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Feb. 15 of year breeding
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Pennsylvania stallion roster packs a powerful punch

Champions, graded stakes winners, Grade 1 sires – Pennsylvania stallions offer variety and quality for any mare owner. The following dozen stallions found on this year's roster of PA-registered sires; go to the 2023 Pennsylvania Stallion & Boarding Farm Directory at pabred.com to see the complete list.

BRODY'S CAUSE

One of Pennsylvania's newest arrivals, this multiple Grade 1 winner and Grade 1 sire is a son of the great racehorse and stallion Giant's Causeway from the female family of Secretariat and Cure the Blues.

With three crops of racing age through 2022, Brody's Cause ranked in the top 10 nationally on the freshman list in 2020, and was among the top 20 on the second and third-crop sires lists the next two years. His runners include daughter Kalypso, winner of Santa Anita's La Brea Stakes-G1 and two additional stakes, and on the board in nine stakes total (six graded). She earned \$607,638 in 15 starts before selling as a broodmare prospect at last fall's Fasig-Tipton Kentucky November select sale for \$2.1 million to Katsumi Yoshida.

Of Brody's Cause's 10 stakes horses, seven won or placed at 2, including Kalypso and additional graded runners Sittin On Go, third in the Iroquois Stakes-G3; Smiley Sobotka, second in the Kentucky Jockey Club Stakes-G2; and Girther, second in the Grade 2 Best Pal Stakes.

Upon his move to Pennsylvania, Brody's Cause ranked fourth in progeny earnings in the state in 2022, with more than \$2.4 million, and has current lifetime earnings of more than \$5 million, accrued in less than three years.

Winner of Keeneland's Claiborne Breeders' Futurity-G1 at 2 and the Blue Grass Stakes-G1 at 3, Brody's Cause retired with a record of three wins and a third in eight starts, for earnings of \$1,168,138. He is out of stakes-placed Sweet Breanna, by the Mr. Prospector stallion Sahm; his second dam, graded winner Sweet Roberta, was second in the Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies-G1.

Standing at Equistar Training & Breeding, Annville, PA; Stud fee: \$3,500 LFSN.

CAPO KANE

The only son of champion Street Sense standing on the East Coast, Capo Kane has his first foals arriving this year after covering 28 mares in 2022.

Capo Kane entered stud after showing tremendous promise when hitting the board in each of his first four starts, two stakes, in a span of a little over three months, including a 6¼-length score in Aqueduct's Jerome Stakes on New Year's Day 2021. He followed with a third in Aqueduct's Withers Stakes-G3. A suspensory ligament injury forced his retirement that spring and he retired with a record of 5-2-1-1 for earnings of \$147,500.

Capo Kane's pedigree meshes the top-two finishers of the 2007 Kentucky Derby-G1 – winner Street Sense and runner-up Hard Spun, sire of his dam Twirl Me.

He is the first foal for Darley-bred Twirl Me, a granddaughter of millionaire Tuzla (Fr). A Grade 1 winner of Del Mar's Ramona Handicap in 1999, Tuzla just missed winning that year's Breeders' Cup Mile-G1. Capo Kane has a pedigree that doubles up on the immensely successful Northern Dancer/Mr. Prospector cross, as it appears under both his sire and dam in the fourth-generation.

Standing at Bonner Hill Farms, Littlestown, PA; Stud fee: \$2,500 LFSN, special consideration to multiple mares.

EASTWOOD

A son of Eclipse Award and Breeders' Cup Sprint-G1 winner and prominent sire Speightstown, Eastwood had his first crop get to the races last year at 2, with six of his 10 named foals starting, three winning – all in maiden special weight company – and two others hitting the board. He ranked in the top 10 among the state's leading sires of juveniles. And there are larger crops to come. He covered 23 mares last year and is

already on pace to more than double that number in 2023.

The first foal out of the Deputy Minister mare Fifth Avenue Ball, the chestnut stallion was a six-figure sales weanling and, after winning his first two starts as a 3-year-old, sold for \$800,000 - the second highest price - at Fasig-Tipton summer sale. He would go on to win allowance races at Saratoga and Keeneland and finish second in the Grade 3 Los Angeles Stakes at Santa Anita before retiring with earnings of \$265,545, and a record of four wins, two seconds and two thirds in 12 starts.

