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**PENNSYLVANIA**  
HORSE BREEDERS  
ASSOCIATION

# LETTER FROM THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

Let's get ready one more time for the Christian Black bred Angel of Empire as he shoots for the third leg of the Triple Crown on Saturday, June 10th at Belmont Park! The Liz Merryman bred Caravel will also be running in the Grade 1 Jaipur Stakes that day so good luck to all the connections and maybe Pennsylvania will add two more Grade 1's to the list.

The PA-Bred PA-Sired 2yo Stallion Series will be running its first two stakes in the \$1,000,000 stakes series on August 21, PA Day at the Races. Don't forget about the \$50,000 trainer bonus for the top three point-earning horses. Nominations for the 2023 series for 2yos, if not already nominated, are \$1,000 for those purchased at a public or private sale by June 30th. After that the fee will be \$5,000. You can go to [pabred.com](http://pabred.com) under 'Horses Nominated' to see if your horse is on the list. If not, go to 'Forms' and print the nomination form. Don't have a PA-Sired PA-Bred? Contact a Pa Breeder by looking at our 2023 Stallion Directory. Please remember that if your horse is already nominated, you still MUST CALL the PARX racing office to enter your nomination by July 10th.

Broodmares that were not in the state by Dec. 1, 2022, or within 14 days of a public sale (within 60 days of a sale outside the U.S.) must be bred back to a PA-Sire. We ask that you submit all broodmare domicile forms online. As usual, please contact our office with any questions you may have. Pennsylvania is the only place to Breed & Race! Have a great second half of 2023 and Go PA!



*Brian Sanfratello*  
Executive Secretary

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# Best of Luck

IN THE

## BELMONT

**PA-BRED**  
**ANGEL OF**  
**EMPIRE**

**GRADE 1 WINNER**  
**CLASSIC PLACED**



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# 2022 PA-BRED CHAMPIONS AND LEADING BREEDERS

*The Champions & Leading Breeders were celebrated  
May 12 at The Inn at Mendenhall*



## HORSE OF THE YEAR

OLDER FEMALE, FEMALE SPRINTER & TURF FEMALE

# CARAVEL

Bred by Elizabeth M. Merryman

The Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint-G1 over males was the biggest of five wins from eight starts for Caravel, Pennsylvania's richest state-bred of 2022. Racing exclusively in stakes, she started the year at Turfway with a win in, fittingly, the Queen Stakes, added Belmont's Intercontinental Stakes-G3 and Saratoga's Smart N Fancy, and finished her year with back-to-back scores at Keeneland in the Grade 3 Franklin and Breeders' Cup. She earned \$930,983.

## AWARDS CONTINUED



2-Year-Old Female, PA-Preferred Female  
& Leading Breeding Fund Recipient (Horse)

### FLOR DE SOMBRA

Bred by Joseph Imbesi

Flor de Sombra was a winner of four of five starts at 2, with stakes wins at Parx (Miss Blue Tye Dye), Presque Isle (Finest City) and Penn National (Shamrock Rose), all by daylight margins, and a third in the Imphy Stakes in her other outing. She ranked as the richest PA-Bred juvenile of the year with \$320,000. A daughter of former PA sire Social Inclusion, she was the leading PA Breeding Fund Recipient with a total of \$424,990 in purses and awards.



3-Year-Old Female

### MORNING MATCHA

Bred by Crane Thoroughbred Services LLC

The richest PA-Bred 3-year-old of 2022 with earnings of \$406,000, Morning Matcha was a stakes winner at Parx in March, was second in the Grade 1 Cotillion and Aqueduct's Busanda, and finished third in the Grade 3 Delaware Oaks, Grade 3 Comely Stakes and Cathryn Sophia Stakes in her 10 starts.



