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Lexington sets session record with gross sales of almost \$6 million

Also, Preferred Equine set a new sale benchmark for consignor earnings with more than \$11.5 million in sales through the first four days.

story by Dave Briggs, quotes by James Platz



Dave Landry

On Thursday, Preferred Equine smashed the all-time record for gross sales by a consignor at the Lexington sale, topping \$11.5 million with one sale session left to go.

Through the first four sessions, the Lexington Selected Yearling Sale is in striking distance of setting a new record for average with one final session on tap tonight (Oct. 4) at the Fasig-Tipton sales pavilion.

Through four days, 771 yearlings have grossed \$61,041,000 to average \$79,171 per horse sold. The average is down 3.6 per cent from the record average through the first four sessions of \$80,795 set in 2022. This year's cumulative gross is also the second best total through the first four days, behind only the \$63,458,000 set at this point in 2023. It's important to note that 44 fewer horses have been sold this year by this point compared to the first four sessions in 2023.

However, Thursday's (Oct. 3) session alone was a record-breaker. The session saw 208 yearlings go through the sales ring to gross \$5,869,000 for an average of \$28,216 per horse. The median was \$22,000 and one horse sold for \$100,000 or more. The gross was an all-time record for a fourth session. The average was the second-best ever behind the \$30,159 reached in 2022.

"[Thursday] was exceptionally strong, in my opinion, especially year-over-year after last year," said sale co-manager David

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Spring Haven Farm's Senena Esty (right, with her sister Stephanie Smith-Rothaug) said it's been a good sale for the Ohio farm, with a promising session still to come tonight.

Reid. "[Wednesday] was a little flat over last year, but maybe there's some reason that the horses flip-flopped last year to this year, but [Thursday] was very energetic.

"The auctioneers did a great job, there was a great pace in there today. We had several new faces around here today and you could see it on the sheets for the buyers. That's always refreshing. Rhythm is an important part of the auction and I thought the boys did a great job today and the bidders did a great job coming back. It was a great session today."

It was also a great session for Reid's Preferred Equine. The sales agency established a new Lexington sale record for consignor gross sales and there's still one more session to go. So far, Preferred has grossed \$11,546,000 for 136 yearlings sold to average \$84,897 through the first four sessions. Preferred previously set the consignor gross record in 2022 with total sales of \$11,261,000 for 145 sold.

"That's something to be really proud of," Reid said. "We couldn't do it without the horses. As I said all week long, it's really a

tribute to the breeders, especially for Preferred because we have the most diverse consignment from a representation point of view of any consignment.

"I just think it's great to lead by example, but to see all the farms buying into the prepping and the matings and the mares and thinks like that... it takes a lot of effort on a lot of levels, to get the kind of success that you're seeing and I'm just happy that it's happening for them.

"It's an important stepping stone for the industry, just being able to churn the money – from the purse money and back into the yearling sales. Come this fall, there will be a lot of trade on the mares and matings, so it's an important week for the industry and we've fulfilled what we were expecting so far and to close it up tomorrow night."

Preferred also led all consignors in gross sales for Thursday's session alone with \$1,306,000 earned for 37 yearlings.

Kentuckiana Farms also had a great fourth session with sales of \$928,000 for 34 sold. Through four sessions, Kentuckiana

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SOUTHWIND FRANK full brother to *WHISKEY BLU 4*, 1:53.1f (\$290,870).

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Dave Landry Northwood Bloodstock's Bob Boni said the Lexington sale appears immune from most economic and world events.

(\$8,831,000) has a slight edge over Hunteerton (\$8,384,000) in gross sales.

By average, Hanover Shoe Farms still leads despite selling only on the first two days. Hanover averaged \$216,308 per yearling. All American Harnessbreds is second with an average of \$170,000 for six sold. Cameo Hills is third with an average of \$127,429 for 28 sold.

THE GOOSE PRINCESS TOPS DAY 4

Topping the fourth session was the lone six-figure purchase, Hip #759 The Goose Princess, a Muscle Mass filly out of Golden

Goose purchased by Determination for \$120,000 out of the Preferred consignment.

Spring Haven Farm sold one of the two yearlings that sold for \$90,000 on Thursday when Hip #632 Over Bet, a Bettors Delight colt out of Sadayo Hanover was purchased by trainer Tony Beaton.

"We've had a very good sale," said Spring Haven's Senena Esty. "We've gotten dinged a bit for the dual-eligibility situation. Most of ours are raised in Ohio. We have our own farm, so we take a little bit of a hit there. That's one area where we've been trying to really watch to see if it's worth sending some of your mares down. The costs are a lot different in Ohio and, again,



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TWIN B JOE FRESH
p,4,1:47.3-'24 (\$2,061,015)



W.R. Houghton & Dave Brower Mem. winner
ABUCKABETT HANOVER
p,1:47.2 (\$1,786,026)



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Dave Landry

Josh Green, farm manager of Spring Station, said he was pleased with how the farm's yearlings have sold in only their second year selling in Lexington.



we own our own farm. So, is it an advantage to have your horse... pay the extra board, pay everything, not have your costs?"

Esty said she was looking forward to tonight's (Oct. 4) final session featuring mostly Midwest horses.

"We're very strong with Indiana, especially our Swan For Alls, so please come and see us," Esty said. "If you want a Swan For All, you've got to come here."

"We have a really nice Catch The Fire... we have several good Ontario-bred McWickededs to offer. We have a good Rockin Image, an Indiana bred, so we're excited. We're very strong in Indiana and Ontario."

BONI: SALE SEEMS IMMUNE FROM MOST ECONOMIC CONDITIONS

Freshly-minted Hall of Famer Bob Boni of Northwood Bloodstock said the Lexington sale seems to be immune from most economic conditions and that speaks to the strength of the catalog.

"It's a good horse sale, it's really always a good horse sale," Boni said. "The only thing that affects our market, to me, is some out-of-the-business – and not economic – disaster, be it 9/11 or COVID, the stock market crash of '08. Even then, I don't think it affected [the Lexington sale] as much as Harrisburg. In a funny way, it seems like it's sort of insulated from what else goes on in the world. It doesn't seem to affect the guys from buying a good horse that can afford to buy a good horse. The bidding is stronger every year. The good horses always sell well."

Boni said Northwood "didn't have a lot of power" this year in Lexington, but he was pleased to have sold Hip #70 Bay On The Beach, an Always B Miki colt out of Beach Gal for \$250,000 on Day 1 to Michael Gagnon.

"That colt is beautiful, as nice a pacing colt as I've had in a very, very long time," Boni said. "There was a lot of interest in him."

Spring Station's Josh Green and Sasha Moczulski said they were happy with their second year selling horses in Lexington.

"All things considered, for this being our second year, I think we've done really well," Moczulski said. "This is a great sale to sell our yearlings at and to have as many as we did sell the first night and as many throughout the sale, that was a great feat."

"We started out with 12 last year and we had 33 this year. Our sale will increase next year, so, all things considered, I'm really happy with the way things are going."



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have a bit of a sprinkle of Indiana eligibles and then you have some good individuals where maybe the pedigrees have gotten a little older from other jurisdictions, so we're really coming into [Friday] night thinking there's no reason it won't be a good session. We have the individuals to back it up and that's the important thing to drive this market.

"We're stronger this year from Downbytheseaside in my point of view. The other sires out there have had respectable years, in my opinion. The trotting side, you're going to throw in the Ready For Monis, there's a fair amount of them tomorrow. Then, we've got some In Ranges and I think both of them are going to be received well and that's on top of the sires that have been leading the way out there."

Green said, "Very pleased. It's been a good week. We made a lot of contacts. The biggest thing I'm excited for is all of the quality trainers that have purchased our horses and help support the mares that we have. We always evaluate at the end of the season about where we feel we need to upgrade. I do feel that in the pipeline each year we should keep having just a better quality consignment."

Through the first four sessions, the team of Andrew Harris and Bill Pollock still lead the buyers' standings with \$5,115,000 spent, total, to take home 15 yearlings – all purchased in the first two sessions. Nancy Takter is second with total purchases of \$2,597,000 for 23 yearlings, followed by Tony Alagna (\$2,254,000 for 27 yearlings) and Ake Svanstedt (\$2,127,000 for 12).

STILL NO CHANGE IN TOP SIRES

There is still no major change in the sire leaderboard through four days. It is as follows:

- Walner – \$8,936,000 for 51 sold (\$175,216 average).
- Chapter Seven – \$7,581,000 for 50 sold (\$151,620).
- Muscle Hill – \$4,349,000 for 35 sold (\$124,257).
- Gimpanzee – \$4,089,000 for 42 sold (\$97,357).
- Captaintreacherous – \$3,867,000 for 42 sold (\$97,071).
- Tactical Landing – \$3,248,000 for 37 sold (\$87,784).
- Perfect Sting – \$3,159,000 for 46 sold (\$68,674).

Tonight's (Oct. 4) final session begins at 7 p.m. at Fasig-Tipton. "We're really looking forward to [Friday] night," Reid said. "You

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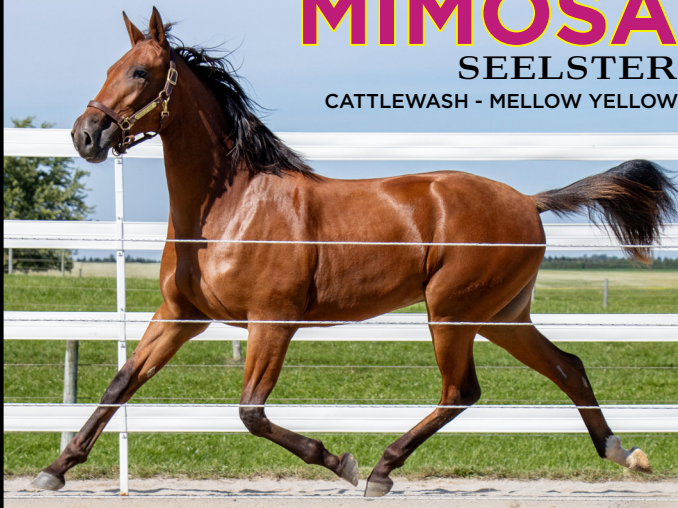


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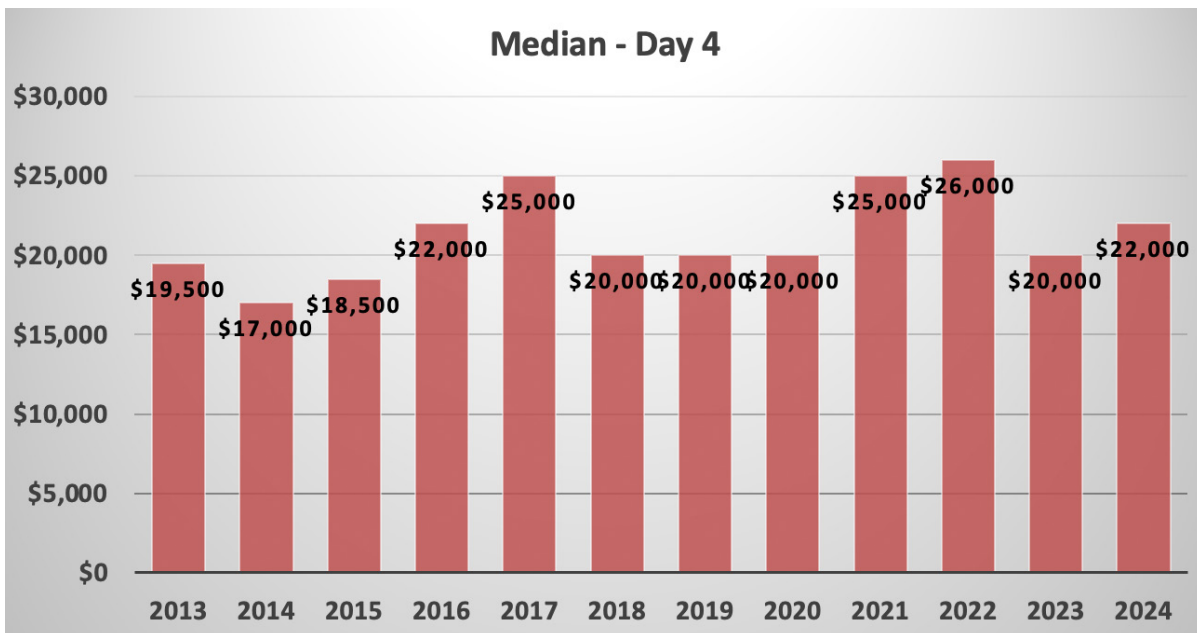
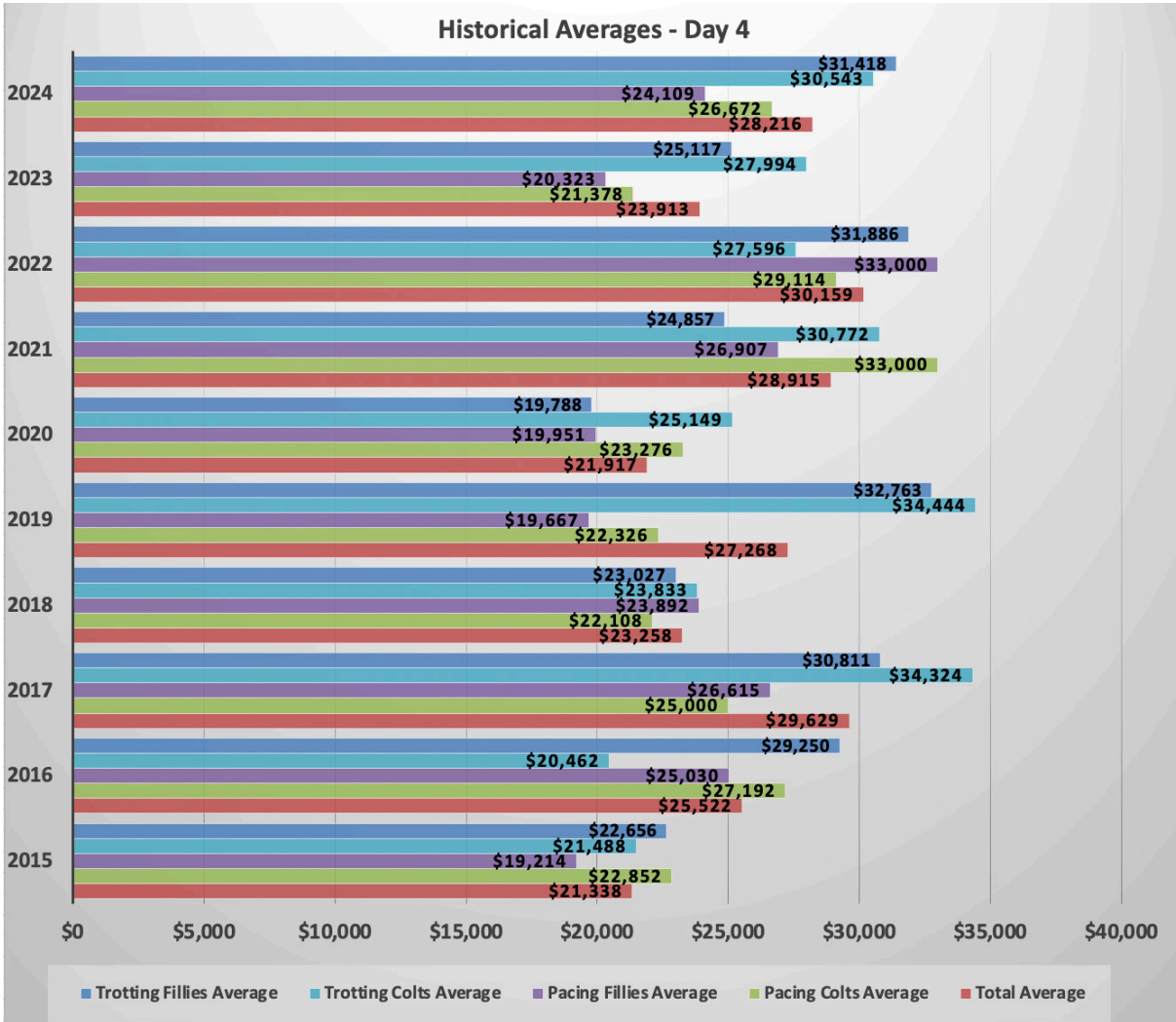
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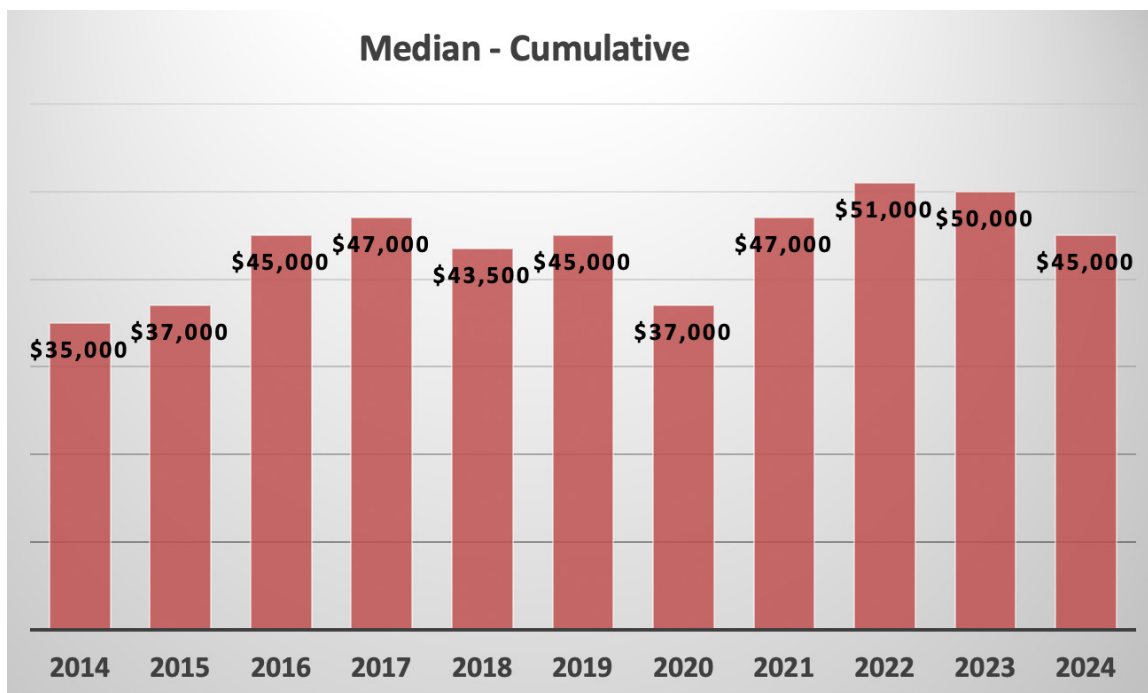
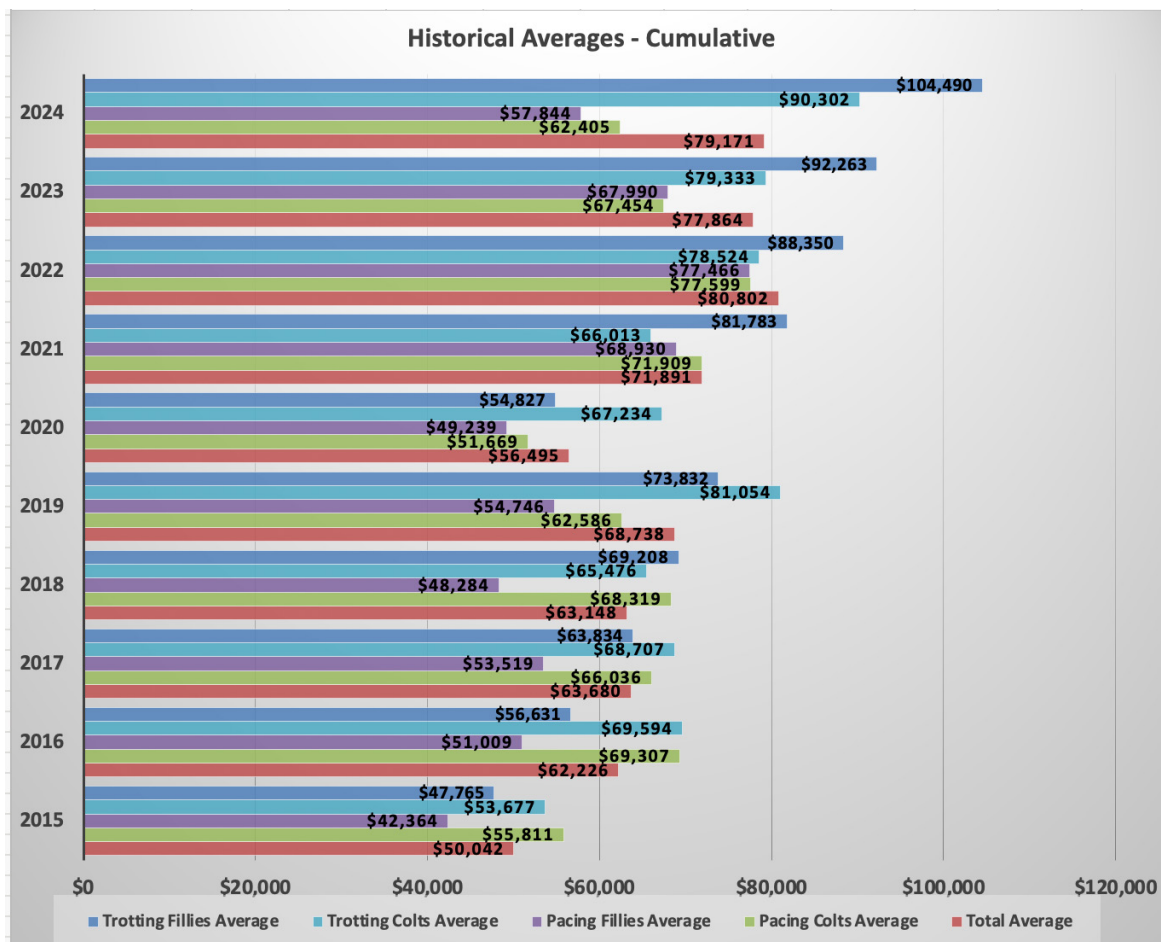
2024 SELECTED YEARLINGS SALE - TOP SOLD (TOP 20) - DAY 4

