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# BULLSBAY

Tiznow – The Hess Express, by Lord Carson \$3,000 LF

**#1**  
**Freshman AND**  
**Juvenile Sire**  
**in Mid-Atlantic**  
**by Earnings**



MISS BULLISTIC

*1st Crop 2-year-olds include:*

## MISS BULLISTIC

Won Selima S. on turf defeating SWs after MSW win, won Donna Freyer S. on dirt, 2nd Maryland Juvenile Filly Championship S.

## BULLHEADED BOY

\$115,000 OBS 2YO won Saratoga MSW, then placed in 4 stakes in next 5 starts, at Saratoga, Belmont and Aqueduct

## LAST CONFESSION

Won Maiden Special Weight debut at Laurel in only start

**G1 SW** of Over \$900,000  
By **TIZNOW**

Won **Whitney H.-G1**  
107 Beyer Figure, by 1 1/2 lengths

Placed **Woodward S.-G1**  
106 Beyer to RACHEL ALEXANDRA

**NTR** at **Del Mar**  
1 mile in 1:36 1/5

**1:08** at **Santa Anita**  
Beaten a Nose in 2nd Start

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Bullsbay El Padrino Fairbanks Jump Start Medallist Smarty Jones



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Jump Start, Tale of Ekati, Wiseman's Ferry, Shackleford and Afleet Alex are among the stallions to be offered at this year's auction, which will be conducted at the website [Thoroughbred.com](http://Thoroughbred.com). It's quick and easy to register and bid, and to get more information, contact Geoff at PHBA (610) 444-1050.

The following stallions are available:

Kentucky—Afleet Alex, Shackleford, Jersey Town, I Want Revenge, Tale of Ekati, Jimmy Creed, Dialed In, Celeb's Posse, American Lion, Perfect Soul, Run Away and Hide, Giant Oak, Colonel John, Drosselmeyer and Sidney's Candy.

Pennsylvania—Jump Start, Smarty Jones, Wiseman's Ferry, Talent Search, El Padrino, Rimrod, Weigelia, More Smoke, Winchill, Bullsbay, Fairbanks, Medallist, Wildcat Brief, Uptowncharlybrown, Senor Swinger, Mad Flatter, Sir Shackleton, Got the Last Laugh, Well Spelled, Norman Asbjornson, Power by Far and More Smoke.

Maryland—Dance With Ravens, Freisan Fire, Cal Nation, Freedom Child, Bandbox, Redeemed and Super Ninety Nine.

Florida—Two Step Salsa and Drill



# Winchill brings Tapit connection to Pennsylvania

Call him “that Tapit stallion.” That’s how breeders are referring to Winchill, a son of Tapit who will stand his first year at stud in 2015 at Pointer Farm near Bernville.

Winchill will be the first son of Tapit to stand in Pennsylvania. If you can’t afford the \$300,000 to breed to Tapit, the country’s leading sire (standing at Gainesway Farm in Kentucky), then you can spend \$3,000 to breed to Winchill.

Heck, Winchill won twice as many races as Tapit and raced 22 times compared to Tapit’s six. Of course, Tapit won the Wood Memorial Stakes at Aqueduct, whereas Winchill won the First Responder Stakes at Parx.

Winchill raced for Pewter Stable from August of his 3-year-old season in 2011 to his retirement at 6. Pewter Stable bought him in July 2011 for \$52,000 at the Fasig-Tipton dispersal of the Heiligbrodt Racing Stable. Before that, Winchill, trained by Dale Romans, won two of five races at Ellis Park, Presque Isle Downs and Churchill Downs.

Kate DeMasi trained Winchill for Pewter Stable and raced him primarily at Parx. He won four of 17 races for her. DeMasi’s husband Greg is syndicate manager of Pewter Stable. Formed more than 20 years ago, it has more than 40 horses in training.

Greg DeMasi says that after Winchill made his final start last June (a victory at Parx, increasing his earnings to \$288,294), it just made sense to stand him at stud. He is after all a Pennsylvania-bred (bred by Gum Tree Stables and partners). His dam Exclusive Hold, by Phone Trick, was a fine racehorse, finishing second in 1996 in the Schuylerville and third in the Adirondack, both Grade 2 stakes at Saratoga; as a broodmare she has produced 10 foals, of which seven started and six won. And finally, DeMasi says, he had the perfect place to stand Winchill: Pointer Farm.

