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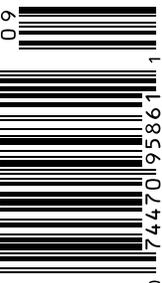
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Recognizing California Chrome

This past month, with assistance and coordination from CTBA Lobbyist Robyn Black, the California legislature voted to approve a resolution to recognize California Chrome and his connections on their accomplishments in this year's Kentucky Derby and Preakness Stakes. The resolution spotlights California's Thoroughbred breeding and racing industry, which this year showcased to the world that California-bred horses can compete with and excel against horses from all over the nation. There were standing ovations in both the Senate and Assembly; many legislators requested pictures with the owners along with the Derby and Preakness trophies. Below is the resolution as voted on and approved into the legislature:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution

No. 161

June 11, 2014

ACR 161, as amended, Logue.
California Chrome: thoroughbred horse racing.

This measure would recognize the outstanding performance of California Chrome during his remarkable run for thoroughbred horse racing's Triple Crown, and, in particular, for his tremendous victories in the Kentucky Derby and the Preakness Stakes, would recognize and congratulate the many Californians who are part of the ownership group, breeding and training cadre, and other essential elements that led to his success, and would recognize the storied history of thoroughbred horse racing in California, the Cal-bred Program, and its contributions to job creation and the state's economy.

WHEREAS, California has a long and proud thoroughbred racing history, dating back some 160 years. In particular, the Central Valley has been the birthplace of champions since the 1880s. California Chrome, born and raised at Harris Farms in Coalinga, continues that tradition and has become an outstanding representative of his namesake state; and

WHEREAS, California horse racing today accounts for an estimated 50,000 jobs, 148,000 thoroughbred horses, and a \$2.5 billion impact on the state's economy. Combining athleticism, grace, beauty, and speed, this sport reaches millions of fans worldwide and carries priceless positive impressions of what California has to offer; and

WHEREAS, The Kentucky Derby is the world's most famous horse race and part of the celebrated Triple Crown of thoroughbred horse racing for three-year-old horses only. Along with the Preakness and Belmont Stakes, these three classics are the races that horse owners, breeders, trainers, and jockeys all dream of winning; and

WHEREAS, This spring, California Chrome won the 140th Kentucky Derby and 139th Preakness Stakes, the first time a California-bred colt swept the first two legs of the Triple Crown. Both victories ended lengthy droughts for the state's racing industry. California Chrome became the fourth California-born Derby winner and first since 1962 and California's fifth Preakness winner and first since 1986; and

WHEREAS, It takes a very special horse to reach national prominence by winning multiple races at multiple tracks across the country. In his career so far, California Chrome has won races at California's Hollywood Park, Del Mar, and Santa Anita Park, in addition to Kentucky's Churchill Downs and Maryland's Pimlico Race Course at distances from 4½ furlongs to 1¼ miles; and

WHEREAS, Among California Chrome's eight career victories there was a six-stakes win streak featuring such milestones as the King Glorious Stakes, the final stakes event held at Hollywood Park, and the \$1 million Santa Anita Derby as well as the Kentucky Derby and the Preakness Stakes; and

WHEREAS, California Chrome, a chestnut-colored horse as golden as his home state, transcended thoroughbred horse racing to become an international phenomenon not just with his brilliant speed and winning ways, but due to his heart-warming story and the people who make up his team; and

WHEREAS, California is a state where people are unafraid to dream big and that's in part what inspired four fans to cross over into horse ownership and become first-time breeders. An inspiration to the "little guys" everywhere, Perry and Denise Martin of Yuba City and Steve and Carolyn Coburn of Topaz Lake, Nevada, became partners in a mare, Love the Chase, who they bought from a syndicate for \$8,000. After someone scoffed at their perceived foolishness, the couples named their new venture "Dumb Ass Partners (D.A.P.) Racing"; and

WHEREAS, The partners sent their lone mare to Harris Farms to be bred and chose the stallion Lucky Pulpit, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Larry Williams. California Chrome is Love the Chase's first foal. Before the colt was born, Steve Coburn vividly dreamed about the big chestnut colt with four white legs and distinctive blaze and felt sure the newborn was destined for greatness; and

WHEREAS, After a difficult birth, the mare was nursed back to health by the excellent and attentive veterinary staff at Harris Farms. This hands-on care also imprinted a love for people on her intelligent and precocious son nicknamed "Junior." Developing his mind and body, California Chrome spent his first two years at Harris Farms, where he was groomed to be a racehorse; and

WHEREAS, When it came time to start racing, the partners sent their only racehorse to trainer Art Sherman with the proclamation that this was "his Derby horse" and a suggested road map of races to qualify. Sherman's prior Derby experience was as the exercise rider for California-bred 1955 Kentucky Derby winner Swaps. Coincidentally, California Chrome is Swaps' great-great-great grandson; and

WHEREAS, California Chrome, as he prepared for the Triple Crown trail, gained his foundation and experience in the lucrative Golden State Series for Cal-bred horses, confirming the value and significance of the state's breeding program; and

WHEREAS, Art Sherman, at 77 years of age, became the oldest trainer to win the Kentucky Derby. California Chrome also became the first Derby and Preakness winner trained at Los Alamitos Race Course in Cypress, California; and

WHEREAS, Success is the result of teamwork and California Chrome's campaign is no exception. Jockey Victor Espinoza guided the colt to those six straight stakes wins. Assistant trainer Alan Sherman served as his father's right-hand man and accompanied their Triple Crown candidate for six weeks on the road; and

WHEREAS, Groom Raul Rodriguez became California Chrome's constant companion, attending to his every need. Exercise rider Willie Delgado made sure the colt paid attention to his morning lessons; and

WHEREAS, California Chrome's Triple Crown bid fell short when he injured a hoof at the start of the 146th Belmont Stakes, yet valiantly finished tied for fourth only 1¼ lengths from victory. That loss did not diminish his amazing accomplishments; and

WHEREAS, In any sport, it takes an extraordinary athlete to become a household name. California Chrome joined a short list of such equine superstars as Seabiscuit and Secretariat with cross-over appeal and the ability to make new fans as evidenced by his thousands of "Chromies"; and

WHEREAS, California Chrome became, as Art Sherman said, a "California rock star" and the latest example that California dreams can come true; and

WHEREAS, California Chrome's grit, determination, and heart carried him far beyond this state; it made California Chrome "America's horse"; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the Assembly of the State of California, the Senate thereof concurring, That the Legislature recognizes the outstanding performance of California Chrome during his remarkable run for thoroughbred horse racing's Triple Crown, and, in particular, for his tremendous victories in the Kentucky Derby and the Preakness Stakes; and be it further

Resolved, That the Legislature recognizes and congratulates the many Californians who are part of the ownership group, breeding and training cadre, and other essential elements that led to the success of California Chrome; and be it further

Resolved, That the Legislature recognizes the storied history of thoroughbred horse racing in California, the Cal-bred Program, and its important contributions to job creation and the state's economy that result from a vibrant California thoroughbred horse racing industry; and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly transmit copies of this resolution to the author for appropriate distribution.

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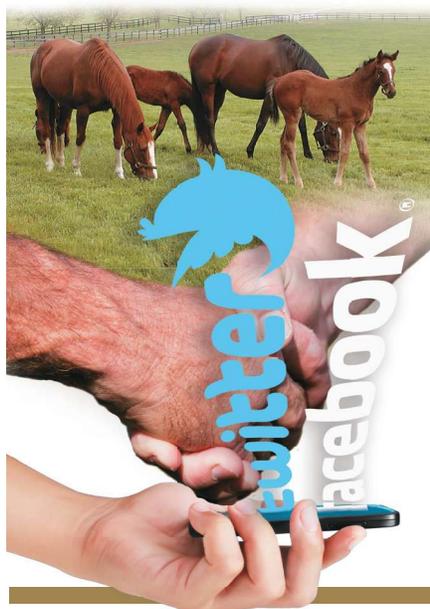


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Big Macher won the grade I Bing Crosby Stakes for owners Brendan Bakir and Tom Mansor, becoming the third consecutive California-bred to capture the Del Mar event.

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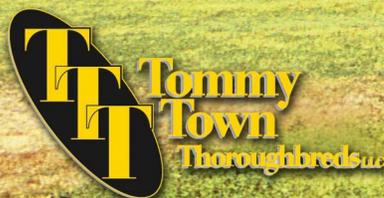
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HONORING THE CHAMPION

STATE LEADERS LAUD CALIFORNIA CHROME AUG. 14



Sen. Lou Correa, author of the California Senate resolution honoring California Chrome, is shown here reading the resolution on the Senate floor.

LORIE SHELLEY PHOTOS



Sen. Alex Padilla admires the Woodlawn Vase given to the owners of California Chrome in the Preakness winner's circle



Sen. Kevin De Leon (center) with co-owner/breeders Denise and Perry Martin (left) and Steve and Carolyn Coburn



Sen. Andy Vidak, with the owners of California Chrome sporting a button produced by the CTBA prior to the Kentucky Derby



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Members of the California State Assembly, including Speaker Emeritus John A. Perez and Assembly member Isadore Hall III, chair of the Assembly Governmental Organization Committee, recognizing the accomplishments of California Chrome. Hall is shown on the right reading the resolution on the Assembly floor.

California Chrome took the first two legs of the Triple Crown with a 1¼-length win the Kentucky Derby followed by an easy triumph in the Preakness Stakes (inset) two weeks later.

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JONES, SOLIS INDUCTED INTO NATIONAL HALL OF FAME

Former trainer **Gary Jones** and jockey **Alex Solis** were inducted into the National Museum of Racing Hall of Fame in Saratoga Springs, N.Y., Aug. 11. Both have been connected to California champions—Jones as the trainer of Best Pal and Fali Time and Solis as the regular rider of Snow Chief.

The son of Farrell Jones, a leading California trainer for many years, and the father of current trainer Marty Jones, Gary Jones won 1,459 races for earnings of more than \$52.6 million.

Jones trained 1983 California-bred Horse of the Year Fali Time, and he conditioned three-time Cal-bred Horse of the Year Best Pal through much of his career.

Fali Time, owned and bred by Jim Mamakos and Marc Stubrin, won the 1983 Norfolk Stakes (gr. I) and Hollywood Futurity (gr. I). The following year he captured the San Felipe Handicap (gr. I). Fali Time finished a game fifth in Swale's Kentucky Derby (gr. I) after fourth-place Gate Dancer bumped him several times in the stretch. Gate Dancer was disqualified to fifth, moving Fali Time up to fourth.

When Jones trained John and Betty Mabee's homebred Best Pal, the gelding won such stakes as the Santa Anita Handicap (gr. I), Hollywood Gold Cup (gr. I), Charles H. Strub Stakes (gr. I), and Oaklawn Handicap (gr. I).

Solis has piloted nearly 5,000 winners throughout his career for purse earnings of more than \$235 million. With three-time Cal-bred Horse of the Year Snow Chief, Solis won such races as the 1986 Preakness Stakes (gr. I), Santa Anita Derby (gr. I), and Florida Derby (gr. I).



Both Alex Solis (above) and Gary Jones have been connected to California champions



HALO DOLLY RETIRED

California-bred millionaire Halo Dolly has been retired from racing. Jerry Hollendorfer trained the 6-year-old daughter of Popular—Spanish Halo, by Comic Strip for himself, Daniel and Yolanda Hoefflin, Michael O'Farrell, Charlie Robin, George Todaro, and Joseph Schneider.

The consistent mare won 18 of 40 races, 10 in stakes, with seven seconds and six thirds for earnings of \$1,016,466. She captured three consecutive Solana Beach Handicaps at Del Mar, as well as the 2012 Yellow Ribbon Handicap (gr. IIT) and Wilshire Handicap (gr. IIIT). Halo Dolly was named California's champion older female of 2012.

Rod and Lorraine Rodriguez, who stand Popular at their Cottonwood Creek Ranch in Cottonwood, Calif., bred Halo Dolly, who is also featured in the Millionaires' Row section of this issue, page 20.

STALLION NEWS

■ Eddington Has Monmouth Stakes Winner

Joya Real, Kentucky-bred daughter of California stallion Eddington, won the Aug. 10 Fort Monmouth Stakes at Monmouth Park. She won the turf race at about 5½ furlongs by a length in 1:01.68. G. L. Zwerling bred the 5-year-old mare, who is out of the Regal Classic mare Regal Locket. Eddington stands at Ballena Vista Farm in Ramona, Calif.



Cal-breds Big Part of Del Mar Paddock Sale

Thirty-seven percent of the horses sold at the third Del Mar Paddock Sale were Cal-breds. In addition, Ciao Bella Luna, a Kentucky-bred daughter of Tribal Rule eligible for Cal-bred and Cal-sired races, sold for \$250,000, the third-highest price of the sale.

Run by Barretts Sales & Racing, the sale was being conducted for the third year. The average rose 52.8% over 2013, with 19 horses grossing \$2,147,000 and averaging \$113,000.

SF Bloodstock purchased Ciao Bella Luna, a 4-year-old daughter of deceased California stallion Tribal Rule out of the Conquistador Cielo mare Shadow of the Moon. Steven Venosa's SGV Thoroughbreds consigned the filly as agent.

Ciao Bella Luna won the 2014 Sunshine Millions Filly and Mare Turf Sprint Stakes at Santa Anita and the 2013 Beaumont Stakes (gr. II) at Keeneland. She has earned \$284,110.

Venosa sold three of the seven Cal-breds in the sale, including Roper for \$65,000 to Ali Nilfourushan. Roper is a 2-year-old gelded son of Cindago—Susan's Wildcat, by Forest Wildcat.



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TRIBAL RULE (1996) †	590	37
STORMIN FEVER (1994)	757	31
OLYMPIO (1988) †	547	30
SWISS YODELER (1994)	760	29
GAME PLAN (1993)	437	24
OLD TOPPER (1995)	526	23
KAFWAIN (2000)	485	22
SEA OF SECRETS (1995)	456	21
ROCKY BAR (1998)	117	17

† Indicates stallions who have died or have been retired from the stud.
 ● Indicates stallions who have moved out of state but have California-bred two-year-olds of this year. All sires will remain on the list until the year after their last foals are two-year-olds

CAL EXPO TRACK RENAMED FOR KIRK BREED

The California Exposition and State Fair racetrack at Sacramento has been renamed the Kirk Breed Memorial Race Track for the late executive director of the California Horse Racing Board and Cal Expo official.

Breed served as the executive director of the CHRB from 2008 until his death in 2013. He earlier had been the general manager at Cal Expo and spent eight years on the Cal Expo board of directors. A memorial plaque in his honor will be placed on the racetrack grounds.

QUALIFYING CLAIMING LEVELS

The following claiming levels for California owners premiums and stallion awards are currently in effect:

GOLDEN GATE FIELDS/\$20,000

LOS ALAMITOS/\$40,000

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SANTA ANITA/\$40,000

THIS MONTH IN HISTORY

10 YEARS AGO

A little-known former claimer named **LAVA MAN** won the Derby Trial Stakes at Fairplex Park Sept. 13, 2004. It was the first stakes victory for the 3-year-old California-bred gelding by Slew City Slew—Li'l Ms. Leonard, by Nostalgia's Star, and the first start for new owners STD Racing Stable and Jason Wood. Trainer Doug O'Neill had just claimed Lava Man for them at Del Mar for \$50,000. It wouldn't be long



Bel's Starlet winning the CTBA Stakes at Del Mar in 1989

Stakes at Del Mar Sept. 11, 1989. John and Betty Mabee's Golden Eagle Farm in nearby Ramona bred the daughter of Bel Bolide—Vigor's Star, by Vigors, and Richard Mandella trained her for them. Bel's Starlet eventually ran her lifetime earnings to \$863,802, with nine stakes victories, including two runnings of the California Cup Distaff Handicap.



Lava Man won two Santa Anita Handicaps (Gr. I)

before everyone in California knew Lava Man. Bred by Lonnie Arterburn and Eve and Kim Kuhlmann, he went on to earn \$5,268,706 while winning such stakes as three editions of the Hollywood Gold Cup (gr. I) and two Santa Anita Handicaps (gr. I).

50 YEARS AGO

ADMIRABLY, one of the many top runners to come out of the Johnston family's Old English Rancho, capitalized on her victory in a division of the Junior Miss Stakes at Del Mar to add the Del Mar Debutante Sept. 5, 1964. That gave her a perfect four-for-four record to that time. She later added stakes victories at Hollywood Park, Golden Gate Fields, and Bay Meadows and equaled a world record for six furlongs. E. B. Johnston bred the daughter of Oceanus II—Star Radiance, by Buy and Sell, and E. J. Anderson campaigned her.

25 YEARS AGO

California-bred **BEL'S STARLET** put herself on the stakes-winning path when she captured the California Thoroughbred Breeders Association

CITY OF HOPE TO BENEFIT FROM BREEDERS' CUP

The City of Hope, a leading research and treatment center for cancer, diabetes, and other life-threatening diseases, has been selected for the second consecutive year as the primary non-profit beneficiary for the Breeders' Cup World Championships, scheduled for Oct. 31 and Nov. 1 at Santa Anita.

Breeders' Cup has set a goal of raising \$50,000 for City of Hope, which is headquartered in Duarte, Calif., just five miles from Santa Anita.

"We are very pleased to renew our partnership with City of Hope for this year's Breeders' Cup in Southern California," said Breeders' Cup President and CEO Craig Fravel.

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October Yearling
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DESERT STEEL
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SHERMAN RECEIVES PINCAY AWARD

Art Sherman, the trainer of California-bred California Chrome, received the Laffit Pincay Jr. Award at Del Mar July 27. Along with Del Mar's president and CEO Joe Harper, Hall of Fame rider Pincay presented the award to Sherman in the Del Mar winner's circle during the races.

"To me, it's a very prestigious award, and I'm very happy to receive it," said Sherman. "Laffit was a great rider, and we've been friends for a lot of years."

Del Mar was presenting its first Pincay Award, honoring an individual or group that serves racing with integrity, dedication, determination, and distinction. Hollywood Park began the Pincay Award in 2004.