Hip	Yearling Name <i>Sex, Color, Sire-Dam</i>	Buyer <i>Consignor</i>	Price
759	THE GOOSE PRINCESS <i>F, B, Muscle Mass - Golden Goose</i>	DETERMINATION, Montreal, QC, Canada <i>Preferred Equine, Inc., Agent</i>	\$120,000
705	BURNINGFORYOURLOVE <i>F, B, Bar Hopping - Beltane Hanover</i>	PREFERRED EQUINE INC., AGENT, Briarcliff Manor, NY, USA <i>Preferred Equine, Inc., Agent</i>	\$95,000
632	OVER BET <i>C, B, Bettor's Delight - Sadayo Hanover</i>	ANTHONY BEATON, AGENT, Waterdown, ON, Canada <i>Spring Haven Farm, Agent</i>	\$90,000
633	NEW ORLEANS <i>F, B, Muscle Hill - Nepentha</i>	TOMMY BO ANDERSSON, Gotene, Sweden <i>Hunterton Sales Agency, Inc., Agent</i>	\$90,000
642	RUN TO THE HILLS <i>C, B, Bulldog Hanover - Somemoneysomewhere</i>	JEFFREY COURCHESNE, Cambridge, ON, Canada <i>Preferred Equine, Inc., Agent</i>	\$80,000
683	ZEPHYR KEMP <i>C, B, Calgary Games - Southwind Adele</i>	PETER WEISBERG, Delray Beach, FL, USA <i>Hunterton Sales Agency, Inc., Agent</i>	\$80,000
761	ROCKET CITY SMITTY <i>C, B, Huntsville - Gracie Lane</i>	TRAVIS ALEXANDER, AGENT FOR SYMMETRY STABLE LLC, Middletown, NJ, USA <i>Spring Haven Farm, Agent</i>	\$77,000
625	WISH IT WAS LOVE <i>F, B, Bettor's Wish - Real Love</i>	NOEL DALEY, Chesterfield, NJ, USA <i>Midland Acres, Inc., Agent</i>	\$75,000
708	CAPTAIN BETTY <i>F, B, Captaintreacherous - Betty And The Jets</i>	LUKE A. MCCARTHY, Bordentown, NJ, USA <i>Anvil And Lace Farm, Agent</i>	\$75,000
610	BARDOLPH <i>C, B, Cantab Hall - Ophelia</i>	NORM PARKER, Houston, PA, USA <i>Preferred Equine, Inc., Agent</i>	\$70,000
659	LAGUNA GLOW <i>F, B, Propulsion - Tuvalu</i>	ARMITAGE FARM, Wilmington, DE, USA <i>Crawford Farms</i>	\$70,000
774	CALGARY MORNING <i>F, BR, Green Manalishi S - Hold Her Tight</i>	BAX STABLES, Campbellville, ON, Canada <i>Peninsula Farm, Inc., Agent</i>	\$65,000
593	ARTISTIC LOVER <i>C, B, Huntsville - Marie Has Moore</i>	RAY SCHNITTKER, Middletown, NY, USA <i>Spring Haven Farm, Agent</i>	\$60,000
736	RICKY RACER <i>C, B, Father Patrick - Dream Baby Dream</i>	THOMAS POLLACK, Venetia, PA, USA <i>Kentuckiana Farms, Agent</i>	\$60,000
782	SOUTHWIND IRON <i>C, B, American Ideal - Southwind Inertia</i>	FRANK CHICK, Harrington, DE, USA <i>Preferred Equine, Inc., Agent</i>	\$60,000
627	MR BIG SPENDER <i>C, B, Captain Corey - Reilly K</i>	BART BRICE, Indiana, PA, USA <i>Kentuckiana Farms</i>	\$57,000
781	LOVE ME BETTER <i>C, B, Tactical Landing - Indie Love Fr</i>	PREFERRED EQUINE INC., AGENT, Briarcliff Manor, NY, USA <i>Preferred Equine, Inc., Agent</i>	\$57,000
598	MOONLIT ERA <i>F, B, Papi Rob Hanover - Moonlit Dance</i>	PINSKE STABLES, Plato, MN, USA <i>Kentuckiana Farms, Agent</i>	\$55,000
646	GORILLA SIGHTING <i>C, BR, Gimpanzee - Stylemaker</i>	ERVIN MILLER, AGENT, Wind Gap, PA, USA <i>Weaver Standardbred Farm, Agent</i>	\$55,000
777	ALWAYS B HULA <i>C, B, Always B Miki - Hula's Z Tam</i>	BURKE RACING STABLE LLC, Fredericktown, PA, USA <i>Peninsula Farm, Inc., Agent</i>	\$55,000
783	BETTORTHINGS AHEAD <i>C, B, Bettor's Delight - Injeanous Style</i>	DAVID MENARY, Cambridge, ON, Canada <i>Kentuckiana Farms, Agent</i>	\$55,000
800	LENNA <i>F, B, American Ideal - L Dees Lioness</i>	KEVIN LARE, AGENT FOR FORREST BARTLETT, Harrington, DE, USA <i>Hickory Lane Horse Farm, Agent</i>	\$55,000

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Hip	Yearling Name <i>Sex, Color, Sire-Dam</i>	Buyer <i>Consignor</i>	Price
15	RANI HANOVER <i>F, B, Walner - Ramona Hill</i>	KENNETH E. JACOBS, Baldwinsville, NY, USA <i>Hanover Shoe Farms, Inc.</i>	\$925,000
83	GOING VIRAL <i>F, B, Chapter Seven - Check Out Trixie</i>	ANDREW HARRIS, AGENT FOR WILLIAM POLLOCK, Allentown, NJ, USA <i>Cameo Hills Farm</i>	\$650,000
106	ICE FALL <i>C, B, Walner - Ice Attraction</i>	ANDREW HARRIS, AGENT FOR WILLIAM POLLOCK, Allentown, NJ, USA <i>Preferred Equine, Inc., Agent</i>	\$625,000
95	MUFFIN QUEEN <i>F, BLK, Tactical Landing - Love Muffin</i>	ANDERSON/LEBLANC/FIELDING/PRYDE, St. Thomas, ON, Canada <i>Hunterton Sales Agency, Inc., Agent</i>	\$550,000
267	NAUGHTY BEAUTY <i>F, BR, Bettor's Delight - Beautyonthebeach</i>	ANDREW HARRIS, AGENT FOR WILLIAM POLLOCK, Allentown, NJ, USA <i>Hunterton Sales Agency, Inc., Agent</i>	\$550,000
75	STEALING BANKSY <i>F, B, Chapter Seven - White Cheetah</i>	MARCUS MELANDER, AGENT, New Egypt, NJ, USA <i>Concord Stud Farm, Agent</i>	\$475,000
36	BAALBEK <i>C, B, Perfect Sting - Odds On St Lucie</i>	JOE HOLLOWAY, Bear, DE, USA <i>Kentuckiana Farms, Agent</i>	\$460,000
22	SPENCER HANOVER <i>C, B, Chapter Seven - Secret Passion</i>	JEFFREY SNYDER, New York, NY, USA <i>Hanover Shoe Farms, Inc.</i>	\$450,000
60	BRICCO <i>C, B, Gimpanzee - Sigilwig</i>	ANDREW HARRIS, AGENT FOR WILLIAM POLLOCK, Allentown, NJ, USA <i>Crawford Farms</i>	\$425,000
66	WAYNE HARVEY <i>C, B, Downbytheseaside - Alexis Faith</i>	ANDREW HARRIS, AGENT FOR WILLIAM POLLOCK, Allentown, NJ, USA <i>Crawford Farms</i>	\$425,000
201	JENNIFER PALEMA <i>F, B, Bar Hopping - Sobti Hanover</i>	AKE SVANSTEDT INC., AGENT FOR BENDER SWEDEN, Wrightstown, NJ, USA <i>Kentuckiana Farms</i>	\$425,000
52	THE WOW CHAPTER <i>C, B, Chapter Seven - Violet Stride</i>	LUCAS WALLIN, New Egypt, NJ, USA <i>Cameo Hills Farm</i>	\$400,000
58	KICKAN <i>F, B, Walner - You Ato Dream</i>	DAVID MCDUFFEE, AGENT, Rye, NH, USA <i>Cameo Hills Farm</i>	\$400,000
77	MIDWIND CHIMP <i>C, B, Gimpanzee - Boccone Dolce</i>	ROBERT LINDSTROM, AGENT, Boden, Sweden <i>Peninsula Farm, Inc., Agent</i>	\$400,000
85	GRAND PRIX DEO <i>F, B, Muscle Hill - Grand Stand</i>	ANDREW HARRIS, AGENT FOR WILLIAM POLLOCK, Allentown, NJ, USA <i>Preferred Equine, Inc., Agent</i>	\$400,000
86	PINK HERMES <i>F, B, Muscle Hill - Lock Down Lindy</i>	ANDREW HARRIS, AGENT FOR WILLIAM POLLOCK, Allentown, NJ, USA <i>Crawford Farms</i>	\$400,000
149	CHE BELLA <i>F, B, Bar Hopping - New Wave</i>	ANDREW HARRIS, AGENT FOR WILLIAM POLLOCK, Allentown, NJ, USA <i>Kentuckiana Farms, Agent</i>	\$400,000
179	RAMBO HANOVER <i>C, B, Muscle Hill - Riding High</i>	AKE SVANSTEDT INC., Wrightstown, NJ, USA <i>Hanover Shoe Farms, Inc.</i>	\$385,000
45	BALERION <i>F, B, Captaintreacheros - My Little Dragon</i>	LINDA TOSCANO, AGENT FOR RICHARD YOUNG, Freehold, NJ, USA <i>Hunterton Sales Agency, Inc., Agent</i>	\$380,000
261	APERFECT TILLIE <i>F, B, Googoo Gaagaa - Asixpakfromperfect</i>	ARMITAGE FARM, Wilmington, DE, USA <i>Peninsula Farm, Inc., Agent</i>	\$360,000





SESSION TOTALS - DAY 4

Category	Sold	Amount	Average	Median
PACING COLTS	61	\$1,627,000	\$26,672	\$20,000
PACING FILLIES	46	\$1,109,000	\$24,109	\$20,000
TROTting COLTS	46	\$1,405,000	\$30,543	\$25,500
TROTting FILLIES	55	\$1,728,000	\$31,418	\$27,000
PACERS	107	\$2,736,000	\$25,570	\$20,000
TROTTERS	101	\$3,133,000	\$31,020	\$26,000
COLTS	107	\$3,032,000	\$28,336	\$23,000
FILLIES	101	\$2,837,000	\$28,089	\$21,000
TOTAL	208	\$5,869,000	\$28,216	\$22,000

BUYER DEMOGRAPHICS - DAY 4

Country	Jurisdiction	Gross	% of Sales Gross
CANADA	ON	\$1,014,000	
CANADA	QC	\$157,000	
CANADA	AB	\$37,000	
CANADA TOTALS		\$1,208,000	20.58%
Sweden		\$185,000	
England		\$25,000	
France		\$20,000	
United Kingdom		\$18,000	
EUROPE TOTALS		\$248,000	4.23%
USA	PA	\$1,051,000	
USA	NJ	\$737,000	
USA	NY	\$594,000	
USA	FL	\$408,000	
USA	DE	\$403,000	
USA	KY	\$348,000	
USA	OH	\$305,000	
USA	MI	\$108,000	
USA	MN	\$105,000	
USA	IN	\$99,000	
USA	GA	\$62,000	
USA	ME	\$52,000	
USA	IL	\$43,000	
USA	MS	\$26,000	
USA	VA	\$25,000	
USA	RI	\$22,000	
USA	NM	\$17,000	
USA	LA	\$8,000	
USA TOTALS		\$4,413,000	75.19%



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SESSION TOTALS - CUMULATIVE

Category	Sold	Amount	Average	Median
PACING COLTS	205	\$12,793,000	\$62,405	\$40,000
PACING FILLIES	173	\$10,007,000	\$57,844	\$40,000
TROTting COLTS	199	\$17,970,000	\$90,302	\$52,000
TROTting FILLIES	194	\$20,271,000	\$104,490	\$57,000
PACERS	378	\$22,800,000	\$60,317	\$39,000
TROTTERS	393	\$38,241,000	\$97,305	\$52,000
COLTS	404	\$30,763,000	\$76,146	\$45,000
FILLIES	367	\$30,278,000	\$82,501	\$45,000
TOTAL	771	\$61,041,000	\$79,171	\$45,000

BUYER DEMOGRAPHICS - CUMULATIVE

Country	Jurisdiction	Gross	% of Sales Gross
CANADA	ON	\$5,320,000	
CANADA	QC	\$1,267,000	
CANADA	AB	\$199,000	
CANADA	PE	\$115,000	
CANADA	PQ	\$100,000	
CANADA	NB	\$30,000	
CANADA TOTALS		\$7,031,000	11.52%
SWEDEN		\$1,361,000	
AUSTRALIA		\$550,000	
FRANCE		\$405,000	
GERMANY		\$320,000	
ENGLAND		\$287,000	
UNITED KINGDOM			\$30,000
EUROPE TOTALS		\$2,953,000	4.84%
USA	NJ	\$22,046,000	
USA	FL	\$6,411,000	
USA	NY	\$4,178,000	
USA	PA	\$4,144,000	
USA	DE	\$4,103,000	
USA	OH	\$2,668,000	
USA	KY	\$2,012,000	
USA	NH	\$1,000,000	
USA	IN	\$875,000	
USA	MN	\$836,000	
USA	IL	\$746,000	
USA	MA	\$465,000	
USA	MD	\$415,000	
USA	ME	\$352,000	
USA	MI	\$243,000	
USA	CT	\$225,000	
USA	NC	\$95,000	
USA	GA	\$82,000	
USA	MS	\$76,000	
USA	VA	\$38,000	
USA	RI	\$22,000	
USA	NM	\$17,000	
USA	LA	\$8,000	
USA TOTALS		\$51,057,000	83.64%