Standing at Blackstone Farm, Pine Grove, PA; Stud fee: \$1,250 LFSN, second mare free for 2023 or 2024.

PAT ON THE BACK

The first foals of graded stakes-winning millionaire Pat On the Back arrived in 2022 to rave reviews. He covered more than 30 mares his first season and has nearly 20 foals reported.

An eight-time stakes winner, Pat On the Back (by Congrats) earned \$1,144,545 and recorded nine wins in 30 starts, with four seconds and six thirds (all stakes). A stakes winner each year from 2 to 5, at distances from 6 furlongs to 1½ miles, his victories included Belmont Park's 1-mile Kelso Handicap-G2 in 1:33.97 and the Commentator Stakes in 1:33.43.

Pat On the Back is one of eight winners from 10 starters for his dam, the Awesome Again mare Accomplished, who also produced stakes-winning stakes producer Sarah Accomplished. His second dam I'm in Celebration (by Copelan) is a winning half-sister to Group 1 winner Little Baby Bear, Flamingo Stakes-G3 winner First American, and stakes winner Dubai Dust, and the dam of 10 winners, including stakes winners and graded stakes-placed Nice to Know and Cheers and Tears.

Standing at Bonner Hill Farms, Littlestown, PA; Stud fee: \$3,500 LFSN, special consideration to approved mares.

PEACE AND JUSTICE

The speedy miler ranked sixth in the state in 2022 by progeny earnings and got his first \$1 million season with only three crops to race. The son of War Front from the legendary family of champion What a Treat and leading sire Be My Guest has sired 66 percent winners from starters, led by his stakes-winning son Like a

Saltshaker from his first crop. His runners have average earnings of \$46,058.

His 2022 juveniles included Miss Blue Tye Dye Stakes-placed Ice, and Dontlookbackatall, a \$150,000 Ocala 2-year-old sales filly who broke her maiden first-time out at Saratoga out of the barn of Christophe Clement.

Peace and Justice blazed over the turf during his career, winning one-mile allowances at Santa Anita in 1:32.36 and 1:33.27. He also won at a mile over Belmont Park's turf.

Peace and Justice is out of the Smart Strike mare Strike the Sky, dam of seven winners from as many foals, including graded stakes-winning \$513,824-earner Hudson Steele.

Standing at Blackstone Farm, Pine Grove, PA; Stud fee: \$5,000 LFSN.

SMARTY JONES

The Pennsylvania great is standing his 19th stud season as the state's leading active sire lifetime with nearly 80 stakes horses and more than \$43 million in career progeny earnings. Runners in 2022 included multiple stakes-placed juvenile Dawgmentality, who hit the board in four of his five starts.

An international champion sire, Smarty Jones is represented by 37 stakes winners lifetime, 13 graded/group winners, such as millionaire and four-time Singapore champion Better Life, Japanese millionaires Keiai Gerbera and Noble Jewelry, and Grade 1-winning sprinter Centralintelligence.

The 2004 Kentucky Derby and Preakness winner is the only classic winner at stud in the region, and he remains the richest, with career earnings of \$7,613,155 (25th all-time in North America).

Standing at Equistar Training & Breeding, Annville, PA; Stud fee: \$3,500 LFSN.

UPTOWNCHARLYBROWN

Coming off the best season of his career, Uptowncharlybrown had six stakes performers and progeny earnings of \$1,680,651 in 2022. His daughter Oxana won or placed in six consecutive stakes, and he ranked as Pennsylvania's top sire of 2-year-olds, with four stakes horses and juvenile progeny earnings nearly double that of the second-ranked stallion.

Uptowncharlybrown has been putting up impressive numbers from the start. In his first three small crops to race, 82 percent of his foals started, and three out of four were winners. His

progeny include \$726,593-earner Wait for It, who added to his stakes tally in 2022; graded stakes winner Dixie Serenade; and stakes-winning brothers Midtowncharlybrown and Midnightcharly.

A stakes winner and multiple graded stakes-placed at 3, Uptowncharlybrown (by Limehouse) proved precocious when breaking his maiden first out at 2, and showed he could stretch out when only 3 lengths behind winner Drosselmeyer in the Belmont Stakes-G1.

Standing at WynOaks Farm LLC, Delta, PA; Stud fee: \$3,250 LFSN.