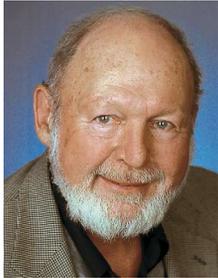


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IN MEMORIAM

RACING LOSES LANDSBURG, NICHOLAW

ALAN LANDSBURG and **GEORGE NICHOLAW**, two former chairmen of the California Horse Racing Board, died in August. Landsburg served as CHRHB chairman in 2001-02 and on the board from 2000 with a term that expired Jan. 1, 2004.



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LANDESBURG

Nicholaw was appointed in 1992 and reappointed in 1996 for a term that expired Jan. 1, 2000, and he served as chairman in 1999.

LANDSBURG, who died Aug. 14 at age 81, owned more than 400 racehorses after purchasing an interest in his first one in 1977. He was a founding director of the Thoroughbred Owners of California and instrumental in creating the TOC Owners Handbook to help new and existing racehorse owners. He served as chairman of TOC for three years.

A television writer, producer, and director, Landsburg was an Emmy Award winner and Oscar nominee. He was responsible for more than 2,000 hours of network programming and frequently addressed important social issues in his films.

NICHOLAW died Aug. 10 at age 86. He served as vice president and general manager of the Los Angeles-area radio all-news station KNX-AM from 1967-2003. He saw to it that KNX aired the stretch calls of Southern California Thoroughbred races with regularity.

While a CHRHB commissioner, Nicholaw was an advocate for horseplayers as chairman of the CHRHB Pari-Mutuel Operations Committee. Following his time as a CHRHB commissioner, he served on the board of the Winners Foundation.



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CORRECTION

Hollywood Producer, the first winner for the stallion Del Mar Show, was not claimed out of that victory, as incorrectly reported in the August issue of *California Thoroughbred*. The filly raced for a \$20,000 tag in the June 22 event at Santa Anita. Sammy Free Universe owns Hollywood Producer, who is trained by Walther Solis. She has since started twice more for those connections.



BEAU GENIUS

Beau Genius, the sire of 2014 Bing Crosby Stakes (gr. I) winner Big Macher, was euthanized July 25 due to his recent declining quality of life. The 29-year-old stallion stood at Donald Cohn's Ballena Vista Farm near Ramona, Calif.

An earner of \$1,055,600 on the track, Beau Genius won such stakes as the Philip H. Iselin Handicap (gr. I) and Michigan Mile and One-Eighth Handicap (gr. II). The son of Bold Ruckus—Royal Colleen, by Viceregal, began his stud career in Kentucky. He sired group I winner and Irish highweight Belle Genius in his first crop.

Ballena Vista acquired Beau Genius in 2000 to stand in California in 2001. Manuel Ochoa, manager of Ballena Vista, noted how easy Beau Genius was to handle.

"He's very kind to his mares and passes along his good temperament to the foals," Ochoa once said. "Of course, he loves his treats—you name it, cookies, peppermints, carrots, candy."

Beau Genius has sired 41 stakes winners to date. California-bred Big Macher, who in addition to the Bing Crosby has won the Potrero Grande Stakes (gr. II) and Donald Valpredo California Cup Sprint Stakes, is a member of the stallion's final crop.



CARLOS

"Beau Genius was a champion sire, a near champion racehorse, and was 100% class," said Cohn. "He thoroughly enjoyed his breeding career, his retirement, and his life of a champion. We at the farm will, the California racing community will, and the entire racing industry will deeply miss the presence and influence of Beau Genius."

THORN SONG

A little more than a week after California lost Beau Genius, Thorn Song died at Alamo Pintado Veterinary Clinic in Santa Ynez, Calif., from complications of severe laminitis. The 11-year-old son of Unbridled's Song—Festal, by Storm Bird, had stood at Harris Farms near Coalinga, Calif.

Thorn Song raced for Zayat Stables from 2005-09, his wins including the Shadwell Turf Mile Stakes (gr. IT) and Shoemaker Mile Stakes (gr. IT), and he earned \$1,132,700. After a career-ending injury in 2009, he spent 1½ years recovering at Alamo Pintado, undergoing stem-cell therapy there for his hoof issues.

He began his stud career at Harris in 2011 and has 27 2-year-olds of 2014 in his first crop and 42 yearlings. Harris Farms reported that Thorn Song covered 57 mares in 2013 and 11 mares during an abbreviated season this year.

"He was an inspiration to all involved with him," said John C. Harris of Harris Farms. "Although he had serious issues, his demeanor, personality, and spirit overcame them gallantly. Although his first crops are just now getting to the races, I have very high hopes for his runners, and he will leave a great legacy."



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CHRISTY CHAPMAN

Treasuring California Chrome

Claudia Roberts has loved horse racing since first visiting Santa Anita at the age of 10, when she followed jockeys Bill Shoemaker and Laffit Pincay Jr. around “like a teeny, tiny gnat.” When she discovered that she could buy a cooler worn by California Chrome and help retired racehorses through CARMA, she jumped at the chance.

The California Thoroughbred Breeders Association donated the cooler for the July 19 Cards 4 CARMA charity poker fundraiser at Del Mar. California Chrome had worn the cooler at Harris Farms, and trainer Art Sherman and jockey Victor Espinoza signed it. Roberts



COURTESY OF CLAUDIA ROBERTS

From left, Shayna, Menashe, Claudia, and Avi Roberts with California Chrome's cooler and photo (top) purchased at CARMA fundraiser

bought it for \$1,100, the top price of the silent auction and part of the more than \$70,000 raised for CARMA at the event.

“I was on the phone with my kids letting them know how the bidding was going and that I was determined to bring the blanket home to them,” said Roberts, who lives in Las Vegas. “I was fortunate enough to be the winning bidder, and now we have a piece of horse racing history in the house to treasure forever.”

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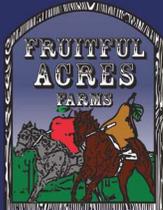


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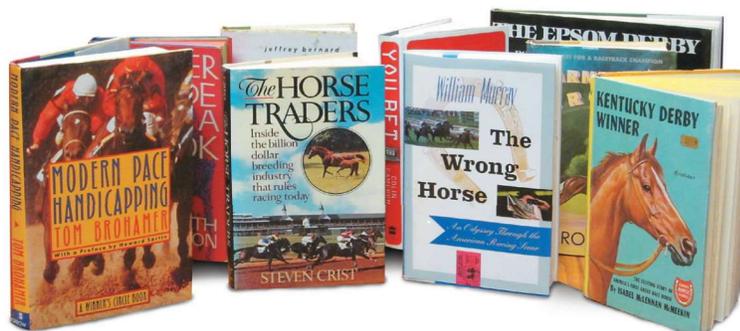
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Art Crombie, who worked as a pari-mutuel clerk, assistant trainer, groom, and hot walker, gave his collection of books to his friend Merwin (aka TurfGizard) Koepfel of Rancho Palos Verdes, Calif. Crombie and his wife returned to Scotland when he was told he had only a short time to live; he died shortly thereafter.

Koepfel, a retired veteran mutuel employee, decided to place the books where they would be accessible for reading and so donated them to the Carleton F. Burke Memorial Library, which is open to the public at the California Thoroughbred Breeders Association office in Arcadia.

The collection includes books about horses and stables, biographies of riders in the United States and United Kingdom, and betting and handicapping books.

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Sat., April 5	SA	Evening Jewel	Fillies, Three-Year-Olds	6 1/2 F	\$200,000
Sat., April 26	SA	Snow Chief	Three-Year-Olds	1 1/8 M (Turf)	\$250,000
Sat., April 26	SA	Melair	Fillies, Three-Year-Olds	1 1/16 M	\$250,000
Sat., April 26	SA	Tiznow	Four-Year-Olds & Up	1M	\$125,000
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Sun., June 8	SA	Crystal Water	Four-Year-Olds & Up	1M (Turf)	\$100,000
Sun., June 8	GGF	Campanile	Fillies, Three-Year-Olds	1M (Turf)	\$100,000
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Fri., July 18	DMR	CTBA Stakes	Fillies, Two-Year-Olds	5 1/2 F	\$100,000
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CREATING CUSTOMERS THROUGH SOCIAL MEDIA



BY EMILY SHIELDS

Southern California trainer Doug O'Neill believes in creating as many new racing fans as possible, and he utilizes social media to obtain this goal. On Feb. 16, the fan-friendly barn decided to thank its followers by offering a simple contest: The first 50 people to respond to its online posting would receive a horseshoe worn by one of its stakes stars.

The response was overwhelming.

"We had an instant reaction to the post," said Sharla Sanders, who runs O'Neill's social media (Twitter handle: @DougONeill1). "Within two hours 600 requests for shoes had flooded our inbox, and we easily gained another 100 new followers trying to win a shoe."

Cultivating such a following, comprising both fans and owner/breeder clients, takes effort and skill. But the use of social media is becoming a must for many businesses, including those in horse racing. This second of a two-part series analyzes the use of social media in the industry. (For Part 1, see the August issue, page 14.)

If a person isn't already on Facebook or Twitter, it can be intimidating to get started. Jose Contreras (@LosPonies) knows this, and he has come up with a way to ease people into the process. Contreras, who is also a handicapper, serves as a brand ambassador for America's Best Racing, a promotional and marketing program created by The Jockey Club.

"Rather than learning how to download and use a phone app, it's better to

In an effort to thank his many fans, Doug O'Neill's stable decided to give away horsehoes from its stakes stars like Goldcentents.



explain social media as a website, just www.twitter.com or www.facebook.com," he said. "It's much easier to direct people there, just like using any other website."

Once you open an account, questions arise. Who should maintain the account? Should there be a schedule of postings? What is the best way to grow the brand?

Social media tends to fall under the marketing umbrella, and it isn't always necessary to hire someone solely dedicated to posting updates, depending on the size of the business.

When it comes to hiring new contributors, Television Games Network's Associate Marketing Manager Danny Kovoloff recommends, "We keep a close eye on what's out there and have approached people we see as enthusiastic, engaging, and ultimately love and know horse racing. We are trying lots of new things with morning workout snaps from external contributors and will continue to try new things and see what resonates well on social."

The scheduling of posts and tweets is also a concern.

"We have found that being consistent in posting has worked the best, such as updating Facebook and tweeting something every day," said Leanna Packard, marketing coordinator for WinStar Farm. "But we never want to inundate our followers to where they block us. We post

more news on Twitter while using it as a news outlet medium, and on Facebook we put the things people connect with, such as fun photos."

Reaching a wide variety of people is important, which means knowing the diversity in your clientele and catering to them. Kovoloff says that TVG has "an eclectic

Because of the faceless nature of online communication, it is important to develop a "voice" for each business social media account.

Kovoloff notes that TVG (@TVG) does plan its tweets and updates in advance, but that, "if a news story breaks, we have to react and amplify it straight away. We see social media as a great way for people to find the TVG brand and stay with it."

Keeping followers engaged, even on a day without news or racing, is important to the marketing team at the New York Racing Association (@TheNYRA).

"If it's a quiet day, or if we have a card cancellation, we do trivia," said Susie Raisher, a NYRA marketing representative. "Fans are used to seeing content from us, and something fun like trivia or other contests is a good way to continue to reach people."

and wide audience that requires different strategies for each social media channel."

While the TVG media team makes sure to alert followers of upcoming major races to bet on, they also try to recruit new clients in other ways. In advance of the 2014 Kentucky Derby Presented by Yum! Brands (gr. I), TVG put together a YouTube video called the Catucky Derby, which featured kittens running for miniature roses. The viral video was preceded by an ad touting a sign-up bonus at TVG's website.

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Marking posts with a hashtag allows users to group or search for a certain word or character string

“It comes down to being approachable and posting with a good amount of personality,” said Contreras. “People want to feel like they aren’t talking to a robot, and users naturally navigate to the people who are interacting with them. Social media is where we can promote the sport more, and it doesn’t cost you anything.”

Kovoloff said, “Everything we do should fall back to a friendly, fun, and informative voice. We actively encourage our hosts to engage with their fans.” Although there are no written rules for on-line behavior, TVG encourages its hosts to “employ a common-sense approach. When they are on social media, they know it’s the same as if being live on air.”

The Woodbine Entertainment Group in Toronto, Canada, also encourages its hosts to use Twitter (@WoodbineRacing). John Siscos, Woodbine’s director of communications, noted that there are no written rules for online postings, but that “Woodbine’s Twitter content providers are encouraged to do so in their own style.”

Once the online presence has been established, growing a brand and expanding business follow. WinStar Farm (@WinStarFarm) uses its farm slogan, “Dream Big,” as a hashtag in all of its posts (#dreambig).

Marking posts with a hashtag allows users to group or search for a certain word or character string. For example, searching for #KYDerby2014 returns thousands of posts. It also helps establish the brand.

“We use our ‘Dream Big’ slogan so that folks can identify with us,” Packard said. “Whether they see it on an ad or in a post, they think of us.”

After you have established your account and are comfortable with the web-based versions of the media platforms, you can use applications such as TweetDeck or Hootsuite to monitor content.

“Using a program like Hootsuite is vital to make the most out of our online presence,” Kovoloff said. “It’s able to con-

vert the constant flow of information on Twitter into precisely what I need. At any given moment I may be monitoring dozens of topics, hashtags, and brand mentions as well as valuable feedback from our customers.”

Contreras understands that the use of social media is simply another form of good old-fashioned marketing.

“It comes down to connecting with the people who need the content you’re trying to provide,” he said. “I use Twitter to con-

nect with the people who are interested in what I have to offer, whether that be my handicapping picks or something else.”

And there is always the contest method to add page views and followers.

“It was evident very early that the power to communicate using social media was the wave of the future,” Sanders said. “I like to set goals and continue to grow our outreach of fans. When we are getting close to another milestone number (of followers), I will come up with an idea to promote our Facebook or Twitter pages. Doug gives me the latitude to set up the contests. We will continue to meet our goals by utilizing this marketing strategy.” **CTB**



TweetDeck organizes tweets which in turn allows for an effective way to follow favorites









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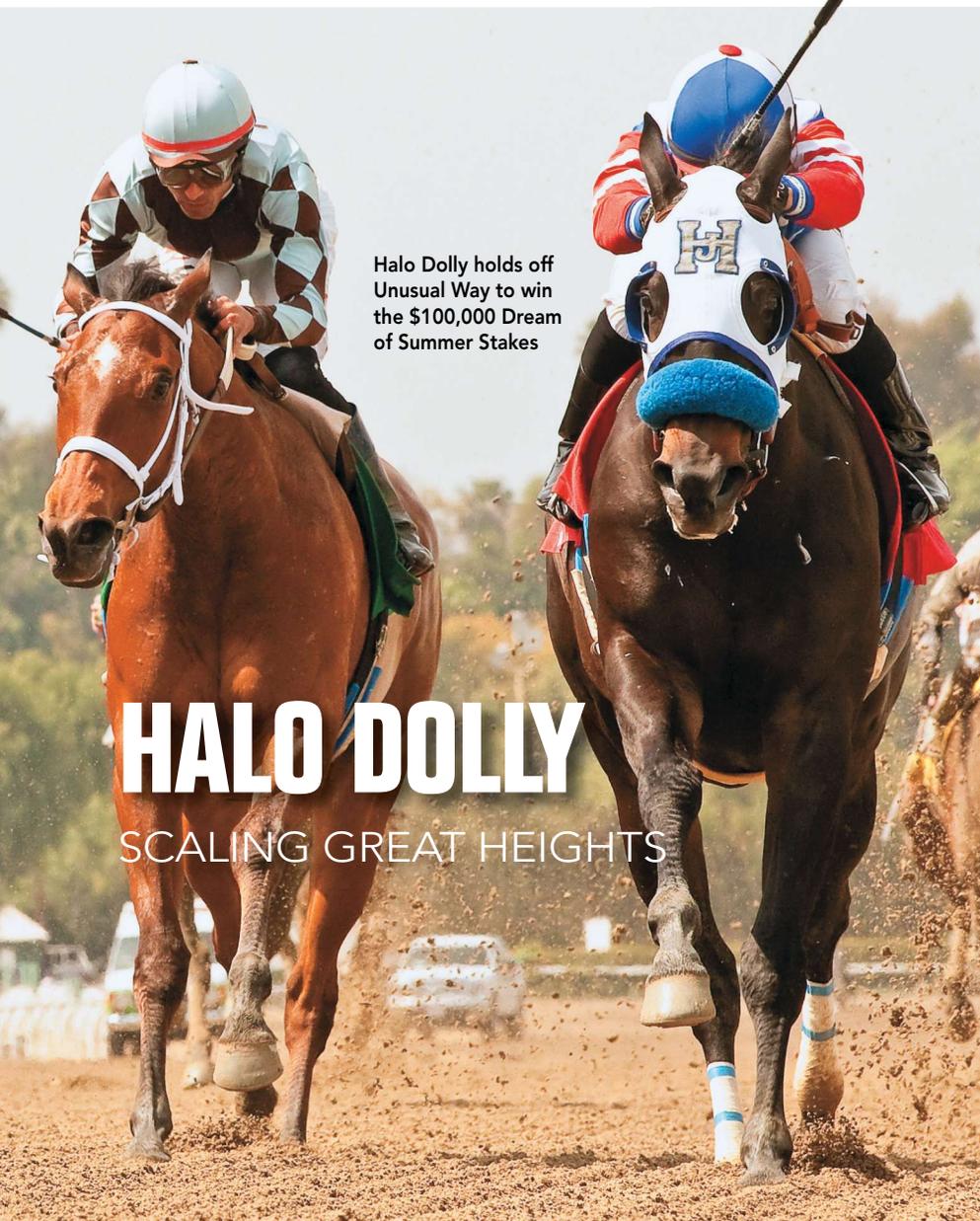








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Halo Dolly holds off Unusual Way to win the \$100,000 Dream of Summer Stakes

HALO DOLLY

SCALING GREAT HEIGHTS

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BY EMILY SHIELDS

From birth everything about Halo Dolly seemed pleasantly average. “She was attractive but wasn’t a standout,” said Lorraine Rodriguez, who bred Halo Dolly with her husband, Rod. “She wasn’t hard to work with, never had any injuries. She had no outstanding qualities that made you think she would turn into an iron horse.”

Defying expectations, Halo Dolly went on to win 18 of 40 starts, becoming California’s 61st millionaire.

