



Pedigree PROFILES

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PREAKNESS STAKES CONTENDERS

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Orb will face a small field of would-be spoilers May 18 as he seeks to add the Preakness Stakes (gr. I) to his Kentucky Derby Presented by Yum! Brands (gr. I) score. Nine horses will go to the post to contend for the 138th running of Pimlico's classic, five fewer than the race's 14-contestant maximum. Profiles of the entrants appear in the following pages.

Accompanying each analysis is a four-generation pedigree chart with inbreeding notation. Sire line and female family notes at the end of each profile provide additional depth to the bloodlines analysis.

Two popular pedigree-driven ratings appear in a chart on page 3. Dosage is a system that attempts to predict a horse's aptitude by calculating the influence of prominent sires in his pedigree. TrueNicks, a service owned in part by Blood-Horse Publications, rates the strength of a pedigree's sire/broodmare sire cross, or "nick."

Brisnet.com provides past-performance statistics for all Preakness contenders in the report's final section.

Post positions, morning line odds, and our experts' selections round out the rich array of information contained in this pedigree overview of the 2013 Preakness contestants.

Pedigree Analysts' Picks



Scot T. Gillies

Departing
Orb
Itsmyluckyday



Avalyn Hunter

Orb
Govenor Charlie
Goldencents



Alan Porter

Orb
Oxbow
Will Take Charge



Tom Hall

Orb
Oxbow
Departing



Eric Mitchell

Orb
Oxbow
Will Take Charge



Ian Tapp

Goldencents
Will Take Charge
Orb



Evan Hammonds

Orb
Will Take Charge
Departing



Claire Novak


Orb
Departing
Mylute



Christine Wittmer

Orb
Oxbow
Will Take Charge

138th Preakness Stakes Contenders by the Numbers

Post	Horse	Morning Line Odds		Dosage	DI	CD	Best Performance	Race Record	Earnings
1	Orb	Even	A	11-12-15-0-2	3.21	0.75	G1SW	8-5-0-1	\$2,335,850
2	Goldencents	8-1	A++	1-2-4-1-0	1.67	0.38	G1SW	7-4-1-0	\$1,250,000
3	Titletown Five	30-1	B	2-0-4-0-0	2.00	0.67	G2SP	7-1-2-1	\$87,398
4	Departing	6-1	A++	5-7-14-0-0	2.71	0.07	G3SW	5-4-0-1	\$628,000
5	Mylute	5-1	C+	1-1-4-0-0	2.00	0.50	G2SP	10-2-3-2	\$477,695
6	Oxbow	15-1	A++	6-0-8-0-0	2.50	0.86	G3SW	10-2-1-1	\$383,500
7	Will Take Charge	12-1	A++	6-10-8-0-2	3.33	0.69	G2SW	8-3-1-0	\$545,371
8	Govenor Charlie	12-1	A++	1-2-4-0-1	1.67	0.25	G3SW	3-2-1-0	\$444,800
9	Itsmyluckyday	10-1	C	4-3-7-0-0	3.00	0.79	G3SW	11-5-2-1	\$625,600

DOSAGE: A technique for classifying Thoroughbred pedigrees by type based on aptitudinal characteristics inherited from selected sires, called “chefs-de-race.” The degree of inheritance attributed to each of these “chefs” was essentially constant in all pedigrees, the absolute value (or Dosage figure) varying from sire to sire. “Chefs,” chosen on the basis of their observable prepotence for type, are assigned to one or two of five aptitudinal groups (Brilliant, Intermediate, Classic, Solid, and Professional) covering the spectrum (from left to right as you read the dosage profile) of speed to endurance. The assignments are made to reflect the traits that these stallions predictably and consistently transmit to their offspring. Only one winner of the Kentucky Derby since 1940 (Strike the Gold), and only three winners of the Belmont Stakes over the same time frame (Damascus, Conquistador Cielo, Creme Fraiche) have had a DI above 4.00. This is in direct contrast to stakes winners in general, of which about one-quarter to one-third have a DI greater than 4.00 and for which the average DI is slightly above 4.00.

TRUENICKS: Compatibility of stallions from one male line with mares from other sire lines has shaped the breed since the Eclipse/Herod cross of the late 18th century. Called nicks, these successful crosses have made a profound impact on the development of the Thoroughbred. TrueNicks is a nick rating that utilizes the database of The Jockey Club—the world’s most complete records of Thoroughbreds and their performances—to produce a sophisticated rating based on all foals for a given cross. A TrueNicks rating is derived from two statistical elements: a Sire Improvement Index (SII) and a Broodmare Sire Improvement Index (BSII). Both of them compare the percentage of progeny stakes winners to starters. An SII of 2.0 indicates the sire/sire line has twice the percentage of stakes winners out of mares by the broodmare sire/sire line as he does when bred to all other mares. A BSII of 3.0 indicates the percentage of stakes winners out of a stallion’s daughters when bred to the chosen sire/sire line is 3.0 times as high as the percentage of stakes winners produced by the same mares when bred to all other studs. The TrueNicks rating is then calculated by multiplying the SII by the BSII, effectively recognizing the real opportunity and performance of the given cross. A test group of more than 100,000 horses of racing age revealed the following: While only 13% of the entire Thoroughbred population earn “A” ratings (A to A++), 37% of the stakes winners rate as “A’s;” and horses rated “B” or better (B to A++) represent just 30% of the entire population, yet 3 out of 4 (77%) stakes winners rate “B” or better.

DEPARTING

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Trainer: Albert M. Stall Jr.**Jockey:** Brian Joseph Hernandez Jr.**Owner:** Claiborne Farm and Adele B. Dilschneider**Breeder:** Claiborne Farm & Adele B. Dilschneider (KY)

In this year's Preakness Stakes (gr. I) whose small field consists mainly of Kentucky Derby Presented by Yum! Brands (gr. I) veterans, one sharp newcomer to the classic series has the potential to rain on Orb's Triple Crown parade.

Despite Departing's having qualified to run on the first Saturday in May at Churchill Downs—he earned Road to the Kentucky Derby points when third in the Louisiana Derby (gr. II) in March—the bay gelding's connections opted to bypass the Run for the Roses, with conditioner Al Stall Jr. weighing an attempt at the Preakness on the quality of carryovers from the Derby.

Departing comes to Maryland with impressive credentials. The Kentucky-bred son of War Front won first out in a late December maiden special weight over six furlongs at Fair Grounds, then annexed an allowance/optional claimer covering an extended mile at the same track in February. An easy score in the Texas Heritage Stakes at Sam Houston Race Park in early March completed the career-commencing hat trick and added black type to Departing's résumé. The show effort four weeks later in the Louisiana Derby did not slow the gelding's momentum: He returned after another three weeks to claim the Illinois Derby (gr. III) at Hawthorne.

The Louisiana and Illinois derbies, both contested at nine furlongs, demonstrated Departing's apparent ability to extend his pedigree's miler tendencies. Sire War Front was able to stretch his sprinting speed to 8½ furlongs to win the listed Princelet Stakes as a sophomore, but the Danzig son's best performances were between six and seven furlongs in a series of six graded wins and places as a 4-year-old. In that predilection, War Front was typical of Danzig's offspring.