Jodie Pointer and her husband Tommy own the farm, situated about 30 miles east of Philadelphia Park, where Tommy works as a jockeys’ agent. Jodie says they bought this farm seven years ago after owning and operating the old Bonita Farm in Maryland.

The horse industry in Maryland was struggling, so they decided to move to Pennsylvania. “It’s worked out wonderfully,” she says.

The farm specializes in breaking yearlings for the track but also has a 25-stall barn for layups and cares for more than 30 broodmares. The Pointers also operate Cabin Creek Rescue, taking in, retraining

and finding homes for retired thoroughbreds.

They’ve worked with Pewter Stable, foaling its broodmares and handling its layups. Winchill is the first stallion to stand at Pointer Farm.

Breeders started asking about him immediately, Jodie says. “You have that Tapit stallion?” they ask.

“He’s a nice horse with a nice personality—not one of those crazy colts that would be difficult to handle,” Jodie says, explaining her decision to stand a stallion. “I just figured, if I’m going to do it, he’s the one to do it with.”





# A Few Words From the Executive Secretary

The year 2014 was a fantastic one for Pennsylvania. Thanks to a coordinated effort between the PHBA and Horsemen groups from Parx and Penn the total paid to Breeders and Owners of PA-Bred horses reached almost \$33 million. The number of restricted races run hit an all-time high of 545. Our program continues to rank among the best in the nation and there is no better time to breed and race in PA.

Our fifth annual Stallion Season Auction will run Thursday thru Saturday, January 29th to the 31st. The proceeds will go to our Political Action Fund and also to the Thoroughbred retirement organization 'Turning for Home.'

As a member of the Breeding and Racing Coalition we continue to work hard

to educate our legislators in Harrisburg as to the \$1.6-billion contribution our industry makes in annual economic activity. Tens of thousands of acres of open space and farmland, 23,000 Pennsylvania jobs and a livelihood to hundreds of businesses who produce feed and hay as well as offer services like blacksmiths and veterinarians only scratches the surface. We have a great story to tell and we will continue to do whatever is necessary to insure the stability of the Race Horse Development Fund and the continued growth of our breeders organization.

Thank you for your continued support.

/ Brian Sanfratello



## PA-Bred Fund Statistics: Top Earners

(January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014, rounded to dollars)

### LEADING EARNERS - TOTAL AWARDS

Breeder Name	Breeder	Stallion	Owner	Total	Breeder Name	Breeder	Stallion	Owner	Total
Michael W. Jester	190,385	161,353	0	351,738	Flint W. Stites	62,261	29,592	0	91,853
George Strawbridge Jr.	202,866	54,692	0	257,558	Equivine Farm Inc.	91,170	0	0	91,170
Northview Stallion Station Inc.	8,848	235,097	0	243,945	St. Omer's Farm	87,184	0	0	87,184
William J. Solomon VMD	71,067	151,224	0	222,290	Bettina L. Jenney	84,254	0	0	84,254
Xanthus Farms Inc.	157,657	7,583	0	165,240	Barlar LLC	70,350	13,569	0	83,919
Charles A. Cuprill	122,042	38,531	0	160,573	Triton Farms LLC	70,664	12,834	0	83,498
Wyn Oaks Farm LLC	87,924	59,083	0	147,007	Ashwell Stables Inc.	72,770	0	0	72,770
Sylmar Farm Inc.	135,337	0	0	135,337	Walmac Farm LLC	0	72,514	0	72,514
Thomas G. McClay	132,624	0	0	132,624	Tea Party Stable Inc.	37,737	34,162	0	71,899
Arrowwood Farm Inc.	131,324	0	0	131,324	Judith M. Barrett	32,263	39,492	0	71,755
Pewter Stable	87,856	39,762	2,890	130,508	Patricia L. Chapman	58,255	13,120	0	71,375
The Elkstone Group LLC	111,933	0	4,500	116,433	Smart Angle LLP	70,481	0	0	70,481
Yaroslav Kolybabiuk MD	114,056	0	0	114,056	Joseph Imbesi	69,432	0	0	69,432
Jon A. Marshall	106,124	0	0	106,124	William E. Riddle Jr.	69,109	0	0	69,109
Charlton Bloodstock Agency Inc.	95,804	0	0	95,804	Sienna Farms LLC	68,182	0	0	68,182

# PA-Bred Fund Statistics: Top Earners (cont.)

(January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014, rounded to dollars)

