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# Welcome

By John Nicholson

It gives all of us, horses and humans alike, immense pleasure to welcome our visitors to Old Friends. We are exceedingly proud to be among the leading tourist attractions in Kentucky.

Tourism and horses both have a way of breaking down barriers among people, whether it be national, cultural, religious, economic, or any other type of difference. The more we learn about each other, the more we realize, not only what we have in common, but that we can grow through learning about what others value.

At Old Friends, we value our love of horses. This love is shared by many people in many different places. The love and reverence for the eternal bond that we as humans have with this splendid creature serves to bring us together and allows us to dwell more on our common humanity than those other things that attempt to divide us.

Surrounded by the love and goodwill of our supporters, I can proudly report that we are in the midst of a remarkable era of growth for Old Friends.

In addition to being the home to the oldest Kentucky Derby winner, Silver Charm, we now have 2008 Derby winner Big Brown and the 2012 winner I'll Have Another greeting our guests every day. In fact, we added 29 new retirees to our farms in 2024, including the great Zenyatta's first born foal, Cozmic One.

With this continued growth, we must look at how we can expand our ability to serve the ever-growing list of horses whose owners wish to have them retired at Old Friends. Hillcrest Farm in Scott County has become our newest satellite operation and it holds great promise as a template and model for future growth.

We continue to be deeply grateful for the true heroes of Old Friends: our staff, our donors, our board, and our volunteers. These remarkable people are without question the soulful fabric of Old Friends.

It is impressive to witness firsthand the love, dedication, and passion that our staff and volunteers give to serving our horses and the cause of aftercare we fight for. It is equally remarkable to see the amazing generosity of our over 2,000 donors, without which we would not exist.

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and are developing that are serving the great cause of Thoroughbred Aftercare. Our relationship with *Daily Racing Form*, which makes this magazine possible, is just one example.

Finally, thank you for showing interest in Old Friends by reading this publication. The only thing better than reading about the extraordinary lives of these great athletes is to feel their warm breath, to feel the ticklish nibbling when giving them a treat, and, most of all, to see the gratitude in their eyes for giving them a safe, comfortable, enjoyable, and loving life.

This is why we are proud to share ourselves, and the horses of Old Friends, with the world.

# Derby dreams

In 2024, Old Friends welcomed two Kentucky Derby winners, Big Brown and I'll Have Another



RICK CAPONE

**Big Brown is one of five winners of both the Kentucky Derby and Preakness Stakes to be pensioned at Old Friends.**

## By Rick Capone

In 2003, Old Friends began with a single paddock for horses at Betty Sue Walters's Afton Farm in Georgetown, Ky., and then grew to a number of paddocks at Alfred Nuckols's Hurstland Farm in Midway, Ky., in 2004.

In 2006, Michael Blowen's dream of Old Friends having a permanent home became a reality when

it moved its operation to Dream Chase Farm in Georgetown.

With the farm's opening, more horses began to arrive for their retirement, including some well-known champions such as Hall of Famer Precisionist, who won the 1985 Breeders' Cup Sprint (G1) and Eclipse Award as champion sprinter; Sunshine Forever, second-place finisher in the Breeders' Cup Turf (G1) and 1988

champion turf male; and Black Tie Affair, 1991 Breeders' Cup Classic (G1) winner and Horse of the Year.

However, one dream of Blowen's – having a Kentucky Derby (G1) winner at the farm – remained unfulfilled for the first decade of its existence.

"We needed to attract visitors to sustain Old Friends, and there are no athletes more popular in Thoroughbred racing than winners of

the Kentucky Derby," Blowen said.

In September 2012, 2002 Belmont Stakes (G1) winner Sarava arrived at Old Friends and became the first classic winner at the farm. Blowen's dream of getting a Kentucky Derby champion was beginning to seem attainable.

Two years later, in late 2014, Michael got a call he had long hoped to get. It came from Sandy Hatfield, then stallion manager at



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RICK CAPONE

**Dual classic winner I'll Have Another came to Old Friends after having stood at stud in Japan and California.**

Three Chimneys Farm in Midway, Ky., asking if he'd be interested in having "an old, gray stallion at the farm?"

Michael knew immediately what horse she was talking about, "And I went absolutely out of my mind. But, before I could go completely crazy, she added, 'You can't tell anybody.'"

Now, Blowen, self-admittedly, has a hard time keeping secrets, but this one he did, though he had to find an outlet for his excitement, so . . . "I got on one of the golf carts and drove to the back of the farm and I ran around screaming like an 8-year-old. I mean if anybody had seen me or heard me, I would have been locked up. I was just so excited."

### Kentucky Derby dream fulfilled

On the cold, drizzly day of December 1, 2014, with over 150 people in attendance, 1997 Kentucky Derby winner and Preakness Stakes (G1) winner Silver Charm, Blowen's all-time favorite horse, stepped off a Sallee Horse van and onto Old Friends's property. Blowen's "Derby dream" had finally become reality.

"Silver Charm arriving at Old

Friends was like Elvis coming back to Graceland," said Blowen.

And, in a short time, his thoughts about how much of an impact a Derby winner at the farm would mean to attracting visitors proved to be right, too, as the farm realized tourists in much bigger numbers than ever. Some people even came from overseas to see the beautiful gray stallion.

In the next couple of years, two more winners of the Kentucky Derby and Preakness Stakes arrived, War Emblem in October 2015, and Charismatic in December 2016.

Since that time, sadly, both War Emblem and Charismatic have died, leaving only Silver Charm, who's still going strong at age 31.

In 2024, some big changes happened at Old Friends. Blowen retired from his day-to-day duties as head of the farm, and John Nicholson, the former executive director of the Kentucky Horse Park, was named the new president and CEO.

One of the first things that happened on Nicholson's watch was the arrival of two more dual Derby-Preakness winners in the form of Big Brown and I'll Have Another.



RICK CAPONE

**Old Friends founder Michael Blowen with Silver Charm, the dual classic winner and Horse of the Year of 1997.**

### Big Brown arrives

Bred by Monticule, Big Brown, by Boundary out of Mien, by Nureyev, was foaled in Kentucky on April 10, 2005.

He began his racing career as a 2-year-old in 2007 under the care of trainer Patrick Reynolds for owner Paul Pompa Jr., and on Sept. 3, he won his first and only start of the year, a maiden special weight race at Saratoga at 1 1/16 miles on turf, by an impressive 11 1/4 lengths.

He began his 3-year-old campaign in 2008 with a new trainer, Rick Dutrow, and a partnership group consisting of Pompa and IEAH Stable.

His first two starts were at Gulfstream Park. In the first, under Kent Desormeaux, who would ride him thereafter, he won an allowance race at a mile on dirt by 12 3/4 lengths. In his next start, he captured the Florida Derby (G1) by five lengths for his first graded stakes victory, earning a spot in the Kentucky Derby.

Big Brown then went to Churchill Downs and won the 134th running of the Run for the Roses by 4 3/4 lengths over the second-place finisher, the ill-fated filly Eight Belles, who broke

down past the finish line. Two weeks later, the big, beautiful bay Thoroughbred won the Preakness Stakes by 5 1/4 lengths. With that win, he headed to New York for the Belmont Stakes to try and become the first winner of the Triple Crown since Affirmed in 1978.

However, in the lead-up to the race, Big Brown developed a quarter crack in his left-front hoof, and there were questions about whether he'd be able to participate. A few days before the race it was determined he was okay to run.

In the race, though while he was in good position to go for the lead coming out of the final turn, he began to fall back rapidly. Desormeaux, realizing his horse was not going to win, chose to pull up Big Brown to avoid any possible injury and save him for another day.

Desormeaux's move paid off. After a brief rest, Big Brown returned in August to win the Haskell Invitational Stakes (G1) at Monmouth Park and then won the \$500,000 Monmouth Stakes on turf in September.

He was to run in the Breeders' Cup Classic (G1), but another injury forced him into retirement. He finished his career with seven



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wins in eight starts and \$3,614,500 in earnings. At year's end, he was voted champion 3-year-old colt.

Big Brown began his stud career at Three Chimneys Farm, standing there from 2009 to 2014, while also shuttling to Australia.

In 2014, Andrew Cohen's Sunrise Stables and Gary Tolchin's Golden Goose Enterprises, who were both involved with Big Brown's ownership group, obtained a majority interest in the stallion and relocated him for the 2015 season to Dutchess Views Farm in Pine Plains, N.Y. In 2018, Dutchess Views formed a joint venture with Irish Hill Century Farm for breeding, and in 2020, Big Brown rewarded their faith by becoming New York state's leading sire.

Big Brown's best progeny included Dortmund, a multiple graded stakes winner who earned

over \$1.9 million, and \$1.7 million earner Somelikeithotbrown, champion New York-bred 3-year-old of 2019 and winner of the 2020 Bernard Baruch Handicap (G2). Plus, his daughter Puca produced Mage, winner of the 2023 Kentucky Derby, and Dornoch, winner of the 2024 Belmont Stakes.

Big Brown was pensioned in 2024 and thanks to Cohen and all of Big Brown's connections, the decision was made to send him to Old Friends to enjoy his retirement.

With his arrival, one of his biggest fans, Dr. Bryan Walldridge, Old Friends veterinarian, was happy to see him arrive at the farm.

"His was a Derby that I will never forget," Walldridge said. "I was on emergency duty and got hospitalized by the worst kick that I have ever received. I came back



MARY GREENE

I'll Have Another with John Nicholson and Michael Blowen.

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A silhouette of a jockey riding a horse on a racetrack at sunset. The sky is a mix of orange, red, and teal, with rays of light breaking through the clouds. The jockey is wearing a purple and blue uniform and a helmet. The horse is dark and in motion. The racetrack railing is visible in the foreground.

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to Rood and Riddle on crutches just in time to see the horses leave the gate. I will always remember being on crutches and working straight through the weekend without stop until going to the orthopedic surgeon on Monday morning. Big Brown ran like a beast and Eight Belles can never be forgotten for literally giving her all in a valiant effort.”

### **I'll Have Another**

Bred by Harvey Clarke, I'll Have Another, by Flower Alley out of Arch's Gal Edith, by Arch, was foaled at Brookdale Farm in Versailles, Ky., on April 1, 2009.

Trained by Doug O'Neill for owner Paul Reddam his entire career, I'll Have Another began racing as a 2-year-old in 2011 and won his first start, a maiden special weight race at Hollywood

Park, on July 3. He followed up with a second-place finish in the Best Pal Stakes (G2) at Del Mar. An unplaced effort in the Hopeful Stakes (G1) at Saratoga ended his juvenile season.

The chestnut colt came out much stronger as a 3-year-old and punched his ticket to the 138th Kentucky Derby with wins in the Robert B. Lewis Stakes (G2) and the Santa Anita Derby (G1).

In the Kentucky Derby, I'll Have Another came from off the pace to defeat favored Bodemeister, by 1 1/2 lengths. In the Preakness, he once again wore down Bodemeister in the stretch to win by a neck.

I'll Have Another went to New York for the Belmont to attempt to win the Triple Crown, but it was not to be, as he had to be scratched a day before the race due to a leg injury and was retired.

I'll Have Another finished the year with an undefeated record in four starts, and \$2,629,600 in earnings. He closed the books on his racing career with five wins, one second, and \$2,693,600 in earnings in seven starts. He was voted the 2012 Eclipse Award as champion 3-year-old colt.

I'll Have Another was sold as a stallion prospect for \$10 million to the Hokkaido-based Big Red Farm in Japan and began his stud career there in 2013. He stood there through 2018, then returned to the United States to stand at Ballena Vista Farm in Ramona, Calif., from 2019 to 2020, before moving to Reddam's Ocean Breeze Ranch in Bonsall, Calif., from 2021 to 2024.

I'll Have Another was pensioned in 2024, and Reddam graciously sent his champion to Old Friends for his retirement.

### **One final Derby dream**

Today, with five Kentucky Derby winners to date having been retired to Old Friends, Blowen has one final Derby dream.

“Old Friends has been home to five Kentucky Derby winners – Silver Charm, Charismatic, War Emblem, I'll Have Another, and Big Brown,” Blowen said. “Currently, Calumet Farm holds the record of having owned the most Derby winners, with eight. It's my dream that Old Friends will surpass that number while I'm still alive.”

With Old Friends having earned the respect and acceptance of the Thoroughbred racing community over the last 20-plus years and owners wanting their stars to be seen after retirement, Blowen's final dream may well come true.



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**Caton & Doug Bredar**





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*That's why he's retired to Old Friends. And that's why we support Old Friends in any way we can.*

*- The Baoma Corp team.*

# Fast fleet feet

Old Friends has a number of residents who set track records during their racing days

By Tom Beatty

During the summer of 2024, Old Friends opened the Josephine Abercrombie Welcome Center, a complete renovation of the tobacco barn that had served Dream Chase Farm and Old Friends for decades. Situated on top of the hill on the front side of the farm, the old barn had seen countless crops of tobacco stored in its rafters and, later, the births of promising foals that began their racing or breeding careers at Dream Chase Farm.

The Center is now a multi-purpose facility, and the exciting thing for our visitors is that it includes an audio-visual system that allows them to watch videos of races by our retirees. That includes being able to see the Kentucky Derby and Preakness Stakes victories of our champions, Silver Charm, Big Brown, and I'll Have Another; the races of Hall of Fame member Lava Man; and Breeders' Cup wins by our residents.

As a long-time tour guide at Old Friends, I've had the pleasure of sitting with hundreds of visitors as they watched race videos of our horses.

A race that caught my attention was Bellamy Road's 17 1/2-length win in the 2005 Grade 1 Wood Memorial Stakes at Aqueduct. The video mentioned that Bellamy Road tied the track record for the 1 1/8-mile race. My first thought was, "Which horse also shared that record?" That started my research into how many Old Friends horses had set track records.

It resulted in an impressive list that features some of my favorites horses. Here's a look at some of these outstanding achievements.

## Bellamy Road

Wood Memorial S. (G1), Aqueduct, Apr. 9, 2005

**Stakes record:** 1 1/8 miles, 1:47.16



ADAM COGLIANESE

**Bellamy Road, owned by the late George Steinbrenner, won the 2005 Wood Memorial by more than 17 lengths in stakes-record time.**

**The race:** Bellamy Road was sent off the 5-2 favorite in the Wood Memorial. Sent to the front at the start, Bellamy Road maintained his lead throughout the race while running on the inside, with a narrow advantage until the final turn, when jockey Javier Castellano turned him loose. He lengthened his lead through the stretch and won in a final time of 1:47.16. Although the official chart for the race indicated that Bellamy Road's finish was a "new track record," it turns out that the track record of 1:47 belongs to Riva Ridge, who captured the 1 1/8-mile, Grade 2 Stuyvesant Handicap in 1973. Bellamy Road's time was a stakes record. Although the Wood Memorial has long been considered a prep race for the Kentucky Derby, only 11 horses have won both events.

**Bellamy Road today:** When Bellamy Road arrived at the farm on Jan. 15, 2021, tour guides quickly learned to respect him. Although he appreciated his carrots, he would frequently bite

the hand that fed him, and arms, shoulders, and clothes, as well. As long as tour guides cautioned the visitors before feeding him, he would behave himself. As the first horse on the tour, Bellamy Road became a favorite of several of the guides.

## El Gato Malo

San Rafael S. (G3), Oak Tree at Santa Anita, Jan. 12, 2008

**Track record:** 1 mile, all-weather surface, 1:33.37

**The race:** Six horses entered the gate in the San Rafael. Favored Massive Drama set a very fast pace on the lead until midstretch, when he began tiring, and the fast-charging El Gato Malo went past him inside the eighth pole to record a 6 1/4-length win, setting a track record of 1:33.37.

**El Gato Malo today:** El Gato Malo has spent time in retirement honing his acting skills. When visiting his paddock, he encourages visitors to offer him sympathy (and carrots!) for his (not injured) injured leg, which

he raises and dangles convincingly. After receiving his carrot reward, he quickly shows his other leg is also injured (not!) and also needs carrots to make him feel better. We fall for it (and him) every time.

## Joey P.

Decathlon S., Monmouth Park, May 12, 2007

**Track record:** 5 1/2 furlongs, 1:01.91

**The race:** In what turned out to be his best year on the track, Joey P. went to the post in the Decathlon Stakes as the 7-5 favorite. Joey P. was held in third early by jockey Joe Bravo, then moved ahead for better position at the top of the stretch, where he drew away to win comfortably by two lengths. His final time of 1:01.91 for 5 1/2 furlongs was a track record.

**Joey P. today:** Joey P. is a homebred New Jersey boy who is too good looking for his own good. Despite that, he is one of the kindest horses at Old Friends. Visitors love him!

## Lava Man

Khaled S., Hollywood Park, Apr. 30, 2006

**Course record:** 1 1/8 miles, turf, 1:44.26

**The race:** Following his win two months earlier in the Grade 1 Santa Anita Handicap, Lava Man was the heavy favorite in the 2006 Khaled Stakes at Hollywood Park. With nine career wins already to his credit (three of those in graded races), Lava Man was clearly the horse to beat in this race restricted to California-breds. Running just off the pace through the first half-mile, he took the lead nearing the second turn and won by 5 1/4 lengths, completing the 1 1/8 miles on firm turf in course-record time of 1:44.26.

**Lava Man today:** Lava Man is a perfect gentleman, and visitors often remark about his pleasant disposition. That is until his younger paddock mate, Chocolate Ride, attempts to push him aside when the carrots appear. Lava





Gioia Repole

Thank you to Old Friends for providing Fearless and Noble Indy a great home. I will always support initiatives in aftercare both financially and strategically. We all need to do our part. Our responsibility to our equine athletes remains long after we enjoy their efforts on our behalf. We owe them a great life after racing! Horse welfare, safety and aftercare should be and will be the number one priority in our sport.

**-Mike Repole**





BARBARA LIVINGTON

**Normandy Invasion** ran a mile in 1:33.13 when winning an allowance race at Gulfstream Park in his 4-year-old debut.

puts his ears back as if to say, “Mind your manners!”

### Mr. Jordan

Millions Classic Preview, Gulfstream Park West, Nov. 12, 2016

**Track record:** 1 1/16 miles, 1:42.52

**The race:** Facing seven other Florida-breds in the Millions Classic Preview Stakes at Gulfstream Park West, Mr. Jordan broke in midpack and stayed just off the pace in third. He moved up to the front a furlong out and opened up a widening lead, finishing 3 3/4 lengths on top as the 1-2 favorite. His time was a record-setting 1:42.52 for the 1 1/16 miles.

**Mr. Jordan today:** Fellow tour guide and Old Friends photographer Laura Battles describes Mr. Jordan as a clever wimp. He’s had to learn how to sneak around paddock boss Soi Phet in order to get his fair share of carrots. He does it quite well.

### Normandy Invasion

Allowance race, Gulfstream Park, Feb. 22, 2014

**Track record:** 1 mile, 1:33.13

**The race:** Sent off at 1-5 in a one-mile allowance/optional claiming race at Gulfstream, Normandy Invasion was fourth early in the race and remained in midpack until the quarter pole, when he went around the leaders and drew away to win by 7 3/4 lengths. His time of 1:33.13 set a track record.

### Normandy Invasion today:

As a new resident of Old Friends, Normandy Invasion is slowly integrating into his paddock group and making friends. He quickly figured out that buckets mean carrots. He loves carrots!

### Rail Trip

Hollywood Gold Cup H. (G1), Hollywood, July 11, 2009

**Track record:** 1 1/4 miles, all-weather surface, 2:00.75

**The race:** With five wins in his previous seven starts, it’s hard to imagine why Rail Trip went off at 9-1 in the 2009 Hollywood Gold Cup. He broke sharply and ran outside of pacesetter longshot Tres Borrachos until the top of the stretch, when he pushed ahead of the tiring pacesetter and drew off to win by three lengths to the delight of his backers, setting the track record 2:00.75 for 1 1/4 miles on the all-weather surface.

**Rail Trip today:** Residing in Paddock 30 with four other retirees, Rail Trip and best pal Lion Hunter mostly do their own thing and don’t care what anyone else is doing. Retirement, their way!

### Red Knight

Colonial Cup S., Colonial Downs, July 27, 2022

**Course record:** About 1 1/2 miles, turf, 2:29.67

**The race:** Red Knight raced inside and midpack early, went four wide at the top of stretch, and



ADAM COGLIANESE

**Rocketry** set three track records at three different tracks at distances ranging from 1 5/8 miles to 1 3/4 miles.

drew clear at the quarter pole to win by 1 1/2 lengths in 2:29.67 on firm turf. An interesting occurrence at the start of the race most likely contributed to Red Knight earning the course record at the distance. According to the official chart of the race, the starting gate on the inner turf was placed at the wrong spot. The race was run at “about 1 1/2 miles” rather than the intended 1 1/2 miles. The track record at Colonial for 1 1/2 miles on the inner turf was set in 2024 by True Quality in 2:25.16, leading one to assume that Red Knight’s race that day was longer than originally scheduled. Still, not bad for an 8-year-old.

**Red Knight today:** Red Knight shares a paddock with another chestnut turf runner, Channel Maker. In fact, I have to look at their faces to distinguish between the two; Channel Maker’s white blaze is wider. During their careers, the pair competed head-to-head eight times over a period of four years. During one of my tours on the farm in 2024, someone asked me which horse got the better of the other. Based on their earnings, I thought it would be Channel Maker, but when I checked the stats after the tour, it turned out to be Red Knight, by a huge margin. Red Knight had two wins and a second-place finish in the eight races. Channel Maker was 0-0-0. Both are impressive

horses who love their carrots and attention, but Red Knight is a bit more demanding and shows no shame in following visitors around the perimeter of the paddock.

### Ring Weekend

Bernard Baruch H. (G2), Saratoga, Sept. 5, 2016

**Course record:** 1 1/16 miles, turf, 1:38.29

**The race:** Drawing post 2 in a nine-horse field in the Bernard Baruch on turf at Saratoga, Ring Weekend broke midpack and raced comfortably in that position early. He moved to the inside on the far turn and then out at the head of the stretch to contest the early pacesetter, Take the Stand. Ring Weekend got up in time to win by a neck in a three-horse photo finish. During the stretch run, there was significant bumping among many of the horses, enough to initiate a stewards’ inquiry, but there was no change to the order of finish. Ring Weekend’s time of 1:38.29 established a course record.

**Ring Weekend today:** I always enjoy taking visitors to see Ring Weekend and his paddock mate, Nicanor, because they both have excellent stories to tell. I remember Ring taking his time to warm up to visitors, but once he did, he was the first to the fence when carrots were around. It also didn’t take him long to realize that carrots might be available on both sides of his paddock when visitors were around.



# “CZ Rocket”

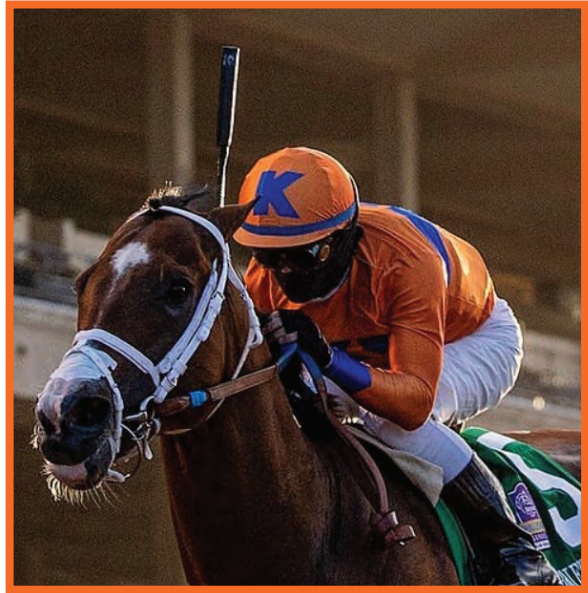


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With sincere gratitude, I extend my deepest thanks to Old Friends for the exceptional care and compassion they provide C Z Rocket and all of their retired race horses. Thank you for providing C Z Rocket a home with the love and care he so richly deserves.

-Tom Kagele



## Rocketry

Temperence Hill S., Belmont, Sept. 30, 2018

**Track record:** 1 5/8 miles, dirt, 2:40.18

**The race:** Breaking last in the field of five, Rocketry was unhurried early, being rated patiently through the first turn and up backstretch. Jockey Joel Rosario eased up on the reins, and Rocketry passed other horses four wide and was in the lead by the quarter pole. He extended his margin to win by 1 1/2 lengths, setting the track record of 2:40.18. Leading the field until Rocketry took to the front that day was fellow Old Friends retiree War Story, who was the 4-5 favorite. Rocketry gained some measure of notoriety that day because he broke the Belmont track record for 1 5/8 miles that was jointly held by two of racing's all-time greats, Man o' War and Kelso.

Rocketry wasn't done setting track records!

Marathon S. (G2), Churchill Downs, Nov. 2, 2018

**Track record:** 1 3/4 miles, 2:57.62

**The race:** Bettors took notice of Rocketry's record-setting run at Belmont Park in his previous start, and he was sent off as the post-time favorite in the Marathon Stakes at Churchill Downs a month later. Bumped at the start, Rocketry stayed far off the pace early as he had in his previous start, went wide, and took the lead from the pacesetter, Dabster, three furlongs out. Dabster fought back, and Rocketry prevailed in a long stretch duel to win by three-quarters of a length. His hard-fought victory earned Rocketry a second track record just five weeks after his first one at Belmont. Were his record-setting days behind him? Not yet!

Thoroughbred Aftercare Alliance S. (G2), Keeneland, Nov. 6, 2020

**Track record:** 1 5/8 miles, dirt, 2:42.57

**The race:** Much as he had done in his two previous record-breaking races, Rocketry was far back early in the 14-horse TAA Stakes field, trailing the leaders by more than eight lengths after the first mile was run. In an impressive move through the final turn, Rocketry moved up to fourth and rallied in the stretch to record a one-length win in 2:42.57, the third track-record-setting win of his career. Despite having shown an aptitude for distance racing, Rocketry went off at 11-1 odds in the TAA. Finishing midpack that day after pressing the early pace was fellow Old Friends retiree Signalman.

**Rocketry today:** He is Paddock 55 boss to Fearless and Lubash. Rocketry is a confident dude who

wants to make sure you know he broke a track record at Belmont that was first set by the immortal Man 'o War. Just sayin'.

## Soi Phet

Los Alamitos Mile S., Los Alamitos, Sept. 6, 2014

**Track record:** 1 mile, 1:33.95

**The race:** Sent off at almost 5-1 in the 2014 Los Alamitos Mile, Soi Phet, under Hall of Fame jockey Kent Desormeaux, broke near the back of the pack in the field of eight but gained ground in the backstretch and settled in behind the leader through the turn. At the eighth pole, he responded to urging by Desormeaux and stormed past the leader for a convincing 7 1/4-length win, completing the mile in a record-setting 1:33.95.

**Soi Phet today:** Paddock boss to the previously mentioned Mr.



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COLONIAL DOWNS

**Red Knight set a course record for about 1 1/2 miles at Colonial Downs at the venerable age of 8.**

Jordan, Soi Phet is nevertheless a benevolent alpha. These two are a perfect foil for each other, Soi Phet so darkly handsome and Mr. Jordan nearly white. Such a striking pair!

### The Pizza Man

Allowance race, Arlington, May 18, 2012

**Course record:** Abt. 1 1/16 miles, turf, 1:39.33

**The race:** As the 2-1 favorite, The Pizza Man broke midpack and remained there until moving inside just prior to the turn. He kicked ahead in midstretch to capture the lead inside the furlong grounds and gradually drew away to win by 2 1/2 lengths, setting a course record of 1:39.33 for the about distance of 1 1/16 miles on turf.

**The Pizza Man today:** The sometimes goofy The Pizza Man is boss of Paddock 53 friend Tuneintobow. He keeps a sharp eye out for the carrot bucket and will sometimes share if he's in the mood. One of the most popular horses on the farm because, really, who doesn't like Pizza?

### Welder

David M. Vance S., Remington, Sept. 29, 2019

**Track record:** 6 furlongs, 1:08.13

**The race:** With 18 wins to his credit prior to the 2019 running of the David Vance Stakes, Welder was the overwhelming 3-10 favorite when the gates opened. Just past the quarter pole, Welder took the lead and increased his advantage through the stretch to win by three lengths. During his racing career, Welder would run in the Vance Stakes three times and win two

of them. Welder won Remington Park's Silver Goblin Stakes four consecutive years.

**Welder today:** Welder arrived at Old Friends in 2023 and shares a paddock with Rated R Superstar. When he's not working the fences looking for carrots from visitors, he stays busy rolling in the mud to hide his striking gray color. We found out shortly after Welder's arrival that he is the winningest horse at Remington Park, with 16 wins, and was inducted into the Oklahoma Horse Racing Hall of Fame in 2023.

Most of our horses have never set track records, but those mentioned, and a few others over the years, have done so to the thrill of racing fans who witnessed their exploits. Winning a horse race is tough enough, but doing so in track-record time places these runners at a higher level of excellence.

As an Old Friends tour guide, I have the best job on the farm, although it's not a job in the true sense of the word . . . it's a privilege. I get to escort our visitors, many of whom know nothing about Thoroughbreds or horse racing, on a trip around the farm to meet many horses that are admired in the sport. I tell their stories and let these fabulous equine athletes share their own personalities as they eat carrots with our visitors. Many of our guests leave the farm with a new understanding of the excitement that draws us to the sport of horse racing.

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# Hogan's heroes

By Patty Hogan, VMD

*Patty Hogan is one of the best friends a racehorse can have. Just ask Old Friends residents Foliage, Shaky Pants, and Jack a Rose, a trio of horses on the farm affectionately known as Hogan's Heroes. They owe their lives to Dr. Hogan and the caring staff of Hogan Equine Clinic at Pheasant Hill Farm in New Jersey. Old Friends offers its gratitude and thanks.*

I have always wanted to help with the Thoroughbred aftercare problem since I became aware of it in the mid-1990s, when I first started my veterinary career in New Jersey. At the time, there was very little organized structure to address this issue, and with my first experience, it was actually a group of concerned women getting together and holding bake sales to help one horse at Monmouth Park.

It did not take me long to realize how big this problem was. What a daunting task it is to bring about awareness within the industry and try to get aftercare incorporated as an essential element into the big picture of racing's business model.

At the time, I was working for someone else and had very little autonomy to contribute pro-bono services, but once I started my own practice in 2007, that all changed. I decided that this issue really needed a grand gesture, and a discount on a veterinary bill was just not going to make enough of a difference. So my policy was to offer surgical and medical services to these aftercare groups 100 percent free of charge. Horses have really made my life, and it is just something of value I feel I can give back to them and really effect some change.

We work with all of the aftercare and rescue groups throughout the Northeast, and if there is a horse with an injury, and surgery could make a tangible difference in its ability to enjoy a second career, we provide it. The cost of a surgical repair can really wipe out what is already a tight budget for these groups, so I figured we will just jump-start the process for them, and monies raised could be better applied for the rehab and placement costs. They never get a bill from us. We have averaged over \$100,000 a year in free services for the past 15 years. I feel it is the best money we have ever spent.

We review many, many cases for these groups and sometimes surgery is not the right option. In those situations, we make appropriate recommendations for care, rehab, and



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**Jack a Rose, Shaky Pants, and Foliage, all saved by Dr. Patty Hogan, share a paddock at Old Friends in Georgetown.**

levels of placement. The cases we take on are the ones where surgery will fix the problem, make a tangible difference, and result in a good outcome for a second career for the horse. In many cases, these surgeries involve screw placement for fracture repair, or arthroscopic surgery for removal of chip fractures in a joint. Our objective is to take a fixable problem, address it, and send the horse out the door with a good prognosis for a second career.

The biggest hurdle we face today is really that of education. We are focused on stressing to owners and trainers the negative effects of chasing the "one last race syndrome," where continuing to race does more damage to the horse, making it less of a candidate for a second career, and is economically a losing situation for the connections. In these cases, the horse is not a viable racehorse but continues to cost money to keep in training, and the physical ailments it has will continue to propagate into something that eventually renders it unable to pursue a second career.

As difficult a decision as it can be, we try to avoid repairing horses that have very severe

injuries or advanced arthritis to a degree where a second career is just not possible, no matter what we do. We feel horses need a job in order to maintain value and purpose to their lives, and we strive to give those horses the care that will provide them a second career. The ones who consistently fall through the cracks, and end up in dire situations, are the ones with chronic lameness, suitable only for pasture life.

There have been a few exceptions to our rule of avoiding complicated repairs on horses whose only outcome would be a pasture-soundness situation. These have been horses who have a guaranteed quality home for life and we were comfortable helping them achieve that outcome. Two of those cases ended up at probably the best quality home that a horse could wish for – at Old Friends! Shaky Pants and Foliage had severe orthopedic injuries that required complex repairs for a pasture-sound prognosis. Knowing they had a lifetime home arranged at Old Friends made our decision to help them easy.

Jack a Rose was notable in every sense of the word – he incurred a breakdown injury

to a hind fetlock and required a life-saving salvage procedure called a fetlock arthrodesis. That is a very expensive and extensive surgical procedure that requires a long rehab that I normally cannot justify for a horse to live only a pasture-sound life. However, Jack had a guardian angel in owner Lisa Nowak, and she scrimped, borrowed, and saved to get this horse through the procedure and on to his new life at Old Friends. Jack a Rose is a very kind and special horse, and he did everything just right following surgery to get a great outcome.

With nearly 30 years of experience as an equine veterinarian, I feel horses have a sense of trust of certain people, and I know they can tell when someone is helping them. It is incredibly rewarding to take in a horse that is in pain, is uncertain, and nervous – and by addressing its injury and providing care, you can visibly appreciate the immediate sense of calm the horse has once he or she realizes it is safe and in a good place. It is something I will never stop being amazed by and I consider it a real privilege to be the person to make a difference to that particular horse. It never gets old.

My staff is heavily invested in this process.

These horses are afforded the exact same care as a classic contender. There is no scrimping on care, equipment, or supplies, and I think everyone here feels a sense of pride and responsibility to be able to pay it forward to the horses who have provided all of us with a rewarding life and career. We consistently follow up on the outcomes for these horses and share pictures and updates of their lives and exploits. It is immensely rewarding to all of us and often very touching to see such wonderful outcomes.

I can't express how touching it was to see Foliage, Jack a Rose, and Shaky Pants all end up together in the same paddock at Old Friends. My staff and I had tears in our eyes seeing the videos of them running and playing together – all of them sound and happy.

It really is a wonderful example of what can be done when people who love horses – the owners, trainers, grooms, veterinarians, shippers, aftercare groups, you name it – all come together and pay it forward for the horses who make our sport go round.

Patty Hogan, VMD, operates Hogan Equine Clinic in Cream Ridge, N.J., and is Diplomate, American College of Veterinary Surgeons

#### Jack a Rose

B. g., 2018, by Midshipman – No Flowers by Scat Daddy  
Arrived Old Friends: December 5, 2023



Jack a Rose suffered an injury of the left-hind fetlock joint (ankle) and cannon bone in April 2023 at Parx Racing. Dr. Hogan performed an arthrodesis procedure using a locking plate and 13 screws and wire. Surgery went extremely well and after months of uneventful recovery, Jack a Rose has no exercise restrictions. This is a very special horse, and it was an absolute privilege for all of us to know him and have the opportunity to care for him.



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--Team O'Neill



# Nothing happens by accident

Old Friends reunites a man with his ancestors

By Kayla Thomas

*In April 2024, Hillcrest Farm in Georgetown, Ky., became the newest member of the Old Friends family, with the completion of its purchase from the Bluegrass Land Conservancy. The history of the land dates to the 1700s, when two families arrived in Central Kentucky with Thoroughbred horses and a dream. Hillcrest is located literally across the street from the Old Friends satellite farm facility at Ashton Grove Senior Living. The 50-plus retired Thoroughbreds living at both farms are under the care farm manager Marisa Miller. This is the story of lessons in history, a cemetery, and a man named Frank Downing, an Ashton Grove resident who, in a remarkable twist of fate, discovered a previously unknown personal connection to Hillcrest.*

*This article was originally published in the November 15, 2024, edition of the Georgetown News-Graphic.*

Frank Downing Sr., an Ashton Grove Senior Living resident, learned in October that he has been living next to an ancestral homestead through the Old Friends purchase of land right next door.

Downing, who retired in Owen County, Ky., near the state capital of Frankfort after a career in developing electric infrastructure across the state, moved to Scott County by chance, he said. He settled at Ashton Grove upon a recommendation from his three children after his wife had passed away.

"We retired there in Owenton, and after [my wife's] passing, I got to the position that I needed extra help," Downing said. "I told my children, 'You all find a place, and I'll be satisfied.'"

Old Friends purchased the Hillcrest property, next to Ashton Grove, and began clearing it,



**Ashton Grove resident Frank Downing listens as Hillcrest Farm manager Marisa Miller points out some of the people interred in the cemetery on the property.**

which included a historic family cemetery with the Downing name on several of the headstones. Among the interred are Francis, Henrietta (Viley), and John and Elizabeth (Roberts), whom local historian Ann Bolton Bevins traced in "Real Country Volume IV" as the builders of the homestead. The house was originally named Alta Mont, and later given its current name of Hillcrest Farm, with the Downing family retaining ownership for over 80 years.

"The farm's heritage traces to John and Elizabeth Downing, who purchased part of the large estate of the late Colonel Robert Saunders in 1816," Bevins wrote. "Alta Mont continued as the home of the original owners' family until 1898."

Bev Passerello, Old Friends board member and Ashton Grove resident, knew Downing was living there in the facility. Downing regularly gives a "history lesson" over dinner. Passerello connected Downing to Old Friends.

"I knew about the cemetery,"

Passerello said. "I knew Frank. Frank and his family had no clue that this cemetery existed or that their family were buried up there starting in the 1700s."

Though his first reaction to the news was surprise, Downing tried to historically visualize the era when his family arrived in Scott County.

"The property here, you try to visualize Daniel Boone in Boonesborough in 1775, and Francis Downing came to [Kentucky] in 1795," Downing said. "It's really awakened me to everything. Looking at the countryside here, I was impressed that Francis selected such pretty country as his home spot, and I wonder what brought him in."

The family was "amazed," said Downing's daughter Sue Downing Wingate, to learn of this piece of their story.

"[Downing] obviously knows a lot of family history, but had no idea that this was up here," Wingate said. "It's amazing. It's just fascinating. Everybody, I don't care if you're famous or not, has a unique story."

Now that the family is aware of the cemetery and familiarized with the relatives buried there, they want to follow the "paperwork" to figure out exactly what their history was, Downing said.

"It's paperwork at this point to try to tie things together," he said. "It appears that there were three different Francis Downings, and we're trying to decipher from those three which one exactly we came from. Finding the history opened whole new doors as far as our family genealogy is concerned."

Old Friends and Ashton Grove have a symbiotic relationship that allows "old horses and old people" to help each other, said Old Friends board of directors secretary Barbara Fossum.

"Our main farm is over on Paynes Depot, but we have a division here," Fossum said. "Our founder, Michael Blown, who stepped down as president in 2024, always envisioned it's a perfect match, old horses and old people, good for each other."

The intent of the land purchase

was to create a similar “enhancement” dynamic for the retired horses and residents of the area,” Old Friends President John Nicholson said.

“It surrounds people, it makes the horse’s lives better and the people’s lives better,” Nicholson said. “We’re hoping to have some type of replication of that at Hillcrest Farm . . . a living environment for people that interacts very, very neatly and aesthetically beautifully with the horse farm.”

Downing, a strong proponent of education – academic and vocational alike – also worked for the University of Kentucky’s Extension Service, served on the alumni board, and hired students for the co-op who looked ahead as best they could, he said.

“That was always a part of the questioning from me to those prospective employees: ‘What’s your education background? And What’s your desire for the future?’” Downing said. “Try to look

ahead as best you can and what’s it going to take to get there.”

Owen County Chamber of Commerce awards annual scholarships named for Downing to “individuals who show outstanding leadership skills” who are pursuing post-secondary education at an academic college or university or a trade or vocational school, according to the chamber’s website.

“They came up with the idea of the scholarships, and that really fits well in everything I’ve tried to do, and that suits me fine,” Downing said. “That’s been going on since then, 20 odd years ago now.”

Downing values not only looking forward but also understanding the importance of looking back from where Kentucky has come, he said. The discovery of the cemetery was personally meaningful to him, but it was also a major discovery for the state.

“That’s a very historic point, not only for the family but as far as the terrain is concerned and the

history of Kentucky and so forth, it’s very important.”

Hillcrest Farm has a significant arboreal history, too, as it is home to a gingko tree that Ashland Community and Technical College dated to the original gingkoes that Henry Clay brought to the state, said Passerello.

“We know this is part of the original Henry Clay trees – we don’t know if it’s one of the originals or whether it is a seed,” she said, “but Ashland does tell us that it’s a part of it. It’s at least 200 years old.”

Concerning the gingko, the homestead, and the cemetery, Downing praised Old Friends for its preservation of and care for the property.

“I told Bev that I was very pleased with all the upkeep they had on the property and all up there,” he said.

According to Passerello, Ashton Grove farm manager Marisa Miller participated in the upkeep once the property was acquired, and she also spearheaded the

research into the history of the cemetery, to present to Downing upon his first look.

“[Marisa] has a personal interest in this cemetery and was one of them up here with a weed eater cleaning it up,” Passerello said. “Marisa’s been part of the team that has come up here and is working to restore this cemetery and bring it back.”

This “perfect storm,” as Passerello dubbed it, formed as a result of the desire to care for retired horses and gifted the retired Downing and his family with connections to the past that they didn’t have prior.

“Too many things had to come together, had to combine to get us all up here,” Passerello said. “It’s such a remarkable story.”

“Nothing happens by accident,” said Nicholson. “The common denominator is the horses. The horses keep doing things for us, keep bringing us together. It’s magical.”

Wishing Channel Maker best of luck  
in his well deserved retirement.  
He is a truly special horse  
& it was a privilege to be one of  
his owners.

**-Adam Wachtel**

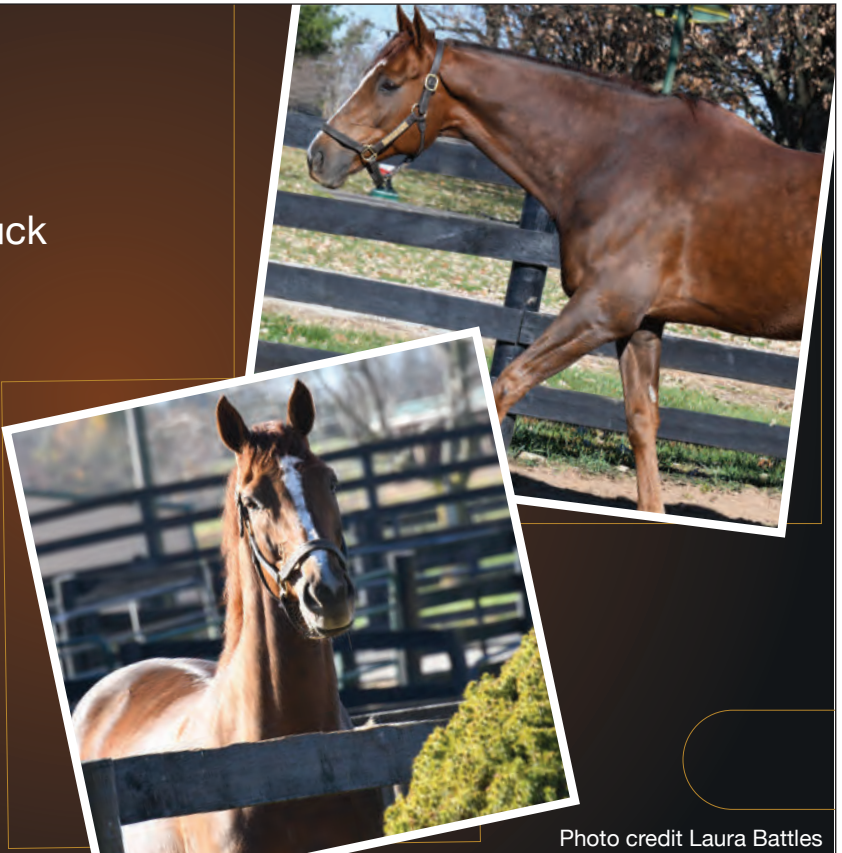


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# The long way home

By Rick Capone  
and Barbara Fossum

On December 7, 2023, when Noble Indy stepped off a horse van in Georgetown, Ky., it marked the conclusion of a long odyssey from Puerto Rico to his native state of Kentucky, and the beginning of retired life at his forever home, Old Friends. Along the way, the now-10-year-old bay gelding benefited from generous people who stepped up to help him, including:

- Fred Hart, owner of Noble Indy's dam, Noble Maz
- Kelley Stobie, co-founder and executive director of Caribbean Thoroughbred Aftercare (CTA), an accredited aftercare facility in Puerto Rico that offers assistance to horses
- One of the racing industry's leading owners, Mike Repole, who was Noble Indy's owner when he won the 2018 Louisiana Derby
- Noble Indy's breeder, WinStar Farm

Noble Indy, a son of Take Charge Indy trained by Todd Pletcher, scored his first and only stakes victory in taking the Grade 2 Louisiana Derby at Fair Grounds in March 2018. The win punched his ticket to the Kentucky Derby at Churchill Downs, in which he finished 17th. The once-promising runner was never able to recapture his stakes form and he began to drop down the racing ranks.

Noble Indy won one race each year from 2019 through 2021. He was claimed in his first start in 2022, at age 7, and changed ownership again soon thereafter. That owner wound up shipping Noble Indy to Puerto Rico to race. However, in five starts at Camarero Race Track in 2022 and 2023, he failed to win and earned a meager \$4,550 in those races.

It was around this time that Hart got involved and wanted to retire Noble Indy. In a conversation with Thoroughbred Daily News, Hart said, "I became sentimentally attached to this horse and was afraid harm would come



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

**Noble Indy won the 2018 Louisiana Derby before sliding down the class ladder, eventually landing in Puerto Rico in cheap claiming company before being rescued and returned to Kentucky to retire.**

to him if he stayed in Puerto Rico. I just wanted to get him out of there."

Hart contacted Stobie, and the two worked together to try and retire the horse. The main challenge was the high price that the owner, Skull Stable PR, was asking, until an injury to Noble Indy resulted in a lower price. In early November 2023, CTA completed the purchase, and Noble Indy was retired and sent to Stobie's facility.

"It was a tense time since Indy came to Puerto Rico, not knowing if we would be able to get him off the island in one piece," Stobie said. "Thankfully, his surgery . . . did not go as planned, so he could no longer race and the owner agreed to retire him to CTA."

Noble Indy arrived at Stobie's farm on November 7, 2023, "pushy, nipping and kicking, full of joy.

Just within the first two days he has been here, he is already more relaxed and trusting."

While with Stobie, Noble Indy had visits from a farrier, an equine dentist, and he saw a veterinarian for vaccinations and blood tests to verify he was negative for piroplasmiasis, an endemic tick disease prevalent in the Caribbean. When all was completed, Noble Indy was cleared to start the long journey to retirement. A seven-day USDA quarantine was followed by a flight to Miami, a van ride to a layover facility in Ocala, Fla., and then the final leg of Noble Indy's journey to a lifetime retirement at Old Friends.

Stobie is quick to offer thanks to all of those who helped.

"We are grateful to Repole Stables for their generous donation, which not only helped Noble

Indy, but paid for two other horses in need to get home. Also, thanks to WinStar Farm for stepping up and sending a donation."

"We are all very excited that Noble Indy will spend the rest of his life at Old Friends in Kentucky," Repole said. "This was an amazing team effort by so many to bring Noble Indy back from Puerto Rico and to give him the great retirement that he deserves."

Said Michael Blowen, "Thanks to everyone who worked so hard to allow us to enjoy Noble Indy's retirement. His story makes him a magnet for racing fans. Come visit!"

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# McCraken's homebred journey

By Bret Jones

*In the early days of Old Friends, Michael Blowen sought advice from former Kentucky Gov. Brereton C. Jones, owner of Airdrie Stud. Jones shared his wisdom, lent early financial support, and would later send Airdrie stallions Afternoon Deelites, You and I, and Patton to retirement at Old Friends. In 2024, we were pleased to again partner with Airdrie, now led by Jones's son Bret, as we welcomed their former stallion McCraken to the farm. Old Friends.*

McCraken was bred and raced by some of the finest people in Thoroughbred racing. Janis Whitham and her family's Whitham Thoroughbreds have been successfully developing their broodmare band through their breed-to-race operation for

nearly 50 years and also have raced two-time champion older mare Bayakoa.

The Whithams do things the right way, and their successes and longevity in a difficult business are testimony to their methods. Their homebred McCraken was a wonderful horse for them, and he took their family where every breeder dreams of going – the Kentucky Derby.

Trained by Ian Wilkes, McCraken, a son of Ghostzapper, became one of the most talked about horses of his generation by beginning his career as an undefeated, graded stakes-winning 2-year-old, emphatically punctuating his juvenile campaign with a stylish victory in Churchill Downs's Grade 2 Kentucky Jockey Club Stakes in 2016, his third win in as many starts.

In his first start at 3, McCraken cemented his reputation as one of the East Coast's best prospects for the 2017 Triple Crown season with an impressive score in Tampa Bay's Grade 3 Sam F. Davis Stakes. In his next start, in Keeneland's marquee event, the Grade 2 Blue Grass Stakes, he was sent off as the 8-5 favorite, though he would suffer his first career defeat, finishing a third. That set him up for his start in the Kentucky Derby.

While McCraken could only finish eighth in the Derby, behind winner Always Dreaming, the build-up to the world's most famous race was one of the great highlights of the Whitham family's hugely successful involvement in racing. I recently spoke to Janis's son Clay, who credits that Derby with bringing the

whole family together and helping to inspire another generation of Whithams to fall in love with our great sport.

The charismatic McCraken would go on to add an impressive win that summer in the Grade 3 Matt Winn Stakes at Churchill before finishing second, beaten just a nose, in the Grade 1 Haskell Stakes at Monmouth Park. He was retired after his 4-year-old season with career earnings of \$869,728.

While his promising stallion career was derailed at the outset by fertility issues that kept him from receiving the opportunity he deserved, it brings both the Whitham family and our Airdrie Stud team great joy in knowing that McCraken will continue to be a fan favorite in his incredible forever home at Old Friends, the Kentucky Derby of retirement farms.

