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Meeting the board: Bill Reightler

From sales agenting to designing farms. . . race track training to broodmare care—Bill Reightler's expertise encompasses all that, and much more.

Newly elected to the Maryland Horse Breeders Association's Board of Directors in May, Reightler, 56, has made his lifelong career in the Thoroughbred industry, and is most widely known for Bill Reightler Sales and Consulting Agency, which he started 11 years ago.

The leading Thoroughbred sales agent in the Mid-Atlantic region by gross sales in 2005, and perennially near the top of the list, Reightler celebrated a career high this spring when Rule (by Roman Ruler) emerged as one of the nation's top 3-year-olds.

Along with partners, Reightler privately purchased Rule's dam, Rockcide (a half-sister, by Personal Flag, to Kentucky Derby/Preakness winner Funny Cide), and sold her for \$400,000 at the 2006 Keeneland November sale with the graded stakes winner, her first foal, in utero.

In addition to his sales and consulting work, Reightler is a local agent for Virginia-based EMO Insurance Agency.

Reightler grew up in Westminster, Md., and was introduced to race horses at the late



BARRIE B. REIGHTLER

John A. Manfuso Sr.'s nearby Osufnam Farm, then managed by renowned Maryland horseman Sonny Sims.

Barely 10 years old when Sims put him to work sweeping floors, Reightler—the oldest in a family of four boys—had inherited a love of horses from his father.

The late William Reightler Sr. made his career as a roofing contractor. One day, when Bill was quite young, his father accepted a pony in lieu of money for a roofing job, and although they didn't know it at the time, that more or less sealed the family's fate.

In the early 1970s, Reightler Sr. bought a few Thoroughbred broodmares. When their offspring was ready to race, Bill went to the track with them.

In the mid-1970s, Reightler trained a small stable at Charles Town and Penn National for his father and a few outside clients, while also attending Towson State College as a business major. But Sims, still acting as his mentor, soon recommended him for a job at Spendthrift Farm, then managed by the former Marylander John Williams. During his five-year stay at Spendthrift, Reightler worked in the training division, and also with stallions and broodmares.

"Spendthrift broke about 165 yearlings a year while I was there," he said. "Working that hard is good preparation for almost anything."

For Reightler, that would include helping to design and implement two of Maryland's showplace Thoroughbred establishments, Ross Valley Farm (now known as Marathon Farm) in Sparks, which he managed for the late Eleanor Ross (Sparenberg) from 1984 to '89, and Bob Manfuso and Katy Voss's Chanceland Farm in West Friendship, where he served as manager for 10 years until going out on his own in 1999.

Reightler and his wife, Barrie, who is the MHBA's director of publications, live at their Hill Rise Farm in White Hall, where they keep seven foxhunters (four active and three retired), including Pa-

gan Moon, the Malibu Moon gelding whom Reightler campaigned in partnership to win the 2006 Maryland Stallion Station Stakes at Pimlico.

Horses being his avocation as well as his vocation, Reight-

ler is field master for the Mt. Carmel Hounds and the long-time racing secretary for the Howard County-Iron Bridge race meet.

His motivation for serving on the MHBA Board of Direc-

tors is simply stated: "The Thoroughbred business has been very good to me and my family. I want to play an active role in ensuring the Maryland Thoroughbred industry's future viability." 🐾

Billy Meister wins S. Bryce Wing award

The Maryland Hunt Cup Committee presented the S. Bryce Wing Award this year to William S. (Billy) Meister, in recognition of his outstanding contributions to Maryland timber racing.

S. Bryce Wing was a member of the Maryland Hunt Cup Association from 1939 until his death at age 85 in 1975. He was secretary of the Maryland Hunt Cup Association for 10 years and president of the National Steeplechase Association. Wing was also a member of The Jockey Club and Master of Foxhounds at Elkridge-Harford. Wing was widely respected and his love of horses and horsepeople was lifelong.

After his death, the Maryland Hunt Cup Committee decided to honor Wing with an award to be given to those who have made an outstanding contribution to Maryland timber racing. It can be given in honor of a specific racing season or a lifetime of service. Significantly, the silver trophy is not given each year, but only when the committee feels it is genuinely deserved.

As Liz McKnight noted in her presentation speech, "This year's recipient is most worthy. Billy Meister represents Maryland timber racing in the purest fashion. He has devoted his life, worked passionately, lived and breathed timber racing for over 30 years."