## LEADING STALLIONS

Fund Money includes Stallion Awards only

<i>Stallion Name</i>	<i>Stallion Owner / Manager</i>	<i>No. of Races</i>	<i>Award Total</i>	<i>Stallion Name</i>	<i>Stallion Owner / Manager</i>	<i>No. of Races</i>	<i>Award Total</i>
Fairbanks	Northview Stallion Station Inc.	294	113,475	More Smoke	William J. Solomon VMD	113	36,448
Jump Start	Northview Stallion Station Inc.	187	108,062	Changeintheweather	Pin Oak Stud LLC	101	34,865
Real Quiet	Michael W. Jester	199	77,970	Barbican	Tea Party Stable Inc.	86	30,575
Ecclesiastic	Walmac Farm LLC	241	72,837	Aisle	Flint W. Stites	120	29,592
Cat Thief	Michael W. Jester	178	65,582	Love of Money	Northview Stallion Station Inc.	73	27,897
Weigelia	Wyn Oaks Farm LLC	171	59,083	Albert the Great	William J. Solomon VMD	152	26,786
Rimrod	George Strawbridge Jr.	161	54,692	Partner's Hero	Peter Giangiulio	119	26,641
Medallist	Northview Stallion Station Inc.	101	44,521	Siphon (Brz)	William J Solomon VMD	104	26,462
Lite the Fuse	William J. Solomon VMD	175	41,089	Wiseman's Ferry	Lainey Bug Stables LLC	112	26,084
Congressionalhonor	Pewter Stable	129	39,762	Southern Success	Barbara A. Rickline	110	24,805
Activist	Judith M. Barrett	186	39,492	Power by Far	Barbara J. Geraghty	69	24,010
Talent Search	Kenneth L. Ramsey	84	38,168	City Sharpster	Charles A. Cuprill	136	21,792

## LEADING HORSES

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

<i>Horse</i>	<i>Pedigree</i>	<i>Breeder</i>	<i>Races</i>	<i>PA-Bred Restricted Purse</i>	<i>PA-Bred Stakes Purse</i>	<i>Total Breeder Award</i>	<i>Total Stallion Award</i>	<i>Total Owner Award</i>	<i>Total Owner Bonus</i>	<i>Total Fund Amount</i>
Page McKenney *	Eavesdropper - Winning Grace	James E. Bryant	7	0	56,000	61,740	20,580	4,500	13,600	156,420
Edge of Reality	Lawyer Ron - Our Nancy Lee	The Elkstone Group LLC	3	0	109,500	21,000	0	0	0	130,500
Where's Rosie B *	Real Quiet - Lucky Nita	Michael W. Jester	6	0	45,000	44,740	14,913	0	20,024	124,678
Primo Via	Candy Ride (Arg) - Breezy Street	Cedar Meadow Inc.	16	0	15,000	51,578	0	0	47,340	113,918
Bound *	Jump Start - China Sky	Barlar LLC	5	0	60,000	33,378	11,126	0	6,660	111,164
Lenape Rim *	Rimrod - Mai Debeau	Margaret H. Brigham	4	0	65,000	32,295	10,765	0	0	108,060
Nasa *	Smarty Jones - Shootforthestars	Patricia L. Chapman	3	0	60,000	27,375	9,125	0	0	96,500
Disco Chick *	Jump Start - Disco Flirt	Yaroslav Kolybabiuk MD	7	0	8,250	44,986	14,995	0	21,840	90,071
Pixie Dust *	Ecclesiastic - Seagrapes	Lawrence Stables Inc.	9	0	20,500	41,151	13,717	0	12,824	88,192
Aunt Ellipsis	Successful Appeal - Aunt Dot Dot	Truxton Stables	8	0	45,000	28,766	0	4,500	6,980	85,246
Raging Smoke *	More Smoke - Marquee Kelly	Thomas G. McClay	4	0	30,000	31,194	10,398	0	11,980	83,572
Duff	Candy Ride (Arg) - To the Brim	Two Sisters' Farm Inc.	4	0	45,000	24,344	0	4,500	7,320	81,164
Rustler Hustler	Ecton Park - Cozy Temper	Mark H. Stanley	7	0	53,250	20,016	0	0	3,760	77,026
Rockin Jojo	Street Magician - Chiqueada	David Miller	4	0	47,250	17,760	0	0	11,700	76,710
Favorite Tale	Tale of the Cat - Tricky Elaine	Paul E. Conaway Jr.	3	0	0	47,880	0	18,000	10,800	76,680
Appealing Cat	Successful Appeal - Dynamic Cat	George Strawbridge Jr.	3	0	64,500	12,000	0	0	0	76,500
Merry's Honor *	Congressionalhonor - Merry Princess	Pewter Stable	2	0	45,000	20,739	6,913	0	3,680	76,332
Show Ya Luv	Grand Reward - Funny Woman	Joseph Besecker	11	0	0	31,534	0	0	42,520	74,054
Star Pearl	Tapit - Lexi Star	Stephen E. Quick	4	0	45,000	21,212	0	0	6,660	72,872
Yougotthatgoiforu	Student Council - The Cat's Reach	R R Equine Stables LLC	13	0	4,500	36,618	0	0	31,645	72,763
Isabella Swift *	Weigelia - Polar Miss	Wyn Oaks Farm LLC	15	0	0	41,796	13,932	0	16,424	72,152
Zipped Code	City Zip - Control Premium	Jon A. Marshall	15	0	15,000	26,854	0	0	26,540	68,394
Morning Cigar *	Fairbanks - What Is Next	Elser Farms Corp	8	0	0	29,924	9,975	0	27,656	67,554
Chilly Start *	Jump Start - Holiday Chills	Horseshoe Valley Equine Ctr LLC	4	17,400	19,500	17,865	5,955	0	5,400	66,120
Monkey's Medal *	Medallist - My Little Monkey	Thomas L. Teal	7	0	0	31,814	10,605	0	23,252	65,670

