



# PENNSYLVANIA HORSE BREEDERS ASSOCIATION

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## DREAMS COME TRUE FOR PENNSYLVANIA THOROUGHBRED COMMUNITY

by PHBA President Brian Sanfratello

### PA-BRED REMINDERS

- **Early registration:**  
Within 365 days of foaling
- **Yearling registration:**  
Dec. 31 of yearling year
- **Stallion registration:**  
April 30 of year breeding
- **Broodmare domicile report:** Oct. 15 prior to year foaling or within 15 days of arrival in state

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- **Rules, regulations, forms**

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On Friday, May 3, 2013, Pennsylvanians celebrated significant wins during the Kentucky Derby weekend.

Some celebrated the victory by Princess of Sylmar, a beautiful horse that won the coveted Grade 1 Kentucky Oaks, the filly equivalent of the Kentucky Derby.

Others celebrated the fact that this Pennsylvania-bred horse was owned and bred by long-time Pennsylvania resident Ed Stanco, who resides in Malvern. Others celebrated the fact that this was the second time in three years a horse bred in Pennsylvania won the Kentucky Oaks. The Pennsylvania-bred Plum Pretty won in 2011.

Others cheered on as another Pennsylvania-bred horse—So Many Ways—won the prestigious Grade 3 Eight Belles Stakes.

Individuals connected with Penn National Race Course in central Pennsylvania toasted the national recognition the track received because it was the starting gate where Princess of Sylmar started her racing career and won her first race.

Meanwhile, those who have been involved with the Pennsylvania Bred program—which provides incentives to own and breed Pennsylvania horses—cheered the overall success of the program. This success was evident by the major Kentucky Derby weekend victories by two fillies registered in the Pennsylvania breeders program.

All of the above events were spectacular accomplishments for the owners, breeders, trainers and the myriad of people who played

a role in these two horses' careers—from the blacksmiths to the veterinarians to the individuals who foaled these fillies, watched them open their eyes, and take their first steps.

Having horses of my own, I can only imagine being at Churchill Downs and feeling the pride and excitement of those moments. On behalf of the Pennsylvania Horse Breeders Association, I would like to congratulate them and wish them continued success in the future.

In the end, however, the biggest winner was the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. These wins reaffirmed the progress and impact of the state's horse breeding and racing industry thanks to the state's Race Horse Development Fund. Created as a partnership between the state's racetracks, horsemen, breeders and state government, the Race Horse Development Fund has reinvigorated the state's racing industry and millions of dollars of new economic investment in Pennsylvania.

According to economic data from the Department of Agriculture, between 2001 and 2008 the economic impact of the racing industry in Pennsylvania more than quadrupled thanks to Act 71, which created the fund. Those Department of Agriculture statistics shows that the overall economic impact of the equine industry increased by 380 percent to \$3 billion with employment more than tripling from 13,870 to more than 41,000. In addition, countless acres of open space have been preserved, with old farmland

taking on new life as horse farms for the state burgeoning equine racing and breeding industries.

Racing has been an economic driver and job creator in Pennsylvania, growth that has been fueled by the Race Horse Development Fund. Best of all, the Race Horse Development Fund is

funded by slot machine revenue, not state tax dollars. In short, it is an example of a major public policy success by our legislature. In fact, it has become a model for many other states across the country.

So, as we celebrate the success of Princess of Sylmar, owner/breeder Ed

Stanco, and other Pennsylvanians, let's also celebrate the success of the efforts by our elected officials to save Pennsylvania racing and horsebreeding and create a new economic engine and job creator for our state.

## ANNUAL MEETING

MAY 22 – KENNETT SQUARE GOLF AND COUNTRY CLUB



**Dorothy B. Weber, PHBA assistant executive secretary and CIO/CTO (center), flanked by new officers for 2013-2014 term (from left): Brian Sanfratello, Rick Abbott, Dale Schilling and Roger E. Legg.**



**Brian Sanfratello thanks outgoing Board Member Peter Giangulio.**

## How the PA-Bred Fund Works

Pennsylvania's Breeding Fund Program distributes more money, on a per foal basis, than nearly every other state-bred program now in operation. Established in 1974, the

Pennsylvania Breeding Fund has grown from a disbursement of \$65,000 in its initial year of operation to over \$15 million annually.

The Pennsylvania Breeding Fund is financed by a percentage of pari-mutuel handle and slots revenues. It provides for individual award payments (breeder, owner and stallion awards), overnight races for PA-Breds, purse bonus supplements, and PA-Bred stakes races.