Meister's career started early—he learned the hard knocks of riding with two



DOUGLAS LIEBS

falls before he was born, McKnight told the assembled crowd. His parents, Bunny Meister and the late Betty Meister, remarkable horsemen in their own right, guided him to his successful racing career.

Meister has to his credit more than 500 race rides and nearly 100 wins, including 19 Maryland Hunt Cup mounts which resulted in three victories. He trained this year's Hunt Cup winner, Twill Do. 🐾

Safely Kept pensioned

Safely Kept, the Maryland-bred who earned an Eclipse Award as the nation's champion sprinter of 1989, has been pensioned from her second career as a multiple stakes-producing broodmare.

Now 24, Safely Kept makes her home at M. Lyn Burleson's Burleson Farms near Midway, Ky., where she gave birth to an Empire Maker filly on May 17 for Richard Santulli's Jayeff B Stables.

Safely Kept (Horatius—Safely Home, by Winning Hit) is the dam of nine foals of racing age. All eight starters are winners and include stakes winners Peace Chant (2003, c., War Chant; \$248,357) and Contrast (2002, f., Unbridled; \$147,706), both of whom were graded stakes-placed. Her 3-year-old son, Safety Check (by Empire Maker), won a maiden special weight at Belmont Park on May 23. She is the granddam of stakes winner Welcome Home (by Dixieland Band).

The leading Maryland-bred female money-earner of all time, Safely Kept amassed \$2,194,206 while winning or placing in 29 of 31 starts over four seasons. She captured 22 stakes, 12 in graded company, including the 1990 Breeders' Cup Sprint-G1 (in a thrilling performance over European champion Dayjur).

Bred by David and JoAnn Hayden at their Dark Hollo-lyden Farm in Upperco, Safely Kept was sold privately by her breeders midway through her 2-year-old season, and raced throughout the remainder of her career for Jayeff B Stable and Barry Weisbord. She was developed by trainer Carlos Garcia while owned by the Haydens and subsequently conditioned by Alan Goldberg.

Safely Kept earned six Maryland-bred championship titles, including 1989 and '90 Horse of the Year. 🐾

LEAD: a valuable educational opportunity

LEAD Maryland Foundation Inc. (LEAD), a non-profit organization dedicated to identifying and developing leadership for agriculture, natural resources and rural communities, is accepting applications for the next class of LEAD Fellows.

Applications must be received (not postmarked) at the LEAD office by 4:30 p.m., October 1.

LEAD fellowships provide:

- Public Issues Education (PIE).
- Personal growth and leadership development opportunities.
- Communications and problem-solving skills training.
- Support, direction and resources to help emerging leaders succeed in serving agricultural, natural resources and the rural community.

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Governor's Cup awards honor Maryland's outstanding steeplechase competitors of 2010

Governor's Cup Awards for leading steeplechase performers of 2010 were presented on June 4 at a reception at the Manor Tavern in Monkton, Md.

Maryland Steeplechase Horse of the Year (three-way tie): **Twill Do**, owned by Lucy Goelet, trained and ridden by Billy Meister in the Grand National, ridden to his Hunt Cup victory by James Stierhoff; **Across the Sky**, owned by Holbrook Hollow Farm, trained by Jack Fisher, ridden to his Grand National victory by Fritz Boniface; **Delta Park**, owned by Arcadia Stables, trained by Jack Fisher and ridden by Fritz Boniface.

Maryland Novice Timber Horse of the Year: **The Whacker (Ire)**, owned by Bob Kinsley, trained by Tom Voss, ridden to victory in the George C. Clement Memorial Novice Timber at Elkridge-Harford by Billy Santoro, and by Paddy Young to capture the Manor's inaugural Sham Aciss.

Leading Trainer: **Alicia Murphy**.

Overall Rider of the Year: **Paddy Young**.

Timber Rider of the Year: **Jake Chalfin**.

Amateur Rider of the Year: **Darren Nagle**.

Betsey Firey Memorial Trophy for Leading Female Jockey: **Diana Gillam**.

Gentleman's Foxhunter Timber Champion: **Darren O'Brian** and **Tumultuous**.

Large Pony Rider of the Year: **Quinn Scala**.

Medium Pony Rider of the Year: **Catie Keil**.