\*Denotes PA-sired

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# Stakes Schedule for PA-Breds Offers \$1.75 Million in 2015



The lucrative 2015 PA-Bred stakes schedule will continue to offer 22 stakes worth a total of \$1.75 million to be carded at the three Pennsylvania mile tracks.

"We are very proud of this year's schedule and the continued 25 percent bonus for all PA-Sired horses finishing first, second or third in any of our stakes," said PHBA Executive Secretary Brian Sanfratello.

This year's schedule includes the three stakes that were added last summer—the Robellino at Penn National, Mrs. Henry D. Paxson at Presque Isle Downs and Plum Pretty at Parx.

## ALL BREEDING FUND STAKES WILL INCLUDE A 25% PA-SIRED BONUS FOR 1ST, 2ND AND 3RD.

**Proposed 2015 schedule—dates and conditions for all the PA-Bred Stakes are subject to change. Please contact the Racing Offices for the most current schedules.**

Sat., May 2, Parx	<b>\$75,000 Lyman H</b> , 3 & up, 7 fur.
	<b>\$75,000 Foxy J. G. S</b> , 3 & up, fillies & mares, 7 fur.
Sat., May 30, Penn	<b>\$75,000 Lyphard S</b> , 3 & up, fillies & mares, 1 $\frac{1}{16}$ mi., turf
Fri., June 12, Penn	<b>\$75,000 Danzig S</b> , 3YO, 6 fur.
	<b>\$75,000 New Start S</b> , 3YO fillies, 6 fur.
Sun., July 12, PID	<b>\$75,000 Leematt S</b> , 3 & up, 1 mi.
	<b>\$75,000 Northern Fling S</b> , 3 & up, fillies & mares, 1 mi.
Sat., July 25, Parx	<b>\$75,000 Crowd Pleaser S</b> , 3YO, 1 $\frac{1}{16}$ mi., turf
	<b>\$75,000 Power by Far S</b> , 3 & up, fillies & mares, 5 fur., turf
Sun., Aug. 9, PID	<b>\$75,000 Malvern Rose S</b> , 3YO fillies, 1 $\frac{1}{16}$ mi.
Sat., Aug. 22, Penn	<b>\$75,000 Robellino S</b> , 3 & up, 1 $\frac{1}{16}$ mi., turf