WARRIOR'S REWARD

The first Pennsylvania-sired crop for Warrior's Reward made its debut in 2022 and delivered. He tied for most juvenile winners by a Pennsylvania sire with six and was represented by stakes-placed filly Warrior's Ransom.

The Grade 1-winning son of Medaglia d'Oro had nine stakes performers overall for the year, including winner Stowe Angel and Grade 3 Dwyer-placed Fluid Situation, and was the fourth-leading active sire in the state with more than \$2 million, pushing his lifetime figures just shy of \$30 million. As a broodmare sire he was represented by six stakes winners in 2022, including Champagne-G1 winner Blazing Sevens.

Warrior's Reward was the fastest 3-year-old colt in his year, recording a 113 Beyer and getting 7 furlongs at Churchill Downs in 1:21.60 while defeating Munnings. At 4 he captured the Grade 1 Carter, getting 7 furlongs in 1:21.62.

He is from the family of Canadian Horse of the Year Catch a Glimpse, English champion Forest Flower, English classic-winning millionaire Night of Thunder, and Grade 1-winning millionaire High Yield.

Standing at WynOaks Farm LLC, Delta, PA; Stud fee: Private contract.

WEIGELIA

Since his first runners came to the races in 2012, Weigelia has put together impressive numbers from modest-sized crops. He has total progeny earnings of more than \$14.6 million . . . average earnings per runner of \$89,939 . . . 84 percent starters from foals. . . is the sire of \$717,960-earner Beren, \$715,038-earner Smooth B and \$674,486-earner Storm Advisory. . . at least half of his stakes performers hit the board at 2. . . and he ranked second among active Pennsylvania sires by progeny earnings in

2022 (with \$2.4 million).

With four stakes winners in 2022, the most for any stallion with a Pennsylvania-sired crop, Weigelia's top runners included Beren, who added to his lofty stakes win total when capturing the Frank J. De Francis Memorial Dash and Jump Start (stakes 6 and 7). His juvenile son Ninetypercentmaddie was undefeated in his first three starts, including the Whistle Pig Stakes. In 2023 he is the sire of stakes winners Disco Ebo and Ninetypercentmaddie.

Weigelia (by Safely's Mark) was a prolific sprinter, winning or placing in 20 stakes in 48 starts, including the Grade 3 Carry Back and Grade 3 Kenny Noe, and earning \$1,007,708.

Standing at WynOaks Farm LLC, Delta, PA; Stud fee: Private contract.

WELL SPELLED

Every Well Spelled 2-year-old that started in 2022 won. His four juveniles earned an average of \$29,729, the second-highest average for any Pennsylvania 2-year-old sire in 2022.

In 2022, 16 of Well Spelled's 17 starters were winners (94 percent)! Lifetime, his runners include stakes winners Hockey Puck and Well Graced, and Penn National's 2019 Horse of the Year Fish to Fry.

A graded stakes-winning sprinter, Well Spelled is by Spellbinder out of the winning

Well Decorated mare Well, and half-brother to multiple graded stakes-winning millionaire Kobe's Back.

Standing at Mountain Springs Farm, Palmyra, PA; Stud fee: \$1,500 LFSN, special consideration to approved mares.

WICKED STRONG

Pennsylvania's leading sire of 2022 with progeny earnings of nearly \$3.6 million, he also topped the list by number of winners (82) from four crops to race. Nine of his offspring were stakes performers in 2022, led by stakes winner/graded stakes-placed Jilted Bride and Peruvian Grade 2 winner Wicked Crane.

The sire of 20 stakes horses lifetime and the earners of more than \$11 million, Wicked Strong was a top-10 freshman sire nationally in 2019 and ranked second by number of winners that year with 26, one less than American Pharoah, Constitution and Tapiture. His next crop had Remsen Stakes-G2 winner Brooklyn Strong.

One of the top runners of his generation, Wicked Strong won the \$1 million Wood Memorial-G1 in stakes-record time and Saratoga's Jim Dandy-G2 over Belmont Stakes-G1 winner Tonalist. He earned \$1,994,460 in 19 starts.

Wicked Strong's pedigree has strong classic lines as a son of Kentucky Derby-G1 and Preakness Stakes-G1-placed Hard Spun out

of winning Moyne Abbey, by Kentucky Derby/Preakness winner Charismatic (by Preakness winner Summer Squall).

Wicked Strong's first Pennsylvania-sired crop are now yearlings.

