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## PA-BRED REMINDERS

- **Early registration:**  
Within 365 days of foaling
- **Yearling registration:**  
Dec. 31 of yearling year
- **Stallion registration:**  
Feb. 15 of year breeding
- **Broodmare domicile:**  
Dec. 1 or 14 days after a public sale or entering state if being bred back to PA-sire

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## Top 10 Pennsylvania Breeders of 2017

By Linda Dougherty

It was a record-setting year for Glenn E. Brok, who collected the most Pennsylvania Breeding Fund awards in the program's history in 2017.

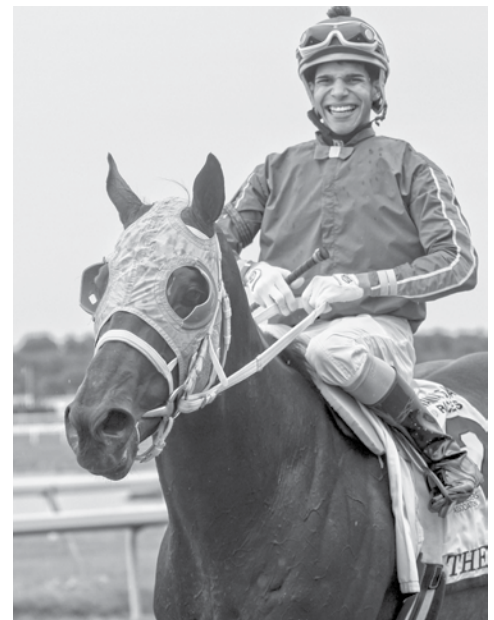
Brok, who owns Diamond B Farm in Mohrsville with his wife Becky, saw his homebreds earn \$374,651, while he garnered stallion awards of \$75,191, for a total of \$449,842. The top homebred for Brok was The Man, a son of Ecclesiastic, who formerly stood at Diamond B. Campaigned by Natalie Baffert and Bernard Schiappa, The Man captured the Banjo Picker Sprint Stakes for Pennsylvania-breds at Parx Racing, as well as five consecutive allowance races for a perfect six-for-six season.

"The Pennsylvania breeding program has been really great for us," said Glenn Brok. "And our program is stronger and better than other states."

Donald L. Brown Jr. was the second-leading breeder in Pennsylvania in 2017, with his combined breeder and stallion awards totaling \$326,862. Brown's top three award winners were all sired by the stallion Messner, who stood at Penn Ridge Farms in Harrisburg before being exported. They were Ruby Bleu (\$42,128), Wildcat Cartridge (\$42,806) and Wildcat Combat (\$41,795).

"The Pennsylvania breeder awards give you the best opportunity to recover and possibly profit from the expenses of raising a horse," said Brown. "Further, the awards are great for Pennsylvania agriculture! I would rather see a farm and green grass than a parking lot or strip mall."

It was sheer sire power for Northview PA, as the Peach Bottom nursery, owned by Richard Golden, earned \$321,054 in stallion awards. Dominating the Pennsylvania sire list in terms of stallion awards earned was Jump Start, whose



**Undeclared in 2017, The Man was the top award earner for Diamond B Farm.**

progeny generated \$207,984. Other stallions who stand or stood at the farm were Fairbanks (\$54,989), Medallist (\$28,836), Love of Money (\$21,298), El Padrino (\$7,352), and Bullsbay (\$366). Jump Start was the top sire in the Mid-Atlantic region in 2017, with total progeny earnings of more than \$6.2 million. His top Pennsylvania-bred during the year was Late Breaking News,



**Jump Start was the leading PA sire in 2017.**

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who earned more than \$47,000 in awards for his breeder, Stacy McMullin Machiz.