## Pennsylvania's Day At the Races

Sat. Sept. 5, Parx	<b>\$75,000 Banjo Picker Sprint S</b> , 3 & up, 6 fur.
	<b>\$75,000 Roanoke S</b> , 3 & up, 1 $\frac{1}{16}$ mi.
	<b>\$75,000 Marshall Jenney H</b> , 3 & up, 5 fur., turf
	<b>\$75,000 Dr. Teresa Garofalo Memorial S</b> , 3YO fillies, 7 fur.
	<b>\$100,000 Mrs. Penny S</b> , 3 & up, fillies & mares, 1 $\frac{1}{16}$ mi., turf
Sun., Sept. 6, PID	<b>\$75,000 Mark McDermott S</b> , 2YO, 6 fur.
Sat., Sept. 19, Parx	<b>\$100,000 Alphabet Soup H</b> , 3 & up, 1 $\frac{1}{16}$ mi., turf
Sun., Sept. 20, PID	<b>\$75,000 Mrs. Henry D. Paxson S</b> , 2YO fillies, 6 fur.
Sat., Oct. 10, Parx	<b>\$75,000 Plum Pretty S</b> , 3 & up, fillies & mares, 1 $\frac{1}{16}$ mi.
Wed., Nov. 25, Penn	<b>\$75,000 Blue Mountain Juvenile Fillies S</b> , 2YO fillies, 6 fur.
Sat., Dec. 5, Parx	<b>\$100,000 Pennsylvania Nursery S</b> , 2YO, 7 fur.

Total: \$1,725,000

# Synopsis of PA-Bred Stakes: Versatility and Talent on Display

Five stakes on the Pennsylvania Day At the Races' 12-race card for state-breds, plus six additional PA-Bred stakes were run from September through December. The following is a brief synopsis of each race and winner.

## PA DAY AT THE RACES - Parx Racing, Sept. 6

### \$75,000 Banjo Picker Sprint S

3 & up, 6 fur., Sept. 6

1st: *Rustler Hustler*; 2nd: *Res Judicata*;  
3rd: *Officer Alex*

Waldorf Racing Stables LLC's Rustler Hustler got his first stakes win in nearly four years with a determined stretch drive in the Banjo Picker Sprint, turning away odds-on favorite Res Judicata to win by three-quarters of a length. At 16-1, the longest shot on the board of the five starters, the son of Ecton Park bred by Mark Stanley put together a 6-year-old campaign of 8-2-2-2 for year-end earnings of \$102,495. He concluded his season with an allowance win at Parx on Oct. 21, which pushed his career earnings to \$498,491.

### \$75,000 Roanoke S

3 & up, 1 1/16 mi.

1st: *Traffic Light*; 2nd: *Keepmeinstitches*;  
3rd: *Sailor's Revenge*

Leading at every call, John Trippi's Traffic Light strolled home a three and a quarter-length winner to gain his third career stakes win and push his total earnings to \$503,220. A stakes winner each year from 3 to 5, the son of Peace Rules bred by Dixiana Farms LLC has won or placed in 15 of his 22 starts. Earlier in the year he finished third in the Donald LeVine Memorial Handicap.

### \$75,000 Marshall Jenney H

3 & up, 5 fur., turf

1st: *Merry's Honor*; 2nd: *Oklahoma Crude*;  
3rd: *Atlantic Seaboard*

In the most exciting finish on the card, Merry's Honor got the win by a nose as

four horses hit the wire together. The Pewter Stable homebred trained by Kate DeMasi got his first stakes win and became the first stakes winner for his dam Merry Princess, herself a multiple stakes winner of \$319,164 for Pewter Stable. A son of former Pennsylvania stallion Congressional honor, lightly-raced Merry's Honor, now 6, has 15 career starts, won or placed nine times, and was third in the 2013 running of the Marshall Jenney Handicap in his only other stakes outing.


### \$75,000 Dr. Teresa Garofalo Memorial

3YO fillies, 6 fur.

1st: *Aunt Ellipsis*; 2nd: *Pixie Dust*;  
3rd: *Disco Chick*

Aunt Ellipsis got her third win in a row and her second stakes win of the year with her one and three-quarters-length score for owner Vince Campanella. The Successful Appeal filly bred by Truxton Stables captured the Donna Freyer Stakes in February. In 10 starts at 3, she won four times, was second twice and third three times, for earnings of \$169,466. On the board in both her starts at 2, she has earned a total of \$203,066.