Small Pony Rider of the Year and Overall Pony Rider of the Year: **Gabby Bernier**.

Junior Horse Rider of the Year: **Maggie Herzog**.

Jonathan Kiser Memorial Scholarship: **Emma Warden**.

Junior Foxchasing Scholarship: **Tate Shaw**.

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Bob Kinsley's **The Whacker (Ire)**, Novice Timber Horse of the Year, captured the Sham Aciss at My Lady's Manor with Overall Rider of the Year Paddy Young aboard. Tom Voss is the trainer.

Steeplechase Horse of the Year was a three-way tie among Grand National winner **Across the Sky** (top), Maryland Hunt Cup winner **Twill Do** (center) and **Delta Park**, who won the open timber race at the Green Spring Valley point-to-point meet.

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MARYLAND-BRED STAKES WINNERS



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Encaustic shows the way in Golden Bear Stakes at Indiana Downs

The hard-knocking 6-year-old Maryland-bred Encaustic showed the way to a track record-equaling victory in the \$75,000 Golden Bear Stakes on June 16 at Indiana Downs.

Carrying high weight of 121 pounds (two more than runner-up I. M. Boomer), he started as odds-on favorite in a field of six and was never seriously threatened while stopping the timer in 1:40.34 for a mile and 70 yards. (The race was originally scheduled to be run at a mile on the turf.)

It was the second stakes win in a row for the son of Broad Brush, who captured Delaware Park's \$50,000 Joseph French Memorial Stakes in his last outing on May 29. In seven starts this season, he has recorded four wins and a second, while boosting his career earnings to \$615,830.

Owned by Premier Stables Unlimited and TAG Stables and trained by Mark Shuman, Encaustic (out of Illeria, by Stop the Music) was bred by Robert E. Meyerhoff's Fitzhugh LLC. Meyerhoff campaigned Encaustic until selling him privately at the beginning of his 4-year-old season.

Illeria was purchased by Meyerhoff for \$350,000 at the 1994 Keeneland November sale. Meyerhoff bred three

additional stakes winners from the mare, all sired by Broad Brush: Grade 1 winner Include (\$1,659,560), Grade 3 winner Magic Broad (\$216,120) and Magical Broad (\$155,470). The first two were Maryland-bred champions. Illeria is also the dam of stakes-placed Broad Brush offspring Implicit (\$260,636) and Loaded Brush (\$212,390), and Invent (\$149,080), the latter a stakes-placed runner by Broad Brush's son Concern.

Music City captures Morluc Stakes at Churchill Downs

Music City, a 4-year-old Maryland-bred colt by City Zip, joined the ranks of stakes winners with a game performance in the \$54,500 Morluc Stakes on June 18 at Churchill Downs.

Despite having won each of his two earlier starts this season, the most recent at Presque Isle Downs on May 19, Music City was dispatched at odds of more than 12-1 in the field of eight for the Morluc, which was contested at five furlongs over firm turf.

On or near the lead throughout the race, which was run in swift fractions of :21.93, :44.51 and :56.56, Music City outfinished favored Barge by two and a half lengths to earn the victory.

Owned by Michael Helmbrecht and trained by William Helmbrecht, Music City was bred by longtime Maryland breeders Dr. and Mrs. Leonard Pineau. He was sold for \$15,000 at the 2007 Keeneland September Yearling sale and resold for \$35,000 at the 2008 Ocala Breeders' Sales Company's June sale of 2-year-

olds in training. Last year at 3, Music City finished second in the Humphrey S. Finney and W.E.B.N. Stakes. In 15 career outings, he has six wins, three seconds and one third, for career earnings of \$158,159.

Music City is the eighth foal from his dam, Play Po (by Play On), a winning daughter of major producer Ahpo Hel (by Mr. Leader), from the family of multiple Grade 2 winner and Grade 1-placed Justwhistledixie. Play Po is the dam of one other stakes horse: Premier Performer (1999, Conquistador Cielo; \$411,755, 2nd Kentucky Cup Sprint S-G3, etc.).



JEFF COADY

Baltimore Bob carries banner for home state at Colonial Downs

After a thrilling duel through the stretch on the inner turf, Maryland-bred Baltimore Bob prevailed by a head over favorite Vanquisher to take the \$50,000 Da Hoss Stakes on June 12 at Colonial Downs.

