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- **Yearling registration:**
Dec. 31 of yearling year
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Feb. 15 of year breeding
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Wicked Strong stays in Pennsylvania

by Emily Shields

“Nothing has moved the needle to warrant bringing him back to Kentucky,” Mark Toothaker said. “We felt like the best fit at present time is to remain in Pennsylvania.”

Just like that, leading stallion Wicked Strong is going to remain in Pennsylvania for 2022. Wicked Strong, an 11-year-old son of Hard Spun—Moyne Abbey, by Charismatic, relocated to Dr. William Solomon’s Pin Oak Lane Farm a year ago, and has quickly made waves in the area. He is the leading Mid-Atlantic sire with 83 winners, and progeny earnings of more than \$3.8 million.

“He’s been well supported,” Dr. Solomon said. “He came in with a significant number of yearlings and 2-year-olds, and produces consistent winners, far more winners than anyone else in the region. He’s a beautifully-conformed horse, balanced, and was a good racehorse. All of those things combined make him very attractive.”

A \$375,000 yearling purchase by Centennial Farms at the 2012 Keeneland September Yearling Sale, Wicked Strong ultimately earned \$1,994,460. His sire, Grade 1 winner



Hard Spun, was a classy and consistent racehorse with graded stakes wins from seven to nine furlongs and a second-place effort in the Kentucky Derby-G1, Breeders’ Cup Classic-G1 and Haskell-G1 to his credit. Dam Moyne Abbey was a winner at Gulfstream Park in 2005, and Wicked Strong offered plenty with physical and pedigree combined to justify the price tag.

He broke his maiden second out at Belmont Park, then placed in the Grade 2 Remsen Stakes to signal his participation on the Kentucky Derby trail. Wicked Strong was

9-1 when he upset the Grade 1 Wood Memorial at Aqueduct by 3½ lengths under Rajiv Maragh, then ran very well to be fourth in the Kentucky Derby after stumbling out of the gate and facing traffic trouble.

Wicked Strong was also fourth in the Belmont Stakes, dead heating with California Chrome in that runner's Triple Crown attempt. Just one start later, Wicked Strong defeated Belmont winner Tonalist in the Grade 2 Jim Dandy, a \$600,000 contest at Saratoga. He was second, beaten just a nose, in the \$1.25 million Travers Stakes-G1 before his sophomore season ended when he lost his rider after clipping heels in the Jockey Club Gold Cup-G1. Wicked Strong didn't win again, but continued to compete successfully at the highest level. He was third in the Grade 1 Woodward and second in the Jockey Club Gold Cup before running fourth in the Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile at Keeneland. He retired with three wins, four seconds, and three thirds in 19 starts.

Wicked Strong entered stud at Spendthrift Farm and has seen success,

with 121 winners to date including six stakes winners and nearly a dozen stakes placers. His daughter Evil Lyn, out of the Mr. Greeley mare Miss Relentless, won the 2021 Lady Canterbury Stakes after taking the Hilltop Stakes at Pimlico in 2020. Son Brooklyn Strong did his sire one better when winning the Grade 2 Remsen last year after first taking the Sleepy Hollow Stakes. Por Que No won the Boiling Springs Stakes on the grass at Monmouth Park over the summer, and Wicked Runner is a three-time stakes winner in Puerto Rico. Wicked Strong's daughter Jilted Bride was graded stakes-placed at Belmont Park last year.

The decision was then made to move him from Spendthrift to Pin Oak Lane. Spendthrift's sales manager Mark Toothaker helped broker the deal. "He's an outstanding option for Mid-Atlantic breeders with a regional mare," Toothaker said.

"If you take a horse like that, who hasn't produced what is considered enough stakes winners, then move him to a place like Pennsylvania, you can hope that he blossoms further," Dr. Solomon

said. "The rest is history. He gets a lot of good runners, there's no question about that."

Wicked Strong is likely to remain in the Keystone State for the foreseeable future. "You always have the option to take him back if you have to, but I don't think that is going to happen," Dr. Solomon said. "If he doesn't keep his position in Pennsylvania he could go back, but if he does then I don't think there would be a reason to leave."