The lower half of Departing's pedigree is similarly removed from stamina influences. Most of dam Leave's close relatives were sprinters and milers. The mare ran only once, so her preferred distance is unknown, but her full brother Laity was a stakes winner at a mile and a sixteenth who finished his career with a low-level win at 5½ furlongs. Two Arch half siblings to Departing have been best at eight to 8½ furlongs—but then Arch was a grade I winner at 10 furlongs, and Departing does not benefit from Arch's bloodlines. Broodmare sire Pulpit won the Toyota Blue Grass Stakes (gr. II) at nine furlongs but fell short in the Kentucky Derby's additional eighth. Second dam Tour was a stakes winner and several times stakes-placed at sprinting distances.

Perhaps the third-generation influence of Tour's sire Forty Niner, a horse who won the 10-furlong Travers Stakes (gr. I) convincingly and was a close place in the Kentucky Derby, will benefit Departing. Certainly the presence of Belmont Stakes (gr. I) winner A.P. Indy and dual classic winner Northern Dancer in the same remove should give some hope to Departing's ability to make the Preakness' 9½-furlong distance.

Departing's female family traces to his ninth dam, Myrtlewood, the shared matriarch of Seattle Slew (who appears in the fourth generation of Departing's pedigree) and Mr. Prospector (to whom Departing is inbred 5x4x4).—*Scot T. Gillies*

Preakness winners from Departing's female family #13-c: Blue Man (1952) and Seattle Slew (1977). His sire War Front did not compete in the 2005 Triple Crown.

War Front, b, 2002	Danzig, 1977	Northern Dancer, 1961	Nearctic
		Pas de Nom, 1968	Natalma
	Starry Dreamer, 1994	Rubiano, 1987	Admiral's Voyage
		Lara's Star, 1981	Petitioner
Leave, ch, 2004	Pulpit, 1994	A.P. Indy, 1989	Fappiano
		Preach, 1989	Ruby Slippers
	Tour, 1990	Forty Niner, 1985	Forli
		Fun Flight, 1985	True Reality
	Pulpit, 1994	Seattle Slew	Weekend Surprise
		Mr. Prospector	Mr. Prospector
	Tour, 1990	File	Narrate
		Full Pocket	Mr. Prospector
	Tour, 1990	Fun and Tears	File
		Fun and Tears	Full Pocket

GOLDENCENTS

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Trainer: Doug F. O'Neill**Jockey:** Kevin Krigger**Owner:** W.C. Racing, Dave Kenney, and RAP Racing**Breeder:** Rosecrest Farm & Karyn Pirrello (KY)

Prior to the Santa Anita Derby (gr. I) in early April, many people thought Goldencents was unlikely to get the nine-furlong distance. But after a perfect stalking trip, Goldencents had plenty left in the tank to repel the challenge of favored Flashback. Not only did the colt appear to have something to spare as he flashed under the line, but his time of 1:48.76 was the fastest for any of the grade I nine-furlong sophomore preps this year. The easy effort made Goldencents one of the favorites on the first Saturday in May.

Owned by Rick Pitino's RAP Racing, W.C. Racing, and Dave Kenney, Goldencents is from the first crop of Into Mischief, also the sire of Jerome Stakes (gr. II) winner and Wood Memorial Stakes (gr. I) third Vyjack. Third on the freshman sire list last year, Into Mischief continues a branch of the Storm Cat male line extending through his sire, multiple grade I winner Harlan's Holiday, and his grandsire, 1994 Vosburgh Stakes (gr. I) winner Harlan. Into Mischief's half sister, 2012 champion juvenile filly Beholder (Henny Hughes—Leslie's Lady, by Tricky Creek), is a multiple grade I winner in 2013 and runner-up in the Longines Kentucky Oaks (gr. I), so there is no shortage of quality on both sides of his pedigree. Nor is classic success unprecedented in Into Mischief's family; his fourth dam, Last Bird, is also the fourth dam of 2012 dual classic winner I'll Have Another.

Into Mischief himself was a very good juvenile, winning the 2007 CashCall Futurity (gr. I), but was knocked off the Triple Crown trail by a foot injury. He returned in the fall with a win in the seven-furlong Damascus Stakes in a swift 1:20.38 before concluding his career with a runner-up finish in the Malibu Stakes (gr. I) at the same distance. How far he would have stayed had he remained healthy is a matter of speculation, but there is no doubt that he showed plenty of talent as far as he went.

Bred in Kentucky by Rosecrest Farm and Karyn Pirrello, Goldencents is out of Golden Works, a winning daughter of the Forty Niner son Banker's Gold. Forty Niner, runner-up in the 1988 Kentucky Derby (gr. I), went on to win the Travers Stakes (gr. I) before siring the similar winner Coronado's Quest and Editor's Note, winner of the Belmont Stakes (gr. I). Banker's Gold (out of multiple grade I winner Banker's Lady, by Nijinsky II) was not quite as successful as either but won the 1997 Peter Pan Stakes and 1998

Tom Fool Handicap (both gr. II) and was second in the 1998 Carter and Metropolitan handicaps (both gr. I). A disappointing sire, he was exported to Cyprus in 2008, where he died during his initial season.

Golden Works is out of Body Works, a daughter of perennial Canadian leading sire Bold Ruckus who notched 13 stakes wins during her five seasons of racing. While the class of the races she won was not high—only two of the stakes she won qualified as black-type events—she was consistent, durable, and versatile, winning over distances from four to nine furlongs. Neither her dam, Kinto (by Kinsman Hope, a multiple stakes winner by the popular Midwestern campaigner Swoon's Son), nor her granddam, Where To (by 1961 Canadian Horse of the Year Hidden Treasure, a son of 1953 Kentucky Derby winner Dark Star), had much to recommend them on race record or pedigree, but her great-granddam Doily (by 1951 Derby Italiano winner Daumier) was also the granddam of 1983 Kentucky Derby winner Sunny's Halo.

For a \$5,500 yearling, Goldencents has already come a long way. A poor trip May 4, resulting in a 17th-place Derby finish, left unanswered the question whether he can stretch out over the added length of the American classics. The key to the Preakness Stakes (gr. I) probably will be the trip he gets and how well he tolerated the inevitable hoopla surrounding the Derby. If he can remain relaxed and secure a good stalking position early without using too much energy, he may well be in the thick of things coming down the stretch.—*Avalyn Hunter*

Preakness winners from Goldencents' female family #4-m: Harold (1879), Faultless (1947), Timber Country (1995), and Bernardini (2006). His sire Into Mischief did not compete in the 2008 Triple Crown.

Into Mischief, b, 2005	Harlan's Holiday, 1999	Harlan, 1989	Storm Cat
			Country Romance
		Christmas in Aiken, 1992	Affirmed
			Dowager
GOLDENCENTS	Leslie's Lady, 1996	Tricky Creek, 1986	Clever Trick
			Battle Creek Girl
		Crystal Lady, 1990	Stop the Music
Golden Works, b, 2000	Banker's Gold, 1994		One Last Bird
		Forty Niner, 1985	Mr. Prospector
			File
		Banker's Lady, 1985	Nijinsky II
			Impetuous Gal
	Body Works, 1989	Bold Ruckus, 1976	Boldnesian
			Raise a Ruckus
Kinto, 1980		Kinsman Hope	
		Where To	

GOVENOR CHARLIE

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Trainer: Bob Baffert

Jockey: Martin Garcia

Owner: Michael E. Pegram

Breeder: Michael E. Pegram (KY)



In mid-April 14 years ago, Silverbulletday followed up a dominant win in the Kentucky Oaks (gr. I) with an easy score in the Black-Eyed Susan Stakes (gr. II). This year, on the third Saturday in May, her grandson Govenor Charlie has a chance to add to her amazing legacy. When grade I winner Silverbulletday, 1998 champion 2-year-old filly, 1999 champion 3-year-old filly, and earner of \$3,093,207, was retired, the general assumption was that she would be just as successful in her new career as a broodmare. However, her best offspring

to date is stakes-placed Tice, who earned \$177,405 in 42 starts. But her grandchildren seem poised to uphold the family name, as two of Silverbulletday's daughters already have produced graded stakes winners.