The Rodriguezes mated their unraced Comic Strip mare Spanish Halo to grade III winner Popular, a stallion they stand at their Cottonwood Creek Ranch. Spanish Halo’s first foal was the winning Roman

Dancer filly Oksistka, who placed in the Analogichnya One Thousand Guineas Stakes and several other major events in Russia in 2010. But when Halo Dolly was foaled, there was no reason to think she would be anything special.

“We send all our horses to Greg James to train at his facility in Utah,” Rodriguez

explained. “He’s been wonderful to us.”

James bought Halo Dolly with partner Roger Wynn and debuted her for a \$32,000 tag at Golden Gate Fields Dec. 31, 2010. She finished third in a four-horse field, but stepped up to be second in her next start.

Halo Dolly put it together Feb 17, 2011, in a one-mile maiden race on Golden Gate’s synthetic main track. She broke last in a seven-horse field, then rallied wide around the turn to draw clear and score by four lengths.

The dazzling victory caught the eye of bloodstock agent Kyle Kaenel.

“She sat back and ran past the others like an older horse,” said Kaenel. “I spoke with Mr. James, contacted Jerry (Hollendorfer), and got everything going within 48 hours.”

Convincing trainer Jerry Hollendorfer to buy into the filly was easy, but thanks to her modest pedigree, getting others on-board took more effort.

“Once everybody put the past performances down and actually watched the race, they were excited to get involved,” Kaenel said.

The new ownership group included Daniel and Yolanda Hoefflin, Michael O’Farrell, Charlie Robin, George Todaro, Joseph Schneider, and Brett Tahajian.

After two starts for her new connections, Halo Dolly went on a five-race win streak, spanning four racetracks and all surfaces. First, she took allowances on the turf and synthetic at Golden Gate, and on dirt at Pleasanton, then she romped by 5½ lengths in the \$61,910 Diamond Jubilee Stakes on the grass at Santa Rosa. The \$100,000 Solana Beach Handicap over older mares at Del Mar completed the streak.

After a trip to Parx Racing in Pennsylvania for a disappointing effort in the Cotillion Stakes (gr. II), Halo Dolly won another allowance and finished second by three-quarters of a length in the \$75,560 Pacific Heights Stakes to complete the season. She started 12 times in 2011 and won seven of them.

Following a pair of allowance victories split by losses in the Valentine Dancer and B. Thoughtful Stakes, Halo Dolly added the \$71,750 Fran’s Valentine Stakes at Betfair Hollywood Park to her resume. She ran her rivals—including multiple stakes winner Sugarinthemorning—off their

feet, leading throughout to score by 2½ lengths.

She returned to Pleasanton for the \$60,950 Alameda County Fillies and Mares Stakes, a 1¼-mile contest on the dirt, and promptly won that, too. Jockey Russell Baze, who would ultimately ride Halo Dolly in 20 of her starts, was aboard for the victory.

During the seven-week Del Mar summer meet, Halo Dolly started three times. She finished third, beaten a half-length, in the Osunitas Stakes against open company, then wheeled back to win her second consecutive Solana Beach Handicap. In a dramatic finish Halo Dolly rallied from last to score by a half-length over Unusual Hottie, who had won two in a row going into the race.

By that time Halo Dolly had proved she could win on all surfaces and at multiple distances. She had won by leading from the gate and rallying from last. Despite her credentials, Halo Dolly was sent off as the 5-1 fourth choice in a field of eight gathered for the \$250,000 Yellow Ribbon Handicap (gr. IIT). In a sweeping move she blew by John C. Mabee Stakes (gr. IIT) winner City to City, also trained by Hollendorfer, to win by 1¼ lengths.

Off her success at Del Mar, Halo Dolly made a second and final cross-country trip for the \$600,000 Flower Bowl Invitational Stakes (gr. IT) at Belmont Park. A stellar performance there would have earned her a ticket to the Breeders' Cup Filly and Mare



Halo Dolly adds to her coffers by winning the grade III Wilshire Handicap

Turf (gr. IT), but on a yielding course Halo Dolly trailed the field of eight after pressing the pace and returned to Golden Gate.

The \$64,300 Miss America Stakes was Halo Dolly's final win of the year. She concluded the season with a fourth-place effort in the \$151,000 Robert J Frankel Stakes (gr. IIIT), her 12th start of the season. Halo Dolly was named California's champion older female.

It took four tries for Halo Dolly to reach the winner's circle in 2013, but when she did, it was at the expense of six rivals in the \$100,500 Wilshire Handicap (gr. IIIT). She outran Long Face and 3-2 favorite Moone's My Name in the one-mile event. The effort propelled her into the \$250,500 Gamely Stakes (gr. IT), where Halo Dolly finished fourth.

A third Solana Beach Handicap title beckoned. Favoritism in the race went to

Unusual Hottie. The Unusual Heat filly was coming off two wins and one narrow loss by a neck, all in stakes company. Heedless of her rival's credentials, Halo Dolly won her third straight Solana Beach, scoring by a half-length under jockey Rafael Bejarano.

Halo Dolly was unable to defend her title in either the Yellow Ribbon or the Miss America Stakes, but Hollendorfer shrewdly returned her to allowance conditions to get one more win in 2013. Halo Dolly made her 10th start of the season a winning one, scoring at Golden Gate by 1¼ lengths in workmanlike fashion.

Although there was some talk of retiring Halo Dolly as a broodmare, co-owner Michael O'Farrell said, "For a while Jerry was on the fence about racing her, but she was extremely sound. He decided to go ahead."

In her lone victory of 2014, Halo Dolly won the \$100,000 Dream of Summer Stakes March 23 at Santa Anita. She ran three more times, breaking the million-dollar threshold with a second-place finish in a Golden Gate allowance June 7. She finished second in the Luther Burbank Handicap and was retired after the race before she could attempt a fourth Solana Beach win.

The grand dark bay mare earned \$1,016,466 with 18 wins, seven seconds, and six thirds in 40 starts.

"Jerry managed her perfectly and capitalized on her being a Cal-bred," Kaenel said. "You don't ever see many horses stay on the top of their game for four years without a break."

Co-owner Dan Hoefflin added, "She just kept getting better and better. At first we thought just getting black type would be great, then maybe getting a graded placing. She kept pushing us higher and higher. Surpassing that million-dollar mark was beyond anything we ever imagined."

Hollendorfer will miss Halo Dolly, who is scheduled to be offered at the Keeneland November fall mixed sale.

"This kind of horse that is real consistent quickly becomes a barn favorite," he said. "She did all she was supposed to do and one hundred times more. She deserves to be a broodmare."

Hoefflin felt the same way: "Here was this little Cal-bred with ho-hum bloodlines, and she went on to be a wonderful thrill for us. I don't feel bad at all that it is time for her to be a mama." **CTB**



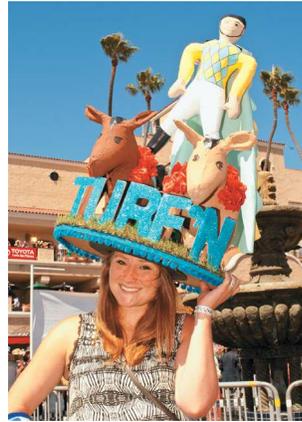
Trained by Jerry Hollendorfer, Halo Dolly takes the grade II Yellow Ribbon at Del Mar



AND THEY'RE OFF!

People plan their summer social calendar around Del Mar's opening day, and the party atmosphere is always a delight. The hats for the hat contest grow bigger and more elaborate every year, and the crowd traditionally sends off the horses in the first race with a huge cheer usually reserved at other tracks for the sport's biggest stakes.

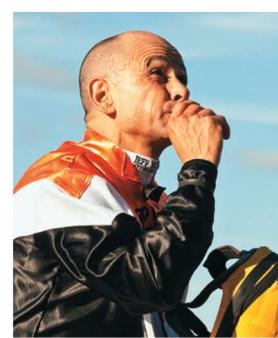
More than 42,000 people streamed into Del Mar for the opener, including several members of the California Assembly. They enjoyed the festivities, accompanied by the California Thoroughbred Breeders Association's Doug Burge and its legislative advocate, Robyn Black, along with California Thoroughbred Trainers representatives.



Del Mar's opener included the traditional hat contest, full fields on both the main track and the new turf course, and members of the California Assembly (upper right). After jockey Mike Smith won the Oceanside Stakes aboard *Enterprising*, he posed with Assemblyman Ian Calderone, Elise Lau, and Assemblyman Adam Gray. Trainer Doug O'Neill met with Assemblywoman Susan Bonilla and Assemblyman Jim Frazier and CTT legislative advocate Randy Perry in the paddock.



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NORTHERN SALE A HUGE SUCCESS

By any measure—gross, average, median, or top price—the 2014 Northern California Yearling and Horses of Racing Age Sale was a resounding success. Every figure increased by double or triple digit percentages at the Aug. 12 sale, held at the Alameda County Fairgrounds in Pleasanton, Calif., by CTBA Sales.



LORETTA VIEGA

Led by a record \$75,000 sale-topper, the yearlings grossed \$1,054,700 for 84 head sold, up an incredible 140.4% from the 2013 figure of \$438,700. Another eight horses of racing age added \$42,600 to that total.

“The improved results are a reflection on a better quality of horses in the sale,” said Doug Burge, president of the California Thoroughbred Breeders Association. “It was well supported by both sellers and buyers from Northern and Southern California.”

The yearlings averaged \$12,556, up 109% from the \$6,010 average last year

and a record for the sale, which began in 2004. The yearling median rose 25%, from \$4,000 in 2013 to \$5,000 in 2014. Of the 119 horses put through the ring, 27 did not sell, for a buy-back rate of 22.7%. Ten were withdrawn prior to the sale.

Elena Crim’s H & E Ranch consigned the sale-topper, a Kentucky-bred son of Forestry out of the stakes-placed Broken Vow mare Serious Vow. Randy Morris, who is in the insurance business in Anthem, Ariz., successfully bid \$75,000 for the colt, a half brother to Rowdy Dylan, last year’s sale-topper. The previous record price for the sale was \$72,000 in 2006.

Rowdy Dylan sold for \$60,000 in 2013, pinhooked into this year’s Barretts March sale for \$280,000, and broke his maiden July 12 at Los Alamitos. Morris and his trainer, Ed Moger Jr., bought the sale-topper in part because of Rowdy Dylan’s success.

“The horse looked good, and Ed Moger thought the horse was well conformed,” Morris said. He also purchased a filly by Archarcharch—Perfect Charm, by Charismatic, for \$5,000 from the H & E consignment.

Morris said that Moger trains a couple of horses for him. Moger also trained Morris’ homebred Yerkillinmesmall, a Cal-bred daughter of Old Topper who

“This year’s sale was quite wonderful for a lot of people. There were a lot of new faces, and the horses were very well prepared.”

— Elena Crim, consignor of the sale-topper

won seven races and is now a broodmare for Morris. Morris said that Yerkillinmesmall is in foal to Breeders’ Cup Classic (gr. I) and Belmont Stakes (gr. I) winner Drosselmeyer.

Morris planned to go only to \$65,000 for the Forestry colt, but he said the bidding quickly reached \$60,000 before he could get a spotter to pick up his bid.

“I talked to Moger for a minute,” said Morris. “Then I thought, ‘Well, I’ll bid \$75,000 and that’s it,’ because by then they were at \$70,000.”

Morris made the one bid at \$75,000 and got the colt.

Crim, who lives in Scottsdale, Ariz., sold three for a total of \$113,000. She also sold Rowdy Dylan last year.

“I choose the individuals for a particular sale that strike me as would suit that sale,” said Crim. “I want to participate in California. I live in the West. This year’s sale was quite wonderful for a lot of people. There were a lot of new faces, and the horses were very well prepared.”

This year's sale catalog received a boost from a new \$250,000 bonus offered by the CTBA. For any yearling going through the sale, the first one to win a grade I race in North America at 2, 3, or 4 will win the bonus, payable to the registered owner at the time of nomination to the sale.

"We felt that the owner incentive was a major success in enticing better quality to the catalog," said Burge. "We will continue to build on that."

The CTBA also offered a travel allowance of \$200 to trainers from Southern California and out of state who attended the sale and purchased a horse.

Al Bresciani of Woodland, Calif., bought the highest-priced filly at \$58,000, the second-highest price of the sale. Adrian Gonzalez' Checkmate Thoroughbreds, the sale's leading consignor with six sold for \$197,000, consigned the top-priced filly.

A California-bred daughter of Artie Schiller, the filly is out of the multiple stakes-winning Golden Voyager mare Paz Ciudadana, a Chilean-bred. The filly's bottom line is full of black type from Chile. Her second and third dam both won group events in that country.

"I like the way she was bred," said Bresciani. "I liked the mama's side. There are a lot of graded races in the second and third



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Yearling Forestry colt that sold for \$75,000 was the record NoCal sale-topper

dam. I look very heavily on the broodmare side of the pedigree."

Bresciani also bought a Cal-bred colt by Aragorn—Shout to the North, by Old Topper, for \$20,000 from Cheryl Bigon as agent. He said his daughter, Cindy Waterson, has joined him in his racing endeavors and that she was instrumental in selecting the two purchases.

The horses will go to Utah for breaking and their early lessons, said Bresciani, and then return to California to trainer Doug

Utley. Bresciani said that Utley currently trains Zenn Again for him. Zenn Again, a Cal-bred son of Kafwain—Ms Zenna, by Zen, sold for \$50,000 at the 2012 Northern California yearling sale.

While Gonzalez led all other consignors, Harris Farms as agent was right behind him, selling 17 for a total of \$194,500. Top price from Harris was a daughter of Lucky Pulpit, the sire of California Chrome. Lloyd Mason and Robert Jones bought the filly for \$43,000. She is out of the Rubiano mare Go Ruby Go, a half sister to stakes winners Miss Hot Salsa and Mr. Broad Blade.

Trainer Jeff Bonde was the sale's leading buyer, as he signed for three horses for a total of \$104,200. Those purchases included a colt and a filly for \$50,000 each.

Lovacres Ranch as agent, the sale's third-leading consignor, sold the colt, named Suavemente, a Cal-bred son of Grace Upon Grace—Air Force Woman, by Proud Irish. Air Force Woman is a stakes-placed full sister to stakes winner Royal Irish, and the colt's third dam is Santa Monica Handicap (gr. III) winner Her Royalty.

The sale's fourth-leading consignor, Sierra Sunset Ranch as agent, sold Bonde's other \$50,000 purchase, named Top Notch. She is a Cal-bred daughter of Old Topper—El Sierra Tahoe, by Royal Anthem, and is from the family of graded winner Ifyoucouldseemenow. **CTB**



Top-priced Artie Schiller filly brought \$58,000, the second-highest price at the sale



CROSBY BIG FOR CAL-BREDS

BIG MACHER THIRD CONSECUTIVE CAL-BRED WINNER

BY TRACY GANTZ

For the third consecutive year a California-bred has stood in the winner's circle following the Bing Crosby Stakes (gr. I) at Del Mar. Big Macher followed Points Offthebench and Amazombie for a Cal-bred triple.

In the 21st century, California has embraced the six-furlong Bing Crosby. Cal-breds Disturbingthepeace and Greg's Gold won the race in 2002 and 2006, while the 2010 winner, Kentucky-bred Smiling Tiger, now stands at stud in California.

Big Macher may have big shoes to fill—both Amazombie and Points Offthebench are Eclipse Award-winning sprinters—but he proved just as capable of pulling off a grade I victory. He even did it in front of recently retired Amazombie, who led the Bing Crosby post parade.

Local Del Mar connections abound in Big Macher's life. Four years previously the son of Beau Genius—Insight, by Kris S., was foaled at breeder Donald Cohn's Balena Vista Farm in Ramona, Calif., about 40 miles east of Del Mar. The gelding is now owned by Brendan Bakir's Tachycardia Stables, based in Malibu, Calif., and Tom Mansor of San Diego.

Mansor began attending the races at Del Mar in 1953. To stand in the winner's circle 61 years later as the co-owner of a grade I winner put a gigantic smile on his face.

"Three years ago when I retired, I had a few bucks," said Mansor, explaining how he became an owner. "Brendan Bakir and I started buying horses, and we got lucky."

It wasn't simply luck. Bakir said he selected Big Macher for his size and pedigree, claiming him for \$20,000 the first time the Cal-bred appeared



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Big Macher becomes third consecutive Cal-bred to win the grade I Bing Crosby Stakes

in a race—July 17, 2013, at Del Mar.

"I picked three horses out of the same race, not knowing that I could only claim two," said Bakir.

Fortunately, Big Macher was one of the two, and it was \$20,000 well spent. Before the year drew to a close, Big Macher had graduated to allowance winner, and this year he has blasted into stakes competition. He has earned \$496,428.

The stakes onslaught began in the Jan. 25 Donald Valpredo California Cup Sprint Stakes, which Big Macher won by 1³/₄ lengths. Second in the March 8 San Carlos Stakes (gr. II) to Sahara Sky, Big Macher added the April 12 Potrero Grande Stakes (gr. II).

"He had a little setback (a quarter crack)," said trainer Richard Baltas, in explaining why Big Macher didn't start again until the Bing Crosby.

Goldcents, winner of the 2013 Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile (gr. I), went off as the 7-10 favorite in the Bing Crosby and tried valiantly to catch Big Macher in the stretch. But jockey Tyler Baze had settled Big Macher in third early and sent him for the lead as they turned for home.

"I have so much confidence in this horse," said Baze, who also rode him in the Potrero Grande. "He's all racehorse with a huge, huge heart."

Baltas, who was winning the first grade I race of his career, echoed the jockey's sentiments, saying "You can't teach heart to a horse—he either has it or he doesn't."

The Bing Crosby, as a "Win & You're In" race, gives Bakir and Mansor a guaranteed spot with entry fees paid in the Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint (gr. IT). Big Macher has never attempted the turf, and Baltas noted that he has several other options before having to make that decision. **CTB**



Connections all smiles after Big Macher's Bing Crosby win

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DEL MAR IS A REAL GOOD DEAL FOR CAL-BREDS

BY TRACY GANTZ

Del Mar brings opportunities for California-breds at every level of competition. The stakes schedule offers a plethora of chances, not only in graded company but also in stakes, especially for Cal-breds and California-sired runners.