## Delaunay



Photo Credit: Laura Battles

Maggi Moss is honored to support aftercare and is thrilled to have Delaunay as one of the ambassadors for Old Friends. Please come see him, he loves people and peppermints!



# Fairy tale



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That's me, Little Silver Charm, greeting all my fans at Old Friends. They come here primarily to see me, right?

## By Little Silver Charm

Sometimes I think my life is like a fairy tale.

Not one of those yucky ones by the Brothers Grimm, but a glorious Disney extravaganza with a cast of talking animals, bushels of enchanted carrots, a fairy godmother – that would be Lorita Lindemann, who rescued me – and on almost any given day beautiful princesses who visit Old Friends just to meet me and give me kisses.

Who knows? Someday one of those kisses may be the magic one that transforms me into a handsome prince. I would be a very handsome prince, of course. It stands to reason, given how attractive I am in my present form.

Unfortunately, my life is not always as romantic and glamorous as a fairy tale. As I have noted before on many occasions, I am the hardest working horse on the farm. Indeed, I am the only working horse on the farm.

Our retired Thoroughbreds lounge around in their paddocks all day, waiting to be admired, while I work my little hooves to the bone – leading tours, posing for photographs, initiating public outreach, and a lot more, like raising money so that they can continue to stand around and do nothing. But am I bitter? Not at all. I don't mind giving my all for Old Friends, even though certain other horses get top billing around here – (Big) Silver Charm, Lava

Man, and now I'll Have Another and Big Brown.

Why do I do it? Because I am devoted to Old Friends, I don't mind playing second fiddle to a bunch of Kentucky Derby winners, to say nothing of the many other champions who live here. One of my many jobs is helping our new horses adjust to retirement, so they learn pretty quickly that I'm in charge.

I'm the little horse with all the answers, so naturally they come to me for advice. For example, I helped (Big) Silver Charm choreograph his paddock routine for visitors. I suggested he stand at the top of the hill until he sees a tour approach, then race to the fence, stop short with a flourish, then

pose for photographs directly in front of his paddock sign. It's a hit with visitors, and with (Big) Silver Charm, too. He gets lots and lots of carrots. But does he share any with me?

I continue to branch out in all directions. I am the spokes-horse for the town of Georgetown, where Old Friends is located. The tourism office has produced a handsome brochure featuring Georgetown's "Pure Small-Town Charm." Guess whose picture is on every page? That's right. Yours truly, "Georgetown's celebrity miniature horse." I share my advice about where to shop, eat, stay, and sightsee. Naturally I advise them to come to Old Friends to meet all our horses, especially me.



# Saying goodbye

By Mary Simon

As happens every year, in 2024 Old Friends lost a number of beloved members of its equine family – 18 of them. The most recent group included graded stakes winners, classic contenders, stakes producers, successful sires, expensive one-time yearlings, horses of royal pedigree and those without a stitch of black type, an accomplished eventer, and hard-knocking career claimers. They ranged in age from 5 to 31. A few had not been here long, others for what seemed like forever, including one resident of 24 years. Each goodbye is hard, but let us acknowledge their lives as they deserve to be remembered.

## Alotofloot

Dk. b. or br., g., 2001, by Demaloot Demashoot—Z. Shy Spirit, by Ziad

Alotofloot was by an oddly named albeit fast racehorse, Demaloot Demashoot, out of a hickory tough claimer, and his extended female line carried no black type for more than 70 years. Though not as tough as his sire and dam, who had combined for 75 starts, Alotofloot managed to keep up the distaff tradition of earning no black type. The highlight of his seven-race career came when he won his maiden in his racing debut at age 4. The following year, he won a \$10,000 claimer at Mountaineer Park, and that was it. The Florida-bred came to Old Friends in 2021. He may not have been one of our better-known residents, but we loved having him here for three good years.

## Even the Score

Gr. or ro., h., 1998, by Unbridled's Song—Ashtabula, by Rahy

Even as he crossed into old age, Even the Score was a distinctive fellow, with his snowflake white coat, dignified bearing, and sweet nature. On paper, his bloodlines were hard to argue with, being by a leading sire and



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**The charismatic Ide graced a prominent paddock for tour visitors to see at Old Friends.**

out of a stakes-winning mare. On the track two decades ago, Even the Score defined versatility and class – winning from 6 1/2 furlongs to 1 1/8 miles, on dirt and grass, all over America, including twice in Grade 2 stakes races. Even the Score retired to stud in 2005 at Ro Parra's Millennium Farm in Kentucky, standing 15 seasons and siring 22 stakes winners, including Grade 1 winner Dullahan. Pensioned four years ago, he arrived at Old Friends, largely through the efforts of Morgan Kei, who had worked with him at Millennium. The accomplished racehorse and sire was lost to us in January 2024 due to complications from colic.

## Gold Round (Ire)

B. m., 1997, by Caerleon—Born Gold, by Blushing Groom (Fr)

Gold Round was an exemplary racehorse and broodmare. The Irish-bred was out of a half-sister to three-time Breeders' Cup Mile (G1) winner

Goldikova and had herself defeated future Breeders' Cup winner Starine in the 1999 Prix des Sablonnets in France. The following year, she would add a victory in the Prix Cleopatre (Fr-G3) to her résumé. Gold Round's career stalled beyond that, and she was retired by the Wertheimer family, who had bred and raced her. As a producer, Gold Round proved gold, indeed, producing five stakes winners (three group/graded class), along with a trio of stakes-placed runners, first for the Wertheimers and later for Foxwoods, who bought her at auction for \$672,000. Months after producing her last foal in 2020, Gold Round came to Old Friends as part of an LNJ Foxwoods contingent of older mares. Here, last August, she stood loyally at the side of her best friend Hi Dubai as she passed into the next realm. Twenty-seven-year-old Gold Round followed her in death four months later due to colic.

## Handy Stan

Dk. b. or br., g., 2020, by Stanislavsky—Many Talents, by Minardi

Old Friends at Cabin Creek in New York said goodbye to its popular resident Handy Stan, when he passed away at age 14. The New York-bred gelding did not make his first start until late at age 3, then campaigned mostly in mid-level claiming company at major New York racetracks. He proved consistent at that level and at six furlongs, never finishing worse than third in eight starts. In his third outing, he was claimed for \$25,000 by trainer Thomas Morley and Robert Murphy, for whom he scored all three of his victories and more than tripled the return on their investment. He later was retrained for a second career before being pensioned in 2022 to Cabin Creek, where the handsome bay was a favorite.

## Hap

Ch., h., 1996, by Theatrical (Ire)—Committed, by Hagley

The highs and lows of Hap's life reads like a fairy tale in reverse. By and out of a king and queen of the turf, the flashy chestnut with the broadly blazed face was a beautiful, high-headed runner who became a multiple graded stakes winner for owner Allen Paulson, earning \$1.3 million and defeating global champions and Grade/Group 1 winners. When an injury ended his career, the son of Theatrical entered stud at a major Kentucky farm. Interest in the grass specialist, however, soon waned. By 2008, his book had run dry. Hap was sold at auction that winter for \$7,300 and sent to Indiana, where several years later the once-magnificent stallion was discovered malnourished and near death. Hap's rescue was a group effort led by veterinarian Ken Kimmick, retired truck driver Richard Anderson, and Paulson's widow Madeleine Pickens. In 2016, Hap arrived here to spend the last eight years



of his life being loved and cared for – a cherished member of our community.

### Hi Dubai

Ch., m., 2000, by Rahy—Jood, by Nijinsky II

In 2020, several aging mares owned by the Roth family's LNJ Foxwoods came to Old Friends to live in a paddock their owners had built specifically for them. Four years later, we lost two of those Old girlFriends, with the passings of Gold Round and Hi Dubai. Hi Dubai was one of 96 stakes winners sired by Rahy and was herself a sister to European champion Fantastic Light. She was a good but lightly raced runner for Godolphin, winning her maiden in the listed Pretty Polly Stakes in England, then finishing a close fifth in the 2003 Epsom Oaks (Eng-G1). Later sold for \$320,000 to LNJ Foxwoods, Hi Dubai produced some winners, but nothing reflecting herself. At age 24, she passed on in her paddock, with Gold Round standing protectively at her side.

### Ide

Ch. h., 1993, by Forty Niner—Maytide, by Naskra

Old Friends bid farewell to one of its oldest ambassadors on June 8, when 31-year-old Ide succumbed to colic. His loss was a tough one. The charismatic son of Forty Niner had long occupied a marquee paddock at the top of the main road. He was gentle, friendly, and always up for a carrot . . . or two. And in his final years, Ide was noted for lovingly adopting Alphabet Soup's bereaved paddock mate – mini donkey Gorgeous George – after the Breeders' Cup Classic (G1) winner's 2022 passing. The muscular, unabashedly gorgeous chestnut stallion with the meandering blaze had been a classic prospect in 1996, and a winner in seven of nine starts (including four Grade 3 stakes) before an injury that spring sent him into retirement. Ide stood initially in Kentucky and later in Louisiana, where he was a perennially leading sire. As Michael Blowen put it, "Ide was as kind as any Thoroughbred



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**Even the Score was a top racehorse and successful sire before coming to Old Friends in 2023.**

at Old Friends. Even though he lived a long, full life, it wasn't long enough."

### Interwin (Aus)

Ch., g., 1998, by Interstellar—Winter Rain, by Sir Tristram

Interwin wasn't much of a racehorse . . . in fact, he was a disaster. The gangly Australian-bred struggled in his only three career starts, beaten a combined 67 lengths, and never earned a penny. Nevertheless, Interwin was an athlete of a very high order. Post-racing he went on to become an elite five-star eventing horse, ridden by an Australian Olympic coach. In 2010, Interwin came to the U.S., where he competed bicoastally until retired at 16 to become a lesson horse. The chestnut gelding was pensioned to Old Friends in 2016, where his first companion was another newbie named Little Mike. Later, Interwin was placed in a paddock with Grade 1-winning millionaires Affirmed Success and Kudos. For some time, Interwin struggled with the neurological condition EPM, which got progressively worse, until his death in September 2024.

### Presidential Fling

Dk. b. or br., g., 1997, by Wallenda—Rare Fling, by Kris S.

Presidential Fling was special to Old Friends, in part because his sire, Wallenda, was one of our all-time favorite residents. Father and son overlapped in residency here for two years, before his sire, a Grade 1-winning millionaire, died in 2016. Though a dark bay like his sire, Presidential Fling wasn't cut from the same racing cloth. Gelded early, he ran through age 7, won five of 30 starts, and earned \$80,535. He spent 10 years at Old Friends before we lost him in 2024.

### Riva Way

Ch., g., 1998, by Tinnners Way—Yia Yia, by Riva Ridge

Like Presidential Fling, Riva Way was by a long-time Old Friends alum, Tinnners Way, a Grade 1 winner and the last living son of Secretariat. Riva Way was a bright chestnut in the mold of his sire. Though plagued with injuries, the career claimer was honest and hard-trying, with 11 victories over middle distances and earnings of \$109,915 over five seasons. Upon his retirement, he was acquired by Old Friends's May

de Rosa and sent here in 2005, thus becoming one of our longest residents. Riva Way was not a big name, but he was lovingly described as a "big sweetheart."

### Setna the Wise

Gr. or ro., g., 2019, by Cairo Prince—Smart 'n Special, by Smart Strike

The youngest resident lost in 2024 was 5-year-old Setna the Wise, who was claimed by colic. The handsome, dappled gray sold for \$47,000 as yearling but clearly had developed into something quite special by the following April, when NBS Stable bought him at a juvenile sale in Florida for \$335,000, more than triple the sale average. Sadly, Setna's story would be one of promise unfulfilled. He did not race until 3, when he won his debut at Fair Grounds. In seven subsequent starts, he never again found the winner's circle, though he did manage a third-place finish in the \$150,000 Caesars Stakes at Indiana Downs. In 2023, Setna came to Old Friends, where he happily resided with friends in Paddock 32.

### Sharoan

Dr. b. or br., m., 1995, by Salt Lake—Pretendyouraduck, by Quack

Sharoan was one of five Old girlFriends lost this past year, and one of the farm's older citizens at 29. She was by the accomplished racehorse and sire Salt Lake and out of a daughter of a world-record setter. But Sharoan's light didn't shine brightly on the racetrack. After two unplaced starts, she was sent to the breeding shed, where she produced five winners and a minor stakes-placed runner before making Old Friends her final home in 2017.

### Smokey Stover

Dk. b. or br., g., 2003, by Put It Back—Milady's Halo, by Jolie's Halo

Twenty years ago, Smokey Stover reigned as one of America's best sprinters. The nearly black gelding, who would later – and quite accurately – be described as "tall, dark, and handsome," ran just as good as he looked for trainer Greg Gilchrist and owner Harry Aleo.

A multiple graded stakes winner of \$568,725, Smokey routinely shaded 1:09 for six furlongs, finished out of the top three just once in 14 starts, and won in stakes company from New Jersey to California. Upon his retirement in 2008, this superb athlete was retrained as a showjumper. After a decade in the show ring, Smokey Stover was pensioned to his forever home at Old Friends. He eventually ended up at the nearby Ashton Grove annex facility, where residents at the senior living center could come by and admire him. It is there that he died in November 2024.

### Spensive

Gr. or ro., h., 2000, by Ponche—Operate Quick, by Dr. Schwartzman

Though not famous on the track, Spensive was rock-solid, a California stakes winner trained by Bob Baffert. The Florida-bred didn't have a great pedigree, but the fact that he brought \$125,000 at a 2-year-olds in training sale



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**Australian-bred Interwin was an elite eventer in his second career before arriving at Old Friends in 2016.**

that averaged \$22,700 indicates he had potential. He did show

promise early, winning the 2002 Gold Rush Stakes and defeating

future Santa Anita Derby (G1) winner Buddy Gil in the process. But by age 5, Spensive had lost a step, and Baffert dropped him into a \$50,000 claiming race . . . and lost him. With his best days in the rear-view mirror, he retired to stud in his birth state, where he was lightly used. He sired a handful of winners, but more importantly, several of his offspring were gray beauties who went on to successful show careers. Old Friends became Spensive's final home, where over time his once-gray coat became white. He gleamed like a diamond in a grassy paddock, and he and Silver Charm were at times referred to as doppelgang-ers. He lost his life after suffering a pelvic fracture slipping on an ice patch last winter.

### Stretchinthelimits

B., m., 2006, by In Excess (Ire)—Star Stretcher, by Judge T C

Stretchinthelimits wasn't a stakes winner, but neverthe-



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less displayed talent in a brief career for trainer Mike Mitchell and Vessels Stallion Farm. The daughter of leading California sire In Excess won three of her first four starts in the big leagues of Hollywood Park and Santa Anita. As a broodmare prospect, Stretchinthelimits was bred exclusively to Grade 1 winner Square Eddie, a union that produced seven foals and a minor stakes winner. Stretchinthelimits came here early in 2024 and, sadly, we lost her less than a year later.

### Unaccountable

Dk. b. or b., g., 2005, by Fusaichi Pegasus—Admirer, by Private Terms

Unaccountable was one of those quiet warriors who through history have formed the backbone of racing. A hard-trying, competitive runner, he lasted seven seasons on the track, started 48 times, and earned \$298,860. The gelded son of Kentucky Derby winner

Fusaichi Pegasus scored nine of his 13 victories at middle distances on grass at tracks such as Belmont Park and Saratoga, mostly for trainer Chad Brown and owners Gary and Mary West. After being claimed mid-career, age eventually took its toll. By 9, he was still winning, but in \$4,000 claiming company at Suffolk Downs. Upon retirement, Unaccountable came to Old Friends, where he spent the last 10 years in comfort, living the good life he had so well earned.

### With This Ring

Ch., m., 1993, by Green Dancer—Wedding Picture, by Blushing Groom (Fr)

The late Josephine Abercrombie loved horses and was especially passionate about good aftercare. To that end, her Pin Oak Foundation contributed much toward building Old Friends's new state-of-the-art visitors center, which bears her name. Another contribution, a

bit more personal, was that of a much-loved mare that Abercrombie had raised, raced, and cared for into advanced age. The horsewoman and philanthropist had bred or campaigned nearly 100 stakes winners. With This Ring, was not one of them. Although genetically bred to be a good one, no one gave her the memo. Her personal best was a third-place finish in five starts. She later proved a much better broodmare for Abercrombie, producing seven winners and a graded stakes winner. Sadly, we lost With This Ring to colic in 2024 at age 31. She wasn't with us long, but it was fitting that Abercrombie's homebred spent her final days here as an Old girlFriend.

### Yahoo

Last, alphabetically, but not least, was Yahoo the goat. Anyone who toured Old Friends this past decade would be familiar with Eldaafer's unorthodox

paddock pals – Google and Yahoo. Though Google left us a while ago, Yahoo continued on as a cherished mainstay. Yahoo and Google were race-track companions for the 2010 Breeders' Cup Marathon winner Eldaafer, who seemed convinced he needed them nearby, and they reciprocated that sentiment. When the gelding retired in 2014, he was transferred to a new life at Old Friends. He would not go alone. Eventually, a custom goat "house" was built in the run-in shed to protect them from prowling coyotes. And a mesh fence was set up to ensure they wouldn't wriggle out and create mayhem around the farm. Yahoo was a striking girl, shining white, with black points around her face and neck. And she was sweet and mild-mannered. By some estimates there are 100 million goats in the world. How we ended up with the best one, we'll never know.

## Count Again



## Say the Word



Photo Credit: Laura Battles

*Count Again* didn't start his racing career until the age of four, but that didn't stop "*The Count*" from becoming a sensational racehorse. *Count Again* won five Graded Stakes races to include two Grade 1's and *Count* ended his racing career with over \$1M in earnings in just 19 starts!

Campaigned by Agave Racing Stable and Sam-Son Farm, *Count Again* was conditioned by trainer Phil D'Amato for the better part of his career. The ownership partners would like to thank Phil and his team for the quality of care they provided to all of our horses over the years.

*Count Again* was raised and raced with his stablemate *Say the Word* and together they presented Agave Racing Stable and Sam-Son Farm with a lethal one-two punch on the turf during the peak of their careers. Combined they won three Grade 1's, eight Graded Stakes and placed in an additional 15 Graded Stakes races!

Agave Racing and Sam-Son Farm are thrilled that *Count* and *Word* are reunited at Old Friends and we would like to express our sincere appreciation to our friends at Old Friends for making this reunion possible!







# LIFE AT OLD FRIENDS

Photos by Barbara D. Livingston







**Opposite page, top:** The paddocks and barns at Old Friends, in Georgetown, Ky., are home to some 150 horses; Racing Hall of Famer Silver Charm races Old Friends founder Michael Blowen.

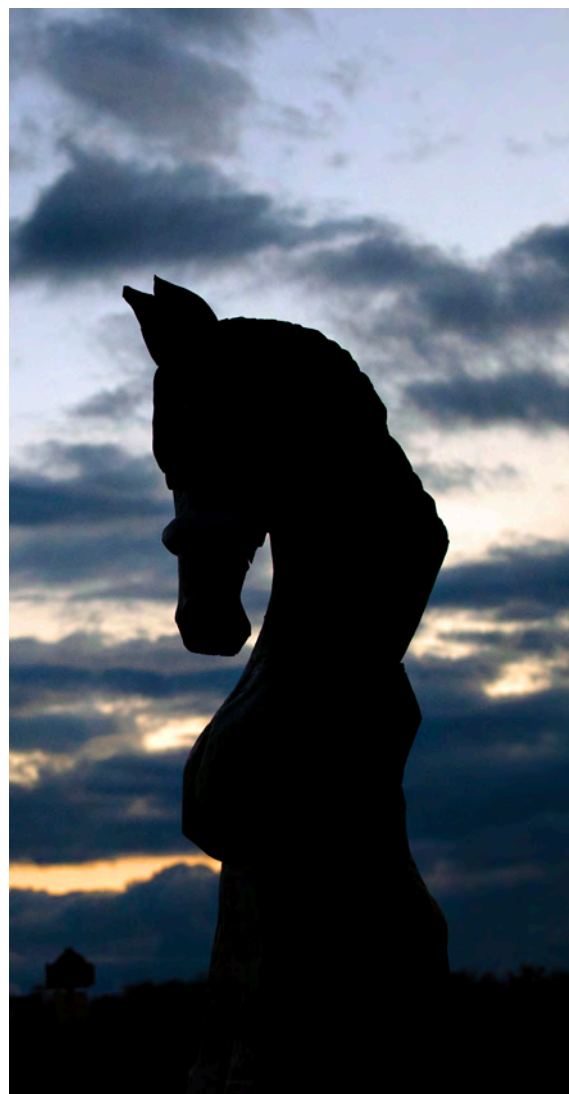
**This page, clockwise from top:** Dual classic winner Big Brown settles into his new home; millionaires and multiple graded stakes winners Spooky Channel, left, and Awesome Gem; Arson Squad and Fighting City Hall playing in their paddock.





Clockwise from top: A tour group visits Little Mike, left, and Game On Dude; the great gelding Lava Man, an earner of more than \$5 million, surveys his surroundings; Milwaukee Brew is accompanied in his paddock by miniature donkey Gorgeous George.





Clockwise from top: The near lookalikes Red Knight and Channel Maker share a paddock; Litfin Lane honors the late Dave Litfin, who was a writer and handicapper for *Daily Racing Form* for decades; the sculpture of Medina Spirit, made from a sycamore tree, outside the visitor's center; paving bricks in the Nikki Bacharach Memorial Garden.

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| 3. Slight right onto Terminal Drive                            | 0.1 mi |
| 4. Take the first left onto Man o' War Boulevard West          | 0.3 mi |
| 5. Take the first right onto Versailles Road                   | 1.5 mi |
| 6. Merge onto KY-4 N/New Circle Road via the ramp to I-75/I-64 | 0.6 mi |
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What JoAnn and Mark Pepper and their band of intelligent, invaluable volunteers have done with Old Friends at Cabin Creek: The Bobby Frankel Division in Greenfield Center, N.Y., is nothing short of remarkable.

The facility, built nearly single-handedly by Mark, is a picture postcard – a Shangri-La – of Thoroughbred retirement. Home to two-time Whitney victor Commentator and New York Horse of the Year Naughty New Yorker, Cabin Creek has done things so well that when I visit I pick up pointers on how to improve our facility in Kentucky.

Over the years, the Peppers have shown great faith in the Old Friends concept. In the beginning, before the current surge in support from New York owners and breeders and some great fundraising during the Saratoga meet, donations were hard to come by. However, with the unerring faith of Vivien Malloy, Jack Knowlton of Sackatoga Stables, Terry Finley of West Point Thoroughbreds, the New York Thoroughbred Horsemen's Association, and Mike Repole, who allowed us to retire Cool N Collective, a great son of Ruhlmann, Cabin Creek has prospered.

Every one of its retirees has had a great story. From King Congie's unwavering support from West Point, his original owners, when he found himself in a dangerous situation, to late Travers Stakes winner Will's Way, JoAnn treats them all the same.

Visitors who have never been to a horse race mingle with savvy trainers, owners, and jockeys during tours that are both entertaining and enlightening.

And, while it might take some twisting and turning through the back roads of rural Saratoga County, I've never met one person who said it wasn't worth the trip. It's a tribute to the Peppers, the Saratoga community, and all of our great retirees.

The horses always look great. And that's the most important thing. Cabin Creek is located in Greenfield Center, N.Y., just 10 minutes from Saratoga Racecourse.

For information and current tour information, call Cabin Creek at (518) 698-2377.

– MICHAEL BLOWEN



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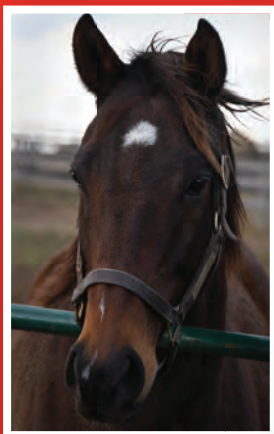
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# Old Friends roster

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HORSE	BIRTHDATE	SEX	COLOR	EARNINGS
ALPHA	3/11/2009	H	Bay	\$1,815,667
ANY GIVEN SATURDAY	3/29/2004	H	Bay	1,083,533
AREYOUTALKINTOME	2/3/2001	G	Bay	985,417
ARSON SQUAD	4/2/2003	G	Dark bay/brown	1,190,181
AWESOME GEM	2/6/2003	G	Chestnut	2,881,370
BELLAMY ROAD	4/5/2002	H	Bay	811,400
BENT ON BOURBON	4/2/2012	G	Dark bay/brown	235,960
BETTER	3/15/2017	G	Bay	0
BIG BLUE NATION	3/7/2009	G	Bay	240,068
BIG BROWN	4/10/2005	H	Bay	3,614,500
BIRDSTONE	5/16/2001	H	Bay	1,575,600
BOBBY SANDS	3/13/2005	G	Bay	300,319
BOLD AND BOSSY	5/6/2019	M	Bay	21,784
BORDONARO	4/24/2001	G	Chestnut	938,128
BOURBONIZE	3/28/2011	G	Bay	219,423
BROTHER CHUB	3/15/2012	G	Bay	674,611
CAPPUCINO KID	2/22/1998	G	Bay	248,951
CHANNEL MAKER	2/11/2014	G	Chestnut	3,915,983
CHERONO	5/5/2002	G	Dark bay	4,040
CHITU	3/18/2011	G	Chestnut	597,800
CHOCOLATE RIDE	5/6/2010	G	Dark bay/brown	729,638
COMMA TO THE TOP	3/2/2008	G	Bay	1,349,046
COUNT AGAIN	4/1/2015	G	Bay	1,085,415
COZMIC ONE	3/8/2012	G	Bay	5,770
CZ ROCKET	2/24/2014	G	Bay	2,144,691
DAAHHER	2/28/2004	H	Bay	455,163
DELAUNAY	3/18/2007	G	Bay	1,210.32
DRAXHALL WOODS	3/10/2010	G	Bay	567,144
EASY GRADES	04/13/99	G	Bay	559,744
ED JOHNSON	01/21/13	G	Gray/roan	92,355
EL BRUJO	03/11/06	G	Bay	721,439
EL GATO MALO	02/06/05	G	Bay	659,376
ELDAAFER	03/13/05	G	Bay	1,031,835
EL OH EL	03/07/10	G	Dark bay/brown	221,904
EXULTING	04/06/13	G	Bay	687,370
FABULOUS STRIKE	4/4/2003	G	Dark bay/brown	1,447,804
FANTASTIC DAY	5/25/2000	G	Bay	360,424
FEARLESS	3/17/2016	G	Bay	1,251,450
FERGUS MAC ROICH	3/31/2007	G	Chestnut	52,595
FIGHTING CITY HALL	3/4/2003	G	Dark bay/brown	268,199
FORTE DEI MARMI (GB)	3/30/2006	G	Bay	1,054,061
GAME ON DUDE	4/26/2007	G	Bay	6,498,893
GOTTAGOALLDAY	5/22/1996	G	Bay	12,485
GREEN MASK	5/8/2011	G	Bay	1,064,761
GROUNDSHAKER	2/14/2011	M	Bay	1,000
HE LOVES ME NOT	3/26/2003	G	Bay	198,888
HE'S OUR MAKER	3/3/2019	G	Bay	0
I'LL HAVE ANOTHER	4/1/2009	H	Chestnut	2,693,600
IMPRIMIS	02/09/14	G	Bay	883,483
INTIDAB	3/10/1993	H	Bay	531,221
IVAN FALLUNOVALOT	3/31/2010	G	Bay	1,010,903
JAVERRE	2/6/2009	G	Bay	490,081
JOEY P	3/22/2002	G	Dark bay/brown	1,081,167
JOHANNESBURG SMILE	2/6/2007	H	Bay	555,417
KAYRAWAN	3/26/1992	H	Bay	186,682
LANE WAY	2/26/2017	G	Bay	528,560
LAVA MAN	3/20/2001	G	Bay	5,268,706
LION HUNTER	5/4/2009	G	Bay	0
LITTLE MIKE	5/24/2007	G	Bay	3,543,392
LOGANSPOUT	3/25/2001	G	Chestnut	40,272
LUBASH	2/24/2007	G	Bay	1,515,139
MARSHALL ROOSTER (GB)	5/29/1999	G	Gray/roan	205,881
MAYBESOMAYBENOT	1/27/2008	G	Bay	155,738
MCCRACKEN	4/13/2014	G	Bay	869,728
MIDNIGHT TEA TIME	4/5/2015	G	Bay	655,284
MIKETHESPIKE	3/11/2000	G	Gray	85,301
MILITARIST	4/25/2017	G	Gray/roan	201,130

HORSE	BIRTHDATE	SEX	COLOR	EARNINGS
MILWAUKEE BREW	1/31/1997	H	Bay	\$2,879,612
MISSION IMPAZIBLE	3/2/2007	H	Gray/roan	1,284,949
MISS DU BOIS	4/23/1994	M	Chestnut	25,535
MISS HOOLIGAN	4/11/2005	M	Bay	2,325
MISSZOEY BELLE	3/20/2005	M	Bay	70,075
MISS ZOOTER	4/9/2007	M	Bay	37,426
MORIAH	4/13/2002	M	Gray	62,018
MR. JORDAN	2/16/2012	G	Gray/roan	860,615
MWARI	4/6/2019	G	Gray	12,890
NANA'S HOPE	1/14/2003	G	Chestnut	161,671
NEXT SHARES	4/15/2013	G	Dark bay/brown	1,891,971
NICANOR	3/15/2006	G	Bay	147,697
NOBIZ LIKE SHOBIZ	1/19/2004	H	Dark bay/brown	1,544,730
NOBLE DRAMA	5/5/2015	G	Bay	876,562
NOBLE INDY	3/31/2015	G	Bay	896,247
NORMANDY INVASION	5/2/2010	G	Bay	551,900
OFFERING PLAN	5/15/2012	G	Bay	891,573
OLD MEXICO	5/13/2012	G	Bay	103,225
OWN AGENDA	4/24/2015	G	Dark bay/brown	270,513
PATCH	3/18/2014	G	Bay	532,450
PERSIE	4/24/2013	G	Bay	280,727
PHOTON	4/30/2009	G	Dark bay/brown	54,527
POLLARD'S VISION	1/31/2001	H	Bay	1,430,311
POSHSKY	5/10/2010	G	Bay	823,383
PRIVATE CHARM	4/1/2002	M	Gray/roan	27,120
QUINDICI MAN	5/16/2006	G	Gray	536,666
RAIL TRIP	01/31/05	G	Bay	1,516,520
RAINBOW HEIR	02/08/10	G	Chestnut	837,395
RAPID REDUX	02/24/06	G	Chestnut	361,369
RATED R SUPERSTAR	04/20/13	G	Chestnut	1,847,397
RATHOR (IRE)	05/13/02	G	Dark bay/brown	331,979
RED KNIGHT	03/26/14	G	Chestnut	1,886,338
RING WEEKEND	4/27/2011	G	Chestnut	1,571,576
ROCKETRY	4/10/2014	G	Bay	811,577
ROMANCE IS DIANE	3/18/2004	M	Dark bay/brown	712,718
ROYALIAN	3/29/2017	G	Chestnut	26,773
RULER ON ICE	4/2/2008	G	Chestnut	1,709,566
SAINT ALOYSIUS	5/11/2013	G	Dark bay/brown	338
SARBONNE	4/19/2007	G	Bay	27,639
SAUDI POETRY	1/27/1997	M	Chestnut	596,972
SEAN AVERY	3/8/2006	G	Bay	398,640
SEEK GOLD	4/2/2000	G	Bay	902,636
SHACKLESON	2/3/2015	G	Chestnut	122,031
SHADOW CAST	3/20/2001	M	Chestnut	923,751
SHARP SAMURAI	3/9/2014	G	Bay	1,111,270
SHEPHERD'S DELIGHT	4/26/2020	G	Bay	0
SILENCED	4/19/2016	G	Bay	85,651
SILVER CHARM	2/22/1994	H	Gray/roan	6,944,369
SILVER MAX	3/8/2009	H	Bay	1,954,738
SKIP'S WORLD	3/19/2010	H	Gray	78,435
SMOKEY GLACKEN	3/29/2001	M	Bay	656,960
SMOOTH AIR	3/12/2005	H	Bay	1,117,200
SOI PHET	4/18/2008	G	Dark bay	1,023,917
SOKITUMI SAMURAI	3/31/2009	G	Bay	260,222
SPECIAL RING	3/9/1997	G	Bay	915,023
SPOOKY CHANNEL	3/28/2015	G	Chestnut	1,380,142
STORMY LIBERAL	4/12/2012	G	Bay	2,212,580
SUMMER ATTRACTION	5/26/1995	G	Bay	28,214
THE PIZZA MAN	3/25/2009	G	Bay	2,158,941
TIMOTHY JAMES	2012	G	Dark bay/brown	0
TOUCH GOLD	5/26/1994	H	Bay	1,679,907
TRICKY HAT	3/10/2009	G	Bay	282,877
TUNEINTOBOW	3/21/2011	G	Gray	79,200
US RANGER	4/22/2004	H	Bay	481,775
V.E. DAY	4/21/2011	H	Chestnut	144,061
WALLY BALLOU	6/6/1998	G	Bay	144,520
WARRIOR'S REWARD	4/3/2006	G	Bay	565,716
WELDER	2/19/2013	G	Gray	1,263,359

HORSE	BIRTHDATE	SEX	COLOR	EARNINGS
WICKED SORCERESS.....	5/31/2003.....	M.....	Chestnut.....	79,423
WINDY LAND.....	1999.....	G.....	Chestnut.....	0
ZULU ALPHA.....	2/8/2013.....	G.....	Bay.....	2,269,084

#### OLD FRIENDS ASHTON GROVE FARM AND MARI HULMAN GEORGE ANNEX

HORSE	BIRTHDATE	SEX	COLOR	EARNINGS
BIRD TOWN.....	4/11/2000.....	M.....	Bay.....	\$871,251
BRANDOTHEBARTENDER.....	5/4/2013.....	G.....	Bay.....	772,864
DIVERSIFY.....	2/1/2013.....	G.....	Dark bay.....	2,990,270
DIXIELAND SQUALL.....	4/2/2003.....	M.....	Chestnut.....	32510
DONERAILE COURT.....	2/4/1996.....	H.....	Bay.....	361,410
FOLIAGE.....	3/31/2018.....	G.....	Bay.....	113,658
GET WESTERN.....	3/22/2015.....	G.....	Bay.....	298,641
IDEAL IMAGE.....	05/08/98.....	M.....	Chestnut.....	15,900
JACK A ROSE.....	4/18/2018.....	G.....	Bay.....	87,430
JIMBO FALLON.....	4/26/2012.....	G.....	Gray.....	99,187
JOKING.....	4/18/2009.....	G.....	Bay.....	846,138
KALAMOS.....	3/5/2009.....	G.....	Dark bay/brown.....	253,641
KHARAF.....	3/7/2009.....	G.....	Bay.....	1,238,622
KING KREESA.....	5/26/2018.....	G.....	Bay.....	1,431,654
MAGIC WEISNER.....	5/3/1999.....	G.....	Bay.....	888,930
MIKE MAN'S GOLD.....	2/10/2010.....	G.....	Bay.....	360,427
OUR GOLDISOX.....	2/5/2019.....	M.....	Chestnut.....	0
PALEO.....	5/3/2007.....	M.....	Chestnut.....	49,635
RIGHT TO VOTE.....	2/23/2009.....	G.....	Dark bay.....	516,249
ROVEING PATROL.....	3/24/2010.....	M.....	Bay.....	22,925
ROYAL POSSE.....	3/22/2011.....	G.....	Bay.....	1,037,560
SAY THE WORD.....	2/8/2015.....	G.....	Bay.....	861,792
SHAKY PANTS.....	3/22/2020.....	G.....	Chestnut.....	71,543
SIGNALMAN.....	3/21/2016.....	G.....	Bay.....	676,585

HORSE	BIRTHDATE	SEX	COLOR	EARNINGS
SOLDAT.....	4/19/2008.....	H.....	Dark bay.....	622,760
STONE LEGACY.....	5/5/2006.....	M.....	Bay.....	225,651
STUBBINS.....	2/11/2016.....	G.....	Bay.....	562,051
WAKE FOREST.....	5/6/2010.....	G.....	Bay.....	951,745
WAR STORY.....	3/25/2012.....	G.....	Chestnut.....	3,271,996
WEEKEND HIDEAWAY.....	3/18/2010.....	G.....	Chestnut.....	1,144,922



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# Alpha



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

In his prime, Alpha was an invaluable member of the stable for his owner-breeder. By a champion, out of a stakes-winning multiple stakes producer by Nijinsky II, Alpha hailed from a family packed with quality black type. Darley must have had the American classics in mind while planning the 2008 mating of Bernardini and Munnaya that produced him. He arrived on March 11, 2009, in a compact but elegant physical package to match his royal lineage.

For Godolphin and trainer Kiaran McLaughlin, the attractive bay colt displayed promise enough at 2 to earn a top-25 ranking on the Experimental Free Handicap. But the spring classic dreams of his owner didn't quite pan out. In the 2012 Kentucky Derby, Alpha broke poorly and ran six wide before finishing 12th behind winner I'll Have Another.

Redemption came with a vengeance that summer, when he scored back-to-back victories in Saratoga's Grade 2 Jim Dandy Stakes and Grade 1 Travers Stakes, the latter in a dead heat with Golden Ticket, representing the midsummer classic's first dead heat since 1874. At 4, Alpha scored a front-running victory in the Grade 1 Woodward at his favorite track – Saratoga – and retired late the following year with earnings approaching \$2 million.

The multiple Grade 1 winner was sent to Sequel Stallions in New York, where he would eventually sire a trio of statebred stakes winners. Exported to Brazil in 2019, his best there was the 2023 Group 1 Brazilian Derby winner Cold Heart. Pensioned from stud duty in Brazil after the 2023 breeding season, arrangements were made to send the then-14-year-old stallion to Old Friends, where he arrived on Dec. 8, 2023.

– MARY SIMON

**Michael says:** For those needing good news in racing, Alpha is at the top. When his stallion career was completed in Brazil, Dan Pride of Darley America and Godolphin called and said His Highness Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid al Maktoum wanted to bring him back to a good home and thought Old Friends would be a suitable spot. We were overjoyed. Alpha got an all-expenses paid return trip and, after a series of quality checks at Darley, was delivered to us with a sizable endowment. He's big, bossy, and willful, and his many fans adore him.

**PEDIGREE:** 2009, b., h., by Bernardini—Munnaya, by Nijinsky II

**EARNED:** \$1,815,667

**STAKES WON:** Travers S. (G1), Woodward S. (G1), Jim Dandy S. (G2), Withers S. (G3), Count Fleet S.

**THREE WORDS:** Jim Dandy – Travers – Omega

**OLD FRIENDS ENTRY DATE:** 2023

## HORSE TALK

### MICHAEL BANAHAN, DIRECTOR OF BLOODSTOCK, GODOLPHIN USA

While Alpha was small in stature, he was big in heart. He was a Saratoga specialist, winning multiple graded races there during his career. He became the second Travers winner for our stable, with his sire, Bernardini, being the first. But it's also special being able to facilitate his return to Kentucky and Old Friends. We appreciate all that Michael and his team do to care for these retired Thoroughbreds and hope that visitors to Old Friends will enjoy seeing him there for years to come.

# Any Given Saturday



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Any Given Saturday was an extraordinary racehorse in 2007, and he was bred to be so. One of more than 180 stakes winners by Distorted Humor and out of a stakes-producing A.P. Indy mare, he was bought as a yearling by WinStar Farm for \$1.1 million at the Keeneland September sale. The handsome bay eventually won 6 of 11 starts for trainer Todd Pletcher and banked \$1,083,533.

He was his best at 3, finishing third to Nobiz Like Shobiz (another Old Friends pensioner) in the Grade 1 Wood Memorial Stakes before a dull eighth-place effort in the Kentucky Derby. But during the 10-week period between July 4 and Sept. 22, Any Given Saturday caught fire, capturing three major stakes in emphatic fashion. In the Grade 2 Dwyer Stakes at Belmont Park, he turned the tables on Nobiz Like Shobiz to win by four lengths; a month later, he took the Grade 1 Haskell Invitational at Monmouth Park over Hard Spun and champion Curlin; and finally, he ran off with the historic Grade 2 Brooklyn Handicap at Belmont in September.

Any Given Saturday retired in 2008 to Jonabell near Lexington, at a \$40,000 fee, and shuttled from Kentucky to Australia before landing in Pennsylvania for 2014. Though he was siring some decent runners, the decision was made to sell him to Korean interests. Of course, the best of Any Given Saturday's 27 stakes winners hit the track following his exportation, in the form of Hoppertunity, a Grade 1 winner of \$4.7 million, and 2015 Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint victor Mongolian Saturday.

After nine South Korean seasons, Any Given Saturday was happily repatriated to the United States, arriving at Old Friends on March 6, 2023.

— MARY SIMON

**Michael says:** Anyone who was privileged enough to see Any Given Saturday's overwhelming victory in the 2007 Grade 1 Haskell had to be impressed. Ridden by Garrett Gomez and trained by Todd Pletcher, the great son of Distorted Humor and Weekend in Indy, obliterated Hard Spun and Curlin. A few days later, owners WinStar and Satish Sanan sold him to Godolphin. His career as a stallion ended up in Korea. When that was finished in 2022, we contacted Jun Park, the American representative of the Korea Thoroughbred Breeders' Association, and he arranged for Any Given Saturday to return to the United States and to Old Friends. Late in 2023, his Korean caretakers came to visit him, and everyone seemed very happy. Especially me.

**PEDIGREE:** 2004, b., h., by Distorted Humor—Weekend in Indy, by A.P. Indy

**EARNINGS:** \$1,083,533

**STAKES WON:** Haskell Invitational S. (G1), Brooklyn H. (G2), Dwyer S. (G2), Sam F. Davis S.

**THREE WORDS:** Worldly – Stunning – Secure

**OLD FRIENDS ENTRY DATE:** 2023

## HORSE TALK

### JUN PARK, BLOODSTOCK AGENT, KOREAN THOROUGHBRED BREEDERS' ASSOCIATION

I was so excited to see him at the stall at the clinic (Rood and Riddle Equine Hospital). I mean, he went to Korea a long time ago, and he came back here and it's good to see him back. (Michael) has been (doing an) excellent job since he founded the farm. The horses are happy out there, (and) racing fans are still able to see the horses. And that's great.



# Big Brown



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Big Brown delivered. Like the UPS package service he was named for, Big Brown was reliable, steady, and always delivered on schedule – with one very notable exception.

A bay son of Boundary trained by Rick Dutrow, Big Brown burst onto the racing scene in spectacular fashion in 2007, winning his juvenile debut at Saratoga by 11 lengths at 1 1/16 miles on turf. That was a pretty accurate preview of what was to come.

After a six-month layoff, he made his first start as a 3-year-old at Gulfstream Park going a mile on dirt and won off by nearly 13 lengths. He followed that up three weeks later with a five-length score in the Grade 1 Florida Derby.

That handed the unbeaten colt the role as favorite for the 2008 Kentucky Derby, in which he dutifully turned in a 4 3/4-length victory while becoming the first ever to win the roses from the far outside 20 post.

In the Preakness, he won by 5 1/4 lengths under wraps, looking every bit as if he would become the first Triple Crown winner since Affirmed in 1978. It was not to be. Plagued by hoof problems and racing with an acrylic patch in the Belmont Stakes, Big Brown was rank early, ran into traffic problems, bumped at least one rival, and eventually dropped out of contention, with jockey Kent Desormeaux easing him. He was officially listed in the race chart as “distanced.”

Big Brown went on to win his last two starts that summer before being retired. As a 3-year-old, other than in the Belmont, he recorded triple-digit Beyer Speed Figures in every race. At stud in Kentucky, before being later relocated to New York, Big Brown sired Grade 1 Santa Anita Derby winner and \$1.9 million earner Dortmund, among the best of his 38 stakes winners. After his stallion career ended, he arrived at Old Friends in September 2024.

– MARK SIMON

**John says:** We are excited beyond measure to welcome Big Brown as an honored member of the Old Friends family. We are deeply grateful to Andy Cohen and all of Big Brown’s connections for choosing to share this great horse with racing fans everywhere. I know his legions of fans will love having the chance to visit him throughout the year. Big Brown will be an awesome ambassador, not only for Old Friends, but for the sport of Thoroughbred racing.

**PEDIGREE:** 2005, b. h., by Boundary—Mien, by Nureyev

**EARNED:** \$3,614,500

**STAKES WON:** Kentucky Derby (G1), Preakness S. (G1), Haskell Invitational S. (G1), Florida Derby (G1), Monmouth S.

**MILESTONE:** Champion 3-year-old male

**THREE WORDS:** Inquisitive – Champion – Splendid

**OLD FRIENDS ENTRY DATE:** 2024

## HORSE TALK

**ANDY COHEN, OWNER**

### BIG BROWN SYNDICATE

It doesn’t seem that long ago when we would visit Big Brown in the middle of the night and just hang out with him. He was like a puppy and especially loved it when the young children would come over to pet him. As sweet as he was, when he got on the racetrack, he knew it was time to go to work. I remember after his race at Gulfstream Park, (jockey) Kent Desormeaux said he was the fastest horse he’d ever ridden, and the rest is history. After visiting Old Friends and getting to know John Nicholson and Michael Blowen, I couldn’t be more comfortable knowing Big Brown will get the love and care he deserves at Old Friends, where the horse is the boss.

# Birdstone



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

In the spring of 2004, a plain bay colt with not a white hair on him became the horse America loved to hate. Barely 15 hands and 900 pounds at the time, the late Marylou Whitney's homebred Birdstone shocked a roaring crowd into silence when, at 36-1, he ran down heavily favored Smarty Jones in the Belmont Stakes to deny him a Triple Crown sweep. Moments later in the winner's circle, trainer Nick Zito and jockey Edgar Prado found themselves in an unusual place – apologizing for their victory and ending Smarty's bid for destiny.

Despite that moment of infamy, Birdstone was a good one in every sense. The son of 1996 Kentucky Derby winner Grindstone and future Broodmare of the Year Dear Birdie snagged the 2003 Champagne Stakes (G1) and 2004 Travers (G1) in addition to that memorable Belmont, and banked \$1,575,600 before a bone chip stopped him after his ninth start.

At Gainesway Farm in Lexington, Ky., Birdstone's initial \$10,000 fee looked like an absolute steal when his first crop reached the races and included 2009 Kentucky Derby (G1) winner Mine That Bird, 2009 Eclipse Award 3-year-old male champion and Belmont Stakes winner Summer Bird, and three additional North American graded stakes winners.

Birdstone never replicated that gangbuster debut crop but became a useful sire whose offspring have since earned some \$30 million. The sweet-natured stallion was pensioned to Old Friends in August of 2020.

– MARY SIMON

**Michael says:** We are so grateful to John Hendrickson for allowing Old Friends to care for Birdstone in his post-breeding career. He's a living tribute to Marylou Whitney, and we plan to carry on her great contributions to the aftercare of both humans and horses. Birdstone had a great life at Gainesway, and we plan to continue that tradition at Old Friends.

**PEDIGREE:** 2001, b., h., by Grindstone—Dear Birdie, by Storm Bird

**EARNED:** \$1,575,600

**STAKES WON:** Belmont S. (G1), Travers S. (G1), Champagne S. (G1)

**THREE WORDS:** Marylou – And – John

**OLD FRIENDS ENTRY DATE:** 2020

## HORSE TALK

### MICHAEL BLOWEN

Like everyone else in America, I was desperately hoping that Smarty Jones would win the 2004 Belmont to win the Triple Crown. Additionally, Stewart Elliott, his jockey, came up, like I did, through the claiming ranks at Suffolk Downs. But it wasn't to be. A son of Grindstone came hurtling down the long Belmont stretch, passing Smarty and sucking every last bit of air from the Belmont grandstand. His owner, the eternally classy Marylou Whitney, was apologetic in the post-winner's circle interview. But she had nothing to be sorry about. Birdstone would go on to win the Travers, confirming his competitive greatness. After he was winding down his post-racing career, I started to make inquiries about possibly retiring him to Old Friends. I even had the audacity to drop a subtle hint to John Hendrickson and Mrs. Whitney the last time I saw them at an event at the Hall of Fame. Enter the Passarellos. Jon and Bev are longtime breeders with strong connections to Gainesway and Neil Howard. When I inquired about Birdstone's diminishing stallion career, Bev went to work, extolling the virtues of retiring a stallion to Old Friends. Buoyed by her gritty enthusiasm, I sent a note to Mr. Hendrickson. Within a few months, Birdstone arrived at Old Friends. A few weeks after his arrival, we were contacted by a very nice woman from Cady Hill, the estate in Saratoga Springs. She explained how happy John Hendrickson was with his decision to send Birdstone to Old Friends. He couldn't be as happy as we are to have Birdstone. And, to make it even better, he's our vet's – Dr. Bryan Waldrige – favorite horse, and he is supported by a very generous stipend.



# Bird Town



LAURA BATTLES

Bird Town is a living testament to the potency of the power-packed breeding program built by C.V. Whitney in the past century. The daughter of Cape Town and Dear Birdie hails from a Whitney female family that goes back four generations, into the 1950s.

C.V. bred 176 stakes winners before his passing in 1992, after which his widow, Marylou Whitney, very capably took over the racing and breeding operations. In the 2000 filly Bird Town, she turned out yet another stakes winner from the distaff line that had included her late husband's classy, distance-loving turf mare Hush Dear.

Bird Town, trained by Nick Zito, reached the races in the fall of her juvenile season in 2002 and won once in four starts. Like many Whitney runners, she improved with age and distance. At 3, the bay filly blossomed into a champion, winning three of eight starts and finishing second four times. Her victories included the Grade 1 Kentucky Oaks and Grade 1 Acorn Stakes.

She retired to the breeding shed in 2004, the year her half-brother, Birdstone, also bred and raced by Marylou Whitney, won the Belmont Stakes and denied Smarty Jones a Triple Crown sweep. Their dam, Dear Birdie, was subsequently named Broodmare of the Year by the Kentucky Thoroughbred Owners and Breeders for her remarkable record of producing back-to-back American classic winners.

As a member of the Whitney broodmare band, Bird Town produced graded stakes winner Bird Song among her 12 named foals. After that busy breeding schedule, Bird Town was pensioned in 2020. She arrived at Old Friends in 2024, where she joined her classic-winning brother. Bird Town is the first Kentucky Oaks winner retired to Old Friends.