Thanks to a pair of stakes-winning half-sisters, the Barlar LLC stable of owner/breeder Larry Karp was the fourth-leading recipient of breeder awards in 2017. Karp's homebreds earned \$214,866 in awards, and he earned \$58,431 in stallion awards from the progeny of E Dubai, for a total of \$273,298. Imply, a daughter of E Dubai out of Allude, by Orientate, captured the Northern Fling Stakes at Presque Isle Downs, accruing \$161,000 in stakes purses and breeder awards. Her younger half-sister Advert, by Lonhro (Aus), won the Malvern Rose Stakes at Presque Isle and earned \$92,624.

A bevy of homebreds and a slew of stallion awards combined to boost William J. Solomon VMD, owner of Pin Oak Lane Farm in New Freedom, into fifth place of all Pennsylvania award winners last season with a total of \$265,597. Fourteen Solomon-bred runners competed at area tracks, and they accrued \$102,616 in breeder awards, with Invisible and Hygh Life the top two earners. Stallion awards for horses who stand or stood at Pin Oak Lane amounted to \$162,981, led by Offlee Wild (\$35,159) and Albert the Great (\$34,103).

Thanks to the success of homebreds sired by her champion Smarty Jones, Patricia L. Chapman completed 2017 as the sixth-leading breeding fund award recipient.

Chapman earned \$162,409 in breeder awards and \$94,120 in stallion awards, for a total of \$256,529. Chapman's top homebreds were Someday Jones, a multiple allowance winner and second in the Lyman Stakes at Parx Racing, and Mama Jones, who placed in both the Plum Pretty Stakes and Dr. Teresa Garofalo Memorial, both at Parx.

"I'm thrilled about my top award winners," said Chapman. "The Pennsylvania Breeders Award program has been very good to me. I am especially happy that my top winners are homebreds, by a homebred, out of my homebred mares, and that both are trained by John Servis."

Tom Coulter's Arrowwood Farm Inc. ranked seventh last year, with 34 homebreds earning \$245,533 in awards. Island Romance, a daughter of Petionville, collected \$28,755 in awards after winning or placing 10 times from 13 starts, while Jumpmaster, a 2-year-old colt by Jump Start, was never off the board in three Pennsylvania starts, breaking his maiden in a \$59,870 maiden special weight at Parx in December.

Xanthus Farms Inc. breders were extremely active at Pennsylvania ovals last year, earning \$215,911 for the Gettysburg-based nursery. Xanthus bred 32 runners, with less than \$500 separating the two top earners, Andy's Love (\$25,560) and I Am So Jealous (\$25,128). Both Andy's Love, who won or placed 13 times

in 2017, and I Am So Jealous, winner of three races, were sired by the farm's stallion Andiron, a son of A. P. Indy owned by the Tea Party Stable of Walter Downey. Overall, Andiron's progeny earned \$24,410 in stallion awards for Tea Party Stable.

The WynOaks Farm of Chip and Barbara Wheeler had an extremely profitable 2017, thanks to farm stallion Weigelia. The farm's homebred progeny of Weigelia earned \$133,824 in breeder awards, while \$79,420 was collected in stallion awards, which placed him among the top five in the state. Total breeder awards for WynOaks was \$213,244. Topping WynOaks homebreds was Disco Rose, who placed in the Mrs. Penny Stakes at Parx and earned \$50,076 in breeder awards. Disco Rose's half-sister Pink Princess earned \$26,422.

Michael W. Jester earned a total of \$210,064 through the Pennsylvania breeding fund program last year, divided between breeder awards of \$137,506 and stallion awards of \$72,557. The bulk of Jester's stallion awards came from the progeny of Cat Thief, the sire of his top two breeder award winners—Tactical Plan (\$38,063) and Grasshoppin (\$35,080). Tactical Plan earned awards in eight of 13 starts in the state, while Grasshoppin placed in both the Robellino Stakes at Penn National and Roanoke Stakes at Parx.