Ridden by Vladimir Diaz, Baltimore Bob settled mid-pack three-wide in the early going, advancing as he neared the lane before battling with Frisky Thunder past the sixteenth marker. Favorite Van-

quisher, ridden by Rosemary Homeister Jr., swung wide past the three-sixteenths marker and finished with a flourish to miss by a head. Frisky Thunder was third.

Final time for the mile on firm turf was 1:35.48.

Diaz, who has ridden Baltimore Bob in his last three races, "told me he was a nice horse and he wasn't wrong about that," said trainer J.B. Secor.

Secor, who saddled Baltimore Bob to win Pimlico's Henry S. Clark Stakes in April, is particularly high on the horse.

"I'm extremely satisfied with this one," he stated. "Any trainer that has their trainer's license would love to have this horse in the barn."

Owned by Robert Gerczak and Kaygar Stable (Carol Kaye-Garcia and Carlos Garcia), Baltimore Bob has rounded into stakes-winning form this season at age 5, winning or placing in four of his five starts. Earlier in the year he finished third in two Grade 3 events: the Fair Grounds and John B. Connally Turf Handicaps, for trainer Helen Pitts. His season's earnings (\$108,500) have boosted his lifetime total to \$261,380.

A son of Malibu Moon (out of Gabby's Love, by Perkin Warbeck), Baltimore Bob was bred by Kaye-Garcia and Barbara Smith. He is the fifth foal from his stakes-placed dam, who has also produced stakes winner Gabianna (\$136,610, The Very One S).

THE WEEKLY BULLETIN



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MARYLAND FOAL REPORT

Foal reports for Maryland-bred foals of 2010 may be submitted on-line for publication in Maryland Horse by visiting the Maryland Horse Breeders Association's Web site at www.marylandthoroughbred.com and clicking on "foals." Forms can also be downloaded off the Web site, or may be requested by calling (410) 252-2100. Mail foal reports to MHBA, P.O. Box 427, Timonium, MD 21094 or fax to (410) 560-0503.