On Feb. 17, Shakin It Up, a son of Silverbulletday's Vindication daughter Silver Bullet Moon, won the San Vicente Stakes (gr. II) at Santa Anita Park. That same day on the same track, Govenor Charlie, a son of Silverbulletday's Storm Cat daughter Silverbulletway, broke his maiden in a mile race. Both colts are homebreds for Mike Pegram, who also raced Silverbulletday, and are conditioned by her trainer Bob Baffert. The next start for both came March 24 in the 1½-mile Sunland Derby (gr. III). Shakin It Up finished fourth and Govenor Charlie won the race by five lengths, setting a track record of 1:47.54. It was just his third start, but this victory earned Govenor Charlie 50 points in the Road to the Kentucky Derby system to secure a starting position in the 2013 Kentucky Derby Presented by Yum! Brands (gr. I).

Govenor Charlie is the second stakes winner for his dam Silverbulletway, who previously produced Crisis of Spirit, winner of the Anoakia Stakes. Crisis of Spirit earned \$132,611 in 14 starts.

Govenor Charlie is a member of the first crop of Midnight Lute, who was also raced by Pegram, in partnership with Karl Watson and Paul Weitman, and trained by Baffert. Midnight Lute earned \$2,690,600 in his career, including back-to-back wins in the Breeders' Cup Sprint (gr. I), and was named 2007 champion sprinter. Although a sprint champion may seem an unlikely source to sire a Kentucky Derby winner, his distance limitations were said by his connections to be caused by throat problems, not ability. He finished second in the 1½-mile San Fernando Breeders' Cup Stakes and fourth in the 1½-mile Strub Stakes (both gr. II). Midnight Lute is by 1998 Kentucky Derby and Preakness (gr. I) winner Real Quiet, who was also second in the Belmont Stakes (gr. I) by a nose. Real Quiet's offspring have an average winning distance of 7.36 furlongs. Another source of stamina for Govenor Charlie is his second dam, the already mentioned Silverbulletday, as she excelled in two-turn races, including a win in the 1¼-mile Alabama Stakes (gr. I).

Midnight Lute has sired 23 winners and four stakes winners with just one crop to run (he has had no current 2-year-old starters as of May 14). In addition to Govenor Charlie and Shakin It Up, he is the sire of Midnight Ballet, winner of the 1½-mile Sharp Cat Stakes in 2012, and Midnight Lucky, who won the 1½-mile Sunland Park Oaks the same day as Govenor Charlie's win in the Sunland Derby. Midnight Lucky contested the Kentucky Oaks and finished fifth. Midnight Lute is also the sire of grade II-placed Mylute, who finished fifth in the Kentucky Derby, and who will join Govenor Charlie in the starting gate at Pimlico.—*Christine Wittmer*

Preakness winners from Govenor Charlie's female family #1-c: High Quest (1934). His sire Midnight Lute did not compete in the 2006 Triple Crown.

Midnight Lute, dkb/br, 2003	Real Quiet, 1995	Quiet American, 1986	Fappiano
		Really Blue, 1983	Demure
	Candytuft, 1996	Dehere, 1991	Believe It
			Meadow Blue
GOVENOR CHARLIE		Deputy Minister	Sister Dot
		Blue Times	Berkut
Silverbulletway, dkb/br, 2003	Storm Cat, 1983	Storm Bird, 1978	Northern Dancer
			South Ocean
	Silverbulletday, 1996	Terlingua, 1976	Secretariat
			Crimson Saint
		Silver Deputy, 1985	Deputy Minister
			Silver Valley
	Rokeby Rose, 1977	Tom Rolfe	
		Rokeby Venus	
Inbreeding: 4SX4D Deputy Minister.			

ITSMYLUCKYDAY

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Trainer: Edward Plesa Jr.**Jockey:** John Velazquez**Owner:** Trilogy Stable and Laurie Plesa**Breeder:** Liberation Farm & Brandywine Farm (KY)

Bred in Kentucky by Liberation Farm & Brandywine Farm, Itsmyluckyday is by the late Lawyer Ron, the champion older male of 2007. A son of 1996 Canadian champion sprinter Langfuhr (by Danzig) out of the Lord Avie mare Donation, Lawyer Ron earned his title with a consistent 4-year-old campaign that saw him out of the money only once in eight starts. His biggest victories were both at Saratoga, where he won the Whitney Handicap and Woodward Stakes (both gr. I) back-to-back, setting a track record for nine furlongs in the former. He followed up those performances by finishing a neck behind eventual Horse of the Year Curlin in the Jockey Club Gold Cup (gr. I).

Retired after an unplaced performance in the slop of the 2007 Breeders' Cup Classic Powered by Dodge (gr. I), Lawyer Ron stood just two seasons at Stonewall Farm Stallions near Versailles, Ky., before being euthanized due to complications of colic. During that time he sired 146 named foals, of which 61 have won and eight have won stakes to date. Those statistics should improve, given that his final crop are 3-year-olds of 2013. His best other than Itsmyluckyday have been Drill, winner of the 2011 Del Mar Futurity (gr. I), and Stealcase, winner of the 2012 Ontario Derby (Can-III).

On the distaff side Itsmyluckyday traces to the highly inbred Dorothy Gray, who was sired by Hamburg (a son of Lady Reel, a half sister to the great runner and sire Domino) out of Domino's full sister Mannie Himyar. Dorothy Gray was, thus, inbred 3x2 to Domino's dam Mannie Gray. She was also linebred 5x5x6x6x4x5x5 to Lexington.

Dorothy Gray produced the 1919 Adirondack Handicap winner Graysian (by Hessian), but neither she nor her daughters produced anything else of stakes caliber. After two generations of outcrosses to imported sires, Dorothy Gray's granddaughter Mirthful (by North Star III) was bred to the Domino-line stallion Bunting, whose second dam was sired by Hamburg. The result was Miss Bunting, a multiple stakes winner and better broodmare, whose three stakes winners included the back-to-back Futurity Stakes winners Occupation (1942) and Occupy (1943).

All of Miss Bunting's stakes winners were sired by Bull Dog, whose sire Teddy had crossed fruitfully with Domino blood via his daughter La Troienne. Bull Dog was also the sire of Miss Bunting's winning daughter Draeh. While she produced the stakes winner Nevada P. J. (by Prince John), Draeh made a more significant contribution to the breed via her daughter Happy Go Fleet (by Count Fleet), dam of the good racer and sire Fleet Nasrullah. Perhaps not coincidentally, Happy Go Fleet added an extra strain of Domino's family to the buildup passed through her dam via Count Fleet's maternal grandsire Haste, a grandson of Domino's speedy full sister Correction.