— MARK SIMON

**John says:** Under any circumstances, Old Friends would be honored to welcome Bird Town. The fact that she comes to us from the Marylou Whitney Stables means that her arrival carries an even deeper meaning for us. We were so saddened by the recent unexpected passing of John Hendrickson. He and his wife, Marylou Whitney, were not only towering figures in Thoroughbred racing, they were stalwart supporters of Thoroughbred aftercare in general and Old Friends in particular. The presence of Bird Town, along with her half-brother, Old Friends resident Birdstone, will always serve as a reminder of John Hendrickson and Marylou Whitney's prescient leadership of our industry, their dedication to their horses, and their commitment to Thoroughbred aftercare.

**PEDIGREE:** 2000, b. m., by Cape Town—  
Dear Birdie, by Storm Bird

**EARNED:** \$871,251

**STAKES WON:** Kentucky Oaks (G1), Acorn S. (G1), Charon S.

**MILESTONE:** Champion 3-year-old filly

**THREE WORDS:** Whitney — Homebred — Legacy

**OLD FRIENDS ENTRY DATE:** 2024

## HORSE TALK

Bred and owned by Marylou Whitney, Bird Town's biggest win came in the 2003 Kentucky Oaks (G1), where, remarkably, she stumbled coming out of the gate, and then rallied from next-to-last to finish a 3 1/4-length winner. The win gave her Hall of Fame trainer, Nick Zito, his first Oaks victory. Bird Town's other top wins included the Acorn Stakes (G1) and Charon Stakes, also in 2003. That year, she was second in the Beldame Stakes (G1), Test Stakes (G1), and Beaumont Stakes (G2). For her efforts, she won the Eclipse Award as champion 3-year-old filly. Bird Town went on to a broodmare career at Marylou Whitney Stables, producing 12 named foals, including graded stakes winner Bird Song. She was subsequently pensioned from her broodmare duties, and arrived at Old Friends in December of 2024, joining her half-brother, classic race winner Birdstone, as an Old Friends retiree.

# Channel Maker



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

“Turf specialist extraordinaire” describes Channel Maker perfectly. The Canadian-bred ended a long career in 2023 with earnings \$3.9 million – every penny of it on grass. The brother to 2018 Sovereign Awards finalist Johnny Bear retired as the leading money winner of another turf overachiever, English Channel.

For years, Channel Maker enchanted fans with his tenacious, pacesetting style, running with his head high in the clouds – “like a giraffe,” part-owner Adam Wachtel once said. After failing to meet his yearling reserve at \$57,000, the chestnut gelding would get the last laugh, winning in the best company from ages 2 to 9, from 6 1/2 to 12 furlongs. He could do pretty much anything ... on grass.

Victories in two Grade 1 stakes earned him the 2020 Eclipse Award as America’s champion grass male. Through an eight-season career, Channel Maker took more shots at the Breeders’ Cup than any horse ever had – six – and though he failed to win one, his résumé was still heavy with Grade 1 victories. He was also voted champion at 3 in Canada.

Late in 2023, the decision was made by his owners and trainer Bill Mott to retire their very special gelding to Old Friends while still sound and competitive.

“What horse competes at the highest level from 2 to 9?” Wachtel asked. “I’ve never seen anything like him. He’s been the horse of a lifetime.”

– MARY SIMON

**Michael says:** I know, for some in racing, winning the Kentucky Derby or the Breeders’ Cup Classic is the ultimate. We’ve all seen ecstatic owners jumping for joy in the winner’s circle on the first Saturday in May. And they should. But, for me, the thrill is different. And it happens every day. In October 2023, I watched Channel Maker and Red Knight, two veteran campaigners who could run all day on the grass, finish up the track in the Sycamore Stakes at Keeneland. I had followed their careers for years, marveling at their determination and durability. Like so many others, I was a huge fan of Channel Maker, who earned nearly \$4 million and competed year after year at Saratoga. I even cashed a few tickets on him. Just after dawn, on the last day of November, I sat in my golf cart watching these two extraordinary athletes sharing a bale of alfalfa/timothy mix. Like Redford and Newman sharing a Bud, they looked as if they didn’t have a care in the world. And neither did I.

**PEDIGREE:** 2014, ch. g., by English Channel—In Return, by Horse Chestnut (Saf)

**EARNED:** \$3,915,983

**STAKES WON:** Joe Hirsch Turf Classic S. (G1) twice, Man o’ War S. (G1), Sword Dancer S. (G1), Elkhorn S. (G2), Bowling Green S. (G2) twice, Grand Couturier S., Breeders’ S., Vandal S.

**MILESTONES:** Sovereign Award champion 3-year-old male, Eclipse Award champion turf male

**THREE WORDS:** Regal – Confident – Spirited

**OLD FRIENDS ENTRY DATE:** 2023

## HORSE TALK

### ADAM WACHTEL, OWNER

In September of 2016, I was watching the Grade 2 Summer Stakes at Woodbine. Trainer Bill Mott had a 2-year-old in the race that I thought might be special named Good Samaritan, who won the race impressively. I also noticed an interesting horse in the race named Channel Maker. He finished third. A few days later, Len Friedman of Ragozin told me I should check into Channel Maker, in that he had run a very fast race for a 2-year-old and that he was from a very nice family. I was already a big fan of English Channel as a sire. I called up my close friend and often horse partner Gary Barber, and we decided to try and buy this horse. Who would ever have assumed that seven years later this amazing gelding would have earned nearly \$4 million, won four Grade 1s, finished third in the Breeders’ Cup Turf, and won an Eclipse Award? In eight years of racing, he never sustained a major injury and never missed a scheduled race while traveling all over North America, as well as to Dubai and Saudi Arabia. During his 4-year-old campaign, Dean Reeves and Randy Hill joined Gary and I as owners. At age 9, he won yet another Grade 2 race at Saratoga, and he retired at year-end. Our ownership group had the privilege of owning one truly special horse. Channel Maker, enjoy your retirement at Old Friends.



# Cozmic One



LAURA BATTLES

On the evening of a full moon, obliterated by a late Kentucky snowstorm, a sturdy dark bay colt arrived in the Bluegrass. Despite the whiteout, or maybe because of it, March 8, 2012 was a “magical night,” according to co-owner-breeder Ann Holbrook (ex-Moss), one filled with endless possibilities.

And why not dream? His sire was a champion and leading progenitor, and, more importantly, he was the first foal of the incomparable Zenyatta, arguably the greatest racemare of the modern era. Through his veins coursed the blood of such breed-building giants as Northern Dancer and Mr. Prospector, Seattle Slew and Roberto, Bold Ruler and Buckpasser. What wonders lie ahead for the colt they would name Cozmic One?

Soon enough, we knew. He had his own Facebook page and then a Breyer figure cast in his youthful image. And yet . . . this big, strapping colt of impeccable lineage never won a race. And so it goes in racing.

Cozmic One was – and remains today – a special horse, despite his past performance lines. For owner-breeders Jerry and Ann Moss, he finished unplaced in five starts, before they gracefully threw in the towel, gelded him, and turned him over to de Sousa Stables to train as a show horse.

In his new life, “Coz” earned the success denied him on the racetrack. He quickly became an object of outsized interest and a worthy diplomat for Thoroughbreds in second careers. In 2018, as part of the Retired Racehorse Project Thoroughbred Makeover, “Coz” finished fifth of 96 in show jumping, and even made a celebrity appearance at Breyerfest.

The return of an old injury in 2023, however, prompted his retirement from competition. In October of 2024, the sweet-natured fellow arrived at Old Friends, where he continues to be a revered ambassador for his breed and sport.

– MARY SIMON

**John says:** We are thrilled to welcome Cozmic One to retired life at Old Friends. As the first-born offspring of the incredible champion and Horse of the Year Zenyatta, Cozmic One holds a special place in the hearts of racing fans everywhere. We look forward to welcoming all who wish to visit as he embarks on his new all-important role as ambassador for Thoroughbred aftercare. Our everlasting gratitude to Ann Holbrook and Dottie Ingordo for trusting us with their treasured horse.

**PEDIGREE:** 2012, dk. b. or br. g., by Bernardini—Zenyatta, by Street Cry

**EARNED:** \$5,770

**NOTABLE:** First foal of Horse of the Year and Breeders' Cup Classic (G1) winner Zenyatta

**THREE WORDS:** Royalty – Adored – Charisma

**OLD FRIENDS ENTRY DATE:** 2024

## HORSE TALK

### ANN HOLBROOK, OWNER

He is the first born to Zenyatta, and he holds a very special place in our hearts. He's a sweetheart. It was a very magical night (when Cozmic One was foaled). First, it was a full moon. And, then there was this incredible snow that was just falling vertically, but the snowflakes were like five inches long, and they looked like feathers. Also, it was Women's Day, so I thought it was honoring his mama, Zenyatta, too. So, we just joyfully welcomed him into the world. When his track time came to an end, we were so lucky to have Sergio de Sousa step up, and his daughter, Isabela, did as well. She was riding him in the shows and he really enjoyed it. I think he especially enjoyed the ribbons and all the fans. We're just so happy now he's got another chapter of his life here at Old Friends. It's a great transition for him because he's got the fans, and the cookies, and we couldn't be happier.

### SERGIO DE SOUSA, HIDDEN BROOK FARM

He had an injury years ago to his left hind leg. Usually I turn him out for the winter for about four months from November to February. And, this year (2024) he just didn't come out right, so it was going to take a long time to heal. He's paddock sound and can canter and everything. But, we really didn't want to do anything else, so it was time to really retire him. I think Old Friends is a great thing. He loves people. He knows that we work for him. He's a big puppy dog. I think he is going to continue to thrive here and more people will be able to come and see him.

# Game On Dude



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Game On Dude had 34 starts over the course of five racing seasons and won nearly half of them, so there are plenty of memories to take away from his career, but for me, nothing was better than when Game On Dude won the Santa Anita Handicap in 2014 to become the first horse to win that storied race three times.

Game On Dude was clearly in the twilight of his career at that point. He was 7 and had lost three straight races, beginning with a crushing loss in the 2013 Breeders' Cup Classic that cost him titles as champion older horse and Horse of the Year, awards for which he was the front-runner entering that day.

Going back to the 2012 Californian, Game On Dude had been favored in 14 straight races and was odds-on in seven of those races. But having lost three straight, and with Mucho Macho Man and Will Take Charge – the one-two finishers from the previous fall's Breeders' Cup Classic – in the Big Cap, Game On Dude was the distant third choice at 7-2.

But the old boy reached back for one last hurrah. He used his wicked speed, the kind he could carry a distance, to run his rivals off their feet – six furlongs in 1:09.39, a mile in 1:32.57. And he kept on going. It might have been his finest race.

– JAY PRIVMAN

**Michael says:** A few days after Bob Baffert decided to send Game On Dude to Old Friends, we received a wonderful card from Jill. “He is going to steal your heart,” it read. He has ... in spades. And he came to us in exceptional condition. He is the kindest, warmest, friendliest Thoroughbred who's ever called Old Friends home.

**PEDIGREE:** 2007, dk. b. or br., g., by Awesome Again—Worldly Pleasure, by Devil His Due

**EARNED:** \$6,498,893

**STAKES WON:** Santa Anita H. (G1) three times, Pacific Classic S. (G1), Hollywood Gold Cup H. (G1) twice, Awesome Again S. (G1), Goodwood S. (G1), Charles Town Classic S. (G2), Californian S. (G2), San Antonio S. (G2) twice, Native Diver S. (G3), Lone Star Derby (G3)

**MILESTONE:** Only 3-time winner of the Big Cap

**THREE WORDS:** Sweeter – Than – Candy

**OLD FRIENDS ENTRY DATE:** 2014

## HORSE TALK

### JILL BAFFERT, WIFE OF TRAINER BOB BAFFERT

Game On Dude brought so much joy to our lives, not only with his dazzling performances on the track, but he is one of the kindest, most loving, and noble horses I've ever been around. Although I knew it was time for him to move on to the next chapter of his life, I wasn't ready to let him go. None of us were. There were many wonderful options to consider in deciding where Dude would live out his retirement, but ultimately we knew he would be happiest surrounded by many people who would give him the same love and attention he had come to know. We are grateful to Old Friends – to the volunteers who selflessly give their time and energy, to the fans who come by the busload to honor their heroes, and to everyone who makes it possible for these beautiful animals to live their lives with dignity and respect.



# I'll Have Another



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Legendary trainer “Sunny” Jim Fitzsimmons once said, “It’s what you can’t see that matters most.”

Of course, he was right. In 2012, a colt of underwhelming physical presence and pedigree (a former \$11,000 yearling) proved emphatically that great heart and profound courage can bubble to the surface when least expected. I’ll Have Another would become the stuff of dreams and find himself on the precipice of equine immortality that spring, though Kentucky Derby bettors thought otherwise and dismissed the Reddam Racing Stable colt at 15-1 odds.

Trained by Doug O’Neill, ridden by Derby neophyte Mario Gutierrez, and in front of a record crowd of 165,307, the son of Flower Alley disposed of one of the finest fields ever to line up for the Louisville classic – half of which were, or would soon become, Grade 1 winners. In so doing, he also became the first in Derby history to win from the 19 post.

I’ll Have Another followed up with a tenacious Preakness score and looked good for a Triple Crown sweep before a tendon flared up at the worst possible time and he had to be scratched from the Belmont the day before the race. Since it would require weeks, maybe months of recovery, owner Paul Reddam decided to call it a career for his gifted colt.

With five victories in seven starts, earnings of \$2.7 million, and a championship in hand, I’ll Have Another was sold to Japanese interests for \$10 million as a stallion prospect. But after six disappointing seasons at stud, the double classic winner was repatriated to his homeland, where success continued to elude him.

Reddam, who had reacquired the now-aging stallion, donated him in March of 2024 to Old Friends, where I’ll Have Another now spends his days grazing lush pasture, greeting passers-by, and happily accepting treats from fans – enjoying life as a champion should.

– MARY SIMON

**Michael says:** We are so grateful to Mr. Reddam and to Doug for trusting us to give their Derby and Preakness winner a safe, healthy, and fun retirement. We’re planning to put I’ll Have Another in the paddock adjacent to Lava Man’s. How cool is that?

**PEDIGREE:** 2009, b., h., by Flower Alley— Arch’s Gal Edith, by Arch

**EARNED:** \$2,693,600

**STAKES WON:** Kentucky Derby (G1), Preakness S. (G1), Santa Anita Derby (G1), Robert B. Lewis S. (G2)

**MILESTONE:** Champion 3-year-old male

**THREE WORDS:** Ambassador – Longshot – Professional

**OLD FRIENDS ENTRY DATE:** 2024

## HORSE TALK

### PAUL REDDAM, OWNER

It is fantastic that he will have a permanent home at Old Friends, where everyone can visit him. There was a lot of concern when he went to Japan for stud duty, and that is permanently put to rest with his return to Kentucky.

### DOUG O’NEILL, TRAINER

I’ll Have Another is an amazing horse – very blue collar, workmanlike. He was so naturally competitive. He meant and still means so much to us around the barn. He took us on the ride of a lifetime winning the Santa Anita Derby, Kentucky Derby, and the Preakness. We’re so grateful for his brilliance and being able to work alongside him during his amazing career.

# Lava Man



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

A lot can and has been said about Lava Man – a book could be written about his accomplishments in racing – so providing a summary of his career in a few words is difficult. But here's some things to know about Lava Man: He won more money after being claimed than any horse in racing history; he is the fourth-leading California-bred money earner of all time (behind California Chrome, Tiznow, and Best Pal); he won more Grade 1 races (seven) than any Cal-bred in history; he's one of only two horses to ever win all three premier Grade 1 races for older horses at the three major tracks in California in the same year – Old Friends resident Game On Dude is the other – and he equaled Native Diver's feat of winning the Hollywood Gold Cup (G1) three years in a row.

Did we mention he was beloved by racing fans? Fans love a horse who rose from the claiming ranks to the top echelons of the sport, but even more they love a horse who races a long time, tries his best every time out, and pays off at the window. That was Lava Man.

None of that would have happened if his owners, STD Stable and Jason Wood, had not asked trainer Doug O'Neill to claim the son of Slew City Slew for \$50,000 for them midway through his 3-year-old season, in his 13th start. After being claimed, Lava Man was one of the best in the game for years, winning 14 of 34 starts, with 13 stakes wins, nine of them graded, and earning \$5,170,103.

– MARK SIMON

**Michael says:** When we were contacted in 2008 about retiring Lava Man to Old Friends, I was so excited. But plans changed, and Lava Man went on to become the greatest stable pony in the history of the world. Lava Man is a horse that represents why people love horse racing. He raced every race; he fought every fight. Everything he's ever done has been spectacular, even as a pony. People would come to Doug's barn all the time to see him. He's a superstar. To have two Hall of Famers at Old Friends in Silver Charm and Lava Man is really a testament to everybody who works for us, and I'm thrilled to welcome him. It was a long wait, but worth every minute!

**PEDIGREE:** 2001, b., g., by Slew City Slew—  
Li'l Ms. Leonard, by Nostalgia's Star

**EARNED:** \$5,268,706

**STAKES WON:** Santa Anita H. (G1) twice, Hollywood Gold Cup H. (G1) three times, Pacific Classic S. (G1), Charles Whittingham Memorial H. (G1), Californian S. (G2), Goodwood Breeders' Cup H. (G2), Sunshine Millions Classic S., Sunshine Millions Turf S., Khaled S., Derby Trial S.

**MILESTONES:** Set track record for 1 1/4 miles at Hollywood Park; set turf course record for 1 1/8 miles at Hollywood Park

**THREE WORDS:** Brilliant – Kind – Classy

**OLD FRIENDS ENTRY DATE:** 2022

## HORSE TALK

### DOUG O'NEILL

It was with great excitement and sadness that we announced Lava Man would make his final coaching duties chaperoning Hot Rod Charlie to the gate in the 2022 Breeders' Cup Classic. With tons of life left in his spirit, body, and mind we look forward to seeing lots of other people being able to meet and experience his greatness and uniqueness at Old Friends. We would like to give a special thank you to these special and important people in Lava Man's life: His longtime owners Dave and Steve Kenly (and) Jason Wood, Noe Garcia (his longtime groom), Antonio Romero (his longtime exercise rider), Sabas Rivera (his two-legged brother), Jimmy Jimenez (longtime shoer), and our right-hand man, Leandro Mora. We would like to also thank Corey Nakatani and Patrick Valenzuela, who piloted him to several Grade 1 victories; and Hollywood Park, Santa Anita, and Del Mar racetracks and management who supported Lava Man during his racing career. We would like to thank the National Racing Hall of Fame for his induction in his first year of eligibility in 2015. At Team O'Neill, we are extremely grateful for the 18 years we had to race and work alongside Lava Man. He can never be replaced, and we will never look to replace him. Farewell, Lava Man. We love you.



# Little Mike



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Little Mike is the boss. Just ask Game On Dude.

Dude and Mike are paddock mates, a great pairing for visitors, who get the opportunity see the collective earners of more than \$10 million and 21 graded stakes wins.

Dude outearned Mike almost 2 to 1, but apparently Mike never got the memo, because he rules the paddock. If you try to give Dude a carrot, Mike is there trying to prevent any such act of kindness. They're for him.

This feeling of privilege was earned by Mike on the track, where he was beloved and doted on by his owner-breeder-trainer, Carlo Vaccarezza. He outran his pedigree by miles. His sire, the unraced and obscure Spanish Steps, sired just five stakes winners in the United States from more than 300 foals, and has since been shipped off to stand in Saudi Arabia. But Little Mike is the stuff owners and breeders dream about – hitting it big, especially with a modestly bred homebred. Little Mike did that. The gelding took his owner on a joyous ride across the country to numerous top races, culminating in a victory in the Breeders' Cup Turf at Santa Anita that almost earned him a championship turf title.

Little Mike earned a good retirement, and has that at Old Friends, romping around a paddock with another multimillionaire. And the competitive Little Mike is always trying to show Dude he's still got it.

– MARK SIMON

**Michael says:** I thought I was Little Mike. I guess now I'm Littler Mike. Who wouldn't fall in love with this gorgeous athlete who outran his pedigree and everything else that anyone threw at him? I still remember his win in the Breeders' Cup, when he was sent off at long odds and with very little respect. He also didn't get much respect from the Eclipse Award voters. I think he's the only horse to win the Breeders' Cup Turf, Arlington Million, and Woodford Reserve Turf Classic in the same year and not win the Eclipse. But he gets all the respect he'll ever need at Old Friends.

**PEDIGREE:** 2007, b., g., by Spanish Steps—Hay Jude, by Wavering Monarch

**EARNED:** \$3,543,392

**STAKES WON:** Breeders' Cup Turf S. (G1), Arlington Million S. (G1), Joe Hirsch Turf Classic S. (G1), Woodford Reserve Turf Classic S. (G1), Canadian Turf S. (G3), Appleton S. (G3), Fort Lauderdale S. (G3), Florida Sunshine Millions Turf S., Flying Pidgeon S.

**THREE WORDS:** Tough – Handsome – Gritty

**OLD FRIENDS ENTRY DATE:** 2016

## HORSE TALK

### CARLO VACCAREZZA, OWNER

One of the toughest days of my life was when my two boys, Nick and Mike, loaded you for your voyage to Old Friends for your well-deserved retirement. I decided to travel to Old Friends and wait for you upon your arrival and unload you from the van for the last time. This is the least I can do after all you have done for me and my family. Little Mike, you are a dream of a lifetime in a lifetime of dreams. So many things I can say about you. You are brave. You never quit. You always give 1,000 percent. You compete at the highest level and even in defeat you never give up. But, the most fitting words that I can say are, "I love you," and you will always be "my champ."

### RAMON DOMINGUEZ, JOCKEY

It was an honor to have been given the opportunity to ride a horse like Little Mike. He was a unique, gentle horse who gave me many satisfactions, and one who ran a top race every time, even against the odds, as he did when he won the 2012 Breeders' Cup Turf showing a different running style at a distance that was believed to be beyond his reach. He is the horse we all dream of coming in contact with.

# Red Knight



LAURA BATTLES

Tom Egan's Trinity Farm campaigned a single-horse stable in 2023 – but what a horse it was. Red Knight was one of those four-legged miracles rugged enough to race seven seasons, classy enough to compete in mostly graded company, talented enough to smash two course records, and amazing enough to emerge at age 9 in the best form of his career.

Trinity's New York homebred is a tall and leggy guy, not a beauty – but don't tell him that. As Egan has said: "He doesn't suffer fools lightly." More importantly, Red Knight loved to run, and he did that very well, first for trainer Bill Mott and later for Mike Maker. Both knew just what to do with the long-striding gelding; they kept him on grass.

Red Knight was a marathoner, the longer the race the better. He won seven stakes, but his finest moment came in 2023 in the 11-furlong, Grade 1 Man o' War Stakes, in which he blazed from last to first – in so doing, becoming only the third 9-year-old to win a Grade 1 event in New York, following John Henry and John's Call.

At season's end, Egan made the call to retire the horse he called "a gift from above" while still sound. Three weeks after his final start, Red Knight arrived at Old Friends on Nov. 7, 2023, to begin the next chapter of his life.

– MARY SIMON

**Michael says:** I know, for some in racing, winning the Kentucky Derby or the Breeders' Cup Classic is the ultimate. We've all seen ecstatic owners jumping for joy in the winner's circle on the first Saturday in May. And they should. But, for me, the thrill is different. And it happens every day. In October 2023, I watched Red Knight and Channel Maker, two veteran campaigners who could run all day on the grass, finish up the track in the Sycamore Stakes at Keeneland. I had followed their careers for years, marveling at their determination and durability. In fact, I ran into Tom Egan, Red Knight's owner, earlier last summer in Saratoga and let him know, while I was in no hurry, that we'd love to retire his handsome, 9-year-old star at Old Friends when the time came. Just after dawn, on the last day of November, I sat in my golf cart watching these two extraordinary athletes sharing a bale of alfalfa/timothy mix. Like Redford and Newman sharing a Bud, they looked as if they didn't have a care in the world. And neither did I.

**PEDIGREE:** 2014, ch. g., by Pure Prize—Isabel Away, by Skip Away

**EARNED:** \$1,886,338

**STAKES WON:** Man o' War S. (G1), Kentucky Turf Cup S. (G2), Sycamore S. (G3), William L. McKnight S. (G3), Colonial Cup S., H. Allen Jerkens S., Point of Entry S.

**THREE WORDS:** Gallant – Courageous – Loyal

**OLD FRIENDS ENTRY DATE:** 2023

## HORSE TALK

### TOM EGAN, OWNER

Call me Red Knight. I was bred on a \$5,000 stud fee. My breeders became my best friends. I attribute my long and successful racing career to my constant companion and best friend, Tom Egan. Training was fun but racing was what I was born to do. The pageantry of the paddock, the nervousness of my friends, the excitement of the race, and the winner's circle celebration was a delight. As I kept winning, my opponents became bigger, better, and faster, but few could compete with me. My owners, dear friends, and I drew great satisfaction from defeating horses owned by the very wealthy or those from the esteemed racing stables. You see life and racing is for those with hope, spirit, determination, and heart. As I aged, I could sense the nerves and worry of my best friends Tom, Liam, and Laura as I raced. Upon winning the Grade 1 Man o' War, my friend made the difficult decision to soon retire me. Old Friends was chosen as my forever home. Michael Blowen started this farm and he comes to see me and my paddock friend every day. My purpose now is to bring joy to all who visit. My favorite treats are sweet potatoes cut in circular slices – and please don't forget the peppermints!



# Silver Charm



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bob Baffert has won the Kentucky Derby six times and, owing to American Pharoah and Justify, even has two Triple Crown winners on his résumé. But it was Silver Charm who first got him to the winner's circle on the first Saturday in May, and that victory came one year after a brutal loss, one that left Baffert wondering if he'd ever get a better chance on Derby Day.

Cavonnier, Baffert's first starter in the Kentucky Derby, was beaten in the 1996 Derby in the very last jump by Grindstone. A year later, Silver Charm was in a dogfight with Captain Bodgit.

"Please don't do it. Lord, please don't do it to me again," Baffert said he pleaded as the horses neared the wire.

When the horses hit the finish, Baffert collapsed into the arms of Bob Lewis, who owned Silver Charm with his wife, Beverly.

"I didn't think I'd feel like that," Baffert said. "It was an unbelievable experience. My stomach hurt so much when they hit the wire, I couldn't move."

That tenacity was Silver Charm's calling card. Of his 12 wins, six – including a dead heat – were by a head or less. Silver Charm was the first horse with whom Baffert won the Dubai World Cup and was the first Kentucky Derby winner to also win that rich race.

– JAY PRIVMAN

**Michael says:** On August 7, 1982, in the middle of a dark and stormy Saratoga afternoon, with trees down and the water on the track seemingly deeper than the infield pond, I placed the first \$50 wager of my life on a beautiful gray horse in the Whitney Stakes, Silver Buck. Owned by C.V. Whitney and trained by Elliot Burch, it seemed only right that, even at odds-on, he would win. He did. A few years later, in March of 1986, the filly Bonnie's Poker won three races in 10 days for Oscar Barrera. Eighteen years later, after a contentious legal battle, Bonnie was retired to Old Friends by her owner, Kris Jakeman. Bonnie was tough as nails and very smart.

**PEDIGREE:** 1994, gr. or ro., h., by Silver Buck—Bonnie's Poker, by Poker

**EARNED:** \$6,944,369

**STAKES WON:** Del Mar Futurity (G2), Kentucky Derby (G1), Preakness S. (G1), San Vicente S. (G3), Dubai World Cup (UAE-G1), Strub S. (G2), Kentucky Cup Classic H. (G3), Goodwood Breeders' Cup H. (G2), Clark H. (G2), San Fernando Breeders Cup S. (G2), San Pasqual H. (G2)

**MILESTONES:** Inducted into Racing Hall of Fame in 2007, Eclipse Award champion 3-year-old male

**THREE WORDS:** Globetrotting – Iconic – Superstar

**OLD FRIENDS ENTRY DATE:** 2014

## HORSE TALK

### MICHAEL BLOWEN

As a handicapper, I knew of Bob Baffert long before I heard of Silver Charm. I bet Bob's Cavonnier in the 1996 Derby when he lost that heart-breaking photo to Grindstone. However, it wasn't until the next year when he was walking Silver Charm over for the Derby and I was trying to lead one of trainer Carlos Figueroa's claimers over from Barn 7 at Suffolk Downs so I could watch the Derby on one of the dusty TVs, that he really made an impression. I bet Silver Charm and watched him fight off Captain Bodgit and Free House while waiting for Carlos's horse to finish seventh in an eight-horse field. While Bob celebrated, I was on my way back to Barn 7. Little did I dream that, nearly a quarter-century later, Bob would be a great friend and Silver Charm would be grazing outside my back window.

# Stormy Liberal



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Stormy Liberal is the type of success story that horse racing thrives on. The one-time \$100,000 auction juvenile showed only modest promise early in his career and by the fall of his 4-year-old season had been dropped into \$40,000 claiming company. At that price, the Stormy Atlantic gelding was snapped up by trainer Peter Miller for Rockingham Ranch and David Bernsen. In Miller's hands, he developed into a star sprinter on grass, racing through age 7, capturing two editions of the \$1 million Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint, and earning the title of champion turf male of 2018. On the track, the handsome milk chocolate bay was pure speedball, winning 12 races from five to 6 1/2 furlongs and always on grass, en route to career earnings of more than \$2.2 million. He also went abroad to finish in the money twice in the rich Al Quoz Sprint (UAE-G1) in Dubai.

When a late 2019 exam revealed lesions in both fore ankles, the decision was wisely made to retire Stormy Liberal to Old Friends, where he arrived in mid-February 2020 – unfortunately, just as the coronavirus pandemic was exploding. Now that the farm is past those restrictions, his many fans have been able to come out to Old Friends to see Stormy Liberal.

– MARY SIMON

**Michael says:** We're so thrilled to have Stormy Liberal join Old Friends, We're grateful to everyone connected with this great athlete, especially David. They did everything to assure that he would have a dignified retirement.

**PEDIGREE:** 2012, b., g., by Stormy Atlantic—Vassar, by Royal Academy

**EARNED:** \$2,212,580

**STAKES WON:** Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint (G1) twice, Daytona S. (G3), Eddie D S. (G3), Green Flash H., Joe Hernandez S., Siren Lure S., Clocker's Corner S.

**MILESTONE:** Champion turf male

**OLD FRIENDS ENTRY DATE:** 2020

## HORSE TALK

### DAVID BERNSEN, OWNER

Stormy Liberal was a once-in-a-life-time horse. He literally took us around the world, from Hong Kong to Dubai, and no matter where he lined up to run, he outran his odds, which was a testament of his will to win. I am acutely aware that the industry is under fire on a lot of fronts, specifically the safety and well-being of our athletes. I have been fortunate enough to spend a lot of time and resources understanding some of the core factors, and, in my opinion, the predominant cause is not identifying pre-existing conditions. I would urge other owners, especially those who have been able to enjoy success at the highest level, to take a more active role in finding and supporting a solution. Gary Hartunian of Rockingham Ranch and I are immensely grateful to have been able to race such a magnificent horse, and we hope his retirement to Old Friends will benefit all retired horses.



# The Pizza Man



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

The Pizza Man is a real home state hero. The son of English Channel was bred in Illinois, won the state's richest race – the Grade 1 Arlington Million – and retired as the all-time leading money earner bred in the Prairie State, with \$2,158,941. He is the only Illinois-bred ever to win the Arlington Million.

Bred by Midwest Thoroughbreds, the operation of Richard and Karen Papiese of Chicago, The Pizza Man is a homegrown product, the Papieses having claimed his dam, I Can Fan Fan, for \$18,000 in 2005. He got his name because the Papieses thought the blaze on his forehead looked like a slice of pizza. Though from Chicago, they did not specify if they thought it looked like deep dish or thin crust.

Trained by the late Roger Brueggemann, The Pizza Man raced for seven years, winning 17 of 36 starts. His victories included Arlington's Grade 3 Stars and Stripes Stakes twice and the Grade 2 Hollywood Turf Cup. He even ventured to Canada to win the Grade 1 Northern Dancer Turf Stakes. In 2015, for his 6-year-old season, he was named Illinois-bred Horse of the Year.

The Pizza Man was retired on September 16, 2017, in a ceremony at Arlington Park, and later worked as a stable pony for Brueggemann's barn.

He came to Old Friends in August 2020 along with 2014 sprint champion Work All Week, another Papiese Illinois homebred trained by Brueggemann.

– MARK SIMON

**Michael says:** The Pizza Man and Work All Week arrived together and we are absolutely thrilled. I wish everyone could see their absolute joy as they celebrate in their paddock. Thanks to Midwest Thoroughbreds for trusting us and their fans for all their support.

**PEDIGREE:** 2009, b., g., by English Channel—I Can Fan Fan, by Lear Fan

**EARNED:** \$2,158,941

**STAKES WON:** Arlington Million S. (G1), Northern Dancer Turf S. (G1), Hollywood Turf Cup S. (G2), Stars and Stripes S. (G3) twice, American St. Leger S., Buck's Boy H., Robert Carey Memorial H., Opening Verse S., Black Tie Affair H., Illinois Owners S., Tex's Zing H.

**THREE WORDS:** Delivered – Every – Time

**OLD FRIENDS ENTRY DATE:** 2020

## HORSE TALK

### MICHAEL BLOWEN

The Pizza Man received his unique moniker from owner Richard Papiese, who believed that the bay son of English Channel displayed a blaze on his forehead that looked like a slice of pizza. I don't see it. It's kind of like seeing a religious effigy in a slice of dry toast with extra cheese. In any case, little of that matters now. The Pizza Man retired as one of the greatest Thoroughbreds ever produced in Illinois, and, as a retiree, he still displays that Fightin' Illini spirit. And he certainly is one of the best athletes that state has produced in the past decade. Trained by the late Roger Brueggemann, The Pizza Man didn't hit his stride until his 5-year-old campaign. That year, I was invited by trainer Dee Poulos and racetrack guru Richard Duchossois to hand out the trophy for the Black Tie Affair Stakes at Arlington Park. He dominated the Black Tie Affair and won wire to wire. And I got to present him the trophy. Now, thanks to Richard and Karen Papiese, we've been reunited at Old Friends. I'm sure he doesn't remember me, but I sure remember him. He's so good looking and dignified I'm thinking of renaming him The Pavlova Man. But that wouldn't fit. I'll take The Pizza Man with all fixins.

# Touch Gold



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

For over 20 years I have been awaiting the chance to repay the favor to Touch Gold for bailing me out, and those that happened to trust my opinion back on a famous afternoon of racing.

Push the rewind button to June 1997, when Silver Charm was seeking to become a Triple Crown winner in the Belmont Stakes after winning the Kentucky Derby and Preakness. And though I respected Silver Charm, I was thrilled about the prospect of betting against him at a short price – with Illinois Derby winner Wild Rush.

I told friends in the *Daily Racing Form* office that year: Wild Rush – bet him. Well, Wild Rush gave me a Belmont rush for only a mile or so, then began his retreat. And that's when his entymate Touch Gold saved the day, rallying wide under Chris McCarron to catch Silver Charm in the closing strides. Thanks to Touch Gold being coupled in the wagering with Wild Rush, I was wrong and still got to collect a \$7.30 mutuel, leaving me that day much luckier than smart.

With the benefit of hindsight, Wild Rush had nothing on Touch Gold as a 3-year-old. For that matter, it could be argued that not even Silver Charm and Free House – other top 3-year-olds of that year – were of his quality for at least a few months that summer, when Touch Gold also won the Haskell, and prior to the Belmont was an unlucky fourth in the Preakness after stumbling to his face at the start and injuring a hoof.

He is a splendid addition to Old Friends, and I'm sure many, like me, will forever remember his 1997 Belmont victory, whether they bet him (or his stablemate) or not.

– BYRON KING

**Michael says:** Reuniting Touch Gold with Silver Charm at Old Friends is a Celtics-Lakers, Ali-Frazier, Yankees-Red Sox, Packers-Bears moment. One of the great rivalries in all of sports, Silver Charm prevailed in the 1997 Kentucky Derby and Preakness but lost in the Belmont, when that crafty Chris McCarron aboard Touch Gold snuck up from behind when Silver Charm wasn't looking. Okay, I'm biased.

**PEDIGREE:** 1994, b. h., by Deputy Minister—Passing Mood, by Buckpasser

**EARNED:** \$1,679,907

**STAKES WON:** Belmont S. (G1), Haskell Invitational (G1), Lexington (G2)

**MILESTONE:** Thwarted the Triple Crown bid of fellow Old Friends resident Silver Charm

**THREE WORDS:** Brilliant – Tough – Intelligent

**OLD FRIENDS ENTRY DATE:** 2015

## HORSE TALK

### LISA Q. WOOD, TOUR GUIDE

I call Touch Gold our hunk-a-hunk-a horse. He is an admirable combination of power, muscle, intelligence, and intensity. He exudes strength and confidence and commands respect. In his younger days a formidable opponent on the racetrack, today he is still every bit a proud, territorial stallion. On tours, Touch Gold teaches me patience. I approach his paddock calling his name. Always in the opposite corner of his paddock from me, he begins with a look over his shoulder. The stopwatch starts ... the game is on. Every movement is a precisely choreographed practiced strategy. He starts with a slow turn in my direction, and proceeds with a graceful, cat-like walk, every step measured. At the halfway point in his paddock, he breaks into a full run. Touch Gold defines "horsepower" – all cylinders firing. Suddenly he is right in front of me with a precision-timed stop – a proud arrival at the finish line, awaiting carrots. Visitors are thrilled! I quickly glance upward in thanks, and breathe a sigh of relief. Another victory for Touch Gold ... a little more patience for me, plenty of appreciation for him!



# PROFILES

## Areyoutalkintome



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** Feb. 3, 2001

**Sire:** Smokester

**Dam:** Andrea Gail

**Old Friends entry date:** 2014

**Earnings:** \$985,417

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won El Conejo H. (G3), California Cup Sprint H., Real Good Deal S., Pirate's Bounty H.

**HORSE TALK:** A son of Smokester out of the Storm Bird mare Andrea Gail, Areyoutalkintome is a graded stakes winner, having captured the Grade 3 El Conejo Handicap at Santa Anita in 2005. As tenacious as he is good looking, he started 52 times in six seasons for earnings of more than \$980,000.

## Awesome Gem



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Chestnut gelding

**Birth date:** February 6, 2003

**Sire:** Awesome Again

**Dam:** Piano

**Old Friends entry date:** 2017

**Earnings:** \$2,881,370

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Hollywood Gold Cup H. (G1), Hawthorne Gold Cup H. (G2), San Fernando Breeders' Cup S. (G2), Lone Star Park H. (G3), Longacres Mile H. (G3), Berkeley H. (G3)

**HORSE TALK:** Awesome Gem is perhaps the most appropriately named horse at Old Friends. He's awesome and a gem. Good looking. Congenial. Cooperative. Friendly. And what a campaigner! Four Breeders' Cup appearances. As trainer Craig Dollase told The Blood-Horse, "This horse can run over anything — synthetic, grass, mud, you name it. He's like fine wine. He's just getting better with age." That's still the case.

## Arson Squad



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** April 2, 2003

**Sire:** Brahms

**Dam:** Majestic Fire

**Old Friends entry date:** 2012

**Earnings:** \$1,190,181

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Swaps Breeders' Cup S. (G2), Meadowlands Cup H. (G2), Strub S. (G2), Alysheba S. (G3), Skip Away S. (G3), San Pedro S., Mighty Forum S.

**HORSE TALK:** Arson Squad's career ended prematurely when he was injured in a training accident on New Year's Eve 2011 at Gulfstream Park. Owner Samantha Siegel sent him to Dr. Larry Bramlage at Rood and Riddle Equine Hospital, where the 9-year-old gelding successfully survived extensive surgery. We were thrilled when, with Samantha's wholehearted enthusiasm, a recovering Arson Squad arrived at the farm about a month later.

## Bellamy Road



LAURA BATTLES

Dark bay or brown horse

**Birth date:** April 5, 2002

**Sire:** Concerto

**Dam:** Hurry Home Hillary

**Old Friends entry date:** 2021

**Earnings:** \$811,400

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Wood Memorial S. (G1), Cradle S. (G3)

**HORSE TALK:** Bellamy Road is full of himself. Even in his 20s, he is still a rugged, handsome stallion, and he knows it. Bellamy was a potential racing superstar in 2005 after winning the Grade 1 Wood Memorial Stakes by an amazing 17 1/2 lengths. Bellamy's paddock is his domain and stage. He can be demanding. Approach his fence and be prepared to worship, respect, and offer him plentiful carrot treats. He can be very "grabby" with those carrots. Soon after you will be dismissed, expected to admire him from afar. Superstar, indeed. — *Lisa Wood, tour guide*

# PROFILES

## Bent on Bourbon

Dark bay or brown gelding  
**Birth date:** April 2, 2012  
**Sire:** Arch  
**Dam:** Little Luxury  
**Old Friends entry date:** 2017  
**Earnings:** \$235,960



LAURA BATTLES

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Iowa Derby (G3)

**HORSE TALK:** Owner-breeder Bourbon Lane Stables includes “bourbon” in the name of all its yearlings. Their affiliated distiller, Pinhook Bourbon, then releases a new vintage annually named for one of those promising racehorses. Bent on Bourbon – the horse – did not disappoint. Bent on Bourbon became a graded stakes winner when he won the Grade 3 Iowa Derby in 2015.

## Better



OLD FRIENDS FARM

Bay gelding  
**Birth date:** March 15, 2017  
**Sire:** Chitu  
**Dam:** Rockin On  
**Old Friends entry date:** 2020  
**Earnings:** \$0

**HORSE TALK:** Better was highly regarded as a 2-year-old racing prospect by a promising new sire, but he suffered an injury and never raced. Retired by board member Susan Chu, Better now spends his days hanging out with his buddies in paddock 73.

## Big Blue Nation

Bay gelding  
**Birth date:** March 7, 2009  
**Sire:** Bluegrass Cat  
**Dam:** Lilah  
**Old Friends entry date:** 2018  
**Earnings:** \$240,068



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

**HORSE TALK:** In his racing days, Big Blue Nation was the definition of a war horse, making 65 starts. When his racing days were over, he had wonderful friends looking out for him who ensured his safe retirement. Originally, I had plans for BBN to have a second career as a show horse, but unfortunately previous racing injuries prevented that from happening. Thankfully, Old Friends welcomed him with open arms. What BBN lacks in size he makes up for with his personality. He is as sweet as can be, but has just enough sass to keep things interesting. — *Kaitlyn Cawley, owner*

## Bobby Sands



LAURA BATTLES

Bay gelding  
**Birth date:** March 13, 2005  
**Sire:** Gulch  
**Dam:** August Storm  
**Old Friends entry date:** 2013  
**Earnings:** \$300,319

**HORSE TALK:** This son of the great Gulch (an Old Friends resident from 2009-2016) was a hard-knocking claimer for most of his 75 starts over his seven racing seasons. He earned 12 wins and put more than \$300,000 in the bank by traversing the nation and racing at 14 different tracks.



## Bold and Bossy



LAURA BATTLES

Bay mare

**Birth date:** May 6, 2019

**Sire:** Strong Mandate

**Dam:** Happybirthdaybaby

**Old Friends entry date:** 2023

**Earnings:** \$21,784

**HORSE TALK:** In the world of horse racing, there are champions that etch their names in history by what they accomplished on the track. Bold and Bossy is legendary for what she did off the track: Escaping from Ellis Park in 2021 and going on a journey on highways surrounding the track. Bossy's story of her escape down the highway was all over the Internet and local news. She even attracted the attention of the national news and was covered on various TV news and sports programs. Bossy's recovery was long, but her bold and bossy personality attributed to her perseverance. Thanks so much to Old Friends for providing her with a soft landing. Her indomitable spirit and friendly but quirky personality, along with her story of survival, makes her a fan favorite! — *Michael Ann Ewing, owner*

## Bordonaro



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Chestnut gelding

**Birth date:** April 24, 2001

**Sire:** Memo

**Dam:** Miss Excitement

**Old Friends entry date:** 2021

**Earnings:** \$938,128

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Ancient Title Breeders' Cup S. (G1), Count Fleet Sprint H. (G3) twice, Vernon O. Underwood S. (G3), Sunshine Millions Padua Stable Sprint S.

**HORSE TALK:** Bordonaro comes to Old Friends through the United Pegasus Foundation in Tehachapi, Calif., and our friend William Spaw, who trained Bordonaro during his racing career. The gelding won the 2006 Grade 1 Ancient Breeders' Cup Stakes at Oak Tree and is a two-time winner of the Grade 3 Count Fleet Sprint Handicap (2006 and 2007) at Oaklawn Park. He retired with 10 wins in 20 starts and earnings of \$938,128.

## Bourbonize



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** March 28, 2011

**Sire:** Tiz Wonderful

**Dam:** Brown Eyes

**Old Friends entry date:** 2018

**Earnings:** \$219,423

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Northern Spur S.

**HORSE TALK:** Bourbonize is a stakes-winning son of Tiz Wonderful, but he spent the latter part of his career careening through the claiming ranks for different connections before earning his retirement at Old Friends.

## Brandothbartender



LAURA BATTLES

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** May 4, 2013

**Sire:** Tribal Rule

**Dam:** Frysland

**Old Friends entry date:** 2022

**Earnings:** \$772,864

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won California Dreamin' S., Crystal Water S., Sensational Star S., California Flag H.

**HORSE TALK:** Brandothbartender had a closing style which endeared him to fans. He was honest as the day is long and always came running late no matter the distance or the surface. While he was always a very consistent horse, he saved his greatest achievements for his final year of competition at age 8. His win in the California Dreamin' Stakes was particularly special as it came at our home track, Del Mar. The celebration in the winner's circle is one we will never forget. We feel blessed to have been taken on the ride of a lifetime. We are thrilled he can enjoy his retirement at Old Friends, and that horse racing fans can appreciate this incredibly special athlete. — *Jerry Weseloh, co-owner*

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## Brother Chub



OLD FRIENDS FARM

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** March 15, 2012

**Sire:** Hey Chub

**Dam:** Sassy Broad

**Old Friends entry date:** 2022

**Earnings:** \$674,611

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won John J. Reilly H., Claiming Crown Express S.

**HORSE TALK:** When we claimed Brother Chub in 2017 for \$12,500, he came out of the race with a broken pelvis. After five months of rest and rehab, he was able to get back to the races. For the next five years, he made 40 starts for us, winning 14 times and finishing second 13 times, including a stretch of 24 starts during which he was first 11 times and second 11 times. He earned \$566,990 for us. As a racehorse, he was sound, competitive, bright, and was always a pleasure to be around. Brother Chub was the happiest, gamest, most loving horse that we have ever had. — *Bob and Sue Krangel, owners*

## Cappucino Kid



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** Feb. 22, 1998

**Sire:** Pioneering

**Dam:** Cappucino Bay

**Old Friends entry date:** 2008

**Earnings:** \$248,951

**HORSE TALK:** Cappucino Kid made most of his racing starts in California, but finished his career at Grant's Pass in Oregon. Cappy is just a grumpy old man. He is buddies with Nana's Hope and Easy Grades, and they share treats, for the most part. He does like to remind visitors that his baby brother is multiple Grade 1 winner and superstar sire Medaglia d'Oro. — *Laura Battles, Old Friends photographer and tour guide*

## Cherono



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** May 5, 2002

**Sire:** Grand Slam

**Dam:** Smooth and Classy

**Old Friends entry date:** 2009

**Earnings:** \$4,040

**HORSE TALK:** At the 2003 Keeneland September yearling sale, Cherono cost Jerry Moss \$410,000. But Cherono's career had scarcely begun when he sustained a fracture that ended all hope he'd race again. Financially, he was a complete liability. But Moss saw beyond the investment in the horse. Cherono underwent the necessary surgery and was given the proper care to give him back his life, which enabled his retirement to Old Friends. Handsome, friendly Cherono now reigns as the capable leader of the rambunctious herd in Paddock 30. — *Beth Shannon, Old Friends staff*

## Chitu



LAURA BATTLES

Chestnut gelding

**Birth date:** March 18, 2011

**Sire:** Henry Hughes

**Dam:** Sea Gift

**Old Friends entry date:** 2024

**Earnings:** \$597,800

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Sunland Derby (G3), Damascus S.

**HORSE TALK:** Chitu is by Henry Hughes out of the champion-producing A.P. Indy mare Sea Gift. He raced from 2013 to 2014 while trained by Bob Baffert. Chitu means a great deal to the Chu family, being their runner in the 2014 Kentucky Derby, where he finished ninth. His wins included the 2014 Sunland Park Derby (G3) and the 2014 Damascus Stakes at Santa Anita. After his racing career, he stood at stud in Florida and sired more than 160 foals. — *Ed Nevins, Baoma Corp.*



## Chocolate Ride



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** May 6, 2010

**Sire:** Candy Ride

**Dam:** Heatherdoesntbluff

**Old Friends entry date:** 2020

**Earnings:** \$729,638

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Mervin H. Muniz Jr. H. (G2), Fair Grounds H. (G3) twice, Colonel E. R. Bradley H. (G3)

**HORSE TALK:** In the last start of his career, Chocolate Ride finished second in a low-level claiming race at Penn National, from which he was claimed by everyone involved with him back in the day – trainer Brad Cox, owner John Wentworth, jockey Florent Geroux, agent Doug Bredar, and me – who all wanted to make sure a horse who had been so good to us would get the retirement he deserved. He ran on a Friday night and, thanks to a host of good people in racing including Brook Ledge Horse Transport, walked off the van at Old Friends on a Sunday morning, looking as regal as ever. Chocolate Ride took us all on an amazing ride and gave his all every time. — *Caton Bredar, racing commentator*

## Comma to the Top



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** March 2, 2008

**Sire:** Bwana Charlie

**Dam:** Maggies Storm

**Old Friends entry date:** 2016

**Earnings:** \$1,349,406

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won CashCall Futurity (G1), Tom Fool H. (G3), Los Angeles H. (G3), Daytona S. (G3), Generous S. (G3), Real Quiet S., Pirates Bounty S., Cool Frenchy S., Big Bear H.

