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

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#### —PHBA'S FOCUS ON—

# 2011 PENNSYLVANIA-BRED CHAMPIONS ANNOUNCED



Plum Pretty was named Pa-bred 3-year-old filly and Horse of the year for 2011

The Pennsylvania Horse Breeders Association has named its champions and leaders for 2011, based on the recommendations of its Awards Committee of Jane White (chair), James Lawrence, Dr. Dale Schilling, and John Benson. They are:

## PENNSYLVANIA-BRED HORSE OF THE YEAR and THREE-YEAR-OLD FILLY—PLUM PRETTY

Bay f., 2008, Medaglia D'oro-Liszy, by A.P. Indy, bred by Silent Indy Stables & DDS

Stables

Plum Pretty had a remarkable season on the track in 2011 competing almost exclusively in Graded Stakes company. She won three of nine races with two seconds and two thirds. Plum Pretty won the Grade 1 Kentucky Oaks at Churchill Downs, the Grade 2 Cotillion Stakes at Parx, and the \$200,000 Sunland Park Stakes. She was graded stakes placed in two other races before finishing fifth in the Grade 1 Breeders' Cup Ladies

Classic against older horses. She completed her season with over \$1.3 million in earnings.

#### TWO-YEAR-OLD MALE— GUNG HO

Bay c., 2009, Kitten's Joy-Glory Dancer, by Honour And Glory, bred by Kenneth L. Ramsey & Sarah K. Ramsey

Winner in two of his four starts in 2011, Gung Ho followed up a Maiden Special Weight win with a victory in the \$150,000 Sunday Silence Stakes at Louisiana Downs. His 2011 earnings surpassed \$118,000.

#### TWO-YEAR-OLD FILLY— SHUMOOS

Ch f., 2009, Distorted Humor-Wile Cat, by Storm Cat, bred by Brushwood Stable

Shumoos won two of her seven starts in 2011, running mostly in England. She was placed in two Group 2 races before winning a Group 3. Later in the year she came to the United States where she finished a close second in the \$500,000 Sentient Jet Breeders' Cup Juvenile Sprint competing against males. She closed out the 2011 season with over \$163,000 in earnings.

## THREE-YEAR-OLD MALE—ANTHONY'S CROSS

Bay c., 2008, Indian Charlie-Screening, by Unbridled, bred by George Strawbridge

Anthony's Cross only ran three times in 2011, but he made his races count. He started the season finishing third in the Sham Stakes (G3) at Santa Anita before winning the Grade 2 \$250,000 Robert B. Lewis Stakes. He finished out

the season with \$182,000 in earnings.

#### **OLDER MALE—SMART BID**

Bay h., 2006, Smart Strike-Recording, by Danzig, bred by George Strawbridge

Smart Bid earned over \$583,000 in 2011 by winning only one race. He won the \$400,000 Mervin H. Muniz Jr. Memorial Handicap (G2) at the Fair Grounds. Smart Bid was Graded Stakes placed four times in 2011, including close second place finishes in the Gulfstream Park Turf Handicap (G1) and the Woodford Reserve Turf Classic Stakes (G1).

#### CHAMPION OLDER FEMALE AND TURF HORSE— SAHPRESA

Bay m., 2005, Sahm-Sorpresa, by Pleasant Tap, bred by Douglas McIntyre

In 2011 Sahpresa was voted Pennsylvania-bred Champion Turf Horse for the third year in a row and Champion Older Female for the second time in three years. She won the Group 3 Palais Royal Stakes at Longchamp racecourse in France and won the Group 1 Sun Chariot Stakes at Newmarket racecourse in England for the third year in a row. Sahpresa ran six times in 2011 in three different countries, winning twice and never finishing off the board. She earned over \$794,000 in 2011 and has lifetime earnings of over \$1.8 million.

## CHAMPION STEEPLECHASE HORSE—DIVINE FORTUNE

Ch g., 2003, Royal Anthem-My Tombola, by Northern Fling, bred by William L. Pape & Jonathan E. Sheppard Divine Fortune won the A.P. Smithwick Memorial Steeplechase Stakes (G2) at Saratoga for the second year in a row. He concluded his season with a close second place finish in The Colonial Cup Hurdle Stakes (G1) in Camden, S.C. Divine fortune earned \$64,000 for his connections in 2011.

#### CHAMPION STALLION— REAL QUIET

Real Quiet led all Pennsylvania stallions with \$73,740 in stallion awards.

#### LEADING BREEDING FUND AWARD RECIPIENT— GEORGE STRAWBRIDGE JR. (AUGUSTIN STABLE)

George Strawbridge Jr.'s Augustin Stable led all Breeding Fund Recipients in 2011 with \$206,240 in Breeders Awards.

#### LEADING OVERALL BREEDER OF PENNSYLVANIA-BREDS— GEORGE STRAWBRIDGE JR. (AUGUSTIN STABLE)

For the fifth year in a row Augustin Stable has won this award. Horses bred by Augustin Stable won over \$2,769,000 in 2011. Major earners include 2011 Pennsylvania-Bred Champions Smart Bid and Anthony's Cross. Other major contributors were Dynamic Holiday, Emerald Beech, and Fugitive Angel.