Draego, who was closely related to Happy Go Fleet as she was by Count Fleet's full brother Count Speed out of Draeh, proved a solid allowance-class runner but spent most of her broodmare career being mated to indifferent stallions. The results were predictable, but she did produce one good runner, multiple grade III winner Viva La Vivi, to the cover of 1954 Arlington Futurity winner Royal Note, a horse linebred 6x6x5 to Domino.

As with most of the good runners produced from her female line, Viva La Vivi's stock in trade was speed, and this proved predominant when she produced her daughter Viva Sec to the cover of Secretariat. A multiple stakes winner over sprint distances, Viva Sec also placed in two grade III events before a rather frustrating broodmare career in which she produced five stakes-placed runners from her first six named foals without ever

throwing a stakes winner. Her unraced daughter Viva La Viva (by Crafty Prospector) has fared better in the paddocks, producing the stakes-winning More Than Ready mare Ready to Live and multiple Mexican stakes winner Medaglia d'Orizaba (by Medaglia d'Oro) as well as stakes-placed Viva La Slew (by Doneraile Court), dam of Itsmyluckyday.

Like many other colts on this year's Triple Crown trail, Itsmyluckyday has a pedigree that is ambiguous at best as to his prospects for getting classic distances—and a 15th-place finish May 4 in the Kentucky Derby Presented by Yum! Brands (gr. I) didn't bolster his case, regardless of the traffic he experienced in the 19-horse field.

After proving himself in stakes company from five furlongs to an extended mile at 2, Itsmyluckyday started out 2013 with a commanding win Jan. 1 in the mile Gulfstream Park Derby and followed up 25 days later with another easy score in the half-furlong longer Holy Bull Stakes (gr. III). With back-to-back impressive performances under his belt, Itsmyluckyday looked like a colt with good prospects for the classics ahead of him, making owners Trilogy Stable and Laurie Plesa (wife of the colt's trainer, Eddie Plesa Jr.) very happy.

While his sire, Lawyer Ron, stayed well enough to give Curlin a real battle in the 10-furlong Jockey Club Gold Cup, he was a free-running sort who was probably better at nine furlongs than 10. Like Lawyer Ron, Itsmyluckyday put in a good performance in a nine-furlong Derby prep; the Triple Crown hopeful handled the distance well enough to take second March 30 in the Besilu Stables Florida Derby (gr. I). As already noted, the female line of Itsmyluckyday leans toward speed rather than stamina, and this may or may not have been helped by the cross to the Seattle Slew horse Doneraile Court. While Doneraile Court's pedigree certainly suggested the ability to stay at least intermediate if not classic distances, both of his graded stakes wins were at a mile. The sire of Viva La Viva, Crafty Prospector, actually stayed better than many realize, missing by just a neck to the excellent staying filly Christmas Past in the 10-furlong Gulfstream Park Handicap (gr. I), but was known mostly as a sire of sprinters and milers. Secretariat stayed very well, of course, but the career of his daughter Viva Sec does not suggest that his stamina got passed on.

In fact, Itsmyluckyday appears to be very much his father's son: a horse with a high cruising speed that he can maintain nicely once in his rhythm. But unless he has his sire's stamina and perhaps a bit more, his ability to get distances longer than those he already has conquered may depend heavily on the trip he gets—and racing luck on the Triple Crown trail is not always kind.—Avalyn Hunter

Prekniness winners from Itsmyluckyday's female family #23-b: Bryn Mawr (1904), Tim Tam (1958), Affirmed (1978), and I'll Have Another (2012). His sire Lawyer Ron finished 12th in the 2006 Kentucky Derby.

Lawyer Ron, ch, 2003	Langfuhr, 1992	Danzig, 1977	Northern Dancer	
			Pas de Nom	
		Sweet Briar Too, 1986	Briartic	Prima Babu Gum
	Donation, 1995	Lord Avie, 1978	Lord Gaylord	Avie
		Reddy Change, 1985	Mr. Redoy	Coin Changer
ITSMYLUCKYDAY			Bold Reasoning	
	Doneraile Court, 1996	Seattle Slew, 1974	My Charmer	
		Sophisticated Girl, 1980	Stop the Music	
Viva La Slew, dkb/br, 2005			Close Control	
			Mr. Prospector	
	Viva La Viva, 1998	Crafty Prospector, 1979	Real Crafty Lady	
			Secretariat	
		Viva Sec, 1978	Viva La Vivi	

MYLUTE

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Trainer: Thomas M. Amoss**Jockey:** Rosie Napravnik**Owner:** GoldMark Farm and Whisper Hill Farm**Breeder:** Mike G. Rutherford (KY)

Although he has yet to win a black-type event, Mylute gave a real scare to the Kentucky Derby Presented by Yum! Brands (gr. I) third Revolutionary, running that horse to a hard-fought neck in the Louisiana Derby (gr. II). A neck also separated Mylute from a victory in the Prairie Gold Juvenile Stakes, a race he attempted on his second start, while still a maiden. The gray got off the mark at Arlington Park on his third start, then ran fifth in the Arlington-Washington Futurity (gr. III), second in the Jean Lafitte Stakes, and third in the Delta Downs Jackpot Stakes (gr. III). He ended his juvenile campaign with a nearly 11-length blowout in a December allowance/optional claiming contest at Fair Grounds Race Course & Slots but faded to seventh behind upset winner Ive Struck a Nerve in the Risen Star Stakes (gr. II), his only other 2013 outing prior to the Derby. In the first classic Mylute was steadied early and made good progress in the stretch before flattening slightly to finish fifth.

Mylute is a member of the first crop of Midnight Lute, a champion sprinter and twice winner of the Breeders' Cup Sprint (gr. I). By Real Quiet—who took the Kentucky Derby and Preakness Stakes (gr. I) and was only denied the Triple Crown by a photo-finish—from a stamina imbued family, Midnight Lute was bred to run considerably farther than sprint distances but was prevented from doing so by a wind problem. Perhaps not surprisingly, as a stallion he seems to be throwing more to his pedigree than his race record. He already has four stakes winners to his name, the trio to gain their black-type scores in 2013 being the San Vicente Stakes (gr. II) captor Shakin It Up; Govenor Charlie, who scored an impressive win in the Sunland Derby (gr. III) and, after skipping the Kentucky Derby, resumes with a tilt at the Preakness Stakes; and Midnight Lucky, who came in a disappointing fifth in the Kentucky Oaks (gr. I) after her record-breaking win in the Sunland Park Oaks.

A \$150,000 Fasig-Tipton July yearling purchase, Mylute is out of Stage Stop, a daughter of Valid Expectations who captured the M2 Technology La Senorita Stakes at Retama Park, and whose only other foal of racing age is the Sapling Stakes (gr. III) scorer She Digs Me. Mylute's granddam, Winning Move, a daughter of Kentucky Derby hero Strike the Gold, is a half sister to Addy's Appeal (by Proud Appeal, a son of Stage Stop's grand sire, Valid Appeal), who won the New York Stallion Stakes. The fourth dam, Chris' Venture, is a stakes-placed daughter of champion turf horse Hawaii, out of Lido Belle, a Ribot half sister to Pontivy, the sixth dam of I'll Have Another, last year's dual classic winner and champion 3-year-old.