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LEADING BUYERS - DAY 4

TOP 10 BY GROSS

Buyers	Sold	Gross	Average
PREFERRED EQUINE INC., AGENT	4	\$200,000	\$50,000
ERVIN MILLER, AGENT	5	\$171,000	\$34,200
THOMAS POLLACK	3	\$157,000	\$52,333
BLAKE MACINTOSH, AGENT	5	\$144,000	\$28,800
FRANK CHICK	3	\$132,000	\$44,000
GINO TOSCANI	4	\$125,000	\$31,250
DETERMINATION	1	\$120,000	\$120,000
NOEL DALEY	2	\$120,000	\$60,000
ANTHONY BEATON, AGENT	2	\$117,000	\$58,500
BAX STABLES	2	\$115,000	\$57,500

LEADING BUYERS - DAY 4

TOP 10 BY AVERAGE

Buyers	Sold	Gross	Average
DETERMINATION	1	\$120,000	\$120,000
TOMMY BO ANDERSSON	1	\$90,000	\$90,000
JEFFREY COURCHESNE	1	\$80,000	\$80,000
PETER WEISBERG	1	\$80,000	\$80,000
TRAVIS ALEXANDER, AGENT FOR SYMMETRY STABLE LLC	1	\$77,000	\$77,000
LUKE A. MCCARTHY	1	\$75,000	\$75,000
ARMITAGE FARM	1	\$70,000	\$70,000
NORM PARKER	1	\$70,000	\$70,000
NOEL DALEY	2	\$120,000	\$60,000
RAY SCHNITTKER	1	\$60,000	\$60,000

LEADING CONSIGNORS - DAY 4

TOP 10 BY GROSS (3 or more sold)

Consignor	Sold	Gross	Average
PREFERRED EQUINE, INC.	37	\$1,306,000	\$35,297
KENTUCKIANA FARMS	34	\$928,000	\$27,294
WINBAK FARM	27	\$599,000	\$22,185
HUNTERTON SALES AGENCY, INC.	19	\$509,000	\$26,789
SPRING HAVEN FARM	11	\$429,000	\$39,000
PENINSULA FARM, INC.	13	\$392,000	\$30,154
ANVIL AND LACE FARM	13	\$334,000	\$25,692
HICKORY LANE HORSE FARM	8	\$269,000	\$33,625
SPRING STATION BLOODSTOCK LLC	6	\$171,000	\$28,500
CRAWFORD FARMS	6	\$165,000	\$27,500

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HUNTERTON SALES AGENCY, INC.	19	\$509,000	\$26,789
DIAMOND CREEK	6	\$158,000	\$26,333

LEADING SIRES - DAY 4

TOP 10 BY GROSS (3 or more sold)

Sires	Sold	Gross	Average
Huntsville	9	\$385,000	\$42,778
Tactical Landing	12	\$330,000	\$27,500
Greenshoe	9	\$317,000	\$35,222
Muscle Mass	8	\$315,000	\$39,375
Captain Corey	8	\$299,000	\$37,375
Cattleshoe	10	\$274,000	\$27,400
Bar Hopping	7	\$267,000	\$38,143
Bettor's Wish	10	\$262,000	\$26,200
Perfect Sting	12	\$235,000	\$19,583
American Ideal	6	\$235,000	\$39,167

LEADING SIRES - DAY 4

TOP 10 BY AVERAGE (3 or more sold)

Sires	Sold	Gross	Average
MUSCLE HILL	3	\$146,000	\$48,667
CAPTAIN COREY	4	\$179,000	\$44,750
PAPI ROB HANOVER	3	\$134,000	\$44,667
HUNTSVILLE	9	\$385,000	\$42,778
BETTOR'S DELIGHT	4	\$162,000	\$40,500
MUSCLE MASS	8	\$315,000	\$39,375
AMERICAN IDEAL	6	\$235,000	\$39,167
BAR HOPPING	7	\$267,000	\$38,143
CAPTAIN COREY	8	\$299,000	\$37,375
GREEN MANALISHI S	6	\$213,000	\$35,500

LEADING BUYERS - CUMULATIVE TOP 10 BY GROSS

Buyers	Sold	Gross	Average
ANDREW HARRIS, AGENT FOR WILLIAM POLLOCK	15	\$5,115,000	\$341,000
NANCY TAKTER, AGENT	23	\$2,597,000	\$112,913
TONY ALAGNA, AGENT	27	\$2,254,000	\$83,481
AKE SVANSTEDT INC.	12	\$2,127,000	\$177,250
ARMITAGE FARM	10	\$1,830,000	\$183,000
BURKE RACING STABLE LLC	15	\$1,406,000	\$93,733
KENNETH E. JACOBS	3	\$1,320,000	\$440,000
LUCAS WALLIN, AGENT	5	\$1,190,000	\$238,000
JOE HOLLOWAY	9	\$1,134,000	\$126,000
ANDY MILLER STABLE INC., AGENT	10	\$1,043,000	\$104,300

LEADING BUYERS - CUMULATIVE TOP 10 BY AVERAGE

Buyers	Sold	Gross	Average
ANDERSON/LEBLANC/FIELDING/PRYDE	1	\$550,000	\$550,000
KENNETH E. JACOBS	3	\$1,320,000	\$440,000
AKE SVANSTEDT INC., AGENT FOR BENDER SWEDEN	1	\$425,000	\$425,000
DAVID MCDUFFEE, AGENT	1	\$400,000	\$400,000
LUCAS WALLIN	1	\$400,000	\$400,000
LINDA TOSCANO, AGENT FOR RICHARD YOUNG	1	\$380,000	\$380,000
ANDREW HARRIS, AGENT FOR WILLIAM POLLOCK	15	\$5,115,000	\$341,000
JEFFREY SNYDER	2	\$650,000	\$325,000
DAVID MCDUFFEE	2	\$600,000	\$300,000
CT12.0 LLC	1	\$300,000	\$300,000

LEADING CONSIGNORS - CUMULATIVE TOP 10 BY GROSS (3 or more sold)

Consignor	Sold	Gross	Average
PREFERRED EQUINE, INC.	136	\$11,546,000	\$84,897
KENTUCKIANA FARMS	112	\$8,831,000	\$78,848
HUNTERTON SALES AGENCY, INC.	79	\$8,384,000	\$106,127
CRAWFORD FARMS	45	\$4,048,000	\$89,956
CAMEO HILLS FARM	28	\$3,568,000	\$127,429
HANOVER SHOE FARMS, INC.	13	\$2,812,000	\$216,308
CONCORD STUD FARM	23	\$2,659,000	\$115,609
DIAMOND CREEK	37	\$2,600,000	\$70,270
PENINSULA FARM, INC.	28	\$2,485,000	\$88,750
WINBAK FARM	66	\$2,336,000	\$35,394

LEADING CONSIGNORS - CUMULATIVE TOP 10 BY AVERAGE (3 or more sold)

Consignor	Sold	Gross	Average
HANOVER SHOE FARMS, INC.	13	\$2,812,000	\$216,308
ALL AMERICAN HARNESSBREDS	6	\$1,020,000	\$170,000
CAMEO HILLS FARM	28	\$3,568,000	\$127,429
CONCORD STUD FARM	23	\$2,659,000	\$115,609
HUNTERTON SALES AGENCY, INC.	79	\$8,384,000	\$106,127
CRAWFORD FARMS	45	\$4,048,000	\$89,956
PENINSULA FARM, INC.	28	\$2,485,000	\$88,750
BLUE CHIP FARMS, LLC	9	\$769,000	\$85,444
PREFERRED EQUINE, INC.	136	\$11,546,000	\$84,897
KENTUCKIANA FARMS	112	\$8,831,000	\$78,848

LEADING SIRES - CUMULATIVE TOP 10 BY GROSS (3 or more sold)

Sires	Sold	Gross	Average
WALNER	51	\$8,936,000	\$175,216
CHAPTER SEVEN	50	\$7,581,000	\$151,620
MUSCLE HILL	35	\$4,349,000	\$124,257
GIMPANZEE	42	\$4,089,000	\$97,357
CAPTAIN TREACHEROUS	42	\$3,867,000	\$92,071
TACTICAL LANDING	37	\$3,248,000	\$87,784
PERFECT STING	46	\$3,159,000	\$68,674
CAPTAIN COREY	37	\$2,535,000	\$68,514
BAR HOPPING	26	\$2,257,000	\$86,808
HUNTSVILLE	29	\$2,250,000	\$77,586

LEADING SIRES - CUMULATIVE TOP 10 BY AVERAGE (3 or more sold)

Sires	Sold	Gross	Average
WALNER	51	\$8,936,000	\$175,216
CHAPTER SEVEN	50	\$7,581,000	\$151,620
DOWNBYTHESEASIDE	11	\$1,647,000	\$149,727
MUSCLE HILL	35	\$4,349,000	\$124,257
BULLDOG HANOVER	9	\$882,000	\$98,000
GIMPANZEE	42	\$4,089,000	\$97,357
CAPTAIN TREACHEROUS	42	\$3,867,000	\$92,071
TACTICAL LANDING	37	\$3,248,000	\$87,784
BAR HOPPING	26	\$2,257,000	\$86,808
GOOGOO GAAGAA	6	\$495,000	\$82,500



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Lexington's 4th session is in the books and so is Heather Vitale's coverage

A video recap of Thursday's fourth session of the 2024 Lexington Selected Yearling Sale, courtesy of Heather Vitale.

The HRU broadcasting team of Heather Vitale and Aaron Re covered Thursday's (Oct. 3) fourth session of the Lexington Selected Yearling Sale, which is now available for viewing on our special Lexington sale page [here](#).

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Donuts are served

by Gordon Waterstone

I went to sleep Wednesday night (Oct. 2) on cloud nine after my hometown Detroit Tigers completed their two-game sweep of the Houston Astros to advance to the American League Division Series against the Cleveland Indians. Sorry, Guardians.

I was still on a high Thursday when I arrived at The Red Mile, only to discover that while the breakfast tables were set up, only donuts were being served. I wondered what happened to the bagels and cream cheese, especially since Emily Ratcliff, the track's director of sponsorships, had texted me for my requests on Wednesday.

So, I texted Emily to tell her of my disappointment, and she replied that the local bagel shop, just a five-minute drive from The Red Mile, needed 48-hour notice for such a large order. So, Emily has now promised me that the Friday offerings – by the way, the daily breakfasts this week are sponsored by my sponsors, Steve and Cindy Stewart's Hunterton Farm – will indeed include bagels.

I do have a confession to make though. Despite my holding out from having a donut, I finally gave in around 11 a.m. – about two hours after I arrived at The Red Mile on Thursday – and grabbed one of the last five donuts available. And Emily came by just at that moment and saw me stuffing my face with the glazed donut.

Gordon Waterstone

Bob Heyden interviews trainer Nancy Takter at the Kentucky Futurity draw.



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International Moni-Lady Love Hanover-Cantab Hall

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#830, RUNWAY DIVA, P, F, ON
Betterthancheddar-Red Carpet Queen-Western Hanover
• 1/2-sister to **Lucky King**, p, 1:51.1h (\$400,862)

#840, CONTOUR, P, C, OH/KY
Downbytheseaside-Satisfy My Soul-Well Said
• 1/2-brother to **Vicious**, p, 1:49f '23 (\$135,294)

#875, WATER SLIDE, T, C, OH/KY
Ready For Moni-Above The Clouds-Explosive Matter
• First Foal
• Dam is **Above The Clouds**,
3, 1:55f; BT1:53.4f (\$95,571)

#889, MAXI GALLIE, P, F, ON
McWicked-Hallie Gallie-Village Jolt
• 1/2-sister to **Seaside Wishes**,
p, 2, 1:53.3f '24 (\$46,900)
• Second dam is **Galleria**, p, 1:49.1 (\$1,814,453)

#905, TRIX N BUBBLES, T, F, ON
Trixtion-CR Mimosa-CR Commando
• 1/2-sister to **Windshield**, 3, 1:56.2f (\$327,200)

#939, HOLLYWOOD SCRIPT, T, C, PA/KY
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• Dam is a 1/2-sister to **Looking Hanover**,
1:53.2f (\$1,125,136)

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I decided Wednesday to pass on going out for the third session of the Lexington Selected Yearling Sale so I could watch the Tigers game. I had thought about heading out for a few minutes prior to the game starting, but what was I going to see out there in addition to many more horses selling? It's not like I'd see guys rolling around on the ground wrestling, or anything like that.

But I did think about going and checking to make sure that Greg and Natalie – my two favorite bartenders at Frank and Dino's – weren't still wandering around like nomads in the desert.

When I was leaving Fasig-Tipton on Tuesday afternoon I bumped into Greg and Natalie, who were in desperate search of Natalie's car as they had forgotten where they parked. I've done that before so I had some sympathy for their plight. Since Frank and Dino's reopened Wednesday night after being shut down for power issues since last Friday, I assumed that they had indeed found the car.

I had dinner Wednesday night at OBC Kitchen, which is located across the street from where I live. Unlike Tuesday where I was in a dinner party of nine, it was just me and Moira and Tom Fanning. It was a quick dinner and as we were leaving, I heard somebody call my name. I looked over and saw it was Ex-Boss Kathy's brother, Norm Parker. Norm said he was waiting for his wife Paulette, who was in a shop, before heading over to Malone's for dinner.

Norm invited me to join them as he wanted to buy me a shot to celebrate the Tigers victory. So, I joined his group for a moment. While I was excited receiving congratulatory texts immediately after the ballgame ended from John Campbell and Ken Weingartner, among a few others, toasting the Tigers with Norm topped it all.

Thursday morning was a bit foggy in Lexington. With the post draw for Sunday's Kentucky Futurity scheduled to take place at noon, I had decided to head to The Red Mile a little bit later than usual, but since I was hungry, I still made it there shortly after 9. Did I tell you about my disappointment when I arrived that there was nary a bagel to be found?

There was some buzz Wednesday night and Thursday morning as when Saturday's sheet came out there was a familiar name listed to drive: Ron Pierce. Yes, that Ron Pierce. The now 68-year-old Hall of Famer – who has not driven in a race since March 2015 – was listed to drive Blown Call from post 10 in race 5 for trainer Ron Burke. I had texted associate judge Jeff James Wednesday afternoon for an explanation, and Jeff replied he didn't have one.

So, when I arrived at The Red Mile on Thursday, I quickly sought out Ron Burke. Ron told me that he named himself to drive but something got lost in translation so instead of Burke it came out Pierce, who has been traveling the country since his retirement. So no, it will not be a momentous occasion for Ron Pierce to return to the home of his famous wave.

I made a lap around the backstretch, running first into Burke assistant PJ Fraley. After talking baseball to PJ, I continued on

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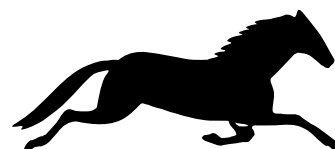


ALWAYS ANA HANOVER

p,2, 1:51f-'24 (\$88,659)

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First foal from PREEMINENCE p,3, 1:51.2 (\$127,575), she a full sister to SPORTSMANSHIP p,4, 1:49.3 (\$439,644), half-sister to LAY LADY LAY p, 4, 1:51 (\$358,939). Second dam is LADY DM p, 1:51 (\$538,406).



Hip#833 Radio Station

Bf • Downbytheseaside - Rewind Again

Half-sister to COOCOOFORCOCO p,2, 1:54.1f (\$65,330). From REWIND AGAIN p,3, 1:53.3h (\$87,228). From a sister to DRACONIAN p,3, 1:52f (\$156,273).



Hip#858 Trolley Station

Bc • Ready For Moni - Trinity Hanover

First foal and a colt from the immediate maternal family WORKINITONBROADWAY 1:53.4f (\$375,159), FINE TUNED LADY 3, 1:52.2 (\$643,987), POSTER PIN UP 3, 1:55.4f (\$439,454) - the dam of LOOKSLIKEACHIPNDALE 1:51.1 (\$497,953).



Hip#865 Warrior Station

Bf • Downbytheseaside - War Crimes

First foal from WAR CRIMES p, 1:51.1f (\$147,174), she a full-sister to PREJUDICE p,4, 1:51.1h (\$199,682) and WOMAN OF TERROR p,4, 1:51.2 (\$168,441). Maternal family of World Champion and millionaire, MYSTICAL MADDY.

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Hip#935 Intogo Station

Bc • Downbytheseaside-Indra Hanover

First foal from INDRA HANOVER p,2, 1:54.1f, she a half-sister to CLOSING STATEMENT p, 1:49.1f (\$554,675), INVERSE HANOVER p,4, 1:49.2 (\$357,411). Second dam is IDEAL NEWTON p, 1:49.4f (\$629,732).

my way and I went over to chat with Tina Duer for a moment. Tina is now selling supplements and she was waiting by the Butenschoen Stable for Tyler to return to the barn. I did a U-turn and made my way the other way and saw Debbie Daguet coming with a horse. I had talked to Debbie last week about the miserable weather, and I laughed when she again asked me today about the glorious weather, we're having this week.

Yes, wonderful weather expected all weekend in Lexington. High temps are expected to be around 80 degrees for all three afternoons of racing on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. With post time daily at 1 p.m.

It's here I have to interject that the Saturday card is in direct conflict with my Tigers playing the Guardians. I had earlier called my good friend MLB commissioner Rob Manfred to ask if he could move the Tigers game to a 7 p.m. start, and was disappointed when he told me that I should instead ask Red Mile VP of operations Gabe Prewitt to move the race card to an evening post.

I had plenty of time to kill before the Futurity post draw so I made my way up to the old paddock. Pat Dellavecchia had texted me earlier this week about making the hike up to see him and Tricia Adams, so this was a chance to do so. Tricia was there when I arrived brushing down Sweetie Hill, a 2-year-old trotting filly who races Saturday afternoon with Pat Curtin driving.

Trish and I talked for about 20 minutes before Pat D came back from the track. We talked about a pair of horses they have in to go on Saturday, including the 2-year-old colt trotter Gimme Fifty in an overnight. After several qualifiers where Gimme Fifty couldn't stay focused and made a break, he finally stayed flat last time out in a Sept. 30 qualifiers with the addition of trotting hobbles. Scott Zeron will drive and I'll have my fingers crossed that Gimme Fifty gives a nice effort.