- ALAFAIR, by Gentlemen (Arg), ch.c., March 20, by Greek Sun. Robin Graham and Mary Jones.
- A QUEEN'S SMILE, by Ops Smile, gr./ro.c., May 7, by Fantasticat. Bonita Farm and Joe Cornachia. Mare to Outflanker.
- BATHHL, by Halory Hunter, b.c., April 4, by Go for Gin. Bonita Farm. Mare to Gators N Bears.
- BAY OF BENGAL, by Rakeen, ch.f., April 19, by Cat Thief. Bonita Farm and Timothy Hopkins. Mare to Mojave Moon.
- BELLE OF CLAXTON, by Devil His Due, ch.c., April 22, by Fantasticat. Joe Ayres Sr.
- BINDLOE, by Afternoon Deelites, b.f., February 7, by Lion Hearted. Daniel O'Ryan. Mare to Rock Slide.
- BLISSFUL SLEEPER, by Citidancer, b.c., March 28, by Rock Slide. Elizabeth Schultz and Jean Morris. Mare to Rock Slide.
- BOUNCE, by Two Punch, ch.c., March 21, by Fantasticat. Preston Moffett. Mare to Fantasticat.
- CARSON CITY SECRET, by Carson City, b.f., March 18, by Touch Gold. Sondra and Howard Bender. Mare to Harlan's Holiday.
- CLASSIQUE, by Pleasant Colony, b.c., May 4, by Sky Mesa. Payson Stud Inc. Mare to Scipion.
- CONOWINGO, by Valley Crossing, dk.b./br.c., March 19, by Gators N Bears. Bonita Farm. Mare to Gators N Bears.
- CROSS OVER PLEASE, by Valley Crossing, b.c., May 10, by Gators N Bears. Bonita Farm. Mare to Gators N Bears.
- DIAMOND DOT, by Rock Slide, ch.f., May 17, by Fantasticat. Preston Moffett. Mare to Outflanker.
- DIRTY HARRYETTE, by Unaccounted For, b.f., April 28, by Suave. Daniel O'Ryan. Mare to Deputy Storm.
- DISTANT STAR, by A.P. Indy, b.c., March 29, by Outflanker. David DiPietro. Mare to Outflanker.
- EILEEN R, by Cozzene, b.f., January 3, by Outflanker. Daniel O'Ryan. Mare to Rock Slide.
- EXCLUSIVE FAN, by Lear Fan, b.f., April 18, by Stephen Got Even. Pamela Wofford. Mare to Rock Slide.
- FALCON'S EYE, by Mutakddim, b.f., March 24, by Salute the Sarge. Little Man Farm. Mare to Rock Slide.
- FAUX PAS, by Raj Waki, b.f., March 21, by Outflanker. John B. Secor. Mare to Outflanker.
- FEMME DE DIABLE, by Devil His Due, b.c., February 25, by Gators N Bears. CKNPS Breeding. Mare to Gators N Bears.
- FLEET AND FANCY, by Touch Gold, ch.f., April 4, by Unbridled's Song. Glade Valley Farms Inc. and Taylor Made Stallions. Mare to Not For Love.
- FLIGHT NUMBERS, by Polish Numbers, dk.b./br.c., May 19, by Scipion. Richard C. Granville. Mare to English Channel.
- GLITTERING MARIE, by Marine Brass, b.f., March 24, by Fantasticat. Bonita Farm. Mare to Fantasticat.
- HANNERLY, by Dancing Count, b.c., March 13, by Rock Slide. James Steele. Mare to St Averil.
- HAVEYOUHEARD, by Oh Say, b.f., February 17, by Rock Slide. Bill Shook. Mare to Rock Slide.
- HOLLY JOLLY, by Horatius, b.c., May 6, by Partner's Hero. Thornmar. Mare to Gators N Bears.
- HOPE BAY, by Smart Strike, b.f., February 18, by Officer. Sondra and Howard Bender. Mare to Toccet.
- HOPEFUL SIGN (GB), by Warning (GB), b.f., February 3, by More Than Ready. Timothy J. Rooney. Mare to More Than Ready.
- I GOT YOUR NUMBER, by Polish Numbers, b.f., March 8, by Rock Slide. Robert Ingham. Mare to St Averil.
- IN THE GREEN, by Mt. Livermore, b.c., February 11, by Indian Charlie. Sondra and Howard Bender. Mare to Malibu Moon.
- JACQUELYN T, by Norquestor, b.f., March 20, by Outflanker. Tanterra Stables. Mare to Rock Slide.
- LAVISH PARTNER, by Partner's Hero, b.c., March 24, by Peticionville. Glade Valley Farms Inc.
- LIGHT SONG, by Bring To Light, b.f., March 1, by Fantasticat. Eric Long. Mare to Fantasticat.
- LIZZIE R, by Cozzene, dk.b./br.c., January 17, by E Dubai. Timothy J. Rooney. Mare to Mutakddim.
