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Historic racing films offer rare glimpse of past at Country Life Farm premiere

Editor's Note: Maryanna Skowronski, director of the Historical Society of Harford County, wrote the following about the showing—and restoration—of old movies discovered at the former Prospect Hill Farm.

On a mid-October evening there were no chauffeur-driven limousines dispatching movie stars onto a red carpet. Tiki torches, guided guests from a parking field to the front steps of the "Big House" at the Pons family's Country Life Farm in Bel Air where a film premier almost a decade in the making was to take place.

Circa 2008 the Historical Society of Harford County received 28 reels of 8- and 16-millimeter home movies originating from the Bel Air Race Track and the old Prospect Hill Farm. Now the campus of Harford Community College, for almost 30 years the farm was home to Robert and Anne Heighe's Thoroughbred racing and breeding concern. Robert Heighe predeceased his wife and although the details are fuzzy it's believed that at the time of Anne Heighe's death an employee saved the old films from disposal. Passed down to his daughter they were given to the society in fragile condition having spent at least 50 years in the alternating extreme heat and cold of an attic. Too brittle

to be run through a projector, the only indications of their content were pencil-written titles on the metal film canisters. Titles such as "Maryland Tracks", "Saratoga" and most intriguing, "Man o' War," hinted at the potential treasure that the reels might contain.

At the time the films were donated, the cost of conserving them was beyond the scope of the society's yearly budget. The films were put into proper storage (no attic this time) where they remained out of sight but never far out of mind of the society's director Maryanna Skowronski who had brokered their donation and who was determined to have the films restored.

In January of 2014 she contacted the Maryland Jockey Club's Karin De Francis, a member of the Advisory Council of the American Film Institute Silver Theatre and Cultural Center in Silver Spring to see if she might be of help. De Francis made some inquiries on behalf of the project. Colorlab, a film conservation firm in Rockville was recommended for the actual work. The National Film Preservation Foundation was sug-

gested as a possible funding source. More research ensued.

In October 2016 Skowronski and fellow historical society employee, Jacob Bensen, delivered the films to Colorlab for condition and cost analysis. A phone call to the California based NFPF ended with an invitation to apply for funding to conserve the films. A grant was written and in June 2017 the society received word that two of the films (Saratoga and Man o' War) would be funded (\$3,700) based on the NFPF's opinion that they were of "national importance." However, additional funds had to be raised to conserve the remaining films. Grants from the Maryland Horse Industry Board, a donation from Harford Community College, a 2017 fundraiser at Country Life and a few private donations covered the balance of the almost \$10,000 needed to restore the entire collection.

The restoration took 19 months (not counting the pre-funding months of film evaluation) due to the condition of the films and the technical nature of the work. Finally, in early August 2018, the conserved and digitally



Prospect Hill Farm, the Heighes' house, at what is now Harford Community College.

reproduced black-and-white silent footage was delivered to the historical society. It was a true case of silence being golden.

From study of the now viewable subject matter it appears that the movies date from the late 1920s to the early 1930s. The mere fact they exist at all is miraculous. Age and condition aside, the cost of the filming and production must have been immense. The Heighes themselves appear together in several of the movies so it is presumed that someone was hired to shoot the footage. It wasn't limited to their farm. The globetrotting couple's foreign travel is also included, as is footage from their Bel Air town home, Moore's Mill, and a vacation home in Florida.

On the October evening at Country Life, the Thoroughbred footage edited from the overall collection was shown for guests.

You couldn't call it a trip down memory lane as there was no one in attendance who had even been born when the movies were made. But after drinks and supper the audience gathered in the living room cum theater, bags of popcorn in hand and settled in. After brief introductions

by Skowronski, Mike Pons and Eliza McGraw, author of the award-winning book *Here Comes Exterminator*, helped to set the scene by reading a passage from her book wherein she related the story of the great Exterminator's appearance at Havre de Grace Racetrack. The needle of a phonograph player was then dropped onto a recording of popular instrumental standards of the day and it was "roll 'em."

From that moment it was if an extended family had gathered to watch old home movies and for two in the audience they literally were doing just that. Bonita Farm's Bill Boniface and son Kevin were delighted to see teen-aged footage of their father and grandfather, the late turf writer William "Bill" Boniface, leading and standing horses up at Prospect Hill. The elder William's father, Fritz Boniface, was Prospect Hill's farm manager. Two of Fritz's other sons, Syd and Harry, also worked at the farm and it's presumed that they are some of those who also appear. Film of the farm's mares and foals, horses of racing age, stallions, pastures, barns, stables, house, workers and cattle testify to the size and quality of the

Prospect Hill operation. Footage of baby goats prompted a chorus of "awws" from the audience while a scene of Fritz's young daughter Helen's stern rebuke of her leashed terrier invoked a few chuckles.

Prospect Hill morphed into Havre de Grace or "The Graw." Backstretch scenes of horses being cooled out faded into images of morning work on the track and to horses going to the start on race day. Other scenes gave proof of attendance in the thousands and illustrated to everyone watching the beauty that was the venue during its heyday.

Sighs and "ohs" were heard as pre-fire Pimlico's old clubhouse flashed across the screen. Viewers watched a steeplechase race in a bucolic infield serenely empty of corporate tents. Horse-drawn harrows dragged the track between races.