Mylute is a product of the cross of Quiet American-line stallions over In Reality-line mares that previously produced Midnight Lute's own sire, Real Quiet. By extension, it is also the successful Fappiano/In Reality combination that doubles Rough'n Tumble through his best son (Dr. Fager, the broodmare sire of Fappiano) and his best daughter (champion 2-year-old filly My Dear Girl, the dam of In Reality). Real Quiet is a Mr. Prospector (Raise a Native)/In Reality cross, and his dam is a reverse of this cross. Stage Stop is an In Reality/Raise a Native cross, with the Raise a Native strain coming through Alydar, a horse bred similarly to Mr. Prospector.—Alan Porter

Preakness winners from Mylute's female family #23-b: Bryn Mawr (1904), Tim Tam (1958), Affirmed (1978), and I'll Have Another (2012). His sire Midnight Lute did not compete in the 2006 Triple Crown.

Midnight Lute, dkb/br, 2003	Real Quiet, 1995	Quiet American, 1986	Fappiano
		Really Blue, 1983	Demure
	Candytuft, 1996	Dehere, 1991	Believe It
		Bolt From the Blue, 1980	Meadow Blue
MYLUTE	Valid Expectations, 1993	Valid Appeal, 1972	Deputy Minister
		Mepache, 1981	Sister Dot
	Winning Move, 1995	Strike the Gold, 1988	Blue Times
		Addy's Venture, 1980	Berkut
	Stage Stop, gr/ro, 2004		In Reality
			Desert Trial
			Iron Constitution
			Nowmepache
Stage Stop, gr/ro, 2004	Winning Move, 1995	Strike the Gold, 1988	Alydar
		Addy's Venture, 1980	Majestic Gold
	Valid Expectations, 1993	Valid Appeal, 1972	Al Hattab
		Mepache, 1981	Chris' Venture

ORB

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Trainer: Claude R. McGaughey III**Jockey:** Joel Rosario**Owner:** Stuart S. Janney III and Phipps Stable**Breeder:** Stuart S. Janney III and Phipps Stable (KY)

Gladys Mills (Mrs. Henry Carnegie) Phipps began the Phipps family's career in Thoroughbred racing in 1926 by purchasing five yearlings from H.P. Whitney. In the nearly nine decades since, the Phipps family has won just about every important race on the American racing calendar. Every race except the most coveted of all.

Thus, it is both ironic and exceptionally fitting that the Phipps family's 87-year quest for a Kentucky Derby victory finally ended with a descendant of another purchase from Whitney two years later. Orb, winner of the 139th Kentucky Derby Presented by Yum! Brands (gr. I), is a seventh-generation descendant of 1930 Gazelle Stakes winner Erin, by Transmute, a Whitney-bred purchased privately for the Wheatley Stable of Gladys Phipps and her brother Ogden Mills in 1928.

Erin produced 1940 Pimlico Futurity winner Bold Irishman, by Sir Gallahad III, and two other stakes winners for Wheatley Stable, as well as stakes-placed Bransome, by Royal Minstrel, granddam of 1954 champion 2-year-old filly High Voltage, by Ambiorix. High Voltage, in turn, produced 1966 champion sprinter Impressive, by Court Martial, and is the granddam of top-class racehorse and important sire Majestic Light.

The branch of Erin's family descending from her daughter Bold Irish, by Fighting Fox, has provided much of the racing and breeding success for the breeding operation founded by Gladys Phipps' daughter Barbara and son-in-law Stuart Janney Jr. Bold Irish is listed as being bred by A.B. Hancock Sr., owner of Claiborne Farm, where the Phipps family has boarded its mares for generations, but she raced for Wheatley Stable. She did not race very willingly, doing her best to avoid competing by bolting to the outside rail or bearing out as often as not. Racing Hall of Fame trainer James E. "Sunny Jim" Fitzsimmons managed to cajole two victories from 20 starts out of Bold Irish, but she proved far more reliable as a broodmare. Her son, The Irishman, was close to top class, winning the 1959 Sysonby Handicap, then equivalent to a grade I race.

Mrs. Phipps passed Bold Irish on to the Janneys, who bred Maryland stakes winner Knocklofty, by Parnassus, and the stakes-placed filly Shenanigans, by Native Dancer. Shenanigans' immortal daughter Ruffian, by Phipps-bred Reviewer, first brought the Janney name to national prominence. Winner of the first 10 of her 11 starts, Ruffian is still widely regarded as the greatest filly ever to race in the U.S. Shenanigans also produced the high-class but temperamental

colt Icecapade, by Nearctic, whose male line still persists through his son Wild Again. Shenanigans produced another colt of similar ability in grade II winner Buckfinder, by Buckpasser.

Ruffian's half sister Laughter, by Reviewer's sire Bold Ruler, won four of 12 starts and proved an exceptional broodmare, producing five stakes winners. Best of those was Wood Memorial Invitational Stakes (gr. I) winner Private Terms, by Phipps-bred Private Account, who was the favorite for the 1988 Kentucky Derby but finished ninth. Laughter's second-best son, Blue Ensign, won the 1980 Woodlawn Stakes (gr. III). Laughter's best daughter Steel Maiden, by Damascus, produced 1996 Black-Eyed Susan Stakes (gr. II) winner Mesabi Maiden, by Cox's Ridge, who is the first member of the female line listed as being bred by the partnership between Barbara Janney's son Stuart Janney III and her brother Ogden Phipps.

The Janneys retained full ownership of Steel Maiden's unraced full sister Laughing Look, dam of the top-class colt Coronado's Quest, by Forty Niner, and two other stakes winners. Orb's trainer Shug McGaughey declined to run Coronado's Quest in the 1998 Kentucky Derby despite the colt's victory in the Wood Memorial Stakes because of his volatile temperament. Coronado's Quest rewarded his connections with four more victories in succession, including the Buick Haskell Invitational Handicap and Travers Stakes (both gr. I).

Despite this litany of success that had preceded her to the breeding shed, Mesabi Maiden produced only two winners from seven named foals, and none of her daughters had performed any memorable feats before Orb revealed his potential at Gulfstream Park last winter. Orb's dam Lady Liberty, by Unbridled, is easily the most accomplished of Mesabi Maiden's foals, having won four of 23 starts and earning \$202,045. Orb is Lady Liberty's fourth foal and second winner, following Cause of Freedom, an Alphabet Soup gelding who won three of 17 starts. After slipping foals by Dixie Union in 2011 and War Front in 2012, Lady Liberty produced a colt by A.P. Indy's son Flatter Feb. 10. On the recommendation of Claiborne Farm's Seth Hancock, she has been bred back to Malibu Moon.

The race record of Orb's sire Malibu Moon is even less impressive than that of Liberty Lady, but his pedigree is almost as distinguished, and his record at stud has been far more in sync with his patrician heritage. Bred in Kentucky by B. Wayne Hughes, Malibu Moon raced only twice. Far more precocious than most sons of A.P. Indy, he started as the 9-10 favorite for a 4½-furlong maiden race April 30, 1999, at Hollywood Park but was bumped at the start and closed late, finishing second, beaten 1¼ lengths. Favored again for his second start at five furlongs a month later, he rallied to win by 1½ lengths in :57.41. He emerged from that second start with a fractured knee and could not race again.

While such precocity was unusual for a son of A.P. Indy, it was entirely in character both for his broodmare sire Mr. Prospector and for his speedy, precocious female family. The best son of 1977 Triple Crown winner and Horse of the Year Seattle Slew, A.P. Indy was already well on his way to dual North American sire championships by the time Malibu Moon arrived in his fourth crop, and much of his early success had come from alliances with Mr. Prospector mares. The two best members of his first crop, grade I winner Tomisue's Delight and grade II winner and subsequent top sire Pulpit, were out of Mr. Prospector mares, and A.P. Indy subsequently sired Horse of the Year Mineshaft, champion juvenile filly Tempera, grade I winners Girolamo and Little Belle, and outstanding sire Congrats from the same cross.