Both trotters are owned by John Barnard, and as I was leaving, the stable manager arrived. I received a nice parting gift of a shirt before I made my way back to The Deck to wait for the Futurity and Filly Futurity draw. As I left, I had a chance to wave hello to Phil Knox, who is also stabled there.

Nick Salvi and Vicki Gingras were together so I joined them on the couch. The USTA's Wendy Ross arrived with her dog, Stella. Putting together The Deck in preparation for the draws for the two trotting classics were Ross' co-workers Kyle Credit and

Rich Johnston.

Hosting the show that was broadcast on the USTA's Facebook page were Emily Ratcliff, Jessica Otten and Bob Heyden. The Filly Futurity was up first and the horses came out of the box in alphabetical order. Post positions were random though, with 3-1 morning-line favorite Date Night Hanover landing post 9.

Hambletonian favorite Karl drew the trailing post 11. Karl was installed the 6-5 morning-line favorite, with Highland Kismet the second choice at 3-1. After the draw I walked over to Karl's driver, Yannick Gingras, to ask about drawing the second tier, and he told me that he was OK with it and it was much better than the outside post 10.

A request was sent to Yannick and trainer Nancy Takter for an on-air interview. Things became exciting as Yannick and Nancy did the rock, paper, scissors thing to decide who would do the interview. It was best two-out-of-three, and after they split the first two duels, the tension became palpable for the third heat. Yannick won that battle and was almost as happy as when he won this year's Hambletonian with Karl, which sent Nancy to the podium for a chat with Bob Heyden.

Speaking of Yannick, he told me that he was extremely lucky last Saturday night when he made the drive in the rain from Lexington to Hollywood Dayton for their stakes-laden card. Yannick told me that he was nearing the exit when his car hydroplaned on the extremely wet road. Yannick said somehow, he managed to avoid squarely hitting the huge wall alongside the exit. He admitted he was a bit rattled from the incident, and the car emerged largely unscathed except for one tire that must've brushed the wall.

I'll have a sale update for you tomorrow, and I'm sure I'll be reporting that it's been a great week for my sponsors, Hunterton Farm/Hunterton Sales Agency. Also, that gas prices continue to drop into the low \$2.70s.

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MEADOWLANDS MATTERS

with DEBBIE LITTLE

Waiting for the shoes to drop

by Debbie Little

Years ago, a trainer told me, “We are in the gambling business.” That may be true, but we are also in the business of racing horses to win.

I will freely admit that I have not been gambling consistently for quite a while. But just because I haven’t placed a \$200 win bet recently doesn’t mean that I can’t relate to the frustration that one feels when they are unaware of late equipment changes.

There has been a lot of back and forth on social media since Dean Towers’ column, “[Reporting of equipment changes needs a major reboot](#),” ran last week in HRU. No surprise, the gamblers and horsepeople see the situation a little differently.

Towers suggested that trainers share their intentions as “Possible No Shoes” on the equipment change list that’s sent out before race 1, and, if indeed the shoes are pulled, it would need to be shared by the track with all interested parties, including on social media and their in-house show.

On X (formerly known as Twitter), as well as on Facebook, some gamblers said they would prefer an equipment change deadline prior to the first race, after which no modifications would be made. This cut off was not chosen arbitrarily since the Pick-5 at The Meadowlands starts in race 1.

Several gamblers also shared online that if they knew a trainer was pulling shoes, they would include that horse in their multi-leg wagers, even if they probably wouldn’t have solely based on past performances.

HRU reached out to several Meadowlands trainers – Tony Alagna, Ron Burke, Noel Daley, Nifty Norman, Sarah Svanstedt, Nancy Takter, and Linda Toscano – and simply asked, “If you are planning to pull shoes, would you always know you were going to do it before the start of the card?”

“With me, I prefer to see the track,” Burke said. “The later, the better. Trainer responsibility goes both ways and mine is to do the best by the horse.”

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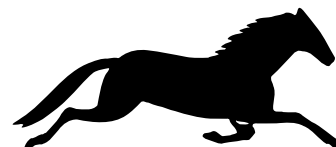
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“A lot depends on warm-up and track conditions. If we were allowed to advise [about pulling shoes] after warm-up, that’s perfect.”

~ Noel Daley

Toscano said, “It’s always a thought but you’re never sure until after warm-ups.”

Warming up their horses seemed to be a common deciding factor for trainers when it comes to equipment changes, especially when pulling shoes.

“A lot depends on warm-up and track conditions,” Daley said. “If we were allowed to advise after warm-up, that’s perfect.”

Alagna said, “Generally, it will depend on the track surface after we warm up. That is generally when I will decide to pull shoes with certainty.”

Norman agreed that the track surface is a factor, but then went one step further.

“It’s definitely a decision you can’t make until you’ve seen the state of the track and maybe even warm the horse up,” Norman said. “In my opinion, pulling the shoes probably backfires as often as it is successful.”

Since the situation that sparked Towers to write his column happened at Woodbine Mohawk Park, I also asked trainer Blair Burgess the same question.

Burgess has pulled shoes in the past and shared a story about doing so a while back at The Meadowlands.

“Its reputation may exceed the value somewhat,” Burgess said. “I trained one for [Ake] Svandstedt, 10 or 12 years ago, and raced in a stake at The Big M. He came to drive and wanted the shoes off after warm-up. He rolled the horse on the front end and made a break in the stretch. Some trotters may miss the weight up front or get foot-sore as the race gets near end. But Svandstedt really loves it. Maybe more than even other Swedes.”

It was also mentioned on social media that tracks in Europe are always good and allow for pulling shoes, but that track surfaces in the U.S. are very inconsistent.

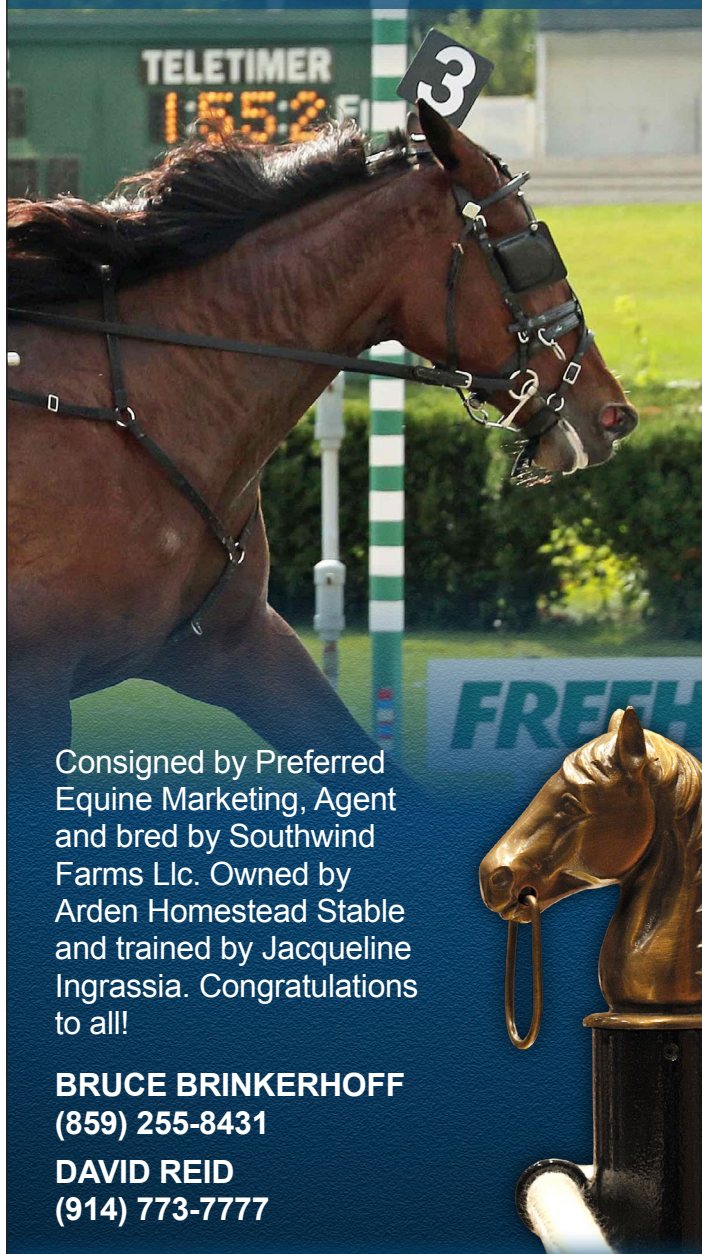
Born in Sweden, Takter said most trainers probably know if they’re leaning towards pulling shoes.

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“Well, I would say you have an idea that you’re going to do it because the horse cannot be newly shod when you pull the shoes or you will make the horse’s feet bleed, so you have to have a little preparation before you do it,” Takter said.

When it comes to the aforementioned Pick-5, no matter how cooperative the trainers may want to be with sharing information, it would be hard for them to be definitive about changes when the horses in the fifth race probably wouldn’t warm up until after the first.

Sarah Svanstedt shared what her experiences were in her native country.

“In Sweden, there was a sheet in the paddock area where the trainer could mark ‘barefoot’ one hour prior to the race the horse was in,” Sarah said. “It was always possible to change back to shoes-on if the track was not in good condition.

“You need to get a chance to warm up on the track before a 100 per cent decision can be made.”

In Pathway on the USTA website under the “facility summary rulings report,” since 2019, The Meadowlands has only had four offenders – two each in 2021 and 2022 – for failure to report equipment change. In fact, in the last 20 years at The Big M, there were only a total of eight offenders; the four

mentioned and two each in 2009 and 2010. It is unclear if any of these were for pulling shoes because the report does not have any details. However, this does not mean that more late equipment changes didn’t happen, just that no one was penalized.

As with anything starting from scratch, it would seem that there will be growing pains as tracks attempt to find a way to keep both their customers and their horsepeople happy.

Asking trainers to sign a sheet with their early intentions upon entering the paddock doesn’t seem to be too outrageous, but following up closer to race time may need to be examined a little more.

Since many times trainers have horses in multiple races, it might be best for the track to take responsibility and have someone in the paddock to ask the trainers between warm-ups what their plans are and then share that info.

One hundred per cent adherence may not be a shoo-in, but at least it’s a start.

“The Commissions need to find a compromise fair to trainers and bettors,” Burgess said. “Possibly on all equipment changes, not just shoes. We have to be trainers. Conditions and horses change in time as a race card runs. I like Dean Towers’



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~ Blair Burgess

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ALL OVER ONTARIO

with **MATTHEW LOMON**

Grand River wraps up record-setting 2024

by **Matthew Lomon**

Fresh off a record-setting 2023 meet, expectations were even higher ahead of Grand River Raceway's inaugural season as a five-eighths-mile track.

And boy, did they deliver.

The Elora, ON oval concluded its 48-race date 2024 program on Monday (Sept. 30), recording new benchmarks across the board.

"It was an awesome night," said raceway manager Jenna MacDonell. "The weather was beautiful, so we had lots of people out, especially for a Monday night, and we ended up having a great handle. It was just under \$400,000, which is also a little unusual for a Monday night, but it was great to see.

"I don't want the race season to be over yet. I could race all year round and be happy."

Judging by her team's performance this season, it's easy to understand why.

Overall handle settled at a new record high of \$13,933,212 – good for an increase of nearly \$50,000 year-over-year.

Although modest, the continued handle climb follows a drastic increase that saw the track's total wagering output surge 29 per cent from 2022 to 2023.

On-track betting also rose by approximately 3 per cent in 2024, according to MacDonell.

"Our goal this year was to maintain that momentum and keep trending upwards, and we were able to do that," she said.

Grand River's showrunner credited the leaps in on-track wagering to a strong atmospheric element created by a series of lively patio parties held throughout the racing season.

"A lot of these would be corporate parties, agricultural groups or different groups in the surrounding area coming to the track, and a lot of the attendees are first timers," MacDonell said. "Our objective was to bring those people in, so they could see what we're all about and retain them as customers.

"The team did a great job this year. There were about 3,000 seats booked over the course of the year for patio parties. And the

beautiful thing about these events is they run rain or shine because we can move the party inside if need be."

Comfortable weather also proved to be a significant boon for Grand River during the final push in September.

"This last month we were gunning to make sure that we were up handle-wise," MacDonell said. "The month of September was fantastic. The weather was incredible. We had so many beautiful nights here, which is rare this time of year."

Even on the gloomier days, Grand River continued to shine.

A revamped racing surface ensured the new track was equipped to withstand heavy rainfall, and as a result, led to zero weather-related cancellations.

"In previous years, if we got a lot of rain, we would have issues with the track washing out," she said. "This year, we had some serious rain at different points in the season, and the track held up beautifully.

"That was something people were particularly excited about, because in the past, with the drainage and the way that it was, if we had a really rainy day, you knew there was a good chance that we were going to have to cancel."

With the added peace of mind from a stable and safe surface, drivers were able to focus exclusively on beating each other to the wire.

That free-flowing competitiveness paired perfectly with a larger track, as MacDonell's preseason hope for more movement in the mile was answered.

"There was quite a bit of action, and it was easier to move," she said. "It didn't matter so much what post position you were at. With the old track, it used to be if you had the 7- or 8-hole, you're thinking 'oh no'."

"From what I saw and the feedback that I got, it was less so that way this year - you still had a shot if you were on the outside. That's what we hoped for."

Speed numbers also ticked up on what several horse people described to MacDonell as a "pretty fast track."

A slew of track records soon followed, including a new overall track record.

On Sept. 27, 11-1 hopeful Betthebeach crossed the finish line in 1:50.3 to sneak past the previous mark set by Ideal Perception (1:50.4) on Jun. 17.

Grand River also saw its first sub-1:50-mile in a qualifying event on Sept. 4, when a 6-year-old pacer by the name of Saulsbrook Victor qualified in 1:49.1.

Such strong figures quickly quelled any initial fears regarding the starting position, which some horse people worried might be too tight.

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~ Jenna MacDonell

But as MacDonell noted, any concerns were laid to rest after night one.

“People were worried about where that start line was – when they come off the gate, they’re essentially right into the turn – but the feedback we got was that the turns were so nice and sweeping that it wasn’t really an issue,” she said.

“That was something we were worried about, and it ended up not being a non-issue.”

While the track itself held up its end of the bargain, Grand River, like countless other horse racing venues across North America, grappled at times with a limited horse population.

“There were some nights where there were eight races or smaller fields,” MacDonell said. “As far as the betting public and the horseplayers, they want those full fields. That was something that we did struggle with a little bit, and I know many other tracks struggle with that as well, but it was a very successful meet overall.”

Even so, the venue at 7445 Wellington County Rd still managed to produce record handle numbers yet again.

Therefore, it was no surprise that attendance numbers remained healthy, and particularly on Grand River’s signature days.

This year’s Battle of Waterloo, which was claimed by Stonebridge Wizard, came together exactly as MacDonell envisioned.

Well, besides the scorching heat.

“It was a great day,” she said. “It was hot, but it was great to see so many industry members come out. We had a bumping patio party with the whole Winbak [Farms] crew being in town. They support that event and the track so much, and we truly appreciate it. I was tired by the end of it, and hot, but it was a really successful day. I can’t wait till next year.”

The track also hosted its third annual Harness the Hope breast cancer research fundraiser on Aug. 30.

What is an extraordinary event for so many, holds a special meaning for the Grand River family.

“Katie Giddy, our VP of operations is a breast cancer survivor, and it’s a night that’s near and dear to our hearts around here,” MacDonell said.

“We had a giant pink patio party, which was sold out. We ended up raising \$25,000 for Harness the Hope. It was amazing to see the community support.”

Rounding things out on MacDonell’s list of highlights was Weiner Dog Night, and not just because she has one herself.

Nearly 3,000 people attended the event.

But that wasn’t all that stood out to MacDonell.

“One of the things that surprised me about that day is that the team had almost warned me, ‘as soon as the dog races are done, you’ll see a lot of people head out,’” MacDonell said. “But it was a beautiful night, and there were just fabulous vibes on the tarmac, and the people stuck around right until the very end.

“I’m hoping that those types of events continue to bring in new customers, show us where they are, and make coming to the racetrack not so scary. We really do try to promote Grand River’s family atmosphere, and I hope they felt it that night, and were able to come again.”

For MacDonell, who grew up watching her father, the legendary Paul MacDonell, steer horse after horse to the winner’s circle, sharing her love for the sport with fans new and old is what drives her to keep elevating the Grand River experience for everyone that walks onto the premises.

“I know what a great sport it is, and I want other people to know,” she said. “It’s such a great team here. I know the industry loves coming here, and I can see why. The people here, they’re the same ones that have been here year-after-year. They’re friendly and inviting and welcoming, and our [creative] team does their best to put on these great events, and they do a wonderful job.

“I’m just happy to be a part of it.”

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EUROPEAN REPORT

with **THOMAS HEDLUND**

Jackpot for Hagoort at Jägersro

by Thomas Hedlund

Two division finals of the \$100,000 Breeders Course for 2-year-old trotters were held at Jägersro racetrack on Wednesday (Oct. 2) night and in the fillies' event, Dutch trainer Paul Hagoort seized the top-three positions.

Robin Bakker, Hagoort's regular driver, sat behind **Gourmet d'Arc** (Six Pack) and after a quick first quarter, Bakker could slow the pace down, which resulted in a very safe win in 1:59.

Hagoort's Greta Jet held for second place after a trip as second on the inside and third stablemate Phoebe Boko captured the bronze medal.

Dutch trainers totally dominated Breeders Course on Wednesday night. Erwin Bot let Örjan Kihlström drive **Pele Boko** (Readly Express), who was the bettors first choice in the final for colts and geldings, and when Pele Boko held the opponents on his outside from the start, the drama was over. A quick start, slow second part of the race and stretch speed resulted in a safe win in 1:59.4 for the favorite. Ghirardelli was the runner-up ahead of Grantorino Font.

GerritsRecyclingGroup in Netherlands, a big investor in the harness racing business in Europe, could look back at a pretty nice evening in Malmö as both winners of the Breeders Course are connected to them.

UPSET IN FRENCH COUNTRYSIDE

Well-merited trotters Hohneck, Just A Gigolo, Hokkaido Jiel and Gu d'Heripre were called to the French northern countryside when the \$115,000 Grand Prix Anjou-Maine was held on Wednesday (Oct. 2) afternoon, but the 2,875 meter-long event culminated in an upset win by an 8-year-old gelding, trained by Laurent-Claude Abrivard.