2-Year-Old Male & PA-Preferred Male

### GORDIAN KNOT

Bred by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Imbesi

Never off the board in four starts at 2, three of them wins, including Parx Racing's Prince Lucky Stakes by 2 lengths and Presque Isle's Mark McDermott Stakes by 4 1/4 lengths. By former PA sire Social Inclusion, Gordian Knot concluded his season with a third in the Pennsylvania Nursery and ranked as the leading PA-Bred 2-year-old male with earnings of \$245,800.



3-Year-Old Male

### NIMITZ CLASS

Bred by Arrowwood Farm

A winner in 2022 of six of 11 outings, Nimitz Class earned \$232,854 to top all PA-Breds in the 3-year-old male division. A winner first time out at Penn National in January, he captured the Danzig in his stakes debut in June, and concluded his season with a win in Laurel's Robert T. Manfuso Stakes in December.



Older Male & Male Sprinter

## FORTHELUVOFBOURBON

Bred by Hidden Acres 4-D Farm

A seven-time winner in nine 2022 starts, Fortheluvofbourbon was the richest older PA-Bred male while amassing \$361,680. During a six-race win streak he won four stakes – the Page McKenney Handicap, Banjo Picker Sprint and Liberty Bell, all at Parx, and the Maryland Million Sprint at Laurel.



Turf Male

## BUY LAND AND SEE

Bred by Joseph Imbesi

Buy Land and See returned to stakes competition midway through the 2022 season and scored a dominating, nearly 7-length victory in the With Anticipation Stakes on the turf at Penn National. He concluded his seven-start season with back-to-back stakes wins at Parx in the Alphabet Soup Handicap on the grass course and M.P. Ballezzi Appreciation Mile on the main track.



Broodmare of the Year

## ZEEZEE ZOOMZOOM

Owned by Elizabeth M. Merryman

Dam of Caravel & Witty

Two of the first three foals out Lizzie Merryman's winning daughter of Congrats are 2022 PA-Bred stakes winners and finalists for Iroquois awards. Daughter Caravel became a millionaire and Grade 1 winner after a thrilling victory in the Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint-G1 over males, one of her five stakes wins during the year. Witty scored in Laurel's Spectacular Bid Stakes in January, by nearly 8 lengths, and added a victory in Delaware Park's Stanton Stakes that summer.



# 2-YEAR-OLD \$1 MILLION PA-SIRED PA-BRED STALLION SERIES

The Series is being expanded in 2023 and will be run in three legs, six stakes, 5 ½f for **\$100,000**, 6 ½f for **\$150,000** and 1 mile 70 yards for **\$200,000**. Each leg will consist of a 2YO race and a 2YO filly race.



## PENNSYLVANIA HORSE BREEDERS ASSOCIATION

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TYE DYE STAKES  
WINNER IN 2022

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## AWARDS CONTINUED



**BLACKSTONE FARM LLC**

Lifetime Achievement Award

**MARK McDERMOTT**

Award of Merit

**CANTER PENNSYLVANIA**

Thoroughbred Makeover Top PA-Bred

**SAPPHIRE SURPRIZE**

Bred by Jean Mary Walter

Leading Total Breeding Fund Recipient

**NORTHVIEW STALLION STATION INC.**

\$502,000



**SAPPHIRE SURPRIZE**

Leading Overall Breeder of PA-Breds

**BLACKSTONE FARM LLC**

\$2,650,848

Leading Breeder Award Recipient

**BLACKSTONE FARM LLC**

\$432,292

Leading Stallion

**WEIGELIA**

Owned by WynOaks Farm

\$186,201



**WEIGELIA**



**CANTER AWARD**



# NOT JUST A REGIONAL SIRE...

Winners at **14** tracks  
in **10** states in 2022

## LIFETIME:

Sire of **66%**  
**winners**  
from starters.

Sire of **38%**  
**2YO winners**  
from starters.