Bowie's backstretch made an appearance. Scenes of racing at Florida's Hialeah and Cuba's Oriental Park appeared. Rare early footage of Saratoga's Clare Court was followed by even more rare film of the town's United States Hotel, which was demolished in 1946. William Garth, trainer of 1920 Kentucky Derby win-

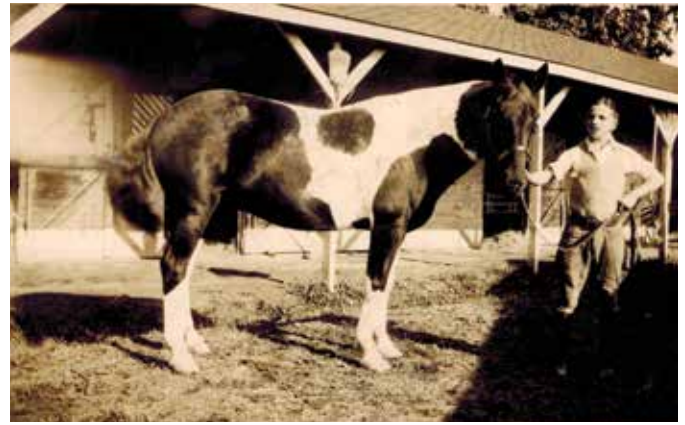
ner Paul Jones, appeared at his Virginia training center, Ingle-side, where he and his exercise riders put Heighe horses through their paces as railbird Anne Heighe perched track-side to watch.

If the films had stars then the leading men were Golden Broom and Man o' War himself in footage shot at Kentucky's Faraway Farm. Man o' War is seen being handled by his then groom, John Buckner, who preceded the better-known Will Harbut. A cameo appearance at Claiborne Farm is made by founder Arthur Hancock, however the highlight of the Claiborne footage for the hometown audience was film of "Durbar II, winner of the 1914 Epsom Derby for his owner Herman B. Duryea, Robert Heighe's uncle by marriage. The stallion spent the final year of his life at Prospect Hill and is buried in an unmarked grave on the front lawn of the house. The Heighe footage is the only film of the horse known to exist. The screening ended with official track footage of three of the last races run at the Bel Air racetrack.

Among the audience were former jockey Jennifer Small, Maryland Horse Industry Board Director Ross



Robert and Anne Heighe were major Thoroughbred breeders and owners in Maryland and the nation.



This Heighe lead pony appeared in the films.



Owned by Robert Heighe's uncle, English Derby winner Durbar stood at Kentucky's Claiborne Farm and is buried at Prospect Hill.

Peddicord, *Mid-Atlantic Thoroughbred's* Joe Clancy, Cindy Deubler and Barrie Reightler. WBAL Radio's Scott Wykoff, MHBA board member Theresa Wiseman, and Harford Community College's Carol Allen and Julie Mancine also viewed the film, as did owners, breeders, and others who traveled from, Washington, D.C., Virginia, and throughout Maryland for the first public showing of the films.

Throughout the evening, sponsored by Country Life and the Maryland Horse Breeders Association, those watching called out as they recognized a site or asked questions about certain footage. Clancy told a tale about his grandfather and father attending the races Havre de Grace (after giving up on a long trek from Delaware to

the Maryland Hunt Cup) and someone said some of the old Havre de Grace racetrack barns are still in use on area farms.

Comments flew around the room as the Boniface men remarked on the lack of lip chains (a good thing), horses going to the start without lead ponies (another good thing), and of Bel Air race track jockeys riding "acey/deucey." Someone pondered who might occupy the Clare Court barn shown in the films today while Pons attested to the fact that a particular Claiborne shedrow looked "exactly the same today."

At evening's end more than \$1,500 had been raised toward further work on the Heighe film collection. The historical society hopes to eventually produce a complete documen-

tary on Prospect Hill Farm, Anne Heighe, and her place in the sport. The society will also make the footage shown at Country Life Farm available

to other institutions specializing in racing history.

In all, when the reviews were in, it was a four-star, two-thumbs-up evening. 🐾

Report of Mares Bred 2018 statistics

The Jockey Club has released Report of Mares Bred (RMB) statistics for the 2018 breeding season. Based on RMBs received through Oct. 16, The Jockey Club reports that 1,214 stallions covered 30,274 mares in North America during 2018. The

number of stallions declined 9.5 percent from the 1,342 reported at this time in 2017, and the number of mares bred decreased 5 percent from the 31,863 reported last year.

Ranked sixth, Maryland was one of four states in the top-10 with more mares

covered in 2018 than 2017, and rose by the highest percentage, with 867 mares covered this year by 30 stallions, compared to the same number of stallions covering 768 in 2017, a 12.9 percent increase.

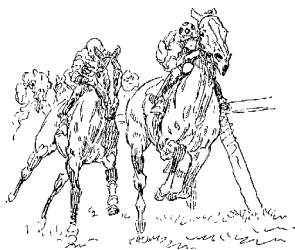
The average book of 28.9 mares per Maryland stallion is second only to Kentucky (with 76). The busiest Maryland stallions were Country Life Farm's first-year sire Divining Rod with 102; Northview Stallion Station's third-year stallion Golden Lad

(77) and Maryland's current leading sire Great Notion (75), first-year stallions Holy Boss and Madefromlucky, standing at Anchor and Hope and Northview Stallion Station, respectively, each with 69.

The Jockey Club estimates an additional 3,000 to 4,000 mares will be reported as bred during the 2018 breeding season.