Those stakes in the first half of Del Mar's meeting showcased five stellar performers, including two that kept their records perfect.

RED OUTLAW'S REAL GOOD DEAL

Three-year-old Red Outlaw has started only four times, but he has made each one count. Not only has he never lost, he has shown the versatility to win at four different tracks throughout California, most recently in the Aug. 1 Real Good Deal Stakes at Del Mar.

Red Outlaw comes from outstanding bloodlines. Bred by Marsha Naify's Liberty Road Stables, he is by recently deceased Tribal Rule, one of California's leading stallions. Red Outlaw's dam, Anachristina, has already produced Cal-bred Liberian Freighter, a multiple graded stakes winner, earner of \$759,090, and now an accomplished hunter-jumper.

Scott Sherwood, founder of Blinkers On Racing Stable, purchased Red Outlaw for \$40,000 from the consignment of Andy Havens' Havens Bloodstock Agency as agent for Liberty Road in the 2012 Barretts October yearling sale. Sherwood and his bloodstock adviser, trainer Greg Gilchrist, both liked the youngster.

"He was well-balanced, athletic-looking, and had good conformation," said Sherwood. "We liked the Tribal Rule, and he's a half to Liberian Freighter."

Sherwood added that Blinkers On has also bought more Cal-breds recently to take advantage of the Golden State Series and the Cal-bred bonuses.

Trained by Peter Miller, Red Outlaw started once last year at 2, winning a maiden race on Betfair Hollywood Park's Cushion Track. He began his 3-year-old season with a victory in an allowance optional claiming race on Golden Gate Fields' Tapeta



Red Outlaw's Real Good Deal was just that for his entourage, below



surface and then won the Baffle Stakes at Santa Anita on the turf. "This is probably the best horse we've had in the partnership since Turbulent Descent," said Sherwood. "It's really exciting for the partners."

Red Outlaw came into the \$201,000 Real Good Deal off a 5½-month layoff. Sherwood said the gelding had a small chip, "a flake, really," in his right front ankle. He bounced back from the surgery extremely well and went into the Real Good Deal as the third choice in the 12-horse field.

“The plan was to go to the front,” said Miller. “The speed was holding, and he’s such a game horse.”

Jockey Edwin Maldonado rode to instructions, sending Red Outlaw quickly to the lead. At one point they had three lengths on the field. Patriots Rule, racing wide, closed ground in the stretch, but he couldn’t catch Red Outlaw, who defeated him by a length, with Convoy third. Red Outlaw completed the seven furlongs in 1:22.68.

“This horse, he knows what he’s doing,” said Maldonado. “He waits on horses. When they come up to him, he goes again. He’s a pro.”

WAKE UP NICK’S GRADUATION

Dennis O’Neill is starting to make a habit of finding good horses for Paul Reddam at 2-year-old sales for \$35,000. In 2011 O’Neill paid that amount for I’ll Have Another, and Reddam won two-thirds of the Triple Crown with the colt.

Now O’Neill has done it again, this time with Cal-bred Wake Up Nick, who won the July 30 Graduation Stakes. At the 2014 Barretts March sale O’Neill bid \$35,000 for the son of Cindago—Storm Hearted, by Lion Hearted, from Havens Bloodstock Agency as agent. Lee and Susan Searing, who stood Cindago, bred the youngster.

“He was really good-looking,” said Dennis of why he bought the colt.

Reddam said he came up with the name Wake Up Nick for former jockey agent and “golfing adversary” Nick Cosato, explaining, “The name Wake Up Nick comes from when we had an 11 o’clock tee time, and Dennis had to yell at him, ‘Wake up, Nick.’”

Wake Up Nick hasn’t needed anyone to prod him into action. Dennis’ brother, trainer Doug O’Neill, debuted the colt in a May 1 maiden race at Santa Anita. The word was out because Wake Up Nick went off as the 1-2 favorite. He destroyed the field, storming home to win by 9¼ lengths.

That spurred O’Neill to jump the colt right into stakes company for the June 22 Santa Anita Juvenile Stakes. Wake Up Nick scored again, this time by three-quarters of a length.

Wake Up Nick faced five rivals in the \$100,000 Graduation Stakes at 5½ furlongs. He performed just like a 7-10 favorite should, dueling for the lead in the turn and drawing away in the stretch to win by 4¼ lengths in 1:04.49. Atta’ Boy Woody finished second, with Global Magician, third.

“He’s so professional,” said Doug O’Neill. “He gives you 110% all of the time, and how do you not love a horse like that?”

Not only does Wake Up Nick have the same connections as I’ll Have Another, with the Graduation he was capturing the race that put California Chrome on his path to wins in this year’s Kentucky Derby Presented by Yum! Brands (gr. I) and Preakness Stakes (gr. I).



Graduation day for Reddam Racing’s Wake Up Nick and trainer Doug O’Neill, second from right below



ROCK ME BABY’S CALIFORNIA DREAMIN’

Patience has paid off for the West Point Thoroughbreds partnership and trainer Craig Dollase. They have given Rock Me Baby time throughout his career, and he rewarded them with a victory in the July 27 California Dreamin’ Handicap.

“He’s had some injuries and setbacks, and the West Point group was very patient, trusting me to give him the time that he needed,” said Dollase. “This horse deserved this race after getting beat a head in it last year.”

In the 2013 California Dreamin’ on the turf, Rock Me Baby narrowly lost to He Be Fire N Ice. This year he had to compete on the main track after Del Mar took its races off the turf for several days as a precautionary measure after several breakdowns.

“He trains so well in the mornings on the Polytrack that it didn’t matter that it came off the turf,” said Dollase. “He’s very versatile, and he’s just as honest as the day is long. He’s just a pleasure to train.”

Corey Nakatani began riding Rock Me Baby this year, finishing fifth in an allowance optional claimer at Santa Anita and then third in the Bertrando Stakes at Los Alamitos.

“Corey is just getting to know him a little bit,” Dollase said.



West Point Thoroughbreds' patience paid off with Rock Me Baby's triumph in the California Dreamin' Stakes



"He was real patient when he worked him this past week, and he finished up really well."

Nakatani settled Rock Me Baby in sixth early in the \$150,500 California Dreamin' as Better Bet set the pace. Racing three wide on the second turn, Rock Me Baby ranged up to take the lead going into the stretch and drew off to win by 3/4 lengths in 1:41.91 for the 1 1/8 miles. Starspangled Heat closed from last for second, and Ethnic Dance finished third.

"He needed that last race," said Nakatani. "And he'd been going gangbusters in the morning."

A large contingent of West Point owners and their friends celebrated in the winner's circle. Terry Finley, the West Point founder and president, and agent Buzz Chace selected Rock Me Baby out of the 2011 Barretts March 2-year-old sale, getting him for \$210,000 from the consignment of Ciaran Dunne's Wavertree Stables.

Ernest Moody's Mercedes Stables bred Rock Me Baby in California from the stakes-placed Tale of the Cat mare Barbara Orr. The second dam, Forli's Slew, is a half sister to Horse of the Year Cigar. Rock Me Baby is by Rock Hard Ten, the 2005 Santa Anita Handicap (gr. I) winner that Moody raced in partnership.

GO WEST MARIE'S FLEET TREAT

Summer Mayberry lives in Florida, but she spent many years in California and knows the value of a Cal-bred. She trained

Cal-bred Marie's Rose, a daughter of Swiss Yodeler, to a third in the 2004 Fleet Treat Stakes and bred Go West Marie, a Cal-bred daughter of Marie's Rose who won the July 26 Fleet Treat.

When Marie's Rose went through the 2011 Barretts January mixed sale in foal to Western Fame, Mayberry bought her for \$2,700. She kept the mare in California to foal to make Go West Marie a Cal-bred.

"Marie's Rose lives at my house, on my five acres," Mayberry said. "Go West Marie was raised at Harris Farms. I broke her and put her in the 2-year-old sale."

Mayberry entered Go West Marie in the 2013 Ocala Breeders' Sales Co.'s spring 2-year-old sale, where she previewed a furlong in :10. The filly sold for \$52,000 to Funky Munky Stable.

Go West Marie started nine times in New York, winning two races and finishing third in the 2014 Dearly Precious Stakes. Bryan Anderson, the racing manager for Peter Redekop of Canada, bought her privately for Redekop and sent her to trainer Eddie Truman in California.



Go West Marie's fleet feet made her connections (opposite, top) very happy by taking the Fleet Treat Stakes



"I'm tickled that she's in California, and I love Eddie," said Mayberry. "Eddie did so well with another horse I bred, Pack Your Bags."

Cal-bred Pack Your Bags is a son of Flying Continental—Ultimate Honor, by Norquestor. Truman won several races with Pack Your Bags in Southern California before the gelding was claimed and eventually won the 2011 Lea County Sprint Stakes at Zia Park. Pack Your Bags has started once this year at age 9 and has earned \$348,368.

The Fleet Treat marked Truman's first Del Mar stakes victory.

"I've been coming here for 44 years," said Truman. "It feels fantastic. The main thing is to do it for Mr. Redekop. He's the one who steps up and takes the chance."

Go West Marie went off as the 17-10 favorite in the \$200,000 Fleet Treat after undefeated Sunday Rules became ill and had to be scratched. Rovenna also was scratched, leaving a field of six in the seven-furlong event.

Breaking on top, Go West Marie settled into second after Sprouts veered inward at the start and rushed up to take the lead. Bonus Spin and Shakeitupbetty had to steady early on.

Go West Marie, ridden by Kent Desormeaux, challenged Sprouts on the turn and held off Wonderful Lie in the stretch. She defeated Wonderful Lie by a half-length in 1:22.29. Grazenette finished third.

MY FIONA'S CTBA STAKES

When the young Cal-bred Ghostzapper filly was growing up at Terry Lovingier's Lovacres Ranch in Warner Springs, Calif., she demonstrated a feisty personality. It reminded Lovingier of the Fiona character on the TV show "Shameless," and so he named the filly My Fiona.

"The character kind of rules the roost and runs the family," said Lovingier, "and that's what this filly did out in the pasture."

My Fiona brought that feistiness to the race-track. Lovingier, who races My Fiona in a partnership that includes Tom Beckerle and Amanda Navarro, put her in the care of trainer Walther Solis. She scored by 3¼ lengths in her first race, a 4½-furlong state-bred maiden event May 18, and then finished third in the June 22 Landaluce Stakes, both at Santa Anita.

Lost Bus went off as the 7-10 favorite in the July 18 California Thoroughbred Breeders Association Stakes at Del Mar. Bettors made My Fiona the third choice at 11-2. With Fernando

Perez aboard, she "dropped her belly down" in the stretch, said Lovingier, and won by a neck. Even more impressive, My Fiona was winning at 5½ furlongs, stopping the clock in 1:04.90, whereas she is bred to like much more distance.

The \$100,500 CTBA Stakes gave Perez and Solis their first stakes victories at Del Mar, and in the case of Perez, his first-ever Del Mar win.

"She was a little green," said Perez. "When she got bumped (at the start), she didn't quite know what to do. But by the end of the race, she was running very well."

Lovingier bought A Vision in Gray, the dam of My Fiona, in foal to Ghostzapper at the 2011 Keeneland fall mixed sale. He was able to get her for the bargain price of \$18,000. Lovingier brought the mare to California to foal, breeding her back to Bushwacker so as to make My Fiona eligible for Cal-bred premiums.

"The baby coming up right behind My Fiona is a good baby," said Lovingier.

A Vision in Gray produced a 2013 colt by Bushwacker, who stands at Lovacres Ranch. The youngster will have to be very good to live up to his older half sister.

"If she continues to get better, maybe this is the kind of filly who could be good enough for the Breeders' Cup," said Lovingier. **CTB**



The smiling troops of My Fiona following her victory in the CTBA Stakes





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Truely Quick was certainly that in winning the Cavonnier Juvenile at Sonoma County Fair

Jeff Bonde trains Truely Quick for owners Philip Lebherz and George Schmitt. Lebherz and Schmitt bred the son of Yes It's True—Quick Emotions, by Golden Missile.

Earlier in the Santa Rosa meeting 5-year-old Sing and Tell won the \$64,350 Luther Burbank Handicap for older fillies and mares at 1 $\frac{1}{16}$ miles on the turf. Sing and Tell, ridden by Abel Cedillo, defeated Cal-bred millionaire Halo Dolly by three-quarters of a length in 1:43.72 to win the July 27 Burbank, with Irish-bred Freedom Reigns third.

Joe Daehling and Holly Evans own Sing and Tell, a daughter of Almagic—Refreshing Song, by Avenue of Flags. Evans trains the mare bred by Daehling Ranch. (For more information on Daehling, who is this month's CTBA Member Profile, and Sing and Tell, see page 34.)

Older distaffers met at 1 $\frac{1}{16}$ miles on dirt in the \$75,560 California Governor's Cup Handicap at Sacramento July 19. Top Kisser, with Northern California's riding star Russell Baze aboard, moved up to second behind Cal-bred Unusual Way's early pace after the first turn. Top Kisser took over on the second turn and held off the closing onslaught of Scarlet Strike to win by a half-length in 1:43.43. Cal-bred Vincenza finished third.

Tom and Debbie Stull's Tommy Town Thoroughbreds bred and own Top Kisser, a 5-year-old daughter of Tommy Town stallion Old Topper out of the Cherokee Run mare Cherokee Kiss. Jerry Hollendorfer trains the mare.

Top Kisser has spent most of her career in Southern California. She broke her maiden at Santa Anita in 2013 and won the Spring Fever Stakes at that track earlier this year.

Hollendorfer sent Top Kisser to the Northern California fair circuit this summer, where she finished third in the June 28 Oak Tree Distaff Stakes at Pleasanton to Tribal Gal and Unusual Way before the Governor's Cup. She has won six of 12 starts for earnings of \$322,900. **CTB**

Three California-breds acquitted themselves well in stakes at Santa Rosa and Sacramento. Truely Quick and Sing and Tell scored at the Sonoma County Fair in Santa Rosa while Top Kisser made her mark at the California State Fair in Sacramento.

Truely Quick had to survive an inquiry to capture the \$64,505 Cavonnier Juvenile Stakes for 2-year-olds Aug. 10 at Santa Rosa. With Ricardo Gonzalez in the saddle, the colt bounded to an early lead, only to have his stablemate, Cal-bred Lucky Fame, take over.

On the turn of the six-furlong event, favored Stand and Salute came up on the outside of the leaders, and the three raced as a team. Truely Quick and Stand and

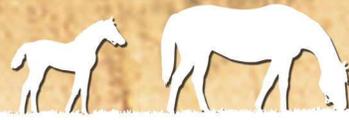
Salute battled through the stretch, and Truely Quick lugged out, prompting the inquiry. However, the stewards ruled that it didn't affect the order of finish and let the result stand.

Truely Quick defeated Stand and Salute by 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ lengths in 1:12.12. Cal-bred Naomi's Gift finished third. In his only start prior to the Cavonnier, Truely Quick won a maiden race, also during this year's Santa Rosa meeting.



Russell Baze guides Top Kisser to victory in the California Governor's Cup Handicap

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PROFILE

JOE DAEHLING

BY EMILY SHIELDS

Even as a young man in Germany, Joe Daehling “always liked horses,” but he couldn’t imagine where his passion would eventually take him.

He tilled the fields of his native country behind powerful workhorses, admiring them and learning the skill of farming.

“There were tractors in those days, but about half the work

was still done with horses,” he explained.

Daehling then immigrated to the United States in 1960, and after briefly pursuing life as an auto mechanic, he returned to agriculture.

“I wanted to eventually fulfill my dream of raising horses,” Daehling said. “In 1973 my wife, June, and I bought a 400-acre ranch.”

That property became Daehling Ranch in Elk Grove, Calif. While Daehling enjoyed mak-

ing a business out of accepting boarders, he had yet to get his foot in the door of the racing industry.

“I answered an ad for somebody who wanted to board a string of Thoroughbreds,” he said. “They brought out a whole bunch to live at the ranch. That’s how I got started, little by little.”

One of Daehling’s first Thoroughbreds was the farm’s foundation sire, Alymagic, an unraced son of Alydar. Alymagic’s graded stakes-winning dam, Huggle Duggle, by Never Bend, was out of the stakes-winning Swaps mare Crown the Queen. The pedigree was certainly there for Alymagic to become a successful sire, but garnering business was difficult.

“Breeders didn’t want to use him,” Daehling said. “In retrospect, maybe they should have.”