### **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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# PA-BREDS WORTH MORE MONEY 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.

## 2012 PENNSYLVANIA-BRED STAKES SCHEDULE

Sat., Apr. 14, Parx \$75,000 Lyman H, 3 & up, 7 fur.

**\$75,000 Foxy J. G. S**, 3 & up, Fillies & mares, 7 fur.

Fri., June 1, Pen **\$75,000 Danzig S**, 3YO, 6 fur.

\$75,000 Wonders Delight S, 3YO Fillies, 6 fur.

Fri., June 15, Pen \$75,000 Lyphard \$, 3 & up, Fillies & mares, 11/16 mi., off turf

Fri., July 6, PID **\$75,000 Leematt S**, 3 & up, 1 mi.

\$75,000 Northern Fling S, 3 & up, Fillies & mares, 1 mi.

Sat., July 28, Parx \$75,000 Crowd Pleaser S, 3YO, 11/16 mi., turf

**\$75,000 Power By Far S**, 3 & up, Fillies & mares, 6 fur.

Fri., Aug. 3, Pen \$75,000 Robellino S, 3 & up, 11/16 mi., turf

\$75,000 Russian Rhythm S, 3 & up, Fillies & mares, 5 fur., turf

Fri., Aug. 10, PID **\$75,000 Malvern Rose S**, 3YO Fillies, 11/16 mi.

Fri., Sept. 7, PID **\$75,000 Mark McDermott S**, 2YO, 6 fur.

#### PENNSYLVANIA'S DAY AT THE RACES • Saturday, Sept. 8 • Parx

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

\$75,000 Roanoke S, 3 & up, 11/16 mi.

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

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

**\$100,000 Mrs. Penny S**, 3 & up, Fillies & mares, 11/16 mi., turf

Sat., Sept. 22, Parx \$75,000 Alphabet Soup H, 3 & up, 11/16 mi., turf

Fri., Oct. 5, Pen **\$75,000 Ligature S**, 3 & up, Fillies & mares, 6 fur.

Sat., Oct. 6, Parx \$75,000 PA Horse Breeders Distaff S, 3 & up, Fillies & mares, 11/16 mi.

Wed., Nov. 21, Pen \$75,000 Blue Mountain Juvenile \$, 2YO Fillies, 6 fur.

Sat., Dec. 8, Parx \$75,000 Pennsylvania Nursery S, 2YO, 7 fur.

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

## —PENNSYLVANIA-BRED FUND STATISTICS – TOP EARNERS— (January 1, 2012 through January 31, 2012, rounded to dollars)

#### **LEADING EARNERS - TOTAL AWARDS**

Breeder Name	Breeder	Stallion	0wner	Total	Breeder Name	Breeder	Stallion	Owner	Total
Xanthus Farms Inc	23,592	0	0	23,592	Larry L Suloman	5,880	0	0	5,880
Michael W Jester	5,615	12,127	0	17,742	Bettina L Jenney	5,844	0	0	5,844
Michael Desaye	15,136	0	0	15,136	Glenn E Brok LLC	5,744	0	0	5,744
Dun Roamin Farm Inc	14,524	0	0	14,524	Jon A Marshall	5,640	0	0	5,640
Thoroughbred Associates LLP	13,832	0	0	13,832	R & R Capital LLC	5,628	0	0	5,628
Russell B Harris	12,216	0	0	12,216	The Elkstone Group LLC	5,602	0	0	5,602
FalconFarmT'Breds LLC	11,484	0	0	11,484	Frank Bertolino	5,566	0	0	5,566
Anne N Tucker	9,144	0	0	9,144	Wind N Leaves Farm Inc	5,544	0	0	5,544
Paul E Labe Sr	8,460	0	0	8,460	R H Breeding LLC	5,544	0	0	5,544
J & B Stables	8,268	0	0	8,268	Richard Molineaux	5,544	0	0	5,544
Valley Forge Racing Stables Inc	8,064	0	0	8,064	George Strawbridge Jr	1,880	3,423	0	5,303
Barbara A Rickline	0	7,864	0	7,864	Kenneth L Ramsey	5,256	0	0	5,256
Richard N Miller	3,744	4,068	0	7,812	Mark J Reid Sr	5,040	0	0	5,040
Edward J Madden Sr	7,560	0	0	7,560	Louis J Pollicino	4,928	0	0	4,928
Sylmar Farm Inc	7,476	0	0	7,476	Patricia L Chapman	4,896	0	0	4,896