RMB statistics for all reported stallions in 2018 are available through the Fact Book section of The Jockey Club's website. 🐾

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MARYLAND FUND REPORT

Bonuses paid for races at Maryland tracks
 September 1 to September 30, 2018

All Brandy Stakes

September 29. Purse \$75,000-guaranteed. For 3-year-olds and up, fillies and mares, registered Maryland-bred or Maryland sired. 1 mi. (off turf). 8 competed. (Closed with 21 nominations.) Winner: RILEY'S CHOICE, by Distorted Humor. Breeder bonus: Sagamore Farm LLC (\$6,750). Stallion bonus: None. Second: MAJESTIC REASON, by Majestic Warrior. Breeder bonus: Sycamore Hall Thoroughbreds LLC and Ellen Charles (\$2,250). Stallion bonus: None. Third: Pennsylvania-bred by Redeemed.

Find Stakes

September 29. Purse \$75,000-guaranteed. For 3-year-olds and up, registered Maryland-bred or Maryland sired. 1 mi. (off turf). 8 competed. (Closed with 17 nominations.) Winner: SONNY INSPIRED, by Artie Schiller. Breeder bonus: Thornmar Farm (\$6,750). Stallion bonus: None. Second: JOHN JONES, by Smarty Jones. Breeder bonus: Nancy Lee Farms (\$2,250). Stallion bonus: None. Third: BELFOUR, by Super Saver. Breeder bonus: John D. Stuart (\$1,125). Stallion bonus: None

Breeder bonuses

All Aboard Stables—REIN SUPREME: Sept. 28, 6th race, \$1,386.
 Leo J. Ambrogio—CUT TIME: Sept. 8, 9th race, \$1,134.

Ashbourne Stables LLC—VICTORY CHIMES: Sept. 9, 6th race, \$5,985.
 Colin Atkins—SWEETHEARTED: Sept. 8, 4th race, \$1,155.
 Lorna Baker and Tom Michaels—LAKI: Sept. 22, 10th race \$3,000.
 Barak Farm—BLAME THE KIDS: Sept. 7, 8th race, \$3,933. THREE PHASE: Sept. 22, 12th race \$891. (\$4,824)
 William Bayne—GRAND RIVER: Sept. 15, 1st race, \$5,643.
 Patricia and Richard Beck—PHANTOM SHOT: Sept. 7, 6th race, \$2,835.
 Richard F. Blue Jr.—HOT FRIESIA: Sept. 28, 5th race, \$5,985.
 Richard Blue Sr. and Ann Merryman—RAILMASTER: Sept. 30, 5th race, \$1,089.
 Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Bowman and Dr. Brooke Bowman—BELIAL: Sept. 1, 3rd race, \$5,643; Sept. 14, 8th race, \$2,646. MISS PHILLY DILLY: Sept. 16, 2nd race, \$2,520. (\$10,809)
 Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Bowman, Dr. Brooke Bowman, Rebecca Davis and R.L. Johnson—TO BE HONEST: Sept. 16, 11th race \$2,565.
 Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Bowman, Quin Bowman and Rebecca Davis—CLUBMAN: Sept. 8, 7th race, \$1,485; Sept. 16, 4th race, \$2,835. (\$4,320)
 Bowman and Higgins Stable—STOMP DANCE: Sept. 3, 6th race, \$924; Sept. 23, 8th race, \$5,985. (\$6,909)
 Karen Brown and Heather Brown—TILAKA: Sept. 15, 2nd race, \$1,701.
 James Edwin Bryant and Linda Page Davis—JUMP JIVE AN WALL: Sept. 29, 2nd race, \$2,646. PENNY MOLL: Sept. 8, 9th race, \$3,078. (\$5,724)
 Deborah Butts—MARIE FROM PARIE: Sept. 21, 6th race, \$1,449.
 Christine Clagett and Miracle View Farm—GREAT COUNTRY: Sept. 16, 3rd race, \$5,643.
 Patricia Clark and Pamela Arnold—PAUL THE WAITER: Sept. 9, 10th race \$5,643.
 Henry S. Clark III—GLENGAR: Sept. 16, 3rd race, \$2,079.

Campaign Update

Current Total	Aug. to Oct. 2018	\$7,360
Short-Term Goal	By Dec. 31, 2018	\$10,000
Long-Term Goal	By Oct. 31, 2019	\$30,000