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## PBHA 5th Annual Stallion Auction

### January 29, 30, and 30 2015

On-line Auction to benefit PAC and Turning For Home. Taking place through [thoroughlybred.com](http://thoroughlybred.com). To learn more and visit site, [CLICK HERE](#)

## Including Featured Stallions



**AFLEET ALEX**

**JUMP START**

**SHACKLEFORD**

**TALE OF EKATI**



## STAKES SYNOPSIS continued from page 8

### **\$100,000 Mrs. Penny S**

3 & up, fillies & mares, 1 1/16 mi., turf  
*1st: Appealing Cat; 2nd: Lenape Rim; 3rd: Previous Honor*

George Strawbridge Jr.'s Augustin Stable homebred Appealing Cat won the featured event of the day by a length and a half, gaining her first stakes victory and becoming the third Pennsylvania-bred stakes winner for her Pennsylvania-bred stakes-winning dam Dynamic Cat, who won the same race in 2005. Appealing Cat, a daughter of Successful Appeal, followed with a third-place finish in Keeneland's Dowager Stakes. Earlier in her career she placed in the Endeavour Stakes-G3 and Gallorette Handicap-G3 and Malvern Rose Stakes. She is a half-sister to graded stakes winner Dynamic Holiday, stakes winner Cat's Holiday, her entrymate who finished behind her in fourth in the Mrs. Penny, and graded stakes-placed Cat Park.

### **\$75,000 Mark McDermott S - Presque Isle Downs**

2YO, 6 fur., Sept. 7  
*1st: Duff; 2nd: Adventurous Fox; 3rd: I Say I Will*

The first PA-Bred stakes for juveniles was won by The Elkstone Group LLC's Duff, a son of Candy Ride (Arg) who came into the race off a third-place finish in the Mountain-eer Juvenile Stakes. A half-brother to 2014 stakes winner Bold Curlin bred by Two Sisters Farm, Duff came back to win the Christopher Elser Memorial Stakes in November, concluding his year with a record of 6-3-1-1 for earnings of \$133,220.

### **\$100,000 Alphabet Soup H - Parx Racing**

3 & up, 1 1/16 mi., turf, Sept. 20  
*1st: Edge of Reality; 2nd: Roadhog; 3rd: Page McKenney*

Edge of Reality got his second PA-Bred stakes win of the year by defeating 10 others as the slight favorite in the Alphabet Soup Handicap. Bred and owned by the Elkstone Group LLC, he once again held off Roadhog for the win, duplicating his effort in the Leematt Stakes at Presque Isle in July. Those were the Edge of Reality's only two wins at 4, as he then went on the road to compete at Saratoga, Keeneland and Gulfstream Park West. In the latter, the final start of his 2014 campaign, he finished fifth in the Grade 3 Tropical Turf Handicap, beaten two and a half lengths by the winner.

### **\$75,000 Mrs. Henry D. Paxson S - Presque Isle Downs**

2YO fillies, 6 fur., Sept. 25  
*1st: Happy to Go; 2nd: Chilly Start; 3rd: Brennan*

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# Why Breed & Own in Pennsylvania?



- > **\$35 million** paid in PA-Bred Awards, Pursues & Bonuses
- > **500** days of racing at 3 PA racetracks
- > **500+** restricted races just for PA-breds
- > **22** restricted stakes races totaling **\$1.75 million** in purses
- > **Breeder award bonus of up to 30%** of purse earned on all races (*1st through 3rd*), with no cap on earnings
- > **Bonus of 25%** of purse earned to owner of PA-Sired horse in all PA-Bred stakes races (*1st through 3rd*)
- > **Bonus of up to 40%** of purse earned to owner on overnight races (*1st through 3rd*), with no cap on earnings

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## STAKES SYNOPSIS continued from page 9

Happy to Go took a shine to synthetic tracks. She broke her maiden first time out at Arlington Park, finished third in her stakes debut next out in Woodbine's My Dear Stakes and was also third in Arlington's historic Arlington-Washington Lassie Stakes. In her final start of the year, the daughter of Saint Anddan galloped away to a two-length score in the Mrs. Henry D. Paxson Memorial. Bred by Lynne Boutte out of the Dove Hunt mare Arctic Dove, Happy to Go earned \$92,550 at 2.

### **\$75,000 Plum Pretty S - Parx Racing**

3 & up, fillies & mares, 1 1/16 mi., Oct. 11

1st: *Bound*; 2nd: *Primo Via*;

3rd: *Maybe Tonight*

A daughter of Pennsylvania leading sire Jump Start, Bound defeated older rivals for her first stakes win, scoring by three and a half lengths over a sloppy track. In her previous start she was second to eventual graded stakes winner Dame Dorothy in the Malvern Rose Stakes at Presque Isle. Bred and owned by Barlar LLC, Bound won or placed in six of

her eight starts at 3, earning \$142,044 of her career total \$169,314.