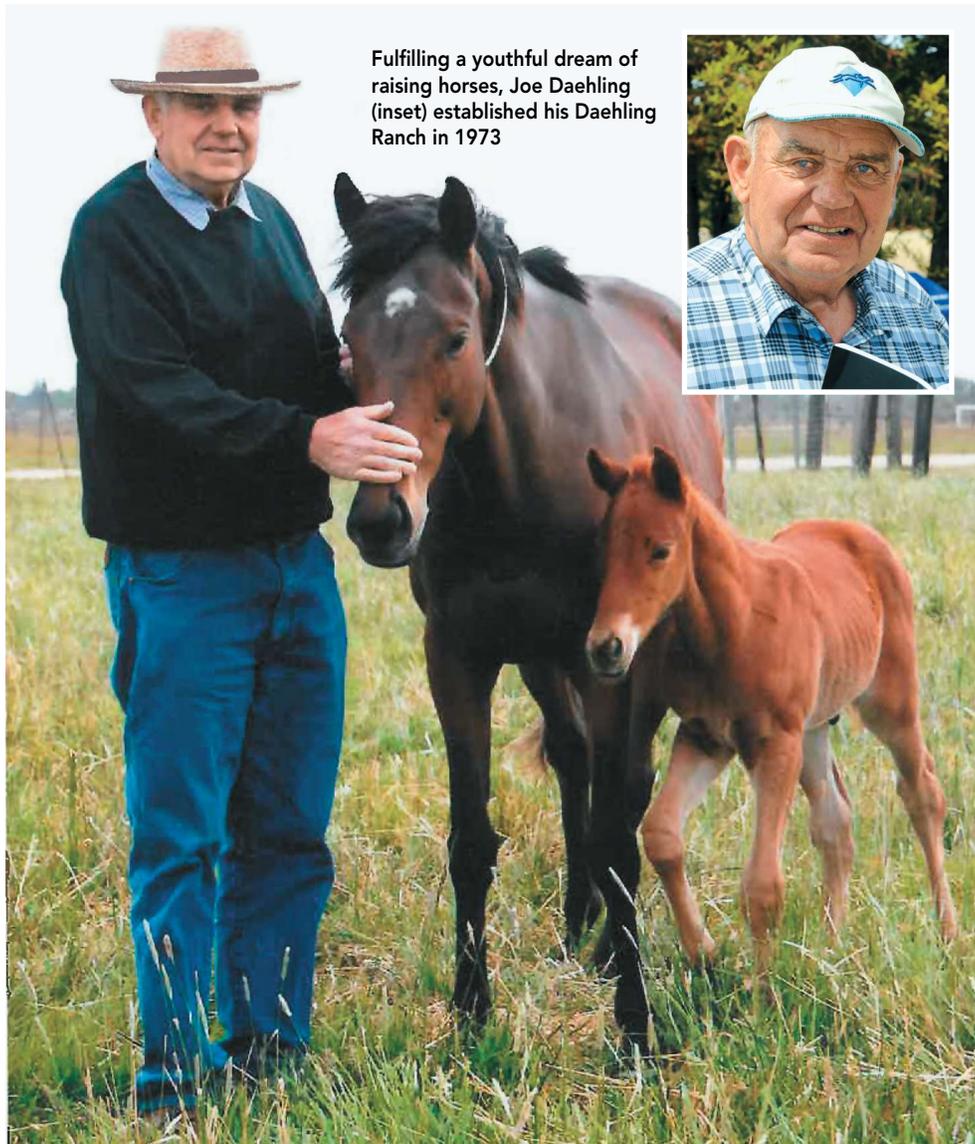
Alymagic had to prove his worth by siring runners on the track. One such runner was Daehling’s multiple graded stakes-placed Aly Bubba. He finished second behind Royal Gem in the 2002 Bay Meadows Derby (gr. IIIT), defeating eventual grade II winner Century City en route to earnings of \$218,479. Other offspring of Alymagic included multiple stakes-placed Cover Magic, stakes-placed Phantom Ali, and seven-time winner Flowing Rhythm.

Alymagic’s best runner has been Sing and Tell, a Daehling homebred born in 2009.

“She was bred at my ranch out of my mare Refreshing Song,” Daehling said. “I think you have to raise at least 20 horses before you can get a

FULFILLING A DREAM

Fulfilling a youthful dream of raising horses, Joe Daehling (inset) established his Daehling Ranch in 1973



COURTESY OF JOE DAEHLING

good one. Sing and Tell is that one.”

Refreshing Song never raced, but her first foal, the Candi's Gold mare Sing for Gold, won seven races and earned \$166,053 for Daehling and trainer Alex Paszkeicz.

Sing and Tell took 11 tries to break her maiden but ran creditably during that time. She never finished worse than fifth and racked up four seconds and three thirds before finding the winner's circle at Golden Gate Fields June 15, 2013. Sing and Tell made it back-to-back wins by taking a starter allowance on the grass there in her subsequent effort.

Holly Evans, Sing and Tell's trainer, co-owns the mare with Daehling, who says the two of them developed a friendship while Holly boarded horses at his ranch. “I started sending her just a few horses, then more and more.”

Under Evans' handling, California-bred Sing and Tell reeled off two more allowance wins, including one by a nose over open company at odds of 19-1. With four wins through the 2013 season, she entered 2014 with high expectations.

Another pair of allowance wins in May and June set Sing and Tell up for her stakes debut, the \$64,350 Luther Burbank Handicap at the Santa Rosa fair July 27. Although Sing and Tell was well backed at 5-2 for the 1 $\frac{1}{16}$ -mile contest, favoritism went to millionaire Halo Dolly, who had attained that benchmark while being beaten by Sing and Tell June 7.

Daehling developed a friendly rivalry with Michael O'Farrell, one of Halo Dolly's owners.

“He told me it was a fluke, and challenged me to a



Daehling's 5-year-old Alymagic mare Sing and Tell beats grade II winner Halo Dolly (2) in the Luther Burbank Handicap at Santa Rosa

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“ He told me it was a fluke, and challenged me to a rematch... We're still friends.”

— Daehling said about his friendly rivalry with Michael O'Farrell, one of Halo Dolly's owners

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In what proved to be Halo Dolly's final start, Sing and Tell won by three-quarters of a length under jockey Abel Cedillo.

“We're still friends,” Daehling joked.

With the Luther Burbank victory, which Daehling missed due to excessive traffic, Sing and Tell has won seven of 23 starts with six seconds and four thirds for earnings of \$237,802. When she is through racing, she will return to Daehling Ranch to be bred alongside her dam, Refreshing Song.

“I believe Thoroughbred breeding is a learning experience,” Daehling said. “I've been doing it for about 32 years now, and I'm still learning.”

Now 77, Daehling is learning with the help of a broodmare band of 18. He currently stands six stallions at his ranch.

Peppered Cat (Tabasco Cat—Morning Meadow, by Meadowlake) is the sire of stakes winner Pepper Crown. Sought After (Seeking the Gold—Smolensk, by Danzig) produced multiple stakes winner Control Seeker. Gotham City (Saint Ballado—What a Reality, by In Reality) was once a renowned \$2 million Barretts March sale purchase. Dual grade II winner Puerto Banus (Supremo—Drina, by Regal and Royal) is a half brother to Breeders' Cup Distaff (gr. I) winner Spain. Under Caution (A.P. Indy—Coldheartedcat, by Storm Cat) and Rendezvous (Victory Gallop—Halo Babe, by Southern Halo) complete the lineup.

Daehling Ranch is home to around 200 horses, which are bred, raised, and trained at the farm. A three-furlong, all-weather training track with a starting gate is available, and Daehling has a hand in breaking the youngsters as well.

“I really enjoy that part,” said Daehling. He also credits his right-hand man, Francisco Gomez, who has been with him for 24 years, for much of the farm's success, noting that “he practically sleeps with the horses.”

Daehling's daughter, Julia Oldfield, originally ran the farm's nursery, which is located on seven acres. But she has since partnered with her father to help maintain the farm itself. Daehling, a California Thoroughbred Breeders Association member since 1986, notes that they also have nearly 100 acres of wine grapes.

As a carriage-driving enthusiast, Daehling is the president of the local carriage club and hosts an annual carriage drive, which has been a farm fixture for 36 years. He squeezes it in between managing the farm, prepping 10 horses to go to the track later this year, and keeping an eye on the 10 horses he currently has with Evans.

“I can't get enough of horses,” Daehling proclaimed, which is perfect for the man who grew up in Germany dreaming about raising horses. **CTB**



Horses might be more content with stall rest if they can hang their heads out and see what's going on outside

STALL REST

DEALING WITH CHALLENGES

ERIN RYDER

BY HEATHER SMITH THOMAS

Horses sometimes need to be confined while recovering from injury, surgery, or illness. Dr. Duncan Peters, of Hagyard Equine Medical Institute, Lexington, Ky., says it can be very difficult for some horses to tolerate stall rest.

“If suddenly you change their routine, some horses have trouble adjusting,” Peters said. “Confinement is hard on their minds and bodies.”

Conditions that require stall rest may be injury-related or post surgical.

“Some of the procedures require that the horse be confined and not exercising to give those structures a chance to heal, at least until the tissues regain strength,” said Peters. “One of the most common instances for stall rest is colic surgery. Most

veterinarians want those horses confined for a period of time because you don’t want them running around before those tissues start healing.

“Any weight-bearing type of injury, whether it’s a bone, ligament, or tendon, in the initial stages will need the horse to be confined. Soft-tissue injuries need some movement as they heal, but the horse may need stall rest with controlled exercise. With some bony injuries, like fractures, you need to be very cautious about overdoing it, and in many cases bone takes a longer time to stabilize and remodel and strengthen than some of the soft-tissue injuries. A stress fracture, for instance, necessitates confinement; it takes awhile before the bone becomes active (through remodeling and strengthening).”

You may be looking at a month to 45 days before the bone regains enough strength to be subjected to mild exercise.

“Some horses become worried and frustrated if kept in a stall that long,” said Peters. “I find that a lot of horses initially don’t like stall confinement, but after a week or 10 days—if you can get past that period—they adjust and tolerate it better. Even horses with an athletic injury may not take much time to decide that stall rest isn’t all that bad.

“That being said, there are always some horses that don’t handle it well. It depends on the individual horse. I’ve seen some horses whose owners or trainers say they don’t like being in a stall, or normally need to get out at least once a day. All of a sudden the horse is laid up because of an injury and after a relatively short period of time adapts and handles it fairly well.”

You can do several things to help your horse handle confinement. Each horse

is different, said Peters, who noted that some will do more damage to themselves in total confinement than if they are outside in a pen.

“If he can hang his head out and look outside, he may be happier,” said Peters. “The horse toys that people use—hanging apples, lick toys, rollers in the corners, etc.—can help minimize boredom for some horses.”

CUT BACK THE FEED

Nutrition also plays a role in how hyper the horse might be.

“People need to be aware that a horse in confinement doesn’t need as many calories as he did when he was active,” said Peters. “The confined horse will lose some muscle, but that’s just part of inactivity.” You shouldn’t feed a horse like when he was still working or running or he may go batty trying to burn off that energy.

In many cases, just feeding a low-nutrient grass hay with a lot of volume will be adequate. This gives the horse more to do all day, nibbling at food, without giving him too many calories.

“People who feed top-quality hay to a horse in confinement are not doing him a favor,” said Peters. “He’s finished eating it in a short time and has nothing else to do; plus, he’s getting too many calories for what he’s burning. To keep him more relaxed, feed him less total calories.

“Most horses don’t need any grain or supplement, unless you are giving medications in the grain. If so, then give the horse as little as possible to get the job done.”

When using low-quality/high-volume hay, you may just need to give a vitamin/mineral supplement to make sure the total diet is balanced. Some of these supplements have enough volume that the horse feels like he’s getting enough to eat. You can feed a whole scoop of it, rather than just a few tablespoons.

Horses in confinement usually need companionship. Having a horse in the stall next door helps.

“The horse won’t feel so isolated,” said Peters. “It’s best if the stall wall isn’t solid, so they can see one another and interact a little. Another thing some people use is a mirror in the stall. Horses that tend to have behavioral problems in a stall are often helped with a mirror.” This can have



Companionship could be just the right prescription for a confined horse’s state of mind

a calming effect, giving the horse something else on which to focus attention.

The general environment is important for confined horses.

“Some individuals like to be in the middle of the action, while others don’t handle a lot of activity without becoming nervous or excited. One horse may need to be in a quiet stall at the end of the barn whereas the horse who always likes to see what’s going on may do better right next to where people and horses are coming in and out of the barn, in the center of all the activity.

“If suddenly you change their routine, some horses have trouble adjusting. Confinement is hard on their minds and bodies.”

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“Some horses do better and stay calmer and happier with music. This may depend on the type of music, however. You can tell, when you work with these horses, whether they are skittish or relaxed. Relaxing music or classical music has been shown to be beneficial, rather than blaring hard rock music, for instance.”

GO SLOWLY WITH EXERCISE

Care must be taken when horses are first turned out again for exercise, to make sure they don’t go running and bucking.

“Hand walking is often used, but some horses tend to behave worse with hand walking,” said Peters. “Most horses are ok with it, and you can gradually increase the amount of time spent walking. Just the fact they are out doing something can make it easier when you finally do turn them out in a paddock.

“The size of the paddock used for turnout should be determined by the type of injury, and the reason they were confined. If it’s a soft-tissue injury like a tendon, you don’t want to turn the horse out in a large area where he can go charging around. Most of these things are common sense, in terms of getting the horse out for exercise, turning him out for the first time, etc.”

Some people use a little sedation if it’s crucial that the horse be calm and not overactive on first turnout.

“Most of the tranquilizers and sedatives are short-term,” said Peters. “Some of the longer-term drugs like reserpine or fluphenazine are variable in their effects, and some of these can have serious side effects. Check with your veterinarian to know whether or not a certain drug would be appropriate. I’ve seen reactions with some of these drugs. Reserpine can



cause diarrhea. Fluphenazine can cause psychotic episodes.

“Some of the other sedatives like Rompun and dermosedan have relatively short duration. Acepromazine is a little longer acting, but horses can rouse out of this tranquility very easily. If a big truck goes by with a lot of noise, the horse that was fairly sedate out in the paddock may suddenly take off. But some of these drugs can be helpful at times.”

Another thing that tends to work when turning horses out by themselves for a while is to feed them out there so they will be content eating rather than wanting to run around.

“For this to work, don’t feed them in the barn where they are used to being fed, if you plan on turning them out. Feed them in the small paddock when you turn them out. Put them out when they are hungry, and they will be calm and eat. Don’t feed them at 7 a.m. in the barn and turn them out at 10 a.m. when they have nothing to do, or they’ll just go out and want to play around.

“I don’t like round corrals or paddocks with round corners for this type of turnout. Most horses, if they want to run, will just keep going in a round pen. If the small pen has square corners, horses are less likely to get up much speed because they’ll come to the corner and stop. In a round corral it can be difficult to get them to stop.

“In some cases, you can have a companion for the horse when he goes outside. Some horses behave better with a horse next to them in the turnout area. It must be a horse with quiet demeanor that won’t go running and playing.

“Sometimes it’s best to have another horse next to the horse you are turning out for the first time, and other times you are better off not to. This all goes back to knowing the personality of the horse. You may be able to put a calm horse in the same paddock with him, but it needs to be one that won’t go charging around, and a horse he gets along with.”

Some horses are trained well enough on a longe line that this might be a way to give them a little exercise when they first come out of stall confinement.

“Depending on the injury or circumstance, this may work for some horses,” said Peters. “It’s often a good idea to put



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Hand-walking a horse might be a good way to reintroduce exercise after time in a stall

tack on the horse when longeing him, so the horse thinks he’ll be going to work and will be less apt to buck and play on the longe line. If you put him in a bridle or biting rig, running the reins back through the stirrups, the horse thinks he is under control and will behave better as you give him light exercise. This gives the horse a focus, rather than just turning him out to go do whatever he wants to do.

“We get a lot of calls asking how to work with these horses. There’s no set formula. People often want a cookbook answer regarding how this can be done, but there isn’t one. What works for one horse one day may not work the next day. You may have a horse that’s been quiet in the stall and very good about it, and all of a sudden the muck tractor comes through the barn and backfires and the horse spins and bucks in the stall. We can’t always control everything.”

It’s also hard to know the ideal length of time to leave a horse confined for a particular injury or condition.

“There are no formulas,” said Peters. “A veterinarian might tell you the horse should be in stall rest for 30 days, followed by 30 days in a small paddock, and then 30 days of light exercise before you go back to a full program. There are very few things that have a definite time schedule; it’s often trial and error with some helpful advice from your veterinarian. He/she can tell you that most likely this specific type of injury will take x amount of days or months of rest before the horse can go back to work.”

Even then, the horse must be closely monitored and may need that time extended if he has a setback and doesn’t heal as fast as you hoped. Your vet will give you a specific prescription of time for your particular horse and conditions, but it may need to be altered as you go along. **CTB**



Winners

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The accompanying list includes runners that are both California-foaled and California-sired winners in 2014 of all recent North American races, except straight claiming races. Abbreviations used for the class of race are similar to those used by Equibase: Alw—allowance; Hcp—overnight handicap; names of stakes race are spelled out, with the grade of the race, when applicable, in parentheses.

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Affirmative—Warren's Quietrun: Warren's Cracker (33-12), f, 4 yo, Del Mar, MSW, 8/3, 6 1/2f, 1:17.69, \$45,000.

Anziyan Royalty—My Bouquet: My Slew (15-5), g, 6 yo, Del Mar, AOC, 7/23, 6 1/2f, 1:15.54, \$60,060.

Atticus—Ringading: No Fear Baby (32-12), f, 4 yo, Les Bois Park, MCL, 7/30, 6 1/2f, 1:23.48, \$2,400.

Awesome Spirit—Itchy Girl: Esprito Bueno (9-6), g, 3 yo, Del Mar, MCL, 7/30, 5 1/2f, 1:5.20, \$15,000.

Bedford Falls—Summer Lite: Rockin Denile (14-7), g, 3 yo, Santa Rosa, MCL, 7/25, 5f (T), 1:0.02, \$8,450.

Benchmark—Rubina: Silver Marquise (85-44), f, 4 yo, Sacramento, MCL, 7/20, 5f, 58.51, \$6,650.

Benchmark—Lightly Go Lightly: Bench Light (85-44), g, 5 yo, Del Mar, AOC, 7/24, 1 3/8mi (T), 2:11.34, \$60,060.

Benchmark—Tiz a Gem: Mark of a Gem (85-44), f, 4 yo, Del Mar, AOC, 7/25, 5f (T), 56.10, \$60,060.

Benchmark—Lady Sax: Sax (85-44), g, 8 yo, Elko County Fair, STR, 8/24, 5 1/2f, 1:8.40, \$2,100.

Brave Cat—June Lady: Lady Lionheart (3-2), f, 3 yo, Golden Gate Fields, MCL, 8/22, 5f, 1:0.57, \$3,850.

Council Member—Miss Alexis: Oscars On Fire (28-11), g, 3 yo, Los Alamitos, MCL, 7/27, 4 1/2f, 53.65, \$3,480.

Cyclotron—Mada Moon: Merry Moon (16-8), m, 5 yo, Santa Rosa, MCL, 8/8, 6f, 1:14.59, \$3,900.

Cyclotron—Louisiana Lawyer: Neversaynever (16-8), f, 3 yo, Santa Rosa, MSW, 8/10, 5 1/2f, 1:5.71, \$20,330.

Decarchy—Easy Obsession: D' Obsession (83-38), g, 5 yo, Arapahoe Park, ALW, 7/19, 6f, 1:10.45, \$7,800.

Decarchy—Trick a Cat: Kevin's Kool Kat (83-38), f, 4 yo, Suffolk Downs, MCL, 7/30, 1mi, 1:40.97, \$6,720.