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Cloyce C. Clark Jr.—GLORIA'S GAL: Sept. 3, 9th race, \$2,268.
 Clover Hill Farm Inc.—ONEMOREGREATTIME: Sept. 14, 9th race, \$1,386.
 Cordelia Stables LLC—BELLE 'N TONIC: Sept. 22, 13th race \$1,386. BRIGID'S CROSS: Sept. 2, 10th race, \$2,394. (\$3,780)
 Country Life Farm—BETTER YET: Sept. 9, 1st race, \$5,643. BONUS POINTS: Sept. 16, 9th race, \$2,961. (\$8,604)
 Country Life Farm, Friesan Fire Syndicate and Miller Thompson LLC—GOODLUCKJOHNATHAN: Sept. 21, 9th race, \$1,386.
 Country Roads Ltd.—ODDS ON: Sept. 23, 8th race, \$1,155.
 The Estate of Nellie Cox/Rose Retreat Farm—SCRAP COPPER: Sept. 22, 4th race, \$3,000. TRANSOM: Sept. 3, 5th race, \$1,701. (\$4,701)
 Dark Hollow Farm—HIGH NOON LUTE: Sept. 9, 7th race, \$891.
 David DiPietro—MIDNIGHT CRY: Sept. 2, 2nd race, \$2,565; Sept. 16, 7th race, \$2,565. (\$5,130)
 Marilyn Anne Doetsch—LOVELY GAMES: Sept. 14, 3rd race, \$726; Sept. 30, 9th race, \$1,386. (\$2,112)
 Double Deez Stables Inc.—DONNA'S DELIGHT: Sept. 8, 9th race, \$594.
 Kevin Dove Jr.—DOVE DYNASTY: Sept. 15, 10th race \$1,134.
 Dr. Morgan Dove and Karin Wurttemberger—BRIDGEWATER: Sept. 7, 4th race, \$1,764.
 Dragon's Lair Farm LLC—BUDDHA KAI: Sept. 22, 1st race, \$726.
 The Elkstone Group LLC—EIGHTY SIX METS: Sept. 16, 8th race, \$924. NAKAMURA: Sept. 29, 8th race, \$1,500. (\$2,424)
 Sam E. English II—BEYOND FOREVER: Sept. 8, 3rd race, \$1,386; Sept. 16, 5th race, \$3,762. (\$5,148)
 Mary E. Eppler Racing Stable Inc.—MARTYWITH-THEPARTY: Sept. 15, 7th race, \$945.
 Annette Eubanks and Daniel Eubanks—STORMY MAMA: Sept. 2, 4th race, \$495; Sept. 21, 10th race \$2,565. (\$3,060)
 R.S. Evans—ASK STACY: Sept. 9, 1st race, \$2,079.
 Everest Stables Inc.—BIG CITY BLUES: Sept. 23, 8th race, \$2,205. COQUETA: Sept. 1, 3rd race, \$2,079; Sept. 22, 2nd race, \$1,701. NIGHTLIFE: Sept. 16, 2nd race, \$1,320. (\$7,305)
 W. Dale and Joan P. Everett—GIVEN ACHANCE: Sept. 16, 11th race \$945.
 Fitzhugh LLC—ANOTHER BROAD: Sept. 8, 12th race \$5,643; Sept. 23, 5th race, \$5,985. BROAD EXPANSE: Sept. 9, 5th race, \$1,386; Sept. 30, 11th race \$3,762. (\$16,776)
 Charles Anthony Frock—GREAT NATION: Sept. 2, 1st race, \$3,078.
 Cary Frommer—MY STAR POTENTIAL: Sept. 2, 5th race, \$5,985.
 Robert Gerczak—BELTWAY BOB: Sept. 9, 6th race, \$1,155. DIXIE DO GOOD: Sept. 8, 5th race, \$1,701. (\$2,856)
 Cornelia S. Gibson—HOWYAFORMONEY: Sept. 3, 4th race, \$2,565.
 Glade Valley Farms Inc.—FLEET GOLD DIGGER: Sept. 1, 5th race, \$1,575.
 Glenangus Farm LLC—FIRTH: Sept. 28, 5th race, \$2,205.
 Hickory Plains LLC, Randy Cohen and Alyse Cohen—FEAR NO EVIL: Sept. 22, 9th race, \$1,500.
 Holly House Farm—COUSIN JIMMY: Sept. 30, 5th race, \$5,643.
 Michael and Debbie Horning—JUMPSTARTMYHEART: Sept. 29, 1st race, \$2,565. WE MADE IT: Sept. 14, 3rd race, \$1,386. (\$3,951)
 Barbara J. Houck—FINAL FEAR: Sept. 3, 8th race, \$1,386.
 Joanna Ingham Trust—I'VE GOTTA PLAN: Sept. 9, 7th race, \$4,617.
 Jackson Residuary QTIP Trust—RENAISSANCE ROSIE: Sept. 7, 6th race, \$7,695.
 R. Larry Johnson—A GREAT TIME: Sept. 8, 4th race, \$2,205. A ROSE BY ANY NAME: Sept. 23, 3rd race, \$3,762. HOLIDAY MAGICIAN: Sept. 30, 6th race, \$594. OLDIES BUT GOODIES: Sept. 22, 3rd race, \$7,182. SIRIUS LOVE: Sept. 8, 12th race \$2,079. SKY MAGICIAN: Sept. 15, 1st race, \$2,079. VALUE ADDED: Sept. 3, 3rd race, \$2,565. WHENALLELSEFAILS: Sept. 2, 10th race, \$882; Sept. 7, 3rd race, \$1,386. YOU CAN NEVER TELL: Sept. 14, 4th race, \$6,840. (\$29,574)
 Hope H. Jones—HENINGHAM: Sept. 8, 5th race, \$4,617.
 Alan S. Kline Revocable Trust—ASTREA: Sept. 7, 3rd race, \$726.
 Alan S. Kline and Dove Houghton—FERGIE'S LADY: Sept. 21, 4th race, \$945.
 Carl Lanier—HE'S NOT CURLY: Sept. 8, 6th race, \$5,643.
 Brad and Faith Leatherman—SMILE FOR ETERNITY: Sept. 22, 3rd race, \$2,646.
 Andrea Lematta—GHOSTLY AFFAIR: Sept. 23, 3rd race, \$1,386.
 Fred T. Lewis DVM—CONQUISTODOR FUEGO: Sept. 1, 10th race \$462.
 Little Man Farm—EYE OF THE WILDCAT: Sept. 9, 2nd race, \$726. FLANKENSTEIN: Sept. 16, 7th race, \$495. (\$1,221)
 Robert T. Manfuso—WEEKEND DELIGHT: Sept. 8, 12th race \$1,089.
 Robert T. Manfuso and Katharine M. Voss—ELIAV: Sept. 22, 12th race \$1,701. NO MORE TALK: Sept. 3, 6th race, \$1,764; Sept. 29, 2nd race, \$7,182. (\$10,647)
 Maple Valley Farm LLC—MOJO'S LOUIE CAT: Sept. 9, 10th race \$1,089.
 Marathon Farms Inc.—UNCLE BILLY: Sept. 3, 2nd race, \$627.
 Mrs. J.W.Y. Martin Jr.—SIP OF SUNSHINE: Sept. 14, 10th race \$3,762.
 Lawrence G. McDade and Rose Burns McDade—STEVIE'S JOY: Sept. 2, 8th race, \$594.
 Charles C.D. McGill—ATLANTIC AVENUE: Sept. 1, 8th race, \$1,155; Sept. 21, 5th race, \$2,079. (\$3,234)
 Louis McLane Merryman and Adena Springs—ANDTHERESTHAT: Sept. 15, 5th race, \$1,386.