#### **LEADING STALLIONS**

Fund Money includes Stallion Awards only

Sire name	Stallion owner	No. of races	Award total	Sire name	Stallion owner	No. of races	Award total
Real Quiet	Michael W Jester	13	12,127	Ecclesiastic	Walmac Stud Managem't LC	C 5	1,428
Southern Success	Barbara A Rickline	9	7,864	Freefourinternet	Ronald Peltz	2	1,260
Rimrod	George Strawbridge Jr	8	3,423	Turn West	Richard N Miller	2	1,248
Aisle	Flint W Stites	5	3,048	Stonecoldbroke	Hope Hill Farm	3	1,140
Storm Center	Richard N Miller	5	2,820	Fastness	Dave Lengel Racing Inc	2	1,008
Changeintheweather	Pin Oak Stud LLC	9	2,484	Snow Ridge	Joe Davis	4	955
Cetewayo	John A Chandler	7	2,068	Power By Far	Barbara J Geraghty	6	929
Lite The Fuse	William J Solomon VMD	13	1,864	Harry The Hat	Peter Giangiulio	7	864
Munaadel	Victoria Marie Herlinger	1	1,848	Valid Request	Patricia A Fullmer	2	862
Patton	Castle Rock Farm	3	1,848	Song Of The Sword	Paraneck Stallions Inc	3	840
Congressionalhonor	Pewter Stable	11	1,440	Flying Chevron	Charles A Cuprill	6	761
Will's Way	William J Solomon VMD	4	1,437	Activist	Judith M Barrett	5	616

#### **LEADING HORSES**

Fund Money includes: PA-Bred Races, Breeder, Stallion and Owner Awards and PA-Bred Owner-Bonus Payments

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Horse P	Pedigree Bre	eder	Races	Purse	Purse	Award	Award	Award	Bonus	Amount
Real Roobi *	Real Quiet - Lunar Dancer	Falcon Farm T'Breds LLC	1	24,000	0	7,200	2,400	0	0	33,600
My Success Story *	Southern Success - Anxiety Attack	Xanthus Farms Inc	1	23,400	0	7,020	2,340	0	0	32,760
Norman Asbjornson *	Real Quiet - Merryland Missy	Thoroughbred Associates LL	P 1	0	0	12,600	4,200	0	12,000	28,800
Successful Prenup *	Southern Success - Get Up	Xanthus Farms Inc	2	0	0	12,600	4,200	0	12,000	28,800
Young Troubador	Evansville Slew - Lightningintheair	Regina Brennan	1	24,000	0	4,800	0	0	0	28,800
Lil Punch	Two Punch - El's Red Cat	Paul J Capparell	1	23,400	0	4,680	0	0	0	28,080
Whisperdownthelane	* Real Quiet - Crouching Thunder	Dun Roamin Farm Inc	1	0	0	11,844	3,948	0	11,280	27,072
Officer Big Red	Officer - Shocktics	Michael Desaye	2	0	0	10,528	0	0	15,040	25,568
Roses For Kitten	Kitten's Joy - Honeymoon Baby	Kenneth L Ramsey	2	12,600	0	5,256	0	0	2,280	20,136
Winning Drive	Golden Missile - Phone Caller	Valley Forge Racing Stables	nc1	0	0	8,064	0	0	11,520	19,584
Ruttzy Tuttzy	Lion Hearted - B. J. Ruckus	Lori D Swatsworth	1	16,200	0	3,240	0	0	0	19,440
Stand N Ovation	Cherokee's Boy - Yanni's Girl	Shannon Houghton	2	16,200	0	3,240	0	0	0	19,440
Phil Dancer	Dance With Ravens - Bennington	Russell B Harris	1	0	0	7,896	0	0	11,280	19,176
Devil's Decision	Repent - Fly With Sunny	Edward J Madden Sr	1	0	0	7,560	0	0	10,800	18,360
Indian Rules	Peace Rules - Chasmanhattan	J & B Stables	1	0	0	7,560	0	0	10,800	18,360
Red Bandit *	Changeintheweather - Goofy Broad	R & R Capital LLC	1	12,600	0	3,780	1,260	0	0	17,640
Senator Bill *	Freefourinternet - Dasl Cammy	Harry Weisleder	1	12,600	0	3,780	1,260	0	0	17,640
Look Of Hope *	Stonecoldbroke - Meg's A Lady	James McGreevy	1	11,400	0	3,420	1,140	0	0	15,960
S W Aidan *	Will's Way - S W Betster	Richard A Reveley	1	11,400	0	3,420	1,140	0	0	15,960
Cayman Islands	Slew City Slew - Prospect Silence	Arrowwood Farm Inc	1	12,000	0	2,400	0	0	0	14,400
Tense	Tenpins - Slewzy Floozy	Tea Party Stable Inc	1	12,000	0	2,400	0	0	0	14,400
Arlo	Defrere - Crafty Compliment	Larry L Suloman	1	0	0	5,880	0	0	8,400	14,280
Fivefourthreetwone	Outflanker - Bella Rouge	Scott A Lake	2	7,800	0	3,464	0	0	2,720	13,984
Stickyourtongueout	B L's Appeal - Leann F	Frank Bertolino	2	0	0	5,566	0	0	7,952	13,518
Lemon Zing *	Rimrod - Berry Tart	R H Breeding LLC	1	0	0	5,544	1,848	0	5,280	12,672
*Denotes PA-sired http://www.pabred.com/statistics/statistics.ph										