His runners have  
won or placed in  
nearly **40%** of  
their starts, with  
**average earnings**  
per starter of over  
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# 2022 LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

## MARK McDERMOTT



*Brian Sanfratello, Russell Jones and Mark McDermott*

I was born and raised in Uncasville, CT, a non-descript borough famous mostly at the time for being the final resting place of Chief Uncas, he, the last of the Mohegans. Today, it is home to the Mohegan Sun, which opened in 1996 as the country's largest casino, transforming the local landscape to where it now boasts a 70-story hotel.

While a teenager in the early sixties, not much was known regarding attention deficit disorder and Oppositional Defiance. If there had been an awareness of either of these conditions, my obvious position well outside the perimeter of the template of potential United States Coast Guard Academy cadets would have derailed any possibility of an appointment. But there was not, and alas, I was admitted as an original member of the illustrious Class of '67.

After four drawn out years of unsuccessful conformity to regulations and procedures, I graduated near the bottom of my class, and much to the chagrin of many of my Academy superiors, received my commission. Two years on the Boston-based cutter Duane, we were assigned to the Navy in the South China Sea, keeping the Viet Nam

coastline safe, and then to climb the hills of the wintry north Atlantic.

My final two years of active duty took place in New Orleans in the Eighth District rescue center. The oddity of a 24-hour RCC work schedule allowed me ample time to prepare for my exit - journalism courses at Loyola University, a part-time job at Fair Grounds Racetrack, and writing for Daily Racing Form, all laying my foundation once real life began after resigning my commission having reached the rank of full Lieutenant.

In retrospect, my eight years in uniform provided me with a crystal-clear look at what I did not want – forced to exist in an environment where I was too closely supervised, while tending to subjects of near-total disinterest. Instead, I opted for variety, appeal, satisfaction, and independence, all in order to attain inner peace and achieve success in line with my interest – something in the field of Thoroughbred horse racing and breeding.

First stop was Hightstown, New Jersey, with The Morn-



ing Telegraph/Daily Racing Form, Thoroughbred racing's provider of past performances. The paper was pioneering cold-type printing, and in the process of relocating its offices from mid-town Manhattan to avoid the financial liabilities imposed through its labor contract with the Newspaper Guild of New York. After a first-hand view of the many benefits the Guild won for its New York members from a seemingly uncaring management, I signed on to help organize the local workforce to formally gain Guild representation. Two months later under the supervision of the National Labor Relations Board, we won the election for representation, and I lost my job for ungratefully flying in the face of my shocked employer.

By then, my family had grown to four, so back to the familiarity of New Orleans in search of the good life, but neither selling advertising nor dabbling in graphic arts filled my cup with food or money. Eventually, I was fortunate to land a gig with the Louisiana Breeders Sales Company, did some work for local Thoroughbred breeders, and was subsequently hired to edit *The Louisiana Horse*, a monthly magazine which was the mouthpiece of the state's breeders. Three more years in Louisiana, however, was enough to make me realize that, as enjoyable as it was, it was very unfair to my older son and his younger brother to have them matriculate in a school system with values that I did not share.

Coincidental with this acknowledgement, I was offered, and accepted, the position as Executive Secretary of the Pennsylvania Horse Breeders Association, a small, struggling group of landed gentries located in beautiful Chester County. PHBA's principals were intent on the Association becoming a major player in the state's burgeoning Thoroughbred industry. For the ensuing 35 years I served eleven separate presidents, over 125 individual Board members, and an annual membership that reached nearly 500, and I was proud to be a part in helping to achieve this lofty objective.

Working with and for many prominent individuals whose

business and sporting reputations supported their roles afforded me opportunities to experience fully the growth and impact of Pennsylvania's Thoroughbred breeding industry. For over 35 years, I had a front row seat with the captains of the state's Thoroughbred industry, championing legislative and regulatory initiatives which elevated Pennsylvania to the top tiers of the sport nationally.