Louis McLane Merryman and R. Larry Johnson—MAGLIANCALENDAR: Sept. 2, 9th race, \$1,188.

Ann W. Merryman—WIGGLE ROOM: Sept. 16, 11th race \$495.

Edwin Merryman—LOUISE: Sept. 9, 2nd race, \$1,386; Sept. 29, 10th race \$1,386. (\$2,772)

Bob Miller and Maryann Miller—SONIC BOOM EJET: Sept. 1, 6th race, \$1,386; Sept. 8, 8th race, \$4,788. (\$6,174)

Miller Thompson LLC and S. Nelson—UNCLENEDWHODRANK: Sept. 2, 8th race, \$3,078.

Morgan's Ford Farm—REDEEMED GENTLEMAN: Sept. 9, 6th race, \$2,205.

Wayne and Juanita Morris—DISCO EXPRESS: Sept. 2, 2nd race, \$495. EIGHTYEIGHTMPH: Sept. 1, 2nd race, \$594. (\$1,089)

Nancy Lee Farms—JOHN JONES: Sept. 29, 4th race, \$2,250. NANCY R: Sept. 3, 3rd race, \$945. (\$3,195)

Nicowonder Stable LLC—TWIN VALOR: Sept. 8, 7th race, \$2,835.

Dr. and Mrs. A. Leonard Pineau—COCKTAIL WAITRESS: Sept. 3, 8th race, \$726; Sept. 28, 4th race, \$1,386. HANAIEI SUNSET: Sept. 2, 4th race, \$945; Sept. 21, 10th race \$495. (\$3,552)

PTK LLC—VINEYARD: Sept. 23, 2nd race, \$924.

Patricia L. Ramey and Maciej Szwarc—PINK NOTION: Sept. 2, 5th race, \$2,205.

R C Park Racing Stable Inc.—JAH GRACE: Sept. 29, 1st race, \$495.

Timothy J. Rooney—ANGELINAS STAR: Sept. 29, 10th race \$3,762. MONEY FROM HEAVEN: Sept. 8, 1st race, \$2,520; Sept. 28, 1st race, \$1,089. (\$7,371)

Sagamore Farm LLC—BRING ME ANSWERS: Sept. 2, 7th race, \$1,188. PUBLISHANDITERATE: Sept. 28, 10th race \$945. RILEY'S CHOICE: Sept. 29, 9th race, \$6,750. (\$8,883)

Richard Scelfo and Eagle View Farm LLC—PASS A MENTO: Sept. 15, 2nd race, \$4,617.

Brian C. Scharzt and 4M Ranch—FEDERAL WALK: Sept. 28, 10th race \$2,565.

Shamrock Farm—BINDLOR: Sept. 2, 1st race, \$594; Sept. 15, 12th race \$594. (\$1,188)

Michael Terry Shane—MARGIE'S MONEY: Sept. 8, 4th race, \$5,985.

Sinatra Thoroughbred Breeding and Racing—STAR SEED CHILD: Sept. 28, 7th race, \$891.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Smith—BAY OF ROCKS: Sept. 28, 9th race, \$3,762.

Hamilton Smith, Fred Greene Jr. and Deborah Greene—CHINQUAPIN: Sept. 30, 11th race \$1,386.

Spendthrift Farm LLC—CONFESSOR: Sept. 8, 6th race, \$2,079. HALL PASS: Sept. 15, 1st race, \$1,089. (\$3,168)

Steven Spike—LOVE N KIMESTRY: Sept. 1, 10th race \$882; Sept. 15, 10th race \$3,078. (\$3,960)

John D. Stuart—BELFOUR: Sept. 29, 4th race, \$1,125.

George Swope—EIGHTY BUCKS: Sept. 23, 3rd race, \$726.

Sycamore Hall Thoroughbreds LLC—COMFY AND COZY: Sept. 9, 1st race, \$1,089. FOLLOW THE DOG: Sept. 14, 2nd race, \$6,840. INTRODUCED: Sept. 28, 1st race, \$5,643. ROCKINN ON BYE: Sept. 1, 9th race, \$2,250. VICTORY RALLY: Sept. 23, 5th race, \$1,155. (\$16,977)

Sycamore Hall Thoroughbreds LLC and Ellen Charles—MAJESTIC REASON: Sept. 29, 9th race, \$2,250.

James F. Thames—COLTON'S HORSEPLAY: Sept. 1, 3rd race, \$1,089.

Thornmar Farm LLC—EXPEDITED VISION: Sept. 3, 6th race, \$4,788. SONNY INSPIRED: Sept. 29, 4th race, \$6,750. WORTH HIS SALT: Sept. 15, 6th race, \$825. YOURS TO KEEP: Sept. 30, 1st race, \$3,762. (\$16,125)

Donna Tullner and Stephen Glessner—BOURBON STREAK: Sept. 16, 3rd race, \$1,089. CHEROKEE FIRE: Sept. 28, 6th race, \$3,762. (\$4,851)

Two Legends Farm—SPARTY: Sept. 14, 6th race, \$1,764. TEAM TIM: Sept. 30, 8th race, \$891. (\$2,655)

Two Legends Farm and Sycamore Hall Thoroughbreds—GHOUL'S NIGHT OUT: Sept. 7, 6th race, \$1,485; Sept. 23, 5th race, \$2,205. LOVE'S LEGEND: Sept. 15, 9th race, \$990. (\$4,680)

The University of Maryland—FEARLESS TERP: Sept. 3, 5th race, \$4,617.