### **\$75,000 Blue Mountain Juvenile Fillies S - Penn National**

2YO fillies, 6 fur., Nov. 29

1st: *Rockin Jojo*; 2nd: *Kazuri*;

3rd: *Miss Rockport*

Rockin Jojo ran to her odds, winning easily as the 1.40-1 favorite in the Blue Mountain Juvenile Fillies. In her prior outing, the daughter of Street Magician finished a close third in the Maryland Million Lassie Stakes at Laurel. On the board in four of her five starts, the Michael R. Cox owned filly earned \$101,050 for the year. She was bred by David P. Miller and Skymarc Farm.

### **\$100,000 Pennsylvania Nursery S - Parx Racing**

2YO, 6 fur., Dec. 6

1st: *Nasa*; 2nd: *Instructor Kunu*;

3rd: *Blitzensmajikreign*

Nasa followed in footsteps of his illustrious sire Smarty Jones, scoring an easy, frontrunning victory in the Pennsylvania Nursery Stakes. Bred by Pat Chapman, trained by John Servis and racing in the famed Someday Farm colors carried by Smarty Jones during his classic campaign, Nasa finished in the top three in all four of his juvenile starts, which included a maiden win at Laurel Park and a third in the Christopher Elser Memorial Stakes at Parx in November. In his first start of 2015, he was second in Aqueduct's Grade 3 Jerome Stakes on Jan. 3. 🌟



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# By the Numbers: 2014

## Leading PA-Bred earners

- 1) Real Solution, \$643,000
- 2) Miss Behaviour, \$548,834
- 3) Princess of Sylmar, \$410,000
- 4) Favorite Tale, \$380,326
- 5) Page McKenney, \$308,860

## Number of PA-Bred stakes winners

- Total 54  
5 - 2-year-olds  
18 - 3-year-olds  
16 - 4-year-olds  
15 - 5 and up

## PA-Bred graded stakes winners

- DAME DOROTHY—  
Turnback the Alarm Handicap-G3  
DIVINE FORTUNE—  
Colonial Cup Stakes-G1  
Calvin Houghland Iroquois Hurdle-G1  
EL CAPITAN  
Derby Mexicano-G1  
Gran Premio Nacional-G1  
FALLING SKY  
Gulfstream Park Sprint Stakes-G3  
FAVORITE TALE  
Gallant Bob Stakes-G3  
HOLIDAY STAR—  
Sycamore Stakes-G3  
MISS BEHAVIOUR  
Charles Town Oaks-G3  
REAL SOLUTION  
Manhattan Stakes-G1  
WATERWAY RUN  
Beaugay Stakes-G3

## PA-Bred millionaires racing in 2014

- Princess of Sylmar, \$2,017,220  
Real Solution, \$1,374,175

## Leading breeders of PA-Bred stakes winners

- George Strawbridge (5): Angel Terrace, Appealing Cat, Beyond Smart, Flying Officer, Holiday Star  
Derry Meeting Farm (3): Dame Dorothy, Henny Jenney, Zeewat  
Nina H. Gardner (2): Elevated, Serene Harbor  
Jonathan E. Sheppard (2): All the Way Jose, Brilliant Match  
The Elkstone Group LLC (2): Edge of Reality, Officer Alex  
Two Sisters' Farm Inc. (2): Bold Curlin, Duff

## Leading PA sires\*

- 1) Jump Start, \$5,996,060
- 2) Rockport Harbor, \$5,600,404
- 3) Smarty Jones, \$3,581,826
- 4) Corinthian, \$3,208,130
- 5) Silver Train, \$2,839,402

*\*Includes Southern Hemisphere earnings*

## Leading PA sires by number of stakes winners\*

- Jump Start - 10  
Rockport Harbor - 9  
Smarty Jones - 5  
Corinthian - 3  
Real Quiet - 3  
Silver Train - 3

*\*Includes international runners*

## Leading PA Sires of 2-year-old\*

- 1) Rockport Harbor, \$398,047
- 2) Jump Start, \$360,229
- 3) Bullsbay, \$357,325
- 4) Corinthian, \$341,836
- 5) Smarty Jones, \$185,804

*\*Includes Southern Hemisphere earnings*



# Pennsylvania Stallions Making Headlines

## YEAR OF GRADE 1 SUCCESS

The year-end total of Grade/Group 1-siring Pennsylvania stallions, who currently stand or completed their stud careers in the state, was seven. That number doesn't include two who left the state after the 2014 breeding season.