- LOOSELIPSSINKSHIPS, by Swear by Dixie, ch.f., May 1, by St Averil. Bonita Farm. Mare to Outflanker.
- MARYLAND MIST, by Cozzene, ch.f., April 29, by Not For Love. Glade Valley Farms Inc. Mare to Proud Citizen.
- MEDIA ACCESS, by Devil's Bag, b.f., April 30, by Gators N Bears. Sondra and Howard Bender. Mare to Pleasantly Perfect.
- MINE MINE MINE, by Personal Flag, b.f., May 10, by Congressional honor. Robert Ingham.
- MISS SANTA ANITA, by Ide, ch.f., April 30, by Street Hero. Timothy J. Rooney. Mare to Rock Slide.
- MODEL FIGURE, by Distant View, b.c., April 13, by Arch. Timothy J. Rooney. Mare to Exchange Rate.
- MONOCHROME, by Broad Brush, b.c., April 12, by Outflanker. Bonita Farm. Mare to Mojave Moon.
- MOULIN D'OR, by Bianconi, ch.c., April 4, by Mr. Executioner. Donald S. Jewell. Mare to St Averil.
- MULLINGAR, by Roy, b.f., May 2, by Cherokee's Boy. Elizabeth Schultz. Mare to Outflanker.
- MY COVER GIRL, by Devil's Bag, ch.c., May 17, by Include. Sondra and Howard Bender. Mare to Mineshaft.
- NANICOKE, by Carson City, b.f., March 9, by Outflanker. Dumbarton Farm. Mare to Outflanker.
- OAKS VICTORIA, by Honour and Glory, b.f., February 19, by Dance With Ravens. Frederick T. Lewis Jr. Mare to Scipion.
- OCEAN CAT, by Storm Cat, ch.c., May 16, by Strong Hope. Payson Stud Inc. Mare to Scipion.
- OVER CONCERNED, by Concern, b.c., April 18, by Purple Passion. Elizabeth Schultz.
- PASTEL, by American Chance, b.f., February 13, by Rock Slide. Steven Hinds. Mare to Rock Slide.
- PAYING OFF, by Malibu Moon, gr./ro.f., March 9, by St Averil. Janet Wayson. Mare to Outflanker.
- PLEASANT ISLAND, by Pleasant Tap, dk.b./br.c., March 8, by Outflanker. Bowman Thoroughbreds LLC.
- PLEASE MONG, by Deputed Testimony, b.c., April 9, by St Averil. Bonita Farm. Mare to Gators N Bears.
- PRETTY PRINCESS, by Partner's Hero, ch.c., February 24, by Cherokee's Boy. James Steele. Mare to Rock Slide.
- RED VALENTINE, by Dehere, b.f., April 30, by Scipion. Thornmar.
- RIVER CRUISE, by Not For Love, b.c., April 16, by Yes It's True. Sondra and Howard Bender. Mare to Orientate.
- SALLY Q, by Norquestor, b.c., April 18, by Outflanker. David DiPietro and Herb May. Mare to Oratory.
- SANDY E F, by Sandpit (Brz), b.f., May 9, by Fantasticat. Bulle Rock Stables LLC. Mare to Fantasticat.
- SOBRIETY TEST, by Wavering Monarch, b.f., April 23, by Outflanker. Bonita Farm and Hellfire Stable. Mare to Outflanker.
- STARE, by Diamond, dk.b./br.f., February 24, by Louis Quatorze. Hickory Plains Farm. Mare to Louis Quatorze.
- STORMY NUMBERS, by Polish Numbers, ch.c., April 16, by St Averil. Joe Ayres Jr. Mare to Rock Slide.
- SULTRY RENDEVOUS, by Sultry Song, b.f., May 16, by Outflanker. Linda S. Gaudet. Mare to Outflanker.
- SUM THIN BOUT MARY, by Valley Crossing, dk.b./br.c., May 23, by Gators N Bears. Bonita Farm. Mare to Fantasticat.
- SUMWAGER, by Summer Squall, b.f., March 23, by Toccet. Sondra and Howard Bender. Mare to La Reine's Terms.
- SURAFAN, by Surachai, ch.c., April 24, by Cherokee's Boy. Pamela Wofford.
- THE BEST SISTER, by Salem Drive, b.f., May 11, by Rock Slide. James Steele.
- THOMPSON PARK, by Allen's Prospect, b.c., February 13, by Dance With Ravens. Frederick T. Lewis Jr. Mare to Scipion.
- TOKEN BEAUTY, by Gold Token, b.f., April 12, by Outflanker. Bowman Thoroughbreds LLC.
- WHATEVER'S FAIR, by Oh Say, b.f., April 26, by Cherokee's Boy. Tanterra Stables. Mare to Rock Slide.
- WICKED STRIPES, by Candy Stripes, b.c., May 21, by Outflanker. KES Farms LLC.