Gregory Viands—SENSATIONAL NOTION: Sept. 3, 2nd race, \$1,197.

Dr. Walter Nelson Vieser II—NIGHTMARE: Sept. 28, 5th race, \$1,155.

Robert S. Vukelic—CROUCHELLI: Sept. 8, 10th race \$1,386.

John E. Williamson III and Clover Hill Farm Inc.—TRI TRY COLORS: Sept. 8, 6th race, \$1,089.

Edward N. Williams and Mike Mattese—ABBO: Sept. 8, 1st race, \$6,840.

Donald Clifford Wilson—JUSTA SCOCCH: Sept. 15, 9th race, \$5,130.

Dorothy E. Worton—VINNY GORGEIOUS: Sept. 1, 1st race, \$2,394; Sept. 16, 5th race, \$726. (\$3,120)

Mrs. Frank P. Wright—GRACE ISABELLA: Sept. 28, 4th race, \$726. —MY CHESA CHARM: Sept. 3, 8th race, \$3,762. SARAH'S TREASURE: Sept. 16, 8th race, \$4,788. (\$9,276)

Lana Wright—BE BACK: Sept. 16, 7th race, \$945; Sept. 30, 2nd race, \$1,134. (\$2,079)

Xanthus Farms Inc. and Robert Winters—RELENTLESS LION: Sept. 22, 5th race, \$891.

ZWP Stable and Non Stop Stable—LOOKIN SHARP: Sept. 28, 1st race, \$2,079.

Stallion bonuses

BALTIMORE BOB (Dixie Do Good: Sept. 8, 5th race, \$567): Robert Gerczak.

BANDBOX (Follow the Dog: Sept. 14, 2nd race, \$2,280. He's Not Curly: Sept. 8, 6th race, \$1,881): Bandbox Syndicate—\$4,161.

BULLSBAY (Disco Express: Sept. 2, 2nd race, \$165): Bullsbay Syndicate.

CAL NATION (Tilaka: Sept. 15, 2nd race, \$567. Uncensoredwhodrank: Sept. 2, 8th race, \$1,026): Cal Nation Syndicate—\$1,593.

CHEROKEE'S BOY (Jah Grace: Sept. 29, 1st race, \$165): ZWP Stable.

CUBA (Laki: Sept. 22, 10th race, \$1,000. Love N Kimestry: Sept. 1, 10th race, \$294; Sept. 15, 10th race, \$1,026): J&S Stables LLC—\$2,320.

DANCE WITH RAVENS (Martywiththeparty: Sept. 15, 7th race, \$315): Dance With Ravens Syndicate.

DESPITE THE ODDS (Odds On: Sept. 23, 8th race, \$385): R. Larry Johnson.

ETERNAL STAR (Smile for Eternity: Sept. 22, 3rd race, \$882): Faith Leatherman.

FREEDOM CHILD (Confessor: Sept. 8, 6th race, \$693. Eightyeightmph: Sept. 1, 2nd race, \$198. Glengar: Sept. 16, 3rd race, \$693. Hall Pass: Sept. 15, 1st race, \$363. Sip of Sunshine: Sept. 14, 10th race, \$1,254): Freedom Child Syndicate—\$3,201.

FRIESIAN FIRE (Cherokee Fire: Sept. 28, 6th race, \$1,254. Conquistador Fuego: Sept. 1, 10th race, \$154. Eliav: Sept. 22, 12th race, \$567. Goodluckjohnathan: Sept. 21, 9th race, \$462. Hot Friesia: Sept. 28, 5th race, \$1,995. Howy-aformoney: Sept. 3, 4th race, \$855. Nancy R: Sept. 3, 3rd race, \$315): Friesian Fire Syndicate—\$5,602.

GIACOMO (Weekend Delight: Sept. 8, 12th race, \$363): Giacomo Syndicate.

GREAT NOTION (Gloria's Gal: Sept. 3, 9th race, \$756. Great Country: Sept. 16, 3rd race, \$1,881. Great Nation: Sept. 2, 1st race, \$1,026. Louise: Sept. 9, 2nd race, \$462; Sept. 29, 10th race, \$462. Margie's Money: Sept. 8, 4th race, \$1,995. Onemoregreattime: Sept. 14, 9th race, \$462. Pink Notion: Sept. 2, 5th race, \$735. Railmaster: Sept. 30, 5th race, \$363. Rein Supreme: Sept. 28, 6th race, \$462. Scrap Copper: Sept. 22, 4th race, \$1,000. Sensational Notion: Sept. 3, 2nd race, \$399. Wiggle Room: Sept. 16, 11th race, \$165): Great Notion Syndicate—\$10,168.

HUNTERS BAY (Andthentheresthat: Sept. 15, 5th race, \$462): Stronach Group LP.

LION HEARTED (Stormy Mama: Sept. 2, 4th race, \$165; Sept. 21, 10th race, \$855. Sweethearted: Sept. 8, 4th race, \$385): Lion Hearted Syndicate—\$1,405.

LOUIS QUATORZE (Marie From Parie: Sept. 21, 6th race, \$483): Louis Quatorze Syndicate.