*Mark McDermott*

Spearheading a legislative override to a gubernatorial veto of state-wide off track betting; shepherding legislation through to enactment to legalize casino gambling in Pennsylvania to become the primary financial basis of its breeding and racing programs, and become the future blueprint for several other states; legislatively expanding and developing the incentives available for breeders to nearly \$30 million annually; total re-writes of the statutes and regulations governing the way racing is conducted; codification of a general sales tax exemption for breeders; garnering major financial support for veterinary education; and accompanying Pennsylvania-bred Smarty Jones through

his quest for the Triple Crown are just a few goals we reached and experienced.

Reminiscing, I have been blessed with good health, family, friends, and fortune. My legacy rests with my three wonderful children, two sons and a daughter, all of whom are making positive contributions in their respective fields. And their six children will hopefully continue their parents' example of making life better for those around them.

I have reached the stage of life now where I am content to sit back and smell the roses, no longer intent on making too much of a difference. I try to exist within a pleasant bubble that has a limited entry, isolating myself as much as I can from the daily stresses and incivilities outside of it. The golf bug bit me about thirty years ago and has yet to let go. My lovely wife and I have relocated to North Carolina to fully indulge its lifestyle, and I look forward to what the future may hold with a smile not just on my face, but also in my heart.



# 2022 Iroquois Stakes Winners

Awards are presented to the Breeders of all Pennsylvania-Bred Stakes Winners in 2022

## *Bazinga C*

Joseph Besecker and Exaggerator Syndicate

New Start S, PEN

## *Beren*

Susan C. Quick & Christopher J. Feifarek

Frank J. De Francis  
Memorial Dash S, LRL  
Jump Start S, PRX

## *Buy Land and See*

Joseph Imbesi

With Anticipation S, PEN  
Alphabet Soup H, PRX  
M.P. Ballezzi Appreciation Mile S, PRX

## *Caravel*

Elizabeth M. Merryman

Queen S, TP  
Intercontinental S-G3, BEL  
Smart N Fancy S, SAR  
Franklin S-G3, KEE  
Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint S-G1, KEE

## *Chub Wagon*

Joe-Dan Farm & George Chestnut

Power By Far S, PRX  
Alma North S, LRL

## *Cinnabunny*

Shooting Star Stable

Unique Bella S, PRX  
Dashing Beauty S, DEL

## *Disco Ebo*

St. Omer's Farm

Youngstown Oaks, MVR

## *Dollarization*

William J. Solomon VMD

Fabulous Strike S, PEN

## *Flor de Sombra*

Joseph Imbesi

Miss Blue Tye Dye S, PEN  
Finest City S, PID  
Shamrock Rose S, PEN

## *Fortheluvofbourbon*

Hidden Acres 4-D Farm

Page Mckenney H, PRX  
Banjo Picker Sprint S, PRX  
Liberty Bell S, PRX  
Maryland Million Sprint S, LRL

## *Gordian Knot*

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Imbesi

Prince Lucky S, PRX  
Mark Mcdermott S, PID

## *Hey Mamaluke*

Joe Capriglione

Penn's Landing S, PRX

# 2022 Iroquois Stakes Winners (cont.)

*Just One Time*  
Warrior's Reward LLC

Inside Information S. (G2), GP  
Madison S (G1), KEE

*Kaylasaurus*  
Arrowwood Farm, Inc

Primonetta S, LRL

*Leader of the Band*  
Smd Ltd.