Decarchy—Heavenly Slew: Distant Delta (83-38), m, 6 yo, Columbus, STR, 8/1, 6f, 1:15.60, \$2,940.

Decarchy—Stormin Lucy: Tuff Storm (83-38), g, 3 yo, Del Mar, MSW, 8/6, 1mi, 1:38.33, \$45,000.

Decarchy—Feel the Rush: Watch It Buster (83-38), g, 3 yo, Del Mar, MCL, 8/13, 6f, 1:11.23, \$22,800.

Don'tsellshorht—Wild Shenanigans: J R's Request (30-14), g, 4 yo, Assiniboia Downs, WCL, 7/25, 7 1/2f, 1:37.00, \$4,080.

Don'tsellshorht—Icy Streak: Mrs. Corcoran (30-14), f, 4 yo, Great Falls, ALW, 7/26, 5 1/4f, 1:6.80, \$1,870.

Game Plan—Sister Adiba: Justanother Bob (30-13), g, 6 yo, Alberta Downs, ALW, 8/10, 7f (T), 1:30.40, \$1,855.

Game Plan—Sweet Mazarine (IRE): Master Game (30-13), g, 4 yo, Emerald Downs, MCL, 8/23, 1mi, 1:39.44, \$3,025.

Good Journey—Nanogram: Amalfi Runner (57-27), g, 6 yo, Assiniboia Downs, WCL, 7/19, 6f, 1:13.20, \$3,900.

Good Journey—Quicksoni: Court's Journey (57-27), g, 6 yo, Assiniboia Downs, WCL, 8/23, 5f, 1:0.40, \$3,900.

Gotham City—Tizalovelady: La Fernanda (15-7), f, 4 yo, Ruidoso Downs, MCL, 8/9, 6f, 1:13.38, \$3,360.

Grazen—Malley Girl: Grazenette (10-4), f, 3 yo, Del Mar, AOC, 8/20, 1mi, 1:37.73, \$46,200.

Grey Memo—Wild About Grant: Wild Delilah (22-7), f, 3 yo, Sacramento, MCL, 7/17, 6f, 1:12.26, \$5,000.

Grey Memo—Madam: Short Memo (22-7), g, 7 yo, Northlands Park, SHP, 8/16, 1 3/8mi, 2:21.05, \$10,800.

Grey Memo—Sable Cape: Elegant Cape (22-7), m, 5 yo, White Pine Racing, ALW, 8/17, 5 1/2f, 1:7.20, \$2,200.

Idiot Proof—Crowning Faith (IRE): Faith Proof (12-5), f, 3 yo, Del Mar, MCL, 7/31, 5 1/2f, 1:4.27, \$15,000.

Idiot Proof—Silver Service: Maddie Moo (12-5), f, 3 yo, Golden Gate Fields, AOC, 8/22, 5 1/2f, 1:4.82, \$23,400.

Idiot Proof—When and Where: Where's the Proof (12-5), g, 3 yo, Ferndale, MCL, 8/24, 7f, 1:29.88, \$3,350.

Indy Film—She's Amazing: Hezamazing (4-1), g, 9 yo, Arapahoe Park, ALW, 8/3, 6f, 1:9.91, \$8,280.

Katwain—Heart Six: Nine of Hearts (77-42), g, 3 yo, Los Alamitos, MCL, 8/17, 4 1/2f, 53.42, \$3,425.

Lucky J. H.—A Bit Much: Working Class (26-10), g, 3 yo, Wyoming Downs, MSW, 7/26, 5 1/2f, 1:6.92, \$2,400.

Lucky J. H.—Tea Cakes: Lucky S. J. (26-10), f, 4 yo, Del Mar, AOC, 8/6, 6f, 1:10.90, \$46,200.

Lucky J. H.—No Peso No Dance: Lucky J Lane (26-10), g, 3 yo, Del Mar, MSW, 8/20, 1mi (T), 1:35.51, \$45,000.

Lucky Pulpit—Natural Route: Road to the Pulpit (60-23), g, 6 yo, Les Bois Park, STR, 7/30, 6 1/2f, 1:19.10, \$3,900.

Marino Marini—Suicide Squeeze: Taylor Marini (75-33), g, 5 yo, Arapahoe Park, MCL, 7/18, 6f, 1:13.11, \$3,060.

Marino Marini—Dance Little Lady: Make More Money (75-33), m, 5 yo, Wyoming Downs, ALW, 7/20, 4 1/2f, 51.52, \$3,600.

Marino Marini—Position of Power: Power of Ten (75-33), f, 4 yo, Santa Rosa, AOC, 7/27, 6f, 1:9.93, \$21,110.

Marino Marini—Easy Elegance: La Bella Marini (75-33), m, 5 yo, Wyoming Downs, MSW, 8/2, 5 1/2f, 1:4.25, \$2,400.

Marino Marini—Easy Elegance: La Bella Marini (75-33), m, 5 yo, Wyoming Downs, ALW, 8/9, 5 1/2f, 1:4.40, \$3,000.

Marino Marini—Exceedtheprospect: Incentive Award (75-33), f, 4 yo, Golden Gate Fields, MCL, 8/15, 6f, 1:12.04, \$5,500.

Marino Marini—Easy Elegance: La Bella Marini (75-33), m, 5 yo, White Pine Racing, ALW, 8/16, 5 1/2f, 1:7.20, \$2,200.

Marino Marini—Lady Chelsea: Ranger Marini (75-33), g, 3 yo, Golden Gate Fields, MCL, 8/17, 1 1/16mi (T), 1:46.64, \$7,800.

Marino Marini—Broke the Slump: **Mahogany Run** (75-33), g, 4 yo, Ferndale, STK, C. J. Hindley Humboldt County Marathon H., 8/24, 1 5/8mi, 2:51.66, \$12,050.

Ministers Wild Cat—No Means Maybe: Isaid No Not Maybe (104-46), f, 3 yo, North Dakota Horse Park, ALW, 7/26, 5f, 1:1.20, \$1,050.

Ministers Wild Cat—Celebutante: Denversbucknbronco (104-46), g, 4 yo, Wyoming Downs, MCL, 8/2, 4f, 45.77, \$2,400.

Ministers Wild Cat—Rector's Lady: She's Holy (104-46), f, 3 yo, Parx Racing, STR, 8/23, 1mi 70yd, 1:44.60, \$34,800.

Misty'sgoldentouch—Mirobolant: Misty's Best Bet (3-2), g, 4 yo, Los Alamitos, MCL, 7/20, 4 1/2f, 52.64, \$3,535.

Old Topper—Minimums Minimums: Hidethegoodstuff (70-33), f, 4 yo, Sacramento, AOC, 7/18, 5 1/2f, 1:3.31, \$23,450.

Old Topper—Cherokee Kiss: **Top Kisser** (70-33), m, 5 yo, Sacramento, STK, California Governor's Cup H., 7/19, 1 1/16mi, 1:43.43, \$45,050.

Old Topper—Take the Lear: Top Lady (70-33), m, 5 yo, Les Bois Park, MSW, 7/26, 5f, 59.84, \$3,000.

Old Topper—Roeshamboe: Meet Me At Wilsons (70-33), g, 7 yo, Wyoming Downs, ALW, 8/3, 5 1/2f, 1:2.93, \$3,600.

Old Topper—Minimums Minimums: Hidethegoodstuff (70-33), f, 4 yo, Santa Rosa, AOC, 8/6, 5f (T), 56.82, \$21,110.

Onebadshark—Miss L'Augeval (GB): One Good Shark (16-7), g, 5 yo, Elko County Fair, STR, 8/24, 7f, 1:27.40, \$2,100.

Papa Clem—Dancing Stripes: Papa's Dancing (37-19), f, 3 yo, Albuquerque, MSW, 8/9, 5 1/2f, 1:3.58, \$9,000.

Popular—Noruega: **Popular Name** (14-7), g, 6 yo, North Dakota Horse Park, STK, Legendary 125 S., 8/3, 1 1/4mi, 2:11.40, \$2,100.

Sought After—Trotinette: Masochistic (23-6), g, 4 yo, Del Mar, AOC, 7/31, 6 1/2f, 1:16.10, \$46,200.

Sought After—Haveadate: Jimmy's Date (23-6), g, 3 yo, Del Mar, MCL, 8/1, 6 1/2f, 1:18.06, \$15,000.

Sought After—Trotinette: Masochistic (23-6), g, 4 yo, Del Mar, AOC, 8/23, 7f, 1:22.07, \$60,060.

Southern Image—Glamorous Miss: Glamsquad (70-37), f, 3 yo, Santa Rosa, STR, 8/3, 6f, 1:11.92, \$12,290.

Southern Image—Sensitive Soul: Image of Joplin (70-37), g, 3 yo, Del Mar, ALW, 8/13, 1mi (T), 1:36.02, \$46,200.

Square Eddie—Marquis Diamond: More Complexity (28-11), f, 3 yo, Del Mar, AOC, 8/8, 6f, 1:9.85, \$46,200.

Square Eddie—Tangle (IRE): Tangelo (28-11), f, 3 yo, Del Mar, MSW, 8/13, 1mi (T), 1:36.53, \$45,000.

Square Eddie—Meetmeinthetwoods: Jimmy Bouncer (28-11), c, 3 yo, Del Mar, MSW, 8/22, 6f, 1:9.98, \$45,000.

Stormin Fever—Heavenly Excess: Storm the Heavens (67-28), g, 3 yo, Del Mar, MCL, 8/1, 5 1/2f, 1:4.96, \$15,000.

Stormy Jack—Tempting Tam: **Centenario de Oro** (43-18), g, 7 yo, Les Bois Park, STK, HBPA S., 7/23, 1mi, 1:38.45, \$6,810.

Swiss Yodeler—Martha My Dear: Nebikon (81-38), g, 5 yo, Penn National, ALW, 7/16, 1mi, 1:39.80, \$17,700.

Tannersmyman—Fast Splash: Bella Sorella (37-19), m, 6 yo, Marquis Downs, ALW, 7/19, 6f, 1:12.93, \$2,124.

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Tannersmyman—Major Issue: Prime Issue (37-19), g, 4 yo, Del Mar, AOC, 8/2, 1mi, 1:36.15, \$46,200.

Terrell—K Girl: Cleverly Beverly (46-30), f, 4 yo, Santa Rosa, STR, 7/30, 1 1/16mi (T), 1:46.32, \$12,290.

Terrell—Vee Voom (NZ): Vee Voom Rhules (46-30), g, 5 yo, Assiniboia Downs, WCL, 8/9, 6f, 1:12.20, \$3,900.

Terrell—Sparkling Fox: Foxy Humor (46-30), g, 4 yo, White Pine Racing, ALW, 8/17, 4 1/2f, 54.20, \$1,925.

Terrell—Comedy Class: Flash Fermelia (46-30), g, 3 yo, Ferndale, MCL, 8/23, 5f, 1:1.44, \$3,350.

Thisnearlywasmine—Native Cara: Cara Has It (15-7), f, 3 yo, Golden Gate Fields, MCL, 8/15, 5 1/2f, 1:6.78, \$4,400.

Thisnearlywasmine—Jessie Phillips: Jessie Was Mine (15-7), f, 4 yo, Ferndale, MCL, 8/16, 7f, 1:31.13, \$3,350.

Time to Get Even—Excessive Girl: Get Even Girl (17-9), f, 3 yo, Marquis Downs, ALW, 8/2, 6f, 1:13.37, \$2,124.

Time to Get Even—Making Memories: **Time for a Memory** (17-9), f, 3 yo, Northlands Park, STK, Sonoma H., 8/16, 1 1/16mi, 1:46.87, \$30,000.

Time to Get Even—Excessive Girl: Get Even Girl (17-9), f, 3 yo, Marquis Downs, ALW, 8/22, 6f, 1:13.84, \$2,160.

Trapper—Alternate Verse: Alternate Plan (16-7), g, 3 yo, Parx Racing, MCL, 7/15, 6f, 1:12.52, \$17,400.

Trapper—Mad River Magic: Papercoversrock (16-7), f, 4 yo, Golden Gate Fields, ALW, 8/22, 5 1/2f, 1:4.09, \$23,400.

Tribal Rule—Ava G: Tribal Dude (172-85), c, 4 yo, Del Mar, MCL, 7/18, 6f, 1:10.70, \$15,000.

Tribal Rule—Mariah's Dancer: Here Comes Tribal (172-85), f, 3 yo, Los Alamitos, MCL, 7/19, 4 1/2f, 53.15, \$3,425.

Tribal Rule—Blonde Fever: Pulla Train (172-85), g, 4 yo, Del Mar, AOC, 7/23, 5f (T), 55.23, \$46,200.

Tribal Rule—Ultimate Summer: Tribalist (172-85), g, 3 yo, Del Mar, MSW, 7/27, 6f, 1:9.69, \$45,000.

Tribal Rule—Smooth Quest: Q' Viva (172-85), f, 3 yo, Del Mar, MCL, 7/27, 6 1/2f, 1:17.21, \$22,800.

Tribal Rule—I'm a Lil Princess: Mahalo Princess (172-85), m, 5 yo, Del Mar, AOC, 7/31, 5f (T), 56.85, \$60,060.

Tribal Rule—Anachristina: **Red Outlaw** (172-85), g, 3 yo, Del Mar, STK, Real Good Deal S., 8/1, 7f, 1:22.68, \$110,000.

Tribal Rule—Swiss Kiss: Ruled by Kisses (172-85), g, 5 yo, Santa Rosa, AOC, 8/3, 5f (T), 57.56, \$21,110.

Tribal Rule—Even Money Honey: Tribal Money (172-85), g, 4 yo, Les Bois Park, ALW, 8/6, 7f, 1:25.04, \$4,800.

Tribal Rule—Holly's Gold: Kitchen (172-85), g, 4 yo, Los Alamitos, MCL, 8/8, 4 1/2f, 52.71, \$3,315.

Tribal Rule—Watermelon Wine: Tequilaville (172-85), m, 5 yo, Suffolk Downs, ALW, 8/11, about 5f, 58.67, \$11,400.

Tribal Rule—Wild Tickle: All Star Bell (172-85), g, 4 yo, Indiana Grand Race Course, STR, 8/16, 1mi 70yd, 1:43.32, \$9,600.

Tribal Rule—Lighten Up Tiny: Medicine Gal (172-85), f, 4 yo, Golden Gate Fields, STR, 8/23, 5 1/2f, 1:4.87, \$12,240.

Unusual Heat—True Melody: Know Plans (113-46), g, 5 yo, Del Mar, STR, 7/17, 1mi, 1:37.71, \$30,960.

Unusual Heat—Lady Evergreen: Unusually Green (113-46), c, 3 yo, Del Mar, MSW, 7/18, 1 1/16mi (T), 1:41.48, \$45,000.

Unusual Heat—Kitty and Boo: Boozer (113-46), g, 4 yo, Del Mar, AOC, 7/18, 1 1/16mi (T), 1:39.82, \$46,200.

Unusual Heat—Miss Boomtown: Central Heat (113-46), m, 5 yo, Santa Rosa, AOC, 8/1, 1 1/16mi (T), 1:43.39, \$21,110.

Unusual Heat—Craven Cottage: Cravin' the Heat (113-46), f, 4 yo, Del Mar, MSW, 8/2, 1 1/8mi, 1:51.79, \$58,500.

Unusual Heat—Sweet Muqtarib: Kandzari (113-46), g, 3 yo, Golden Gate Fields, MCL, 8/16, 5 1/2f, 1:5.39, \$5,500.

Unusual Heat—Style of the Year: **Heat Du Jour** (113-46), f, 4 yo, Del Mar, STK, Solana Beach H., 8/17, 1mi (T), 1:34.73, \$85,500.

Vronsky—Presidential Heat: Presidentsky (43-20), g, 3 yo, Sacramento, MSW, 7/20, 5f, 57.00, \$20,330.

Vronsky—Pinky's Posh: Poshsky (43-20), g, 4 yo, Del Mar, AOC, 7/20, 1 1/16mi (T), 1:41.18, \$60,060.

Vronsky—Mistical One: Wonski (43-20), f, 3 yo, Santa Rosa, MCL, 7/26, 1mi, 1:40.29, \$3,900.



Winners (Continued)

Vronsky—Lots of Laughs: Khun Dots Varon (43-20), f, 4 yo, Santa Rosa, MSW, 8/1, 6f, 1:12.46, \$20,330.
 Vronsky—Time for Bolger: A Moment in Time (43-20), g, 7 yo, Mountaineer Casino Racetrack & Resort, ALW, 8/12, 5 1/2f, 1:7.08, \$13,542.
 Vronsky—Presidential Heat: Presidentsky (43-20), g, 3 yo, Golden Gate Fields, STR, 8/15, 1mi (T), 1:38.20, \$12,240.
 Vronsky—Belle of Pride: Bow Tie Belle (43-20), f, 3 yo, Del Mar, MCL, 8/23, 1mi, 1:37.96, \$19,800.