M EIGHTY (Eighty Bucks: Sept. 23, 3rd race, \$242): Tuscan Farm LLC.

NICANOR (Angelinas Star: Sept. 29, 10th race, \$1,254. Bindlor: Sept. 2, 1st race, \$198; Sept. 15, 12th race, \$198. Fearless Terp: Sept. 3, 5th race, \$1,539): Nicanor Syndicate—\$3,189.

NOT FOR LOVE (Be Back: Sept. 16, 7th race, \$315; Sept. 30, 2nd race, \$378. Clubman: Sept. 8, 7th race, \$495; Sept. 16, 4th race, \$945. Fleet Gold Digger: Sept. 1, 5th race, \$525. Lovely Games: Sept. 14, 3rd race, \$242; Sept. 30, 9th race, \$462. Love's Legend: Sept. 15, 9th race, \$330. No More Talk: Sept. 3, 6th race, \$588; Sept. 29, 2nd race, \$2,394): Not For Love Syndicate—\$6,674.

ORIENTATE (Bridgewater: Sept. 7, 4th race, \$588. Chinquapin: Sept. 30, 11th race, \$462. Boot Time: Sept. 8, 9th race, \$378. Sonic Boom E Jet: Sept. 1, 6th race, \$462; Sept. 8, 8th race, \$1,596. Victory Chimes: Sept. 9, 6th race, \$1,995): Orientate Syndicate—\$5,481.

OUTFLANKER (Crouchelli: Sept. 8, 10th race, \$462. Donna's Delight: Sept. 8, 9th race, \$198. Eye of the Wildcat: Sept. 9, 2nd race, \$242. Flankenstein: Sept. 16, 7th race, \$165): Outflanker Syndicate—\$1,067.

PLAN (Brigid's Cross: Sept. 2, 10th race, \$798. I've Gotta Plan: Sept. 9, 7th race, \$1,539): Stronach Group LP.

REDEEMED (Cousin Jimmy: Sept. 30, 5th race, \$1,881. Redeemed Gentleman: Sept. 9, 6th race, \$735. Yours to Keep: Sept. 30, 1st race, \$1,254): Redeemed Syndicate—\$3,870.

SCIOPIN (Star Seed Child: Sept. 28, 7th race, \$297): Scipion Syndicate.

STREET MAGICIAN (A Great Time: Sept. 8, 4th race, \$735. A Rose by Any Name: Sept. 23, 3rd race, \$1,254. Magician'scalendar: Sept. 2, 9th race, \$396. Midnight Cry: Sept. 2, 2nd race, \$855; Sept. 16, 7th race, \$855. Sky Magician: Sept. 15, 1st race, \$693. To Be Honest: Sept. 16, 11th race, \$855. Value Added: Sept. 3, 3rd race, \$855): R. Larry Johnson—\$6,498.

SUPER NINETY NINE (Better Yet: Sept. 9, 1st race, \$1,881): Country Life Farm and Spendthrift.

TRITAP (Belial: Sept. 1, 3rd race, \$1,881; Sept. 14, 8th race, \$882. Miss Philly Dilly: Sept. 16, 2nd race, \$840. My Star Potential: Sept. 2, 5th race, \$1,995. Tri Try Colors: Sept. 8, 6th race, \$363): Tritap Syndicate—\$5,961.



Maryland-bred Bonus Payments

for registered Maryland-breds running in Maryland

Bonuses are paid 45 to 75 days from date of actual race

Purse \$	1st place earns \$	1st place breeder bonus \$	2nd place earns \$	2nd place breeder bonus \$	3rd place earns \$	3rd place breeder bonus \$
14000	7980	2394	2940	882	1540	462
14500	8265	2479.50	3045	913.50	1595	478.50
15000	8550	2565	3150	945	1650	495
15500	8835	2650.50	3255	976.50	1705	511.50
16000	9120	2736	3360	1008	1760	528
16500	9405	2821.50	3465	1039.50	1815	544.50
17000	9690	2907	3570	1071	1870	561
17500	9975	2992.50	3675	1102.50	1925	577.50
18000	10260	3078	3780	1134	1980	594
18500	10545	3163.50	3885	1165.50	2035	610.50
19000	10830	3249	3990	1197	2090	627
19500	11115	3334.50	4095	1228.50	2145	643.50
20000	11400	3420	4200	1260	2200	660
21000	11970	3591	4410	1323	2310	693
22000	12540	3762	4620	1386	2420	726
23000	13110	3933	4830	1449	2530	759
24000	13680	4104	5040	1512	2640	792
25000	14250	4275	5250	1575	2750	825
26000	14820	4446	5460	1638	2860	858
27000	15390	4617	5670	1701	2970	891
28000	15960	4788	5880	1764	3080	924
29000	16530	4959	6090	1827	3190	957
30000	17100	5130	6300	1890	3300	990
31000	17670	5301	6510	1953	3410	1023
32000	18240	5472	6720	2016	3520	1056