Lady's Secret S, MTH  
Summer Colony S, SAR

*Love in the Air*  
Blackstone Farm

Mrs. Penny S, PRX  
Plum Pretty S, PRX

*Maldives Model*  
Arrowwood Farm

Lyphard S, PEN

*Midnight Hauler*  
Elizabeth R. Houghton

Lebanon Valley S, PEN

*Midnight Parade*  
Elizabeth R. Houghton

Imply S, PRX

*Miss You Ella*  
Equivine Farm

Cellars Shiraz S, GP

*Morning Matcha*  
Crane Thoroughbred Services LLC

Main Line S, PRX

*Nice Ace*  
Blackstone Farm LLC

Hard Spun S, PID  
Dobbins Landing S, PID

*Nimitz Class*  
Arrowwood Farm

Danzig S, PEN  
Robert T. Manfuso S, LRL

*Ninetyprcentmaddie*  
LC Racing LLC

Whistle Pig S, PRX

*Oxana*  
Uptowncharlybrown Stud LLC

Roamin Rachel S, PRX



# 2022 Iroquois Stakes Winners (cont.)

*Philadelphia Belle*  
Nick Polydoros

Tax Free Shopping Distaff, DEL

*Remain Anonymous*  
Horseshoe Valley Equine Center LLC

Dr. Teresa Garofalo Memorial S, PRX

*Roses For Debra*  
Blackstone Farm LLC

Malvern Rose S, PID

*Smooth B*  
St. Omer's Farm and Wynoaks Farm LLC

Marshall Jenney H, PRX

*Tactical Pajamas*  
Vicky Schowe and Kemal Erkan

Princess Of Sylmar S, PID

*The Critical Way*  
Blackstone Farm LLC

Get Serious S, MTH

*Titoschangedmyluck*  
James Lee Lawrence II and Matthew Schera

Keswick S, CNL

*Too Boss*  
Mr. and Mrs. Michael Joseph Cascio

Storm Cat S, PRX

*Twisted Ride*  
Kasey K Racing Stable

City Of Brotherly Love S, PRX

*Undercover Kitty*  
Gregory and Caroline Bentley Breeders

Crowd Pleaser S, PRX

*Winning Time*  
Pewter Stable

Pennsylvania Nursery S, PRX

*Witty*  
Elizabeth M. Merryman

Spectacular Bid S, LRL  
Stanton S, DEL

# ***THE BEAT GOES ON...***

# **Uptowncharlybrown**

## **Pennsylvania's #1 2YO sire—**

\$475,000 in 2YO earnings were nearly double his closest competitor!

## **#1 (Tied) In the Mid-Atlantic region—**

In 2022 with FOUR 2YO Black-Type Stakes Horses

**In the first quarter of 2023, Uptowncharlybrown Stud leads all PA breeders by a wide margin**

- \$6.3 Million lifetime earnings
- \$64,694 AE per starter
- \$5,484 AE per start
- #1 AE/CI ratio at moving mares up!

### **SIRE OF STAKES WINNERS:**

**WAIT FOR IT** \$726,593

**MIDTOWNCHARLYBROWN** \$581,248

**MIDNIGHTCHARLY** \$451,138

**DIXIE SERENADE** \$348,765

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# PA-BRED STAKES RECAPS

## UNBRIDLED SIDNEY S.

CD, \$300,000, 3YO/UP, F/M, 5 ½ FT, 5-5.

## WON - CARAVEL

m, 6, Mizzen Mast–Zeezee Zoomzoom, by Congrats. (\$500,000 2021 FTKNOV). O-Qatar Racing, Marc Detampel and Madaket Stables LLC, B-Elizabeth M. Merryman (PA), T-Brad H. Cox, J-Tyler Gaffalione, \$176,700.



**"SHE'S BECOME  
VERY CONSISTENT,"  
SAID TRAINER BRAD COX.**

**"YOU CAN TELL WHEN SHE'S  
READY TO RUN AND SHE'S BEEN  
ON 'GO' FOR A WHILE SINCE  
THE MONTH OF MARCH  
TRAINING UP AT TURFWAY AND  
CONTINUING ON THROUGH APRIL."**

Churchill Downs the first weekend of May was an exciting time. And it wasn't only because of Angel of Empire's thrilling third-place finish in the Derby. On the May 5 Friday Oaks card, Qatar Racing, Marc Detampel and Madaket Stables' Caravel returned to face her own division for the first time in more than six months, and looked super doing it.