Malibu Moon was the first foal out of Macoumba, a high-class filly from a family that blossomed upon its transition from America to Europe in the 1970s. Bred in Kentucky by Freddy Head's Janus Bloodstock, Macoumba raced for the Head family's longtime allies Haras d'Etreham.

Trained by Head's sister Crikette Head, Macoumba won both her starts at 2, including a narrow victory in the 1994 Prix Marcel Boussac Criterium des Pouliches (Fr-I). She maintained her unbeaten record with another narrow win in the Prix Imprudence the following spring but was well beaten in the Madagans One Thousand Guineas (Eng-I). Macoumba finished last in her only two subsequent starts, emerging from the Prix d'Astarte (Fr-II) with a fractured foot and was sold

privately to Hughes.

Macoumba's precocity and ability were entirely commensurate with the recent history of her family. Her half brother, Septieme Ciel, by Seattle Slew, was a high-class miler who captured the 1990 Prix de la Foret (Fr-I). Another half brother, the Blushing Groom gelding Maxigroom, won two grade IIIs in the U.S., while half sisters Balchaia, by Blushing Groom, and Manureva, by Nureyev, were stakes winners. Manureva is the dam of Atto Mile Stakes (Can-IT) winner Riviera. Macoumba's dam Maximova, by Green Dancer, was both more talented and tougher than her daughter, winning the Prix de la Salamandre (Fr-I) at 2 and placing in both the Poule d'Essai des Pouliches (French One Thousand Guineas, Fr-I) and Goffs Irish One Thousand Guineas (Ire-I) at 3. Maximova was a half sister to group winners Vilikaia, by Nureyev, granddam of 2011 Nearctic Stakes (Can-IT) and Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint (gr. IIT) winner Regally Ready, by More Than Ready.

Their dam, Baracala, by Swaps, was a minor winner in France, but a half sister to Nonoalco, the second-best son of Northern Dancer's sire Nearctic, who added the 1974 Two Thousand Guineas (Eng-I) to his 1973 French 2-year-old championship. The family descends from the good stayer Cinq a Sept, imported by Marshall Field in the late 1920s. She is also the fifth dam of Secretariat.

Malibu Moon's race record was not good enough for Kentucky, but his pedigree was good enough for anywhere else, and the Pons family of Country Life Farm in Maryland bought a half interest in the A.P. Indy colt and retired him to stud in 2000 at a fee of \$3,000. Malibu Moon scored immediate success with seven stakes winners from 61 foals in his first crop, led by 2003 Best Pal Stakes (gr. II) winner Perfect Moon. That success motivated the Castleton Lyons Stud to purchase an interest in Malibu Moon before the 2004 breeding season and to install him as the first stallion at their farm near Lexington. Malibu Moon moved to his breeders' Spendthrift Farm in 2008 and now stands for \$70,000.

Malibu Moon's second-crop gelded son Declan's Moon confirmed the wisdom of that move by earning an Eclipse Award as champion 2-year-old male that year. With the better mares available in Kentucky, Malibu Moon has gone from strength to strength, siring 68 stakes winners from 914 foals age 3 and up (7%), including nine grade I winners. Until Orb came along, however, all of his grade I winners except Declan's Moon had been females.

Orb is inbred 3x4 to Mr. Prospector, with additional duplications of Bold Ruler, Swaps, Native Dancer, Buckpasser, and Nasrullah within his first six generations for an inbreeding coefficient of 2.34%. Orb is the 18th stakes winner and fourth grade I winner by Malibu Moon inbred to Mr. Prospector.

Orb's pedigree is a testament and a memorial to the persistence and dedication to quality of the Phipps family's breeding operation for more than 80 years.—*John P. Sparkman*

Preakness winners from Orb's female family #8-c: Pine Bluff (1992). His sire Malibu Moon did not compete in the 2000 Triple Crown.

Malibu Moon, b, 1997	A.P. Indy, 1989	Seattle Slew, 1974	Bold Reasoning
			My Charmer
		Weekend Surprise, 1980	Secretariat
			Lassie Dear
ORB	Macoumba, 1992	Mr. Prospector, 1970	Raise a Native
			Gold Digger
		Maximova, 1980	Green Dancer
			Baracala
Lady Liberty, b, 1999	Unbridled, 1987	Fappiano, 1977	Mr. Prospector
			Killaloe
		Gana Facil, 1981	Le Fabuleux
			Charedi
	Mesabi Maiden, 1993	Cox's Ridge, 1974	Best Turn
			Our Martha
Steel Maiden, 1983		Damascus	
		Laughter	
Inbreeding: 3sX4D Mr. Prospector.			

OXBOW

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Trainer: D. Wayne Lukas

Jockey: Gary Stevens

Owner: Calumet Farm

Breeder: Colts Neck Stables (KY)



Oxbow gave notice that he was a 3-year-old of serious potential when powering away from the highly rated Golden Soul—subsequently runner-up in the Kentucky Derby

Presented by Yum! Brands (gr. I)—to score an 11½-length victory Jan. 19 in the Lecomte Stakes (gr. III) at Fair Grounds. Oxbow came a long way from his first outing, which saw him start at 22-1 for a Saratoga maiden special weight in August, then finish by being vanned off after failing to complete the course. Whatever ailed Oxbow there cannot have been serious, as he returned to action in mid-October, taking fourth in a seven-furlong maiden on Keeneland's all-weather surface. Less than two weeks later he was back to take third in a maiden over the same trip at Churchill Downs. Returning off a three-week break, Oxbow delivered an improved effort to lead throughout in a seven-furlong main track allowance race under the Twin Spires, scoring by four lengths. Shipped west for the CashCall Futurity (gr. I), Oxbow turned in a respectable stakes debut, checking in fourth behind Violence, a colt widely discussed in the run-up to this year's classics. The Lecomte was the bay colt's first start of 2013. Subsequent outings in February, March, and April were less impressive, but still showed Oxbow competitive with top sophomores: after a fourth-place effort Feb. 23 in the Risen Star Stakes (gr. II), Oxbow returned to form and narrowly missed a victory March 16 in the Rebel Stakes (gr. II), instead settling for second behind a determined Will Take Charge. Oxbow's final Derby prep saw him finish fifth, five lengths behind the leaders, in the Arkansas Derby (gr. I). On the first Saturday in May he briefly raised hopes of giving Gary Stevens a fourth Derby victory, challenging for the lead a quarter mile from home before fading to sixth.

Should Oxbow capture a Triple Crown event, he will reclaim a little compensation for the narrow defeat of his close relative Paynter in last year's Belmont Stakes (gr. I). The offspring of full sisters, both Paynter and Oxbow are by the Deputy Minister horse Awesome Again, who was unraced at 2 but progressed quickly enough to take the Canadian classic Queen's Plate and the Jim Dandy Stakes (gr. II) at 3. As a 4-year-old, Awesome Again was arguably the best horse in the country—many believe he deserved the champion older horse and Horse of the Year titles that went to Skip Away in 1998—going 6-for-6, with five of his wins in graded stakes, culminating in a Breeders' Cup Classic (gr. I) victory over Silver Charm, Swain, Victory Gallop, Coronado's Quest, Skip Away, Running Stag, Touch Gold, Arch, and Gentlemen, possibly the best field ever to face the starter in that event. Although Awesome Again has not yet been represented by a winner of one of the U.S. Triple Crown events, he's been a highly successful sire who counts a dozen grade I scorers among his 52 stakes winners, among them Ghostzapper, possibly the best horse to race in the U.S. in the current century; champion older mare Ginger Punch; Paynter; Awesome Gem; Game On Dude; Wilko; Round Pond; Toccet; Spun Sugar; Daaher; Dubai Escapade; and Sugar Shake.