Nationally, Wicked Strong is a top-10 third-crop sire on the progeny earnings list and is ranked fourth by number of winners, ahead of Liam's Map, Carpe Diem, Tonalist and Honor Code. His other stakes runners include winners Wicked Warrior and Wicked Empire and stakes-placed Secretly Wicked, Microcap, Inawic, Shooger Ray Too, Strong Rules, Myawaya, Wicked Slider, Smart N Wicked, and 2021 juvenile Simply Wicked.

He stands for just \$3,500.

A few words from the Executive Secretary

2021 was another great year for the Pennsylvania Breeding Program and I look forward to 2022. Thanks to our PA horsemen, we'll give out almost \$25 million in awards, bonuses, Stakes and restricted races. We've returned to some state of normalcy and mares have arrived to get ready to foal in the new year, and we've been back at the track in person to cheer on our PA-Breds.

The last two 2021 PA-Bred Stakes for 2-year-olds at Penn and PARX were a big success. Big fields and great entries. Congrats to the \$200,000 Shamrock Rose winner Disco Ebo, bred by St Omer's Farm and the \$200,000 Nursery winner Witty, bred by Elizabeth Merryman and all their connections.

Our 12th Annual Stallion Season Auction begins January 15 and ends January 21 on thoroughlybred.com. You'll be able to bid on PA-Sires or sires from all over the country. Visit pabred.com for a list of available seasons, and check back daily as new seasons will continue to be added. Be sure to register at thoroughlybred.com before bidding.

Remember, if you purchase a mare in foal at a public auction after Dec. 1, 2021, she must be brought into the state within 14 days of purchase through foaling (60 days if purchased at an overseas sale). During the foaling year the foal or its dam must spend at least 90 days in the state in order for that foal to be eligible to become a registered PA-Bred. You can also

bring in your mare anytime, stay 60 consecutive days through foaling and breed back to a PA-Sire.

Our Stallion Directory was mailed to all breeders and you can view the interactive version at pabred.com. It couldn't be easier. Purchase a mare in foal at Keeneland January, bring her to PA, stay for 60 days through foaling, find a PA-Sire in our online directory and go to our Stallion Auction at thoroughlybred.com in January to purchase that season. Your PA-Sired PA-Bred will be eligible for up to 50% in Breeder Awards!! Wow!

Here's to a fantastic 2022! Go PA!!





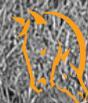
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PA-Bred Fund Statistics: Top Earners

January 1 through October 31, 2021

LEADING EARNERS - TOTAL AWARDS

Breeder Name	Breeder	Stallion	Total	Breeder Name	Breeder	Stallion	Total
Northview Stallion Station Inc.	0	335,881	335,881	Fantasy Lane Stable Inc.	83,110	24,669	107,779
Glenn E. Brok LLC	193,202	86,922	280,124	Luana J. Johnson	85,069	20,097	105,165
William J. Solomon VMD	145,760	86,760	232,520	S.W. Young Racing dba A1A Racing	75,044	26,394	101,438
Blackstone Farm LLC	226,994	156	227,150	Richard Simoff	101,018	0	101,018
Uptowncharlybrown Stud LLC	168,623	40,712	209,335	Godstone Farm LLC	97,244	0	97,244
Arrowwood Farm Inc.	201,140	0	201,140	Angelo Zalalas	89,629	0	89,629
Wyn Oaks Farm LLC	42,332	125,420	167,752	Thomas G. McClay	86,975	0	86,975
Sylmar Farm Inc.	135,218	0	135,218	St. Omer's Farm	85,372	0	85,372
Pewter Stable	96,432	30,222	126,655	Mark Brown Grier	84,034	0	84,034
Patricia L. Chapman	76,209	43,775	119,983	Robert C. Roffey Jr.	80,504	0	80,504
Susan C. Quick	119,276	0	119,276	Richard N. Miller	66,034	13,744	79,778
Barlar LLC	108,861	4,977	113,839	Nick J. Polydoros	78,214	0	78,214