Favorite Ino du Lupin, who dominated in his category at Vincennes the previous winter, left position in third, fourth over, a mile into the race and in the last turn, Ino du Lupin seemed to have disarmed leader Hymne du Gers. And Ino du Lupin looked to sail away to victory in the stretch, but

his gait began to fail the closer he got to the wire and shortly before the finish he made a break. **Gendreen** (Boccador de Simm) attacked outside of Ino du Lupin in the stretch and the ground saving trip proved to be valuable in the end. Gendreen got the advantage of the race when Ino du Lupin went off-stride and he held quick finisher Inexess Bleu a length behind at the wire. Hohneck, who started with a 25-meter disadvantage, finished strongly in third.

Gendreen won in a mile rate of 1:55.1 over 1.7 miles.

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Karl draws post 11 in Kentucky Futurity

by Ken Weingartner / USTA media relations manager

Hambletonian winner Karl drew post 11 in the second tier for Sunday's (Oct. 6) 132nd Kentucky Futurity for 3-year-old trotters at The Red Mile and was made the 6-5 morning-line favorite for trainer Nancy Takter and driver Yannick Gingras.

Karl has won nine of 11 races this season and earned \$977,839. For his career, the son of Tactical Landing—Avalicious has won 18 of 21 starts and banked \$2.01 million.

Takter captured last year's Kentucky Futurity with Tactical Approach. The most recent trainer to win the Futurity in consecutive years was Takter's father, Jimmy, who accomplished the feat with Pinkman in 2015 and Nuncio in 2014. Gingras drove Pinkman.

"[The draw] looks good to me," Nancy said. "It's better than 10, 9, or 8, I think, so I'm happy with 11."

"I trained him this morning and I was really happy with him. He trained super. He's going to be ready to go on Sunday."

"This is a really nice group of horses here. There are 10 really solid competitors, so you need a little racing luck, and things

have to go your way. But like I said, my horse is coming into the race in great shape, so I'm really happy with him."

Hambletonian runner-up Highland Kismet is the 3-1 second choice in the 11-horse Futurity field. He will start from post 3 for trainer Mark Etsell.

The Kentucky Futurity is the third jewel in the Trotting Triple Crown. The first, the Yonkers Trot, was won by Sir Pinocchio. Karl won the second, the Hambletonian.

Sunday's Red Mile card also features the 59th Kentucky Filly Futurity for 3-year-old female trotters. Date Night Hanover, trained by Marcus Melander, enters the race with four wins and a second in her past five starts and was made the 3-1 morning-line favorite. She will leave from post 10 in the field of 11.

Hambletonian Oaks winner Warrawee Michelle is the 4-1 second choice, leaving from post 7 for trainer Ake Svanstedt.

Following is the field for the \$500,000 Kentucky Futurity with trainers and morning-line odds.

PP – Horse – Trainer – Morning Line

1. Wild Ticket – Marcus Melander – 15-1
2. Dame Good Time – Travis Alexander – 8-1
3. Highland Kismet – Mark Etsell – 3-1
4. Amazing Catch – Ake Svanstedt – 12-1
5. Secret Agent Man – Julie Miller – 15-1
6. Tony Adams S – Ake Svanstedt – 15-1
7. Mr Bluebird – Ake Svanstedt – 20-1
8. Sig Sauer – Noel Daley – 6-1
9. Bella's Musclehill – Nifty Norman – 20-1
10. Security Protected – Marcus Melander – 20-1
11. Karl – Nancy Takter – 6-5

Following is the field for the \$301,550 Kentucky Filly Futurity with trainers and morning-line odds.

PP – Horse – Trainer – Morning Line

1. Paulina Hanover – Noel Daley – 20-1
2. R Melina – John Butenschoen – 6-1
3. Buy A Round – Noel Daley – 9-2
4. Sadbirdstillsing – Tony Alagna – 15-1
5. Sambuca Hanover – Nifty Norman – 20-1
6. Miss I La – Noel Daley – 15-1
7. Warrawee Michelle – Ake Svanstedt – 4-1
8. Allegiant – Vernon Beachy – 5-1
9. Soiree Hanover – Lucas Wallin – 6-1
10. Date Night Hanover – Marcus Melander – 3-1
11. French Champagne – Ake Svanstedt – 15-1

To watch a video replay of the draw, click [here](#).

Adam Ström stalltz
Karl and trainer Nancy Takter.





Papi Grad leads today's International Stallion Stakes

by Ray Cotolo for The Red Mile

Fresh from her authoritative winner's circle return in the Bluegrass Stakes, Papi Grad looks to potentially wrap the bow on her freshman campaign when starting in the second of three divisions for the \$245,800 International Stallion Stakes (ISS), for 2-year-old pacing fillies, today (Oct. 4) at The Red Mile.

Papi Grad lands post 4 in the seven-filly field, which will hit the track for race 6 on today's card. Listed at 7-5 on the morning line, Papi Grad enters the affair in a potential rematch with Looksgoodinloulou, whom the Steve Carter trainee easily repelled during a far-turn assault to win in 1:51. Dexter Dunn sticks with the daughter of Papi Rob Hanover who may hit the bench following today's race per co-owner Jay Mossbarger, who said after her most recent win, "We've got one more start left here and we're probably going to shut her down. We've had enough starts for her this year."

A pair of Bluegrass winners meet in the opening division of the ISS filly pace with 7-5 morning line favorite Rodeo Drive Deo drawing post 7 and 2-1 second choice Unreasonable landing post 4. Rodeo Drive Deo, a Ron Burke-trained daughter of Captaintreacherous, comes into this race off a second-over pounce to a 1:51 win as the 6-5 favorite while Unreasonable enters from a similar closing effort in 1:51 as the 1-5 chalk. David Miller will drive Rodeo Drive Deo while Scott Zeron stays with Unreasonable, a filly by Huntsville, for trainer Erv Miller.

Division three of the ISS filly pace features Rose, one of only two fillies to beat Papi Grad this season. Rose, winner of the Pennsylvania Sire Stakes final, draws post 1 off a 1:50.3 victory in the \$100,000 Kentucky Commonwealth final on Sept. 16. Yannick Gingras drives the Burke-trained filly by Sweet Lou in an octet that includes a Canadian invader in Mark Steacy's Captaintreacherous filly Cant See Me, who draws post 8 off a third-place effort in the \$393,680 She's A Great Lady final on Sept. 21. Bob McClure has the drive.

Today's card also has four divisions for the \$320,000 ISS for 2-year-old trotting colts and geldings beginning in race 4. A stacked first division has two winners from last week's Bluegrass with Tactical Dynasty, posting a 1:54.3 front-stepping effort, starting from post 1 and Blank, inheriting a 1:54.4 win through disqualification, from post 7. Gingras drives Tactical Dynasty for trainer Burke and Dunn pilots Blank for conditioner Marcus Melander.

Trainer/driver Ake Svanstedt has the favorite in the second ISS colt trot with Happy Jack B from post 1. The even-money morning-line choice comes off a pillar-to-post 1:54.1 effort to win his Bluegrass division last week. The Chapter Seven colt faces eight other rivals in the contest that includes Richard "Nifty" Norman trainee Yannick G Kemp, a colt by Walner who faltered as the odds-on choice and finished ninth in the Kentucky Commonwealth final over two weeks ago. Peter Wrenn will drive Yannick G Kemp from post 7.

Pennsylvania Sire Stakes champion Meshuggah will try to build from a third-place finish in the Mohawk Million in the third split for the ISS colt trotters. Zeron steers the colt by Greenshoe from post 1 as the 5-2 morning-line choice against a bunch that features another Svanstedt-trained and Bluegrass winner in Gap Kronos S. Svanstedt will drive the Face Time Bourbon colt from post 8.

Super Chapter will try to get back on track in the final ISS colt trot as the 6-5 morning line favorite. Dunn drives the Melander-trained son of Chapter Seven after he scratched sick from last week's Bluegrass division won by the still undefeated Maximus Mearas S, who lands post 8 in this division. Super Chapter, winner of the \$400,000 Kentucky Championship Series final, races from post 4 against Maximus Mearas S, who starts from post 8 with Zeron in the bike for trainer Lucas Wallin.

The first division of the ISS filly pace is "The Margareta Wallenius-Kleberg Memorial" and is sponsored by Arden Homestead Stable, E. T. Gerry, Jr., Peter Gerry, Stoner Manor Inc., Menhammar Stuteri AB, Jorgen Jahre Jr., LST Stable, Lawrence DeVan and William DeVan. The second division is "The Bob McIntosh Memorial" sponsored by the Perfect Sting Syndicate, Brittany Farms and Val D'or Farms. Division three is "The Arlene Siegel Memorial" sponsored by Jules Siegel and Fashion Farms.

Division one of the ISS colt trot is named "The Six Pack" sponsored by the Six Pack Syndicate and Deo Volente Farms. The second division is "The Muscle Hill" sponsored by Southwind Farms, division three is "The Walner" sponsored by the Walner Syndicate and division four is "The Tactical Landing" sponsored by Hickory Lane Farm and the Tactical Landing Syndicate.

Today's card features 14 races on the program. First-race post time at The Red Mile is 1 p.m. (EDT).



Steady 'Elan' pleases Pollack

by Ken Weingartner / USTA media relations manager

Elan Hanover might not be flashy, but that is perfectly fine with co-owner Tom Pollack.

A 2-year-old trotting colt, Elan Hanover has finished no worse than third in all nine of his career races heading into today's International Stallion Stakes at Lexington's Red Mile. The son of Bar Hopping—Expect A Lot is the 3-1 morning-line favorite in the first of four \$80,000 divisions for the freshman male trotters.

Elan Hanover, purchased by Pollack and trainer Jeff Cullipher in July after three starts for George Ducharme, has posted two wins, six seconds, and a third this year. Half of his runner-up finishes have come by a neck or less, including in the Pennsylvania Sire Stakes championship on Sept. 5 at Hollywood Casino at The Meadows. He has earned \$181,706 overall, with \$157,145 coming since the sale.

"Would I like to flip-flop the seconds and the firsts? Absolutely," Pollack said. "But he's done nothing wrong. He hasn't had any clunkers. It's tough racing. He got snapped at the wire a few times by sprinters. He's a big, strong, good-gaited horse; not a sleek sprinter.

"He's professional, does his work, nothing flashy. He's just consistent, shows up every start. I'll take that all day long over a horse that might be a little faster, but a little more unstable. At this level, seconds aren't bad. If you can keep hitting the board, you're doing all right. You picked a pretty good one."

Pollack and Cullipher became interested in Elan Hanover after seeing the colt race in a division of the Pennsylvania Sire Stakes at The Meadows on July 12. (Their colt Father TJ was competing in a different division that day.) Elan Hanover finished second by a head to Meshuggah, the same horse that caught him nearing the wire of the series final.

"George owned him himself," Pollack said. "We heard that George might sell him, so we pursued it and put a deal together. Hopefully, it was a good deal for George, since he owned him himself, and certainly it's been a good deal for us because the horse has been super. George has been

following the horse and rooting for us. He's a good guy to do business with."

Elan Hanover has impressed Pollack enough that the owner purchased one of the colt's family members, Princess Tara, for \$45,000 during Tuesday's second session of the Lexington Selected Yearling Sale. Princess Tara is a daughter of stallion Gimpanzee out of the mare Pantera, who is a half-sister to Elan Hanover. The family also includes Kentucky Futurity winner My MVP and Hambletonian Oaks winner Must Be Victory, plus Grand Circuit winner and Kentucky Sire Stakes champion Top Expectations.

"We liked [Elan Hanover] that much that we went to the well again for next year," Pollack said.

Today, Elan Hanover will leave from post 5 in a field of nine in his International Stallion Stakes division. Todd McCarthy will be in the sulky. He enters the race off a second-place finish in a division of the Bluegrass Stakes last week.

If all goes well, Pollack said the Breeders Crown later this month at The Meadowlands would be next.

"George paid him in, so we'll put up the starting fee and give him a shot," Pollack said. "He's definitely earned a trip to New Jersey if he races like he's been. The big track at Lexington and The Meadowlands doesn't hurt him because he's big and strong. That's a good thing.

"We're excited. Sometimes these things work out, and sometimes they don't. This one is in the working out column, so that's always good."

The favorites in the remaining International Stallion Stakes divisions for the trotters are Happy Jack B, Meshuggah, and Super Chapter.

Ake Svanstedt trains and drives Happy Jack B, who is coming off a win in a division of the Bluegrass Stakes last week and is even-money on the morning line.

Meshuggah and Super Chapter are both from the stable of trainer Marcus Melander. Meshuggah, driven by Scott Zeron, is making his first appearance since a third-place finish in the Mohawk Million on Sept. 21 and is 5-2. Super Chapter, with driver Dexter Dunn, is making his first start since winning the Kentucky Sire Stakes Championship Series final on Sept. 15 at The Red Mile. He is 6-5.

Today's Red Mile card also features three divisions of the International Stallion Stakes for 2-year-old female pacers.

Action begins at 1 p.m. (EDT) at The Red Mile. To view today's entire card, click [here](#). Free daily programs can be found at the track's website [here](#) (scroll to the bottom of the page).



New Jersey SIRE STAKES REPORT

Southwind Banshee and Seven Reps score in NJSS finals

Katie Eick for Freehold Raceway

Two \$70,000 New Jersey Sire Stakes Standardbred Development Fund finals were held at Freehold Raceway on Thursday (Oct. 3). Both were for 3-year-old trotters.

The final for fillies took place in race 6. Johnathan Ahle and **Southwind Banshee** had post position 3. They settled in fourth in the first turn. They were content there until the field reached the half and Ahle decided it was time to make the trek to the front. He pulled to the first-over position and the pair worked their way to the front.

By the time they reached the three-quarter pole in 1:26.1, they trailed the leader, Eloise, by just a half-length. Eloise, the 8-5 second choice, didn't give in easily. She continued battling into the stretch, but then faded as they approached the wire. Southwind Banshee continued on to win in 1:55.2, just two-fifths of a second shy of the track record that she set back on Sept. 12.

At 3-2 odds, a win bet paid \$5. Jacquie Ingrassia trains the Muscle Hill daughter for Arden Homestead Stable.

In the final for colts and geldings, **Seven Reps** and Austin Siegelman got lucky with the draw and left from post 1. After winning the Garden State Trot and the first leg of the NJSS in his last two starts, the bettors bet the Ron Burke trainee down to 2-5 odds.

It was no surprise then to see Seven Reps cruise around the track for a wire-to-wire win in 1:55.1. This was the third win in a row and fifth lifetime for the son of Muscle Hill.

Siegelman scored a driving double on the eight-race card.

Racing resumes with more NJSS action and \$70,000 finals today (Oct. 4) and Saturday (Oct. 5) starting at 12:30 p.m.



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Danger extends streak to six in Indiana Sire Stakes at Harrah's Hoosier Park

by Jacob Rheinheimer / Harrah's Hoosier Park

Sensational sophomore trotting filly **Danger** extended her season win streak to six as trainer Robert Taylor swept the eighth and final round of Indiana Sire Stakes for 3-year-old trotting fillies on Wednesday (Oct. 2) at Harrah's Hoosier Park. The 13-race card are featured a pair of Sire Stakes divisions for 2-year-old pacing fillies in their leg six finale prior to the \$250,000 Super Finals on Friday (Oct. 11).

Danger was sent away as the 1-20 favorite in the \$48,500 first division for trotting fillies with driver Kevin Lambright guiding the 3-year-old rookie against five foes. Leaving from post 4, Danger had to work hard to get to the front early, trotting to the outside of Social Chatter (Pete Wrenn) through a quick opening quarter of :26.4. Once clear, Danger kept rolling on the front to the half in :55.4 before trotting two lengths clear at three-quarters in 1:24.2. In the stretch, Danger kept Social Chatter at arm's length, crossing the wire 1¼-lengths clear in a lifetime best 1:53.1. Skyway Paige (LeWayne Miller) finished third, 4¾ lengths back of the leader.

The Robert Taylor trained daughter of Swan For All—Chim Swift has won nine of 10 on the season, banking \$147,271. Bred by Steve Stewart and Chris Beaver, Danger is owned by Anthony Lombardi and George Golemes.

Agent Of Fortune utilized similar tactics as her stablemate in the very next race, scoring in gate-to-wire fashion in the \$48,000 second division. With Taylor doing the driving, Agent Of Fortune quickly grabbed command through an opening quarter of :28.2. The 2-1 second-choice reached the half alone on the lead in :58.1 before Agent Of Fortune accelerated to a two-length lead at three-quarters in 1:26.4. Sprinting home in :27.3, Agent Of Fortune reached the line 2½-lengths clear of favored Hail Broadway (Jordan Ross) in 1:54.2. Star Pilot (Trace Tetrick) rallied for show.

Agent Of Fortune has won half of her 14 outings in 2024, sporting seasonal earnings of \$181,116 for owners Taylor Racing and Bert Paddock. The daughter of Dover Dan—Posterity was bred by Black Creek Farm and has now earned over a quarter-million dollars lifetime.

Earlier on the card, sentimental favorite **Tarshish** scored a minor 6-1 upset victory in the \$67,000 first division of Indiana Sire Stakes for rookie pacing fillies just over a week after her late owner Samuel Samples passed away.

Driver Brandon Bates put Tarshish on the engine from post 4, leading the field of six to the quarter pole in :27.3. The 1-5 favorite, Brookview Fancy (Joey Putnam), who entered the night riding a five-race win streak, took command on the backstretch on the way to the half in :56.3. Brookview Fancy looked to give the field the slip on the final turn, opening up by two lengths over Tarshish at three-quarters in 1:25. The advantage quickly dissipated in the lane as Brookview Fancy came under fire from all angles in the lane. Tarshish got the head start to her inside, squirting through to the front to cross the wire first by 1½ lengths in a career best of 1:53. Vel Cinderella (Kyle Wilfong) emerged atop a five-horse photo for place, with Infatuation (John De Long) finishing third.

The victory was the second in eight outings this season for the Walter Haynes, Jr. trainee. The daughter of Luck Be Withyou—The Party's Rockin was bred by Luckiana Farms and has earned \$84,725.