A \$250,000 Keeneland yearling, Oxbow was bred by Colts Neck Stables from Tizamazing, a daughter of Cee's Tizzy. Tizamazing's other two racing-aged foals are both winners, and include Oxbow's brother Awesome Patriot, winner of the Alydar Stakes and also third in the Hollywood Prevue Stakes (gr. III). Tizamazing was unraced but she is

a sister to no fewer than four stakes winners, three of them graded. The most decorated of the siblings is Tiznow: Horse of the Year and multiple champion, still the only two-time winner of the Breeders' Cup Classic, and now a major sire. The other stakes-winning siblings to Tizamazing are Budroyale, who captured five graded stakes and took second in the Classic; the Sorrento Stakes (gr. II) victress Tizdubai; and Tizbud, who took the California Cup Classic Handicap and was graded-placed. Tizso, another sister to Tizamazing, failed to place in two starts but has more than made up for the omission as a broodmare. She is the dam of three stakes winners, including the graded scorer Tiz West and—more pertinent to the discussion regarding Oxbow—the Awesome Again colt Paynter.

Paynter made his first appearance in public in February 2012. His debut came in a 5½-furlong maiden special weight Feb. 18 at Santa Anita, and he immediately became a "talking horse," scoring by 4¼ lengths in 1:02.98. Tackling the Santa Anita Derby (gr. I) on only his second start, Paynter was fourth, beaten 3¾ lengths by subsequent dual classic winner and champion 3-year-old colt I'll Have Another. Paynter's next effort was a second in The Cliff's Edge Derby Trial Stakes (gr. III), in which he fell short by 1½ lengths at the wire. Sidestepping the first two legs of the Triple Crown, Paynter scored a 5¼-length win in an allowance at Pimlico on the Preakness undercard, earning his place in the Belmont Stakes line-up. He made a bold bid to annex the third leg of the Triple Crown, taking command from the start and only yielding to Union Rags—who had been allowed to sneak through on Paynter's inside—in the final stride. Paynter's only other start saw him record a dominating victory in the Haskell Invitational Stakes (gr. I), an effort that earned him a rating as the third leading 3-year-old dirt performer of 2012, behind only I'll Have Another and Bodemeister. Paynter subsequently suffered a life-threatening illness, his recovery from which earned an Eclipse Award for Moment of the Year, and he is now back in training with Bob Baffert in California.

Cee's Song, the second dam of Oxbow and Paynter, is a winning half sister to stakes winners Ceetoit (by Tizamazing and Tizso's sire Cee's Tizzy) and Leery Baba (subsequently granddam of graded scorer Bridge Game). Oxbow's third dam, Lonely Dancer, is a winning half sister to Quantra (winner of the Maple Leaf Stakes) and stakes winner Mr. Kapacity. She was out of Sleep Lonely, a winning half sister to stakes winner Swinging Lizzie (dam of grade I winners Swing Till Dawn and Lively One) and to Snow Bower (granddam of English champion 2-year-old Digression, a son of Seattle Slew, the grandsire of the Cee's Song). The family descends to Sleep Lonely's granddam Blue Canary, a close relative to juvenile champion and influential sire Crimson Satan (both by grandsons of Black Toney out of the same mare, Papila). Papila was imported to the U.S. from Argentina in 1947, the family having come to Argentina from France in the late 1800s.

It's likely that the inspiration for the cross that led to Awesome Patriot, Paynter, and Oxbow was Ghostzapper, who was by Awesome Again out of a mare by Relaunch, the paternal grandsire of the dams of the closely related trio. It is interesting to note, however, that while the cross of Awesome Again over the Cee's Tizzy daughters of Cee's Song has produced three stakes winners from six starters, Ghostzapper is the sole stakes winner from 31 other runners by Awesome Again out of Relaunch-line mares, so other factors likely are at work. (Relaunch apart, the nearest commonality between the Cee's Tizzy—Cee's Song daughters and Baby Zip, the dam of Ghostzapper, is that Cee's Song's granddam, Sleep Lonely, is by Pia Star, an Olympia/Blenheim II cross, over a mare by a son of Tom Fool, and Baby Zip is out of Thirty Zip, whose sire Tri Jet is by a son of Tom Fool, out of a mare bred on an Olympia/Blenheim II cross.) Finally, we'll note that since he is by a Breeders' Cup Classic

winner, out of a mare by a Breeders' Cup Classic-getting sire, and closely related to a Belmont Stakes winner, there should be few concerns about Oxbow's ability to stay classic distances.—*Alan Porter*

Preakness winners from Oxbow's female family #26: None. His sire Awesome Again did not compete in the 1997 Triple Crown.

Awesome Again, b, 1994	Deputy Minister, 1979	Vice Regent, 1967	Northern Dancer
			Victoria Regina
	Primal Force, 1987	Mint Copy, 1970	Bunt's Flight
			Shakney
OXBOW		Blushing Groom, 1974	Red God
			Runaway Bride
		Prime Prospect, 1978	Mr. Prospector
			Square Generation
Tizamazing, dkb/br, 2002	Cee's Tizzy, 1987	Relaunch, 1976	In Reality
			Foggy Note
		Tizly, 1981	Lyphard
			Tizna
	Cee's Song, 1986	Seattle Song, 1981	Seattle Slew
			Incantation
		Lonely Dancer, 1975	Nice Dancer
			Sleep Lonely

TITLETOWN FIVE

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Trainer: D. Wayne Lukas

Jockey: Julien Leparoux

Owner: P. Hornung, E. Martin, D.W. Lukas, W. Davis, D. Miller, and Mr. Shade

Breeder: Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings



With a record that boasts only a maiden special weight win at Churchill Downs, Titledown Five's bid for classic glory appears an audacious one. The son of Tiznow has contested stakes in three starts this year, finishing second by 1 1/4 lengths in the six-furlong Gazebo Stakes at Oaklawn Park; ninth, after contesting the early lead, in the Louisiana Derby (gr. II); and fourth, after again being prominent early, in the Derby Trial Stakes (gr. III) under the Twin Spires.

From a pedigree standpoint Titledown Five does have something going for him, in that his pedigree suggests improvement with age. Tiznow made considerable progress late in his 3-year-old season, when he captured the Super Derby (gr. I) at the end of September, then defeated Giant's Causeway for the Breeders' Cup Classic (gr. I), an event he returned to capture again at 4. Titledown Five's broodmare sire, Forest Wildcat, a smart sprinter, did his best work at 5, when he captured a pair of grade III events. Titledown Five's dam, D' Wildcat Speed, won two of three juvenile starts, including a stakes event, while racing in Puerto Rico, and she was undefeated in 12 starts between six and 9 1/2 furlongs in that country at 3. Brought to the U.S. the following year, D' Wildcat Speed took the 6 1/2-furlong Pocahontas Stakes at Calder by 8 1/4 lengths at 4 but gave her best performance when leading from start to finish to take the nine-furlong Rampart Handicap (gr. II) by six lengths at 5.