### OVERVIEW OF AWARDS AND BONUSES FOR REGISTERED PA-BREDS

- \$ Award of 30% of purse earned to Breeder for PA-sired horses (first through third)
- \$ Award of 20% of purse earned to Breeder for non PA-sired horses (first through third)
- \$ Award of 10% of purse earned to Stallion Owner (first through third)
- \$ Award of 10% of purse earned to winning Owner on selected open races
- \$ Bonus of up to 40% of purse earned to Owner on selected races (first through third)
- \$ Bonus of 25% of purse earned to Owner for PA-sired horses in PA-Bred stakes races (first through third)

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### State Horse Racing Commission

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717-787-1942

### Parx Racing

Bensalem, PA  
215-639-9000

### Hollywood Casino at

### Penn National Race Course

Grantville, PA  
717-469-2211

### Presque Isle Downs & Casino

Erie, PA  
866-374-3386

### Pennsylvania HBPA

Grantville, PA  
717-469-2970

### Pennsylvania Thoroughbred

### Horsemen's Association

Bensalem, PA  
215-638-2012

## PA-BRED PREMIUM EARN MORE JOIN THE PHBA

Whether you are currently a breeder or an owner, or if you are just considering getting involved in this exciting industry, there are many reasons to join the PHBA. The PHBA is devoted to those involved in Pennsylvania's Thoroughbred breeding industry. A not-for-profit organization founded in 1948, we provide a number of services to members, including informational assistance, educational opportunities and a variety of social events.

The goal of the organization is to advocate on behalf of the state's breeding industry. We are mandated by statute as administrator of the Pennsylvania Breeding Fund program, and as official registrar of the Pennsylvania-Bred roster of eligible program participants.

Working with industry leaders over the years, PHBA has achieved several goals that have brought reform and benefits to breeders, owners, race tracks and the public. The PHBA is vital to everyone involved in breeding throughout Pennsylvania. Your support and participation can help Pennsylvania's breeding industry continue to grow and prosper.

## 2013 PENNSYLVANIA-BRED STAKES SCHEDULE

Sat., Apr. 13, Parx	<b>\$75,000 Lyman H</b> , 3 & up, 7 fur. 1st - Tujoes; 2nd - Arlo; 3rd - Layers
	<b>\$75,000 Foxy J. G. S</b> , 3 & up, fillies & mares, 7 fur. 1st - Villette; 2nd - Lisa Stannard; 3rd - Ann's Smart Dancer
Sun., July 14, PID	<b>\$75,000 Leematt S</b> , 3 & up, 1 mi.
	<b>\$75,000 Northern Fling S</b> , 3 & up, fillies & mares, 1 mi.
Sat., July 27, Parx	<b>\$75,000 Crowd Pleaser S</b> , 3YO, 1 $\frac{1}{16}$ mi., turf
	<b>\$75,000 Power by Far S</b> , 3 & up, fillies & mares, 5 fur., turf
Sun., Aug. 11, PID	<b>\$75,000 Malvern Rose S</b> , 3YO Fillies, 1 $\frac{1}{16}$ mi.

### PENNSYLVANIA'S DAY AT THE RACES • Saturday, Sept. 7 • Parx

**\$75,000 Banjo Picker Sprint S**, 3 & up, 6 fur.

**\$75,000 Roanoke S**, 3 & up, 1 $\frac{1}{16}$  mi.

**\$75,000 Marshall Jenney H**, 3 & up, 5 fur. (turf)

**\$75,000 Dr. Teresa Garofalo Memorial S**, 3YO Fillies, 6 fur.

**\$75,000 Mrs. Penny S**, 3 & up, fillies & mares, 1 $\frac{1}{16}$  mi. (turf)

Sun., Sept. 8, PID **\$75,000 Mark McDermott S**, 2YO, 6 fur.

Sat., Sept. 21, Parx **\$75,000 Alphabet Soup H**, 3 & up, 1 $\frac{1}{16}$  mi., turf

Wed., Nov. 27, Penn **\$75,000 Blue Mountain Juvenile S**, 2YO Fillies, 6 fur.

Sat., Dec. 7, Parx **\$75,000 Pennsylvania Nursery S**, 2YO, 7 fur.

All stakes included a 25% PA-Sired Bonus for 1st, 2nd and 3rd.

Total: \$1,200,000

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# THE PHBA BOARD CONGRATULATES THE PA-BRED WINNERS ON KENTUCKY OAKS DAY

## PENNSYLVANIA BREDS

Shine Bright  
on Racing's  
Biggest Stage



*The Pennsylvania Horse Breeders Association (PHBA) congratulates Gr. 1 Kentucky Oaks winner **PRINCESS OF SYLMAR**, including Pennsylvania owner and breeder Ed Stanco (King of Prussia Stable), trainer Todd Pletcher and jockey Mike Smith.*



BARBARA LIVINGSTON PHOTOS

*The PHBA congratulates the connections of **SO MANY WAYS** (outside), winner of Gr. 3 Eight Belles S., including Pennsylvania breeders John R. and John C. Penn, owner Maggi Moss, trainer Tom Amoss and jockey Garrett Gomez.*

  
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