Recording her fourth stakes win in a row, and seventh stakes win in her last 10 starts, Caravel shot to the lead and was never seriously challenged in the \$300,000 Unbridled Sidney Stakes for fillies and mares going five and a half furlongs on the turf. The 3-4 favorite in the field of 10, she cruised home a length and a half winner in stakes-record time of 1:02.47, after posting fractions of :21.97, :44.62 and :56.27. Her 14th win in 22 starts pushed her career earnings to \$1,677,577.

Getting his fifth stakes win aboard the lovely gray, Tyler Gaffalione noted: "She's been breaking better the last four or five starts and she's putting herself in good spots. She gets comfortable and it's all easy for her. She's just a very fast filly. The second you ask her, she turns on the jets. She finishes the job well."

"She's become very consistent," said trainer Brad Cox. "You can tell when she's ready to run and she's been on 'go' for a while since the month of March training up at Turfway and continuing on through April."

In late May, an expected trip to Royal Ascot in June was scrapped per Cox. She will instead be pointed to Belmont Park's \$400,000 Jaipur Stakes on the Belmont Stakes undercard (June 10). The six-furlong Grade 1 turf stakes is a Breeders' Cup Challenge Series Win, and You're In for the Turf Sprint, a title Caravel will look to defend.

A 6-year-old daughter of Mizzen Mast out of two-time PA Broodmare of the Year Zeezee Zoomzoom (by Congrats), Caravel added to her laurels a week later, when her breeder, PHBA board member Lizzie Merryman, accepted trophies for a second Pennsylvania-bred Horse of the Year title at the PHBA's awards dinner, as well as division championships for older female, female sprinter and turf female for 2022.



# Capo Kane

**Nicks**

16.3hh

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**Capo Kane Won MSW at Parx by 4 1/4 lengths**

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# PA-BRED STAKES RECAPS

## **RUNHAPPY S-G3**

BEL, \$175,000, 4YO/UP, 6F, 5-13.

### **2ND - TWISTED RIDE**

g, 4, Great Notion–Diva's Gold, by Tenpins. O-Kasey K Racing Stable LLC, Michael R. Day and Final Turn Racing Stable LLC, B-Kasey K Racing Stable (PA), \$35,000.

## **OBEAH S**

DEL, \$150,000, 3YO/UP, F/M, 1 1/16M, 5-27.

### **2ND - MORNING MATCHA**

f, 4, Central Banker–Home Ice, by Iam the Iceman. (\$18,000 2020 FTMOCT). O-LC Racing, Cash is King LLC and Gary Barber, B-Crane Thoroughbred Services LLC (PA), \$30,000.

## **SERENA'S SONG S**

MTH, \$100,000, 3YO/UP, F/M, 1M 70Y, 5-14.

### **2ND - LEADER OF THE BAND**

m, 5, Bandbox, - Catsuit, by Sir Cat. O-Avalon Racing Stables, B-SMD Ltd. (PA), \$20,000.

## **KENTUCKY DERBY-G1**

CD, \$3,000,000, 3YO, 1 1/4M, 5-6.

### **3RD - ANGEL OF EMPIRE**

c, 3, Classic Empire – Armony's Angel, by To Honor and Serve. (\$32,000 RNA 2020 KEENOV; \$70,000 2021 KEESEP) O-Albaugh Family Stables LLC, B-Forgotten Land Investment Inc. & Black Diamond Equine Corp (PA), \$300,000.

## **LONG BRANCH S**

MTH, \$100,000, 3YO, 1M 70Y, 5-13.

### **3RD - NINETYPERCENTMADDIE**

c, 3, Weigelia, - Amblin Easy, by Private Interview. O-LC Racing LLC, B-LC Racing LLC (PA), \$10,000.