**HORSE TALK:** Comma to the Top excelled racing at short distances, and actually won a Santa Anita stakes race named for fellow Old Friends resident, Daytona. Comma makes the funniest faces when the carrot bucket comes to visit. He loves his carrots and will beg very cutely. — *Laura Battles, Old Friends photographer and tour guide*

## Count Again



LAURA BATTLES

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** April 1, 2015

**Sire:** Awesome Again

**Dam:** Count to Three

**Old Friends entry date:** 2024

**Earnings:** \$1,085,415

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Frank E. Kilroe Mile S. (G1), Shoemaker Mile S. (G1), Seabiscuit H. (G2), Thunder Road S. (G3), Singpiel S. (G3)

**HORSE TALK:** Count Again didn't get his racing career started until late in life, making his first start at 4 and running just his third race by age 5. But that didn't stop "The Count" from becoming a sensational racehorse, winning five graded stakes, two being Grade 1, and earning more than \$1 million in just 19 starts. While Count Again rose to the top of the turf mile division, an injury ended our goal of a Breeders' Cup championship for him. Count Again was a stablemate of Sovereign Award winner Say the Word during his racing career, and he has now joined his old buddy at Old Friends. Thank you to everyone at Old Friends that made this reunion possible! — *Mark Martinez, Agave Racing Stable, owner*

## C Z Rocket



LAURA BATTLES

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** February 24, 2014

**Sire:** City Zip

**Dam:** Successful Sarah

**Old Friends entry date:** 2024

**Earnings:** \$2,144,691

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Santa Anita Sprint Championship S. (G2), Pat O'Brien S. (G2), Count Fleet Sprint H. (G3), Hot Springs S., Kelly's Landing S.

**HORSE TALK:** C Z Rocket raced from 2017 to 2024. His stakes wins included the Santa Anita Sprint Championship Stakes (G2) and the 2020 Pat O'Brien Stakes (G2), plus he was runner-up in both the 2020 and 2022 Breeders' Cup Sprint (G1). C Z Rocket meant the world to myself, my family, and my friends. He gave us so many great experiences and a lifetime full of memories, bringing family and friends together on numerous occasions. He won 13 of his 46 starts. — *Tom Kagele, owner*

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## Daaher



LAURA BATTLES

Bay horse

**Birth date:** February 28, 2004

**Sire:** Awesome Again

**Dam:** Irish Cherry

**Old Friends entry date:** 2022

**Earnings:** \$455,163

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Hill 'n' Dale Cigar Mile H. (G1), Jerome H. (G2)

**HORSE TALK:** Not the biggest stallion on the farm, Daaher is the poster child for "size doesn't matter." He came to us in late 2022 from Shadwell Stud in Lexington. A bit standoffish at first, he soon realized that the minutes I was sharing with him were usually accompanied by a few treats. Soon after his arrival, other tour guides would tell me that he wasn't very friendly, but I knew the way to change that was to show him that friendship could have its rewards. On tours, I remind our visitors that he values his personal space, but he always appreciates a few carrots while I talk about his graded stakes wins and some of his talented six-figure-winning offspring. — *Tom Beatty, tour guide*

## Delaunay



LAURA BATTLES

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** March 18, 2007

**Sire:** Smoke Glacken

**Dam:** Perilous Night

**Old Friends entry date:** 2024

**Earnings:** \$1,210,321

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won 12 stakes, including the Churchill Downs S. (G2), Aristides S. (G3), Iowa Sprint H., Thanksgiving H. (twice), F.W. Gaudin Memorial S. (twice), Kelly's Landing S.

**HORSE TALK:** I love older sprinters, and I just love six-furlong sprinting geldings. My trainer questioned dropping a claim on him (Delaunay) for \$50,000, which was a lot of money back then. I said, "Let's just do it!" Delaunay is low maintenance; you can see by the way he is built at the shoulder. They just don't make them like that much anymore. He was bred by a great Maryland breeder, the late Robert Meyerhoff, who really tried to breed horses for longevity and soundness. Delaunay so thrives on human interaction, so I am so thrilled he is retiring to Old Friends. — *Maggi Moss, owner*

## Diversify



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** Feb. 1, 2013

**Sire:** Bellamy Road

**Dam:** Rule One

**Old Friends entry date:** 2018

**Earnings:** \$1,989,425

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Whitney S. (G1), Jockey Club Gold Cup S. (G1), Suburban S. (G2), Commentator S., Saginaw S., Evan Shipman S.

**HORSE TALK:** It is a rare occurrence when a multiple graded stakes winner is found in the barn of small owners, such as the Evans family. Diversify was such a horse. He was talented, reliable, and consistent. His connections knew he would give his best effort each time he stepped on the track. Diversify produced a magical journey for us. For that we are grateful. — *Ralph Evans, owner*

## Dixieland Squall



OLD FRIENDS

Chestnut mare

**Birth date:** April 2, 2003

**Sire:** Summer Squall

**Dam:** Rampart Street

**Old Friends entry date:** 2023

**Earnings:** \$32,510

**HORSE TALK:** In November 2022, the I Think I Love You Animal Foundation rescued Dixieland Squall, who was on her way to a kill pen. The mare had a racing career that included one win in 12 starts. She had been trained by our board member Gary Contessa and was bred and once co-owned by the late actor and singer David Cassidy, for whom the foundation was founded. She has found her forever home at Old Friends. This is a very important rescue for our foundation as it involves a horse bred and once co-owned by David Cassidy. How could we not step in and allow the horse to live out her natural life in honor of the person we founded the foundation for? David Cassidy was an advocate for Thoroughbred aftercare. We were all thrilled to continue to honor his legacy of hard work with horses both on and off the track. — *Barb Collentine, president, I Think I Love You Animal Foundation*



## Doneraile Court



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Dark bay or brown horse

**Birth date:** Feb. 4, 1996

**Sire:** Seattle Slew

**Dam:** Sophisticated Girl

**Old Friends entry date:** 2019

**Earnings:** \$361,410

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Jerome H. (G2), Nashua S. (G3)

**HORSE TALK:** A wintry cold day in January 2009 found me at Stonewall Farm in Woodford County, Ky., for its stallion open house. Lucky me, for there I saw Doneraile Court, the majestic son of Seattle Slew. Dark, bold, and impressive, he appeared as royalty. I saw many beautiful and great horses that day at a range of open houses, but seeing Doneraile Court, stately, muscular, with a rich chocolate maple coat, was a special treat that I remember like yesterday. — *Kate Dunn, fan and supporter*

## Draxhall Woods



LAURA BATTLES

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** March 10, 2010

**Sire:** Graeme Hall

**Dam:** Josey Hill

**Old Friends entry date:** 2021

**Earnings:** \$567,144

**HORSE TALK:** Consistent and adaptable, that is Draxhall Woods. He arrived at Old Friends in 2021 after a lengthy racing career. Respectfully known as a hard-knocker, he made 106 starts and won 17 times. Not much surprises him. Draxhall is tough, always friendly, curious, and calm. He adjusted very quickly to life on the farm. He was initially paired with a fiery, "I am the boss" gelding. Draxhall's behavior said, "I love it here. You do not bother me; I am not leaving." Now he lives in a paddock with younger geldings who enjoy a quieter more playful retirement. — *Lisa Wood, tour guide*

## Easy Grades



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** April 13, 1999

**Sire:** Honor Grades

**Dam:** Itsoeasy

**Old Friends entry date:** 2009

**Earnings:** \$559,744

**HORSE TALK:** Easy Grades qualified for the 2002 Kentucky Derby with two second-place finishes in graded stakes. In the Derby, he finished 13th to eventual Old Friends resident War Emblem, and he never did win a stakes race. Today, Easy Grades is still going strong. A little tough when younger, Easy has mellowed into a relaxed middle age, well-liked by his equine and human friends. He seems a contented guy. But when I talk to him, I don't call him Easy Grades. Just so he knows, I remember his moment of glory, I call him "Derby horse." — *Beth Shannon, Old Friends staff*

## Ed Johnson



LAURA BATTLES

Gray or roan gelding

**Birth date:** January 21, 2013

**Sire:** Paddy O'Prado

**Dam:** Sassy Gal

**Old Friends entry date:** 2021

**Earnings:** \$91,355

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Alcatraz S.

**HORSE TALK:** Ed Johnson came along late in Frankfurt Stable owner Lewis Figone's racing career. His friend Ron McAnally, knowing Lewis's fondness for grays, picked him out. Named Ed Johnson after a close friend of Lewis's, the horse quickly became a focal point for Lewis. Spending some time in Southern California, Ed came closer to home and Lewis spent many hours visiting him in his stall. Feeding carrots became a daily ritual, the spirits of both horse and owner were lifted by each other at a difficult time. It is said that a relationship with an animal can lift a person's spirit and Ed did just that when Lewis needed it most late in life. Lewis's wish was for Ed to retire to Old Friends, where he knew that there was no better place for Ed to be cared for. And he did. — *Greg Christie, Frankfurt Stable*

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## El Brujo

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** March 11, 2006

**Sire:** Candy Ride

**Dam:** Enchanted Spell

**Old Friends entry date:** 2014

**Earnings:** \$721,439



LAURA BATTLES

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Pat O'Brien S. (G1), Perryville S. (G3), Kentucky Cup Sprint S. (G3), Achievement S., Queenston S.

**HORSE TALK:** A Canadian-bred by the outstanding sire Candy Ride, El Brujo won stakes in Canada and Kentucky before closing his career with a front-running victory in the Grade 1 Pat O'Brien at Del Mar in California. He retired to owner Jeff Begg's Windways Farm in Ontario, where he was foaled, and resided with fellow homebred Victor Cooley until the farm ceased operations in spring 2014, at which time he and Victor relocated to Old Friends.

## Eldaafer

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** March 13, 2005

**Old Friends entry date:** 2014

**Sire:** A.P. Indy

**Dam:** Habibti

**Earnings:** \$1,031,835



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Brooklyn H. (G2), Breeders' Cup Marathon (G3), Greenwood Cup S. (G3), Turfway Park Fall Championship S. (G3), Carl Hanford Memorial S.

**HORSE TALK:** Eldaafer was nominated as a foal for \$500 to the Breeders' Cup and became a four-time competitor in the BC Marathon, capturing the race in 2010 as a 5-year-old at Churchill Downs, setting a track record in the process. This talented son of A.P. Indy amassed more than \$1 million in earnings and was a fan favorite, campaigning into his eighth year and retiring after his final start, a win in the Greenwood Cup. — *Dora Delgado, executive vice president and chief racing officer, Breeders' Cup Ltd.*

## El Gato Malo

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** February 6, 2005

**Sire:** El Corredor

**Dam:** One Bad Cat

**Old Friends entry date:** 2021

**Earnings:** \$659,376



LAURA BATTLES

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won San Rafael S. (G3), Lone Star Derby (G3), McCann's Mojave S., Gold Rush S.

**HORSE TALK:** One of the first times I visited El Gato Malo, he was standing at the fence holding his leg and hoof off the ground. I was about ready to see if someone could check him for a problem when I gave him a carrot and he put the leg down and lifted the other one up in the air. I have now figured out that he likes to do his "horse with a hurt leg that needs carrots to feel better" trick every chance he gets. He loves to show off for any visitors that make it back to his paddock. — *Laura Battles, tour guide and photographer*

## El Oh El

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** March 7, 2010

**Sire:** Speightstown

**Dam:** Taunt

**Old Friends entry date:** 2017

**Earnings:** \$221,904



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

**HORSE TALK:** A great ending for a hard-knocker. As a racehorse, El Oh El fell through the claiming ranks. I met this guy in the winter of 2015 as an assistant trainer. Sometime later, a friend in Florida called to say that she had a nice old gelding in need. After she said his name, enough said. — *Lorita Lindemann, assistant trainer*



## Exulting

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** April 6, 2013

**Sire:** Tapit

**Dam:** Magical Feeling

**Old Friends entry date:** 2022

**Earnings:** \$687,370



LAURA BATTLES

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Oaklawn Mile S., Artie Schiller S.

**HORSE TALK:** The royally bred (and drop-dead gorgeous) Exulting was a \$500,000 Keeneland September yearling purchase in 2014. He was victorious 10 times in 45 starts during a seven-year racing career, and he retired to Old Friends in 2022 courtesy of owner and good friend, Michael Hui.

## Fabulous Strike

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** April 4, 2003

**Sire:** Smart Strike

**Dam:** Fabulous Find

**Old Friends entry date:** 2011

**Earnings:** \$1,447,804



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Vosburgh S. (G1), Alfred G. Vanderbilt H. (G2), True North H. (G2), Aristides S. (G3), Gravesend H. (G3), Fall Highweight H., Sophomore Sprint Championship S., Christmas S., Panhandle H., Vincent Moscarelli Memorial S., Romano Gucci S., Ziggy's Boy S.

**HORSE TALK:** Fabulous Strike came to Old Friends on Thanksgiving Day in 2011. The five-time graded stakes-winning son of Smart Strike was one of the fastest sprinters of his time. Fellow Bostonian Walter Downey, of Tea Party Stable, facilitated his retirement. As healthy and bright as the day he arrived, it's hard to imagine a more strikingly handsome horse. He's also representative of an owner who retired his horse as soon as he got a little bit ouchy. He did the right thing for the horse.

## Fantastic Day

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** May 25, 2000

**Sire:** Slew City Slew

**Dam:** Another Vegetarian

**Old Friends entry date:** 2014

**Earnings:** \$360,424



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

**HORSE TALK:** Proving once again that Old Friends paddocks know no social class, claiming warrior Fantastic Day can be found daily cozied up with his bud, Grade 1 winner and one-time Kentucky Derby contender Comma to the Top.

## Fearless

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** March 17, 2016

**Sire:** Ghostzapper

**Dam:** And Why Not

**Old Friends entry date:** 2023

**Earnings:** \$1,251,450



LAURA BATTLES

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Brooklyn S. (G2), Gulfstream Park Mile S. (G2), Harlan's Holiday S. (G3), Ghostzapper S. (G3), Birdstone S.

**HORSE TALK:** Fearless was a gutsy and determined racehorse with the perfect name. The stable really thought Old Friends would be a perfect place for him to spend the rest of his life with other great horses. Fearless showed up every time and gave his best. He exhibited his versatility by winning from distances of six furlongs to 1 3/4 miles. He was a graded stakes winner of \$1,251,450. I'm thrilled people will be able to visit him at Old Friends. — *Mike Repole, owner*

# PROFILES

## Fergus Mac Roich



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Chestnut gelding

**Birth date:** March 31, 2007

**Sire:** Peace Rules

**Dam:** Klassic Kick

**Old Friends entry date:** 2013

**Earnings:** \$52,595

**HORSE TALK:** Fergus is the guy that always wants to be part of the “in” crowd. He always pushes his way into any group getting carrots, but is by no means a bossy horse. He just thinks everyone likes him and wants to share. — *Laura Battles, Old Friends photographer and tour guide*

## Fighting City Hall



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** March 4, 2003

**Sire:** Smart Strike

**Dam:** Grant a Wish

**Old Friends entry date:** 2015

**Earnings:** \$268,199

**HORSE TALK:** With more than 100 starts on his résumé, Fighting City Hall — a stalwart of such West Coast tracks as Emerald Downs and Portland Meadows — certainly earned the title of Warrior of the Turf. Now he’s just a soldier of good fortune, living the life with paddock pal Arson Squad.

## Foliage



OLD FRIENDS

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** March 31, 2018

**Sire:** Speightstown

**Dam:** Greenery

**Old Friends entry date:** 2023

**Earnings:** \$113,658

**HORSE TALK:** Bred in partnership by historic Claiborne Farm and Adele B. Dilschneider, Foliage made 13 starts, with two wins in his four-year racing career. He suffered a severe ankle fracture in April 2023, which required a guardian angel (Lorita Lindemann), the surgical skills of Dr. Patty Hogan, and a procedure called arthrodesis to stabilize his fetlock. After a months-long recuperation, he arrived at Old Friends and his forever home in October 2023.

## Forte Dei Marmi (GB)



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** March 30, 2006

**Sire:** Selkirk

**Dam:** Frangy

**Old Friends entry date:** 2015

**Earnings:** \$1,054,061

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** 2013 Canada Sovereign Award champion grass horse; Won Northern Dancer Turf (Can-G1), Sky Classic (Can-G2) twice, Singspiel S. (Can-G3)

**HORSE TALK:** I ran into trainer Roger Attfield at Keeneland, and he said he might have a horse that would fit the Old Friends program. A few days later, he asked if we would be interested in Forte Dei Marmi. I was floored. The gelded son of Selkirk won Canada’s Sovereign Award as turf champion in 2013 at the ripe old age of 7. Named after a village in Tuscany, the rugged multiple stakes winner is exactly the sort of champion we appreciate. Forte Dei Marmi’s strong, independent streak made his retirement as smooth and effortless as his stride. — *Michael Blowen*



## Get Western



LAURA BATTLES

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** March 22, 2015

**Sire:** Get Stormy

**Dam:** Marquetessa

**Old Friends entry date:** 2022

**Earnings:** \$298,641

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Old Friends S.

**HORSE TALK:** Get Western won the 2019 Old Friends Stakes at Kentucky Downs (jumping a shadow at the finish line), thereby earning himself a lifetime placement guarantee at Old Friends. He arrived via our sister aftercare organization, The Secretariat Center, when he was unable to stay "riding sound" for a second career. He is an easy horse to be around, and loves grooming and attention. We can give him that!

## Gottagoallday



LAURA BATTLES

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** May 22, 1996

**Sire:** Bates Motel

**Dam:** Bobby Bush

**Old Friends entry date:** 2021

**Earnings:** \$12,485

**HORSE TALK:** Staci Hancock of Stone Farm called about this son of Bates Motel who was in a precarious spot. She worked with the R.A.C.E. Fund to secure his release so he could join Old Friends. Now, the aged gelding is out enjoying his golden years with his new pals.

## Green Mask



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** May 8, 2011

**Sire:** Mizzen Mast

**Dam:** Bonsai Beauty

**Old Friends entry date:** 2018

**Earnings:** \$1,064,761

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Highlander (Can-G2), Twin Spires Turf Sprint S. (G3), Bonapaw S., Paradise Creek S., Troy H.

**HORSE TALK:** Trainer Brad Cox contacted Old Friends about Green Mask while his speedster was recovering from surgery for his shattered foreleg. After a metal plate and more than 20 screws were inserted to stabilize the bone, Green Mask spent a few months rehabbing before arriving at Old Friends. Since then, he's become a symbol of how much so many people in racing adore these athletes. Now, with his plate and screws removed and the bone fully healed, he gets to show off his renewed energetic spirit to all of his fans.

## Groundshaker



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay mare

**Birth date:** February 14, 2011

**Sire:** Quiet American

**Dam:** Cotton Anne

**Old Friends entry date:** 2021

**Earnings:** \$1,060

**HORSE TALK:** Groundshaker hardly had a seismic effect on horse racing. She made only two starts and won none. Historically, however, she has set off a few tremors. She was the last horse bred by the grand dame of racing, Penny Chenery, and she is out of Chenery's last mare, Cotton Anne, a daughter of Pioneering, which makes Groundshaker's great grandsire, on her dam's side, the legendary Secretariat. Groundshaker made a career of her family tree, welcoming tourists and visitors at The Meadow Event Park in Virginia, the site where Secretariat was born. When COVID took a bite out of the park's tour activities, Groundshaker took up residence at Old Friends, where she has buddied up with Private Charm, who, as the daughter of Kentucky Derby winner Silver Charm, has an ancestor of her own to boast about.

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## He Loves Me Not



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** March 26, 2003

**Sire:** Not For Love

**Dam:** Wewarrenju

**Old Friends entry date:** 2012

**Earnings:** \$198,888

**HORSE TALK:** He Loves Me Not raced originally for Mount Joy Stables but soon after shifted over to the multiple-owner status of the claiming ranks. He enjoyed a modest career, finishing on the board 21 times in his 35 starts, before retiring to Old Friends.

## He's Our Maker



LAURA BATTLES

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** March 3, 2019

**Sire:** Candy Ride

**Dam:** Charm the Maker

**Old Friends entry date:** 2024

**Earnings:** Unraced

**HORSE TALK:** We are honored to have one of our family legacy horses as a new resident at Old Friends! It's wonderful to be back where our family heritage began in My Old Kentucky Home. It is extremely important that we care for our horses throughout their entire lives and not just during their racing career. These horses are our family. — *Racing Hall of Fame trainer Ron McAnally and Family*

## Imprimis



LAURA BATTLES

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** February 9, 2014

**Sire:** Broken Vow

**Dam:** Shoppers Return

**Old Friends entry date:** 2022

**Earnings:** \$883,483

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Shakertown S. (G2), Runhappy Turf Sprint S. (G3), Janus S., Silks Run S., Wolf Hill S., Jim McKay Turf Sprint S.

**HORSE TALK:** Imprimis won his first four races, including the Jim McKay Turf Sprint at Pimlico, for his owner, Breeze Easy, and trainer, Joe Orseno. He went on to win nine of his 21 career starts, an additional five stakes, and he participated twice in the Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint. He is now enjoying retired life and hanging out in Paddock 68 with his buddies.

## Intidab



LAURA BATTLES

Dark bay or brown horse

**Birth date:** March 20, 1993

**Sire:** Phone Trick

**Dam:** Alqwani

**Old Friends entry date:** 2022

**Earnings:** \$531,221

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won True North H. (G2), A Phenomenon H. (G2), Eillo S.

**HORSE TALK:** He was a quiet horse, but very smart. One of the first times I visited him, all I had left were shredded carrots and I offered some to him. He took one mouthful and then refused any more. For the next month of visits, every time I offered him a proper piece of carrot, he would first sniff it to make sure it was not some of the shredded junk. He finally accepted that I would not make that mistake again, and I often visited him with thinly sliced carrots for his old man teeth. (Sadly, Kayrawan passed away in January of this year.) — *Laura Battles, tour guide and photographer*



## Ivan Fallunovalot



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** March 31, 2010

**Sire:** Valid Expectations

**Dam:** Flashdance Missy

**Old Friends entry date:** 2018

**Earnings:** \$1,010,903

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Texas horse of the year; Won Frank J. DeFrancis Memorial Dash S. (G3), David M. Vance Sprint S. four times, King Cotton S. twice, Remington Park Sprint Cup S.

**HORSE TALK:** Ivan Fallunovalot was an amazing racehorse and a fan favorite racing in Arkansas, Texas, and Oklahoma. From 2014 until 2018, he went from being a \$25,000 claimer to a racing millionaire. One reason he had so many fans is his funny, unique name. It sounds like "I've been falling off a lot." His breeder came up with this name as a joke, but his racing career was no joke. At the stables, he was as gentle as a kitten. However, when race day arrived it was "game on" and he turned into a beast. Owning Ivan was like living a dream! — *Lewis Mathews Jr., owner*

## Jack a Rose



OLD FRIENDS

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** April 18, 2018

**Sire:** Midshipman

**Dam:** No Flowers

**Old Friends entry date:** 2023

**Earnings:** \$87,430

**HORSE TALK:** This was a completely heart-warming story. We often do this type of surgery (surgery to fuse joints with plates and screws), but it's always for horses that are worth a ton of money. To do one for a horse who is a 5-year-old gelding was just amazing. Our whole crew was heavily invested in this horse. He's a wonderful horse; just an amazing animal. To know how much these people cared about him was special. It was very satisfying to be able to do a good job for them. Horse racing gets bashed so much. I like to get these stories out there to educate people and show them there are plenty of people who really love their horses and do what's best for them. — *Dr. Patty Hogan, Hogan Equine Clinic, on performing arthrodesis surgery that saved Jack a Rose's life*

## Javerre



LAURA BATTLES

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** Feb. 6, 2009

**Sire:** Outflanker

**Dam:** Our Fantene

**Old Friends entry date:** 2023

**Earnings:** \$490,081

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won General George H. (G3), New Jersey Breeders H.

**HORSE TALK:** Javerre raced from 2012-16 for owner Smith Farm and Stable and trainer Cathal A. Lynch. He raced at six different tracks, winning at Laurel, Monmouth Park, and Parx Racing. His stakes wins included the 2013 General George Handicap (G3) at Laurel and the 2012 New Jersey Breeders Handicap at Monmouth. Javerre retired from racing in 2016, and since then has been a cherished track pony for us. He is now getting a little old for this work, and we wanted to find him a place for a comfortable retirement. — *Cathal A. Lynch, trainer*

## Jimbo Fallon



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Gray or roan gelding

**Birth date:** April 26, 2012

**Sire:** Midnight Lute

**Dam:** Nice Again

**Old Friends entry date:** 2016

**Earnings:** \$99,187

**HORSE TALK:** Jimbo brought so much excitement to our family! We love Jimmy Fallon and always record "The Tonight Show," which we watch as a family. Jimbo is our son Bode's nickname for the show, and when we were looking for a name for our Midnight Lute yearling, we thought that would be perfect. Like his sire, Jimbo is a big boy with a deep heart girth and massive shoulder. For such a large horse, he was really well-balanced and had a lot of speed. He gave it his all every time he was on the track, but what I love about him the most is his charm and personality. He really is a gentle giant.

— *Jill Baffert, owner*

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## Joey P.



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** March 22, 2002

**Sire:** Close Up

**Dam:** Luckey Lipco

**Old Friends entry date:** 2018

**Earnings:** \$1,081,167

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Jersey Shore Breeders' Cup S. (G3), Charles Town Dash Inv. H., Eillo S., Friendly Lover H. twice, Decathlon S., Rutgers S., John J. Reilly H. three times, Longfellow S., Colts Neck H.

**HORSE TALK:** Joey P. was retired from the track for nearly seven years when Laurie Lane contacted Old Friends. I had seen Joey P. race and was thrilled that Second Call Thoroughbred Adoption and Placement would consider Old Friends for his new residence. Laurie should be commended because it's rare that we receive such detailed medical records and a generous financial endowment with our retirees. He's a big hit on the tours but prefers the company of his equine pals. — *Michael Blowen*

## Johannesburg Smile



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** Feb. 6, 2007

**Sire:** Johannesburg

**Dam:** Serenity's Smile

**Old Friends entry date:** 2017

**Earnings:** \$555,417

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Lemon Drop Kid S., Noble Nashua S.

**HORSE TALK:** When Johannesburg Smile realized that Old Friends is about carrots not clockers, and playtime not morning works, he took over. He made Old Friends his very own. He fussed at first about having a paddock mate but then formed one of the strongest bonds on the farm with Bourbonize. Those two have some of the most fun together of any of our retirees. Johannesburg Smile may look like his dad, Johannesburg, but he's got a mind of his own. He's carved his own way and he's shaped himself a well-deserved life of fun and security at Old Friends. — *Beth Shannon, Old Friends staff*

## Joking



LAURA BATTLES

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** April 18, 2009

**Sire:** Distorted Humor

**Dam:** Spun Silk

**Old Friends entry date:** 2019

**Earnings:** \$846,138

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Vosburgh S. (G1), True North S. (G2), Diablo S.

**HORSE TALK:** Described by owner-trainer Charlton Baker as a special horse that was always jittery, Joking definitely matured with age. After developing a life-threatening case of pneumonia at age 7, Joking recovered to win the Vosburgh and True North handicaps at Belmont Park in his final two career starts and finished 2016 as a leader in the sprint division. He retired to Old Friends at age 10 and resides happily at the Old Friends Mari Hulman George Annex.

## Kalamos



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** March 5, 2009

**Sire:** Empire Maker

**Dam:** Kithira

**Old Friends entry date:** 2017

**Earnings:** \$253,641

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Winner of 2015 inaugural Old Friends Stakes with an automatic entry to Old Friends upon retirement.

**HORSE TALK:** Kalamos was bred by the powerhouse Juddmonte Farms and began his racing career at 2 in France before arriving on U.S. shores. In 2015, Kalamos was a 50-1 longshot winner of the first Old Friends Stakes at Kentucky Downs. A unique feature of the race was an automatic Old Friend for Life berth at Old Friends for the winner. "That meant more to me than the money," owner-trainer Edward Boerjan told ESPN. "Just knowing he'll be taken care of. I can just picture him standing there with Silver Charm and Game On Dude." When Ed died from cancer in late 2017, Kalamos moved to Old Friends a week later. And is living happily ever after at his home for life.



## Kayrawan



LAURA BATTLES

Bay horse

**Birth date:** March 26, 1992

**Sire:** Mr. Prospector

**Dam:** Muhbubh

**Old Friends entry date:** 2022

**Earnings:** \$186,682

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Tom Fool H. (G2)

**HORSE TALK:** I do not know how it happened, but I had fallen hard for this gentle stallion. I would see him when I visited Swain and later found myself always making an excuse to see Kayrawan. He loved to get scratches and thinly sliced carrots. He let me know if I didn't slice enough and I would end up biting off little bits of carrots for him from my stash. He was son of Mr. Prospector, just like my mare love, Miss Du Bois, so we also had a bit of a connection there, too. (Sadly, Kayrawan passed away in January of this year.) – *Laura Battles, tour guide and photographer*

## Kharafa



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** March 7, 2009

**Sire:** Kitalpha

**Dam:** Exquisite Cassie

**Old Friends entry date:** 2018

**Earnings:** \$1,238,622

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Elkwood S., Three Coins Up S., Mohawk S., Ashley T. Cole S. twice, West Point S., Kingston S.

**HORSE TALK:** Over 41 years I have probably owned around 1,000 horses, and if I had to choose a prototype for the model horse to own and race, it would be Kharafa. He was in the money in 35 of 52 starts and won 13 races. He was reliable, steadfast, a fierce competitor with a big heart, yet gentle around the barn. All credit goes to his trainer Tim Hills, a consummate horseman who managed his whole career, culminating with a victory in the West Point Stakes at Saratoga at the ripe age of 9. Quite a feat for a true champion. – *Paul Braverman, owner*

## King Kreesa



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** May 26, 2009

**Sire:** King Cugat

**Dam:** Storm's Advance

**Old Friends entry date:** 2018

**Earnings:** \$1,431,654

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Poker S. (G3) twice, Forbidden Apple S. twice, West Point S. twice, Kingston S., London Company S., New York Stallion Spectacular Bid S., Mohawk S.

**HORSE TALK:** New York-bred King Kreesa, trained by long-time Old Friends supporter David Donk, won 11 races and \$1.4 million in a career that spanned seven racing seasons. He excelled racing on grass, and was one of a trio that included Kharafa and Lubash who were racing rivals in New York for much of their careers. Coincidentally, the three all call Old Friends home now, where the competition is limited to carrots.

## Lane Way



LAURA BATTLES

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** February 26, 1917

**Sire:** Into Mischief

**Dam:** Corderosa

**Old Friends entry date:** 2024

**Earnings:** \$528,560

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Eddie D S. (G2), Clockers' Corner S.; set new course record at Santa Anita for 6 furlongs on turf (1:06.60)

**HORSE TALK:** Lane Way was a model of consistency on the racetrack, winning at the ages of 3, 4, 5, and 6, and becoming a graded stakes winner at 6. He was a barn and on-track favorite of 2,232 MyRacehorse owners. He will be a very hard horse to replace in our stable and will certainly be missed at the barn. We were always hopeful he would be our first stable member to be placed at Old Friends, and we couldn't be more thrilled for the outcome. – *Joe Moran, MyRacehorse*

# PROFILES

## Lion Hunter



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Chestnut gelding

**Birth date:** May 4, 2009

**Sire:** Lion Heart

**Dam:** Teerrific Sue

**Old Friends entry date:** 2016

**Earnings:** \$0

**HORSE TALK:** Lion Hunter is an unraced son of Hollywood Futurity and Haskell winner Lion Heart bred by businessman and racing magnate and former Ambassador to Finland Earle I. Mack.

## Logansport



LAURA BATTLES

Chestnut gelding

**Birth date:** March 25, 2001

**Sire:** Rahy

**Dam:** Shared Emotion

**Old Friends entry date:** 2021

**Earnings:** \$40,272

**HORSE TALK:** Thoroughbred journalist Claire Novak-Crosby notified us that this son of Rahy was no longer suitable for a riding horse and needed a new home. We gladly took him in. Logansport has found his niche as one of the handsomest horses at Old Friends, and he's sure to be a fan favorite.

## Lubash



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** Feb. 24, 2007

**Sire:** Freud

**Dam:** Nasty Cure

**Old Friends entry date:** 2018

**Earnings:** \$1,515,139

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** New York champion male turf 2014 and 2015; Won Fort Marcy S. (G3), Tropical Turf H. (G3) twice, Mohawk S., West Point S. twice, Kingston S., Ashley T. Cole S. twice, Monarch's Maze S., Fifth Marine S., Cab Calloway S.

**HORSE TALK:** Lubash was a unique horse. He won his first stakes in 2010 at age 3 and his last stakes in 2016 at age 9. He was a horse who always carried an extraordinary amount of energy day-to-day. Perhaps he was never quite 100 percent relaxed, but he always showed a fantastic turn of foot on the racetrack — even as an older horse. He gave his owner and breeder, Leonard Pivnick, a great amount of joy with an exciting racing career over a long period of time. He wasn't just a nice New York-bred — he was just a very nice horse. — *Christophe Clement, trainer*

## Magic Weisner



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** May 3, 1999

**Sire:** Ameri Valay

**Dam:** Jazema

**Old Friends entry date:** 2020

**Earnings:** \$888,830

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Ohio Derby (G2), Private Terms S., Deputed Testimony S., Goss L. Stryker S., Maryland Juvenile Championship S.; 2nd Preakness Stakes (G1)

**HORSE TALK:** Referred to as "Magic," this hometown hero was more than just a horse. He was full of promise for his late breeder, owner, trainer, groom, and often exercise rider, Nancy Alberts. When he was a weanling, Nancy was told he would never race. Thanks to the "Magic" performed by the late Dr. Allen Wisner, Magic rose to not only local fame but national fame when he came within three-quarters of a length of winning the Preakness Stakes. Nancy named Magic after Dr. Wisner but misspelled his name during registration. Magic was the catalyst that helped Nancy achieve her lifelong dream of owning a small farm where she could look out her kitchen window and see her horses daily. — *Carl and Bunny Meister, caregivers*



## Marshall Rooster (GB)



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Gray or roan gelding

**Birth date:** May 26, 1999

**Sire:** Greensmith

**Dam:** Petinata

**Old Friends entry date:** 2009

**Earnings:** \$205,881

**HORSE TALK:** Marshall Rooster had a career that took him all over the map – literally. Kicking off his 74 lifetime starts at Redcar Racecourse in England, English-bred Marshall crossed the pond and went from California to Kentucky, Louisiana, Ohio, Pennsylvania, and Florida before calling it quits in 2009 at age 10.

## Maybesomaybenot



LAURA BATTLES

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** Jan. 27, 2008

**Sire:** Sunday Break

**Dam:** Majestic Mommy

**Old Friends entry date:** 2013

**Earnings:** \$155,738

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Sanford S. (G2)

**HORSE TALK:** Maybesomaybenot made our racing dreams come true. After winning at Churchill Downs and the Sanford Stakes at Saratoga, we had high expectations for Maybesomaybenot. Our trainer, Michael Maker, worked hard for us to have another great day, but it didn't happen. I told my wife that perhaps we need to retire Maybesomaybenot. We had toured Old Friends and talked of how professional the facilities were and how wonderful to have a place to retire Thoroughbred horses for people to see. Coming from a coal miner's father and a share-cropper's father, we are more than blessed to have had a nice Thoroughbred horse and good people to help us. We are so grateful! – Carolyn and Arthellor Scisney, owners

## McCraken



LAURA BATTLES

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** April 13, 2014

**Sire:** Ghostzapper

**Dam:** Ivory Empress

**Old Friends entry date:** 2024

**Earnings:** \$869,728

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Kentucky Jockey Club S. (G2), Sam F. Davis S. (G3), Matt Winn S. (G3), Street Sense S.; set track record at Tampa Bay for 1 1/16 miles

**HORSE TALK:** Over the years, Old Friends has proudly served as a retirement home for several stallions with connections to the famed Airdrie Stud, including Afternoon Deelites, You and I, and Patton. In early 2024, McCraken joined that list at the conclusion of his stud career. We are grateful to Bret Jones and all the folks at Airdrie for giving McCraken a chance to be seen and celebrated by racing fans!

## Midnight Tea Time



LAURA BATTLES

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** April 5, 2015

**Sire:** Midnight Lute

**Dam:** It's Tea Time

**Old Friends entry date:** 2024

**Earnings:** \$655,284

**HORSE TALK:** Midnight Tea Time had long been an interest of our friend, Lorita Lindemann. After losing track of him for some time, she discovered that he was in West Virginia and needed a home. Thanks to Lorita, this five-time winner and multiple stakes-placed runner, has one at Old Friends.

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## Mike Man's Gold

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** Feb. 10, 2010

**Sire:** Liberty Gold

**Dam:** Chedoodle

**Old Friends entry date:** 2023

**Earnings:** \$380,427



MARY GREENE

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Seattle Slew H., Premio Esmeralda S., Washington Thoroughbred Breeders Association Lads S., Muckleshoot Tribal Classic S.

**HORSE TALK:** Mike Man's Gold holds the record for the most wins ever at Emerald Downs. I was there when he was born, being in care of the broodmares for owners Keith and Jan Swagerty. We went to all of Mike Man's races even after he had been claimed. When he retired, the decision was made that he would go back to the place of his birth, and I was named his owner. The day after Mike Man retired, on his way home in the van, the floorboards gave way. Thankfully, he didn't hit the ground, but all four legs were injured, with a rear hoof almost cut off. We spent 87 days bandaging him and keeping infection away. He was finally allowed into a small paddock and then into a pasture. The farm was being sold, and I wanted Mike Man to be safe and have the retirement he deserved. I applied to Old Friends, and I am so grateful he was accepted. — *Karen Angelos, owner*

## Militarist

Gray or roan gelding

**Birth date:** April 25, 2017

**Sire:** Liam's Map

**Dam:** Hay Jude

**Old Friends entry date:** 2024

**Earnings:** \$201,130



LAURA BATTLES

**NOTABLE:** Half-brother to Breeders' Cup Turf winner and Old Friends resident Little Mike

**HORSE TALK:** Militarist is a very smart horse with a big personality. He competed on both dirt and turf. His injuries prevented us from seeing how good he could be. His best effort was in the Grade 1 Clark Stakes, when he finished fourth behind winner Maxfield. We continuously tried to rehab him to get him back to the races, but in the end decided the best thing for him would be to retire him. We are thankful he has a forever home at Old Friends with his half-brother Little Mike. — *Carlo Vaccarezza, owner*

## Mikethespike



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Gray or roan gelding

**Birth date:** March 11, 2000

**Sire:** Anet

**Dam:** Black Tie Royalty

**Old Friends entry date:** 2010

**Earnings:** \$85,301

**HORSE TALK:** After making an amazing 126 starts on the racetrack, Mikethespike came safely home to Old Friends in 2010. Several years later, volunteer Bea Snyder and I were at Beulah Park, and I was approached by Mikey's former owner. He apologized, saying he had given Mikey to someone who had promised to retire him but didn't. He said in the future, he would keep the papers of any horse he retired so they could not race again. Mikey now romps and scuffles with other geldings in the big paddock at Old Friends. He is the beneficiary of many friends, past and present. He is a lucky little horse. — *Vivien Morrison, volunteer*

## Miss Du Boi



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Chestnut mare

**Birth date:** April 23, 1994

**Sire:** Mr. Prospector

**Dam:** Blanche Du Bois

**Old Friends entry date:** 2015

**Earnings:** \$25,535

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Dam of Grade 1 winner Film Maker

**HORSE TALK:** A Grade 1 producer who couldn't win a race herself, Miss Du Bois is one smart little redhead. After observing the mannerisms of Australian champion and paddock-mate Bint Marsday for a few years, she stepped into the gap when Binty left us and demanded the position of "mare who gets carrots and grooming from the photographer." She really loves the carrots and is a very talkative mare. — *Laura Battles, Old Friends photographer and tour guide*



## Miss Hooligan



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Dark bay or brown mare

**Birth date:** March 11, 2005

**Sire:** Hoolie

**Dam:** Sunbeam Queen

**Old Friends entry date:** 2010

**Earnings:** \$2,325

**HORSE TALK:** On a cool, misty morning, I was driving the golf cart down the lane between paddocks to feed breakfast to the mares at the back of the farm. I turned and looked to my left, and there about 30 yards away on the crown of the paddock coming out of the mist in ghostly fashion was Miss Hooligan. She was running fast, almost gliding over the ground, trying to keep up with the golf cart to beat me to the feed buckets. It was one of the most beautiful things I've ever seen and a memory I'll never forget.

—Rick Capone, co-owner and photographer

## Misszoey Belle



LAURA BATTLES

Bay mare

**Birth date:** March 20, 2005

**Sire:** Jambalaya Jazz

**Dam:** Ransom the Belle

**Old Friends entry date:** 2013

**Earnings:** \$70,075

**HORSE TALK:** Bred by John Oxley, Zoey paid her dues in six seasons on the track, tumbling through the claiming ranks. But when she was still hard knocking at age 8, Oxley bought the mare back after a final start at the now-defunct Beulah Park and retired her to Old Friends.

## Mission Impazible



LAURA BATTLES

Gray or roan horse

**Birth date:** March 2, 2007

**Sire:** Unbridled's Song

**Dam:** La Paz

**Old Friends entry date:** 2024

**Earnings:** \$1,284,949

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Louisiana Derby (G2), New Orleans H. (G2)

**HORSE TALK:** Mission Impazible ran in 17 graded stakes in his four-year racing career, earning more than \$1.2 million. He then established himself as a top Northeast sire, being the leading freshman sire in New York in 2016 and a fixture in the top 10 sires in the region thereafter. He stamped his legacy in the Thoroughbred industry with the help of Summer Wind Farm and Twin Creeks Racing Stable. While we will miss seeing Mission Impazible grace our pastures and stallion barn, we cannot picture a better retirement place for him than at Old Friends. —Page Gilster, Sequel Stud New York

## Miss Zooter (Ire)



LAURA BATTLES

Bay mare

**Birth date:** April 9, 2007

**Sire:** Intikhab

**Dam:** Larissa

**Old Friends entry date:** 2024

**Earnings:** \$37,426

**HORSE TALK:** Bred in Ireland, Miss Zooter raced at the famed Ascot and Newmarket racecourses in England before arriving in 2011 in the U.S., where she was unplaced in starts at Del Mar and Santa Anita. As a broodmare, Miss Zooter produced three foals by the sire Square Eddie before retiring from broodmare duty. She arrived in March 2004 from the Paul Reddam Stable.

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## Moriah



LAURA BATTLES

Gray mare

**Birth date:** April 13, 2002

**Sire:** Kayrawan

**Dam:** Thebesticouldbe

**Old Friends entry date:** 2022

**Earnings:** \$62,018

**HORSE TALK:** Moriah was foaled in April 2002, her sire being current Old Friends resident Kayrawan. She raced 30 times and won four races, earnings \$62,018. In early 2022, she was sent to a livestock sale and was purchased but returned a short time later. A friend who helps horses reached out to me on behalf of Moriah. My sanctuary did not have the space, but I arranged to have her purchased and sent to quarantine with Holly Huffaker in Oklahoma. After reaching out to other rescue organizations that were all overburdened with horses, I reached out to Michael Blown as a last hope — and as always, he found a space for her. — *Shirley Ford, Dream Haven Equine Sanctuary*

## Mr. Jordan



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Gray or roan gelding

**Birth date:** February 16, 2012

**Sire:** Kantharos

**Dam:** Miss Skeetd

**Old Friends entry date:** 2021

**Earnings:** \$860,615

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Pegasus S. (G3), Millions Classic Preview S. (thrice), Big Drama S., Juvenile Sprint S., Smooth Air S.

**HORSE TALK:** Mr. Jordan certainly paid his dues, making 43 starts during seven seasons on the racetrack. The flashy gelding kicked butt as a 2-year-old, dusting the field in his first three starts, then earning his first graded stakes at 3 when taking the Grade 3 Pegasus Stakes at Monmouth Park. The eye-catching gelding won six stakes in all, many at his preferred track, Gulfstream Park West (formerly known as Calder). When it was time to retire, the drop-dead beautiful son Kantharos came to Old Friends via co-owner and trainer Eddie Plesa Jr., and he now swaps war stories with graded stakes winners Diversify and Soldat. Oh, did we mention he's really pretty?

## Mwari



LAURA BATTLES

Gray or roan gelding

**Birth date:** April 6, 2019

**Sire:** Arrogate

**Dam:** Sea Gift

**Old Friends entry date:** 2024

**Earnings:** \$12,890

**HORSE TALK:** Mwari was sired by multiple Grade 1 winner Arrogate and is out of the champion-producing A.P. Indy mare Sea Gift. He was trained by both Bob Baffert and Edward Plesa Jr. and raced for Plesa at Gulfstream Park. Mwari was bred in Kentucky by Baoma Corp. at the legendary Hill 'n' Dale Farm, and he was a favorite of the Chu family. He retired prematurely from a promising racing career due to a soft tissue injury. — *Ed Nevins, Baoma Corp.*

## Nana's Hope



LAURA BATTLES

Chestnut gelding

**Birth date:** Jan. 14, 2003

**Sire:** Migrating Moon

**Dam:** Lively Tina

**Old Friends entry date:** 2023

**Earnings:** \$161,671

**HORSE TALK:** Nana's Hope raced 80 times from ages 3 through 8, winning 14 times and earning more than \$160,000. After his last start in August 2011, Nana disappeared. He resurfaced in 2023 and was purchased at a general horse auction, inaccurately listed as a 13-year-old. At 20, his new owner judged him too unsound to be used as a riding horse. We were happy to step up and offer Nana's Hope his forever home.



## Next Shares



LAURA BATTLES

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** April 15, 2013

**Sire:** Archarcharch

**Dam:** Two Dot Slew

**Old Friends entry date:** 2021

**Earnings:** \$1,891,971

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Shadwell Turf Mile S. (G1), Seabiscuit H. (G2), San Gabriel S. (G2), Old Friends S.

**HORSE TALK:** When Next Shares won the Old Friends Stakes at Kentucky Downs in 2018, his trainer, Richard Baltas, was thrilled. But, as he told us, winning wasn't the only thrill. "I entered him because I knew, if he won, he'd have a lifetime retirement at Old Friends," he said as he walked out of the winner's circle. After a very successful career that included a win in the \$1 million Shadwell Turf Mile at Keeneland in 2018, he retired here. And we're very grateful.

## Nicanor



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** March 15, 2006

**Sire:** Dynaformer

**Dam:** La Ville Rouge

**Old Friends entry date:** 2018

**Earnings:** \$147,697

**HORSE TALK:** Nicanor was named after a hound in our painting of five hounds. He was a good allowance horse but not a stakes horse. But because he was Barbaro's brother, he stood at stud. He wasn't successful at that job, and he was gelded and returned to our farm in Pennsylvania. Of course, we were thrilled to have him home with us. He gradually let himself become a pet, finding the quiet farm life was to his liking. We got the idea, though, that Nicanor must be shared. People inquired as to his whereabouts and wanted to see him. We landed on the idea that Old Friends would be the perfect place for him. The rest is history. — *Gretchen and Roy Jackson, Lael Stables, owner*

## Nobiz Like Shobiz



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay horse

**Birth date:** Jan. 29, 2004

**Sire:** Albert the Great

**Dam:** Nightstorm

**Old Friends entry date:** 2016

**Earnings:** \$1,544,730

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Wood Memorial (G1), Remsen S. (G2), Jamaica H. (G2), National Museum of Racing and Hall of Fame S. (G2), Kent Breeders' Cup S. (G3), Holy Bull S. (G3)

**HORSE TALK:** Nobiz was named after owner Elizabeth Valando's husband, Tommy, a legendary Broadway producer. The gorgeous, almost-black stallion could have had a brilliant career as a leading man on Broadway if he were born human. Trained by Barclay Tagg, this impressive son of Old Friends retiree Albert the Great was a favorite of Mrs. Valando. According to Tagg, she turned down more than \$18 million for him at one point.

## Noble Drama



LAURA BATTLES

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** May 5, 2015

**Sire:** Gone Astray

**Dam:** Queen Drama

**Old Friends entry date:** 2024

**Earnings:** \$876,562

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Sunshine Millions Classic S., FTBOA Florida Sire Wildcat Heir S. (twice), FTBOA Silver Charm Florida Sire S. (earning Old Friends retirement guarantee), Benny the Bull S.

**HORSE TALK:** He was a great horse to have in the barn. He never had a soundness issue. He was very readable. You knew when he was doing good and when he wasn't. He was just so easy to have in the barn. He was a very, very kind horse. I'll be honest with you, I had forgotten he had won that (Old Friends retirement). Then, Sherry Queen, one of (owner) Harold's daughters, called and reminded me that he won "retirement for life" at Old Friends. So I called Old Friends and they were thrilled to have him. I think it's great that he's going there and he deserves to go there. — *Trainer David Fawkes*

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## Noble Indy



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** March 31, 2015

**Sire:** Take Charge Indy

**Dam:** Noble Maz

**Old Friends entry date:** 2023

**Earnings:** \$896,247

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Louisiana Derby (G2)

**HORSE TALK:** Noble Indy was a stakes winner before falling down the claiming ranks, eventually being sent to Camarero Racetrack in Puerto Rico in 2022. After five starts, Noble Indy suffered an injury. Surgery in 2023 did not go as planned, and racing was no longer an option for him. His owner retired him to Caribbean Thoroughbred Aftercare. We are grateful to his former owner, Repole Stables, for its generous donation, which not only helped Noble Indy but two additional horses in need, and to breeder WinStar Farm for also sending a donation. — *Kelley Stobie, Caribbean Thoroughbred Aftercare*

## Normandy Invasion



LAURA BATTLES

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** May 2, 2010

**Sire:** Tapit

**Dam:** Boston Lady

**Old Friends entry date:** 2024

**Earnings:** \$551,900

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Set track record for one mile at Gulfstream Park

**HORSE TALK:** Normandy Invasion was the darling of the 2013 Kentucky Derby week when owner Rick Porter brought heroes of the Battle of Normandy from World War II to see the horse named for the battle they won. Normandy Invasion went on to finish fourth in the Run for the Roses. After six more starts, Normandy Invasion retired in 2015 and subsequently stood at stud in Kentucky, New York, and Pennsylvania before being gelded to pursue a sport horse career. An injury led to Normandy Invasion's retirement and arrival at Old Friends in 2024.