2-YEAR-OLDS

Benchmark—Double Dip: Extant (85-44), c, 2 yo, Golden Gate Fields, MSW, 8/17, 5 1/2f, 1:5.01, \$20,280.
 Benchmark—Kelly's Princess: Top Drawer (85-44), c, 2 yo, Del Mar, MCL, 8/23, 5 1/2f, 1:5.79, \$22,800.
 Decarchy—Ashley's Folly: Ashley's Sassy (83-38), f, 2 yo, Del Mar, MSW, 8/21, 6f, 1:12.94, \$45,000.
 Desert Code—Lujien Lujien: Desert Steel (21-6), f, 2 yo, Del Mar, MSW, 7/27, 5f, 56.76, \$45,000.
 Good Journey—Deborah Kadabra: Sandy's Journey (57-27), f, 2 yo, Golden Gate Fields, MCL, 8/23, 1mi, 1:42.75, \$7,800.
 Marino Marini—Sharoana: Tip Top Lady (75-33), f, 2 yo, Santa Rosa, MSW, 7/30, 5 1/2f, 1:5.09, \$15,650.
 Marino Marini—So Happy Together: Love the Kids (75-33), f, 2 yo, Del Mar, MCL, 8/21, 5f, 59.97, \$22,800.
 Ministers Wild Cat—You Lift Me Up: Urgraceisenough (104-46), f, 2 yo, Sacramento, MCL, 7/17, 5 1/2f, 1:5.62, \$9,050.
 Papa Clem—Speed Dialer: Up to Speed (37-19), f, 2 yo, Santa Rosa, MSW, 8/2, 1mi (T), 1:39.34, \$20,330.
 Papa Clem—Heatinaheartbeat: Cardiac (37-19), g, 2 yo, Del Mar, MSW, 8/17, 6f, 1:11.52, \$45,000.
 Roman Dancer—Snowmass: Rosie Brown (4-2), f, 2 yo, Del Mar, MCL, 8/14, 5f, 1:0.10, \$16,800.
 Sea of Secrets—No Turbulence: Sea Secret (50-22), f, 2 yo, Golden Gate Fields, MCL, 8/15, 5f, 59.95, \$8,400.
 Square Eddie—Stretchinthelimits: Eddie Could Go (28-11), g, 2 yo, Del Mar, MCL, 7/25, 5 1/2f, 1:4.82, \$22,800.
 Stormin Fever—Foxy Faith: Smack Talk (67-28), g, 2 yo, Del Mar, MSW, 7/17, 5f, 59.00, \$45,000.
 Stormin Fever—Hunting Jade: Easter Fever (67-28), f, 2 yo, Del Mar, MCL, 8/7, 6f, 1:11.63, \$22,800.
 Stormin Fever—Wild Momentum: Stormin Wild (67-28), c, 2 yo, Del Mar, MCL, 8/8, 6f, 1:13.26, \$22,800.
 Swiss Yodeler—Royal Grand Slam: Grand Yodeler (81-38), f, 2 yo, Del Mar, MSW, 7/26, 5f, 57.85, \$45,000.
 Swiss Yodeler—Wild Baby Girl: Racing for Chasen (81-38), f, 2 yo, Del Mar, MCL, 8/8, 6f, 1:12.71, \$25,200.
 Swiss Yodeler—Richest Wager: Swiss Wager (81-38), g, 2 yo, Golden Gate Fields, MCL, 8/16, 5f, 59.59, \$8,400.
 Tribal Rule—Super Flo: Comanche Ruler (172-85), c, 2 yo, Del Mar, MSW, 8/1, 5 1/2f, 1:5.59, \$45,000.
 Vronsky—Deb's Parfait: Parsky (43-20), g, 2 yo, Santa Rosa, MCL, 8/7, 5 1/2f, 1:6.92, \$5,550.

2014 LEADING BREEDERS IN CALIFORNIA BY EARNINGS (THRU AUG. 26, 2014)

Breeder	Strts	Wns	Stks Wns	Leading Earner	Earnings
Perry Martin & Steve Coburn	6	5	5	California Chrome (\$3,317,800)	\$3,317,800
Tommy Town Thoroughbreds, LLC	511	68	4	Top Kisser (\$132,350)	\$1,704,581
Terry C. Lovingier	450	55	2	My Fiona (\$105,600)	\$1,075,295
Harris Farms	310	44	0	Velvet Mesquite (\$147,006)	\$988,792
Mr. & Mrs. Larry D. Williams	157	26	2	Tamarando (\$190,000)	\$928,642
Nick Alexander	136	28	1	Grazenette (\$113,250)	\$817,997
Benjamin C. Warren	294	28	0	Warren's Jen Fizz (\$77,530)	\$712,138
Pam & Martin Wygod	166	25	0	Brilliant Melody (\$116,144)	\$618,339
Ballena Vista Farm	45	9	3	Big Macher (\$425,250)	\$596,408
Dahlberg Farms LLC	80	14	0	Patriots Rule (\$141,680)	\$534,404
J. Paul Reddam	114	17	0	More Complexity (\$101,080)	\$489,379
Lee Searing & Susan Searing	102	16	2	Wake Up Nick (\$165,600)	\$453,438
Donald R. Dizney	52	8	2	Rovenna (\$327,070)	\$429,158
Old English Rancho	123	13	0	Celebrity Status (\$60,934)	\$413,522
Liberty Road Stables	92	16	2	Red Outlaw (\$194,000)	\$399,901
Madeline Auerbach	40	7	1	Heat Du Jour (\$149,500)	\$360,040
Thomas W. Bachman	30	7	0	Unusual Way (\$123,805)	\$325,050
Bruce Headley, Irwin Molasky & Andrew Molasky	11	4	2	Cyclometer (\$206,450)	\$321,290
B&B Zietz Stables, Inc.	22	4	0	Kathleen Rose (\$200,990)	\$319,183
Alex Paszkeicz	43	6	1	Pepper Crown (\$140,633)	\$290,352
Nick Cafarchia	59	11	0	My Slew (\$103,950)	\$288,014
Dr. & Mrs. William T. Gray DVM	25	5	1	Weewinnin (\$137,500)	\$260,149
Daehling Ranch LLC	86	14	1	Sing and Tell (\$121,752)	\$255,707
Richard Allen Kritzski	6	2	2	Awesome Return (\$242,160)	\$242,160
Ed Delaney	39	8	1	Susans Express (\$110,500)	\$232,165
Madeline Auerbach & Barry Abrams	46	6	0	Heat Flash (\$130,996)	\$231,557
Mercedes Stables LLC	32	5	1	Rock Me Baby (\$149,138)	\$224,778
Thomas Newton Bell & Ross John McLeod	6	3	1	Alert Bay (\$219,500)	\$219,500
Dinesh Maniar	172	17	1	Wild in the Saddle (\$41,880)	\$218,021
Carol A. Lingenfelter	21	6	0	Wonderful Lie (\$136,040)	\$214,031
Oak Hill Farm	24	5	1	Sagebrush Queen (\$176,920)	\$213,159
Rod Rodriguez & Lorraine Rodriguez	81	15	2	Halo Dolly (\$106,210)	\$210,694
Larry Mabee	26	5	1	Storm Fighter (\$115,558)	\$208,768
Joseph P. Morey Jr. Revocable Trust	82	11	0	Curly Girly (\$33,678)	\$208,603
Joseph A. Duffel	78	13	0	Atomic Rule (\$73,280)	\$199,580
Summer Mayberry	9	2	1	Go West Marie (\$198,980)	\$199,035
Legacy Ranch	61	14	0	Mom's Winner (\$36,100)	\$198,133
Ellen Jackson	50	6	0	Downtown C. T. (\$65,177)	\$194,128
Applebite Farms	92	12	0	Jet Warrior (\$33,200)	\$193,968
Old English Rancho & Berumen	21	3	0	Poshsky (\$119,720)	\$192,950
Gary Barber	24	7	2	Tribal Spy (\$148,314)	\$181,785
Roger Stein	48	8	0	Benba (\$78,570)	\$181,310
Donald Valpredo	52	6	0	Do Some Magic (\$56,000)	\$176,572
Mr. & Mrs. Larry Williams	30	4	1	Atta' Boy Woody (\$52,600)	\$175,090
Dorine Lanza & John R. Lanza	6	4	0	Magic Mark (\$173,044)	\$173,044
Madera Thoroughbreds LLC	35	4	0	Got Even (\$77,066)	\$172,348
Barbara Kelly	23	9	0	Full Dancer (\$88,000)	\$166,876
Baseline Equine LLC	52	10	0	Q' Viva (\$57,690)	\$162,278
Ellen Jackson & Margaret Sherr	11	5	0	Bench Light (\$145,910)	\$159,727
Eagle Oak Ranch, LLC	22	7	1	G. G. Ryder (\$140,284)	\$157,869
Desperado Stables, Inc.	49	13	0	Loveintheshadows (\$58,516)	\$155,356
Joseph T. Alvarez III	7	2	0	Stoney Fleece (\$154,000)	\$154,000
Herman Sarkowsky & Martin J. Wygod	28	4	0	Omega Star (\$75,920)	\$150,145
Y-Lo Racing Stables, LLC	24	4	0	Harlington's Rose (\$103,900)	\$150,118
Milt A. Policzer	38	6	0	Husband's Folly (\$76,836)	\$148,136
Revocable Trust of Dr. Mikel C. Harrington and Patricia O. Harrington	46	7	0	Better Bet (\$59,240)	\$146,162



**2014 LEADING SIRES IN CALIFORNIA
BY AVERAGE EARNINGS PER RUNNER
(MINIMUM 10 RUNNERS)**

Sire	Rnrs	Races Won	Earned	Earnings/Runner
1 Lucky Pulpit, 2001, by Pulpit	60	39	\$4,073,034	\$67,884
2 * Beau Genius, 1985-14, by Bold Ruckus	10	9	\$484,819	\$48,482
3 Cyclotron, 2000, by Grand Slam	16	12	\$458,230	\$28,639
4 Fullbridled, 2001, by Unbridled's Song	11	13	\$295,871	\$26,897
5 Unusual Heat, 1990, by Nureyev	113	68	\$2,843,629	\$25,165
6 Grazen, 2006, by Benchmark	10	7	\$246,452	\$24,645
7 Bedford Falls, 2003, by Forestry	14	14	\$340,716	\$24,337
8 Peppered Cat, 2000, by Tabasco Cat	20	16	\$478,802	\$23,940
9 Vronsky, 1999, by Danzig	43	29	\$983,979	\$22,883
10 * Tribal Rule, 1996, by Storm Cat	175	138	\$3,622,271	\$20,699
11 Good Journey, 1996, by Nureyev	66	56	\$1,342,657	\$20,343
12 Decarchy, 1997, by Distant View	84	60	\$1,673,363	\$19,921
13 Comic Strip, 1995, by Red Ransom	19	13	\$376,709	\$19,827
14 * Bertrando, 1989, by Skywalker	86	62	\$1,689,284	\$19,643
15 Square Eddie, 2006, by Smart Strike	28	15	\$528,873	\$18,888
16 Idiot Proof, 2004, by Benchmark	12	8	\$223,558	\$18,630
17 Western Fame, 1992, by Gone West	15	8	\$276,642	\$18,443
18 † Benchmark, 1991, by Alydar	89	71	\$1,617,008	\$18,169
19 Papa Clem, 2006, by Smart Strike	37	25	\$668,323	\$18,063
20 Heatseeker (IRE), 2003, by Giant's Causeway	58	33	\$1,036,320	\$17,868

**2014 LEADING TURF SIRES IN CALIFORNIA
(MINIMUM 50 STARTS)**

Sire	Rnrs	Strts	Wnrs	Wins	Earned
1 Unusual Heat, 1990, by Nureyev	81	294	29	39	\$1,975,551
2 * Tribal Rule, 1996-14, by Storm Cat	67	131	18	20	\$1,064,292
3 Decarchy, 1997, by Distant View	45	111	11	15	\$920,774
4 Good Journey, 1996, by Nureyev	39	145	12	19	\$887,770
5 † Benchmark, 1991, by Alydar	21	60	6	12	\$543,538
6 Heatseeker (IRE), 2003, by Giant's Causeway	29	74	8	10	\$438,829
7 * In Excess (IRE), 1987-13, by Siberian Express	5	40	4	8	\$374,538
8 * Bertrando, 1989, by Skywalker	31	75	7	10	\$356,227
9 # Eddington, 2001, by Unbridled	35	71	7	9	\$320,447
10 Southern Image, 2000, by Halo's Image	24	52	5	7	\$289,464
11 Papa Clem, 2006, by Smart Strike	13	29	5	9	\$281,344
12 Affirmative, 1999, by Unbridled	22	54	4	4	\$241,808
13 Comic Strip, 1995, by Red Ransom	10	19	3	4	\$222,348
14 • Redattore (BRZ), 1995, by Roi Normand	27	65	4	8	\$220,443
15 Square Eddie, 2006, by Smart Strike	10	23	3	3	\$204,000
16 * Terrell, 2000, by Distorted Humor	16	49	8	8	\$198,733
17 Vronsky, 1999, by Danzig	15	36	2	3	\$183,081
18 Lucky J. H., 2002, by Cee's Tizzy	9	16	4	6	\$180,362
19 Old Topper, 1995, by Gilded Time	14	31	2	4	\$167,347
20 Ministers Wild Cat, 2000, by Deputy Minister	20	49	4	5	\$160,179

**2014 LEADING SIRES IN CALIFORNIA
BY MONEY WON**

Sire	Rnrs	Strts	Races Won	Earned
1 Lucky Pulpit, 2001, by Pulpit	60	259	39	\$4,073,034
2 * Tribal Rule, 1996, by Storm Cat	175	779	138	\$3,622,271
3 Unusual Heat, 1990, by Nureyev	113	548	68	\$2,843,629
4 * Bertrando, 1989, by Skywalker	86	408	62	\$1,689,284
5 Decarchy, 1997, by Distant View	84	380	60	\$1,673,363
6 Eddington, 2001, by Unbridled	95	496	67	\$1,617,959
7 † Benchmark, 1991, by Alydar	89	439	71	\$1,617,008
8 Ministers Wild Cat, 2000, by Deputy Minister	104	538	73	\$1,604,935
9 Kafwain, 2000, by Cherokee Run	81	439	66	\$1,374,182
10 Good Journey, 1996, by Nureyev	66	331	56	\$1,342,657
11 Southern Image, 2000, by Halo's Image	75	406	60	\$1,262,872
12 Heatseeker (IRE), 2003, by Giant's Causeway	58	279	33	\$1,036,320
13 Old Topper, 1995, by Gilded Time	70	362	50	\$996,245
14 Vronsky, 1999, by Danzig	43	190	29	\$983,979
15 Marino Marini, 2000, by Storm Cat	77	350	56	\$955,952
16 Swiss Yodeler, 1994, by Eastern Echo	82	445	69	\$908,147
17 Stormin Fever, 1994, by Storm Cat	70	316	41	\$828,653
18 * In Excess (IRE), 1987, by Siberian Express	47	229	38	\$761,523
19 Papa Clem, 2006, by Smart Strike	37	148	25	\$668,323
20 * Cindago, 2003, by Indian Charlie	36	174	26	\$635,571
21 • Redattore (BRZ), 1995, by Roi Normand	51	297	33	\$612,013
22 * Terrell, 2000, by Distorted Humor	46	288	44	\$608,496
23 Rocky Bar, 1998, by In Excess (IRE)	50	269	49	\$539,049
24 Tizbud, 1999, by Cee's Tizzy	43	201	23	\$534,251
25 Square Eddie, 2006, by Smart Strike	28	108	15	\$528,873
26 Affirmative, 1999, by Unbridled	33	165	15	\$514,074
27 Dixie Chatter, 2005, by Dixie Union	32	148	25	\$503,466
28 * Beau Genius, 1985, by Bold Ruckus	10	57	9	\$484,819
29 Peppered Cat, 2000, by Tabasco Cat	20	123	16	\$478,802
30 * Salt Lake, 1989, by Deputy Minister	38	188	32	\$473,202
31 Globalize, 1997, by Summer Squall	30	142	23	\$463,228
32 Cyclotron, 2000, by Grand Slam	16	65	12	\$458,230
33 Sea of Secrets, 1995, by Storm Cat	51	271	37	\$438,445
34 Tannersmyman, 1998, by Lord Carson	37	200	33	\$390,582
35 McCann's Mojave, 2000, by Memo (CHI)	37	163	26	\$376,841
36 Comic Strip, 1995, by Red Ransom	19	104	13	\$376,709
37 Lucky J. H., 2002, by Cee's Tizzy	26	94	14	\$365,911
38 • Skimming, 1996, by Nureyev	36	164	28	\$347,390
39 Bedford Falls, 2003, by Forestry	14	62	14	\$340,716
40 Freespool, 1996, by Geiger Counter	25	134	25	\$332,669
41 Surf Cat, 2002, by Sir Cat	29	145	18	\$325,902
42 Atticus, 1992, by Nureyev	32	144	18	\$312,363
43 Sought After, 2000, by Seeking the Gold	23	108	9	\$311,109
44 Awesome Gambler, 2004, by Coronado's Quest	37	148	9	\$309,992
45 Perfect Mandate, 1996, by Gone West	28	155	20	\$296,703
46 Fullbridled, 2001, by Unbridled's Song	11	43	13	\$295,871
47 Time to Get Even, 2004, by Stephen Got Even	17	98	21	\$291,071

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**2014 LEADING SIRES IN CALIFORNIA
BY MEDIAN EARNINGS PER RUNNER
(MINIMUM 10 RUNNERS)**

Sire	Rnrs	Races Won	Earned	Median
1 Grazen, 2006, by Benchmark	10	7	\$246,452	\$15,062
2 Lone Star Special, 2005, by Malabar Gold	13	11	\$168,282	\$13,680
3 * Cindago, 2003, by Indian Charlie	36	26	\$635,571	\$11,972
4 Unusual Heat, 1990, by Nureyev	113	68	\$2,843,629	\$11,810
5 Peppered Cat, 2000, by Tabasco Cat	20	16	\$478,802	\$11,653
6 Fullbridled, 2001, by Unbridled's Song	11	13	\$295,871	\$11,390
7 Bedford Falls, 2003, by Forestry	14	14	\$340,716	\$10,625
8 Dixie Chatter, 2005, by Dixie Union	32	25	\$503,466	\$10,402
9 Square Eddie, 2006, by Smart Strike	28	15	\$528,873	\$10,016
10 Time to Get Even, 2004, by Stephen Got Even	17	21	\$291,071	\$9,825
11 * Tribal Rule, 1996-14, by Storm Cat	175	138	\$3,622,271	\$9,720
12 Papa Clem, 2006, by Smart Strike	37	25	\$668,323	\$9,465
13 Cyclotron, 2000, by Grand Slam	16	12	\$458,230	\$9,355
14 • Memo (CHI), 1987, by Mocito Guapo (ARG)	14	18	\$172,387	\$9,213
15 Comic Strip, 1995, by Red Ransom	19	13	\$376,709	\$8,890
16 Southern Image, 2000, by Halo's Image	75	60	\$1,262,872	\$8,700
17 Terrell, 2000, by Distorted Humor	46	44	\$608,496	\$8,580
18 # Eddington, 2001, by Unbridled	95	67	\$1,617,959	\$8,487
19 Prime Timber, 1996, by Sultry Song	17	12	\$187,808	\$8,255
20 Globalize, 1997, by Summer Squall	30	23	\$463,228	\$8,253