# PA-BRED STAKES RESULTS

## **PARX RACING**

Monday, April 24

### **\$100,000 PAGE MCKENNEY HANDICAP**

1ST - TWISTED RIDE

2ND - UNCLE ERNIE

3RD - BEREN

3 & UP, 7 FURLONGS

### **\$100,000 UNIQUE BELLA STAKES**

1ST - MORNING MATCHA

2ND - DISCO EBO

3RD - NINETYPERCENTBRYNN

3 & up, f&m, 7 furlongs

# 2023 PENNSYLVANIA-BRED STAKES SCHEDULE



Monday, April 24

**\$100,000 PAGE MCKENNEY HANDICAP**  
**\$100,000 UNIQUE BELLA STAKES**

3 & up, 7 furlongs  
3 & up, f&m, 7 furlongs



Friday, June 2

**\$100,000 DANZIG STAKES**  
**\$100,000 NEW START STAKES**  
**\$100,000 LYPHARD STAKES**  
**\$100,000 WITH ANTICIPATION STAKES**

3YO, 6 furlongs  
3YO fillies, 6 furlongs  
3 & up, f&m, 1 1/16 miles, turf  
3 & up, 1 1/16 miles, turf



Monday, June 26

**\$100,000 CROWD PLEASER STAKES**  
**\$100,000 POWER BY FAR STAKES**

3YO, 1 1/16 miles, turf  
3 & up, f&m, 5 furlongs, turf



Monday, July 17

**\$100,000 MALVERN ROSE STAKES**

3YO fillies, 6 1/2 furlongs



Monday, July 24

**\$100,000 PRINCESS OF SYLMAR STAKES**

3 & up, f&m, 1 mile 70 yards



Tuesday, July 25

**\$100,000 HARD SPUN STAKES**

3 & up, 1 mile 70 yards



Monday, August 21



**\$100,000 BANJO PICKER SPRINT STAKES**  
**\$100,000 MARSHALL JENNEY HANDICAP**  
**\$100,000 MRS. PENNY STAKES**  
**\$100,000 STORM CAT STAKES**  
**\$100,000 DR. TERESA GAROFALO MEM. STAKES**

3 & up, 6 furlongs  
3 & up, 5 furlongs, turf  
3 & up, f&m, 1 1/16 miles, turf  
3 & up, 1 mile 70 yards  
3 & up, f&m, 6 furlongs

**2YO PA-SIRED PA-BREDS STAKES:**

**\$100,000 WHISTLE PIG STAKES**  
**\$100,000 MISS BLUE TYE DYE STAKES**

2YO, PA-Sired PA-Breds, 5 1/2 furlongs  
2YO fillies, PA-Sired PA-Breds, 5 1/2 furlongs



Saturday, Sept. 23

**\$100,000 ALPHABET SOUP HANDICAP**  
**\$100,000 PLUM PRETTY STAKES**

3 & up, 1 1/16 miles, turf  
3 & up, f&m, 1 mile 70 yards

**2YO PA-SIRED PA-BREDS:**

**\$150,000 PRINCE LUCKY STAKES**  
**\$150,000 IMPLY STAKES**

2YO PA-Sired PA-Breds, 6 1/2 furlongs  
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Monday, Oct. 16