MARYLAND FUND REPORT

Bonuses paid for races at Maryland tracks from May 17 to May 23, 2010.

Shine Again Stakes

May 22. Purse \$50,000-guaranteed. For 3-year-olds and up, fillies and mares, registered Maryland-breds, non-winners of a sweepstakes. 1 $\frac{1}{16}$ mi. 5 competed. (Closed with 7 nominations.) Winner: AMERICAN VICTORY, by Victory Gallop. Breeder bonus: Sycamore Hall Farm LLC (\$3,750). Stallion bonus: None. Second: HANNAH'S DOWERY, by Stephen Got Even. Breeder bonus: Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Wright (\$1,250). Stallion bonus: None. Third: HEAVEN'S VOICE, by Lion Hearted. Breeder bonus: Yigal Rappaport (\$687.50). Stallion bonus: Lion Hearted Syn-

dicate (\$343.75). Fourth: HOLIDAY GIRL, by Harlan's Holiday. Breeder bonus: Hickory Ridge Farm (\$375). Stallion bonus: None.

Breeder bonuses

Bonita Farm—USMC SEMPER FI: May 20, 9th race, \$997.50.
Country Life Farm and Sunshine in Paris LLC—FRENCH MOON: May 22, 2nd race, \$712.50.
Wilbur and Joan Everett—SILENT SHOT: May 20, 6th race, \$1,068.75.
John W. and Aileen D. Ferguson—DAVE'S DUCHESS: May 22, 7th race, \$570.
Fred A. Greene Jr. Rev. Trust—HEAVENLY MOON: May 21, 8th race, \$1,852.50.
Brenda M. Godfrey—Q BEE ONE: May 21, 9th race, \$570.
Hickory Ridge Farm—HOLIDAY GIRL: May 22, 6th race, \$375.

K.T. Leatherbury Assoc. Inc.—HOUND: May 21, 1st race, \$997.50.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. McDermott—HESAGOLDMINE: May 21, 5th race, \$1,140.
Mr. and Mrs. Edwin W. Merryman—DREAM LOUISE: May 21, 3rd race, \$1,710.
Non Stop Stable—SMART TORI: May 20, 4th race, \$1,710.
Yigal Rappaport—HEAVEN'S VOICE: May 22, 6th race, \$687.50.
Charles J. Reed—HUNKA'S VICTORY: May 21, 2nd race, \$570.
Elizabeth J. Schultz—OVER VALAY: May 20, 3rd race, \$570.
Sycamore Hall Farm LLC—AMERICAN VICTORY: May 22, 6th race, \$3,750.
Sally Thomas—SHE LOVES ME NOW: May 22, 4th race, \$712.50.
Thornmar Farm LLC—I'M YOUR GAL: May 22, 1st race, \$712.50. LADY OUTFLANKER: May 20, 1st race, \$570. (\$1,282.50)
Costas N. Triantafyllos—RAINBOW INTHESTORM: May 22, 10th race, \$997.50.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Wright—HANNAH'S DOWERY: May 22, 6th race, \$1,250.

Owner bonuses

The Bathhl Stable—USMC SEMPER FI: May 20, 9th race, \$957.60.
William M. Ferrone—I'M YOUR GAL: May 22, 1st race, \$684.
Brenda M. Godfrey—Q BEE ONE: May 21, 9th race, \$547.20.

Fred A. Greene Jr.—HEAVENLY MOON: May 21, 8th race, \$1,778.40.
The Jim Stable—DAVE'S DUCHESS: May 22, 7th race, \$547.20.
Thomas J. McDermott—HESAGOLDMINE: May 21, 5th race, \$1,094.40.
Edwin W. Merryman—DREAM LOUISE: May 21, 3rd race, \$1,641.60.
Non Stop Stable—SMART TORI: May 20, 4th race, \$1,641.60.
Elizabeth J. Schultz—OVER VALAY: May 20, 3rd race, \$547.20.

Stallion bonuses

BOWMAN'S BAND (I'm Your Gal: May 22, 1st race, \$356.25): Maryland Stallion Station and Martin Schwartz.
CROWD PLEASER (Hound: May 21, 1st race, \$498.75): Crowd Pleaser Partnership.
LION HEARTED (Heaven's Voice: May 22, 6th race, \$343.75): Lion Hearted Syndicate.
LOUIS QUATORZE (Dream Louise: May 21, 3rd race, \$855): Louis Quatorze Syndicate.
MOJAVE MOON (Heavenly Moon: May 21, 8th race, \$926.25): Mojave Moon Syndicate.
ORATORY (Dave's Duchess: May 22, 7th race, \$285): Country Life Farm and Darley.
OUTFLANKER (Lady Outflanker: May 20, 1st race, \$285): Outflanker Syndicate.
SEEKING DAYLIGHT (Usmc Semper Fi: May 20, 9th race, \$498.75): Seeking Daylight Syndicate.

SPECIAL \$5,000 BONUS PAYMENTS

MSW PAYMENTS (May 17 - May 23, 2010): Edwin W. Merryman.

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WHAT IS MHBA'S PAC?

It is a **political action committee** formed by the Maryland Horse Breeders Association. The PAC solicits voluntary contributions from individuals or corporations to support issues or assist selected candidates for public office in the state of Maryland who are interested in the problems of our industry and are willing to help us solve those problems.

WHY DO WE NEED PAC?

The largest market for horses bred in Maryland is horse racing, an industry which is closely regulated by state government. In addition, while not well understood, horse breeding is an especially important segment of Maryland agriculture. The economic well-being of racing and breeding is very much a function of the political process. It is essential to the health of our industry that we educate our elected official and support those who work with us on issues vital to our interests.