## A few words from the Executive Secretary

Congratulations to PA-Bred Unique Bella for being named the 2017 Female Sprinter Eclipse Award winner! This comes after her win in the Grade 1 La Brea Stakes at Santa Anita in December and her consecutive wins in two Grade 2s and two Grade 3s earlier in 2017. Since the awards, she added a Grade 2 win in the Santa Maria Stakes in February. I'd like to congratulate Unique Bella's breeder, Brushwood Stable, owner Don Alberto Stable, trainer Jerry Hollendorfer and jockey Mike Smith. This is the second straight year a Pennsylvania-bred has won the Eclipse Award for Female Sprinter, which makes us the only state, other than Kentucky, to win awards the past two years. Wow!

We're pleased to announce that the \$250,000 2018 PA Derby bonus is now open to 'ANY'

PA-Bred OR PA-Sired horse who wins the PA Derby (\$200,000—owner, \$50,000—breeder) and \$100,000 for second and third (\$75,000—owner, \$25,000—breeder). It's a very exciting time to have PA-Breds in the spotlight, as our breeding program continues to grow.

In addition to the expansion of the PA Derby bonus, this year has brought about major enhancements to the PA Breeding Program. From increased breeder awards, increased purses at Parx for PA-Bred races, waiver of maiden claiming at Penn National for PA-Breds and the transfer of the Race Horse Development Fund into trust for protection, PA continues to be all you need in breeding and racing. It's the perfect time to pick your next champion and share in one of the best breeding programs in

the country. Go to our website and view or download a copy of our 2018 Stallion and Boarding Farm Directory or give us a call for a free copy.

As a reminder, the Annual Membership Meeting at the Kennett Square Country Club will be held on May 23 at 4 p.m. Also, please mark your calendar for our Awards Banquet at the Hotel Hershey on June 8 at 5:30 p.m. Invitations will be mailed over the next couple of weeks. Hope to see you there!

As always, if you have any questions or want more information on the program, contact me any time at 610.444.1050.



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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.

## 2018 PA-Bred Stakes Schedule

**ALL BREEDING FUND STAKES WILL INCLUDE A 25% PA-SIRED BONUS FOR 1ST, 2ND AND 3RD. Proposed 2018 schedule—dates and conditions for all the PA-Bred Stakes are subject to change. Please contact the Racing Offices for the most current schedules.**

Sat., April 28	<b>\$100,000 Lyman S</b> , 3 & up, 7 fur.
Parx	
	<b>\$100,000 Foxy J. G. S</b> , 3 & up, fillies & mares, 7 fur.
Sat., June 2	<b>\$100,000 Lyphard S</b> , 3 & up, fillies & mares, 1 $\frac{1}{16}$ mi., turf
Penn	
	<b>\$100,000 Danzig S</b> , 3YO, 6 fur.
	<b>\$100,000 New Start S</b> , 3YO fillies, 6 fur.
Sun., July 8	<b>\$100,000 Leematt S</b> , 3 & up, 1 mi.
PID	
	<b>\$100,000 Northern Fling S</b> , 3 & up, fillies & mares, 1 mi.
Sat., July 21	<b>\$100,000 Crowd Pleaser S</b> , 3YO, 1 $\frac{1}{16}$ mi., turf
Parx	
	<b>\$100,000 Marshall Jenney S</b> , 3 & up, 5 fur., turf
Sat., Aug. 4,	<b>\$100,000 Robellino S</b> , 3 & up, 1 $\frac{1}{16}$ mi., off turf
Penn	
Sun., Aug. 5,	<b>\$100,000 Malvern Rose S</b> , 3YO fillies, 1 mi.
PID	
Sat., Sept. 1	<b>\$100,000 Banjo Picker Sprint S</b> , 3 & up, 6 fur.
Parx	
<b>PA Day At Races</b>	<b>\$100,000 Roanoke S</b> , 3 & up, 1 $\frac{1}{16}$ mi.
	<b>\$100,000 Power by Far S</b> , 3 & up, fillies & mares, 5 fur., turf
	<b>\$100,000 Dr. Teresa Garofalo Memorial S</b> , 3 & up, fillies & mares, 6 fur.
	<b>\$100,000 Mrs. Penny S</b> , 3 & up, fillies & mares, 1 $\frac{1}{16}$ mi., turf
	Sun., Sept. 2,
PID	
Sun., Sept. 16,	<b>\$100,000 Mrs. Henry D. Paxson Memorial S</b> , 2YO fillies, 6 fur.
PID	
Sat., Sept. 22,	<b>\$100,000 Alphabet Soup S</b> , 3 & up, 1 $\frac{1}{16}$ mi., turf
Parx	
Sat., Oct. 6	<b>\$100,000 Plum Pretty S</b> , 3 & up, fillies & mares, 1 $\frac{1}{16}$ mi.
Parx	
Wed., Nov. 21,	<b>\$100,000 Blue Mountain Juvenile Fillies S</b> , 2YO fillies, 6 fur.
Penn	
Sat., Dec. 1,	<b>\$100,000 Pennsylvania Nursery S</b> , 2YO, colts & geldings, 7 fur.
Parx	