**\$100,000 FINEST CITY STAKES**

2YO fillies, 6 furlongs



Tuesday, Oct. 17

**\$100,000 MARK MCDERMOTT STAKES**

2YO, 6 furlongs



Tuesday, Oct. 24

**3 & up PA-SIRED PA-BRED STAKES:**  
**\$100,000 JUMP START STAKES**

3 & up, PA-Sired PA-Breds, 7 furlongs



Wednesday, Nov. 22

**\$200,000 SHAMROCK ROSE STAKES**

2YO fillies, 6 furlongs



Tuesday, Nov. 28

**\$200,000 PENNSYLVANIA NURSERY STAKES**

2YO, 7 furlongs



Wednesday, Dec. 27

**2YO PA-SIRED PA-BREDS:**  
**\$200,000 WAIT FOR IT STAKES**  
**\$200,000 MISS BEHAVIOUR STAKES**

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HIP	COLOR	SEX	SIRE	DAM	BREEDER	CONSIGNOR	PURCHASER	PRICE
2	B	C	The Factor	You Betcha Babe	Blackstone Farm LLC	Crane Thoroughbred Services LLC Agent	Two Pals Racing	100,000
38	B	C	Peace and Justice	Back Stop	A1A Racing	Eddie Woods Agent LIX	Scott A Lake	20,000
101	B	C	Tamarkuz	Chilly Start	Horseshoe Valley Equine Center LLC	Best A Luck Farm LLC Agent	Larry Metz	40,000
137	B	C	Temple City	Desi Girl	Bryan Minnich	Grassroots Training And Sales LLC Agent	Mike Gramiak	18,000
138	GRR	C	The Factor	Dillingham	Stone Jug Ranch	Grassroots Training And Sales LLC Agent	S.R.O.A. (K.O.I.D.)	30,000
145	CH	C	Speightster	Dream Realized	Blackstone Farm LLC	Crane Thoroughbred Services LLC Agent	John Servis, Agent	40,000
155	B	C	Eclipticalspraline	Empress Montez	Maria M Haire	Tom Mccrocklin Agent XXI	Hugo O. Padilla	8,000
175	CH	F	Flameaway	Follow Your Bliss	Joan A Wilson	Beattie Horse Training & Sales Agent	Bamfam	15,000
217	DKB	F	Hoppertunity	Holiday Hopes	Maria M Haire	Grassroots Training And Sales LLC Agent	John Servis, Agent	37,000
277	B	C	Hoppertunity	Majestic Melresa	Best A Luck Farm LLC	Best A Luck Farm LLC Agent	Blue Streak Racing LLC	22,500
358	B	C	Temple City	Pat'S Kitten	Trinity West Stables Ltd	Grassroots Training And Sales LLC Agent	Wendy Hendriks	45,000
372	B	F	Mr Speaker	Pricing	Pewter Stable	Julie Davies LLC Agent	Wendy Hendriks	38,000
378	DKB	C	Airoforce	Quality Silver	Pa Stallions LLC	Best A Luck Farm LLC Agent	Not Sold	40,000
382	B	C	Take Charge Indy	Quick Lil Lady	Blackstone Farm LLC	Crane Thoroughbred Services LLC Agent	K.O.I.D.	17,000
393	DKB	C	Peace and Justice	Really a Gem	A1A Racing	Eddie Woods Agent LIX	Gracie Mae Stables	22,000
400	DKB	C	Nyquist	Ristretto	Forgotten Land Investment Inc	Wavertree Stables Inc. (Ciaran Dunne) Agent	Pewter Stable	25,000
410	B	C	Uptowncharlybrown	R Shade of Gray	Uptowncharlybrown Stud LLC	Grassroots Training And Sales LLC Agent	Michael Scheffres	14,000
431	B	F	Tapiture	Secret Witness	Horseshoe Valley Equine Center LLC	Best A Luck Farm LLC Agent	Ed Price	45,000
456	CH	C	Collected	Silver Diva	Forgotten Land Investment Inc	Jvc Training And Sales Agent	Burns Thoroughbred	37,000
499	B	F	West Coast	Suremeantto	Best A Luck Farm Llc & Best Foot Forward Holdings LLC	Best A Luck Farm LLC Agent	Lee Glassberg	25,000
501	B	C	Speightster	Surprising Twist	Forgotten Land Investment Inc, Choice One Bloodstock, Et Al	Crane Thoroughbred Services LLC Agent	Felipe Perez	13,000
549	B	F	Flashback	Tweet	Equivine Farm LLC	Classic Bloodstock Agent	Andrew J Hawthorne	30,000
596	CH	F	Munnings	She'S Overwelming	Warrior's Reward	De Meric Sales, Agent	Richard Vega Racing Stables	50,000



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