The \$67,500 second division for pacing fillies returned to form with **Can'ttouchthese** delivering a convincing victory as the 1-5 favorite. Driver De Long got Can'ttouchthese away in fourth early while Wunderkindbluechip (Ross) cut the quarter in :27.3. The field of seven remained single-file to the half in :56.1 before De Long tipped Can'ttouchthese first-over from fourth, moving to the leader's wheel on the final turn at three-quarters in 1:25.1. Can'ttouchthese maintained her momentum into the lane, quickly powering clear before coasting to the wire 1½-lengths clear of 63-1 shot Princess In Pink (Miller) in 1:52.2. JK Pearl Stone (Wrenn) closed for the third position.

Trained by Roger Welch, Can'ttouchthese was bred by owners William De Long, Patrick De Long and Douglas Riccolo. With five wins in seven outings, the daughter of JK Endofanera—Can't Touch This boosted her bankroll to \$130,370.

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Delaware

SIRE STAKES REPORT

Harrington track records fall Wednesday

by Matt Sparacino / Harrington Raceway

Legacy Racing of Delaware and Nanticoke Racing's **Melvin G** (\$2.10, Jim Morand) was the fastest of four Delaware Standardbred Breeders Fund (DSBF) \$20,000 2-year-old trotting divisions Wednesday (Oct. 2) at Harrington Raceway and broke the track record for his division with a 1:58.1 score.

The E L Platinum gelding notched his second-straight score for trainer Les Givens as he trotted away from the field comfortably on the front end. Wolfpack Cheddar was second with Royalty Star third. The prior track record was set in 2022 by Perfect Twenty (1:58.2).

Virginia Louthan's **Saints Design** (\$8, Corey Callahan) won the first filly division in 2:02.3 over Marino Bluestone and Royal Toni. The St Patricks Day filly was making her first career start for her owner/trainer. Marino Bluestone was second with Royal Toni third. Callahan had four driving wins on the card.

Don and Dave Wiest's **Perfect Suprise** (\$15, Art Stafford, Jr.) was a 2:01.1 winner in the first colt and gelding division. The Dave Wiest trainee reeled in pacesetter I'm Not George late for his first career win. Burly finished third. Perfect Suprise, an E L Platinum gelding was making his sixth career start. Stafford, Jr. had three wins on the program.

In the second filly division, the biggest upset to date this season in DSBF action occurred as Linda MacDonald's **Buttoncandy** (\$146.60, Stafford, Jr.) was a 2:05.2 winner over Holly Lou and Take It Easy. Buttoncandy, trained by Joseph MacDonald, is sired by E L Platinum.

In overnight action, Dylan Davis and Howard Taylor's **Naked Cowboy** (\$2.40, Corey Callahan) broke the track record for 3-year-old trotters (1:55.1). In one of three wins for Callahan, the Tactical Landing gelding was full of trot on the front for trainer/co-owner Davis in his Harrington debut. The prior track record (1:55.4) was set by I Like My Boss in 2014.

LITTLE MISS PEYTON, GIVENS STAR TUESDAY AT HARRINGTON RACEWAY

Donna Messick's **Little Miss Peyton** (\$2.10, Corey Callahan) was a dominant 1:56.2 winner and the fastest of a trio of 2-year-old Delaware Standardbred Breeders Fund (DSBF) filly pacing divisional winners Tuesday (Oct. 1) at Harrington Raceway.

The Papa Ray-sired filly was an open-length winner over Sweet Samsara and Mimosa On The Key. Trained by Les Givens, it was her third win in six career starts and one of four wins on the card for Givens.

George and Tina Dennis and The Wiz Kids Stable's **Im Won Last Wiser** (\$4.80, Montrell Teague) prevailed in the second split with a 1:58.3 triumph over Valentina Station and Tilted Crown. The Badlands Hanover filly surged first over on the final turn and wore down Valentina Station late for her first career win for trainer Joe Columbo.

The final DSBF split went to Jo Ann Looney-King's **Immaculate Inning** (\$9, Ross Wolfenden) in 1:58.3 for trainer Jim King, Jr. over Bella Artiste and Mornin Merle. The Roddy's Bags Again filly picked up her first career win.

PRIMO MASCHIO REMAINS UNBEATEN WITH DSBF ELIM SWEEP

Forrest Bartlett's **Primo Maschio** (\$2.10, Trae Porter) completed a sweep of his 2-year-old Delaware Standardbred Breeders Fund (DSBF) \$20,000 divisions Monday (Sept. 30) at Harrington Raceway in 1:55.4 to remain unbeaten.

The Kevin Lare-trainee and Badlands Hanover gelding was an easy winner on the front end and has won all seven career starts. Lew Not Lou was second with Strange Brew third.

The second DSBF split also went to the favorite, as George and Tina Dennis' **Won Last Call** (\$2.10, Montrell Teague) overcame an early miscue to prevail in 1:57.4 over Shore Not Beach and Badlands Boogie. The Badlands Hanover gelding, recorded his second career win for trainer Joe Columbo, who is just two wins away from 1,000 in his career. It was one of three driving wins on the card for Teague. The top 8 point earners from the DSBF eliminations will return to compete in the \$110,000 finals on Oct. 7-9.

Live racing will continue on a Monday through Wednesday schedule (post time 4:30 p.m.).

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HRU Upcoming Stakes

Friday, Oct. 4


PP	Track	Race	Race #(s)	1st Race Post
✓	Freehold	NJSDF	5, 7, 9	12:30 p.m.
✓	The Meadows	Keystone Classic	6, 8	12:45 p.m.
✓	The Red Mile	International Stallion Stakes	3, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 13	1 p.m.
✓	Hoosier Park	ISS	5, 7, 8, 9	6:15 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 5

PP	Track	Race	Race #(s)	1st Race Post
	Freehold	NJSDF	non-bettor before the card	12:15 p.m.
✓	Freehold	NJSDF	5, 10	12:30 p.m.
✓	Charlottetown Driving Park	Joe O'Brien Memorial, Lady Slipper Stake	1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 12	12:30 p.m.
✓	The Red Mile	International Stallion Stakes	1, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11	1 p.m.
✓	Dayton	BSS championships	4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	4 p.m.
✓	Century Mile	Brad Gunn, Rocky Mountain Boys, Western Canada Pacing Derby elims	1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7	7:30 p.m.

Sunday, Oct. 6


PP	Track	Race	Race #(s)	1st Race Post
	The Red Mile	Kentucky Futurity, Kentucky Filly Futurity, Tattersalls, Allerage Farms, Glen Garnsey	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12	1 p.m.
✓	Summerside	Joe O'Brien Memorial, Lady Slipper Stake	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 15	1 p.m.
	Northfield Park	BSS consolations	2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13	6 p.m.




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RACE RESULTS - THURSDAY

FREEHOLD RACEWAY *report*

Thursday's Results:

3, Fhld, \$10,000, Pace, New Jersey Sire Stakes Standardbred Development Fund 2 Year Old Colt Pace 1st Leg, 27.3, 57.1, 1:26.2, 1:55.4, FT

1-Do What U Do (g, 2, Lazarus N--Its All About Miki, by Always B Miki) \$5,000, Lifetime Record: 7-1-2-4, \$16,024

O-Curtis A Daniels. B-Roll The Dice Stable. T-Curtis Daniels. D-Steve Smith.

2-Gaitway Patriot (g, 2, American History--Brussels Hanover, by Bettor's Delight) \$2,500, Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-0, \$4,710

O-Gty Stable. B-Gty Stable. T-Jeffrey Smith. D-Austin Siegelman.

3-Jms Best Bet (g, 2, Bettor's Delight--Enchanted Eva, by Sportswriter) \$1,200, \$14,000 2023 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$10,950

O-Gregory Merton. B-Millstream Inc. T-Gregory Merton. D-Gregory Merton.

▶▶ [Replay](#) ▶▶ Calls: 5, 4H, 2, 1Q, H - Finish Order: Dreamlandcappucino, Not Louzing

5, Fhld, \$10,000, Pace, New Jersey Sire Stakes Standardbred Development Fund 2 Year Old Colt Pace 1st Leg, 27.3, 57.0, 1:25.3, 1:54.0, FT

1-Floor It Freddie (c, 2, Cattlewash--Petal To The Metal, by Art Official) \$5,000, Lifetime Record: 8-1-0-2, \$18,100

O-Chiodo Racing LLC. B-Chiodo Racing LLC. T-Stacy Chiodo. D-Stacy Chiodo.



Another CATTLEWASH Winner!



2-Cattleshark (g, 2, Cattlewash--Shady Shark's Doll, by Shadyshark Hanover) \$2,500, \$5,000 2023 SHS-HBGM, Lifetime Record: 8-2-1-0, \$15,500

O-Charles A Caulder & Michial A English. B-Sweiger Stables LLC. T-John Wilkerson. D-Corey Callahan.

3-Beanzy Fresh (c, 2, Lazarus N--Little Miss K, by Artsplace) \$1,200, \$5,000 2023 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 9-0-0-1, \$19,550

O-Brian S Gordon & Morrison Racing Stables. B-Deo Volente Farms LLC. T-Per Engblom. D-Joe Bongiorno.

▶▶ [Replay](#) ▶▶ Calls: 1H, 1H, 1H, 1H, HD - Finish Order: Xpert, Bc's Capela, Southwind Rodan

6, Fhld, \$70,000, Trot, New Jersey Sire Stakes Standardbred Development Fund 3 Year Old Filly Trot Final, 27.3, 57.1, 1:26.1, 1:55.2, FT

1-Southwind Banshee (f, 3, Muscle Hill--Ballyhooded, by Cantab Hall) \$35,000, \$37,000 2022 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 20-7-3-3, \$136,640

O-Arden Homestead Stable. B-Southwind Farms LLC. T-Jacqueline Ingrassia. D-Johnathan Ahle.

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2-Tove Palema (f, 3, Walner--Helen Palema, by Cantab Hall) \$17,500, \$70,000 2022 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 22-7-3-4, \$183,950

O-Andy Miller Stable Inc & Patrick J Hoopes & Mortgage Boys Stable. B-Kentuckiana Farms LLC & Bender Sweden Inc. T-Julie Miller. D-Tyler Miller.

3-Eloise (f, 3, Tactical Landing--Tuvalu, by Chapter Seven) \$8,400, \$34,000 2022 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 25-7-3-4, \$153,727

O-Ron Coyne Stables, Inc & Blair C Corbeil, CA & Richard J & Farrell F Carney. B-Crawford Farms Racing. T-Ron Coyne Jr. D-Corey Callahan.

▶▶ [Replay](#) ▶▶ Calls: 3, 2T, H, NS, T - Finish Order: Central Park, St Pauli Girl, Meetmeatthebar, Kinesiology, Blazing Deo

RACE RESULTS - THURSDAY (CONTINUED)

7, Fhld, \$70,000, Trot, New Jersey Sire Stakes Standardbred Development Fund 3 Year Old Colt Trot Final, M, 28.1, 57.0, 1:26.0, 1:55.1, FT

1-Seven Reps (g, 3, Muscle Hill--Sette Deo, by Chapter Seven) \$35,000, \$100,000 2022 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 28-5-3-4, \$122,645
O-Burke Racing Stable LLC & Knox Services Inc & Lawrence R Karr & J&T Silva- Purnel & Libby. B-Concord Stud Farm LLC. T-Ron Burke. D-Austin Siegelman.

2-Custom Fit (g, 3, Muscle Hill--Warrawee Krisp, by Yankee Glide) \$17,500, \$42,000 2022 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 26-3-3-4, \$67,220
O-Racing Team Of America & Mark A Harder & Deena Rachel Frost. B-Frederick W Hertrich III. T-Mark Harder. D-Daniel Dube.

3-Robinhood (g, 3, Walner--Confession Session, by Father Patrick) \$8,400, \$100,000 2022 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 15-2-2-2, \$73,129
O-Sjoblom Racing Inc. B-Bax Stable, CA & Glengate Farms, CA. T-Noel Daley. D-Steve Smith.

▶▶ [Replay](#) ▶▶ Calls: 1H, 1H, 1H, 5, 10 - Finish Order: Lord Ritchie, Ebullient, Hankins Hanover, Gillys De Vie, Mr Grant

HARRAH'S HOOSIER PARK *report*

Thursday's Results:

4, HoP, \$50,000, Trot, **INDIANA SIRES STAKES** 3 Year Old Colts and Geldings - Leg 8 (purse reflects \$46,500 from SBDF), 29.0, 58.1, 1:26.3, 1:55.2, FT

1-A Blue Million (g, 3, Swan In A Million--Ipo Blue Chip, by Yankee Glide) \$25,000, \$4,500 2022 Hoosier, Lifetime Record: 32-11-5-3, \$113,424
O-Jeffrey D & Stephen Stoll. B-Roman Stoll. T-Leander Schwartz. D-Mike Peterson.

2-Helpem Dance (g, 3, Helpisontheway--Serena's Serenade, by Big Stick Lindy) \$12,500, \$72,000 2022 Hoosier, Lifetime Record: 16-2-5-1, \$72,430
O-Douglas S Overhiser. B-Roman Stoll & Marcus Jay Wittmer. T-Jamie Macomber. D-Ricky Macomber Jr.

3-Knowyoucando (g, 3, You Know You Do--Appomattox Lady, by CR Excalibur) \$6,000, \$10,000 2022 MIDW-M, Lifetime Record: 14-3-5-1, \$84,505
O-Pollack Racing LLC & Jeffrey W Cullipher. B-Dale R Wittmer & Mr Danny Ray Graber. T-Jeff Cullipher. D-Kyle Wilfong.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 2H, 3, 4, 2H, NK - Finish Order: Ira Who, Winslow, Cs Flying Co-pilot, In The Midst

5, HoP, \$49,500, Trot, **INDIANA SIRES STAKES** 3 Year Old Colts and Geldings - Leg 8 (purse reflects \$46,500 from SBDF), 27.4, 57.2, 1:26.0, 1:53.4, FT

1-Gruesome Twosome (c, 3, You Know You Do--All Set Lets Go, by Donato Hanover) \$24,750, \$17,000 2022 Hoosier, Lifetime Record: 19-12-1-0, \$400,353
O-Ira Steinberg & Daryl J Bontrager. B-Merle E Yoder. T-Daryl Bontrager. D-Daryl Bontrager.

2-Dashing Danny (g, 3, Dover Dan--Sashay, by Yankee Glide) \$12,375, \$7,000 2022 NIYSS, Lifetime Record: 26-15-7-1, \$369,212
O-Pollack Racing LLC & Jeffrey W Cullipher. B-Steve H Stewart & Black Creek Farm. T-Jeff Cullipher. D-Kyle Wilfong.

3-Flirtwiththepilot (g, 3, Pilot Discretion--Savannah's Lucy, by Guccio) \$5,940, \$23,000 2022 Hoosier, Lifetime Record: 19-5-4-4, \$172,755
O-S&R Racing Stables & Odds On Racing & Hickory Hollow Stables & Wrenn Racing LLC. B-Leonard J Miller. T-Melanie Wrenn. D-Peter Wrenn.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 6T, 2, 2, 1H, 1Q - Finish Order: First Option, Raylan Drew, Helpingistheway

7, HoP, \$46,500, Pace, **INDIANA SIRES STAKES** 2 Year Old Colts and Geldings - Leg 6 (purse reflects \$42,500 from SBDF), 27.4, 56.4, 1:25.0, 1:52.1, FT

1-Spirt And Heart (c, 2, Luck Be Withyou--So Long My Love, by American Ideal) \$23,250, \$4,000 2023 HOOSIER, Lifetime Record: 7-4-0-0, \$43,000
O-Eli L Schwartz. B-Luckiana Farm. T-Eli Schwartz. D-Trace Tetrack.

2-Odds On Brahmastra (g, 2, Odds On Equuleus--Mach Some Noise, by Mach Three) \$11,625, Lifetime Record: 9-1-3-1, \$64,805
O-Odds On Racing. B-Odds On Nourrir. T-Melanie Wrenn. D-Peter Wrenn.

3-Big Bad Moses (g, 2, Rockin Image--All About The Pace, by Roll With Joe) \$5,580, \$16,000 2023 HOOSIER, Lifetime Record: 11-2-3-3, \$85,537
O-Parkview Stables LLC & Richard L Macomber Jr. B-Daryl D Miller. T-Jamie Macomber. D-Ricky Macomber Jr.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 2H, 2, 2H, 2, NK - Finish Order: Hey Blinkin, Ponda Eagle, Rawtn Tale, Freaky Feet Beast, Deal The Odds

8, HoP, \$46,500, Pace, **INDIANA SIRES STAKES** 2 Year Old Colts and Geldings - Leg 6 (purse reflects \$42,500 from SBDF), 27.1, 55.4, 1:24.0, 1:51.1, FT

1-Chandler Bing (g, 2, Tellitlikeitis--Northern Beauty, by Sportswriter) \$23,250, \$29,000 2023 HOOSIER, Lifetime Record: 8-4-0-2, \$91,790
O-Alvin R Miller & Twila A Harts. B-Glen R Yoder. T-Alvin Miller. D-Jay Cross.

2-Hopeyaliketheshow (c, 2, Jk Endofanera--Don't Forget, by Well Said) \$11,625, \$100,000 2023 HOOSIER, Lifetime Record: 10-3-3-0, \$125,343
O-Burke Racing Stable LLC & Weaver Brusceci LLC & Beasty LLC & Knox Services Inc. B-Randy J & Tyler J & Zane B Wilt. T-Ron Burke. D-Trace Tetrack.

RACE RESULTS - THURSDAY (CONTINUED)

3-Derek's Rocket (g, 2, Check Six--Derek Delight, by Bettor's Delight) \$5,580, \$8,750 2023 NIYSS, Lifetime Record: 12-2-2-1, \$21,715
O-Kismet Racing & Cletus L. Beechy & Dynamic Stables LLC. B-Paul W & Cathy M Webb. T-Susan Miller. D-Lewayne Miller.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 5, 3, 2H, 4H, T - Finish Order: Gigi's Dream, Ahva Sholum, Odds On Anubis, Bikini Chaser, King Putt

12, HoP, \$46,500, Pace, **INDIANA SIRE STAKES 2 Year Old Colts and Geldings - Leg 6** (purse reflects \$42,500 from SBDF), 26.4, 56.2, 1:25.0, 1:52.0, FT

1-Avanti (g, 2, Rockin Image--Sayulita, by Somebeachsomewhere) \$23,250, \$92,000 2023 HOOSIER, Lifetime Record: 11-3-5-0, \$135,150
O-Rocco S Ruffolo & Fac Racing LLC. B-Jake G Schwartz & Pond-A- Acres. T-Melissa Essig. D-Yannick Gingras.