**2014 LEADING SIRES IN CALIFORNIA
BY AVERAGE EARNINGS PER START
(MINIMUM 50 STARTS)**

Sire	Rnrs	Srts	Earned	Earnings Start
1 Lucky Pulpit, 2001, by Pulpit	60	259	\$4,073,034	\$15,726
2 * Beau Genius, 1985-14, by Bold Ruckus	10	57	\$484,819	\$8,506
3 Cyclotron, 2000, by Grand Slam	16	65	\$458,230	\$7,050
4 Bedford Falls, 2003, by Forestry	14	62	\$340,716	\$5,495
5 Unusual Heat, 1990, by Nureyev	113	548	\$2,843,629	\$5,189
6 Vronsky, 1999, by Danzig	43	190	\$983,979	\$5,179
7 Square Eddie, 2006, by Smart Strike	28	108	\$528,873	\$4,897
8 Western Fame, 1992, by Gone West	15	57	\$276,642	\$4,853
9 * Tribal Rule, 1996-14, by Storm Cat	175	779	\$3,622,271	\$4,650
10 Papa Clem, 2006, by Smart Strike	37	148	\$668,323	\$4,516
11 Decarchy, 1997, by Distant View	84	380	\$1,673,363	\$4,404
12 * Bertrando, 1989, by Skywalker	86	408	\$1,689,284	\$4,140
13 Good Journey, 1996, by Nureyev	66	331	\$1,342,657	\$4,056
14 Peppered Cat, 2000, by Tabasco Cat	20	123	\$478,802	\$3,893
Lucky J. H., 2002, by Cee's Tizzy	26	94	\$365,911	\$3,893
16 Heatseeker (IRE), 2003, by Giant's Causeway	58	279	\$1,036,320	\$3,714
17 † Benchmark, 1991, by Alydar	89	439	\$1,617,008	\$3,683
18 Cindago, 2003, by Indian Charlie	36	174	\$635,571	\$3,653
19 Comic Strip, 1995, by Red Ransom	19	104	\$376,709	\$3,622
20 Anziyan Royalty, 2000, by Anziyan	16	59	\$201,771	\$3,420

**2014 LEADING SIRES IN CALIFORNIA
BY NUMBER OF WINNERS**

Sire	Rnrs	Wnrs	Races Won	Earned
1 * Tribal Rule, 1996-14, by Storm Cat	175	86	138	\$3,622,271
2 # Eddington, 2001, by Unbridled	95	47	67	\$1,617,959
3 Unusual Heat, 1990, by Nureyev	113	46	68	\$2,843,629
† Benchmark, 1991, by Alydar	89	46	71	\$1,617,008
Ministers Wild Cat, 2000, by Deputy Minister	104	46	73	\$1,604,935
6 Kafwain, 2000, by Cherokee Run	81	43	66	\$1,374,182
7 * Bertrando, 1989, by Skywalker	86	41	62	\$1,689,284
8 Swiss Yodeler, 1994, by Eastern Echo	82	39	69	\$908,147
9 Decarchy, 1997, by Distant View	84	38	60	\$1,673,363
Southern Image, 2000, by Halo's Image	75	38	60	\$1,262,872
11 Old Topper, 1995, by Gilded Time	70	33	50	\$996,245
Marino Marini, 2000, by Storm Cat	77	33	56	\$955,952
13 Good Journey, 1996, by Nureyev	66	32	56	\$1,342,657
14 * Terrell, 2000, by Distorted Humor	46	30	44	\$608,496
15 Stormin Fever, 1994, by Storm Cat	70	29	41	\$828,653
16 Rocky Bar, 1998, by In Excess (IRE)	50	27	49	\$539,049
17 * In Excess (IRE), 1987-13, by Siberian Express	47	25	38	\$761,523
18 Lucky Pulpit, 2001, by Pulpit	60	23	39	\$4,073,034
19 Sea of Secrets, 1995, by Storm Cat	51	22	37	\$438,445
20 • Redattore (BRZ), 1995, by Roi Normand	51	21	33	\$612,013
21 Vronsky, 1999, by Danzig	43	20	29	\$983,979
22 Heatseeker (IRE), 2003, by Giant's Causeway	58	19	33	\$1,036,320
Papa Clem, 2006, by Smart Strike	37	19	25	\$668,323

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BY NUMBER OF RACES WON**

Sire	Rnrs	Srts	Races Won	Earned
1 * Tribal Rule, 1996-14, by Storm Cat	175	779	138	\$3,622,271
2 Ministers Wild Cat, 2000, by Deputy Minister	104	538	73	\$1,604,935
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Southern Image, 2000, by Halo's Image	75	406	60	\$1,262,872
11 Good Journey, 1996, by Nureyev	66	331	56	\$1,342,657
Marino Marini, 2000, by Storm Cat	77	350	56	\$955,952
13 Old Topper, 1995, by Gilded Time	70	362	50	\$996,245
14 Rocky Bar, 1998, by In Excess (IRE)	50	269	49	\$539,049
15 * Terrell, 2000, by Distorted Humor	46	288	44	\$608,496
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19 Sea of Secrets, 1995, by Storm Cat	51	271	37	\$438,445
20 Heatseeker (IRE), 2003, by Giant's Causeway	58	279	33	\$1,036,320



2014 LEADING LIFETIME SIRES IN CALIFORNIA

(50 OR MORE NAMED FOALS)

Stallion (Foreign Foaled), Year, Sire	Crops	Avg Size	Named Foals	Runners	Winners	2YO Winners	Stakes Winners	Graded Stakes Winners	Progeny Earnings	AEI	Comp Index
1 Lucky Pulpit, 2001, by Pulpit	5	30	150	88-59%	58-39%	25-17%	5- 3%	1- 1%	\$7,626,247	2.23	1.25
2 Unusual Heat, 1990, by Nureyev	14	48	668	485-73%	347-52%	44- 7%	45- 7%	11- 2%	\$44,270,278	2.10	1.26
3 Cyclotron, 2000, by Grand Slam	5	12	59	21-36%	19-32%	0- 0%	2- 3%	1- 2%	\$1,518,207	1.80	1.34
4 * In Excess (IRE), 1987, by Siberian Express	19	52	992	740-75%	558-56%	117-12%	63- 6%	11- 1%	\$45,848,783	1.56	1.38
5 Vronsky, 1999, by Danzig	7	20	137	75-55%	46-34%	7- 5%	5- 4%	1- 1%	\$4,474,225	1.53	1.13
6 Good Journey, 1996, by Nureyev	9	49	444	108-24%	71-16%	10- 2%	9- 2%	4- 1%	\$6,048,674	1.43	1.02
7 * Cindago, 2003, by Indian Charlie	5	16	81	52-64%	35-43%	8-10%	3- 4%	0- 0%	\$2,359,922	1.35	1.37
8 * Bertrando, 1989, by Skywalker	18	59	1063	803-76%	557-52%	123-12%	60- 6%	15- 1%	\$47,103,660	1.34	1.50
* Tribal Rule, 1996, by Storm Cat	9	61	552	409-74%	285-52%	99-18%	37- 7%	5- 1%	\$23,243,234	1.34	1.14
10 † Birdonthewire, 1989, by Proud Birdie	17	16	268	192-72%	138-51%	39-15%	10- 4%	1- 0%	\$12,263,175	1.29	1.35
11 # Eddington, 2001, by Unbridled	6	57	341	263-77%	195-57%	52-15%	7- 2%	3- 1%	\$13,829,800	1.28	1.56
12 † One Man Army, 1994, by Roman Diplomat	9	9	83	52-63%	35-42%	3- 4%	4- 5%	1- 1%	\$2,721,176	1.25	0.95
13 † Benchmark, 1991, by Alydar	13	54	706	535-76%	410-58%	106-15%	41- 6%	10- 1%	\$31,573,474	1.24	1.13
14 * Beau Genius, 1985, by Bold Ruckus	19	39	749	616-82%	465-62%	138-18%	41- 5%	6- 1%	\$35,265,968	1.18	1.14
15 Southern Image, 2000, by Halo's Image	6	73	437	193-44%	137-31%	35- 8%	8- 2%	2- 0%	\$9,707,628	1.17	1.30
Stormin Fever, 1994, by Storm Cat	12	60	716	517-72%	362-51%	113-16%	31- 4%	12- 2%	\$28,126,531	1.17	1.39
17 Kafwain, 2000, by Cherokee Run	8	61	486	360-74%	267-55%	87-18%	22- 5%	6- 1%	\$17,078,355	1.14	1.28
18 Heatseeker (IRE), 2003, by Giant's Causeway	3	36	107	74-69%	45-42%	18-17%	5- 5%	1- 1%	\$2,933,027	1.12	1.47
Tizbud, 1999, by Cee's Tizzy	7	21	150	99-66%	60-40%	9- 6%	6- 4%	1- 1%	\$4,112,215	1.12	0.91
20 Affirmative, 1999, by Unbridled	6	14	86	56-65%	32-37%	5- 6%	2- 2%	0- 0%	\$2,222,025	1.11	0.77
# Prime Timber, 1996, by Sultry Song	9	25	227	183-81%	147-65%	29-13%	5- 2%	3- 1%	\$9,868,541	1.11	1.24
22 * Olympio, 1988, by Naskra	19	28	527	407-77%	299-57%	61-12%	30- 6%	4- 1%	\$19,112,621	1.09	1.28
23 Ministers Wild Cat, 2000, by Deputy Minister	6	45	271	212-78%	153-56%	37-14%	15- 6%	2- 1%	\$10,179,370	1.08	0.97
24 Hold for Gold, 1995, by Red Ransom	12	11	135	105-78%	75-56%	16-12%	4- 3%	0- 0%	\$5,561,499	1.07	1.12
Lucky J. H., 2002, by Cee's Tizzy	3	18	54	30-56%	17-31%	7-13%	1- 2%	0- 0%	\$848,104	1.07	1.27
26 *Robannier, 1991, by Batonnier	15	7	107	69-64%	40-37%	8- 7%	3- 3%	0- 0%	\$3,017,925	1.06	1.01
27 Atticus, 1992, by Nureyev	14	32	452	336-74%	206-46%	40- 9%	14- 3%	5- 1%	\$14,333,684	1.05	1.44
Popular, 1999, by Saint Ballado	7	11	79	57-72%	43-54%	15-19%	3- 4%	1- 1%	\$2,924,477	1.05	0.94
29 Awesome Gambler, 2004, by Coronado's Quest	4	30	120	74-62%	33-28%	12-10%	2- 2%	1- 1%	\$2,470,770	1.03	0.78
30 High Brite, 1984, by Best Turn	22	43	936	733-78%	594-63%	145-15%	46- 5%	9- 1%	\$36,380,329	1.02	1.17
31 Swiss Yodeler, 1994, by Eastern Echo	13	56	734	565-77%	404-55%	163-22%	29- 4%	2- 0%	\$26,780,000	1.01	1.07
32 Bartok (IRE), 1991, by Fairy King	11	19	205	159-78%	102-50%	27-13%	7- 3%	0- 0%	\$6,680,736	1.00	0.86
* Siberian Summer, 1989, by Siberian Express	13	32	416	308-74%	217-52%	28- 7%	14- 3%	4- 1%	\$13,071,124	1.00	0.88
34 Papa Clem, 2006, by Smart Strike	2	57	113	39-35%	23-20%	14-12%	3- 3%	0- 0%	\$913,614	0.97	1.29
Rocky Bar, 1998, by In Excess (IRE)	7	17	118	88-75%	72-61%	25-21%	17-14%	1- 1%	\$3,988,008	0.97	0.89
Suances (GB), 1997, by Most Welcome (GB)	7	17	116	60-52%	37-32%	4- 3%	1- 1%	0- 0%	\$2,396,806	0.97	1.12
37 Old Topper, 1995, by Gilded Time	11	46	510	409-80%	317-62%	109-21%	23- 5%	0- 0%	\$18,928,231	0.96	0.86
38 *Silic (FR), 1995, by Silery	10	18	179	125-70%	75-42%	11- 6%	3- 2%	1- 1%	\$7,450,622	0.95	0.92
39 Crafty C. T., 1998, by Crafty Prospector	5	25	123	51-41%	41-33%	9- 7%	3- 2%	1- 1%	\$2,585,572	0.90	1.02
Desert Code, 2004, by E Dubai	2	31	61	21-34%	11-18%	7-11%	0- 0%	0- 0%	\$516,453	0.90	1.26
Marino Marini, 2000, by Storm Cat	7	41	288	206-72%	143-50%	35-12%	8- 3%	0- 0%	\$7,755,864	0.90	1.04
*Western Fame, 1992, by Gone West	13	22	291	195-67%	143-49%	46-16%	15- 5%	0- 0%	\$8,045,730	0.90	0.83
43 # Lightnin N Thunder, 2001, by Storm Cat	8	23	181	132-73%	89-49%	28-15%	8- 4%	0- 0%	\$5,295,558	0.88	1.10
Sea of Secrets, 1995, by Storm Cat	12	38	456	374-82%	275-60%	76-17%	21- 5%	3- 1%	\$18,074,691	0.88	1.08
45 Iron Cat, 1995, by Storm Cat	13	11	148	113-76%	93-63%	8- 5%	6- 4%	0- 0%	\$4,091,963	0.85	0.96
46 Dixie Chatter, 2005, by Dixie Union	2	40	80	39-49%	22-28%	10-13%	2- 3%	0- 0%	\$901,415	0.84	1.06
Game Plan, 1993, by Danzig	15	29	429	318-74%	251-59%	57-13%	24- 6%	2- 0%	\$13,498,660	0.84	0.80
† Latin American, 1988, by Riverman	17	18	313	212-68%	137-44%	28- 9%	6- 2%	2- 1%	\$6,622,834	0.84	1.09
49 † Globalize, 1997, by Summer Squall	10	17	168	118-70%	85-51%	32-19%	5- 3%	0- 0%	\$4,506,865	0.82	0.77
50 Comic Strip, 1995, by Red Ransom	12	27	318	231-73%	167-53%	37-12%	12- 4%	1- 0%	\$8,340,253	0.79	1.16
* Thisnearlywasmine, 1994, by Capote	10	8	78	50-64%	35-45%	5- 6%	0- 0%	0- 0%	\$1,699,130	0.79	0.70
52 Sought After, 2000, by Seeking the Gold	9	11	100	64-64%	41-41%	13-13%	2- 2%	0- 0%	\$1,875,491	0.76	0.86

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Stakes & Sales Dates

2014

REGIONAL RACE MEETINGS

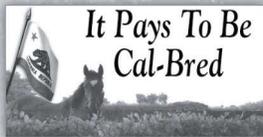
Del Mar Thoroughbred Club, Del Mar	July 17-Sept. 3
Golden Gate Fields, Berkeley	Aug. 15-Sept. 14
Pomona Fair (at Los Alamitos)	Sept. 5-21
San Joaquin County Fair, Stockton	Sept. 19-28
Santa Anita Park, Arcadia	Sept. 26-Nov. 2
Fresno County Fair, Fresno	Oct. 1-13
Golden Gate Fields, Berkeley	Oct. 16-Dec. 21
Del Mar Thoroughbred Club, Del Mar	Nov. 5-Dec. 3
Los Alamitos Race Course, Los Alamitos	Dec. 4-21

2014 REGIONAL SALE DATES

OCTOBER 7

Barretts Sales & Racing October Yearling Sale

(NOMINATIONS CLOSED APRIL 18)



California-Bred/California-Sired Stakes Races

September – October 2014

DEL MAR THOROUGHBRED CLUB

Monday, September 1
\$150,000 I'm Smokin Stakes
Two-Year-Olds / 6 Furlongs

LOS ALAMITOS

Friday, September 5
\$75,000 E.B. Johnston Stakes
Three-Year-Olds / 6½ Furlongs

FRESNO

Sunday, October 5
\$100,000 Harris Farms Stakes
Three-Year-Olds & Up / 6 Furlongs

SANTA ANITA

Saturday, October 11
\$100,000 California Distaff Handicap
Three-Year-Olds & Up, F & M
About 6 1/2 Furlongs (Turf)

Saturday, October 18
\$100,000 California Flag Handicap
Three-Year-Olds & Up
About 6 1/2 Furlongs (Turf)

Friday, October 31
\$200,000 Golden State Juvenile Fillies
Two-Year-Old Fillies / 7 Furlongs

SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER 2014 REGIONAL STAKES RACES

BOLD FACE: CAL-BRED/CAL-SIRED RACES

Date	Track	Stakes (Grade)	Conditions	Distance	Added Value
1	GGF	Rolling Green Stakes	3-y-o & up	1 1/16 (T)	\$50,000
1	Dmr	I'm Smokin Stakes	2-y-o, Cal-Bred/Cal-Sired	6 f.	\$150,000
1	Dmr	Oak Tree Juvenile Fillies Turf	2-y-o f.	1 m. (T)	\$100,000
1	Dmr	Yellow Ribbon Handicap (Gr. II)	3-y-o & up, f. & m.	1 1/16 (T)	\$200,000
3	Dmr	CERF Stakes	3-y-o & up, f. & m.	6 f.	\$90,000
3	Dmr	Pirate's Bounty Stakes	3-y-o & up	6 f.	\$90,000
3	Dmr	Oak Tree Juvenile Turf	2-y-o	1 m. (T)	\$100,000
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5	Fno	Harris Farms Stakes	3-y-o & up, Cal-Bred/Cal-Sired	6 f.	\$100,000
11	SA	California Distaff Handicap	3-y-o & up, f. & m. Cal-Bred/Cal-Sired	abt. 6 1/2 f. (T)	\$100,000
11	Fno	Harvest Stakes	3-y-o & up, f. & m.	6 f.	\$50,000
12	SA	Anoakia Stakes	2-y-o f.	6 f.	\$75,000
12	Fno	The Bulldog Handicap	3-y-o & up	1 1/8 m.	\$75,000
13	SA	Speakeasy Stakes	2-y-o	6 f.	\$100,000
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25	SA	Autumn Miss Stakes (Gr. III)	3-y-o f.	1 m. (T)	\$100,000
26	SA	Lure Stakes	3-y-o & up	1 m. (T)	\$75,000
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