## Offering Plan



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** May 15, 2012

**Sire:** Spring At Last

**Dam:** Rosalie Road

**Old Friends entry date:** 2020

**Earnings:** \$891,573

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won English Channel S., Kingston S. twice, Mohawk S., West Point S.

**HORSE TALK:** New York-bred Offering Plan found his niche racing on the turf for the powerful Chad Brown stable, winning five stakes races. He was retired to Old Friends at age 6 by prominent owners Michael Dubb and Sol Kumin after earning \$891,573 in 29 starts.

## Old Mexico



LAURA BATTLES

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** May 13, 2012

**Sire:** Kodiak Kowboy

**Dam:** Leading Role

**Old Friends entry date:** 2016

**Earnings:** \$103,225

**HORSE TALK:** Old Mexico won 3 of his 10 lifetime starts under the watchful eye of New York trainer Rudy Rodriguez. Injury ended his career in January 2016, when he retired to Old Friends.



## Our Goldisox



LAURA BATTLES

Chestnut filly

**Birth date:** February 5, 2019

**Sire:** Mineshaft

**Dam:** High Heels

**Old Friends entry date:** 2021

**Earnings:** \$0

**HORSE TALK:** Our Goldisox had a sad beginning but happy ending. As a foal, she fractured her foot. This injury healed and she was on track to have a racing career. Her markings are quiet striking. Her most interesting trait is that she has a partial blue eye. She was not named because I was waiting on her personality to emerge. I was very excited to see her start training, but four months into training, she refractured the foot and was deemed not capable of racing. I debated the best next move for a few months before asking Old Friends if they could help. What a happy girl she is now! — *Anita Ebert, owner*

## Paleo



LAURA BATTLES

Chestnut mare

**Birth date:** May 3, 2007

**Sire:** Indian Ridge

**Dam:** Crossbreeze

**Old Friends entry date:** 2024

**Earnings:** \$49,635

**HORSE TALK:** Bred in Ireland, Paleo raced in England, winning one of six starts before being sent to the U.S. Her lone victory in the U.S. came at Santa Anita. As a broodmare, Paleo produced seven foals before retiring from broodmare duty. She arrived in March 2024 from the Paul Reddam Stable.

## Patch



LAURA BATTLES

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** March 18, 2014

**Sire:** Union Rags

**Dam:** Windyindy

**Old Friends entry date:** 2018

**Earnings:** \$532,450

**HORSE TALK:** Everyone loves Patch. Fans who have never seen Patch love him. Even though he finished 14th in the 2017 Kentucky Derby and lost the Belmont Stakes, finishing a respectable third, people love Patch. People who aren't necessarily fans of racing love Patch. The media, who covered him more enthusiastically than many of the more credentialed Derby-bound starters, love Patch. Best friend Stormy Liberal loves Patch. I love Patch! — *Michael Blowen*

## Persie



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** April 24, 2013

**Sire:** Street Sense

**Dam:** Sly Butterfly

**Old Friends entry date:** 2019

**Earnings:** \$280,727

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** 2018 HBPA Claiming Horse of the Year

**HORSE TALK:** When an owner claims a horse, they can only hope he will turn out to be as successful and special as Persie. For Bush Racing and trainer Les Stickler, Persie was a special because he gave it his all and he loved performing every time he stepped on the track. Those of us in the industry always admire and want to be a part of a horse like him. Persie, the 2018 National HBPA Claiming Horse of the Year, won 10 races that year. This incredible accomplishment is a testament to the ability and spirit of this talented horse. Now at Old Friends, Persie continues to show the world just how special a horse is. — *Eric Hamelback, CEO, National HBPA*

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## Photon



LAURA BATTLES

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** April 30, 2009

**Sire:** Invensor

**Dam:** Lady Bertrando

**Old Friends entry date:** 2014

**Earnings:** \$305,455

**HORSE TALK:** Photon arrived at Old Friends in 2014 after making 36 starts and winning eight times while competing primarily on the East Coast. Now he spends his days in a unique relationship with the stallion Birdstone. Putting a stallion and a gelding in the same paddock is something that is typically not done, but this was not a usual situation. Birdstone was unhappy, and our horse-care manager decided to try something innovative. And it worked! Birdstone wants a horse to follow, and Photon is happy to lead.

## Pollard's Vision



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Dark bay or brown horse

**Birth date:** Jan. 31, 2001

**Sire:** Carson City

**Dam:** Etats Unis

**Old Friends entry date:** 2020

**Earnings:** \$1,430,311

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Illinois Derby (G2), National Jockey Club H. (G3), Lone Star Derby (G3), Leonard Richards S. (G3); sire of Eclipse champion 3-year-old filly Blind Luck.

**HORSE TALK:** Pollard's Vision was an immediate favorite of everyone at Mighty Acres as soon as he arrived at the farm for stud duty. He is a lovable, easy-to-handle stallion who endeared himself to everyone. Pollard's first Oklahoma-bred crops are doing very well at the track. — *Randy Blair, Mighty Acres farm manager*

## Poshsky



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** May 10, 2010

**Sire:** Vronsky

**Dam:** Pinky's Posh

**Old Friends entry date:** 2020

**Earnings:** \$823,383

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Berkeley H. (G3), Crystal Water S.

**HORSE TALK:** Somehow, in spite of our inability to accept new retirees during the COVID-19 pandemic crisis, Poshsky arrived. He had been on our radar for nearly two years and, after a lackluster finish at Delaware Park in July 2020, his trainer agreed to retire him to us. So, he got to break all the rules.

## Private Charm



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Gray or roan mare

**Birth date:** April 1, 2002

**Sire:** Silver Charm

**Dam:** Said Privately

**Old Friends entry date:** 2021

**Earnings:** \$27,120

**HORSE TALK:** I got a call in 2021 from a long-time supporter who told me about a daughter of Silver Charm. Private Charm was in a precarious situation, and friends were mounting a campaign to give the mare a dignified retirement. It meant we would have to leapfrog her over several other deserving candidates and, as far as I'm concerned, nepotism matters. Especially when my favorite horse of all time, Silver Charm, is involved. — *Michael Blowen*



## Quindici Man

Gray gelding  
**Birth date:** May 16, 2006  
**Sire:** Came Home  
**Dam:** Humble  
**Old Friends entry date:** 2022  
**Earnings:** \$536,666



MARY GREENE

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Zia Park Derby, Pomona Derby, Jack Coady Sr. S., Bull Dog S.

**HORSE TALK:** Kentucky-bred Quindici Man mostly raced on the West Coast. He participated in two of the most prestigious West Coast races, coming in third in the 2011 Santa Anita Handicap (G1) and fifth in the 2011 Pacific Classic Stakes (G1). He then went to stand stud in 2014 before retiring to Old Friends in 2022. — *Mary Gannon, tour guide*

## Rail Trip

Bay gelding  
**Birth date:** Jan. 31, 2005  
**Sire:** Jump Start  
**Dam:** Sweet Trip  
**Old Friends entry date:** 2014  
**Earnings:** \$1,516,520



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Hollywood Gold Cup H. (G1), San Diego H. (G2), Californian S. (G1), Mervyn LeRoy H. (G2), Santana Mile H.

**HORSE TALK:** It was love at first sight with Rail Trip. He was very fast as a 2-year-old, but would use himself up. Gelding him changed him for the better. I remember his first race back, with his neck bowed, and he was very proud of himself after. It was fun watching him figure it out. Most good horses are really sweet. He has the greatest disposition and he's a smart horse! I wish I had a big enough backyard for him here (California)! — *Samantha Siegel, owner*

## Rainbow Heir

Chestnut gelding  
**Birth date:** February 8, 2010  
**Sire:** Wildcat Heir  
**Dam:** Rainbow Pride  
**Old Friends entry date:** 2024  
**Earnings:** \$837,395



LAURA BATTLES

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won nine stakes, including the Jersey Shore S. (G3), Teddy Drone S., Gulfstream Park Turf Sprint S., Aqueduct Turf Sprint Championship S., Gin Rummy Champ S.

**HORSE TALK:** Rainbow Heir was bred, raised, and raced by Everett Novak's New Farm and highly admired by those who have cared for him throughout his racing career. He compiled an impressive race record, including over a dozen wins, and he is a graded stakes winner. Rainbow Heir was the New Jersey-bred champion 3-year-old of 2013 and his poise and drive also landed him the New Jersey-bred horse of the year for 2014. The Novaks are excited for this next chapter in his life and are incredibly grateful to Old Friends for providing this opportunity and well-earned retirement. — *Sandra Aristone, manager, New Farm*

## Rated R Superstar

Chestnut gelding  
**Birth date:** April 20, 2013  
**Sire:** Kodiak Kowboy  
**Dam:** Wicked Wish  
**Old Friends entry date:** 2023  
**Earnings:** \$1,847,397



OLD FRIENDS

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Essex H. (G3) twice, Carry Back S. (G3), Ben Ali S. (G3), Governor's Cup S. twice, Fifth Season S., Jeffrey A. Hawk Memorial S.

**HORSE TALK:** Owning Rated R has been one of the greatest gifts in our racing careers. He's a member of the family, and we've always done things his way, in his best interest. Rated R retired sound, happy, and healthy. We are very excited about this next chapter, and we ask that if you're in the area of Old Friends, please schedule a time to visit or make a donation on his behalf. He's a very social guy and he loves seeing his friends! — *Alison and Danny Caldwell, owners*

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## Rathor (Ire)



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** May 13, 2002

**Sire:** Machiavellian

**Dam:** Raisonnable

**Old Friends entry date:** 2016

**Earnings:** \$331,979

**HORSE TALK:** Bred in Ireland, Rathor is a product of the famous Niarchos family breeding program. He won two races in England, at Pontefract and Nottingham, before being imported to the United States at age 4. Rathor proceeded to win his first two races in this country, but he was unable to hold that form and gradually descended to the claiming ranks. He eventually started 46 times, and, after a brief stint as a dressage horse, was retired to Old Friends at age 14.

## Right to Vote



LAURA BATTLES

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** Feb. 23, 2009

**Sire:** Political Force

**Dam:** What a Knight

**Old Friends entry date:** 2019

**Earnings:** \$516,249

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Essex H., Kelly's Landing S., Jim Rasmussen Memorial S.

**HORSE TALK:** Fittingly, Right to Vote arrived at Old Friends on July 4, 2019. The appropriately named son of Political Force won 7 of 26 starts racing in New York, Kentucky, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Iowa, and Florida. Right to Vote resides in Paddock 32 with his buddies Jimbo Fallon, Cougar Bait, Deeply Undervalued, Ferocious Won, and Stormy Passage.

## Ring Weekend



LAURA BATTLES

Chestnut gelding

**Birth date:** April 27, 2011

**Sire:** Tapit

**Dam:** Free the Magic

**Old Friends entry date:** 2021

**Earnings:** \$1,571,576

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Frank E. Kilroe Mile (G1), Tampa Bay Derby (G2), Bernard Baruch (G2), Seabiscuit H. (G2), Hill Prince (G3), Saranac S. (G3)

**HORSE TALK:** Ring Weekend had the most elegant way of going and was a pleasure to watch. He retired from racing in 2018 with earnings of more than \$1.5 million, and the decision to send him to Phillip and Evie Dutton to try to retrain him as an event horse was approved by his owner, West Point Thoroughbreds. He showed promise from the beginning, but then sustained a freak injury. We are grateful to Old Friends for accepting him, and we hope that this will mean his many fans and admirers will visit. I know I will. — *Anita Motion, Ring Weekend training team*

## Rocketry



LAURA BATTLES

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** April 10, 2014

**Sire:** Hard Spun

**Dam:** Smart Farming

**Old Friends entry date:** 2021

**Earnings:** \$811,577

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Marathon S. (G2), Thoroughbred Aftercare Alliance S. (G2), Temperance Hill Invitational S.

**HORSE TALK:** Just like the movie character Rocky, Rocketry could not have lived up to his nickname of "Rocky" any better. He consistently campaigned in stakes carrying the Centennial Flag with honor every time he set foot on the track. He was sound throughout his career while breaking three track records over a distance of ground. Being involved with a horse like this was truly a joy, thrill, and one that will be cherished by all the partners involved. — *Don Little Jr., owner and president of Centennial Farms*



## Romance Is Diane



OLD FRIENDS FARM

Dark bay or brown mare

**Birth date:** March 18, 2004

**Sire:** In Excess

**Dam:** Romantic Fibs

**Old Friends entry date:** 2020

**Earnings:** \$712,718

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Hollywood Starlet S. (G1), Bayakoa H. (G2), California Cup Matron H., California Cup Juvenile Fillies S.

**HORSE TALK:** Old Friends is a natural retirement home for a mare named Romance Is Diane. And it doesn't hurt that she is a granddaughter of our late, great resident Prized. A Grade 1 stakes winner, Diane has fit right in with our band of Old girlFriends.

## Roveing Patrol



LAURA BATTLES

Dark bay or brown mare

**Birth date:** March 24, 2010

**Sire:** Nacheezmo

**Dam:** Gummy Gerdddy

**Old Friends entry date:** 2024

**Earnings:** \$22,925

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Diane Kem S.

**HORSE TALK:** Roveing Patrol made her first two starts at Emerald Downs in Washington and won both, including the Diane Kem Stakes. As a broodmare, Roveing Patrol produced four foals, with three becoming winners, before retiring. She arrived at Old Friends in March 2024 from the Paul Reddam Stable.

## Royalian



LAURA BATTLES

Chestnut gelding

**Birth date:** March 29, 2017

**Sire:** Petitionville

**Dam:** Bucaramanga

**Old Friends entry date:** 2022

**Earnings:** \$26,773

**HORSE TALK:** Royalian sustained a training injury one morning at Pimlico. We immediately vanned him to New Bolton for surgery. The surgery went well and he came home and did his rehab on Berkeley Farm in Maryland. He became one of the farm's favorite horses because of his disposition and personality. He loved being turned out in a big field with his friends. He enjoyed people feeding him peppermints and giving him some attention. We were searching for a forever home for him and I contacted Stacie Rogers (of the Thoroughbred Aftercare Alliance) and asked her if she thought Old Friends had any room for another horse. She called me back and said, "Michael would love to take him for you." That was like hitting the lottery. We put Royalian on a van and shipped him to Old Friends in Kentucky. How lucky of a horse is he? — *Georganne Hale, Maryland Jockey Club*

## Royal Posse



LAURA BATTLES

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** March 22, 2011

**Sire:** Posse

**Dam:** Struckbylightning

**Old Friends entry date:** 2018

**Earnings:** \$1,037,560

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Claiming Crown Jewel S. twice, Empire Classic H., Evan Shipman S. twice, Alydar S., Mr. Sinatra S.

**HORSE TALK:** Royal Posse epitomizes the American success story. This New York-bred knew nothing of his modest breeding and started out winning his maiden for a claiming tag, but he went on to earn more than \$1 million on the tracking while winning numerous stakes races and the Claiming Crown Jewel at Gulfstream Park, not once but twice. He laid it on the line every time he went out there and brought so much pleasure to all around him. That is why everyone connected with him is so happy he has a great home at Old Friends. — *Michael Dubb, owner*

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## Ruler On Ice



BARBARA LIVINGSTON

Chestnut gelding

**Birth date:** April 2, 2008

**Sire:** Roman Ruler

**Dam:** Champagne Glow

**Old Friends entry date:** 2022

**Earnings:** \$1,709,566

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Belmont S. (G1)

**HORSE TALK:** Ruler On Ice, winner of the 2011 Belmont Stakes, is the fourth winner of the final leg of the Triple Crown to retire to Old Friends, but the first to do so not wearing the moniker of Triple Crown spoiler (see Birdstone/Smarty Jones; Sarava/War Emblem; Touch Gold/Silver Charm). In the Belmont, he defeated Kentucky Derby (G1) winner Animal Kingdom and Preakness (G1) winner Shackleford, so his victory was truly notable. Later in 2011, finished third in the Breeders' Cup Classic (G1), showing that Ruler On Ice rose to the occasion in the sport's biggest races.

## Saint Aloysius



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** May 11, 2013

**Sire:** Exchange Rate

**Dam:** Ahh

**Old Friends entry date:** 2016

**Earnings:** \$338

**HORSE TALK:** Saint Aloysius raced in the GMB Racing Stable silks of Gayle Benson, owner of the NFL's New Orleans Saints. Winless in two starts, the Kentucky-bred son of Exchange Rate spends his days now hanging out in Paddock 30 with his rambunctious buddies Cherono, Johannesburgon, Rail Trip, Lion Hunter, and Photon.

## Sarbonne



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** April 19, 2007

**Sire:** Seeking the Gold

**aDam:** Tasso Run

**Old Friends entry date:** 2014

**Earnings:** \$27,639

**HORSE TALK:** Sarbonne's claim to fame is being a second banana. But when you are runner-up to the legendary Zenyatta, being No. 2 is not so bad. A son of Seeking the Gold, Sarbonne had a modest claiming career, but hit his stride as a workout partner for the Breeders' Cup Classic winner and 2010 Horse of the Year before being retired.

## Saudi Poetry



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Chestnut mare

**Birth date:** Jan. 27, 1997

**Sire:** Storm Cat

**Dam:** Gone to Venus

**Old Friends entry date:** 2019

**Earnings:** \$596,972

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Louisville Breeders' Cup H. (G2), Fleur de Lis H. (G3), Torrey Pines S. Sold as a yearling for \$1.7 million. Sold as a broodmare for \$2.2 million.

**HORSE TALK:** Saudi Poetry is one of the most loving, kind, and noble creatures walking this Earth. How lucky we were, and how grateful, that she graced our home and pastures for the two-plus years that she did. Finding Saudi Poetry, and pulling her from the ocean of indifference that can sometimes engulf older mares, became one of the most rewarding experiences of my life. To have been able to do it alongside my friend and partner in the mare, Laura Hillenbrand, made it all the more meaningful. — Jeff Morris, owner



## Say the Word



MARY GREENE

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** Feb. 8, 2015

**Sire:** More Than Ready

**Dam:** Dancefortheause

**Old Friends entry date:** 2023

**Earnings:** \$861,792

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Canadian champion turf male; Won Northern Dancer S. (Can-G1), Hollywood Turf Cup S. (G2), Elkhorn S. (G2)

**HORSE TALK:** Say the Word is a champion on and off the track. He came into his own in his 5-year-old campaign. Running for the partnership of Agave Racing Stable and breeder Sam-Son Farm, Word won the Grade 1 Northern Dancer Stakes at 1 1/2 miles on turf at Woodbine, rallying from dead last to win by a length. The Northern Dancer was the catalyst for his championship title as he went on to be voted Canada's Sovereign Award for turf male. He won two other stakes races, both Grade 2. While he was characterized as rambunctious as a young horse growing up, he has mellowed in retirement and is enjoying his new life and friends at Old Friends. — *Mark Martinez, Agave Stable, co-owner*

## Sean Avery



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** March 8, 2006

**Sire:** Cherokee Run

**Dam:** Latin Lynx

**Old Friends entry date:** 2013

**Earnings:** \$398,640

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Alfred G. Vanderbilt H. (G1), Longfellow S., Affiliate S.

**HORSE TALK:** Sean Avery is one of the smartest horses we have ever been around! Though his temperament changed with age, Chris tells a story of putting our granddaughter on his back as a 2-year-old. He was a Cadillac of a horse! It was like he always knew what you wanted him to do, yet he'd wait on a command. He loved being a racehorse. Chris and I were blessed to be a part of his team.

— *Chris & Lynne Boutte, Boutte Training and Sales*

## Seek Gold



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** April 2, 2000

**Sire:** Touch Gold

**Dam:** Aly's Adita

**Old Friends entry date:** 2009

**Earnings:** \$902,636

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Stephen Foster H. (G1)

**HORSE TALK:** A son of Old Friends resident Touch Gold, Seek Gold was a longshot winner of the 2006 Grade 1 Stephen Foster. At 91-1, he paid a whopping \$185.40 to his backers, who obviously paid attention to the fact that he excelled when racing at Churchill Downs. Seek Gold came to Old Friends through the efforts of trainer Ron Moquett and the generosity of Bowman Couch Racing. He proved himself among the best of a prestigious division, and an inspiration to all those in the game who, like Moquett and Bowman Couch Racing had been, are "out here struggling and trying to make payroll and trying to pay the feed company," as Moquett put it. "They appreciate what this win means to us."

## Shackleson



LAURA BATTLES

Chestnut gelding

**Birth date:** February 3, 2015

**Sire:** Shackleford

**Dam:** Marvelous Mixture

**Old Friends entry date:** 2024

**Earnings:** \$122,031

**HORSE TALK:** The pride of Lewko Family Racing, Shackleson, a hard-charging war horse, never once disappointed in 53 races, finishing in the money 60 percent of the time. The highlight of his career came on June 30, 2019, when he won a five-furlong race at Suffolk Downs in Boston, the final race ever run on turf at that historic track. It wasn't just the thrills on the racetrack that Shack gave us, it was the time spent on the backstretch at his stall feeding him carrots and peppermints that gave our family so much joy. Cheers to you on your retirement, Shack, it is much deserved. — *Joe Lewko, co-owner*

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## Shadow Cast



MARY GREENE

Chestnut mare

**Birth date:** March 20, 2001

**Sire:** Smart Strike

**Dam:** Daily Special

**Old Friends entry date:** 2023

**Earnings:** \$923,751

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Personal Ensign S. (G1), Louisville Breeders' Cup H. (G2), Silverbulletday S. (G2), Bayou Breeder's Cup H. (G3), Pago Hop S., Truly Bound H.

**HORSE TALK:** While Old Friends does not accept many mares for retirement, we couldn't say no to Shadow Cast. A multiple stakes winner who won the Grade 1 Personal Ensign Stakes at Saratoga, she retired to broodmare life in 2006. After producing eight foals by such regal sires as Bernardini, A.P. Indy, Street Cry, and Storm Cat, Shadow Cast experienced fertility issues starting in 2019, and her owner, Kim Valerio, contacted us regarding retirement. We said yes!

## Shaky Pants



LAURA BATTLES

Chestnut gelding

**Birth date:** March 22, 2020

**Sire:** Bee Jersey

**Dam:** La Soul

**Old Friends entry date:** 2024

**Earnings:** \$71,543

**HORSE TALK:** One of a trio of retirees known as "Hogan's Heroes," Shaky Pants won one race in four starts, the win coming at Saratoga. A subsequent injury sent him to Dr. Patty Hogan's equine hospital in New Jersey. The skill of Dr. Hogan and her staff put Shaky Pants back together, and he was subsequently retired to Old Friends through our good friend, Lorita Lindemann.

## Sharp Samurai



LAURA BATTLES

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** March 9, 2014

**Sire:** First Samurai

**Dam:** Secret Wish

**Old Friends entry date:** 2021

**Earnings:** \$1,111,270

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Del Mar Derby (G2), Twilight Derby (G2), City of Hope Mile S. (G2), La Jolla H. (G3), Rainbow S.

**HORSE TALK:** Sharp Samurai won 8 of 23 career starts and five stakes for leading California owners Red Baron's Barn, Rancho Temescal, and trainer Mark Glatt. He raced exclusively in the Golden State until the final start of his career at Keeneland in Kentucky, the Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile (G1) in 2020, in which he finished third. He spends his retirement days hanging out in Paddock 21 with pals Rathor and Poshsky.

## Shepherd's Delight



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** April 26, 2020

**Sire:** Tapit

**Dam:** She's Delightful

**Old Friends entry date:** 2023

**Earnings:** \$0

**HORSE TALK:** Shepherd's Delight is a well-bred son of Tapit, so when Spendthrift Farm and CJ Thoroughbreds partnered to buy the colt as a yearling, hopes were high for his future as a racehorse. He showed promise in his early training at King's Equine in Ocala, Fla., where he had grown into a beautiful young horse. Then, he developed a neurological issue in his neck and back, and the decision was made to retire him to Old Friends. Shepherd's Delight is out of She's Delightful. So, I used the mare's name and a biblical reference in the Book of Matthew. There is an old saying that goes: Red sky at night, shepherd's delight; red sky in the morning, shepherd's warning. This saying would help shepherds prepare for the upcoming weather. — Corey Johnsen, CJ Thoroughbreds



## Signalman



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Chestnut gelding

**Birth date:** March 21, 2016

**Sire:** General Quarters

**Dam:** Trip South

**Old Friends entry date:** 2021

**Earnings:** \$676,585

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Kentucky Jockey Club S. (G2)

**HORSE TALK:** Such a warrior of a horse! He wasn't an expensive yearling, but he looked like a million dollars winning his maiden at Saratoga and the Grade 2 Kentucky Jockey Club Stakes at Churchill Downs. His partnership group still adores him, and they are so happy that he's at Old Friends. — *Kenny McPeck, trainer*

## Silenced



MARY GREENE

Dark bay or brown horse

**Birth date:** April 19, 2016

**Sire:** Arch

**Dam:** Forest Valentine

**Old Friends entry date:** 2022

**Earnings:** \$85,651

**HORSE TALK:** Silenced is one of our favorite horses in our 50 years in racing. We bought him as a yearling and he was gorgeous. Once he was broken by Mayberry Farm, we learned a few things about him. First, he loved attention. Second, he was going to be a turf horse. He raced in Southern California as well as in Florida and Kentucky, and won several races for trainers Peter Eurton and Cherie Devaux. Like so many racehorses, he needed time to grow into his frame. He did, and we enjoyed every one of his starts. After Silenced suffered an injury, we decided it was best to retire him. We are so proud that Old Friends farm reached out to allow this beautiful horse to live out his life there. — *Lee and Susan Searing, CRK Stables, owners*

## Silver Max



OLD FRIENDS FARM

Bay horse

**Birth date:** March 8, 2009

**Sire:** Badge of Silver

**Dam:** Kissin Rene

**Old Friends entry date:** 2020

**Earnings:** \$1,954,738

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Shadwell Turf Mile S. (G1), Virginia Derby (G2), Firecracker S. (G2), Bernard Baruch H. (G2), American Turf S. (G2), Oceanport S. (G3), Transylvania S. (G3), Opening Verse S., Arlington Classic S., Oliver S.

**HORSE TALK:** A turf specialist, Silver Max counts a victory over Horse of the Year Wise Dan in the Grade 1 Shadwell Turf Mile at Keeneland in his highlight reel. Retired at age 5 after racing four seasons, millionaire Silver Max entered stud at Airdrie Stud in Kentucky before moving to Adena Springs North in Ontario, Canada. He was pensioned from stud duty and sent to his retirement home at Old Friends in November 2020.

## Skip's World



LAURA BATTLES

Gray or roan gelding

**Birth date:** March 19, 2010

**Sire:** Bachelor Blues

**Dam:** Skip Command

**Old Friends entry date:** 2016

**Earnings:** \$78,435

**HORSE TALK:** Carolyn Hine retired Skip's World to Old Friends in 2016. A winner once in 17 career starts, the beautiful gray is a grandson of Carolyn's beloved 1998 Horse of the Year Skip Away, who is interred in Old Friends's Champions Cemetery, which makes him extra-special in her heart. And ours.

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## Smokey Glacken



LAURA BATTLES

Bay mare

**Birth date:** March 29, 2001

**Sire:** Forestry

**Dam:** Majesty's Crown

**Old Friends entry date:** 2021

**Earnings:** \$656,960

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Distaff Breeders' Cup H. (G2), First Lady H. (G3), Hurricane Bertie H. (G3), Floral Park H. (G3), Valley Stream S. (G3), Victory Ride S., Trenton S., Forward Gal S.

**HORSE TALK:** Smokey Glacken joined our broodmare herd in 2021. The multiple graded stakes-winning daughter of Forestry was no slouch over the ovals, earning eight stakes wins in four years, including the Grade 2 Distaff Breeders' Handicap and four Grade 3 triumphs, and more than \$650,000. A broodmare, Smokey had 10 foals over 11 seasons, a remarkable breeding record, though none quite matched her prowess on the track.

## Soi Phet



LAURA BATTLES

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** April 18, 2008

**Sire:** Tizbud

**Dam:** Summer Jersey

**Old Friends entry date:** 2019

**Earnings:** \$1,023,917

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Los Alamitos Mile S., Harry F. Brubaker S., Crystal Water S., Bertrando S. twice, McCann's Mojave H., E. B. Johnston A. twice

**HORSE TALK:** The call came in spring 2013 from trainer Leonard Powell. "I've found a horse to claim who looks like he has some potential. Are you in?" The partnership of Benowitz Family Trust, Mathilde Powell, and Paul Viskovich said "Yes," and thus began the saga of Soi Phet, a then-5-year old gelding with a modest pedigree and only a maiden win. The next six years were extraordinary, as he won eight stakes. In winning the Crystal Water Stakes at age 10, Soi Phet became the oldest stakes winner in the history of Santa Anita. He twice set the mile track record at Los Alamitos, where he won five stakes. Soi Phet proved his versatility by winning on dirt, synthetic, and turf. To his connections he is "family." Soi Phet's tenacity and longevity made him a fan favorite. There is no better match than Soi Phet and Old Friends, horse heaven on earth! — Sandra Benowitz, owner

## Smooth Air



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay horse

**Birth date:** March 12, 2005

**Sire:** Smooth Jazz

**Dam:** Air France

**Old Friends entry date:** 2017

**Earnings:** \$1,117,200

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Ohio Derby (G2), Gulfstream Park H. (G2), Hutcheson S. (G2), Needles S.

**HORSE TALK:** There are very few individuals who have done more for Old Friends than Brian Burns of the aptly named Mt. Joy Stables. Years ago, he retired The Name's Jimmy to us and, when it came time for this multiple stakes winner Smooth Air to retire, he called us. Smooth Air won or was on the board in 14 races in 17 starts and ended up with earnings of \$1,117,200. And Brian loved him. Smooth Air is just like his name: smooth as glass. Handsome, confident, easy going, and as cool as they come. He's completely content to graze and eat carrots and allow us to dote on him.

## Sokitumi Samurai



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** March 31, 2009

**Sire:** First Samurai

**Dam:** Pleasant Laughter

**Old Friends entry date:** 2014

**Earnings:** \$260,222

**HORSE TALK:** Besides Sokitumi Samurai's handsome blaze, he has the personality to go along with his good looks and talent. He was tough to gallop, but we did okay together, and he always picked up checks. He was claimed from me several times. I claimed him back. In August 2014, I claimed him back one final time, sensing that something may be wrong. Upon his arrival in Saratoga, where I was based, I X-rayed him and discovered he had a leg fracture. I called Michael Blowen of Old Friends and asked if he had room for this wonderful boy. — Diane Balsamo, owner-trainer



## Soldat



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Dark bay or brown horse

**Birth date:** April 19, 2008

**Sire:** War Front

**Dam:** Le Relais

**Old Friends entry date:** 2019

**Earnings:** \$622,760

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Fountain of Youth S. (G2), With Anticipation S. (G3)

**HORSE TALK:** Soldat's run to the Kentucky Derby, a first for my family, was about more than just racing, roses, or mint juleps. It was about community. That first weekend in May 2011, my dad arranged for about 20 of my college friends to travel from our school in Pennsylvania to Kentucky for, I believe, their first horse racing experience. They even stayed at the TKE house on the University of Louisville's campus before hurrying home for finals the following Monday. Today, many years later, they still bring up how great of an experience it was. — *Scott E. Clarke, son of owner Harvey Clarke*

## Special Ring



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** March 9, 1997

**Sire:** Nureyev

**Dam:** Ring Beaune

**Old Friends entry date:** 2005

**Earnings:** \$915,023

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Eddie Read H. (G1) twice, Wickerr H., Prix de St Patrick, Prix Altipan

**HORSE TALK:** We could tell you that Special Ring started his career in France, winning his maiden at Maisons-Laffitte and races at Chantilly and Saint-Cloud. We could also tell you that in the United States, he ran for Jack Preston's Prestonwood Farm and was trained by Julio Canani, who urged the gelding to seven wins, including back-to-back victories in the Grade 1 Eddie Read Handicap at Del Mar. But what we really want to tell you is that the blood-bay son of Nureyev has learned to curl his upper lip and show you his tattoo if you give him a treat. Try it. Curl, chomp. Curl, chomp. Curl, chomp. It's as certain as death and taxes. Who says you can't teach an old horse new tricks?

## Spooky Channel



BARBARA LIVINGSTON

Gray or roan gelding

**Birth date:** March 28, 2015

**Sire:** English Channel

**Dam:** Spooky Kitten

**Old Friends entry date:** 2023

**Earnings:** \$1,380,142

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won six stakes, including the Muniz Memorial Classic S. (G2), W.L. McKnight S. (G3), John B. Connally Turf Cup S. (G3), Sycamore S. (G3), Remington Green S.

**HORSE TALK:** A quirky character with a penchant for stuffed unicorn toys, Spooky Channel established himself as one of the best turf runners in North America under the expert care of Jason and Shelbi Barkley. His win in the 2021 Sycamore was the first graded stakes win for NBS Stable. What was most memorable for me was his victory in the 2022 Buddy Diliberto Memorial Stakes, when he was coming off a 14-month hiatus due to injury. It was a triumph of not just his gritty character but of the advances that continue to be made in equine health and rehabilitation. He had done enough on the track, and he now deserves to live out his life at a great place like Old Friends. — *John Ballantyne, NBS Stable, owner*

## Stone Legacy



LAURA BATTLES

Bay mare

**Birth date:** May 5, 2006

**Sire:** Birdstone

**Dam:** Gulch Legacy

**Old Friends entry date:** 2024

**Earnings:** \$225,651

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** 2nd Kentucky Oaks (G1)

**HORSE TALK:** Over the years, Old Friends was fortunate to have the friendship of Marylou Whitney. Marylou's husband, John Hendrickson, retired their Belmont and Travers Stakes winner Birdstone to Old Friends following her passing in 2019. When John died in the summer of 2024, it seemed only fitting that Birdstone's daughter Stone Legacy would join him in retirement at Old Friends at the estate's request. Plus, she's a granddaughter of our Eclipse champion retiree Gulch. We are honored that a part of the Marylou Whitney Stable legacy lives on here at Old Friends.

# PROFILES

## Stubbins



LAURA BATTLES

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** February 11, 2016

**Sire:** Morning Line

**Dam:** Sierra Vista

**Old Friends entry date:** 2022

**Earnings:** \$562,051

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Woodford S. (G2), Pasadena S.

**HORSE TALK:** Stubbins has had a few paddock mates since arriving at the farm. He was the first horse to go out with Special Ring after we lost Popcorn Deelites. He tried hard to be a friend to Ring, but I think it was too soon for Ring to make a new friend after losing his best buddy. Stubbins now shares a paddock with State Flag, who is one of the best-bred horses on the farm. I often see the two buddies running around their paddock and they are usually pretty good about sharing the carrots. — *Laura Battles, tour guide and photographer*

## Summer Attraction



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** May 26, 1995

**Sire:** Dominated

**Dam:** Summer Pasture

**Old Friends entry date:** 2012

**Earnings:** \$28,214

**HORSE TALK:** I first met Summer Attraction in 1997, when he was 2 years old. His owner, Thomas Wilmott, purchased him for \$5,000 in Florida. A few weeks after Silver Charm won the Kentucky Derby in 1997, Summer won his maiden going two furlongs against three others at Suffolk Downs. Two years later, Summer was still eligible for nonwinners-of-two lifetime at the bottom of the claiming ladder and was entered in a \$3,000 nonwinners-of-two race at Finger Lakes on Mother's Day. I gathered up the trainer and a pocketful of cash obtained by credit-card advances, and, after surviving a shake, brought Summer home. Today, he's bonded with Ferocious Won and lives in a herd of eight in the back. And he's still as cute as ever. — *Michael Blown, devoted owner*

## Timothy James



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** Unknown

**Sire:** Hat Trick

**Dam:** Dancin Charisse

**Old Friends entry date:** 2016

**Earnings:** \$0

**HORSE TALK:** Most racehorses are deemed special for what they do on the track, but Timothy James's impact has been far greater than any momentary achievement. He's shown through his perseverance and character that a single horse can mend the hearts of a broken family. He was named after Timothy James Reynolds, who died tragically in 2011 but whose spirit lives on through Timothy James. TJ had to fight for survival since birth. As a weanling, he battled colic, which led to an expensive surgery. TJ was part of a farm rescue in Mercer County, Ky., and was reunited with Tim's parents, Alice and Wayne, at Old Friends. They now visit him regularly. For TJ, it's a life he's always deserved. For Alice and Wayne, it's one more moment with their son. — *Scott Dick, sponsor*

## Tricky Hat (Chi)



LAURA BATTLES

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** March 10, 2009

**Sire:** Hat Trick

**Dam:** Tonichi

**Old Friends entry date:** 2018

**Earnings:** \$282,877

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Laurel Turf Cup S., John's Call S.

**HORSE TALK:** Talk about aptly named. Tricky Hat was exactly that — tricky. I had followed him on the flat where he had beaten our Grade 3 stakes winner Eagle Poise in the Laurel Turf Cup. After talking to trainer Shug McGaughey, we offered the mercurial gelding a chance over hurdles and later timber. He was enthralled by jumping, enjoyed fox hunting, relished farm life, loved playing in the stream near his barn in Monkton, Md. He was always challenging, that was him, but it was a fun challenge. We are thankful he found a soft landing at Old Friends. He deserves it. — *Sean Clancy, Riverdee Stables*



## Tuneintobow



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Gray or roan gelding

**Birth date:** March 12, 2011

**Sire:** Concorde's Tune

**Dam:** Clara Bow

**Old Friends entry date:** 2016

**Earnings:** \$79,200

**HORSE TALK:** Another hard knocker, Bow toiled in the claiming ranks for multiple owners, ending up with Drawing Away Stables and trainer Maria Borell for his final starts. He retired to Old Friends where assistant farm manager Carole Oates attempted to retrain him for a dressage career, but soundness issues prevented him from succeeding.

## U.S. Ranger



LAURA BATTLES

Bay horse

**Birth date:** April 22, 2004

**Sire:** Danzig

**Dam:** My Annette

**Old Friends entry date:** 2022

**Earnings:** \$481,775

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Waterford Testimonial S., Prix Djebel S.

**HORSE TALK:** U S Ranger, a Kentucky-bred, spent the majority of his racing career on racecourses in Europe. He was undefeated at age 2 and was Irish champion 3-year-old male and Irish champion older male, as well as champion European sprinter at ages 3 and 4. He stood stud in Kentucky, Australia, and California before retiring to Old Friends in 2022.

## V. E. Day



LAURA BATTLES

Chestnut horse

**Birth date:** April 21, 2011

**Sire:** English Channel

**Dam:** California Sunset

**Old Friends entry date:** 2023

**Earnings:** \$1,044,061

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Travers S. (G1), Curlin S.

**HORSE TALK:** Owned by the estate of Magalen Bryant, V. E. Day's claim to racing fame came in August 2014, when he upset the field to win the "Mid-Summer Derby," the Grade 1 Travers Stakes at Saratoga. After racing in France at age 4, V. E. Day saw stud duty in New York, Kentucky, and California before retiring to Old Friends in June 2023.

## Wake Forest (Ger)



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Bay gelding

**Birth date:** May 6, 2010

**Sire:** Sir Percy

**Dam:** Wurfspiel

**Old Friends entry date:** 2019

**Earnings:** \$951,745

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Man o' War S. (G1), Mac Diarmida S. (G2), Grosser Preis von Hamburg Trophy (Ger-G3), Preis der Deutschen Einheit (Ger-G3)

**HORSE TALK:** Wake Forest was such a joy to be around — he oozed class, coolness, and charisma. A world traveler, he raced and in most cases won in Germany, Italy, France, and Canada, not to mention the several Grade 1 races he competed in in the United States. His best win came in the Grade 1 Man o' War Stakes. As someone who campaigned him for a good deal of his North American career, I am so grateful to Old Friends for providing a safe and nourishing place for him to live out his life. — *Michael Dubb, owner*

# PROFILES

## Wally Ballou

Bay gelding  
**Birth date:** June 6, 1998  
**Sire:** Game Plan  
**Dam:** S. S. Hawk  
**Old Friends entry date:** 2022  
**Earnings:** \$144,520



MARY GREENE

**HORSE TALK:** Wally Ballou raced 91 times with the majority of his races coming at Emerald Downs in Washington State. He then disappeared, resurfacing at age 24 in the summer of 2022 in a California couple's backyard. Taken in by Cezanne Ryerson-Jodka of Challenger Quarter Horses, Wally was nursed back to health and relocated to Old Friends in October 2022. Our Diane White loved the fictional character Wally Ballou from the old Bob and Ray comedy team, so how could we resist? He's quickly become a farm favorite!

## Warrior's Reward

Bay gelding  
**Birth date:** April 3, 2006  
**Sire:** Medaglia d'Oro  
**Dam:** For All You Do  
**Old Friends entry date:** 2024  
**Earnings:** \$565,716



LAURA BATTLES

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Carter H. (G1)

**HORSE TALK:** The highlight of Warrior's Reward's racing career was his victory in the 2010 Carter Handicap at Aqueduct in New York. After winning a total of four races and earning over \$560,000, Warrior's Reward retired to stud at Spendthrift Farm in Kentucky, shuttled to Spendthrift's division in Australia, and stood at WynOaks Farm in Pennsylvania before he was retired to Old Friends.

## War Story

Chestnut gelding  
**Birth date:** March 25, 2012  
**Sire:** Northern Afleet  
**Dam:** Belle Watling  
**Old Friends entry date:** 2007  
**Earnings:** \$3,271,996



OLD FRIENDS FARM

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Brooklyn Invitational S. (G2), Harlan's Holiday S. (G3), Monmouth Cup S. (G3), Challenger S., Queens County S.

**HORSE TALK:** He is such a special horse. He could run any distance, he just never gave up, and he could do anything. I'm so happy now because he can just live a happy life and he's earned it. — *Glenn Ellis, co-owner*

## Weekend Hideaway

Chestnut gelding  
**Birth date:** March 18, 2010  
**Sire:** Speightstown  
**Dam:** Apocalyptic  
**Old Friends entry date:** 2023  
**Earnings:** \$1,144,922



OLD FRIENDS

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Bertram F. Bongard S., David S., Gone Fishin S., Commentator S. twice, John Morrissey S. twice, Florida Sunshine Millions Sprint S., Affirmed Success S.

**HORSE TALK:** Weekend Hideaway is sweet, curious, and smart. He has been a horse in transition since his arrival. His first few days were restless until he discovered Old Friends has a lot to offer. He settled down and became very adept at making human friends. Weekend Hideaway can watch grass grow with a best friend and be content. He was introduced to a paddock with four other horses and found a middle ground with his new herd. A millionaire on the racetrack, he also is a big winner in retirement. — *Lisa Wood, tour guide*



## Welder

Gray or roan gelding

**Birth date:** Feb. 19, 2013

**Sire:** The Visualizer

**Dam:** Dance Softly

**Old Friends entry date:** 2023

**Earnings:** \$1,263,359



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Inducted into Oklahoma Racing Hall of Fame; Won 15 stakes races, including David M. Vance twice, Oklahoma Classics Sprint twice, Remington Park Turf Sprint S. twice

**HORSE TALK:** I'm not sure how to express my attachment to Welder. I've spent most of my training career with him and, honestly, I don't know what it will be like to not see him every day. He is special. Few horsemen can say they've ever been affiliated with one quite like him. I know I never will again. He is much more than a racehorse to me. He has a goofy personality. He is gritty and tough and always gave his all on the track. I'll miss him terribly. Old Friends is such a perfect place for Welder, surrounded by people who love him like I do and other horses that are special like him. We don't have to worry about his future being at Old Friends. We are honored they accepted him. I hope all his fans will visit him at this wonderful place Welder calls home. — *Teri Luneack, trainer*

## Wicked Sorceress



LAURA BATTLES

Chestnut mare

**Birth date:** May 31, 2003

**Sire:** Charismatic

**Dam:** Hot Memories

**Old Friends entry date:** 2022

**Earnings:** \$79,423

**HORSE TALK:** A daughter of Charismatic, Wicked Sorceress has her daddy's chestnut color and kind disposition. She shares a paddock with Miss Du Bois and has quickly figured out that my visits mean carrots. I always have to sneak carrots to her as Miss Du Bois is still working on the concept of sharing. Wicked Sorceress is sweet and appreciates every carrot or bit of grooming she gets. — *Laura Battles, tour guide and photographer*

## Windy Land



BARBARA D. LIVINGSTON

Chestnut gelding

**Birth date:** April 28, 1999

**Sire:** Mixed Pleasure

**Dam:** Distant Star

**Old Friends entry date:** 2016

**Earnings:** \$0

**HORSE TALK:** After serving as friend and caretaker to his sire, Mixed Pleasure, I was very excited when Old Friends was asked to provide a retirement home for his only male offspring, Windy Land. When All Breeds Rez Q in Washington needed to downsize its herd, the wheels were set in motion for the unraced gelding to make the cross-country journey to Kentucky. Windy Land not only has his father's good looks, but I'm amazed at some of the personality and behavior mannerisms that remind me of Mixed Pleasure. I'm beyond honored to care for him and will forever be grateful to Michael and Old Friends for providing him a soft spot to land. — *John Bradley, sponsor*

## Zulu Alpha



LAURA BATTLES

Dark bay or brown gelding

**Birth date:** Feb. 8, 2013

**Sire:** Street Cry

**Dam:** Zori

**Old Friends entry date:** 2021

**Earnings:** \$2,269,084

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Won Pegasus World Cup Turf Invitational S. (G1), MacDiarmida S. (G2) twice, Elkhorn S. (G2), Sycamore S. (G3), Kentucky Turf Cup S. (G3), W. L. McKnight S. (G3)

**HORSE TALK:** Zulu came to us via the claim box, initially placed with trainer John Ortiz, then transferred to Mike Maker for a winter campaign in South Florida. Zulu Alpha took us on the ride of a lifetime and reached a level of success we could only dream of. Seven graded wins later, he calls Old Friends home. Thank you, Mike Maker and team. Thank you, Old Friends. And thank you, Zulu Alpha. We are forever in your debt. — *Michael Hui, owner*

# HALL OF FAME



## Alphabet Soup

*Gr. or ro. h., 1991-2022, by Cozzene—Iliterate, by Arts and Letters*

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Earned \$2,990,270; Major Races Won: Breeders' Cup Classic (G1), San Antonio H. (G2), San Pasqual H. (G2), Del Mar Breeders' Cup H. (G2), Pat O'Brien H. (G3), Native Diver H. (G3); set track record for 1 1/4 miles at Woodbine; sired 52 stakes winners

**Michael Blowen:** It won't be the same around here without Soup. Over these seven years, he was a delight to be around, with his sweet nature and enormous popularity. He brought joy to everyone. His best friend, the donkey Gorgeous George, will miss him terribly, and so will everyone on the farm. We are so grateful to Frank Stronach and everyone at Adena Springs for giving us the privilege of retiring this fabulous champion.



## Amazombie

*B. g., 2006-2023, by Northern Affleet—Wilshe Amaze, by In Excess*

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Earned \$1,920,378; Champion sprinter; Won Breeders' Cup Sprint S. (G1), Bing Crosby S. (G1), Ancient Title S. (G1), Potrero Grande S. (G2), Tiznow S., Sunshine Millions Sprint S.

**Michael Blowen:** Amazombie died doing what he did best – running like the wind. I like all of our retirees; I love just a handful, and we lost one of those when Amazombie outran his limitations. I'm certain that I'm not the only one who is heartbroken.



## Awesome Again

*B. h., 1994-2021, by Deputy Minister—Primal Force, by Blushing Groom*

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Earned \$4,374,590; Major Races Won: Breeders' Cup Classic (G1), Whitney H. (G1), Queen's Plate S.

**Michael Blowen:** When Awesome Again was pensioned to Old Friends, he was reunited with old competitors – Silver Charm and Touch Gold – and two of his best sons, Awesome Gem and Game On Dude. It took him about one minute to adapt. He stepped off the Adena Springs trailer, took a deep breath, walked directly to his paddock, conveniently located next to Game On Dude's, and announced to his other neighbors – Sarava, Nicanor, and Little Mike – that he'd arrived, and he began munching on his hay. No muss. No fuss. Just class.



## Bint Marscay

*Ch. m., 1990-2019, by Marscay—Eau d'Etoile, by Sir Tristram*

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Earned \$1,034,821; Major Races Won: Golden Slipper (Aus-G1), Chirnside (Aus-G2), Magic Night (Aus-G2); Honors: Champion 2-year-old filly in Australia

**Richard Freedman, trainer:** I was saddened to hear of the passing of Bint Marscay. She was one of the greatest 2-year-olds to race in Australia, and she remains a yardstick by which Australian 2-year-olds are still measured today. She gave me, my family, and her racing connections so much joy. Thanks to Old Friends for taking such good care of her in retirement. She deserved no less.



## Black Tie Affair

*Gr. h., 1986-2010, by Miswaki—Hat Tab Girl, by Al Hattab*

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Earned \$3,370,694; Major Races Won: Breeders' Cup Classic (G1), Metropolitan (G1), Philip H. Iselin (G1); Honors: 1991 Horse of the Year and champion older male; sire of 39 stakes winners

**Dee Poulos, supporter, wife of late trainer Ernie Poulos:** He was just life-changing for us. It was such a wonderful experience with him. He was an inspiration for me.

**Michael Blowen:** It was an honor to be associated with such an amazing athlete. The Old Friends team did everything we could to help this old warrior. In the end, he exhibited the same class as he did when he won the Breeders' Cup Classic. He was the best in every way.



## Bonnie's Poker

*Dk. b. or br. m., 1982-2010, by Poker—What a Surprise, by Wise Margin*

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Dam of Silver Charm – Racing Hall of Fame class of 2007, 1997 champion 3-year-old male, winner of Kentucky Derby (G1), Preakness (G1), Dubai World Cup (UAE-G1), earner of \$6,944,369

**Michael Blowen:** What a dame! While famous as the dam of Kentucky Derby winner Silver Charm and as the 1997 Florida broodmare of the year, Bonnie's Poker also was a tough little racehorse, winning races for trainer Oscar Barrera in the middle of winter at Aqueduct. Kris Jakeman pensioned her to Old Friends, where she tolerated us for several years. She ran the mare paddock until the day she died.