2-The Family Man (g, 2, Always A Virgin--Tia Maria Hanover, by Bettor's Delight) \$11,625, \$50,000 2023 HOOSIER, Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-2, \$67,219
O-Ervin Miller Stable Inc & Never 2 Late Stable. B-Lyndar Stables. T-Erv Miller. D-Michael Oosting.

3-Special Pete (g, 2, Freaky Feet Pete--Alabamashakey, by American Ideal) \$5,580, \$6,000 2023 HOOSIER, Lifetime Record: 12-3-2-4, \$58,580
O-Hidden Valley Farm & Ryan L Raber & L & S Racing & Anthony D Swartzentruber. B-Orla Jay Bontrager. T-Susan Miller. D-Lewayne Miller.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: 3H, 1, 2, 2H, 1H - Finish Order: Checking Out, Seeitsayit, Big Al Derosa, This Jk Rocks, Son Of Era

13, HoP, \$16,000, Trot, **INDIANA SIRE STAKES ELIGIBLE 3 Year Old Colts and Geldings** (purse reflects \$8,000 from SBDF), 27.2, 56.2, 1:26.0, 1:55.0, FT

1-Elhelpski (g, 3, Helpisontheway--Kelsey Hanover, by Muscle Massive) \$8,000, \$65,000 2022 Hoosier, Lifetime Record: 18-8-0-3, \$184,233
O-S&R Racing Stables & Odds On Racing & Wrenn Racing LLC. B-John M Bontrager Jr. T-Melanie Wrenn. D-Peter Wrenn.

2-Helpspaythebills (g, 3, Helpisontheway--Classic Filly, by Classic Photo) \$4,000, \$25,000 2022 Hoosier, Lifetime Record: 30-3-3-4, \$72,290
O-Ernest Gaskin Stables Inc & Douglas R Shore & Warren R Emery & Theodore Engel. B-Aron L Bontrager. T-Darla Gaskin. D-John De Long.

3-Easter Jack (c, 3, Dover Dan--Speedy Edie, by SJ's Caviar) \$1,920, \$4,000 2022 NIYSS, Lifetime Record: 39-5-5-7, \$48,552
O-Burke Racing Stable LLC & Weaver Brusceci LLC & Frank A Canzone. B-Christopher L Nissley. T-Ron Burke. D-Yannick Gingras.

Replay Unavailable - Calls: H, 2, 2, 2H, T - Finish Order: Water Torpedo, Double A Jasper, Pilot Heir, Globe Master, Brookview El Zorro, Swantanamo Bay

HOLLYWOOD CASINO AT THE MEADOWS *report*

Thursday's Results:

1, Mea, \$19,200, Trot, **OPEN HANDICAP 1-3 DRAWN, 4-5 DRAWN, 6 ASSIGNED, 27.3, 56.1, 1:24.1, 1:52.3, FT**

1-Benjamin Hanover (g, 4, Sebastian K S--By A Neck Hanover, by Chapter Seven) \$9,600, \$27,000 2021 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 25-14-3-1, \$111,330
O-Sarah J Andrews & Angela Cornell. B-Hanover Shoe Farms Inc. T-Sarah Andrews. D-Aaron Merriman.

ANOTHER WINNER BRED BY HANOVER SHOE FARMS



2-Emerald's Legacy (g, 5, Father Patrick--Devilish Emerald, by Broadway Hall) \$4,800, Lifetime Record: 57-21-11-7, \$277,701
O-Timothy G Betts & Nicholas A Catalano & Keith J Pippi & Shanamphilankilou Inc. B-Shanamphilankilou Inc. T-Scott Betts. D-Dave Palone.

3-Guido Di (g, 5, Wishing Stone--Focus On Me, by Sj's Caviar) \$2,304, \$9,000 2020 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 72-26-11-12, \$388,287
O-Kathy L Schoeffel & Lewis Falton & Marian Schilling. B-Richard C & Regina M Beinhauer. T-Steve Schoeffel. D-Brady Brown.

▶▶ *Replay* ▶▶ Calls: H, 1H, 1H, 1, NK - Finish Order: Killer Instinct, Wallet, Saint K

6, Mea, \$41,150, Pace, *KEYSTONE CLASSIC*** 2YO FILLY PACE 1ST OF 2 DIVISIONS, 27.2, 56.0, 1:24.1, 1:51.4, FT**

1-Royally Hot (f, 2, Bettor's Wish--Mcsauna, by Mcardle) \$20,575, Lifetime Record: 8-2-0-3, \$76,922
O-Tim Tetrack LLC. B-Tim Tetrack LLC. T-Jim King Jr. D-Tim Tetrack.

2-Blessed Hanover (f, 2, Always B Miki--Bettor B Lucky, by Bettor's Delight) \$10,287, \$40,000 2023 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 9-5-2-1, \$140,684
O-Burke Racing Stable LLC & Weaver Brusceci LLC & W J Donovan. B-Hanover Shoe Farms Inc. T-Ron Burke. D-Ronnie Wrenn Jr..

3-Lyons Benz (f, 2, Captaintreacherous--Make Mine Mocha, by Bettor's Delight) \$4,938, \$41,000 2023 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 7-1-2-1, \$28,018
O-Threelyonsracing, CA. B-Frederick W Hertrich III. T-Jim King Jr. D-Hunter Myers.

▶▶ *Replay* ▶▶ Calls: 2, 3, 3, 1H, 1T - Finish Order: Beach Rules, Ginger Tree Izzi, Fancy Like Louuuuu, Skepticism

RACE RESULTS - THURSDAY (CONTINUED)

8, Mea, \$41,550, Pace, *KEYSTONE CLASSIC*** 2YO FILLY PACE 2ND OF 2 DIVISIONS, 27.3, 55.2, 1:23.0, 1:51.0, FT**

1-Always Ana Hanover (f, 2, Always B Miki--Ana Hanover, by Somebeachsomewhere) \$20,775, \$100,000 2023 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 9-2-2-1, \$88,659
O-Burke Racing Stable LLC & Weaver Brusceci LLC & William L Switala & James J Martin. B-Hanover Shoe Farms Inc. T-Ron Burke. D-Ronnie Wrenn Jr..

ANOTHER WINNER BRED BY HANOVER SHOE FARMS



2-Earth Angel (f, 2, Captaintreacherous--Angel On Earth, by Artspeak) \$10,387, \$28,000 2023 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 10-3-2-1, \$39,427
O-Frank E Chick. B-Riverview Breeding LLC & Steven Head. T-Jamie Sullivan. D-Aaron Merriman.

3-Lyons Anitasangel (f, 2, Captaintreacherous--Linda Lace Hanover, by Bettor's Delight) \$4,986, \$42,000 2023 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 9-1-1-3, \$36,272
O-Threelyonsracing, CA. B-Hanover Shoe Farms Inc. T-Jim King Jr. D-Hunter Myers.

▶▶ [Replay](#) ▶▶ Calls: 4, 5, 1H, H, H - Finish Order: Pilar Hanover, Allegra Hanover, Time Of The Season, Good As You, Kiki Lou Kiki

HOLLYWOOD GAMING DAYTON RACEWAY *report*

Thursday's Results:

1, Dtn, \$16,000, Pace, HORSES & GELDINGS N/W \$8001 LAST 4 STARTS AE: N/W 6 (OH 7) PM RACES OR \$50,000 LIFETIME AE: N/W \$10,000 LAST 4 START TO DRAW OUTSIDE, 27.3, 55.2, 1:23.0, 1:51.2, FT

1-Barry's Berries (g, 5, Downbytheseaside--Dingle Bay, by Mcardle) \$8,000, Lifetime Record: 84-19-11-7, \$319,851
O-Caldwell Mamie Racing LLC. B-Christopher C Coyle & Birnam Wood Farms. T-Steve Carter. D-Brett Miller.

2-Blazen River N (g, 9, Courage Under Fire--River Belle, by Red River Hanover) \$4,000, Lifetime Record: 130-29-18-13, \$291,617
O-Lucky Label Stable LLC. B-Mrs L G & J S Halligan, NZ & D B Hooker, NZ & Mrs S Herlihy, NZ. T-Thomas Litt. D-Wyatt Farmer.

3-Wicked Character (g, 4, Yankee Cruiser--Riley Character, by Shady Character) \$1,920, Lifetime Record: 38-11-4-3, \$333,415
O-Winterwood Farm & Timothy Sullivan & Robert E Jackson & Tom J Wilson. B-Cornerstone Stock Farm. T-Ron Burke. D-Chris Page.

▶▶ [Replay](#) ▶▶ Calls: 3T, 4H, 2H, 2Q, T - Finish Order: Dontbothermenone N, Better B Bold, Coop A Loop, Surfinthecanyon, Rock The Belles, C'mon Max

3, Dtn, \$16,000, Pace, STARTER ALLOWANCE FOR HORSES THAT HAVE STARTED IN A CLAIMING RACE FOR \$30,000 OR LESS AT SCD/DTN ONCE IN THEIR LAST 2 STARTS OPTIONAL CLAIMING \$30,000, 26.3, 55.1, 1:22.2, 1:50.4, FT

1-Bettor Than Spring (g, 9, Bettor's Delight--Spring Break, by Dream Away) \$8,000, \$130,000 2016 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 202-51-41-32, \$686,841
O-Adam B Short. B-Winbak Farm. T-Adam Short. D-Sam Widger.



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2-Barney Hanover (g, 4, Sweet Lou--Bubble Guppies, by Somebeachsomewhere) \$4,000, \$115,000 2021 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 67-5-9-11, \$82,341
O-John Brian Georges & Steve R McDaniel Jr. B-Hanover Shoe Farms Inc. T-Brian Georges. D-Brett Miller.

3-Mc Man (g, 6, McArdle--You're Too Funny, by American Ideal) \$1,920, \$37,000 2019 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 138-9-19-23, \$177,085
O-Mary M Megerle. B-Kathy J Grose. T-Kayne Kauffman. D-Kayne Kauffman.

▶▶ [Replay](#) ▶▶ Calls: 1H, 1, T, 1H, NK - Finish Order: Caviart Eden, Diesel Accelerator, Uncle Jord A, Western Beachboy, Torrin Hanover, Vel Charlie, Simple Kinda Man

9, Dtn, \$26,000, Pace, HORSES & GELDINGS OPEN HANDICAP POST POSITIONS 1-6 & 7-8 DRAWN, 26.3, 55.1, 1:22.1, 1:50.3, FT

1-Downbytheocean (g, 5, Downbytheseaside--Mamas Little Angel, by Rocknroll Hanover) \$13,000, \$26,000 2020 OH-SEL, Lifetime Record: 63-18-7-12, \$170,550
O-Brett H Wilfong & Harold A Montgomery. B-Randall E Bond. T-Brett Wilfong. D-Kayne Kauffman.

2-Art Scaping (g, 6, American Ideal--Abrokenart Hanover, by Artiscap) \$6,500, Lifetime Record: 90-17-13-11, \$237,789
O-Rodney M Long. B-Thomas R Finelli. T-Tessa Perrin. D-Sam Widger.

RACE RESULTS - THURSDAY (CONTINUED)

3-Magic Four N (g, 6, Bettor's Delight--Caribbean Blue, by Mach Three) \$3,120, Lifetime Record: 62-10-11-6, \$191,757
O-James F Morris & Norman Rae Racing LLC & Dennis O Congrove. B-Woodlands Stud LTD, NZ. T-Christi Noble. D-Dan Noble.

▶▶ [Replay](#) ▶▶ Calls: 6H, 4, 1T, 1Q, NK - Finish Order: Arbin, Quick Trick, Hello Sweetie Boy, Nashing Hill, Let It Ride N

10, Dtn, \$16,000, Pace, STARTER ALLOWANCE FOR HORSES THAT HAVE STARTED IN A CLAIMING RACE FOR \$30,000 OR LESS AT SCD/DTN ONCE IN THEIR LAST 2 STARTS OPTIONAL CLAIMING \$30,000, 26.3, 55.0, 1:22.3, 1:49.4, FT

1-Bell I No (g, 12, Rock N Roll Heaven--Jersey Dream, by Artiscap) \$8,000, Lifetime Record: 280-63-49-35, \$808,694

O-Jose Cervantes. B-Frank J Bellino. T-Antonia Storer. D-Dan Noble.

2-Outlaw Aceofspades (g, 8, Smart Shark--Pure Movement, by Artiscap) \$4,000, Lifetime Record: 148-28-26-22, \$292,655

O-Kirk L Nichols & Levi E Bontrager. B-Outlaw Stable, CA. T-Jason Brewer. D-Austin Hanners.

3-Better Option (g, 4, Bettor's Delight--West Third Street, by Mach Three) \$1,920, Lifetime Record: 69-10-13-9, \$150,050

O-Adam B Short. B-Robert McIntosh Stables Inc, CA & C S X Stables & Al McIntosh Holdings Inc, CA. T-Adam Short. D-Wyatt Farmer.

▶▶ [Replay](#) ▶▶ Calls: 2Q, H, 1H, 3H, 9H - Finish Order: Sectionlinetwister, Kinnder Jackson, Ds Heartland, Vanilla Malted, Coalford Bythesea, A Bettor Beach, Stonecold Bluechip

13, Dtn, \$16,000, Pace, HORSES & GELDINGS N/W \$8001 LAST 4 STARTS AE: N/W 6 (OH 7) PM RACES OR \$50,000 LIFETIME, 26.3, 54.1, 1:22.0, 1:50.4, FT

1-Rocks Shining Star (g, 5, Rockin Image--Bikini Star, by Jenna's Beach Boy) \$8,000, \$25,000 2020 HOOSIER, Lifetime Record: 82-18-12-7, \$264,544

O-Thestable Rocksshininstar. B-Victory Hill Farm Inc. T-Jason McGinnis. D-Kayne Kauffman.

2-Rock The Devil (g, 10, Rock N Roll Heaven--Sinful Cindy, by Art Major) \$4,000, Lifetime Record: 108-27-13-19, \$330,884

O-Scarlett Stables LLC. B-Cynthia Lynn Massari. T-Dan O'Mara. D-Eric Goodell.

3-Flyin Fitz (g, 4, Racing Hill--Bubbums, by Jenna's Beach Boy) \$1,920, Lifetime Record: 70-21-9-11, \$178,477

O-John H Fitzgerald. B-John H Fitzgerald. T-John Fitzgerald. D-Chris Page.

▶▶ [Replay](#) ▶▶ Calls: 1H, 1, T, 1H, 1 - Finish Order: Grantmeawish, River Ness, El's Rocker, Beacon Seelster, Truthfinder, Always Amazing

PLAINRIDGE PARK *report*

Thursday's Results:

3, Prc, \$22,500, Pace, NON WINNERS \$10,000 LAST 4 STARTS OR \$2,000 PER START IN 2024 W/A AE: STARTERS AT PRC IN THIS CLASS OR LOWER LAST START WINNERS THIS CLASS OR HIGHER LAST START NOT ELIGIBLE AE: NW \$2,500 PER START IN 2024 TO DRAW OUTSIDE POST POSITION, 25.4, 54.4, 1:22.3, 1:51.0, FT

1-Virtual Horizon (g, 4, Vertical Horizon--Saucy B, by No Pan Intended) \$11,250, \$21,000 2021 ASHA, Lifetime Record: 47-19-4-8, \$302,891

O-Kellogg Racing Stables LLC. B-William E Andrew, CA. T-Jackie Greene. D-Bruce Ranger.

2-Tack Room Chatter (g, 4, Huntsville--Happy Hannah, by Well Said) \$4,162, \$75,000 2021 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 47-11-10-5, \$156,113

O-Glenn Goller & Stephen W Demeter. B-Steve Jones. T-Mark Beckwith. D-Brett Beckwith.

2-General Montana N (g, 7, Bettor's Delight--Jen Marie, by Christian Cullen) \$4,162, Lifetime Record: 99-15-18-21, \$138,689

O-Sartin Racing LLC. B-K N & Mrs A M Spicer, NZ. T-Amanda Kelley. D-Mitchell Cushing.

▶▶ [Replay](#) ▶▶ Calls: 6, 4, 2, 2, 1 - Finish Order: Alta Classic A, Always A Miki, Er Griffin

7, Prc, \$17,000, Pace, CLAIMING HANDICAP ALLOWANCE \$12,000-\$16,000 POST POSITIONS DRAWN TO BASE CLAIMING PRICE MASSACHUSETTS OWNED OR BRED ALLOWED ADDITIONAL 25% ON BASE CLAIMING PRICE, 25.2, 53.1, 1:21.2, 1:50.1, FT

1-Sundown Kid (g, 7, Sunshine Beach--Well Pondered, by Ponder) \$8,500, Lifetime Record: 130-24-17-12, \$289,622

O-Randy L Bickmore. B-Robert McIntosh Stables Inc, CA & C S X Stables & Dave A Boyle, CA. T-Randy Bickmore. D-Jay Randall.

2-Kill A Dragon (g, 5, Custard The Dragon--Kill A Rockingbird, by Rocknroll Hanover) \$4,250, \$35,000 2020 ASHA, Lifetime Record: 73-17-17-11, \$134,336

O-Kellogg Racing Stables LLC & Jackie Greene Stables LLC. B-Allan B Neurauder, CA & James M Rhodes, CA. T-Jackie Greene. D-Brett Beckwith.

3-Colonel Bayama (g, 6, Sunshine Beach--Clodam Bayama, by Bettor's Delight) \$2,040, Lifetime Record: 95-13-15-14, \$140,151

O-Karma Racing Inc. B-Bayama Farms Inc, CA & Jacques Damours, CA. T-Rob Harmon. D-Nicholas Graffam.