Standing at Pin Oak Lane Farm, New Freedom, PA; Stud fee: \$3,500 LFSN; \$3,000 breeding two mares, \$2,500 breeding three or more mares to any Pin Oak Lane stallions.

WINCHILL

Sire of undefeated 2-year-old and Pennsylvania Nursery Stakes winner Winning Time Winchill led the state's 2-year-old sires by average earnings in 2022.

He also led the general active sires list by average earnings last year – his 10 runners earning a total of \$405,521. His son You Must Chill, a member of his first crop in 2016, was his leading earner in 2022 and added to his stakes total when hitting the board in two stakes.

A stakes winner of \$288,294, Winchill entered stud in Pennsylvania in 2015. From limited opportunity, the son of Tapit has 38 foals in four crops, 20 to race, 12 winners lifetime – with average earnings of \$63,036.

Standing at Timber Ridge Farm, Felton, PA; Stud fee: \$3,000 LFSN, special consideration to PA foaling mares.

A few words from the Executive Secretary

Congratulations to Weigelia for topping the leading stallion list for PA stallion awards for the first time in 2022! The late Jump Start held this title each year from 2015 through 2021. Weigelia topped the list with \$186,200.86 in stallion awards earned across 312 races. In addition, he led the charge with four individual stakes winners (Beren, Smooth B, Disco Ebo, and Ninetypercentmaddie) in 2022. Weigelia stands at WynOaks Farm in Delta, Pa.

The 2022 Iroquois Award Winners will be recognized at our Annual Banquet on May 12 at The Inn at Mendenhall in Chadds Ford. Invitations will be sent by email shortly.

The PA-Bred PA-Sired 2yo Stallion Series is expanding this year and will be run in three legs, SIX STAKES, at 5½ furlongs for \$100,000, 6½ furlongs for \$150,000, and a mile and 70 yards for \$200,000. Each leg will consist of a 2yo race and a 2yo filly race. 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 30. You can go to pabred.com under 'Horses Nominated' to see if your horse is on the list. If not, go to 'Forms' and print the nomination form.

Broodmares who 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 2023 and Go PA!!!



2023 PENNSYLVANIA-BRED STAKES SCHEDULE



Monday, April 24 **\$100,000 PAGE MCKENNEY HANDICAP** 3 & up, 7 furlongs
\$100,000 UNIQUE BELLA STAKES 3 & up, f&m, 7 furlongs



Friday, June 2 **\$100,000 DANZIG STAKES** 3YO, 6 furlongs
\$100,000 NEW START STAKES 3YO fillies, 6 furlongs
\$100,000 LYPHARD STAKES 3 & up, f&m, 1 1/16 miles, turf
\$100,000 WITH ANTICIPATION STAKES 3 & up, 1 1/16 miles, turf



Monday, June 26 **\$100,000 CROWD PLEASER STAKES** 3YO, 1 1/16 miles, turf
\$100,000 POWER BY FAR STAKES 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 3 & up, 6 furlongs
\$100,000 MARSHALL JENNEY HANDICAP 3 & up, 5 furlongs, turf
\$100,000 MRS. PENNY STAKES 3 & up, f&m, 1 1/16 miles, turf
\$100,000 STORM CAT STAKES 3 & up, 1 mile 70 yards
\$100,000 DR. TERESA GAROFALO MEM. STAKES 3 & up, f&m, 6 furlongs

2YO PA-SIRED PA-BREDS STAKES:
\$100,000 WHISTLE PIG STAKES 2YO, PA-Sired PA-Breds, 5 1/2 furlongs
\$100,000 MISS BLUE TYE DYE STAKES 2YO fillies, PA-Sired PA-Breds, 5 1/2 furlongs



Saturday, Sept. 23 **\$100,000 ALPHABET SOUP HANDICAP** 3 & up, 1 1/16 miles, turf
\$100,000 PLUM PRETTY STAKES 3 & up, f&m, 1 mile 70 yards
2YO PA-SIRED PA-BREDS:
\$150,000 PRINCE LUCKY STAKES 2YO PA-Sired PA-Breds, 6 1/2 furlongs
\$150,000 IMPLY STAKES 2YO fillies, PA-Sired PA-Breds, 6 1/2 furlongs



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 2YO, 1 mile 70 yards
\$200,000 MISS BEHAVIOUR STAKES 2YO fillies, 1 mile 70 yards



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