Purse \$	1st place earns \$	1st place breeder bonus \$	2nd place earns \$	2nd place breeder bonus \$	3rd place earns \$	3rd place breeder bonus \$
33000	18810	5643	6930	2079	3630	1089
34000	19380	5814	7140	2142	3740	1122
35000	19950	5985	7350	2205	3850	1155
36000	20520	6156	7560	2268	3960	1188
37000	21090	6327	7770	2331	4070	1221
38000	21660	6498	7980	2394	4180	1254
39000	22230	6669	8190	2457	4290	1287
40000	22800	6840	8400	2520	4400	1320
41000	23370	7011	8610	2583	4510	1353
42000	23940	7182	8820	2646	4620	1386
43000	24510	7353	9030	2709	4730	1419
44000	25080	7524	9240	2772	4840	1452
45000	25650	7695	9450	2835	4950	1485
46000	26220	7866	9660	2898	5060	1518
47000	26790	8037	9870	2961	5170	1551
48000	27360	8208	10080	3024	5280	1584
49000	27930	8379	10290	3087	5390	1617
50000	28500	8550	10500	3150	5500	1650
51000	29070	8721	10710	3213	5610	1683
52000	29640	8892	10920	3276	5720	1716
53000	30210	9063	11130	3339	5830	1749
54000	30780	9234	11340	3402	5940	1782
55000	31350	9405	11550	3465	6050	1815
56000	31920	9576	11760	3528	6160	1848
57000	32490	9747	11970	3591	6270	1881

Purses for all overnight races to be divided 57% to the winner, 21% to second, 11% to third, 6% to fourth, 3% to fifth and 2% to sixth, unless otherwise specified in the conditions of the race. Stakes are capped at \$100,000 for Maryland-bred bonuses, and paid at 15% of purse earned for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places. Bonuses paid on stakes exceeding \$100,000 will be calculated on purse distributions of a \$100,000 stakes. In general, purses for stakes races are divided 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 10% to third, 6% to fourth, 3% to fifth and 1% to sixth. Refer to specific conditions of the race.

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Maryland-bred top earners in 2018

(through November 1)

1. Still Having Fun . . . \$406,750	11. Renaissance Rosie . . \$158,693
2. Knicks Go330,515	12. Monte Crista141,410
3. Blamed258,000	13. Fear No Evil134,900
4. Whereshetoldmetogo 231,320	14. Sonny Inspired128,200
5. Lewisfield214,615	15. Mila Jane128,187
6. My Sistersledge186,934	16. Brucia La Terra126,750
7. I'm Betty G177,440	17. Crabcakes124,990
8. Laki166,880	18. O Dionysus121,927
9. Saratoga Bob166,295	19. Jeezum Jim119,273
10. Belfour159,777	20. Our Braintrust116,640

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Maryland Horse.

Maryland's leading sires

Supplied by The Jockey Club Information Services, these statistics compiled on November 1 are for stallions who currently stand or completed their career in Maryland. Lifetime earnings for stallions with at least one starter in 2018. † denotes freshman sire.

Earnings in 2018

	Strs	Starts	Wnrs	Wins	Earnings
Great Notion	94	511	55	94	\$3,260,892
Friesan Fire	99	642	54	85	2,953,901
Not For Love	70	433	37	54	1,481,462
Orientate	63	414	35	56	1,354,617
Street Magician	58	343	24	41	1,219,387
Redeemed	40	250	19	28	911,979
Petionville	50	302	24	27	707,539
Freedom Child	26	153	15	20	685,252
Scipion	30	214	8	12	489,116
Lion Hearted	35	203	15	18	488,119
Outflanker	27	173	11	19	484,551
Despite the Odds	22	156	15	23	459,254
Louis Quatorze	22	135	10	13	457,031
†Tritap	15	52	7	9	361,551
Rock Slide	22	136	9	11	285,581
Buffum	10	42	6	9	281,745

2-year-old earnings in 2018

	Strs	Starts	Wnrs	Wins	Earnings
Friesan Fire	15	45	5	6	\$413,564
†Tritap	15	52	7	9	361,551
Freedom Child	6	27	5	6	209,522
Great Notion	9	23	2	3	198,765
†Bandbox	6	14	3	4	172,902
Buffum	4	16	4	5	134,034
Street Magician	6	21	1	1	118,686
†Super Ninety Nine	10	23	3	3	83,653
Redeemed	4	15	3	3	83,155
Orientate	4	12	2	2	70,198

Earnings lifetime

	Strs	Starts	Wnrs	Wins	Earnings
Not For Love	841	18,819	676	2,800	\$78,255,030
Two Punch	938	18,283	733	2,684	55,240,410
Orientate	664	13,358	517	1,962	46,192,915
Petionville	655	14,068	510	1,893	44,454,972
Louis Quatorze	772	14,770	572	1,945	37,702,173
Lion Hearted	506	9,619	386	1,317	29,706,089
Outflanker	431	9,221	323	1,303	28,727,258
Waquoit	484	11,425	368	1,522	26,927,840
Go for Gin	322	6,203	214	731	19,304,374
Great Notion	237	3,401	183	575	17,892,931
Rock Slide	220	3,793	148	420	10,937,878
Friesan Fire	141	1,936	99	254	7,920,914
Scipion	113	2,419	69	271	6,206,621
Mojave Moon	156	3,106	107	339	5,938,571
Gators N Bears	124	1,894	71	232	5,906,660
Street Magician	90	1,306	62	162	5,001,348

2-year-old earnings lifetime

	Strs	Starts	Wnrs	Wins	Earnings
Not For Love	365	1,164	139	186	\$6,956,746
Two Punch	449	1,447	164	207	5,686,112
Orientate	362	1,135	138	180	5,234,497
Petionville	376	1,164	122	151	4,817,811
Louis Quatorze	337	1,044	104	130	3,497,327
Outflanker	224	900	91	122	3,346,202
Lion Hearted	224	728	81	111	3,085,636
Waquoit	204	694	59	84	2,000,531
Great Notion	87	262	33	48	1,929,870
Friesan Fire	79	243	25	28	1,363,081
Rock Slide	93	298	24	35	1,074,340
Scipion	58	238	25	33	1,025,913

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