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
Jump Start	Northview Stallion Station Inc.	468	160,827	Bullsbay	Northview Stallion Station Inc.	65	21,119
Weigelia	Wyn Oaks Farm LLC	227	125,420	Mad Flatter	Glenn E. Brok LLC	93	20,876
El Padrino	Northview Stallion Station Inc.	187	80,038	Golddigger's Boy	Luana J. Johnson	55	20,097
Uptowncharlybrown	Uptowncharlybrown Stud LLC	136	65,381	Emperor Tiberius	Richard N. Miller	68	16,077
Talent Search	Glenn E. Brok LLC	149	64,148	Silver Train	Henry R. Nothhaft	49	13,803
Uncle Lino	Northview Stallion Station Inc.	96	57,392	Lord Shanakill	William J. Solomon VMD	69	13,509
Smarty Jones	Patricia L. Chapman	101	43,775	Cat Thief	Michael W. Jester	28	12,157
Albert the Great	William J. Solomon VMD	123	34,504	Messner	Donald L. Brown Jr.	23	10,945
Well Spelled	Godstone Farm LP	100	32,539	Il Villano	Chuck Russo	32	9,673
Winchill	Pewter Stable	30	27,761	Red Vine	DB Dojo LLC	14	8,983
Last Gunfighter	William J. Solomon VMD	89	26,989	Flashy Bull	James E. Hess	8	8,675
Peace And Justice	S.W. Young Racing dba A1A Racing	60	26,394	Medallist	Northview Stallion Station Inc.	31	8,446

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	Bonus	Total
Beren *	Weigelia - Silmaril	Susan C. Quick	7	118,200	119,276	28,699	22,640	288,815
Wait for It *	Uptowncharlybrown - Kimberley Diamond	Fantasy Lane Stable Inc.	5	157,380	81,790	20,448	3,600	263,218
Chub Wagon	Hey Chub - Takin the Plunge	Joe-Dan Farm Inc.	5	190,200	54,240	0	0	244,440
You Must Chill *	Winchill - Only Me	Mark Brown Grier	5	109,500	84,034	21,009	14,400	228,943
Admiral Abe	Midshipman - Precious Penny	James Walker	8	59,400	53,894	0	50,592	163,886
Just One Time	Not This Time - Ida Clark	Warriors Reward	4	117,600	32,292	0	3,360	153,252
Ninetypercentbrynn *	Weigelia - Amblin Easy	LC Racing LLC	10	17,160	62,654	13,666	32,560	126,040
Precious	Fed Biz - Brilliant Sunshine	Newell Thoroughbreds Ltd.	6	87,400	28,304	0	9,600	125,304
Trolley Ride *	Flashy Bull - Proudly Irish	Sandra Kim Eshleman	4	81,280	34,700	8,675	0	124,655
Marvalous Mike *	Uncle Lino - Restless Summer	Robert C. Roffey Jr.	8	19,600	64,600	14,986	22,160	121,346
Li'lbito'charm *	Smarty Jones - Li'lbito'sunshine	Nick J. Polydoros	13	0	67,042	16,760	30,744	114,546
Hey Mamaluke *	Jump Start - Pu Dew	Joseph T. Capriglione	2	62,160	29,100	7,275	0	98,535
Don't Call Me Mary *	El Padrino - Monette	Richard Simoff	1	59,400	29,700	7,425	0	96,525
Fortheluvoffbourbon	Bourbon Courage - Nosubstituteforluv	Hidden Acres 4D Farm LLC	5	56,400	22,102	0	15,460	93,962
Champion by Design *	Jump Start - More Than This	Stephen M. Hayes	2	57,600	28,800	7,200	0	93,600
Vault *	Jump Start - Di's Delight	Barlar LLC	2	57,000	28,500	7,125	0	92,625
Ravens Delight	Great Notion - Darn That Raven	Sylmar Farm Inc.	6	69,090	20,261	0	1,156	90,507
I Am Redeemed	Redeemed - One Smart Philly	Lawrence Anthony Rebbeckchi Jr.	5	58,200	23,460	0	3,600	85,260
Prince of Rain *	El Padrino - Cimarron Rain	Angelo Zalalas	9	9,400	47,788	11,459	16,032	84,679
Confirmed Genius *	Weigelia - Cryptic Kate	Lynda Furlong	7	0	45,777	10,775	19,644	76,196
Inspired Options *	Bullsbay - Spunky Sparrow	Cynthia M. Bartkowski	11	0	43,191	10,037	21,608	74,836
Darcy Mae	K One King - Krista's Quik Chic	Gunpowder Farms LLC	4	59,400	12,764	0	1,020	73,184
Vine Jet *	Red Vine - Our Girl Friday	E. Marie Morrison	3	0	43,175	8,635	19,200	71,010
You Look Cold	Frosted - Lucky Draw	Blackstone Farm LLC	1	58,800	11,760	0	0	70,560

*Denotes PA-sired