## Charismatic

Ch. h., 1996-2017, by Summer Squall—Bali Babe, by Drone

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Earned \$2,038,064; Major Races Won: Kentucky Derby (G1), Preakness (G1), Lexington S. (G2)

**Michael Blowsen:** A few days after we'd made arrangements to bring Charismatic home, I was in the back of the musty basement and found a framed, dusty poster of Charismatic's 1999 Kentucky Derby victory. On the glass was a Post-it note that read, "Save for when he comes home." It was dated April 11, 2004. I couldn't imagine any horse who we'd rather have at Old Friends. He deserved a much longer retirement. But none of us, unfortunately, has a magic wand. Everyone at Old Friends takes solace from the few special months that this great champion gave us.



## Hidden Lake

B. m., 1993-2016, by Quiet American—Friendly Circle, by Round Table

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Earned \$947,489; Major Races Won: Beldame (G1), Go for Wand (G1), Hempstead (G1), Shuvee (G2), La Brea (G2); 1997 champion older female

**Barbara Fossum:** It was easy to see why Hidden Lake was a champion. From her courageous victory in the 1997 Go for Wand Stakes at Saratoga, to the seven foals she carried, foaled, and raised, to her life in the retirement paddock she shared with Australian champion Bint Marscay, Miss Lake was determined to be first in everything she did. That determination, even at age 23, defined who she was until the day she died. And it was why she had an Eclipse Award sitting on the mantel in her run-in shed.



## Fraise

B. h., 1988-2005, by Strawberry Road—Zalataia, by Dictus

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Earned \$2,613,105; Major Races Won: Breeders' Cup Turf (G1), Hollywood Turf Cup (G1), Sword Dancer (G1); Repatriated from Japan in 2005

**Michael Blowsen:** If Madeleine Paulson weren't such a good golfer, Fraise may never have triumphed in the 1992 Breeders' Cup Turf. The wife of the late Allen Paulson won Fraise from her husband in a wager on the green, decided he should be competing on the grass, not the dirt, and turned over training duties to Bill Mott, who had won the Breeders' Cup Turf with Theatrical in 1987. The result was a record-breaking Breeders' Cup Turf win by a head in a blazing 2:24.



## Marquetry

Ch. h., 1987-2013, by Conquistador Cielo—Regent's Walk, by Vice Regent

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Earned \$2,857,886; Major Races Won: Eddie Read (G1), Hollywood Gold Cup (G1), Meadowlands Cup (G1); Sire of champions Artax and Squirtle Squirt

**Michael Blowsen:** I like, to one degree or another, all of our retirees; Marquetry was at the top of the list. After spending each day in his paddock, directly in front of the house so we could appreciate the view, Marquetry would greet Reymundo at the gate at 4 p.m. sharp. He'd prance up the driveway and walk through the barn door and into his stall, where fresh hay, feed, and carrots awaited him. If there were not enough carrots, he'd shoot us a look and neigh. He knew what he wanted and when he wanted it, but he was never rude. His majesty is difficult to capture in words.



## Gulch

B. h., 1984-2016, by Mr. Prospector—Jameela, by Rambunctious

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Earned \$3,015,521; Major Races Won: Breeders' Cup Sprint (G1), Metropolitan (G1) twice, Wood Memorial (G1), Carter (G1), Futurity (G1), Hopeful (G1); 1988 champion sprinter; Sire of 75 stakes winners

**Lane's End Farm:** When Gulch retired to stud in 1989, Lane's End was a young farm. We had opened our stallion division just four years earlier. Gulch was a strong stallion prospect, and he wasted no time at Lane's End showing that he would be an outstanding sire. It's no exaggeration to say he helped lay the foundation of one of the world's most successful farms. Indeed, years from now, when people talk about Lane's End's beginnings, they will talk about Gulch. And for that, we thank our old friend.



## Precisionist

Ch. h., 1981-2006, by Crozier—Excellently, by Forli

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Earned \$3,485,398; Major Races Won: Breeders' Cup Sprint (G1), Californian (G1), Charles H. Strub (G1), San Fernando (G1), Swaps (G1), Woodward (G1); Hall of Fame class of 2003; 1985 champion sprinter

**Michael Blowsen:** Due to the extraordinary generosity of Dr. Siobhan Ellison, who donated this great champion to Old Friends, we were honored to have Precisionist in our care and humbled by the trust Ellison put in us. We all wish he could have stayed a little longer. But in those brief four months, punctuated by frequent visits from his great jockey, Chris McCarron, Precisionist taught us a lot. Not just about how he liked his stall fluffed and where he liked his neck rubbed but about dignity and, of course, class.



## Prized

*Dk. b. or br. h., 1986-2014, by Kris S.—My Turbulent Miss, by My Dad George*

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Earned \$2,262,555; Major Races Won: Breeders' Cup Turf (G1), San Luis Rey (G1), Swaps (G2); Sire of millionaire Brass Hat; maternal grandsire of 2014 Kentucky Oaks (G1) winner and millionaire Untapable

**Michael Blowsen:** Prized still loved to race, whether it was against Little Silver Charm or You and I. But his favorite pal was Sunshine Forever. In the 1989 Breeders' Cup Turf, Prized was in the starting gate next to Sunshine Forever. At Old Friends, they were in adjoining paddocks. It doesn't get much better than that. One summer, we brought Prized up every afternoon from his paddock for a cool shower, extra carrots, and the adulation of his fans. He loved it.



## Sarava

*Dk. b. or br. h., 1999-2023, Wild Again – Rhythm of Life, by Deputy Minister*

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Earned \$773,832; Won Belmont S. (G1), Sir Barton S.

**Edgar Prado, jockey:** He gave me one of the biggest thrills of my career. When I moved to New York, he gave me my first Triple Crown race winner. Everybody will remember him for being one of the biggest longshots in history to win the race. I was glad to see him recently at Old Friends. But I think the most important thing is that in the last years of his life, he spent quality time among so many good people that showed him love, showed him respect and admiration for what he has done for horse racing.



## Sunshine Forever

*B. h., 1985-2014, by Roberto—Outward Sunshine, by Graustark*

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Earned \$2,084,800; Major Races Won: Budweiser International (G1), Man o' War (G1), Turf Classic (G1), Lexington (G2); 1988 champion grass male; repatriated from Japan to Old Friends in 2004

**Kate Dunn, supporter:** Sunshine Forever struck me with his presence the first time I ever saw him. He stood in his pasture and observed, dignified majesty winning over the long years' wear on his body. When I reflect on my memory of Sunshine the last time I saw him, his dignity continued to dominate. He had a majestic presence. His coat gleamed, his muscles remained strong, his regal eye surveyed his realm. To the end, Sunshine embodied the imposing beauty of the Thoroughbred.



## Swain

*B. h., 1992-2022, by Nashwan—Love Smitten, by Key to the Mint*

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Earned \$3,797,566; Major Races Won: King George VI and Queen Elizabeth Diamond S. (Eng-G1) twice, Coronation Cup (Eng-G1), Irish Champion S. (Ire-G1), Grand Prix de Deauville (Fr-G2), Prix du Lys (Fr-G3), Prix Foy (Fr-G3); 1997 and 1998 champion older horse in England, 1998 champion older horse in Ireland

**Michael Blowsen:** Swain, bred in Ireland by Shadwell Stud, was a Group 1-winning champion in England and Ireland, and also ran third in two Breeders' Cup events – the 1996 Breeders' Cup Turf (G1), and the 1998 Breeders' Cup Classic (G1), finishing just behind Awesome Again and Silver Charm, two fellow Old Friends residents. We were honored to be chosen as the retirement home for this friendly, sweet, personable stallion.



## War Emblem

*Dk. b. or b. g., 1999-2020, by Our Emblem—Sweetest Lady, by Lord At War*

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Earned \$3,491,000; Major Races Won: Kentucky Derby (G1), Preakness (G1), Haskell Invitational (G1); 2002 champion 3-year-old male

**Michael Blowsen:** I know we're supposed to appreciate all of our retirees the same, but War Emblem was special. He was tough, narcissistic, bold, and handsome. I adored him. I proudly count among a very meager number of accomplishments the day he allowed me to put his halter on without biting me. He trusted me. What more could I ask for? The farm will recover from his loss, but it'll never be the same. War Emblem had what all great athletes – humans or equines – possess: talent, intelligence, and iron will. We thought he was immortal.



## Work All Week

*Ch. g., 2009-2023, by City Zip – Danzig Matilda, by Repriced*

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Earned \$1,511,071; Champion sprinter; Won Breeders' Cup Sprint S. (G1), Phoenix S. (G3), Iowa Sprint H., Hot Springs S., Senator Robert C. Byrd Memorial S., Lightning Jet H., Tex's Zing S.

**Michael Blowsen:** Even though I bet on the second-place finisher, Secret Circle, in the 2014 Breeders' Cup Sprint, I fell in love with Work All Week. He and his stablemate The Pizza Man arrived together, and I wish everyone could have seen them as they celebrated with absolute joy in their paddock. Thank you to owners Richard and Karen Papiese, who trusted us with their Breeders' Cup champ.



# DRF LIFETIME PAST PERFORMANCES

## Alpha

Own: Godolphin LLC

B. h. 16 (Mar)  
Sire: Bernardini (A.P. Indy) \$35,000  
Dam: Munnaya (Nijinsky II)  
Br: Darley (Ky)  
Tr: McLaughlin Kieran P (0 0 0 0 .00) 2024 : (0 0 .00)

Life	22	6	2	1	\$1,815,667	109	D.Fst	17	4	2	1	\$969,667	100
2014	3	0	0	1	\$19,000	92	Wet(369)	2	2	0	0	\$810,000	109
2013	8	1	0	0	\$526,667	109	Synth(298)					\$0	
							Turf(262)	1	0	0	0	\$6,000	92

5Sep14-8Bel fst 1	23 :452 1:093 1:35	34 LeftBankB98k	83 1/5	31 1/2	32 1/2	54	56	57 1/2	Velazquez J R	L118 b	4.80	81-17	GoldnTcktnkPntsOnFmoIntgrty3 Svd ground to upper
17Aug14-9Sar fst 1 1/2	464 1:104 1:362 1:494	44 AlydarB100k	92 1/6	11	11	12 1/2	33 1/2	38 1/2	Velazquez J R	L123 b	*1.85	79-18	Faarhaan3StorminMonarcho5Alpha1 1/2 Inside pace, tired
15Feb14-10GP fm 1 1/2	494 1:153 1:40 2:15	44 MDiarmd-G2	92 9/9	11 1/2	14	1 1/2	31 1/2	53 1/2	Rosario J	L119 b	5.90	79-21	TwilightEclipse1AmenKittnnkSlumbr1 Rushed to lead
30Nov13-8Haw fst 1 1/4	51 1:153 1:404 2:06	34 HwGldCpH-G2	92 5/8	1 1/2	11	1 1/2	42 1/2	45 1/2	Castro E	L118 b	2.80	84-20	LstGftr1MstrMrtGr52StrtSp2 1/2 Pace inside, gave way
1Nov13-8SA fst 1	22 :443 1:083 1:35	34 BCDirtMi-G1	80 6/11	11 1/2	11 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	8 1/2	Bravo J	L126 b	19.20	79-12	Gldncts23GldTckt3BrjdOllrs1 1/2 Fractious gate, off slw
28Sep13-10Bel fst 1 1/4	47 1:1:103 1:35 1:593	34 JkyClbGC-G1	94 5/8	11 1/2	12	33 1/2	58 1/2	61 1/2	Bravo J	L126 b	22.40	96-01	RontheGreek63PlcMlic1 1/2FltOut1 Rated 2p to 1/4, tired
31Aug13-40Sar slyS 1 1/2	48 1:1:112 1:36 1:491	34 Woodward-G1	109 5/5	12	12	12	11	1hd	Velazquez J R	L126 b	7.70	92-24	AlphadFitOut63SuccessfulDn3 Rate 2-3w to 1/4, game
3Aug13-40Sar fst 1 1/2	47 1:1:101 1:344 1:474	34 WhntynInH-G1	96 6/8	69	61 1/2	69 1/2	67	67	Rosario J	L117	7.80	92-01	CrsTrffcScssID1 1/2McMcM2 3w both turns, outrun
6Jly13-8Bel fst 1 1/2	47 1:1:11 1:344 1:464	34 SuburnH-G2	95 1/5	33 1/2	33 1/2	31 1/2	53 1/2	47 1/2	Ortiz I Jr	L118	6.80	91-09	FitOut2 1/2LstGnfghtmoFstFlicon4 1/2 Broke open gate, 2p
30Mar13 Meydan (UAE)	ft *1 1/2 LH 1:394	34 Godolphin Mile-G2					16	54	de Sousa S	126 b	-		Soft Falling Rain3HaatheaMoonwalk in Paris1
7Feb13 Meydan (UAE)	ft *1 1/2 LH 1:58	34 Al Maktoum Challenge-Round 2-G2					12	12 11 1/2	Buick W	125	-		Trackd ldrs, to lead appr 3f out, headed 2f, one paced
		Stk 250000											Hunter's Light3Surfer3Prince Bishop1 1/2
3Nov12-12SA fst 1 1/4	462 1:10 1:343 2:00	34 BCClasic-G1	50 3/12	51 1/2	42	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	Dominguez R A	L122	23.50	52-11	FortLrnd3MuchoMchoMn63Fit01 1/2 Rail, stopped, eased
22Sep12-11Prx fst 1 1/2	49 1:1:14 1:384 1:513	PaDerby-G2	86 4/7	1hd	21	1hd	41 1/2	64 1/2	Dominguez R A	L124	*.70	74-18	HndsmMk2MchMchnkGldnTckt1 1/2 Rated, led, weakened
25Aug12-12Sar fst 1 1/4	48 1:123 1:371 2:023	Travers-G1	100 6/11	42 1/2	32	2hd	21	1nk	Dominguez R A	L126	*2.40	98-02	HHGldTcktnkAlphkFstFlic1 3-4w turns, determined
28Jly12-40Sar slyS 1 1/2	49 1:1:14 1:38 1:502	JimDandy-G2	96 1/8	11	11	1 1/2	1 1/2	12	Dominguez R A	L119	*1.80	87-13	Alpha2Neck 'n Neck2Liaison1 1/2 Easy lead, repelled bid
5May12-11CD fst 1 1/4	45 1:1:094 1:35 2:014	KyDerby-G1	73 11/20	13 1/2	13 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2	12 1/2	Maragh R	L126 f	19.60	82-04	IlHvAnthr1 1/2BdmstrnkDlHn3 Awkward st, no menace
7Apr12-9Aqu fst 1 1/2	47 1:1:122 1:373 1:504	WoodMem-G1	98 1/8	53 1/2	43	42 1/2	21 1/2	2nk	Dominguez R A	L123	2.30	90-14	GmologistnkAlpha3ThothofDog1 1/2 Stead'd 1st, 3w upper
4Feb12-9Aqu fst 1 1/2	233 :48 1:123 1:441	Withers-G3	92 6/6	42 1/2	43	31 1/2	14	13 1/2	Dominguez R A	L120	*.35	92-11	Alpha3Spightscity1 1/2TigrWlk1 3w on turns, hand urged
7Jan12-8Aqu fst 1 1/2	242 :49 1:134 1:424	CountFleet150k	86 5/7	32 1/2	32 1/2	3 1/2	1hd	12 1/2	Dominguez R A	L116	*.80	89-17	Alpha2StephnotseenkIlVilno3 1/2 Bobble break, 3w trip
5Nov11-9CD fst 1 1/2	231 :47 1:1:121 1:442	BCJuvnle-G1	61 9/13	56	76	129 1/2	12 1/2	11 1/2	Gomez G K	122	13.90	72-09	HansenndUnion Rags1Creative Cause5 Fractious gate
8Oct11-9Bel fst 1	223 :454 1:101 1:352	Champagn-G1	82 4/8	85	76 1/2	53 1/2	43 1/2	25 1/2	Garcia Alan	122	2.10	81-13	UnionRgs53Alpha1RighttoVo1 1/2 Carry in st, alter crse
3Sep11-7Sar fst 7f	222 :45 1:1:104 1:234	Md Sp Wt 55k	84 3/10	6	45 1/2	25 1/2	15	16	Garcia Alan	119	6.10e	88-12	Alpha1Invocation3Africanist1 1/2 Draw away, steady urging

## Any Given Saturday

Own: Winstar Farm LLC and Padua Stables

Dk. b or b. h. 21 (Jan)  
Sire: Distorted Humor (Forty Niner) \$50,000  
Dam: Weekend in Indy (A.P. Indy)  
Br: Racehorse Management, LLC (Ky)  
Tr: Pletcher Todd A (0 0 0 0 .00) 2024 : (800 143 .18)

Life	11	6	2	1	\$1,083,533	113	D.Fst	8	4	2	1	\$1,037,289	113
2007	8	4	1	1	\$994,320	113	Wet(455)	1	0	0	0	\$0	76
2006	3	2	1	0	\$89,213	100	Synth(361)					\$0	
							Turf(319)	0	0	0	0	\$0	-

27Oct07-11Mth slyS 1 1/4	454 1:103 1:354 2:002	34 BCClasic-G1	76 3/9	42 1/2	43 1/2	56 1/2	61 1/2	62 1/2	Gomez G K	L121	3.90	87-07	Curlin1HrdSpun43AwesomeGm1 Inside, no response
22Sep07-10Bel fst 1 1/2	46 1:101 1:351 1:481	34 BrooklynH-G2	103 2/5	24 1/2	26	25	1 1/2	1 1/2	Gomez G K	L118	*.15	90-10	AnyGvnStrd2 1/2TstlvqHslnk1 1/2 Awkward start, bumped
5Aug07-13Mth fst 1 1/2	47 1:103 1:352 1:481	HsklInv-G1	113 1/7	31 1/2	32 1/2	31 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	Gomez G K	L118	1.80	97-13	AnGvnStrd4 1/2HrdSpnhdCrln3 Eased 3wd, driven clear
4Jly07-9Bel fst 1 1/2	234 :47 1:104 1:403	Dwyer-G2	110 5/5	21	2 1/2	2hd	11 1/2	14	Gomez G K	L121	1.65	97-03	AnGvnStrd4 1/2NblkShb3Sghtsng2 1/2 Bumped backstretch
5May07-10CD fst 1 1/4	46 1:1:11 1:37 2:02	KyDerby-G1	95 18/20	83 1/2	96 1/2	43 1/2	45	810 1/2	Gomez G K	L126	13.60	85-09	StreetSns2 1/2HrdSpun53Curlin3 Caused crowd 3/8, wide
7Apr07-8Aqu fst 1 1/2	47 1:1:104 1:36 1:492	WoodMem-G1	91 5/6	41	4 1/2	3nk	2 1/2	33 1/2	Velazquez J R	L123	1.50	84-12	NblkShb3Shsntns3 1/2AnGStrd4 1/2 Caught wide both turns
17Mar07-12Tam fst 1 1/2	232 :472 1:12 1:43	TampaDby-G3	102 4/7	34	34 1/2	31 1/2	2 1/2	2no	Velazquez J R	L120	*.70	100-10	StrtSnsnoAnGStrd6 1/2DlhtfKss2 Bid 3w, brushed, missed
17Feb07-10Tam fst 1 1/2	234 :48 1:121 1:441	SamFDavis146k	95 3/7	31 1/2	31 1/2	3 1/2	1hd	12 1/2	Velazquez J R	L122	*.20	94-09	AnGvnStrd3 1/2AlIICnGt3 1/2JmsWlfrd2 1/2 Bid 3w, ridden out
25Nov06-11CD fst 1 1/2	233 :472 1:114 1:424	KyJC-G2	100 8/9	3 1/2	31 1/2	1hd	2hd	2 1/2	Bejarano R	L122	4.90	95-11	TWndrf1 1/2AnyGvnStrd5 1/2Dmncmk Bid, led, 4w, game try
19Oct06-7Kee fst 1 1/2	233 :48 1:133 1:443	Alw 52000n1x	80 9/9	84	82	61 1/2	12	13	Leparoux J R	L115	2.40	- -	AnyGvnSturdy3 1/2SmPt3Shipmt4 Sweeping rally, 5w, drv
15Sep06-7TP fst 5 1/2f	221 :46 1:044	Md Sp Wt 22k	71 11/11	8	97 1/2	94 1/2	42	1no	Leparoux J R	L116	2.30	99-07	AnyGvnSturdynoWstwon2 1/2BrillntBd3 6 wide run turn

## Big Brown

Own: IEAH Stables Pompa, Jr., P., Tolchin,

B. h. 20 (Apr)  
Sire: Boundary (Danzig) \$10,000  
Dam: Mien (Nureyev)  
Br: Monticule (Ky)  
Tr: Dutrow R E Jr (0 0 0 0 .00) 2024 : (339 65 .19)

Life	8	7	0	0	\$3,614,500	109	D.Fst	6	5	0	0	\$3,276,700	109
2008	7	6	0	0	\$3,576,700	109	Wet(395)	0	0	0	0	\$0	-
2007	1	1	0	0	\$37,800	90	Synth(321)					\$0	
							Turf(329)	2	2	0	0	\$337,800	105

13Sep08-9Mth gd 1 1/2	464 1:111 1:351 1:472	34 Monmouth500k	105 4/9	1 1/2	12	1 1/2	11	1nk	Desormeaux K J	L120	*.60	93-07	BigBrownnkProudnsky3Shks3 Comfortable pace, game
3Aug08-13Mth fst 1 1/2	462 1:104 1:351 1:481	HsklInv-G1	106 4/7	2 1/2	21 1/2	21	22	11 1/2	Desormeaux K J	L122 f	*.20	100-11	BgBrown1 1/2CoPlly4CoolCImn2 1/2 Drift some, clear late
7Jun08-11Bel fst 1 1/2	48 1:1:124 2:031 2:293	Belmont-G1	- 1/9	34	32	813	-	-	Desormeaux K J	L126 f	*.30	- 07	DTF3DnsOfCork3HHAnkNk1 1/2 Rank, steadied, distanced
17May08-12Pim fst 1 1/2	464 1:102 1:353 1:544	Preaknes-G1	100 6/12	33	34	31	15 1/2	15 1/2	Desormeaux K J	L126 f	*.20	93-02	BgBrown5 1/2MchAgm1LcbdCrn3 5wd move, under wraps
3May08-10CD fst 1 1/4	47 1:11 1:362 2:014	KyDerby-G1	109 20/20	41 1/2	62 1/2	1hd	12 1/2	14 1/2	Desormeaux K J	L126 f	*2.40	97-09	BgBrown4 1/2EghtBlis3DnsfCrk2 1/2 Wide, steady urging
29Mar08-10GP fst 1 1/2	454 1:10 1:35 1:48	FlaDerby-G1	106 12/12	11	11	11 1/2	13	15	Desormeaux K J	L122	*1.50	98-11	BigBrown5SmoothAir7 1/2Tomcto3 1/2 Drew away, greenly
5Mar08-7GP fst 1	224 :451 1:094 1:353	Alw 41500n1x	106 4/5	2 1/2	31	2hd	16	112 1/2	Desormeaux K J	L118	*1.30	91-24	BgBrown1 1/2HvnsAwm1 1/2Dptfrmr3 1/2 Drew off, handily
Previously trained by Reynolds Patrick L 2007 (as of 9/3): (103 20 16 19 0.19)													
3Sep07-55ar fm 1 1/2	23 :472 1:114 1:401	Md Sp Wt 63k	90 1/10	11 1/2	11 1/2	13 1/2	110	111 1/2	Rose J	119	14.70	96-03	BigBrown1 1/2DoctorCl3Wotn1 1/2 Ran away when roused

## Birdstone

Own: Marylou Whitney Stables LLC

B. h. 24 (May)  
Sire: Grindstone (Unbridled) \$1,500  
Dam: Dear Birdie (Storm Bird)  
Br: Marylou Whitney Stables (Ky)  
Tr: Zito Nicholas P (0 0 0 0 .00) 2024 : (43 4 .09)

Life	9	5	0	0	\$1,575,600	108	D.Fst	7	4	0	0	\$1,548,600	108
2004	6	3	0	0	\$1,236,600	108	Wet(324)	2	1	0	0	\$27,000	99
2003	3	2	0	0	\$339,000	99	Synth(262)					\$0	
							Turf(228)	0	0	0	0	\$0	-

30Oct04-9LS fst 1 1/4	47 1:111 1:351 1:59	34 BCClasic-G1	105 7/13	105	94	95	99 1/2	712 1/2	Prado E S	L121	6.50	- -	Ghstzpp3RssnMy4PlsntlyPrfct3 Traffic early, no bid
28Aug04-11Sar fst 1 1/4	49 1:124 1:37 2:022	Travers-G1	108 5/7	64	55 1/2	2hd	11 1/2	12 1/2	Prado E S	L126	4.80	95-05	Brdston2 1/2ThClffsEdg3 1/2Eddngntnk Quick 3 wide move
5Jun04-11Bel fst 1 1/2	483 1:113 2:002 2:272	Belmont-G1	101 4/9	71 1/2	53	23 1/2	21 1/2	11	Prado E S	L126	36.00	95-10	Birdstone1SmrtyJonsR90ylAssult3 4 wide, determined
1May04-10CD sly 1 1/4	463 1:114 1:371 2:04	KyDerby-G1	85 11/18	147 1/2	118	98	97 1/2	815 1/2	Prado E S	L126	21.20	64-21	SmrtyJons3LionHrt3 1/2Imprlsm2 Stodied, shuffled early
20Mar04-8TP fst 1 1/2	47 1:1:112 1:371 1:503	LanesEnd-G2	76 1/11	53	62 1/2	51 1/2	58 1/2	510 1/2	Bailey J D	L121	*.60	72-17	SnisterG1 1/2TrickyTboozLittlMtthMn1 Steadied twice
14Feb04-1CP fst 1 1/2	241 :484 1:124 1:422	Alw 36000n2x	93 6/6	42	31	3nk	13	13	Bailey J D	L118	*.20	85-14	Birdstone3Capejinsk3Caiman2 1/2 3 wide, ridden out
4Oct03-7Bel fst 1 1/2	234 :48 1:133 1:44	Champagn-G1	94 3/7	43	31	2 1/2	1hd	12 1/2	Bailey J D	L122	2.25	80-26	Brdstn2 1/2ChpIRy6 1/2DshbrdDrmmr2 3 wide, going away
30Aug03-8Sar fst 7f	222 :452 1:102 1:232	Hopeful-G1	78 6/7	1	61 1/2	51 1/2	31	46 1/2	Prado E S	L122	2.30	83-11	SlvrWgon4ChpIRoy1 1/2NotorsR91 Hit gate start, 5 wide
2Aug03-4Sar my 6f	214 :454 :58 1:101	Md Sp Wt 45k	99 4/9	5	32 1/2	13	18	112 1/2	Prado E S	L119	3.85	91-12	Brdston1 1/2BoldLov2 1/2Hornshp7 1/2 When ready, drew off

**Own:** Marylou Whitney Stables LLC

B. m. 25 (Apr)  
Sire: Cape Town (Seeking the Gold) \$7,500  
Dam: Dear Birdie (Storm Bird)  
Br: Marylou Whitney Stables (Ky)  
Tr: Zito Nicholas P (0 0 0 0 .00) 2024 : (43 4 .09)

Life	12	4	6	1	\$871,251	101	D.Fst	10	3	5	1	\$795,656	101
2003	8	3	4	0	\$815,976	101	Wet(376)	2	1	1	0	\$75,595	98
							Synth(333)					\$0	
2002	4	1	2	1	\$55,275	80	Turf(265)	0	0	0	0	\$0	-

40Oct03-98Bel	fst	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	474:1.122 1:363 1:491 3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	Ⓢ Beldame-G1	100 5/7	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	22 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	24 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Gryder A T	L120	11.20	79-26	Sightsek4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> BirdTown4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> BuythSport3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Pace, second best
16Aug03-95Sar	fst	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	482:1.124 1:374 2:05	Ⓢ Alabama-G1	85 5/6	3 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	3 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	22	57 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	51 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Prado E S	L121	1.60	71-14	IsIndFshon8AwsomHmr15pknFr1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Bumped after start
26Jly03-95Sar	fst	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	232 45:1.081 1:204	Ⓢ Test-G1	100 7/7	1	31	31	25 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	24 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Prado E S	L122	*1.75	98-08	LadyTk4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> BirdTown1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> HousePrty1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	3 wide, game finish
6Jun03-40Bel	fst	1	232 46:1.102 1:251	Ⓢ Acorn-G1	96 7/7	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Prado E S	L121	2.65	90-16	BirdTown6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> LadyTk1FinlRound3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Game while drifting
2May03-10CD	fst	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	46 1:10 1:353 1:483	Ⓢ KyOaks-G1	101 5/12	87	86	74	4nk	13 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Prado E S	L121	18.20	95-07	BirdTown3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> SantaCatarin4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> Yella3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Stumble start,6w,drv
10Apr03-8Kee	my	*7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	214 44:2.1094 1:264	Ⓢ Beaumont-G2	98 7/9	1	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	21 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Coa E M	L118	3.30	91-15	MyBostnG11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> BrdTwn3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> MdnghtCry4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Dueled, good try
23Feb03-5GP	fst	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	214 44:4 1:101 1:224	Ⓢ Charon52k	100 5/6	3	25	22	17	112 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Coa E M	L120	3.40	94-13	BirdTown12 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> CrfyBrt1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> WestrlyBrz33 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Kept to pressure
16Jan03-96P	fst	1 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	233 48:2 1:132 1:421	Ⓢ Alw 34000n1x	84 6/7	11	11	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	2nk	Day P	L119	2.80	90-18	YellnkBird Town5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> Marnesia Light2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Inside, gamely
14Dec02-40Crc	fst	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	234 49:1 1:143 1:472	Ⓢ ThreeRing100k	76 2/8	31 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	42	21 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	31	Coa E M	L117	*1.40	74-15	DkotLight3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> NvrFlnkBirdTown33 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Dueled str, weakened
23Nov02-9CD	fst	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	242 48:2 1:133 1:464	Ⓢ Alw 37940N1x	70 4/7	53	43 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	42 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	21	23 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Day P	L122	*4.00	73-19	InCsfWind3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> BrdTwn6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> FmlAccmpl3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Hop start,8w lane
6Nov02-1CD	my	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	24 48:2 1:134 1:471	Ⓢ Md Sp Wt 40k	80 2/10	11	11	11	14	16 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	Day P	L120	*1.00	72-27	BirdTown6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> Thron1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> TrnshdHlo2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Inc start,ridden out
9Oct02-3Kee	fst	*7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	223 46:3 1:12 1:282	Ⓢ Md Sp Wt 50k	78 5/10	8	43	33	33	24	Day P	L118	8.20	78-23	StrofAtticus4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> BirdTown6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> OvstrBy10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	4-5w bid, all out

**Own:** Wachtel Stable Barber, Gary, R. A. Hi

Ch. g. 11 (Feb)  
Sire: English Channel (Smart Strike) \$27,500  
Dam: In Return (Horse Chestnut\*Saf)  
Br: Tall Oaks Farm (Ont-C)  
Tr: Mott William I (0 0 0 0 .00) 2024 : (612 91 .15)

Life	56	10	6	5	\$3,915,983	108	D.Fst	0	0	0	0	\$0	-
2023	7	1	0	0	\$186,501	99	Wet(296)	0	0	0	0	\$0	-
							Synth(333)					\$0	
2022	6	2	0	0	\$312,931	98	Turf(341)	54	10	5	5	\$3,855,107	108

13Oct23-9Kee	fm	1½	Ⓢ	C	501:15 2:04:12.28	3+	Sycamore-G3	87 7/12	2½	21½	22	43	118	Geroux F	125 b	15.54	83-10	<i>BoldAct</i> ½ <i>Cllistn</i> ¼ <i>LimtdLbilty</i> ¼ Prss 2w,yld 1/4,wknbtw
26Aug23-11Sar	yl	1½	Ⓢ		492:1:54:2:05:12.291	3+	SwrdDncr-G1	84 5/6	1½	1½	42½	45½	617½	Franco M	124 b	4.80	74-09	<i>BlsbBlit</i> ¼¼ <i>SldrRsn</i> g½ <i>PrrnSprt</i> ½ Ins,headed5/8,empty
30Jly23-9Sar	gd	1½	Ⓢ		504:16 1:39:2:151	4+	BwlnGrn-G2	95 6/9	1½	1½	1½	11	12	Franco M	120 b	15.20	89-11	<i>CnnlMkr</i> 2 <i>Vrstopn</i> ¼ <i>NrEpln</i> 2½ Bmp brk,ins,responded
9Jun23-10Bel	fm	2	Ⓢ		1452:2:11:2:59:3:234	4+	BelGldCp-G2	73 3/13	2½	21½	23	41½	1013	Saez L	122 b	11.60	51-23	<i>Skny2Th</i> ¾ <i>GryWdrKckd</i> ¾ <i>BrtshRlt</i> ½ Outside,2-3p,chsdy,wknd
13May23-5Bel	fm	1½	Ⓢ		49:1:15 1:38:2:133	4+	ManOWar-G1	95 3/8	1½	1½	1½	4nk	61¾	Rosario J	122 b	12.20	87-11	<i>RdKnght</i> ½ <i>SldrRsn</i> h¾ <i>StrnTdn</i> no Ins,roused1/4,outkickd
22Apr23-8Kee	gd	1½	Ⓢ		493:1:144:2:04:3:291	4+	Elkhorn-G2	90 1/8	2hd	2½	2½	4nk	43¾	Velazquez J R	118 b	6.09	81-14	<i>Vrstopn</i> h¾ <i>RdKnt</i> ¾ <i>AtthrMstr</i> ½ 2w,vied,gateway btw1/8
28Jan23-9GP	fm	1½	Ⓢ		481:1:123:2:01 2:25	4+	WLMKnt-G3	87 7/11	41½	31½	2hd	3½	75½	Gaffalione T	121 b	4.20	87-10	<i>RdKnght</i> 1/4 <i>VlEnrrn</i> 1/4 <i>WckdFstnk</i> ¾ Head turn,st,bmp early
5Nov22-10Kee	fm	1½	Ⓢ		492:1:4 2:03:1:261	3+	BCTurf-G1	96 6/13	21	2½	2hd	41½	77½	Ortiz J L	126 b	44.58	95-02	<i>RblsRcn</i> 2½ <i>StA</i> ¾ <i>WrLckdSckn</i> ¾ Vied 2wd,wknd btwn 1/8
14Oct22-9Kee	fm	1½	Ⓢ		501:1:52:2:05 2:28	3+	Sycamore-G3	97 6/12	2½	21½	41½	21	47½	Saez L	125 b	12.12	89-21	<i>HghlndChf</i> 1/4 <i>Tmplnk</i> ¾ <i>HnstHnrs</i> no Press 2w,chasd,falter
27Aug22-10Sar	gd	1½	Ⓢ		481:1:134:2:03:2:284	4+	SwrdDncr-G1	82 9/10	21	21½	3¾	75½	1016	Saez L	120 b	15.30	76-18	<i>Gufg</i> ¾ <i>Mira</i> Mission¾ <i>Soldier</i> Rising¾ 2p in aim, tired
8Jly22-4Bel	fm	1½	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	502:1:161:2:04:2:272	4+	GrdCrierB145k	94 3/5	1½	1	1hd	2hd	1nk	Saez L	124 b	*1.25	90-02	<i>CnnlMkr</i> ¾ <i>SldrRsn</i> 1/4 <i>HnstHnrs</i> ¾ Rated inside, gamely
11Jun22-10Bel	fm	1¼	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	493:1:131:1:36 1:59	4+	Manhttn-G1	98 10/10	109	108½	1012	1011	96½	Saez L	122 b	7.50	97-07	<i>Tribhuvan</i> ¾¾ <i>Adhamo</i> 1/4 <i>Gufon</i> ¾ Off slow,ins-2p,7p1/4
23Apr22-9Kee	fm	1½	Ⓢ		491:1:14 2:02:3:227	4+	Elkhorn-G2	98 4/8	21½	21	2hd	1hd	11½	Saez L	118 b	3.50	99-10	<i>CnnlMkr</i> 1¼¼ <i>AnthrMstr</i> ¾¾ <i>BmmsB</i> ¾ Inch clr,drifted drive
6Nov21-11Dmr	fm	1½	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	481:1:122:2:02:1:254	3+	BCTurf-G1	98 14/14	3¾	35½	1½	21½	54¾	Saez L	126 b	55.40	97-06	<i>Yibirk</i> ¾ <i>Broome</i> ¾¾ <i>Teona</i> 1½ Stalked, led, gave in
9Oct21-7Bel	fm	1½	Ⓢ		491:1:143:2:02:2:253	3+	TfClscIv-G1	96 7/7	11½	11	31	42	44¾	Franco M	126 b	6.30	94-10	<i>Rockempr</i> 2¾ <i>SrvthKng</i> 1½¼ <i>Gufu</i> 1¼ Ins,headed 3/8,tired
28Oct21-11Sar	fm	1½	Ⓢ	C	482:1:142:2:04 2:281	4+	SwrdDncr-G1	96 4/7	12	12	1hd	2½	65¾	Franco M	122 b	8.50	75-17	<i>Gufon</i> ¾ <i>Japan</i> ¾¾ <i>Cross Border</i> ¾ Rated 2p, wknd late
31Jly21-10Sar	gd	1½	Ⓢ		491:1:142:1:38:3:161	4+	BwlnGrn-G2	87 5/8	21	2½	2½	43½	79	Franco M	124 b	3.35	78-25	<i>CrossBrdr</i> ¼¼ <i>Rckmpr</i> 1/4 <i>Shmrck</i> thd Outside,5w1/4,empty
27Mar21 Meydan (UAE)	gd	*1½	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	LH 2:26:3 3+		Longines Dubai Sheema Classic-G1					9	87¾	Rosario J	126 b	-		<i>Mishriffnk</i> ¾ <i>Chrono</i> Genesis¾ <i>Loves Only</i> ¾
<b>Timeform Rating:</b> 113								Stk 5000000										
20Feb21 K. Abdulaziz (KSA)	fm	*1½	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	LH 2:10:2 4+		Neom Turf Cup					12	21¼	Rosario J	126	-		<i>True Self</i> 1¼¼ <i>Channel Maker</i> ¾¾ <i>Emirates Knight</i> ½
<b>Timeform Rating:</b> 119								Stk 1000000										
7Nov20-11Kee	fm	1½	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	51:1:54:2:04:2:28	3+	BCTurf-G1	108 9/10	1½	11	12	12½	31	Franco M	L126 b	9.10	102 -	<i>Tarnaw</i> 1/4 <i>Mgic</i> ¼ <i>no</i> <i>CnnlMkr</i> 1¼¼ Ins,clear 3rd,worn dwn
30Oct20-7Bel	fm	1½	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	492:1:142:2:01:2:254	3+	TfClscIv-G1	108 3/7	11	11½	11½	12½	12½	Franco M	L126 b	2.80	98-02	<i>CnnlMkr</i> 2¼¼ <i>Lccrio</i> ¾ <i>SdlrsJoy</i> 1½ In hand 2p, held well
29Aug20-9Sar	sf	1½	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	51:1:17:2:09:1:2:344	4+	SwrdDncr-G1	108 3/7	11½	11	12	15½	15½	Franco M	L122 b	8.00	48-52	<i>CnnlMkr</i> ¾¾ <i>CrssBrdr</i> ¾¾ <i>Aaph</i> ¾ Ins-2p,ask1/4,drew off
1Aug20-11Sar	fm	1½	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	501:1:53:1:40 2:14	4+	BwlnGrn-G2	97 5/6	36	35½	32	31	42	Franco M	L120 b	5.90	89-15	<i>SdlrsJnk</i> ¾ <i>CrssBrdr</i> 1/4 <i>HlndSk</i> ¾ Bump btw, steady 1/16p
Placed third through disqualification																		
4Jly20-10Bel	fm	1¼	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	502:1:154:1:39:4:2:022	4+	Manhttn-G1	100 6/8	21½	2½	2hd	2hd	41	Franco M	L122 b	23.70	77-18	<i>InstlIdRgrdn</i> ¾ <i>Rockmpr</i> ¾¾ <i>SdlrsJynk</i> ¾ 3w 1/4, outfinished
4Jun20-9Bel	fm	1½	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	493:1:143:1:38:3:14	4+	TillerB80k	95 12/12	43¾	33¾	62¾	64¾	83¾	Ortiz J Jr	L124 b	3.40	90-07	<i>Pareth</i> ¾ <i>DotMatn</i> ¾ <i>SdlrsJoy</i> no Tracked ins, one paced
21Mar20-10FG	fm	1½	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	474:1:112:1:35:2:1:471	4+	MunizMmC-G2	91 7/12	52½	64½	64½	76½	87½	Alvarado J	L118 b	5.40	-	<i>FctrThs</i> ¾ <i>Dntblmcrkt</i> ¾¾ <i>Rckpr</i> 1 3-4wd2nd,5w1/4,carry in
29Feb20-13GP	fm	1½	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	462:1:113:1:36 2:11	4+	MDIarmd-G2	99 5/9	45½	44½	41½	42½	44½	Alvarado J	L122 b	5.80	99-07	<i>ZlAlph</i> 1/4 <i>AdmsnOfc</i> ¾¾ <i>SdlrsJno</i> Traffic 1/4p-upper,wknd
2Nov19-11SA	fm	1½	Ⓢ	C	482:1:131:2:01:1:2:43	3+	BCTurf-G1	91 12/12	54	42½	42	105	128¾	Velazquez J R	L126 b	22.10	-	<i>BrcksdnMrtr</i> h¾ <i>Untd</i> 1¼¼ <i>AnthVdck</i> ¾ Stalked 3wd,no rally
5Oct19-9Bel	fm	1½	Ⓢ	C	504:1:16 2:03:2:271	3+	TfClscIv-G1	104 7/7	1hd	11	3nk	1½	2½	Velazquez J R	L126 b	3.55	93-20	<i>Arklow</i> ¾ <i>CnnlMkr</i> h¾ <i>SdlrsJly</i> 1½ Rated inside, stubborn
24Aug19-10Sar	fm	1½	Ⓢ	C	474:1:144:2:04:3:2:272	4+	SwrdDncr-G1	95 9/9	1hd	21	2hd	2hd	42¾	Rosario J	L124 b	4.60	77-17	<i>AnnlsofTimk</i> ¾ <i>SdlrsJoy</i> 2¾ <i>CnnlCt</i> ¾ 3-2w,pull to 1/4,wknd
27Jly19-10Sar	fm	1½	Ⓢ	C	494:1:152:1:39 2:14	4+	BwlnGrn-G2	102 5/12	22	23	41½	3½	4¾	Rosario J	L124 b	*2.60	91-12	<i>Channel Cat</i> ¾Ya <i>Primo</i> ¾ <i>Arklow</i> ¾ 3w3rd,4w1/4,bid1/16
8Jun19-10Bel	fm	1¼	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	483:1:121:1:35:2:1:58	4+	Manhttn-G1	101 9/9	44	45½	3½	3nk	42¾	Rosario J	L124 b	5.80	99-10	<i>BrcksdnMrtr</i> ¾¾ <i>RbrtBrck</i> ¾¾ <i>RnBl</i> ½ 4w 1/4,bid,outfinished
11May19-10Bel	fm	1½	Ⓢ	C	472:1:122:1:36:1:2:12	4+	ManOWar-G1	105 8/9	34	36½	38½	2¾	1nk	Rosario J	L124 b	6.80	92-18	<i>CnnlMkr</i> ¾ <i>Arklow</i> ¾¾ <i>MgicWndn</i> ¾ 3w upper, good kick
2Mar19-14GP	fm	1½	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	51:1:17:3:1:41:2:161	4+	MDIarmd-G2	99 11/11	2½	2½	21	2½	41½	Rosario J	L123 b	2.40	79-14	<i>ZuluAlph</i> ¾¾ <i>Mlchm</i> ¾¾ <i>KlnRckn</i> ¾ Keyed up,bid3p,outkick
26Jan19-11GP	yl	1¾	Ⓢ	C	474:1:113:1:36:1:5:42	3+	PWCTfInv-G1	96 3/10	86½	95½	95	53½	56½	Castellano J J	117 b	7.50	78-44	<i>BrcksdnMrtr</i> 2½¾ <i>McWdn</i> ¾ <i>DltPr</i> 1¼ Check late 1st,4-5wd
3Nov18-10CD	gd	1½	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	49:1:14:1:2:07:2:323	3+	BCTurf-G1	37 3/13	21½	21	104	1018	1142¾	Ortiz J L	L126 b	7.50	30-27	<i>Enabl</i> ¾ <i>Magica</i> ¾ <i>Sadler</i> ¾'s <i>Joy</i> 2 Prompt 3w, faltered
29Sep18-8Bel	sf	1½	Ⓢ	C	502:1:161:2:06 2:30	3+	TfClscIv-G1	108 7/7	11	1½	12	11½	14½	Ortiz J L	L126 b	5.00	63-35	<i>CnnlMkr</i> ¾¾ <i>RbrtBrck</i> ¾¾ <i>SdlrsJly</i> 2¼ At,near ins,ask upper
25Aug18-10Sar	fm	1½	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	48:1:134:2:01:4:242	3+	SwrdGr-G1	103 7/10	21½	21½	21	22	21½	Rosario J	L120 b	7.20	93-10	<i>GlsrEmpr</i> ¾¾ <i>CnnlMkr</i> ¾¾ <i>Sprnqlt</i> ¾ 2w,pull to 1/4,2d best
28Jly18-9Sar	sf	1½	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	513:1:17 1:41:1:2:192	4+	BwlnGrn-G2	102 2/8	32	43½	43½	23½	1½	♠Rosario J	L122 b	5.80	60-40	<i>CH</i> ChlMkr¾¾ <i>CH</i> <i>GlsrEpr</i> ¾¾ <i>SdlrsJ</i> ¾ Pull to 1/2,3w 3rd,gme
9Jun18-10Bel	fm	1¼	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	482:1:12 1:34:4:1:58	4+	Manhttn-G1	100 9/13	127½	121½	127½	124½	81½	Ortiz J L	L122 b	17.60	98-02	<i>SprngQty</i> ¾ <i>SdlrsJoy</i> ¾ <i>Hppny</i> ¾ 3w upper, not enough
5May18-11CD	yl	1	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	503:1:162:1:41:2:1:543	4+	TurfClsc-G1	94 4/9	66	59½	86½	66	56	Castellano J J	L118 b	9.40	57-28	<i>Yoshida</i> ¾ <i>BeachPrtr</i> ¾¾ <i>Synchrony</i> ¾ Stdy upper and late
10Mar18-5SA	fm	1	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	223:45:2:1:09 1:33	4+	FKIrooe-G1	100 8/8	89½	81½	86	52½	31	Castellano J J	L120 b	7.10	89-15	<i>BowisHro</i> ¾¾ <i>NxtStr</i> ¾¾ <i>CnnlMkr</i> ¾¾ 6wd into str,3wd wire
10Feb18-9GP	fm	1½	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	483:1:12 1:35:2:1:47	4+	GPTurf-G1	99 8/8	86½	86½	86½	85½	52	Juarez	L121 b	6.40	84-16	<i>HerttoHtrnk</i> ¾ <i>Kurilov</i> ¾ <i>HHppny</i> ¾ Lack room uppr,too lte
25Nov17-7Dmr	fm	1½	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	473:1:11 1:34:2:1:46	1	Holdrby-G1	98 3/9	75	73¾	84	43	21	Castellano J J	L122 b	9.20	98-10	<i>MoToWn</i> 1/4 <i>CnnlMkr</i> no <i>BisScore</i> no Split fws,rail bid
28Oct17-9SA	fm	1½	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	473:1:104:1:33:4:1:451	1	TwlDrby-G2	92 7/9	93¾	84¾	73¾	85¾	43¾	Van Dyke D	L120 b	7.30	97-10	<i>ShrpSmur</i> 1¾¾ <i>BisScore</i> ¾ <i>BowisHro</i> ¾ 4wd,3wd,edged 3rd
30Sep17-10Bel	fm	1½	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	481:1:134:2:03:2:261	3+	TfClscIv-G1	96 7/11	79	714	64½	76½	69¾	Franco M	L121 b	58.50	76-13	<i>BchPtr</i> 5/8 <i>FncflAnl</i> no <i>OscrPrfrmnc</i> 1 3w turns, no impact
20Aug17-8WO	fm	1½	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	512:1:162:2:05:2:293		BreedersB400k	89 2/10	94½	87	61½	1½	1no	Hernandez R M	L126 b	*1.75	89-08	<i>CnnlMkr</i> no <i>FnlCp</i> ¾¾ <i>KndHsCr</i> 1 Rank,3-7w,bmp,drift in
2Jly17-10WO	fst	1¼	Ⓢ	C	483:1:131:1:37:3:2:02		QueensPitB1002k	88 1/13	105¾	95½	42½	33½	45¾	Hernandez R M	L126 b	6.80	89-12	<i>HolyHln</i> ¾¾ <i>TizSlm</i> 1½ <i>Infixibility</i> 1½ Rlly4-6w,lost shw late
28May17-8WO	fst	1¼	Ⓢ	Ⓢ	23:47:3:1:23:1:432		Marine-G3	90 6/7	68	65	52	2hd	22	Hernandez R M	L117 b	6.20	91-13	<i>SoprTpt</i> 2 <i>CnnlMkr</i> ¾¾ <i>Mlch</i> ¾¾ <i>Scrt</i> ¾ 2w1st,rally3-5w,outfin

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## Channel Maker Continued

26Apr17-5Kee fm 1<sup>1/8</sup> ① 49 1:14 1:382 1:494 Alw 66960N1x  
 8Apr17-5Kee fm 1 ① 24 :492 1:14 1:372 Alw 60936N1x  
 Previously trained by Vella Daniel J 2016: ( 245 29 32 39 0.12 )  
 4Mar17-9GP fm 1<sup>1/8</sup> ① 23<sup>1</sup> :472 1:111 1:401 PalmBch-G3  
 4Nov16-6SA fm 1 ① 22<sup>1</sup> :454 1:092 1:331 BCJuvTrf-G1  
 18Sep16-6WO fm 1 ① 23<sup>1</sup> :46 1:103 1:341 Summer-G2  
 14Aug16-8WO yl 6<sup>1/2</sup>f ① 23 :461 1:111 1:172 VandalB150k  
 24Jly16-5WO fm 6f ① 23<sup>1</sup> :464 1:093 Mid Sp Wt 66k