▶▶ [Replay](#) ▶▶ Calls: 7, 4, H, 1H, 4Q - Finish Order: Rodman, Manferno, Tj's Indy Pacer, Ideal Funding N

RACE RESULTS - THURSDAY (CONTINUED)

8, PRc, \$17,500, Pace, NW \$7,500 LAST 4 STARTS OR \$1,750 PS IN 2024 W/A (CLASS DROPS AT RACE SECRETARY DISCRETION) AE: STARTERS AT PLAINRIDGE IN THIS CLASS OR LOWER LAST START WINNERS THIS CLASS OR HIGHER LAST START NOT ELIGIBLE AE: NW 7 EXT PM RACES LT W/A, 26.4, 55.0, 1:22.4, 1:51.2, FT

1-Im No Outlaw N (g, 9, Bettor's Delight--Ideal Pocket, by American Ideal) \$8,750, Lifetime Record: 149-32-18-14, \$282,936

O-Kellogg Racing Stables LLC & Jackie Greene Stables LLC. B-Woodlands Stud Nz Inc, NZ. T-Jackie Greene. D-Brett Beckwith.

2-Warrawee Yale (g, 4, Captaintreacherous--Queen Fourteen, by Camluck) \$4,375, \$85,000 2021 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 43-9-4-5, \$85,564

O-Gerald Mac Kenzie Jr. B-Warrawee Farm, CA. T-Gerald Mac Kenzie Jr. D-Kevin Switzer Jr.

3-Major Betts (g, 7, Art Major--Southwind Johanne, by Dragon Again) \$2,100, \$70,000 2018 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 137-25-33-19, \$696,432

O-Kathleen B Brewer. B-Southwind Farms LLC. T-Kathleen Brewer. D-Bruce Ranger.

▶▶ [Replay](#) ▶▶ Calls: 2, 1, 1, 1, T - Finish Order: Building Boost, Mansome, Hespoisedtopounce A, Black Edition N, Tulhurstsantanna A, Mach Seelster

WOODBINE MOHAWK PARK *report*

Thursday's Results:

1, Wbs, \$16,000, Trot, 2 YEAR OLDS: NW 1 RACE OR \$8,000 LIFETIME. NO ALLOWANCES, 28.2, 58.3, 1:28.2, 1:57.3

1-Nasa (br,c,2 - Propulsion-Santa Fe-Yankee Glide) \$8,000, Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$9,920

O-Stephen Palermo, Derek Reid B-Pheasant Hill Farm T-Brian Eckenstein D-Louis-Philippe Roy

2-Temptation Deo (b,f,2 - Propulsion-Pandoras Box-Cantab Hall)

O-Glengate Farms B-Deo Volente Farms Llc T-Julie Walker D-James Macdonald

3-Houston Seelster (b,g,2 - Looklikeeachpndale-Hollywood Beauty-Angus Hall)

O-Travis Cullen, Blair Kidd, John Collings B-Seelster Farms Inc T-Jodie Cullen D-Travis Cullen

▶▶ [Replay](#) ▶▶

2, Wbs, \$16,000, Pace, POP UP FINAL: FILLIES & MARES CLAIMING \$8,000. ALLOWANCES FOR AGE, 27.3, 55.4, 1:24.3, 1:53.2

1-Codys Moment (br,m,4 - Control The Moment-Shellysilvermoon-Mach Three) \$8,000, Lifetime Record: 54-5-3-4, \$38,584

O-Joe & Nicola Carnovale B-Todd James T-William Budd D-Tyler Jones

2-Fearless Shelia (b,m,5 - Fear The Dragon-Shell I Attack-On The Attack)

O-Katelyn Graham, Brett Lester B-Midland Acres Inc T-Brett Lester D-Louis-Philippe Roy

3-Hillbilly Jet (b,m,10 - Ponder-Adept Yankee-Dragon Again)

O-Dillon Jarvis B-Charles Keller T-Jim Jarvis D-Travis Cullen

▶▶ [Replay](#) ▶▶

3, Wbs, \$18,000, Trot, 2 YEAR OLDS: NW 2 RACES OR \$20,000 (OS \$25,000) LIFETIME, 28.0, 57.3, 1:26.4, 1:55.4

1-Stormont Beautiful (b,f,2 - Resolve-Stormont Fried-Kadabra) \$9,000, Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$17,000

O-Stormont Meadows B-Stormont Meadows T-Kevin Benn D-Sylvain Filion

2-Wildturkey Hanover (b,c,2 - Bar Hopping-Windsong Magic-Kadabra)

O-Dr Sheila Atmore, Ronald Waples Jr B-Hanover Shoe Farms Inc T-Ronald Waples D-Phillippr Hudon

3-Expedient (b,f,2 - Tactical Landing-Cant I-Cantab Hall)

O-Ron Coyne Stablesinc, Blair Corbeil, Edward Pachuta, Richard Jack B-Edwin Gold T-Robert Kyle Fellows D-James Macdonald

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4, Wbs, \$16,000, Pace, 2 YEAR OLD COLTS & GELDINGS: NW 1 RACE OR \$8,000 LIFETIME. NO ALLOWANCES, 28.0, 58.2, 1:26.4, 1:54.1

1-Set Shot (b,c,2 - Bettors Delight-Pristine Beauty-Art Major) \$8,000, Lifetime Record: 8-1-1-1, \$40,994

O-Mac & Carol Nichol B-James Avritt T-Ian Moore D-Sylvain Filion

RACE RESULTS - THURSDAY (CONTINUED)

2-Brigade (b,g,2 - Always B Miki-Fine Art-Bettors Delight)

O-Leo Fleming, Kevin Benn, Dennis Chadwick B-Diamond Creek Farm Llc T-Kevin Benn D-Tyler Borth

3-Gouda Man (br,g,2 - Betterthancheddar-Lilli Maid-Christian Cullen)

O-Timothy Gillespie, Jason Churchill B-Winbak Farm T-Timothy Gillespie D-Trevor Henry

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5, Wbs, \$95,000, Pace, ONTARIO SIRES STAKES: GOLD LEG 5: 2 YEAR OLD PACING COLTS & GELDINGS. STARTING FEE \$900 CDN (\$700 USD), 28.0, 57.0, 1:24.4, 1:51.4

1-Stonebridge Wizard (b,g,2 - Dancin Lou-Odds On Magic-Rocknroll Hanover) \$47,500, Lifetime Record: 8-5-1-0, \$241,100

O-David Kryway B-Angie Stiller T-Jared Bako D-Douglas Mcnair



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2-Sauble Wilson (b,c,2 - Betterthancheddar-Performing Art-Shadow Play)

O-Nasussito Racing Inc, Sean Dunnett B-Nasussito Racing Inc T-Otis Hall D-Bob Mcclure

3-Smiling Dancer (br,g,2 - Big Jim-Smiling Dialing-Thinking Out Loud)

O-Paul Ritchie B-1187422 Ontario Inc T-Paul Ritchie D-James Macdonald

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7, Wbs, \$95,000, Pace, ONTARIO SIRES STAKES: GOLD LEG 5: 2 YEAR OLD PACING COLTS & GELDINGS. STARTING FEE \$900 CDN (\$700 USD), 27.0, 57.3, 1:26.3, 1:53.1

1-Sterling Choice (ro,c,2 - Betterthancheddar-Platinum Choice-Admirals Galley) \$47,500, Lifetime Record: 10-2-2-3, \$215392

O-Ozzie Mackay, Tammy Lynn Mac Kay, Blake Macintosh, Gilles Landry B-Winbak Farm T-Blake Macdonald D-Louis-Philippe Roy



Another **WINBAK FARM** Winner!



2-Crack Shot (b,c,2 - Bettors Delight-Beautyonthebeach-Somebeachsomewhere)

O-Gregg Mcnair, Dale Hunter, Frank Brundle, George Kerr B-James Avritt T-Gregg Mcnair D-Douglas Mcnair

3-Allstar Maniac (b,g,2 - All Bets Off-Shes A Maniac-Rocknroll Hanover)

O-Millar Farms B-Allstar Farms T-Nick Gallucci D-James Macdonald

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8, Wbs, \$17,000, Trot, 5 YEAR OLDS & YOUNGER, NW 1 (WINNERS FOR A PURSE OF \$9,000 OR LESS 2 RACES) RACE OR \$8,500 LIFETIME. NO ALLOWANCES, 29.2, 59.3, 1:30.0, 1:59.1

1-Quickerthantheye (b,h,4 - Kadabra-Emillina-Emile Angus) \$8,500, Lifetime Record: 6-3-2-0, \$15,818

O-Robert Budd, Melanie Pfeffer B-Robert Budd T-Robert Daer D-Tyler Borth

2-Steamer (b,c,3 - Resolve-My Juliette-Yankee Glide)

O-Scott & Vivienne Dawney, Stephen Byron B-Glengate Farms T-Stephen Byron D-Stephen Byron

3-Kadabraboom (b,h,4 - Kadabra-In Triplicate-Yankee Glide)

O-Tammy Aspden, Murray Neilson B-Tammy Aspden T-Jodie Cullen D-Travis Cullen

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9, Wbs, \$140,000, Pace, ONTARIO SIRES STAKES: GOLD LEG 5: 2 YEAR OLD PACING FILLIES. STARTING FEE \$900 CDN (\$700 USD), 27.4, 56.1, 1:24.1, 1:51.0

1-Chantilly (br,f,2 - Big Jim-Shiraz Seelster-Bettors Delight) \$70,000, Lifetime Record: 8-8-0-0, \$611,000

O-Millar Farms B-Millar Farms T-Nick Gallucci D-James Macdonald

2-Macapelo Seelster (b,f,2 - Big Jim-Macapelo Rose-Mcardle)

O-Erin Swainson Brickman B-Seelster Farms Inc T-Peter Brickman D-Tyler Borth

3-Wicked N Single (br,f,2 - Mcwicked-Better Single-Betterthancheddar)

O-Lisa Lefort, David Mercer B-Anthony Beaton T-Anthony Beaton D-Jonathan Drury

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RACE RESULTS - THURSDAY (CONTINUED)

YONKERS RACEWAY *report*

Thursday's Results:

2, YR, \$20,000, Trot, CLAIMING ALLOWANCE \$40,000., 28.4, 57.3, 1:26.0, 1:55.2, FT

1-Brave By Design (g, 5, Walner--Nuvola, by Jailhouse Jesse) \$10,000, \$72,000 2020 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 79-17-12-15, \$343,671
O-Rags To Riches Of Pa LLC & M Spacc Stables. B-ALJ Libfeld, CA. T-Travis Alexander. D-Mark Macdonald.

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2-Roger Rabbit (g, 7, Sebastian K S--Muresmo, by Windsong's Legacy) \$5,000, \$30,000 2018 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 144-24-22-16, \$280,268
O-Caldwell Mamie Racing LLC. B-Hayley A & James Arnold Moore. T-Cory Stratton. D-Jordan Stratton.

3-Morning Edition (g, 4, Walner--Morning Glow, by Muscle Hill) \$2,400, \$145,000 2021 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 53-10-10-6, \$156,480
O-Mark J Jakubik & Douglas S Overhiser. B-Brittany Farms LLC. T-Erv Miller. D-Brent Holland.

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3, YR, \$24,000, Trot, NW \$20,000 IN LAST 5 STARTS. AE: WINNERS IN LAST START OF THE BASE CLASS "NW \$15,000 L5." AE: 3-5 YO NW 10 P-M RACES LT. AE: OPT. CLM ALLOW \$60,000, 28.0, 57.2, 1:25.4, 1:54.2, FT

1-Bellissimo Face S (g, 5, Raja Mirchi--Marita's Legacy, by Yankee Glide) \$12,000, Lifetime Record: 44-9-3-4, \$139,741
O-Per Engblom & Kasper H Foget. B-Lutfi Kolgjini Ab, SD & Anna Svensson, SD. T-Per Engblom. D-Jason Bartlett.

2-Yo Beth D (m, 4, Helpisontheway--Scented Roses, by Cantab Hall) \$6,000, \$14,000 2021 BHS, Lifetime Record: 44-11-12-2, \$457,145
O-Twoforone Stable. B-John A Schmucker. T-Pat Lachance. D-Pat Lachance.

3-Yanks Dugout (g, 7, Triumphant Caviar--Yansky, by Muscles Yankee) \$2,880, \$11,000 2018 OH-SEL, Lifetime Record: 111-34-17-18, \$535,897
O-Ivan L & John Duke Sugg. B-Ivan L Sugg & Wayne W Farthing. T-Ron Burke. D-Joe Bongiorno.

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4, YR, \$18,000, Pace, CLAIMING ALLOWANCE \$30,000., 27.4, 57.0, 1:24.3, 1:52.4, FT

1-Take A Closer Look (g, 4, Artspeak--Dingle Bay, by McArdle) \$9,000, Lifetime Record: 66-21-21-6, \$174,551
O-Friendship Stables LLC. B-Christopher C Coyle & Birnam Wood Farms. T-Paul Blumenfeld. D-Anthony Napolitano.

2-Theflyingrock (g, 6, Rockincam--Itstimeformetofly, by Cheyenne Rei) \$4,500, Lifetime Record: 70-16-11-7, \$187,969
O-Engblom Stable LLC. B-Marie Marsh. T-Per Engblom. D-Jason Bartlett.

3-Nowhere Creek A (g, 10, Metropolitan--McArdle Lassie, by McArdle) \$2,160, Lifetime Record: 151-21-22-27, \$250,405
O-Howard S Jacobs. B-A E Preston, NZ. T-Cory Stratton. D-George Brennan.

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5, YR, \$30,000, Trot, NW \$30,000 IN LAST 5 STARTS. AE: 3-5 YO NW 12 P-M RACES LT OR CLAIMING ALLOWANCE \$75,000, 28.2, 57.2, 1:25.2, 1:54.3, FT

1-The Hazelton (g, 4, Muscle Mass--Too Good For You, by Yankee Glide) \$15,000, \$33,000 2021 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 45-17-9-5, \$298,931
O-Burke Racing Stable LLC & Weaver Brussemi LLC. B-Atlantic Trot Inc & Steve H Stewart. T-Ron Burke. D-George Brennan.

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2-Unevergonnagethis (g, 5, Muscle Mass--Muchness, by Yankee Glide) \$7,500, Lifetime Record: 76-14-20-16, \$424,735
O-Jeffrey R Gillis, CA. B-Kentuckiana Farms LLC & Celebrity Farms. T-Jeffrey Gillis. D-Mark Macdonald.

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3-P L Notsonice (m, 7, Kadabra--P L Glitter, by SJ's Caviar) \$3,600, Lifetime Record: 136-34-32-18, \$637,456
O-Elite Harness Racing LLC. B-Prince Lee Acres, CA. T-Steven Brabrook. D-Anthony Napolitano.

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6, YR, \$15,000, Pace, 3-5 YEAR OLD CLAIMING ALLOWANCE \$20,000, 27.1, 56.1, 1:24.1, 1:53.2, FT

1-That Dog Will Hunt (g, 4, Huntsville--Mikayla Rose, by Ponder) \$7,500, \$50,000 2021 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 42-7-12-7, \$145,359
O-Ginko Stable Inc. B-Walnridge Farm Inc & Bonnie M Benson. T-Dennis J Laterza. D-Brent Holland.

2-Cellmate (g, 4, Huntsville--Twin B Bikini, by Bettor's Delight) \$3,750, \$25,000 2021 GOSHEN, Lifetime Record: 46-8-10-5, \$68,726
O-David Rovine Stable LLC. B-Twinbrook Limited, CA. T-Tom Fanning. D-Jason Bartlett.

3-Cold Creek Felipe (g, 5, Shanghai Phil--Tymal Black Satin, by Fit For Life) \$1,800, Lifetime Record: 81-11-13-11, \$154,140
O-Barry Franklin & Nicholas V Sodano. B-Daniel G Walker, CA. T-Nicholas Sodano. D-George Brennan.

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8, YR, \$39,000, Trot, INVITATIONAL POST POSITION 1 ASSIGNED POST POSITIONS 2-8 DRAW, 27.4, 57.0, 1:25.4, 1:54.4, FT

1-Pappardelle (g, 5, Wishing Stone--Long Island Tea, by Credit Winner) \$19,500, \$65,000 2020 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 60-19-10-5, \$406,645
O-Jb Racing & Joe Sbrocco & The Delaware Group & Jaf Racing LLC. B-Steve H Stewart & Black Creek Farm & Paul Kelley Racing Stable. T-Joe Bongiorno. D-Joe Bongiorno.

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2-Gaines Hanover (g, 4, Cantab Hall--Gatka Hanover, by Muscle Massive) \$9,750, \$50,000 2021 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 36-11-6-4, \$626,002
O-Gestion J Y Blais Inc, CA. B-Hanover Shoe Farms Inc. T-Pat Lachance. D-Pat Lachance.

3-Chake (m, 5, Donato Hanover--Linda Lovelegs, by Muscles Yankee) \$4,680, \$12,000 2020 SHS-HBG, Lifetime Record: 68-14-16-9, \$185,746
O-Daniel Sarafian, CA. B-Hanover Shoe Farms Inc. T-Per Engblom. D-Jason Bartlett.

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9, YR, \$17,000, Pace, CLAIMING ALLOWANCE \$25,000., 27.3, 57.0, 1:25.0, 1:53.4, FT

1-Delightful Terror (h, 7, Bettor's Delight--Terror Of The West, by Western Terror) \$8,500, \$32,000 2018 LEX-SEL, Lifetime Record: 143-22-22-24, \$370,487
O-Howard S Jacobs. B-Doug Millard Farms, CA. T-Cory Stratton. D-Brent Holland.

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2-Moonlight Shadow (g, 7, Panther Hanover--Hillcrest Sweetie, by Storm Damage) \$4,250, Lifetime Record: 111-20-15-11, \$355,548
O-Eric A Prevost & Let It Ride Stables Inc. B-Regina A Miller. T-Per Engblom. D-Jason Bartlett.

3-Nome Hanover (g, 7, Well Said--Northern Cameo, by Camluck) \$2,040, \$12,000 2018 GOSHEN, Lifetime Record: 162-25-27-28, \$308,566
O-Triple D Stables Inc & Michael G Ferriero. B-Hanover Shoe Farms Inc. T-Scott Di Domenico. D-George Brennan.

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