Total: \$2,750,000

# PA-Bred Fund Statistics: Top Earners

(January 1, 2018 through January 31, 2018, rounded to dollars)

## LEADING EARNERS - TOTAL AWARDS

Breeder Name	Breeder	Stallion	Total	Breeder Name	Breeder	Stallion	Total
Wyn Oaks Farm LLC	39,126	12,331	51,456	SMD Ltd. LLC	11,928	0	11,928
Patricia L. Chapman	17,088	7,308	24,396	Thomas G. McClay	11,830	0	11,830
William J. Solomon VMD	14,142	8,318	22,461	Glenn E. Brok LLC	8,273	3,336	11,609
Fantasy Lane Stable Inc.	12,768	3,192	15,960	R H Breeding LLC	11,242	0	11,242
Shirley A. Lojeski	15,170	0	15,170	Smart Angle LLP	9,499	0	9,499
Donald L. Brown Jr.	11,370	3,773	15,143	Kenneth G. Groff	9,480	0	9,480
Pewter Stable	11,813	2,520	14,333	Xanthus Farms Inc.	9,269	0	9,269
Blackstone Farm LLC	13,573	0	13,573	Mouse House Farm LLC	7,560	1,512	9,072
Arrowwood Farm Inc.	13,081	0	13,081	Charles A. Cuprill	7,426	1,377	8,804
Barlar LLC	11,424	1,106	12,530	Richard N. Miller	8,064	0	8,064
Sylmar Farm Inc.	12,091	0	12,091	Charles J. Zacney	7,728	0	7,728
Northview Stallion Station Inc.	0	12,081	12,081	Main Line Racing Stables LLC	7,392	0	7,392

## LEADING STALLIONS

Fund Money includes Stallion Awards only

Stallion Name	Stallion Owner / Manager	No. of Races	Award Total	Stallion Name	Stallion Owner / Manager	No. of Races	Award Total
Weigelia	Wyn Oaks Farm LLC	16	12,331	Got the Last Laugh	Glenn E. Brok LLC	4	1,824
Jump Start	Northview Stallion Station Inc.	32	8,051	Fairbanks	Northview Stallion Station Inc.	14	1,615
Smarty Jones	Patricia L. Chapman	27	7,308	Lyracist	Mouse House Farm LLC	2	1,512
Rimrod	George Strawbridge Jr.	8	3,877	Mad Flatter	Glenn E. Brok LLC	7	1,512
Messner	Donald L. Brown Jr.	9	3,773	City Sharpster	Charles A. Cuprill	6	1,377
Uptowncharlybrown	Fantasy Lane Stable Inc.	6	3,192	Petionville	Everest Stables Inc.	12	1,311
Congressionalhonor	Pewter Stable	1	2,520	Power by Far	Barbara J. Geraghty	1	1,303
Offlee Wild	William J. Solomon VMD	9	2,290	Albert the Great	William J. Solomon VMD	7	1,246
Silver Train	Henry R. Nothhaft	9	2,114	E Dubai	Barlar LLC	8	1,106
El Padrino	Northview Stallion Station Inc.	4	2,085	Just a Touch	Stanley L. Sucki	2	1,068
Formal Dinner	Frazier Estate LLC	2	2,016	Service Stripe	William J. Solomon VMD	2	1,037
Lite the Fuse	William J. Solomon VMD	7	1,896	Corinthian	William J. Solomon VMD	4	979

