G Enggren. B-Hans G Enggren. T-Jenny Melander. D-Matt Kakaley.

**Replay** - Calls: 1H, 1H, 1H, H, H - Finish Order: Black Mamba As, Blenheim, Life Well Lived, Dynamic Edge, Drazmatazz

**12, YR, \$29,000, Pace**, NON-WINNERS OF \$30,000 IN LAST 5 STARTS AE. 3&4 YEAR OLD NON-WINNERS OF 10 P-M RACES LIFETIME., 28.0, 58.1, 1:26.2, 1:54.0, FT

**1-Don Domingo N** (g, 7, American Ideal--Ohoka Moon, by In The Pocket) \$14,500, Lifetime Record: 35-11-2-6, \$89,689  
O-William A Hartt. B-Cavalla Bloodstock LTD, NZ. T-Lance Hudson. D-Jordan Stratton.

**2-I'm Some Graduate** (g, 6, Somebeachsomewhere--Western Graduate, by Western Hanover) \$7,250, \$85,000 2014 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 64-14-8-6, \$275,828  
O-Burke Racing Stable LLC & Weaver Brusceci LLC & Silva, Purnel & Libby & Lawrence R Karr. B-Kdm Stables Corp.. T-Ron Burke. D-George Brennan.

**3-Lightning Onmyfeet** (h, 5, McArdle--Western Top Cat, by Western Hanover) \$3,480, \$45,000 2015 OH-SEL, Lifetime Record: 54-12-6-10, \$223,233  
O-Donald E & Michael Dean Robinson & Robert A Mondillo & Joyce A Mc Clelland. B-John A Carver. T-Scott Di Domenico. D-Brent Holland.

**Replay** - Calls: 1H, 2, 1H, 1, H - Finish Order: Cooperstown, Ys Lotus, Control Tower, Great Vintage, Quick Asa Trick N



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