82 1/8 42<sup>1</sup> 32<sup>1</sup> 32 42 2<sup>1</sup> Rosario J  
 78 1/12 74 75<sup>1</sup> 63 52<sup>1</sup> 42 Rosario J  
 72 6/9 63 52<sup>1</sup> 53<sup>1</sup> 86<sup>1</sup> 88 Velazquez J R  
 83 3/14 41<sup>1</sup> 32 32<sup>1</sup> 44<sup>1</sup> 75<sup>1</sup> Velazquez J R  
 85 2/7 1<sup>1</sup>hd 41<sup>1</sup> 51<sup>1</sup> 41<sup>1</sup> 33 Contreras L  
 78 4/10 9 1<sup>1</sup>hd 11 13 12<sup>1</sup> Contreras L  
 65 3/7 3 42 54 33 31<sup>1</sup> Wilson E

L118 b 1.40 89-09 Mkrios<sup>1</sup>ChnnelMkrnkAvisMs<sup>1</sup> Steady upper,split 1/8  
 L118 b \*2.30 81-14 AdonsCrdo<sup>1</sup>HvnIsWtng<sup>1</sup>BgBnd<sup>1</sup> Bullied thru, gaining  
 L118 b 6.20 81-07 Ticondrog<sup>1</sup>KittnsCt<sup>1</sup>SnDcsonnk Bumped st,2w turns  
 L122 fb 15.00 86-09 OscrPrfr<sup>1</sup>LcstrBbrnkGdSrt<sup>1</sup> Tight early,3w,wkened  
 L122 b 14.00 84-19 GdSrt<sup>1</sup>CnstFrht<sup>1</sup>ChlMkr<sup>1</sup>hd Bmp,2w,lack path,game  
 L117 b 4.35 81-19 ChnlMkr<sup>1</sup>2<sup>1</sup>MlbScr<sup>1</sup>1<sup>1</sup>Wdbdr<sup>1</sup>no Duel,held comfortably  
 L115 3.25 86-13 FleetwyWoodbridg<sup>1</sup>ChnnlMkr<sup>1</sup>2<sup>1</sup> Steaded late turn

## Cozmie One

Own: Holbrook Moss Ann and Moss, Jerome S

Dk. b or b. h. 13 (Mar)  
 Sire: Bernardini (A.P. Indy) \$35,000  
 Dam: Zenyatta (Street Cry)\*Ire  
 Br: Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Moss (Ky)  
 Tr: Shirreffs John A (0 0 0 0 .00) 2024 : (117 10 .09)

Life	5	M	0	0	\$5,770	74	D.Fst	2	0	0	0	\$625	68
2017	3	M	0	0	\$5,145	74	Wet(417)	0	0	0	0	\$0	-
2015	2	M	0	0	\$625	68	Synth(320)					\$0	
							Turf(262)	3	0	0	0	\$5,145	74

200ct17-1SA fm 1<sup>1/8</sup> ① S 473<sup>1</sup>:12 1:352 1:47 3+ Mid Sp Wt 51k  
 2Sep17-1Dmr fm 1<sup>1/8</sup> ① 473<sup>1</sup>:123 1:372 1:494 3+ Mid Sp Wt 62k  
 23Jly17-9Dmr fm 1<sup>1/8</sup> ① 23 :48 1:121 1:43 3+ Mid Sp Wt 62k  
 8Jly15-7Bel fst 1<sup>1/8</sup> 224 :453 1:11 1:444 3+ Mid Sp Wt 75k  
 17Apr15-2SA fst 1 ② 233 :482 1:124 1:37 Mid Sp Wt 57k

65 1/9 63<sup>1</sup> 53 53 97 87<sup>1</sup> Espinoza V  
 73 5/12 11<sup>1</sup> 97<sup>1</sup> 93<sup>1</sup> 64<sup>1</sup> 51<sup>1</sup> Espinoza V  
 74 1/11 914 911 97<sup>1</sup> 54<sup>1</sup> 4<sup>1</sup> Espinoza V  
 66 8/9 79 810 89 79 71<sup>1</sup> Maragh R  
 68 1/6 69 610 68<sup>1</sup> 69 68<sup>1</sup> Espinoza V

L124 6.80 84-10 MlibuMusic<sup>1</sup>Indoctrinton<sup>1</sup>Bllrnk Pulled,4wd into str  
 L124 4.00 79-16 IceKthdCombtZone<sup>1</sup>PrnciplBob<sup>1</sup> 3wd into str,rail bid  
 L124 25.80 82-13 Sonneterno<sup>1</sup>CscdRock<sup>1</sup>2AussiFox<sup>1</sup>hd Off bit slow,late bid  
 L118 6.90 60-28 IceCutter<sup>1</sup>IndinTril<sup>1</sup>2Scuritiz<sup>1</sup> Ins,4w angle from 5/16  
 L121 1.80 75-16 TriedndTrue<sup>1</sup>2Volume<sup>1</sup>2Attck<sup>1</sup>hd Saved ground, no rally

## Game On Dude

Own: Diamond Pride LLC Lanni Family Trust,

Dk. b or b. g. 18 (Apr)  
 Sire: Awesome Again (Deputy Minister) \$75,000  
 Dam: Worldly Pleasure (Devil His Due)  
 Br: Adena Springs (Ky)  
 Tr: Baffert Bob (0 0 0 0 .00) 2024 : (336 95 .28)

Life	34	16	7	1	\$6,498,893	117	D.Fst	22	11	4	1	\$4,452,485	117
2014	5	1	1	0	\$791,000	117	Wet(387)	2	0	1	0	\$198,908	97
2013	7	5	1	0	\$2,575,735	117	Synth(317)					\$0	
							Turf(278)	0	0	0	0	\$0	-

24Aug14-10Dmr fst 1<sup>1/4</sup> 453<sup>1</sup>:10 1:35 2:001 3+ PcfCtCl-G1  
 28Jun14-8SA fst 1<sup>1/4</sup> 451<sup>1</sup>:094 1:35 2:012 3+ GoldCup-G1  
 19Apr14-12CT fst 1<sup>1/8</sup> 464<sup>1</sup>:113 1:37 1:502 4+ CTCIclic-G2  
 8Mar14-5SA fst 1<sup>1/4</sup> 451<sup>1</sup>:091 1:322 1:58 4+ SAH-G1  
 8Feb14-5SA fst 1<sup>1/8</sup> 461<sup>1</sup>:10 1:351 1:474 4+ SnAntno-G2  
 29Nov13-11CD fst 1<sup>1/8</sup> 471<sup>1</sup>:11 1:36 1:491 3+ ClarkH-G1  
 2Nov13-12SA fst 1<sup>1/4</sup> 461<sup>1</sup>:101 1:344 2:003 3+ BCClasic-G1  
 25Aug13-9Dmr fst 1<sup>1/4</sup> 474<sup>1</sup>:123 1:363 2:003 3+ PacificCl-G1  
 6Jly13-9BHP fst 1<sup>1/4</sup> 491<sup>1</sup>:123 1:361 2:014 3+ HolGdCpH-G1  
 20Apr13-12CT fst 1<sup>1/8</sup> 472<sup>1</sup>:111 1:37 1:494 4+ CTCIclic-G2  
 2Mar13-10SA fst 1<sup>1/4</sup> 47 1:104 1:351 2:00 4+ SAH-G1  
 3Feb13-7SA fst 1<sup>1/8</sup> 463<sup>1</sup>:102 1:35 1:472 4+ SnAntno-G2  
 1Dec12-4BHP fst 1<sup>1/8</sup> 494<sup>1</sup>:144 1:394 1:521 3+ NtvDirv-G3  
 3Nov12-42SA fst 1<sup>1/4</sup> 462<sup>1</sup>:10 1:343 2:00 3+ BCClasic-G1  
 29Sep12-40SA fst 1<sup>1/8</sup> 48 1:114 1:361 1:484 3+ AwsmAgn-G1  
 26Aug12-9Dmr fst 1<sup>1/4</sup> 464<sup>1</sup>:11 1:351 1:592 3+ PacificCl-G1  
 7Jly12-9BHP fst 1<sup>1/4</sup> 473<sup>1</sup>:114 1:373 2:04 3+ HolGdCpH-G1  
 2Jun12-8BHP fst 1<sup>1/8</sup> 481<sup>1</sup>:12 1:352 1:48 3+ Calfrnin-G2

107 4/10 1<sup>1</sup>hd 1<sup>1</sup> 12 32 45<sup>1</sup> Garcia M  
 92 1/7 22 23<sup>1</sup> 32 48 41<sup>1</sup> Smith M E  
 105 3/7 21 1<sup>1</sup>hd 1<sup>1</sup> 2hd 21<sup>1</sup> Smith M E  
 117 7/8 2hd 12<sup>1</sup> 11<sup>1</sup> 11<sup>1</sup> 11<sup>1</sup> Smith M E  
 88 5/7 2<sup>1</sup> 2hd 2hd 43 56<sup>1</sup> Smith M E  
 101 1/9 32 2<sup>1</sup> 2<sup>1</sup> 12<sup>1</sup> 2hd Smith M E  
 96 9/11 1<sup>1</sup> 3<sup>1</sup> 3<sup>1</sup> 54 91<sup>1</sup> Smith M E  
 113 10/12 11 11 12<sup>1</sup> 16 18<sup>1</sup> Garcia M  
 114 2/5 11 11<sup>1</sup> 11 11<sup>1</sup> 11 Smith M E  
 106 2/6 21<sup>1</sup> 2<sup>1</sup> 2hd 11<sup>1</sup> 1<sup>1</sup> Smith M E  
 117 8/9 11<sup>1</sup> 12<sup>1</sup> 12<sup>1</sup> 15 17<sup>1</sup> Smith M E  
 116 2/4 1<sup>1</sup>hd 2hd 1<sup>1</sup>hd 12<sup>1</sup> 16<sup>1</sup> Smith M E  
 109 1/5 11<sup>1</sup> 11 11 1<sup>1</sup>hd 11<sup>1</sup> Smith M E  
 95 5/12 72<sup>1</sup> 63 35<sup>1</sup> 611 71<sup>1</sup> Bejarano R  
 109 1/9 21<sup>1</sup> 21 2<sup>1</sup> 12<sup>1</sup> 13<sup>1</sup> Bejarano R  
 110 9/10 42<sup>1</sup> 32<sup>1</sup> 11<sup>1</sup> 12 2<sup>1</sup> Sutherland C  
 108 6/7 2hd 2<sup>1</sup> 13 12 11<sup>1</sup> Sutherland C  
 116 1/4 11 11 11<sup>1</sup> 16 17<sup>1</sup> Sutherland C

L124 b 2.50 91-06 ShrdBIP<sup>1</sup>2<sup>1</sup>TostofNwYrk<sup>1</sup>2<sup>1</sup>Imprtvnk Inside,lost 3rd late  
 L124 b \*80 77-10 MjstcHrbr<sup>1</sup>6ClibhsRd<sup>1</sup>2<sup>1</sup>lpr4<sup>1</sup> Re-bid 3/8,btwn,wkened  
 L123 b \*60 95-09 Impertive<sup>1</sup>2GmOnDud<sup>1</sup>1<sup>1</sup>Morno<sup>2</sup> Vied btw,led,2nd best  
 L122 b 3.80 107 - GmOnDd<sup>1</sup>1<sup>1</sup>WlTKChrg<sup>1</sup>Bingo<sup>1</sup> Met bid 3/8,clear,game  
 L123 b \*30 86-07 Blingo<sup>1</sup>2Impertiv<sup>1</sup>4<sup>1</sup>AmrcinBlnd<sup>1</sup>hd 3wd 2nd turn,wkened  
 L126 b \*1.20 97-15 WlTKChrg<sup>1</sup>hdGmOnDd<sup>2</sup>EstrGft<sup>1</sup>3 Pulled, clear, denied  
 L126 b \*1.70 83-12 McMcno<sup>1</sup>WlTKChdDclrtfW<sup>1</sup>4 4-3w,bid btw,duel,wknd  
 L124 b \*1.70 94-04 GmOnDd<sup>1</sup>8<sup>1</sup>KtllCrno<sup>1</sup>YKwnlKno<sup>1</sup> Rail,drew off,driving  
 L127 b \*30 98-02 GmOnDd<sup>1</sup>1<sup>1</sup>KtllCrn<sup>1</sup>6<sup>1</sup>SkKngdm<sup>1</sup> Inside,held on gamely  
 L123 b \*30 100-05 GmOnDd<sup>1</sup>3ClibhsRd<sup>1</sup>noRnthGrk<sup>1</sup>7 3-2w,clr1/4,dug in btw  
 L125 b \*1.30 97-14 GmOnDd<sup>1</sup>3ClibhsRd<sup>1</sup>noCldtSr<sup>1</sup>1<sup>1</sup> Came in early,drew off  
 L123 b \*05 95-19 GmOnDd<sup>1</sup>3ClibhsRd<sup>1</sup>3<sup>1</sup>MkMscfrM<sup>1</sup>2<sup>1</sup> Inside,clear,handily  
 L124 b \*30 79-30 GmOnDd<sup>1</sup>1<sup>1</sup>Nonos<sup>1</sup>4<sup>1</sup>KtllCorn<sup>1</sup> Inside,met bid,gamely  
 L126 b \*1.30 82-11 FortLrnd<sup>1</sup>3MchMchMn<sup>1</sup>6<sup>1</sup>FtOt<sup>1</sup> Std'd start,7/8,4w mve  
 L124 b \*30 88-18 GmOnDd<sup>1</sup>3<sup>1</sup>Nonos<sup>1</sup>4<sup>1</sup>RichrdsKid<sup>1</sup> Led into lane,clear  
 L124 b \*1.30 105 - Dullhn<sup>1</sup>2GmOnDud<sup>1</sup>2<sup>1</sup>RichrdsKd<sup>1</sup>1<sup>1</sup> Off step slow,caught  
 L124 b \*40 83-17 GmOnDd<sup>1</sup>1<sup>1</sup>RichrdsKd<sup>1</sup>1<sup>1</sup>KtllCr<sup>1</sup>4<sup>1</sup> Dueled,clear,held game  
 L120 b \*1.00 100 - GmOnDud<sup>1</sup>1<sup>1</sup>KtllCorn<sup>1</sup>3<sup>1</sup>PryrforRlfr<sup>1</sup> Inside,ridden out  
 126 b - Monterosso<sup>1</sup>3Capponi<sup>1</sup>Planteur<sup>1</sup>

31Mar12 Meydan (UAE) ft \*1<sup>1/4</sup> ② LH 2:023 3+ Dubai World Cup-G1  
 Stk 10000000  
 5Feb12-7SA fst 1<sup>1/8</sup> 454<sup>1</sup>:09 1:334 1:464 4+ SnAntno-G2  
 5Nov11-11CD fst 1<sup>1/4</sup> 474<sup>1</sup>:124 1:381 2:041 3+ BCClasic-G1  
 10ct11-7SA fst 1<sup>1/8</sup> 451<sup>1</sup>:09 1:341 1:471 3+ Gdwd-G1  
 28Aug11-9Dmr fst 1<sup>1/4</sup> 483<sup>1</sup>:124 1:363 2:003 3+ PacificCl-G1  
 9Jly11-8Hol fst 1<sup>1/4</sup> 473<sup>1</sup>:12 1:361 2:012 3+ HolGdCpH-G1  
 30May11-9LS fst 1<sup>1/8</sup> 242 :474 1:111 1:432 3+ LSParkH-G3  
 16Apr11-10CT sly<sup>5</sup> 483<sup>1</sup>:13 1:371 1:51 4+ CTCIclic-G3  
 5Mar11-10SA fst 1<sup>1/4</sup> 463<sup>1</sup>:103 1:344 1:592 4+ SAH-G1  
 27Jan11-7SA fst 1<sup>1/8</sup> 224 :46 1:093 1:403 4+ OC 62k/n2x-N  
 5Jun10-11Bel fst 1<sup>1/2</sup> 49 1:144 2:044 2:312 Belmont-G1  
 8May10-9LS fst 1<sup>1/8</sup> 224 :461 1:11 1:443 LSDerby-G3  
 24Apr10-10CD my<sup>5</sup> 1 223 :451 1:104 1:361 DbyTrial-G3

102 2/5 2<sup>1</sup> 1<sup>1</sup>hd 13 13 15<sup>1</sup> Sutherland C  
 102 7/12 1<sup>1</sup> 11 1<sup>1</sup> 11 21<sup>1</sup> Sutherland C  
 102 7/8 2<sup>1</sup> 2hd 1<sup>1</sup>hd 12 1<sup>1</sup> Sutherland C  
 98 7/9 21 21 21 32 44<sup>1</sup> Sutherland C  
 106 4/8 11 11 1<sup>1</sup>hd 2hd 2no Sutherland C  
 94 4/5 21 21 2hd 31 32<sup>1</sup> Garcia M  
 97 10/10 21 21 1<sup>1</sup>hd 22 22<sup>1</sup> Flores D R  
 100 11/11 3<sup>1</sup> 31 1<sup>1</sup> 1<sup>1</sup>hd 1no Sutherland C  
 88 4/7 43 53 42 32<sup>1</sup> 11<sup>1</sup> Bejarano R  
 91 8/12 42<sup>1</sup> 3<sup>1</sup> 42 31 21 42<sup>1</sup> Garcia M  
 91 4/6 36<sup>1</sup> 36<sup>1</sup> 22 11<sup>1</sup> 14<sup>1</sup> Garcia M  
 65 1/8 64<sup>1</sup> 33<sup>1</sup> 32<sup>1</sup> 514 519<sup>1</sup> Albarado R J

L123 b \*30 98-08 GmOnDd<sup>1</sup>5<sup>1</sup>UhOhBng<sup>1</sup>2<sup>1</sup>VctryPt<sup>1</sup>5<sup>1</sup> Off bit slow,cleared  
 L126 b 14.20 86-09 Drosselm<sup>1</sup>myr<sup>1</sup>3GmOnDud<sup>1</sup>1<sup>1</sup>RulrOnlC<sup>1</sup> Headed, stubborn  
 L121 b \*1.10 - - GmOnDud<sup>1</sup>3<sup>1</sup>AwsmGm<sup>1</sup>1<sup>1</sup>CoB<sup>1</sup> Dueled,clear,held game  
 L124 b 2.80 98-01 Accltmth<sup>1</sup>TrlngCndy<sup>1</sup>4SttlyVctr<sup>1</sup>no Off rail,lost 3rd late  
 L118 b 4.80 96-11 FrstDd<sup>1</sup>noGmOnDd<sup>1</sup>TrlngCndy<sup>1</sup>2<sup>1</sup> Bit off rail str,game  
 L123 b \*50 90-16 AwesomGm<sup>1</sup>FtltOut<sup>1</sup>1<sup>1</sup>GmOnDud<sup>1</sup>3<sup>1</sup> 3w 1st turn,bid,wknd  
 L123 fb 5.80 91-07 DkofMschf<sup>1</sup>2<sup>1</sup>GmOnDd<sup>1</sup>hd<sup>1</sup>Zwy<sup>1</sup>1<sup>1</sup> 2wd bid, led, held 2nd  
 LB115 b 14.80 - - GmOnDud<sup>1</sup>noStsuko<sup>1</sup>3QndCmn<sup>1</sup>4<sup>1</sup> 3w,bumped 1/8,drift in  
 LB119 b \*50 - - GmOnDd<sup>1</sup>1<sup>1</sup>WhnWmt<sup>1</sup>noEIMrtllo<sup>1</sup> Pulled,3wd bid,clear  
 L126 b 17.00 77-22 Drosselm<sup>1</sup>myr<sup>1</sup>3FlyDownnkFirstDud<sup>1</sup>1<sup>1</sup> 4wide flattened out  
 L122 b \*1.20 86-20 GmOnDud<sup>1</sup>4<sup>1</sup>Cridr<sup>1</sup>3<sup>1</sup>HnshnHro<sup>1</sup> Broke in,brushd,3w 1/4  
 L117 4.80 68-25 HurricneIke<sup>1</sup>2<sup>1</sup>Aikenit<sup>1</sup>3<sup>1</sup>PlsntPrnc<sup>1</sup>4<sup>1</sup> Inside, gave way

Previously trained by Mareina Michael 2009: ( 65 12 13 12 0.18 )  
 20Mar10-11GP fst 1<sup>1/8</sup> 462<sup>1</sup>:103 1:36 1:49 FlaDerby-G1  
 27Feb10-2GP fst 1 243 :464 1:111 1:363 Mid Sp Wt 35k  
 23Jan10-7GP fst 7f 222 :451 1:09 1:214 Mid Sp Wt 35k

81 5/11 41<sup>1</sup> 31<sup>1</sup> 41<sup>1</sup> 63<sup>1</sup> 710<sup>1</sup> Rose J  
 86 4/9 52 41<sup>1</sup> 4<sup>1</sup>hd 1<sup>1</sup>hd 13 Rose J  
 83 3/8 7 2<sup>1</sup> 2<sup>1</sup> 22 2<sup>1</sup> Rose J

L122 f 9.50 82-10 Ice Boxno<sup>1</sup>Pleasant Prince<sup>1</sup>1<sup>1</sup>Rule<sup>1</sup>4<sup>1</sup> Rail, faltered  
 L122 f \*1.20 85-17 GmOnDd<sup>1</sup>3<sup>1</sup>OrdkKnght<sup>1</sup>TrntRn<sup>1</sup>4<sup>1</sup> Broke in air, handily  
 L122 f 17.70 94-04 MineNGms<sup>1</sup>3GmOnDud<sup>1</sup>noBushwckd<sup>1</sup>2<sup>1</sup> Chased winner

## I'll Have Another

Own: Reddam Racing LLC

Ch. h. 16 (Apr)  
Sire: Flower Alley (Distorted Humor) \$5,600  
Dam: Arch's Gal Edith (Arch)  
Br: Harvey Clarke (Ky)  
Tr: O'Neill Doug F (0 0 0 0 .00) 2024 : (676 125 .18)

Life	7	5	1	0	\$2,693,600	109	D.Fst	4	4	0	0	\$2,629,600	109
2012	4	4	0	0	\$2,629,600	109	Wet(402)	1	0	0	0	\$1,000	40
2011	3	1	1	0	\$64,000	84	Synth(339)					\$0	
							Turf(313)	0	0	0	0	\$0	-

19May12-12Pim fst 1 $\frac{1}{2}$	473:1.113:1.363:1.554	Preaknes-G1	109	9/11	42 $\frac{1}{2}$	43 $\frac{1}{2}$	34	23	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	Gutierrez Mario	L126	3.20	96-08	IIIHvAnthr <sup>nk</sup> Bdmstr <sup>8</sup> CrtvCs <sup>3</sup>	3-4w,determined,drvng
5May12-11CD fst 1 $\frac{1}{4}$	451:1.094:1.35:2.014	KyDerby-G1	101	19/20	64 $\frac{1}{4}$	78	43 $\frac{1}{4}$	23	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	Gutierrez Mario	L126	15.30	101-04	IIIHaveAnother <sup>1</sup> Bodemeistern <sup>nk</sup> Dullahn <sup>2</sup>	4 wide 1/4 pl
7Apr12-6SA fst 1 $\frac{1}{8}$	47:1.11:1.351:1.474	SADerby-G1	95	3/9	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	32	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	Gutierrez Mario	L122	4.10	93-08	IIIHvAnthr <sup>nk</sup> CrtvCs <sup>3</sup> Blksnrbns <sup>3</sup>	Bid 3wd 1/8,gamely
4Feb12-6SA fst 1 $\frac{1}{8}$	23:463:1.102:1.404	RLewis-G2	96	4/8	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	2nd	12	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	Gutierrez Mario	L118	43.30	97-03	IIIHvAnthr <sup>2</sup> EmprW <sup>2</sup> GrnSI <sup>1</sup>	Stalked,bid,led,clear
5Sep11-9Sar sly <sup>s</sup> 7f	214:45:1.112:1.26	Hopeful-G1	40	8/10	9	97 $\frac{3}{4}$	1010	614	619	Leparoux J R	L120	11.90	58-19	CrrncySwp <sup>2</sup> Trnrbg <sup>3</sup> BgBINtn <sup>4</sup>	5w7/16,3w3/8,rail 5/16
7Aug11-8Dmr fst 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ f	222:45:1.092:1.153	BestPal-G2	84	1/6	2	1hd	1hd	11	21 $\frac{1}{4}$	Rosario J	L119	6.80	94-06	CrtvCs <sup>3</sup> IIIHAnthr <sup>3</sup> MghtMnsn <sup>4</sup>	Inside duel,2nd best
3Jly11-2Hol fst 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ f	221:454:574:1.034	Md Sp Wt 55k	83	7/7	1	1	1	1	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	Rosario J	L118	4.80	92-17	IIIHAnthr <sup>3</sup> ScrnWrr <sup>4</sup> Tmln <sup>4</sup>	Angled in, held gamely

## Lava Man

Own: STD Racing Stable and Wood Jason

Dk. b or b. g. 24 (Mar)  
Sire: Slew City Slew (Seattle Slew) \$2,500  
Dam: Li'l Ms. Leonard (Nostalgia's Star)  
Br: Lonnie Arterburn, Eve & Kim Kuhlmann (Cal)  
Tr: O'Neill Doug F (0 0 0 0 .00) 2024 : (676 125 .18)

Life	47	17	8	5	\$5,268,706	120	D.Fst	25	10	4	3	\$4,047,002	120
2009	1	0	0	0	\$0	88	Wet(361)	0	0	0	0	\$0	-
2008	3	0	0	2	\$54,000	102	Synth(315)					\$0	
							Turf(276)	19	6	4	2	\$751,704	107

27Dec09-7SA fm 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ ①	48:1.114:1.351:1.464	3+ SnGabrIH-G2	88	4/7	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	76 $\frac{1}{4}$	Baze T C	LB119 b	7.20	88-13	Prodnsky <sup>nk</sup> LpBrtn <sup>1</sup> Acclmtn <sup>no</sup>	Btwn past 1/8,wkened
20Jly08-8Dmr fm 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ ①	481:1.113:1.35:1.462	3+ EdReadH-G1	97	1/6	22	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	2hd	32	63 $\frac{1}{2}$	Baze T C	LB120 b	3.60	87-09	Mnnt <sup>1</sup> Whtsthsrpt <sup>2</sup> StrmMltn <sup>nk</sup>	Bid,dueled,weakened
7Jun08-5Hol fm 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ ①	48:1.113:1.354:1.594	3+ CWhtghmH-G1	102	6/7	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	15	12	2hd	3nk	Baze T C	LB121 b	5.20	94-09	ArtisteRoy <sup>nk</sup> Monztn <sup>no</sup> LvMn <sup>2</sup>	Drifted out late,game
27Apr08-4Hol fm 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ ①	501:1.133:1.362:1.482+4	⑤ Khaled150k	92	4/6	21	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	32 $\frac{1}{2}$	Nakatani C S	LB124 b	1.50	76-17	MrWolvrn <sup>1</sup> EpicPow <sup>2</sup> LvMn <sup>2</sup>	Bid btwn,no late punch
3Nov07-100SA fst 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ ①	46:1.094:1.342:1.471	3+ ⑤ CalCpClscH250k	92	9/10	41 $\frac{1}{4}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	2nd	2nd	62 $\frac{1}{2}$	Nakatani C S	LB124 b	*1.60	--	BldChftn <sup>1</sup> CltcDrnm <sup>2</sup> Smm <sup>1</sup> Wth <sup>nd</sup>	Bid,led 1/4,wkend late
7Oct07-60SA fm 1 ①	231:471:1.104:1.34	3+ OakTrMl-G2	91	2/6	31 $\frac{1}{2}$	31	62 $\frac{1}{2}$	63 $\frac{1}{2}$	64 $\frac{1}{2}$	Nakatani C S	LB123 b	*1.30	89-10	OutofControl <sup>no</sup> Znn <sup>1</sup> CourtNl <sup>1</sup>	Stalked rail,weakened
19Aug07-8Dmr fst 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ ①	493:1.144:1.403:2.071	3+ PacificCl-G1	89	1/12	43 $\frac{1}{2}$	32 $\frac{1}{2}$	2hd	32	67	Nakatani C S	LB124 b	*1.20	--	StndtCnc <sup>1</sup> AwsmGm <sup>4</sup> HllSndy <sup>1</sup>	Bid 3 wide, weakened
30Jun07-40Hol fst 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ ①	483:1.131:1.374:2.031	3+ HolGldCp-G1	105	8/9	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	2hd	2nd	1no	Nakatani C S	LB124 b	*1.40	--	LvMn <sup>no</sup> APXcellent <sup>3</sup> BigBooster <sup>4</sup>	Stalked,bid,gamely
9Jun07-40Hol fm 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ ①	462:1.101:1.344:1.583	3+ CWhtghmH-G1	101	8/8	34 $\frac{1}{2}$	38	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	Nakatani C S	LB124 b	*.90	100-09	AfterMrkt <sup>1</sup> LvMn <sup>2</sup> Obrigo <sup>1</sup>	3wd move,led,2nd best
31Mar07 Nad Al Sheba (UAE) gd *1 $\frac{1}{8}$ ① LH 1:474	3+ Dubai Duty Free-G1	Stk 5000000	16	162 $\frac{1}{2}$	Nakatani C S						126 b	-		Admire Moon <sup>1</sup> Linngr <sup>4</sup> Daiwa Major <sup>2</sup>	
Pressed pace to 3f out,weakened,English Channel 12th															
3Mar07-10SA fst 1 $\frac{1}{4}$	481:1.123:1.363:2.02	4+ SAH-G1	109	7/8	32	31 $\frac{1}{2}$	3nk	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	Nakatani C S	LB124 b	*.60	92-15	Lava Man <sup>2</sup> Molengao <sup>1</sup> Bobomano <sup>no</sup>	3wd bid,clear,held
27Jan07-5SA fm 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ ①	474:1.112:1.351:1.473	4+ ⑤ SunMilTurf500k	100	9/10	31 $\frac{1}{2}$	42 $\frac{1}{2}$	21	11	12	Nakatani C S	LB122 b	*.70	90-15	LvMn <sup>2</sup> IcyAlitinc <sup>nk</sup> GoBetween <sup>1</sup>	Bid,led near 1/4,clear
4Nov06-10CD fst 1 $\frac{1}{4}$	463:1.11:1.362:2.02	3+ BC Clasic-G1	93	8/13	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	32 $\frac{1}{2}$	72 $\frac{1}{2}$	915	715 $\frac{1}{2}$	Nakatani C S	L126 b	6.10	79-07	Invsor <sup>1</sup> Bernrdini <sup>2</sup> Premium <sup>1</sup>	In tight bmp early,4w
7Oct06-60SA fst 1 $\frac{1}{4}$	464:1.103:1.344:1.48	3+ GdwdbCH-G2	109	4/7	1hd	1hd	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	13	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	Nakatani C S	LB126 b	*.60	96-04	Lava Man <sup>2</sup> BrotherDerek <sup>1</sup> Gicom <sup>1</sup>	Inside,clear,driving
20Aug06-8Dmr fst 1 $\frac{1}{4}$	463:1.111:1.352:2.013	3+ PacificCl-G1	109	2/8	2nd	2hd	13	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	Nakatani C S	LB124 b	*1.00	87-13	LvMn <sup>2</sup> GoodRwd <sup>3</sup> SprFro <sup>1</sup>	Inside duel,drew clear
8Jly06-10Hol fst 1 $\frac{1}{4}$	483:1.122:1.354:2.01	3+ HolGldCp-G1	109	1/5	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	31 $\frac{1}{2}$	2hd	1hd	1no	Nakatani C S	LB124 b	*.60	93-07	LvMn <sup>no</sup> AceBlue <sup>2</sup> SuperFrolic <sup>3</sup>	Stumbled start, gamely
10Jun06-6Hol fm 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ ①	494:1.143:1.371:2.001	3+ CWhtghmH-G1	107	8/9	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	12	Nakatani C S	LB122 b	*.90	94-12	Lava Man <sup>2</sup> KingsDrm <sup>1</sup> RedFort <sup>no</sup>	Bit off rail,held game
30Apr06-8Hol fm 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ ①	462:1.091:1.323:1.441+4	⑤ Khaled150k	106	8/8	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	1hd	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	15 $\frac{1}{4}$	Nakatani C S	LB124 b	*.70	110-	LvMn <sup>5</sup> Cherooot <sup>no</sup> SuperStrut <sup>2</sup>	Vied,clear,ridden out
4Mar06-10SA fst 1 $\frac{1}{4}$	471:1.111:1.353:2.002	4+ SAH-G1	113	6/9	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	3nk	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	12	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	Nakatani C S	LB120 b	3.40	97-06	Lava Man <sup>2</sup> Magnum <sup>2</sup> Wilko <sup>2</sup>	3wd,clear,held
28Jan06-6SA fst 1 $\frac{1}{4}$	444:1.083:1.354:1.494	4+ ⑤ SunMilClsc1000k	99	2/12	43	46	47 $\frac{1}{2}$	12	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	Nakatani C S	LB122 b	2.90	87-20	LvMn <sup>2</sup> WhosCryngNow <sup>1</sup> Txcss <sup>2</sup>	3wd bid,drift in,clear
26Nov05 Tokyo (Jpn) ft *1 $\frac{1}{8}$ LH 2:08	3+ Japan Cup Dirt-G1	Stk 2073000	16	111 $\frac{1}{2}$	Nakatani C S						126 b	16.60		Kane Heikl <sup>no</sup> Seeking the Dian <sup>nk</sup> Star King Man <sup>1</sup>	
Trckd in 5th,wknd 2-1/2 out,Pat 13th,Personal Rush 14th															
10Oct05-9Bel fst 1 $\frac{1}{4}$	463:1.111:1.363:2.024	3+ JkyClbGC-G1	43	6/8	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	3nk	64 $\frac{1}{2}$	720	745 $\frac{1}{2}$	Valenzuela P A	L126 b	2.75	37-15	Borrego <sup>4</sup> Suave <sup>2</sup> Sun King <sup>5</sup>	Bobbled start, 3 wide
21Aug05-8Dmr fst 1 $\frac{1}{4}$	454:1.101:1.351:2.003	3+ PacificCl-G1	112	3/11	1hd	1hd	11	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	Valenzuela P A	LB124 b	*1.50	91-07	Borrego <sup>1</sup> PerfctDrift <sup>nk</sup> LvMn <sup>2</sup>	Off rail,caught,vanned
9Jly05-8Hol fst 1 $\frac{1}{4}$	47:1.104:1.344:1.593	3+ HolGldCpH-G1	120	7/9	21	21	1hd	13	18 $\frac{3}{4}$	Valenzuela P A	LB118 b	6.00	104-	Lava Man <sup>3</sup> Borrego <sup>1</sup> Congrats <sup>2</sup>	Stalked,bid,cleared
18Jun05-5Hol fst 1 $\frac{1}{8}$	47:1.103:1.35:1.474	3+ Calfrn-G2	116	5/7	2hd	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	2hd	11	11	Valenzuela P A	LB118 b	8.70	96-11	Lava Man <sup>1</sup> AnziynRoylty <sup>4</sup> Skukuz <sup>2</sup>	Dueled,led,gamely
14May05-2Hol fst 1 $\frac{1}{8}$	232:47:1.102:1.414	4+ OC 100k/c	104	3/6	31 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	Gomez G K	LB118 b	6.80	92-07	Lava Man <sup>1</sup> Skukuz <sup>nd</sup> Smoocher <sup>nd</sup>	Stalked,bid,led,clear
24Apr05-7Hol fst 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ f	219:434:1.082:1.272	4+ ⑤ Tiznow150k	82	4/10	6	62 $\frac{1}{2}$	52 $\frac{1}{2}$	33 $\frac{1}{2}$	611 $\frac{1}{2}$	Court J K	LB120 b	5.10	86-07	Unfurth <sup>1</sup> FigEIdon <sup>2</sup> GrgsGold <sup>3</sup>	Stalked rail,weakened
12Mar05-8SA fm 1 ①	223:463:1.101:1.332	4+ ⑤ CrystlWtrH109k	93	3/8	43	41 $\frac{1}{2}$	42	51 $\frac{1}{4}$	52 $\frac{1}{4}$	Douglas R R	LB116	3.20	94-11	CozyGuy <sup>1</sup> ErySnow <sup>nk</sup> RnnngFr <sup>2</sup>	Stalked,inside,no bid
29Jan05-10GP fst 1 $\frac{1}{8}$	462:1.103:1.354:1.49	4+ ⑤ SM Classic1000k	83	7/12	31	32	42 $\frac{1}{2}$	77	714 $\frac{1}{2}$	Court J K	L120	14.10	--	MsqTojors <sup>nk</sup> Zkoc <sup>1</sup> ClscEndvor <sup>2</sup>	Chased, gave way
26Dec04-8SA fst 7f	221:441:1.081:1.214	Malibu-G1	101	7/10	1	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	31 $\frac{1}{2}$	31	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	Court J K	LB115	8.90	95-09	RockHrd <sup>1</sup> Tn <sup>3</sup> LvMn <sup>no</sup> HrvrdAvnm <sup>no</sup>	Bid btwn,led,edged
13Nov04-7Hol fst 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ f	221:441:1.081:1.271	3+ ⑤ OnTrustH89k	107	4/8	5	41 $\frac{1}{2}$	3nk	2nd	21	Court J K	LB115	6.10	98-10	AnziynRoylty <sup>1</sup> LvMn <sup>5</sup> JcksSlvr <sup>2</sup>	Bid btwn,rail,outkickd
16Oct04-8SA fst 1 $\frac{1}{8}$	461:1.10:1.344:1.473	3+ ⑤ CalCpClscH250k	107	6/10	2hd	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	1hd	2hd	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	Court J K	LB112	25.10	95-11	CozyGuy <sup>3</sup> LvMn <sup>5</sup> AnziynRoylty <sup>4</sup>	Fought back rail lane
25Sep04-1Fpx fst *1 $\frac{1}{8}$	471:1.114:1.363:1.484	PomonaDrby99k	87	3/8	41 $\frac{1}{2}$	52 $\frac{1}{2}$	62	66	36 $\frac{1}{2}$	Figueroa O	LB122	3.10	92-15	Semi Lost <sup>4</sup> Cozy Guy <sup>2</sup> Lava Man <sup>2</sup>	In tight 1/4, 4wide
13Sep04-9Fpx fst 1 $\frac{1}{8}$	222:454:1.111:1.43	DerbyTrial58k	101	5/7	44	42 $\frac{1}{2}$	41 $\frac{1}{2}$	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	16 $\frac{1}{4}$	Figueroa O	LB120	10.30	94-06	Lava Man <sup>4</sup> LstTimeinTown <sup>3</sup> Lindero <sup>4</sup>	Clear, ridden out
13Aug04-1Dmr fm 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ ①	231:471:1.112:1.411	Clm c-(50-45)	80	7/8	55 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	1hd	2hd	24	John K	LB120	7.30	89-08	Evrybydyulsdht <sup>4</sup> LvMn <sup>3</sup> Chubscor <sup>nd</sup>	Bid,led,held 2nd
Claimed from Arterburn, Lonnie, Kuhlmann, Eve and Widmer, Jonah, et al for \$50,000, Arterburn Lonnie Trainer 2004(as of 8/13): (54 8 6 9 0.15)															
28Jly04-6Dmr fm 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ ①	233:471:1.111:1.413	Clm 62500(62.5-55)	74	2/10	85 $\frac{1}{2}$	95	105 $\frac{1}{2}$	64 $\frac{1}{2}$	66 $\frac{1}{2}$	Alvarado F T	LB120	9.00	85-07	WAILovAlyn <sup>2</sup> PIntyHt <sup>1</sup> CzyGyn <sup>nk</sup>	In tight btwn 1/2
Placed 5th through disqualification															
5Jun04-8BM fm 1 ①	242:482:1.122:1.372	Alw 38181n1x	80	6/6	42 $\frac{1}{2}$	41 $\frac{1}{2}$	41 $\frac{1}{2}$	2hd	1no	Schvaneveldt C P	LB118	*1.60	86-17	Lava MannoTalaris <sup>2</sup> My Creed <sup>1</sup>	Bid 3w, long duel
16May04-8BM fm 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ ①	242:482:1.114:1.433	Alw 34315n1x	81	6/6	31	31	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	2hd	Duran F	LB118 b	*2.60	88-12	SoccerDan <sup>nd</sup> Lava Man <sup>2</sup> My Creed <sup>2</sup>	Stlkd 3w, led, tagged
24Apr04-9Hol fst 1 $\frac{1}{8}$	232:474:1.135:1.483	⑤ SnowChief250k	76	5/8	711	78 $\frac{1}{2}$	89	75 $\frac{1}{2}$	810	Baze T C	LB114 b	57.50	86-05	Chrn <sup>1</sup> Dntsllmsht <sup>no</sup> ShrnOtlw <sup>2</sup>	Bit wide 7-1/2,no bid
8Apr04-3BM fm 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ ①	231:474:1.12:1.43	Alw 35979n1x	74	2/5	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	21	31 $\frac{1}{2}$	43 $\frac{1}{2}$	Duran F	LB118 b	1.50	87-08	KngdomCom <sup>2</sup> EpcPwr <sup>2</sup> DncnCndy <sup>2</sup>	Bid 2w, weakened
6Feb04-5SA fst 1	221:452:1.101:1.363	⑤ OC 80k/W1x-N	85	4/7	42 $\frac{1}{2}$	41 $\frac{1}{2}$	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	32 $\frac{1}{2}$	25	Baze T C	LB118 b	6.90	83-14	CozyGuy <sup>5</sup> LvMn <sup>1</sup> BdgettsMndt <sup>7</sup>	Btwn to 5/16,2nd best
8Jan04-1GG sf 1 ①	243:493:1.142:1.392	Alw 40005n2L	74	2/5	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	12	15	Duran F	LB118 b	*.80	82-18	LvMn <sup>5</sup> DncnCndy <sup>3</sup> WlterRinger <sup>3</sup>	Bid 2w, clear, driving
29Nov03-1GG fm 1 ①	232:474:1.133:1.45	Mid Sp Wt 36k	73	2/10	11	1hd	11	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	14	Duran F	LB118 b	3.40	84-16	Lava Man <sup>3</sup> FrenchRost <sup>1</sup> Alottdr <sup>2</sup>	Cleared 3/16s,driving
19Oct03-5BM fm 1 ①	233:483:1.131:1.383	Mid Sp Wt 36k	63	2/9	31	43 $\frac{1}{2}$	33 $\frac{1}{2}$	33 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	Duran F	LB118 b	6.90	78-23	Charbonnier <sup>1</sup> Lava Man <sup>2</sup> Aza <sup>2</sup>	Stlkd rail, mild gain
4Sep03-6BM fst 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ f	214:452:1.58:1.043	Mid 20000(32-30)	48	1/8	6	34	36	46	57	Bisono C V	LB118	10.40	78-17	SomethingFr <sup>1</sup> 3WhtSoldr <sup>3</sup> EstrnAccnt <sup>2</sup>	2w trn, no rally
31Jly03-7SR fst 5f	22:453:1.572	Mid 20000(20-18)	59	9/9	7	44	42 $\frac{1}{2}$	22	32	Bisono C V	LB118	7.40	93-07	MontnSlwpy <sup>2</sup> Yodtlyrblh <sup>1</sup> LvMn <sup>3</sup>	Bid 3w, tagged late
19Jun03-4Stk fst 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ f	221:463:1.53	Mid 12500	27	8/9	9	911	77	433		Bisono C V	LB118	35.50	89-08	SmoothThn <sup>nk</sup> Ogdrly <sup>2</sup> MltizlsIfUn <sup>1</sup>	Best stride late



## Little Mike

**Own: Vaccarezza Priscilla**

**B. q. 18 (May)**

**Sire: Spanish Steps (Unbridled) \$3,000**

**Dam: Hay Jude (Wavering Monarch)**

Br: Carlo E. Vaccarezza (Fla)

Tr: Vaccarezza Carlo (0 0 0 0 .00) 2024 :(53 13 .25)

Life	30	14	2	1	\$3,543,392	105	D.Fst	4	0	1	0	\$9,870	65
2016	1	0	0	0	\$380	73	Wet(257)	0	0	0	0	\$0	-
2014	1	1	0	0	\$60,000	99	Synth(294)					\$0	
							Turf(288)	25	14	1	1	\$3,533,522	105

103	16	7GP	fm	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>6</sub> ①	234	.472	1:104	1:41	3+OC 62/k-C-N	73	1/6	11	11	32	44	55 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Trujillo E	L122	f	*1.10	80-21	GntlmnsAgrmnt1RnckCpny3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Pressurd,lost lead,wkn
17	May	14-9GP	fm	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>6</sub> ①	232	.463	1:101	1:40	3+FlynPidgnB90k	99	5/9	11	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	12	15	12 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Trujillo E	L123		*.80	95-10	Little Mike2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> Hakama3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> Padilla1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Drew clear, ridden out
8	Dec	13	Sha Tin (HK)	qf	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>6</sub> ①	RH	2:014	3+	Longines Hong Kong Cup-G1						12	94	Smith M E	L126		59.00	Akeed Mofeed1Tokel Halo3Cirrus des Aigles <sup>no</sup>		
Timeform Rating: 116 Stk 2838000																							
2	Nov	13-9SA	fm	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> ①	464	1:103	1:592	2:231	3+BCTurf-G1	101	4/12	22	21	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	73 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Smith M E	L126		5.60	94-01	Maginc1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> TheFugue1RiddenYPoint3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Bid,led,weakened late
28	Sep	13-9Bel	fm	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> ①	473	1:112	2:001	2:25	3+TFclscIv-G1	104	9/9	53 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	53 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Smith M E	L126		7.40	-	LtlMkn <sup>no</sup> BgBluktt1RISolution <sup>hd</sup>	3w both turns, game
17	Aug	13-10AP	fm	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> ①	484	1:13	1:371	2:004	3+ArlMilln-G1	92	11/13	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	11	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	64	Rosario J	L126		4.60	98-	TDTheApch <sup>hd</sup> RISolution2SdGlnc1 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Pace inside, gave way
6	July	13-11Mth	fm	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> ①	471	1:122	1:354	2:114	3+UnitdNtn-G1	88	7/8	11	11	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	43 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Rosario J	L123		1.60	96-11	BgBlktn1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> TksNorth1HngurKd1 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Set pace, weakened
30	Mar	13	Meydan (UAE)	gd	*1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>6</sub> ①	LH	1:474	3+	Dubai Duty Free-G1						14	117	Stevens G L	L126		-	Sajjhaa1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> TheApache3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> Giofrank		
Timeform Rating: 108 Stk 5000000																							
9	Mar	13	Meydan (UAE)	ft	*1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> ①	LH	2:033	3+	Al Maktoum Challenge-Round 3-G1					12	86 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Fallon K	L126		-	Hunter's Light2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> Kassiano <sup>no</sup> Prince Bishop <sup>nk</sup>			
Timeform Rating: 106 Stk 400000																							
3	Nov	12-9SA	fm	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> ①	463	1:104	1:592	2:224	3+BCTurf-G1	105	7/12	32	33 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Dominguez R A	L126		17.30	104-	LtlMk1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> PntFtr1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> ScndlsAbb1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Bid btw,led,clear,held
29	Sep	12-9Bel	yl	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> ①	514	1:18	2:081	2:333	3+TFclscIv-G1	66	4/6	11	11	51 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	518	528 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Dominguez R A	L126		2.30	-	PntFtr1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> TrsrBch2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> KhrkDk1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Well rate ins, retreat
18	Aug	12-11AP	gd	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> ①	494	1:15	1:392	2:022	3+ArlMilln-G1	102	4/11	11	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	14 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Dominguez R A	L126		3.90	94-09	LittleMike1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> Afsr1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> DRHystrd <sup>no</sup>	Pace inside,roused clr
30	Jun	12-9BHP	fm	1 ①	232	.462	1:094	1:334	3+ShoemkrM-G1	96	3/8	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	11	31 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Bravo J	L124		1.70	91-11	Jrnmio1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> SuggstivBoys1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> LittleMike	Bid off rail,held 3rd
5	May	12-10CD	gd	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>6</sub> ①	481	1:124	1:362	1:484	4+TurfClsc-G1	102	1/11	11	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	13 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	12 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Bravo J	L120		1.20	96-07	LittleMike2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> SlmShdy3BrillntSpit <sup>no</sup>	Drifted out early
3	Mar	12-10GDP	fm	1 ①	234	.47	1:091	1:322	4+CanTuf-G3	95	8/8	11	11	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	41 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Bravo J	L119		1.00	93-05	DoublesPartner3Trend3DkLatink <sup>hd</sup>	Rail, weakened late
28	Jan	12-9GP	fm	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>6</sub> ①	48	1:113	1:342	1:454	4+SunMilTurf150k	94	5/8	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	11	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Bravo J	L117		1.60	97-05	Little Mike3Slews Answer1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> Bad Debt <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Rail, held on
22	Dec	11-7GP	fm	1 ①	24	.474	1:103	1:343	3+OC 100k/C-N	95	6/8	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	11	12	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Bravo J	L119		*.90	84-18	LittleMike <sup>no</sup> YnkveFourtune2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> AlliesEvtnt <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Just lasted
3	Apr	11-8GP	fm	1 ①	231	.46	1:09	1:324	4+Appletn-G3	103	1/8	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	11	11	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	11	Bravo J	L123		*1.10	93-13	LittleMike1RivurCocktl <sup>nk</sup> Asphlt3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Clear str, held sway
27	Feb	11-10GP	fm	1 ①	223	.452	1:083	1:321	4+CanTuf-G3	104	7/10	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	12 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Bravo J	L121		5.40	96-09	LtlMk1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> SocytcsChrmn2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> YnkFrtn2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Off rail, held sway
5	Feb	11-9GP	fm	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>6</sub> ①	472	1:102	1:34	1:461	4+GPTurfFH-G1	94	6/8	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	62 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Bravo J	L116		6.20	93-17	TeaksNorth <sup>no</sup> SmrtBid1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> GetStormy1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Inside, gave way
Previously trained by Iwinski Allen 2010: ( 193 30 11 28 0.16 )																							
9	Jan	11-8GP	fm	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>6</sub> ①	23	.463	1:101	1:402	4+FltLderdl-G3	98	11/11	11	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	12	13 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Bravo J	L118		12.90	94-10	Little Mike <sup>no</sup> Blues Street1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> Smart Bid <sup>hd</sup>	Just lasted
11	Dec	10-10Crc	fm	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> ①	223	.454	1:10	1:28	3+Alw 3800nSy	89	6/11	3	6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	72 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	41 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Bravo J	L117		*1.20	96-04	LittleMike3MenSxn <sup>no</sup> LucsBrdy <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Checked leaving turn
21	Nov	10-7Au	fm	1 ①	242	.483	1:123	1:364	MinrchsMaze60k	85	7/8	11	11	11	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	22 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Velazquez J R	L120		1.15	96-08	Lubsh2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> LittleMike1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> FlminHot3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Rated ins until 1/4lp
28	Oct	10-18el	gd	1 ①	234	.474	1:12	1:353	3+OC 50k/n2x-N	91	5/10	11	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	13	13 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Bravo J	L121		3.50	83-24	LtlMk33KrkorumLgnd1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> Hgn <sup>nk</sup>	Well rated 2p to 3/16p
26	Sep	10-9Mth	fm	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>6</sub> ①	224	.47	1:11	1:401	3+Alw 52000n1x	90	2/10	12 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	11	11	12	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Bravo J	L121		*1.60	93-12	LtlMk1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> ThCogncKdm <sup>nk</sup> BrryBrryBno2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Set pace, clear
28	Aug	10-6Mth	fm	1 ①	222	.463	1:103	1:333	3+Md Sp Wt 72k	89	9/10	11	11	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	12	12 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Bravo J	L117		8.60	94-07	LittleMike3CptlMrkt1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> FrrCmnt <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Set pace, drew clear
20	Aug	10-1Mth	fst	6f	222	.46	.583	1:112	3+Md Sp Wt 72k	59	1/7	5	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	47 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Lopez P	L118		15.00	73-23	Cornstrn1BwnMo1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> WldntKid4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Inside,wknd drive
24	Jly	10-6Mth	fst	6f	221	.453	.581	1:112	3+Md Sp Wt 79k	49	2/12	6	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	41	69	81 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Lopez P	L117		15.70	69-19	King Red2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> Cornertone3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> Sevin1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Bumped start, inside
Previously trained by White William P 2009 (as of 8/8): ( 179 28 30 22 0.16 )																							
8	Aug	09-12Crc	fst	6f	221	.462	.592	1:122	FSDRfFager100k	48	9/9	1	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	44 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	814 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Santiago Javier	L118		15.20	70-20	Jackson Ben3Mr. Green3Bim Bam1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Vied, faded
11	Jlv	09-6Crc	fst	5f	222	.464	1:001	1:01	Mid Sp Wt 32k	65	4/8	3	31 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	32	31	22	Lopez P	L118		5.40	85-11	BimBm2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> LtlMk3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> MrblousWldct <sup>no</sup>	Rail bid, outfinished