## LEADING HORSES

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

Horse	Pedigree	Breeder	Races	Restricted	Stakes	Breeder Award	Stallion Award	Owner Bonus	Total
Isabella Swift *	Weigelia - Polar Miss	Wyn Oaks Farm LLC	1	0	0	15,792	3,948	11,280	31,020
Forest Fire	Friesan Fire - Majestic Forestry	Shirley A. Lojeski	1	0	0	9,450	0	10,800	20,250
Superling *	Congressionalhonor - Big Panda	Pewter Stable	1	0	0	10,080	2,520	7,200	19,800
Ruby Bleu *	Messner - Ruby Soul	Donald L. Brown Jr.	1	0	0	9,744	2,436	6,960	19,140
Pop Keenan	Eskendereya - Afleet Of Angels	Charles J. Zacney	1	0	0	7,728	0	11,040	18,768
Artistic Drifter	Northern Afleet - Art Student	William M. Backer Revocable Trust	1	0	0	6,384	0	9,120	15,504
Papa Jones *	Smarty Jones - Last Toots	Patricia L. Chapman	1	0	0	7,728	1,932	5,520	15,180
Shemakesmehappy	Majestic Warrior - Code Variance	SMD Ltd. LLC	1	0	0	6,048	0	8,640	14,688
Hearty Jones *	Smarty Jones - Philly Gal	Main Line Racing Stables LLC	2	0	0	7,392	1,848	5,280	14,520
Bowtie Diva *	Weigelia - Miss Gadsby	Wyn Oaks Farm LLC	1	0	0	8,323	2,081	3,468	13,872
Formal Class *	Formal Dinner - Sure Class	Richard N. Miller	1	0	0	8,064	2,016	3,360	13,440
Intercept *	Jump Start - Listen In	Barlar LLC	1	0	0	8,064	2,016	3,360	13,440
Abuela Loca *	Mad Flatter - Graemy	Glenn E. Brok LLC	1	0	0	7,560	1,512	4,320	13,392
Mousetrap *	Lyracist - Cuvana	Mouse House Farm LLC	1	0	0	7,560	1,512	4,320	13,392
Offleeluckylady *	Offlee Wild - All American Blond	R H Breeding LLC	1	0	0	7,560	1,512	4,320	13,392
Betterbringuragame	Orientate - Dune Drive Avalon	SMD Ltd. LLC	1	0	0	5,880	0	6,720	12,600
R Big Bopper *	Uptowncharlybrown - Be Bop A Lula	Fantasy Lane Stable Inc.	1	0	0	6,384	1,596	4,560	12,540
True Sweetheart *	Uptowncharlybrown - Moonlight Serenade	Fantasy Lane Stable Inc.	1	0	0	6,384	1,596	4,560	12,540
Long May You Run	City Zip - Brown Eyed Miss	Sienna Farms LLC	1	0	0	5,040	0	7,200	12,240
Laughing Best *	Got the Last Laugh - Neigh O Me	Pamela Arnold	2	0	0	7,296	1,824	3,040	12,160
Baron Barracuda *	Weigelia - Madelaine	Wyn Oaks Farm LLC	2	0	0	7,906	1,651	2,172	11,729
Key Cheyne *	Smarty Jones - Lady Cheyne	Patricia L. Chapman	1	0	0	9,360	2,340	0	11,700
Headed For Heaven *	Jump Start - Moon And The Stars	Robert L. Losey	2	0	0	6,950	1,738	2,896	11,584
Jazz Hall *	El Padrino - Harmonic Miss	Arrowwood Farm Inc.	1	0	0	9,480	1,896	0	11,376

\*Denotes PA-sired