HOW DOES PAC WORK?

The PAC receives voluntary contributions through its treasurer which are then disbursed to candidates or spent supporting issues as selected by a committee headed by the chairperson of the MHBA Legislative Committee. Any administrative expense will be paid by the MHBA. Reports of PAC contributions must be filed with the State Administrative Board of Election Laws and are a matter of public record.

WHAT ARE THE LAWS GOVERNING CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS?

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There are no deductions or credits allowed on your state tax returns but federal law permits a credit of 50 percent on total political contributions up to a \$50 credit (for a \$100 contribution) on individual returns, and a \$100 credit (for a \$200 contribution) on joint returns. Political contributions are not deductible business expenses.

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Maryland's leading sires

Supplied by Bloodstock Research Information Services (BRIS),
these statistics were compiled on July 5. Lifetime earnings
for stallions with at least one starter in 2010. † denotes freshman sire.

Earnings in 2010

	Strs	Starts	Wnrs	Wins	Earnings
Not For Love	161	639	64	84	\$2,054,530
Lion Hearted	136	607	56	77	1,547,900
Louis Quatorze	119	483	42	56	1,209,510
Outflanker	85	448	41	62	1,081,540
Domestic Dispute	84	361	30	36	788,164
Dance With Ravens	50	237	19	29	591,919
Two Punch	64	245	27	39	582,912
Rock Slide	53	198	15	20	535,635
Great Notion	35	139	17	25	493,299
Mojave Moon	42	207	17	24	441,482
Oratory	37	150	13	17	396,383
Go for Gin	42	179	17	20	350,108
Seeking Daylight	19	91	14	19	272,089
Gators N Bears	26	82	9	11	264,727
Crowd Pleaser	18	65	13	17	236,142
Citidancer	11	57	6	10	183,125
Allen's Prospect	17	70	6	10	176,591
Fantasticat	16	69	6	9	140,421
St Averil	15	58	4	4	140,165

2-year-old earnings in 2010

	Strs	Starts	Wnrs	Wins	Earnings
†Deputy Storm	2	8	1	1	\$55,785
Lion Hearted	4	9	1	1	36,954
Domestic Dispute	5	8	0	0	8,654
Not For Love	1	2	0	0	7,276
Dance With Ravens	3	4	0	0	5,840
Fantasticat	2	6	0	0	5,760

Earnings lifetime

	Strs	Starts	Wnrs	Wins	Earnings
Allen's Prospect	927	23,128	768	3,351	\$54,144,000
Not For Love	586	11,616	467	1,798	50,314,000
Two Punch	813	15,659	633	2,377	47,763,500
Polish Numbers	439	9,112	362	1,344	32,775,500
Carnivalay	494	13,289	405	1,815	30,361,800
Smarten	507	12,417	388	1,693	27,134,100
Horatius	590	15,150	470	1,926	26,605,400
Waquoit	464	10,941	353	1,475	25,961,000
Citidancer	296	6,971	254	1,206	25,202,600
Louis Quatorze	485	8,215	342	1,099	24,209,600
Eastern Echo	415	8,418	289	1,098	22,261,600
Outflanker	299	6,074	237	908	18,880,700
Deputed Testamony	352	10,186	267	1,403	18,488,900
Oh Say	418	10,063	353	1,472	17,589,900
Go for Gin	263	4,707	173	587	16,037,200

2-year-old earnings lifetime

	Strs	Starts	Wnrs	Wins	Earnings
Allen's Prospect	458	1,558	175	240	\$5,629,410
Two Punch	394	1,270	155	192	5,025,300
Not For Love	258	830	100	135	4,849,080
Smarten	278	1,195	112	157	3,769,760
Polish Numbers	229	700	84	122	3,672,570
Citidancer	153	575	82	124	3,220,990
Eastern Echo	220	812	73	100	3,032,700
Louis Quatorze	237	734	72	92	2,841,870
Carnivalay	249	1,010	88	122	2,480,130
Outflanker	167	691	71	97	2,424,780
Lion Hearted	152	495	60	85	2,285,540
Waquoit	197	680	56	81	1,920,960
Horatius	267	991	99	134	1,642,260
Oh Say	152	574	65	90	1,457,000
Go for Gin	136	431	27	32	825,770