The leader was Northview PA's Jump Start, the sire of two Argentinian stars—Idolo Porteno, winner of the Dardo Rocha and Carlos Pellegrini in back-to-back starts in November and December, and Livingstone, who captured the Estrellas Mile. Also siring winners at the highest level were Wiseman's Ferry (Dana Point), whose son, two-time Horse of the Year Wise Dan, was undefeated in four starts, all graded stakes, including three Grade 1s; Albert the Great (Pin Oak Lane), sire of Moonshine Mullin; the late Rockport Harbor, sire of Majestic Harbor, and Silver Train (Headline News), who stood at Pin Oak Lane and Northview PA, respectively; Northview PA's Smarty Jones (Smart D N A) and Dana Point's Sir Shackleton (Manola).

Two stallions who last stood at Pin Oak Lane—Any Given Saturday, the leader of all stallions by number of mares bred in the Mid-Atlantic region in 2014 with 100 reported, and Offlee Wild—were the sires of Grade 1 winners Hoppertunity and Bayern, respectively. Both stallions were sold to international interests late in the year, with Any Given Saturday going to Korea and Offlee Wild to Turkey.

## BULLSBAY IS REGION'S TOP JUVENILE SIRE WITH FIRST CROP

Led by two stakes performers among his four winners from nine starters, Bullsbay led all active Mid-Atlantic sires on the leading 2-year-old sires list by North American earnings, from just 23 foals in his first crop. The 11-year-old son of Tiznow was represented by stakes winner Miss Bullistic, winner of the Selima and Donna Freyer Stakes, second in the Maryland Juvenile Filly Championship and his leading earner of the year with \$161,620. His first winner, Bullheaded Boy, who won first time out at Saratoga, was four-times stakes-placed and accrued \$131,300 from six starts.

Bullsbay moved to Northview PA for the start of the 2014 season after standing at the Maryland division his first three seasons. The Grade 1 winner stands for \$3,000 in 2015.

## FIRST FOAL FOR EL PADRINO

The first foal to arrive in El Padrino's first crop was born Jan. 18 at Sycamore Hall Farm in Chesapeake City, Md., out of the Great Notion mare Great Storm. The bay filly, also the first foal for her dam, "is large and stout, especially for a first foal from a mare, nice head, very good bone," said farm manager David Wade, adding they are "quite happy with her."

El Padrino launched his career at Northview PA in 2014 and was the busiest first-year sire in the region when covering 89 mares. The graded stakes-winning son of Pulpit and half-brother to multiple Grade 1 winner and millionaire Verrazano from an impeccable family, El Padrino stands for \$5,000 live foal.





# Recent PA-Bred Stakes Horses



## **DAME DOROTHY** ➡

f, 4, Bernardini - Vole Vole Monamour  
Won - FLORIDA SUNSHINE MILLIONS DISTAFF S, \$150,000, 7 fur., 4YO/UP, F&M, Gulfstream Park, Jan. 17.



## **STAR PEARL** ➡

m, 5, Tapit - Lexi Star  
Won - NELLIE MORSE S, \$100,000, 1 1/16 mi., 4YO/UP, F&M, Laurel Park, Jan. 3.

## **KITTEN'S POINT** ➡

m, 5, Kitten's Joy - Rendezvous Point  
Won - ASTRA S, \$80,500, 1 1/2 mi., turf, 4YO/UP, F&M, Santa Anita, Jan. 18.



## **PATRIOTICANDPROUD**

g, 6, Proud Citizen - Luvina  
2nd - SAN GABRIEL S-G2, \$200,750, 1 1/8 mi., turf, 4YO/UP, Santa Anita, Jan. 3.

## **NASA**

c, 3, Smarty Jones - Shootforthestars  
2nd - JEROME S-G3, \$200,000, 1 mi. 70 yds., 3YO, Aqueduct, Jan. 3.

## **WATERWAY RUN**

m, 5, Arch - Princess Consort  
2nd - FLORIDA SUNSHINE MILLIONS FILLY AND MARE TURF S, \$100,000, 1 1/16 mi., turf, 4YO/UP, F&M, Gulfstream Park, Jan. 17.

## **HOLLYWOOD TALENT**

g, 4, Talent Search - Intrinsic Value  
2nd - FOREGO S, \$56,460, 6 1/2 fur., 4YO/UP, Turfway Park, Jan. 17.



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