## Red Knight

**Own: Trinity Farm**

Ch. q. 11 (Mar)

**Sire: Pure Prize (Storm Cat) \$7,500**

**Dam: Isabel Away (Skip Away)**

Br: Trinity Farm, LLC (NY)

Tr: Maker Michael J (0 0 0 0 .00) 2024 :(1320 197 .15)

Life	38	12	9	2	\$1,886,338	101	D.Fst	1	0	0	0	\$8,400	87
2023	7	2	1	1	\$672,825	98	Wet(385)	2	0	2	0	\$32,400	79
2022	4	2	0	0	\$410,255	97	Synth(384)					\$0	
							Turf(313)	35	12	7	2	\$1,845,538	101

130ct23-9Kee	fm	1½	C	5011:15	2:041	2:28	34	Sycamore-G3	92	2/12	107¼	107¾	97¼	75¼	63½	Gaffalione T	125	3.48	87-10	BoldActCllistnkLimitdLibility½	2p,3-4p3rd,6p1/4,mild	
9Sep23-2HKD	gd	1½	U	4931:14	2:023	2:283	34	TurfCup-G2	96	2/12	98¾	66½	55½	53½	42	Gaffalione T	124	*3.91	80-22	GtSmokn½SpkyChnnlHkSntno	2-4w far turn,galled,5p	
22Jly23-41Mth	fm	1¾	U	4911:141	1:39	2:142	34	UnitdNtn-G1	96	8/9	88¼	89¼	84¾	74	32¼	Gaffalione T	124	2.70	80-10	Therapist½CatnipRRed Knightno	4w far turn,rallied,	
10Jun23-41Bel	fm	1¼	F	4731:121	1:36	1:591	44	Manhtn-G1	98	6/10	1013	1010	65	53¼	44	Gaffalione T	124	10.30	95-10	UpthMrkZSDlrRshOttFlt½	Fractious gate,4-5w2nd	
13May23-5Bel	fm	1¾	F	49	1:15	1:383	2:133	44	ManOWar-G1	97	1/8	84¾	85¼	63	3nk	11½	Ortiz J Jr	122	5.40	89-11	RdKngh½SldrRsnghdStrngTdn	2-3p,4p1/4,rallied,upr
22Apr23-8Kee	gd	1½	U	4931:144	2:043	2:291	44	Elkhorn-G2	95	5/8	89	78	63¼	2hd	2hd	Corrales G	120	6.12	85-14	VrstppnhdRhKhZAthrmstr½	2w,5pbwt upr,outfinshd	
28Jan23-9GP	fm	1½	U	4811:123	2:01	2:25	44	WLMcKnt-G3	94	10/11	117	1110	43	2hd	11	Ortiz J Jr	124	3.30	93-10	RdKngh½VEngnrngWckdFstnk	2w,5w 1/4up,1/8,dift	
5Nov22-40Kee	fm	1½	U	4921:14	2:031	2:261	34	BCTurf-G1	90	10/13	76½	65½	43½	96¼	111½	Saez L	126	34.39	91-02	RblsRmnc2½StnA¾WrLKGddssmk	Off pace 4-3wd,faded	
14Oct22-9Kee	fm	1½	U	5011:152	2:05	2:284	34	Sycamore-G3	97	2/12	126½	117½	105¼	104¼	81½	Corrales G	125	7.14	88-21	HghlnldChf1TmplnkHghstHrsno	Steady 7/8,7w1/4,level	
10Sep22-40KD	fm	1½	U	4931:142	2:022	2:264	34	TurfCup-G2	97	1/12	98¼	97¼	32½	1hd	1no	Corrales G	124	12.02	91-12	RdKnghnoGfnrkAnothrMstry1	5w1/4,bid,held,gavel	
27Jly22-8Cl	fm	*1½	F	50	1:16	2:05	2:293	34	CnlCupB156k	91	4/11	74½	74	4nk	11	1½	Karamanos H A	L122	4.80	--	RdKnghnoAnthrMstrhdSpMcsty1	Stdy early,bid4w,clear
Previously trained by Mott William I 2021(as of 8/25): (375 74 64 52 0.20)																						
25Aug21-95sr	fm	1¾	U	\$115	1:402	2:432	44	J[un]JohnsCall120k	80	1/7	712	511	42	53½	610¾	Alvarado J	124	5.70	91 -	SrvthKng½Rythguy2Fntsoso1	Bid 4w uppr, weakened	
31Jly21-40Kee	gd	1¾	U	4911:142	1:383	2:161	44	BwlgnCrn-G2	94	6/8	814	718	61¾	54½		Gaffalione T	120 b	19.20	83-25	CrssBrdr½Rckmprr1Shrckt½	Tardy brk,ins-2p turns	
5Jly21-6Bel	gd	1½	U	51	1:162	2:044	2:283	44	GrdCtrierB150k	91	1/6	43¼	44½	61¼	53	55¼	Franco M	124	4.20	79-16	Gufo1TideofthSnkShmrocket½	Ins-2p,wait1/4,mvd out
15May21-41CD	fm	1½	U	4831:141	2:04	2:27	44	Lsvill-G3	95	7/14	1314	1313	136	93¼	21	Graham J	118	9.60	100-08	Arlkow1Reed Knight½StrongTide1	5p upr,split1/8,up plc	
17Apr21-9Kee	gd	1½	U	4831:142	2:042	2:281	44	Elkhorn-G2	83	8/8	89½	77½	52	66¼	611½	Graham J	118	3.40	81-17	SthWrd½ChnnlCtmCrftDdd¾	3w,5w1/4,faded btw3/16	
Placed 5th through disqualification																						
21Nov20-9Aqu	fm	1¾	F	4831:133	1:382	2:162	34	RedSmith-G3	94	10/11	1014	1017	613	43½	2½	Ortiz J L	L126	2.50	95-14	NorthDakot½RedKnight½Zyd¾	5-6w uppr, closed well	
15Oct20-8Kee	fm	1½	U	51	1:16	2:044	2:284	34	Sycamore-G3	100	2/10	74½	83¼	42	1hd	12	Gaffalione T	L121	*4.50	99-06	RedKnight2PostulationhZyidh¾	Split 2w3,8w1/4,surge
12Sep20-40KD	sf	1½	U	5011:143	2:041	2:283	34	KyTurfCp-G3	101	2/10	42½	53	41½	21	21½	Saez L	L122	2.40	99 -	Arlkow½RedKnight½ZuluAlphaz½	Drifted out, no gain	
25Jan20-40GP	fm	1½	U	4911:134	2:022	2:26	44	WLMcKnt-G3	92	1/11	108¼	119	84	33	43¾	Rosario J	L122	*.90	85-11	SpkyChnnlnkCrssBrdr2½Aprcd1½	5wd 3rd turn,flttn out	
23Nov19-9Aqu	gd	1¾	F	4821:134	1:381	2:153	34	RedSmith-G3	99	8/11	116	116	109	87½	22	Alvarado J	L124	8.10	97-12	SdlrsJoy½PrtdKnight½DotMtrix½	5w uppr, willingly	
13Oct19-7Bel	fm	1½	U	4811:131	2:013	2:254	34	PntOEntryB102k	98	3/7	512	511	44	21	11½	Alvarado J	L122	2.60	101 -	RdKnight½Prtrt½PillrMountain¾	4w uppr, inched away	
22Sep19-7Bel	fm	1¾	F	48	1:113	1:35	1:462	34	J[un]ATCobleB125k	94	2/7	58½	58	55¼	43	52¼	Ortiz J L	L124	5.50	94-07	DotMtrx½VoodooSong½OfrrngPlnz½	Instst,2wd,4w,flat
21Aug19-45sr	sly½	1½	S	4842:131	1:383	2:041	34	J[un]JohnsCall93k	77	4/4	21	21	1½	24½	28½	Ortiz J L	L122	*.65	67-21	HghlnldSk¾RdKngh½TrcBr3¾	3w,5w upper,lost whip	
27Jly19-40Sr	fm	1¾	U	S4941:152	1:39	2:142	44	BwlgnCrn-G2	91	9/12	76	76½	63	83¼	128½	Leparoux J R	L118	18.30	84-12	ChannelCat½VPrimohArlkownk	3w turns,6w into lane	
7Jun19-30Bel	fm	2	U	12432:093	3:052	3:194	44	BelGldCo-G2	97	4/8	52	32½	31	1½	53½	Ortiz J L	L115	2.30	81-11	AmadeArlkow1Highland Sk½	3w 2d & 3rd wknd	

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20Apr19-9Kee yl 1½ ⑦ C 50'1:16'1 2:06'4 2:32 4+ Elkhorn-G2  
 29Dec18-10GP fm 2 ⑦ 139 2:05'4 2:55'3 1:94 3+ HAlnJrknB100k  
 17Nov18-8Aqu fst 1½ ⑧ 50'2:1:15 1:40 1:52'4 3+ RedSmithL202k  
 20Oct18-3Bel gd 1½ ⑦ 22'4:46'1 1:12'1 1:42 3+ MohawkB208k  
 23Sep18-9Bel gd 1½ ⑦ 47'4:12 1:36 1:48 3+ ATColeB128k  
 25Aug18-5Sar fm 1½ ⑦ 49'1:12'4 1:36'2 1:53'4 3+ OC 62k/n2x-N

Previously trained by Willaford Leana 2018(as of 7/7): (6 1 2 1 0.17)

7Jly18-4Bel fm 1½ ⑦ S 49'3:13'1 1:36'3 2:00'1 3+ Alw 90000n1x

Previously trained by Mott William I 2018(as of 6/7): (220 28 25 40 0.13)

7Jun18-5Bel fm 1½ ⑦ S 50'4:15'3 1:40 2:15'1 3+ OC 25k/n1x-N

5Nov17-7Aqu fm 1½ ⑦ 23'2:47'3 1:13'1 1:43'2 3+ OC 40k/n2x-N

7Oct17-11Bel fm 1½ ⑦ 24'4:48'2 1:12'1 1:41'4 3+ Alw 62000n1x

15Jly17-11Bel fm 1½ ⑦ 25'4:48'3 1:12 1:42'2 3+ Md Sp Wt 62k

18Jun17-5Bel sly 1½ ⑧ 23'4:48'3 1:13'4 1:46'2 3+ Md Sp Wt 62k

97 8/10 810 811 3nk 1hd 2½ Saez L  
 95 7/13 919 914 1½ 11 1hd Saez L  
 87 4/6 53½ 53½ 53½ 52½ 53½ Alvarado J  
 80 5/8 49½ 59½ 74 49½ 313½ Alvarado J  
 93 2/11 78½ 711 79 64½ 52 Ortiz J L  
 93 4/10 63 64 64 3½ 1nk Alvarado J

88 4/6 21 32 32 32 1no Alvarado J

87 3/10 64 43 32 32 2no Alvarado J

86 10/10 68½ 68 67½ 43 1½ Alvarado J

80 6/11 63½ 64 63 62½ 11½ Ortiz J L

77 7/12 55½ 67 66 11 1½ Ortiz J L

79 5/8 31½ 31 2hd 2hd 2no Diaz H R Jr7

L118 7.10 89-14 BggrPcturjRdKnghtjZlAlph½ Bmpd st,3wd str,caught  
 L119 5.50 112-11 Red KnighthdSoglio½Nessy1 Swept5wd,cleared,held  
 L117 5.30 79-20 VllgKngnoSoglo2ControlGrop½ Awkward st,outkicked  
 L119 4.10 70-17 Offering Plan½Rapt7½Red Knight½ 2w pursuit,5p 3/16  
 L122 4.00 87-17 BkctTd½OffrngPln½GccFctrno Ins,2w,beh foe 1/4-upr  
 L124 \*2.85 89-09 RdKnghtnkClsscCvhdSchlrAthlt½ 3w upper, good kick

L124 1.80 91-05 RdKnghtnoGgnhdImthCptnN½ Ins 1st,2w,5w uppr,up

L124 3.70 85-15 BirdsEyVwnoRdKnght½Gugunnk Hit gate, ins,3w upper

L121 \*2.40 90-13 RdKnght½StrtpNton½WckdFrd½ 3w 2nd,4w upr,up 1/16

L120 2.45 87-13 RdKnght½MnskMt½ClthCr½ Traffic uppr, going cl

L117 \*1.70 82-22 RdKnght½ApplngBrfs½Hob½ Brsh st,2w,5w upr,game

L111 17.30 64-36 MnskyMmntnoRdKnght½Znc½ 4w 1/4, herded, denied

## Silver Charm

Own: Lewis Robert B. and Beverly J

Gr/ro. h. 31 (Feb)

Sire: Silver Buck (Buckpasser) \$7,500

Dam: Bonnie's Poker (Poker)

Br: Mary Lou Wootton (Fla)

Tr: Baffert Bob (0 0 0 0 .00) 2024 : (336 95 .28)

Life	24	12	7	2	\$6,944,369	123	D.Fst	23	11	7	2	\$6,644,369	123
1999	5	1	0	2	\$431,363	118	Wet(309)	1	1	0	0	\$300,000	113
1998	9	6	2	0	\$4,696,506	123	Synth(316)					\$0	
							Turf(250)	0	0	0	0	\$0	-

12Jun99-9CD fst 1½ 46'4:11 1:35'2 1:47'1 3+ SFosterH-G2

Previously trained by Baffert Bob

28Mar99 Nad Al Sheba (UAE) ft \*1¼ LH 2:00'3 4+ Dubai World Cup-G1  
 Stk 5000000

6Mar99-5SA fst 1¼ 47'2:1:12 1:35'2 2:00'3 4+ SAH-G1

30Jan99-10GP fst 1½ 46'3:1:10 1:35'3 1:48'1 3+ DonnH-G1

10Jan99-8SA fst 1½ 24'2:47'2 1:10'4 1:41'3 4+ SnPsgalH-G2

27Nov98-11CD fst 1½ 47'2:1:12 1:36'1 1:49 3+ ClarkH-G2

7Nov98-10CD fst 1¼ 47'3:1:12 1:37'1 2:02 3+ BCClasic-G1

17Oct98-8SA fst 1½ 46'4:1:10 1:34'3 1:47'1 3+ GdwdBCH-G2

26Sep98-10TP fst 1½ 46'2:1:10 1:34'3 1:47'2 3+ KyCpClH-G3

25Jly98-8Dmr fst 1½ 23'4:46'4 1:10'2 1:41 3+ SnDiegoH-G3

13Jun98-9CD fst 1½ 46'4:1:11 1:36 1:48'3 3+ SFosterH-G2

Previously trained by Baffert Bob

28Mar98 Nad Al Sheba (UAE) ft \*1¼ LH 2:04'1 4+ Dubai World Cup-G1  
 Stk 4000000

7Feb98-8SA wf 1½ 47'2:1:11 1:34'4 1:47'1 Strub-G2

17Jan98-8SA fst 1½ 24'1:48'2 1:12'1 1:41'4 SnFndoBC-G2

26Dec97-8SA fst 7f 22'2:45 1:09'2 1:21'2 Malibu-G1

7Jun97-9Bel fst 1½ 49'1:13'4 2:28'4 Belmont-G1

17May97-10Pim fst 1½ 46'4:1:10 1:35'2 1:54'4 Preaknes-G1

3May97-8CD fst 1¼ 47'2:1:12'1 1:37'1 2:02'2 KyDerby-G1

5Apr97-6SA fst 1½ 45'1:09 1:34'2 1:47'3 SADERby-G1

16Mar97-7SA fst 1½ 22'3:46 1:10'1 1:42'2 SnFelipe-G2

8Feb97-6SA fst 7f 22'2:44'4 1:08'4 1:21 SnVicnte-G3

11Sep96-8Dmr fst 7f 22'3:45'1 1:09'3 1:22'4 DMrFut-G2

24Aug96-6Dmr fst 5½f 21'4:44'4 :57 1:03'1 Md Sp Wt 37k

10Aug96-3Dmr fst 6f 21'4:44'4 :57'2 1:10 Md Sp Wt 37k

104 3/7 42½ 44½ 42½ 44 48½ Antley C W

109 3/5 33 38½ 36 31 11½ Stevens G L

113 2/8 1hd 1hd 2hd 2½ 1hd Stevens G L

115 8/10 42½ 52½ 2½ 1hd 2½ Stevens G L

111 5/6 34½ 31½ 3½ 1hd 12½ Stevens G L

123 1/5 32 31 2hd 2hd 117 Stevens G L

63 4/5 21½ 21 31 510 527 Stevens G L

116 1/7 35 44 31 1½ 21 Stevens G L

113 3/6 21 32 3½ 12 14 Stevens G L

112 1/4 21½ 21½ 2½ 1hd 11 Stevens G L

109 6/9 5 51½ 41½ 31 2½ Stevens G L

109 2/7 32½ 31 1hd 1hd 2½ Stevens G L

118 7/10 44½ 31½ 21 21 1hd Stevens G L

115 5/13 64½ 42½ 3½ 1hd 1hd Stevens G L

110 3/10 2½ 2½ 2hd 1hd 2hd Stevens G L

102 6/9 51½ 54 53½ 32 2½ McCarron C J

110 5/9 5 31 42½ 1½ 11½ McCarron C J

97 7/7 3 21 31½ 2hd 1hd Flores D R

95 2/8 2 1hd 1½ 11½ 11½ Flores D R

77 2/8 4 1hd 1hd 1½ 24 Flores D R

L123 1.40 98-03 VctrGllp5NtDrmr½Ltlbtvlv½ Hopped start,weakened

126 - Almutawake½Malek½Victory Gallop½

Tracked in 5th,weakened over 2f out,Daylami 5th,Running Stag 7th

LB124 \*1.00 97-11 FrHous½EvttoftHrYr½SlvrChrm½ Came back on outside

L126 \*80 91-14 PuertoMdero2½Behrens½SlvrChrmnk Mild wide rally

LB125 \*30 95-10 SlvrChrm½Mlk½CrftyFrnd½ Rallied,good handling

L124 \*30 99-14 SlvrChrmhdLtlbtvlv½WldRsh½ Dueled, headed, gamely

L126 2.50 94-07 AwesomeAgain½SilverChrmnkSwinn½ Led, drifted late

LB124 \*50 100-07 SlvrChrm½FrHous½ScorQuick½ Bid 3 wide, driving

L123 \*50 100-14 SlvrChrm½WldRsh½Accptbl½ Long drive, brushed

LB125 \*30 72-09 Mud Route½Hal'sPal½Benchmark½ Stalked,gave way

L127 \*40 100-07 AwsomAgntSlvrChrm½Smrn½ Drifted, bumped 1/16

126 - Silver CharmnoSwain½Loup Sauvageno

Tracked in 3rd,led over 2f out,repelled challenges,all out

LB123 \*30 100-07 Silver CharmMud Route½Bagshot½ 4 wide 2nd turn

LB122 \*20 94-13 SlvrChrm½MudRout½LordGrillo½ Left handed urging

LB123 \*30e 96-13 LordGrill½SlvrChrm½SwssYdlr½ Blocked upper stretch

L126 \*1.05 89-14 TochGold½SlvrChrm½FrHs½ Speed outside,led,game

L126 3.10 93-15 SlvrChrmhdFrHosh½CptnBdgt½ Stalk 3w,all out btwn

L126 4.00 93-05 SlvrChrmhdCptnBdgt½FrHs½ Steadied, brushd lastd

LB120 2.10 95-10 FreeHouse½SilverChrm½Hillon½ Fast pace,just missed

LB122 \*1.10e 90-12 FrHos½SlvrChrm½KngCrmsn½ Angled out,finshd well

LB120 2.60e 99-13 SlvrChrm½FrHous½Funonthrung½ Perfect trip, driving

LB116 1.60e 86-15 SlvrChrmhdGldTrbt½SssYdlr½ Wore down entry mate

LB118 \*40e 97-09 SilverCharm½GoldTribute½SoEsy½ Fast pace, driving

B118 b 2.80e 85-08 DdsNtWrds½SlvrChrm½CnstntDmnd½ Rushed,fast pace



## Stormy Liberal

Own: David A. Bernsen LLC and Rockingham R

B. g. 13 (Apr)

Sire: Stormy Atlantic (Storm Cat) \$10,000

Dam: Vassar (Royal Academy)

Br: Dapple Bloodstock &amp; Gryphon Investment (Ky)

Tr: Miller Peter (0 0 0 0 .00) 2024 : (468 66 .14)

Life	37	12	10	4	\$2,212,580	119	D.Fst	1	0	1	0	\$12,000	90
2019	7	0	2	3	\$293,650	101	Wet(346)	1	0	0	0	\$1,200	80
2018	7	4	2	0	\$935,360	119	Synth(359)					\$0	
							Turf(349)	34	12	9	4	\$2,199,130	119

2Nov19-55A fm 5f ① 212 .432 :544 34 BCTrfSpt-G1	92 6/12 1 31 31½ 42½ 84½	Velazquez J R	L126	15.00	96 - BelvoirBy1¼0mnoShekkyShbz1½	Tight 3/8,wkened late
27Sep19-65A fm 5f ① C 212 .434 :551 34 EddieD-G2	94 5/8 1 31 41½ 41¼ 31¾	Arroyo N Jr	L125	6.20	97-01 PWRs½EddHskll1½StmryLbrlhd	Stalked btwn,willingly
7Sep19-7KD fm 6f ① 232 :1:091 34 TrfSprnt-G3	93 9/10 3 31½ 42 41¼ 53	Santana R Jr	L121	5.60	99-02 TtllBss½SmrtRmrk1½Lnstrno	Failed to make headway
17Aug19-3Dmr fm 5f ① 222 .441 :56 34 GrnFlshH-G3	93 2/6 4 3½ 21 22 32¾	Van Dyke D	L125	2.00	94-03 MrVrgs½EddHskll½StmryLbrl1½	Bid btwn,edged 2nd
30Mar19 Meydan (UAE) gd *6f ① Str 1:081 34 Al Quoz Sprint-G1		Rosario J	126	-	Blue Point1¼Belvoir Bay½Stormy Liberal4	
Timeform Rating: 122 Stk 2000000					Tracked leaders, bid 11/2f out, one paced	
22Feb19-1SA fm 5f ① 204 .432 :55 44 Alw 79462nc	98 3/5 1 21½ 2hd 1½ 2hd	Van Dyke D	L124	*.30	100 - EddHskllhdStmryLbrl1½Clcltr½	Bobbled past 1/4,game
1Jan19-85A fm *6½f ① 204 .42 1:051 1:113 44 Hernandez-G3	101 3/8 7 31½ 32 41¼ 21¼	Van Dyke D	L124	*.90	95-07 CrbClb1½StmryLbrl1½CngstTsnm1½	3wd into str,up 2nd
3Nov18-4CD yl 5½f ① 222 .454 :573 1:04 34 BCTrfSpt-G1	119 9/14 1 42½ 32½ 2hd 1nk	Van Dyke D	L126	7.00	-- StrLbrlnk WrldTrb7½DscPrtr1	Rate bk,rebld 4w,drvng
28Sep18-65A fm *6½f ① 212 .423 1:044 1:104 34 EddieD-G3	106 3/9 2 21 21 21½ 1hd	Van Dyke D	L123	*2.20	102-03 StormyLbrhdCngstTsnm½CrbClb½	Stalked,rallied,up
17Aug18-7Dmr fm 5f ① 213 .44 :553 34 GrenFlshHL88k	101 2/7 5 52½ 32½ 31½ 1no	Van Dyke D	L124	*1.80	101 - StrmLbrhdRchrdB1½TchnRnbs1	3w into str,rallied,up
25Jly18-4Dmr fm 5f ① 222 .442 :553 34 OC 100k/c-N	100 7/7 2 41½ 21 2hd 1no	Van Dyke D	L119	*1.00	101 - StrLbrhdTrblst½RhtHndMn½	Bid,brushed str,gamely
9Jun18-6Bel fm 6f ① 22 .44 :55 1:063 44 Jaipur-G2	97 1/8 3 63½ 63 62¾ 62	Rosario J	L122	6.10	93-05 DscPrtrn1CngstTsnmhdPrSnstnhd	Failed to quicken
31Mar18 Meydan (UAE) gd *6f ① Str 1:091 34 Al Quoz Sprint-G1		Rosario J	126	-	Jungle Cat½Stormy Liberal1½Conquest Tsunami1½	
Timeform Rating: 121 Stk 1000000					Midpack, ran on well 11/2f, just missed	
24Feb18-4SA fm *6½f ① 214 .44 1:06 1:12 44 Daytona-G3	99 7/7 2 63 32½ 22 22½	Rosario J	L124	1.90	93-06 CnstTsnm½StrmLbrl1½Clcltr2½	3wd into str,gained 2d
10Dec17 Sha Tin (HK) gd *6f ① RH 1:082 34 Hong Kong Sprint-G1		De Sousa S A	126	83.00	Mr StunningnoD B Pin1½Blizzard½	
Timeform Rating: 83 Stk 2369900					Toward rear throughout	
4Nov17-5Dmr fm 5f ① 214 .442 :56 34 BCTrfSpt-G1	103 4/12 6 65 54 41½ 1hd	Rosario J	L126	30.20	95-08 StrmryLbrlhdRchrdB½DscPrtrn½	Came out 1/8,up wire
10Jun17-6Bel fm 6f ① 212 .43 :541 1:053 44 Jaipur-G3	84 10/10 7 31½ 2½ 53 89½	Lopez P	L120	5.70	95 - DscPrtrn½GrnMsk½HldngGld2½	4w upper, weakened
27May17-3SA fm *6½f ① 222 .44 1:061 1:122 34 Daytona-G3	98 4/4 1 2½ 21 1hd 1nk	Arroyo N Jr	L122	*.50	91-08 StrmLbrlnk AmbtsBr1½Blckjckct1½	Re-bid,led,gamely
23Apr17-85A fm *6½f ① S 213 .431 1:052 1:114 34 SirenLureB84k	99 1/4 3 31½ 31 1hd 1½	Arroyo N Jr	L126	*.80	94-09 StrmLbrlhdAbtsBr½EddHskll1½	3wd bid,bump,handily
4Mar17-7SA fm *6½f ① 22 .44 1:054 1:114 44 HernandezL80k	103 8/8 3 4½ 3½ 11½ 1no	Arroyo N Jr	L124	*1.30	94-08 StrLbrhdPrfctlmjstc1½DnnCd½	Re-bid 3wd,drifted in
29Jan17-9SA fm *6½f ① 221 .44 1:054 1:114 44 ClockrCnrB82k	100 8/10 1 1hd 1hd 12½ 11½	Arroyo N Jr	L119	*2.00	94-06 StrmryLbrl1½FrrvJnt1½Blmtnth12	Dueled,clear,drift in
26Dec16-6SA gd *6½f ① 213 .431 1:054 1:114 34 SnSmon-G3	97 2/12 2 51¾ 41½ 11½ 22¼	Arroyo N Jr	L121	6.50	92-06 BttsBmbn½StrmLbrhdRchrdB½	Waited dirt,rail bid
12Nov16-8Dmr fm 1½f ① 22 .461 1:101 1:401 34 OC 62k/n2x-N	99 1/9 2hd 24 22½ 31 22¼	Espinoza V	L120	5.00	95-12 HWII2½StmryLbrlnoCrnthKttn½	Stalked,edged foe 2nd
16Oct16-6SA fm *6½f ① 211 .43 1:052 1:112 34 Clm c-(40-35)	100 3/11 7 54½ 42¾ 11½ 12¾	Gutierrez Mario	L123	*2.60	96-07 StrmryLbrl2½Gggnhm½WldfrKhd	3wd into str,led,clear
Claimed from Success Racing Two for \$40,000, O'Neill Doug Trainer 2016 (as of 10/16): ( 570 80 91 88 0.14 )						
9Apr16-4SA slyS 6f 213 .44 :554 1:083 44 OC 62k/n2x-N	80 1/8 5 31 43 45 56	Gutierrez Mario	L122	3.30	88-12 ChfLon2½GlcknToohdTopForttd1	3wd into str,wkened
19Mar16-8SA fm *6½f ① 224 .461 1:083 1:142 44 OC 62k/n2x-N	88 5/9 5 21½ 21 2hd 2½	Bejarano R	L122	*2.00	80-15 Hunt½StormyLiberalhdAotearono	Bid, game btwn late
20Feb16-6SA fst 6½f ① 214 .444 1:083 1:151 44 OC 62k/n2x-N	90 2/8 1 31½ 31½ 21½ 2¾	Gutierrez Mario	L122	4.00	91-12 GnsLdd½StrLbrl1½Prfctlmjsthd	3wd into str,willingly
14Jan16-5SA gd *6½f ① 214 .44 1:071 1:132 44 OC 62k/n2x-N	92 8/10 3 52¾ 52¼ 31 2½	Gutierrez Mario	L121	3.30	85-14 McHet½StormyLibrl½ChipsAllIn1½	4wd into str,bid 3wd
22Nov15-7Dmr fm 1 ① ② 223 .462 1:104 1:35 34 OC 62k/n2x-N	87 8/11 2hd 1hd 1½ 1hd 61	Nakatani C S	L122	8.30	84-26 FrrJtnkFldbBrbnkPrfctlmjstno	Dueled,game btwn late
24Oct15-4SA fm *6½f ① 212 .432 1:06 1:122 34 OC 40k/n1x-N	88 9/12 9 53 43 2hd 1½	Gutierrez Mario	L120	9.10	91-09 StormyLbrl½CtyofVngnc1½RoyH2¼	4wd into str,drift in
13Mar15-2SA fm *6½f ① 213 .443 1:07 1:13 OC 80k/n1x-N	84 1/8 6 52½ 53 42½ 41¾	Desormeaux K J	L120	3.10	86-10 RchrdBoynkPtthBrhdZnvor1½	Came out str,outkicked
22Feb15-6SA fm 1 ① 232 .472 1:12 1:362 OC 80k/n1x-N	81 6/8 11 1hd 11 1hd 32½	Bejarano R	L118 b	4.50	73-24 PpcppchnkDddyDT2½StrmLbrl½	Btwn foes 1/16,held 3d
15Jan15-3SA fm *6½f ① 212 .441 1:071 1:13 OC 80k/n1x-N	77 6/8 3 42 41¼ 21 42½	Bejarano R	L120 b	*1.40	85-12 BnchWrrntnoJyJsh1½DmndMjsty1	5wd into str,lost 3rd
27Dec14-6SA fm 1 ① 222 .461 1:103 1:344 EddeLoganL79k	60 5/11 1hd 1hd 1hd 43½ 101¾	Antongrgi III W	L118 b	8.30	71-19 Bolo4½Soul Driver1½Daddy D Thd	Btwn,inside,wkened
Previously trained by Mora Leandro 2014 (as of 11/30): ( 114 20 11 16 0.18 )						
30Nov14-6Dmr fm 1 ① 23 .482 1:131 1:364 CBDeMil-G3	77 6/8 21 2½ 2hd 1½ 2½	Antongrgi III W	L118 b	10.90	75-18 CnstTyphn½StmryLbrl1½RckShndno	Bid,led,edged late
10Oct14-3SA fm *6½f ① 214 .44 1:07 1:13 Md Sp Wt 57k	79 6/10 1 1½ 1½ 12½ 11	Antongrgi III W	L122 b	18.40	90-10 StormyLbrl1BttlofEvmrno2¼Mtbs1½	Inside,clear,held
Previously trained by O'Neill Doug 2014 (as of 9/3): ( 504 70 67 66 0.14 )						
3Sep14-7Dmr fst 5½f ① 22 .451 :571 1:033 Md Sp Wt 76k	57 7/10 2 4¾ 31½ 44½ 86¾	Trujillo E	L118 b	12.10	88-06 AllIndns2¼FmndPowr2¼Prntousno	4wd,3wd,weakened

## The Pizza Man

Own: Midwest Thoroughbreds Inc

B. g. 16 (Mar)

Sire: English Channel (Smart Strike) \$27,500

Dam: I Can Fan Fan (Lear Fan)

Br: Midwest Thoroughbreds (III)

Tr: Brueggemann Roger A (0 0 0 0 .00) 2024 : (0 0 .00)

12Aug17-41AP	fm	1 1/4	492:1.141 1.384 2.021 3+ ArlMilln-G1
8Jly17-8AP	fm	1 1/2	494:1.153 2.051 2.294 3+ StrNStps-G3
17Jun17-81P	yl	*1 1/8	252 :.512 1.163 1.474 3+ BlkTiAfrHB52k
24Nov16-11CD	gd	1 1/4	49 1:14 1.39 1.512 3+ RivrCtyH-G3
16Oct16-9WO	fm	1 1/2	523:1.184 2.08 2.304 3+ CaIntnl-G1
17Sep16-40WP	gd	1 1/4	S 534:1.194 2.083 2.313 3+ NrthDanc-G1
13Aug16-9AP	fm	1 1/4	C 493:1.14 1.381 2.014 3+ ArlMilln-G1
9Jly16-6AP	fm	1 1/2	C 48 1:123 2.033 2.273 3+ StrNStps-G3
18Jun16-7CD	fm	1 1/8	234 :.481 1.114 1.404 3+ WiseDan-G2
6Feb16-12GP	fm	1 1/4	49 1:133 1.363 1.481 4+ GPTurfH-G1
26Nov15-7DM	fm	1 1/2	51 1:171 2.074 2.313 3+ HITrFcp-G2
31Oct15-10KE	gd	1 1/2	C 481:1.123 2.071 2.32 3+ BCTurf-G1
30Oct15-9Kee	yl	1	234 :.48 1:121 1.372 3+ ShdwTM-G1
15Aug15-10AP	yl	1 1/4	463:1.104 1.362 2.021 3+ ArlMilln-G1
11Jly15-8AP	gd	1 1/2	C 522:1.183 2.093 2.34 3+ StrNStps-G3
30May15-9CD	fm	1 1/8	244 :.494 1:134 1.431 3+ OpningVrsB58k
27Nov14-7DM	fm	1 1/2	471:1.12 2.031 2.271 3+ HolTrFcp-G2
19Oct14-6WO	gd	1 1/2	501:1.151 2.042 2.29 3+ CanIntnl-G1
14Sep14-6WO	gd	1 1/2	52 1:174 2.073 2.321 3+ NrthDanc-G1
16Aug14-7AP	fm	1 1/8	1:374 2:472 3+ AmcnStLgrL400k
12Jly14-8AP	fm	1 1/2	533:1.21 2.101 2.333 3+ StrNStps-G3
21Jun14-6AP	gd	1 1/8	234 :.484 1:132 1.424 3+ BlkTiAfrHB85k
12Oct13-8Haw	fm	1 1/4	501:1.143 1.381 1.503 3+ CareyMmH75k

Previously trained by Amoss Thomas 2013(as of 9/21): (434 134 89 62 0.31)

21Sep13-8AP	gd	1	241 :.48 1:12 1:37 3+ IIOwners66k
13Jly13-7AP	fm	1 1/2	482:1.124 2.022 2.271 3+ StrNStps-G3
15Jun13-7AP	yl	1 1/8	234 :.474 1:112 1.43 3+ BlkTiAfrH87k
4May13-3CD	fm	1 1/8	241 :.481 1:121 1.414 3+ OC 80k/n3x-N

Placed 6th through disqualification

21Mar13-8FG	fm	*1 1/8	25 :.50 1:144 1.453 4+ OC 62k/n3x-N
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Previously trained by Brueggemann Roger 2012(as of 10/27): (.398 96 85 45 0.24)

27Oct12-6Haw	yl	1 1/8	234 :.483 1:14 1.462 3+ BucksBoyH111k
15Sep12-6AP	fm	1 1/8	24 :.474 1:112 1.414 3+ TexsZingH66k
11Aug12-11AP	gd	1	25 :.501 1:151 1.391 3+ Alw 52080n1x
14Jly12-8AP	gd	1 1/8	502:1.153 1.40 1.572 AmercnDb-G3
22Jun12-5CD	fm	*1 1/8	242 :.492 1:141 1.451 3+ Alw 46000n2x
18May12-8AP	fm	*1 1/8	25 :.501 1:151 3+ Alw 42000n1x
13Apr12-7Haw	fm	1 1/8	231 :.473 1:123 1.424 3+ Md Sp Wt 39k
31Dec11-5Haw	fst	6f	22 :.453 :.582 1:114 Md Sp Wt 33k

## Touch Gold

Own: Stronach Stables and Stonerside Stabl

B. h. 31 (May)

Sire: Deputy Minister (Vice Regent) \$100,000

Dam: Passing Mood (Buckpasser)

Br: Holtsinger, Inc., Hill N Dale Farm &amp; S (Ky)

Tr: Byrne Patrick B (0 0 0 0 .00) 2024 : (0 0 .00)

7Nov98-10CD	fst	1 1/4	473:1.12 1.371 2.02 3+ BCClasic-G1
11Oct98-6Kee	fst	1 1/8	471:1.11 1.354 1.534 3+ Fayette-G3
15Aug98-7DM	fst	1 1/4	46 1:101 1.344 2.001 3+ PacClsc-G1
28Jun98-7CD	fst	1	23 :.45 1:091 1.34 3+ Alw 66120n1y

Previously trained by Hofmans David 1997(as of 11/8): (.239 46 34 27 0.19)

8Nov97-8Hof	fst	1 1/4	461:1.093 1.334 1.59 3+ BCClasic-G1
20Sep97-8Mf	fst	1 1/8	46 1:092 1.341 1.463 PegasusH-G2
3Aug97-11Mth	fst	1 1/8	461:1.094 1.343 1.473 BckHskIH-G1
7Jun97-9Bel	fst	1 1/2	491:1.134 2:284 Belmont-G1
17May97-10Pim	fst	1 1/8	464:1.102 1.352 1.544 Preaknes-G1
20Apr97-8Kee	fst	1 1/8	23 :.47 1:11 1.431 Lexington-G2
14Mar97-7SA	fst	6f	214 :.444 :.57 1:094 Alw 42000n1x

Previously trained by Vella Daniel J 1996(as of 10/26): (.242 69 47 28 0.29)

26Oct96-2WO	fst	7f	223 :.452 1:102 1:23 Swynford112k
6Oct96-6KO	fst	1 1/8	231 :.471 1:121 1.45 GreyBC-G3
15Sep96-2WO	fst	170	223 :.461 1:113 1:424 Alw 29300n3x
18Aug96-5WO	fst	6f	221 :.451 :.581 1:111 Md Sp Wt 22k

91 7/12	84	62 1/2	61 1/2	1210	126	Ortiz J Jr
92 5/9	44	45	35 1/2	1hd	21 1/2	Geroux F
91 3/5	56	56	54	57 1/2	42	Valdivia J Jr
99 5/13	109 1/2	119 1/2	117 3/4	73 1/2	31	Bridgmohan S X
99 4/9	21	32 1/2	42	53	42	Prat F
99 7/8	21 1/2	21 1/2	21	1nk		Prat F
98 4/11	98 1/2	98 1/2	118 1/2	116 1/2	6 1/2	Smith M E
96 5/7	66 1/2	61 1/2	53	32	4hd	Albarado R J
96 2/10	101 1/2	1010	107	85	43	Geroux F
96 6/8	66 1/2	68	76	54 1/2	53 1/2	Castellano J J
101 6/14	116 1/2	118 1/2	114 1/2	51 3/4	12	Smith M E
102 10/12	512	425	42	53 1/2	54 1/2	Geroux F
104 9/12	1110	109 1/2	107 3/4	76	2hd	Geroux F
105 7/13	910	912	56	3 1/2	1nk	Geroux F
95 2/8	64 1/2	55	53	31 1/2	1nk	Geroux F
95 5/8	32	32	32	2hd	12 1/2	Geroux F
97 10/10	413	415	22 1/2	1 1/2	31 1/4	Geroux F
100 2/9	1 1/2	21 1/2	1 1/2	21	42 1/2	Geroux F
92 1/9	3 1/2	34	42	52 1/2	56 1/4	Geroux F
99 9/10	22 1/2	22 1/2	1 1/2	13 1/2	11	Geroux F
98 6/9	12	11	1hd	12 1/2	1 1/2	Geroux F
93 2/6	33 1/2	32 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	1 1/2	Russell S
102 4/8	23	21	21 1/2	2hd	1hd	Torres F C

97 3/7	610	54	54	52 1/2	1nk	Graham J
93 3/6	48 1/2	411	47 1/2	45	31 3/4	Geroux F
93 6/9	715	611	613	55 1/2	22 3/4	Geroux F
56 5/7	42 1/2	42	42 1/2	67	719	Goncalves L D

89 6/7	51 3/4	53 1/2	51 1/2	31	1 1/2	Goncalves L D
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99 7/8	612	613	66 1/2	1 1/2	12 1/4	Geroux F
94 4/6	59 1/2	57 1/2	55 1/2	2 1/2	1no	Martinez S B
83 7/8	56 1/2	56	55	22 1/2	1 1/2	Martinez S B
79 8/8	76 1/2	87	86 1/2	67	63 1/2	Martinez S B
79 1/9	46	34 1/2	1hd	1 1/2	1 1/2	Martinez S B
- 6/11	64 1/2	56	53 1/2	3nk	12 1/2	Martinez S B
71 3/12	87 1/2	81 1/2	67	2 1/2	13 1/2	Martinez S B
41 5/11	10	1014	1016	812	810 3/4	Geroux F

Life	36	17	3	3	\$2,158,941	105
2017	3	0	1	0	\$32,370	92
2016	7	1	0	1	\$228,034	99

D.Fst	1	0	0	0	\$107	41
Wet(290)	0	0	0	0	\$0	-
Synth(331)					\$0	
Turf(341)	35	17	3	3	\$2,158,834	105

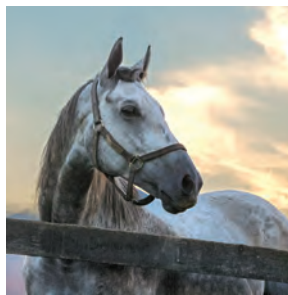
126	11.70	90-04	BchPtro1/2 FncifulAnglnkDuvillhd	3w1st,6p upr, no rally
L117	*1.20	87-06	Kystonforvctry1/2 ThPzzMnhdApplctr1	3wd upr, all out
L128	*.90	73-30	Oak Brook3/4 Cammack3/4 Super Soldier1/2	Rail, late surge
L124	*2.30	78-26	ThtcherStreet1/2 Pluvn1/2 ThPizzMnhd	11path 1/4, gaining
L126	9.05	81-12	Erupt1/2 Dartmouth1/2 WakeForest1/2	Lack path str, chased
L123	5.55	79-16	ThPMnkWkFrstnkWrldAppl1/2	Stk2w, duel, prove best
L126	6.00	93-09	Mondialisten1/2 KasaquinkDeuville1/2	Swung 8w, late gain
L117	*.50	98-09	Gnrssfnno1/2 Prd01no1/2 PknRblno	4-5w 3rd trn, ground on
L123	*1.40	95-09	Pleuven1/2 Kasqui1/2 ThtcherStreet1/2	6path 1/4, belatedly
L122	*1.10	82-25	LksAllnkShnnCprr1/2 AllInclld1/2	4w2ndturn, evenly late
L126	*1.10	78-24	ThPizzMn2BigJohnB1/2 PowFootnk	6wd into str, rallied
L126	6.10	73-10	Found3/4 GoldenHorn3/4 BigBluKittn1/2	5wd move 1/4, fltnd
L126	4.40	84-15	GrndArchhdThPzzMn1/2 Torst1/2	Rallied str 3wd, missed
L126	5.90	93-08	ThPMnkBB1/2 Ktn1/2 ShnCprr1/2	4wd advance, prevailed
L119	*.90	66-22	ThPzzMn1/2 RmnApprv1/2 Clvds1/2	Settld btw, split, bid3w
L123	*2.10	86-13	ThPizzMn1/2 FrdDdyhdDprting1/2	Bid str rail, drew away
L122	*2.10	- -	FnnnsWknkPrtcnpr1/2 ThPMn1/2	Bid, led, caught late
L126	6.50	90-12	Hllstr1/2 BgBluKtn1/2 DymnkSkyno	Passed midstr, chased
L121	*1.20	71-23	Shkhdr1/2 DnmckSk1/2 PrtrnStr1/2	Evened out midstretch
L123	5.30	108-08	ThePizzaMn1/2 Dndino1/2 HvnBet1/2	Led 7/16p, clear, lasted
L121	1.80	68-18	ThPzzMn1/2 QPrd01nk1/2 Sntcr1/2	Pace, turned back foes
L122	*.60	95-12	ThePizzaMan1/2 Tzz1/2 DominsRpnk	Steady bid, edged foe
L120	*1.50	78-18	ThPizzMnhdTzz1/2 MistrMrtGr1/2	Bid btw 1/4, long drive
L119	*1.10	90-20	ThePizzMn1/2 MrVegs1/2 SweetLuc1/2	Split foes1/8, rail bid
L117	4.20	104-03	DrkCov1/2 Sntcr1/2 ThPizzMn1/2	Shifted 4w, late stride
L122	*2.10	91-19	Colprt1/2 ThPzzMn1/2 PncvlCnd1/2	In close brk, swung 4w
L123	*2.60	74-15	Atgn1/2 UndrControl1/2	PrmCt1/2 Clippd heels, 1st actn
L119	*1.90	84-10	ThPizzMn1/2 StrikImptcno1/2 Twnspr1/2	3w 2nd turn, rallied
L118	2.80	72-32	ThPMn1/2 StrfPrds1/2 IcClbrnk	Swung 5wd, roused clear
L119	3.50	100-06	ThePizzMn1/2 Tzz1/2 Mvricking3/2	Fanned 4wd, prevailed
L119	3.70	79-21	ThPMn1/2 VchfrVctr1/2 Intrnlccnt1/2	Shifted 4wd, solid kick
L121	13.80	78-13	Cozzt1/2 AllStormyhdSkyring1/2	Angled 5wd, no impact
L119	*.80	81-16	ThPMn1/2 FrClndnkStrkngHght1/2	Came out, held gamely
L116	*2.10	- 12	ThPzzMn1/2 JnryBhdShmLk1/2 Htno	Angled rail, drove clr
L116	6.00	90-13	ThPzzMn1/2 EghtGgh1/2 TnsWld1/2	Rail advance, drove clr
L119	3.20	71-20	LntRushhdSpncrsChoc1/2 SxGrRoy1/2	Never menaced
L126	4.70e	80-07	Awesome Again1/2 SilverCharmnkSwainno	Flattened out
L115	*.50	115 -	ArchnkTouch Gold9WildTempest14	Brushed gate start
LB124	1.50	83-11	FrHous4Gntlmn5Pcfchonty1/2	Bit akward strt, wkened
L123	*.20	103-03	TouchGold1/2 Truck1/2 BrllntPtro1/2	Inside, light urging
LB122	2.50	65-06	SkpAy1/2 DptyCmmndr1/2 WhskWsdm3	6 w backstretch
L126	*.40	90-06	Behrens1/2 Anet1/2 Frisk Me Now8	4 wide turns, empty
L125	*1.20	100-01	TouchGold1/2 Anet1/2 FreeHous1/2	Angled out, driving 4w
L126	2.65e	90-14	TochGold1/2 SlvrChrm1/2 FrHos14	Position ins, swung wde
L126	4.60	92-15	SlvrChrmhdFrHoshdCptnBdgt1/2	To knees, rail bd, std'd
L115	3.30	92-08	TochGold1/2 SmkGlckn1/2 DdsNtWrds1/2	Drew off driving
LB117	*1.80	89-15	TochGold1/2 BltTrn1/2 BstEfrno	Step slow, strong move
L117	*1.35e	87-08	Holzmeister1/2 Touch Gold9Trafalger4	Outfinished
L111	*.40e	76-23	CshDeposit1/2 Holzmistr1/2 TouchGold1/2	Best stride late
115	1.80	90-09	Acceptbl1/4 TouchGold1/2 AirCool1/2	No match for winner
120	*.70	87-17	TochGld1/2 RdZnk1/2 CrysMnstr1/2	Bobbled start, driving



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