At the end of her 5-year-old campaign, D' Wildcat Speed was sold for \$1 million at the 2005 Keeneland November sale. Her first foal, D'lovely Cat, a daughter of Unbridled's Song, didn't run. Her second foal, Distortionada, a daughter of Distorted Humor, won at 3 and 4. Titledown Five is D' Wildcat Speed's third foal.

Titledown Five's granddam, Velvet Panther, was also a stakes winner in Puerto Rico, but it is several generations since the female line produced

anything of real note. Eventually the family goes back to the Stimulus mare Proximity, a sister to Hug Again, the dam of Fervent, who found fame at Pimlico as winner of the 1947 renewal of the Special, and 1942 Preakness runner-up Sun Again, who is in the male line of a famed Preakness winner in Damascus.

Titledown Five is a product of the cross of Tiznow with Storm Cat-line mares that has produced seven stakes winners, including champion 2-year-old filly Folklore and graded scorers Informed, Tiz Wonderful, American Lion, and Kitty in a Tizzy.

It won't be surprising if Titledown Five shows the early speed that characterized both his sire and dam and, on paper, he shouldn't find the trip beyond him. Despite the progressive nature of his pedigree, however, it will be a surprise if he has come on enough to still be in front when the serious running begins.—*Alan Porter*

Preakness winners from Titledown Five's female family #9-f: Nellie Morse (1924) and Lookin At Lucky (2010). His sire Tiznow did not compete in the 2000 Triple Crown.

Tiznow, b, 1997	Cee's Tizzy, 1987	Relaunch, 1976	In Reality
			Foggy Note
		Tizly, 1981	Lyphard
			Tizna
TITLETOWN FIVE	Cee's Song, 1986	Seattle Song, 1981	Seattle Slew
			Incantation
		Lonely Dancer, 1975	Nice Dancer
			Sleep Lonely
D' Wildcat Speed, ch, 2000	Forest Wildcat, 1991	Storm Cat, 1983	Storm Bird
			Terlingua
		Victoria Beauty, 1972	Bold Native
			Abifairth
	Velvet Panther, 1991	Pentaquod, 1977	London Company
			Enamor
		Blue Eyed Cat, 1984	Great Above
			Another Cat

WILL TAKE CHARGE

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Trainer: D. Wayne Lukas

Jockey: Mike Smith

Owner: Willis D. Horton

Breeder: Eaton (KY)



Last year Take Charge Indy created one of the more notable surprises on the road to the Triple Crown, leading from start to finish to capture the Florida Derby (gr. I), with what were then two of the most prominent Kentucky Derby (gr. I) hopefuls—Union Rags and El Padrino—back in third and fourth.

Take Charge Indy duly took his place in the Derby line-up. Fourth through three-quarters of a mile, the colt's challenge faltered when jockey Calvin Borel noticed something amiss and eased his mount, Take Charge Indy eventually coming home 19th. Operated on the week after the first classic to remove a bone chip from a left front ankle, Take Charge Indy was sidelined for more than five months, returning to finish third in the Fayette Stakes (gr. II). He's since underlined his grade I credentials with a second, a length behind the year older Shackleford, in last November's Clark Handicap (gr. I), and most recently an impressive win in the Alysheba Stakes (gr. II) on the Longines Kentucky Oaks (gr. I) undercard.

Less than a year after Take Charge Indy first made his mark on the classic scene, his half brother Will Take Charge set forth his Derby credentials, defying his 28-1 odds to run down his better-fancied stable companion—fellow D. Wayne Lukas trainee Oxbow—to claim the Rebel Stakes (gr. II) by a head.

Will Take Charge's record going into the Derby was that of a talented but rather inconsistent performer. He broke his maiden over seven furlongs at Keeneland on his second juvenile outing, after finishing fifth in a Saratoga sprint on his August debut. Trying stakes company in the Kentucky Jockey Club Stakes (gr. II), Will Take Charge was toward the rear throughout, eventually coming home last of 13. Closing out his first campaign in the Remington Springboard Mile Stakes, Will Take Charge produced a better effort, taking second, 1¾ lengths back of the winner, Texas Bling (who finished fourth behind Will Take Charge in the Rebel). Will Take Charge's first stakes win came Jan. 21 in the Smarty Jones Stakes at Oaklawn Park, when he ran down Texas Bling to score by a neck in a three-way photo. On his only other outing Will Take Charge appeared not to handle the sealed track when a distant sixth to runaway winner Super Ninety Nine (unplaced as favorite in the Rebel) Feb. 18 in the Southwest Stakes (gr. III). In the Derby, he was mid-pack early and made a five-wide move, keeping pace with Orb just to his outside. His promising run came to a halt when he was checked behind the tiring Verrazano, and he was not able to regroup to renew his challenge.

As Take Charge Indy is, as his name suggests, a son of A.P. Indy, his stamina was taken somewhat for granted. That is not the case for Will Take Charge, who is by Unbridled's Song, a horse who, for all his talent as a runner and prowess as a stallion, does not have the happiest of histories in the Kentucky Derby. Narrow winner over Hennessy in the Breeders' Cup Juvenile (gr. I) on only his third start at 2, Unbridled's Song started favorite for the 1996 Run for the Roses after taking the Florida Derby (gr. I)—by 5¼ lengths over Editor's Note, Skip Away, and Louis Quatorze—and Wood Memorial Stakes (gr. II). Running in an egg bar shoe to protect a problematic foot, Unbridled's Song stalked Honour and Glory through the early fractions, took command after a mile, but then faded to fifth behind the upset winner, his paternal half brother Grindstone. Unbridled's Song ran three more times at 3 but never recaptured his best form, although he did finish second in the Peter Pan Stakes (gr. II). He easily won his 4-year-old debut, the seven-furlong Olympic Handicap, run at Gulfstream Park in January. Due to injury, that proved to be his farewell performance.

Unbridled's Song's sire, Unbridled—out of a mare by French Derby victor Le Fabuleux—had no trouble with distance, winning a Kentucky Derby and a Breeders' Cup Classic (gr. I). In addition to Derby captor Grindstone (himself sire of Belmont Stakes winner Birdstone, who, in turn, sired Derby winner Mine That Bird and Belmont winner Summer Bird in his first crop), Unbridled sired Preakness Stakes (gr. I) scorer Red Bullet, and Belmont Stakes (gr. I) hero Empire Maker (also runner-up in the Kentucky Derby). Unbridled's Song is somewhat less of an influence for stamina, although his impact on the classic has been inhibited by the fact that several of his most promising sons were sidelined by injuries at crucial stages of their 3-year-old careers. His daughter Eight Belles did make the Derby but suffered a fatal injury while pulling up after finishing an heroic second. Overall, Unbridled's Song is a factor for performance at distances between seven and nine furlongs, although Political Force, Octave, and Rare Gift have taken graded events at the Derby distance, the first two in grade I company.

When we explored the pedigree of Take Charge Indy before last year's classics, we noted that Take Charge Lady (the dam of Take Charge Indy and Will Take Charge) brought some speed and precocity, something that was generally a positive for mares visiting A.P. Indy, but something Unbri-

dled's Song is able to supply in abundance.

A daughter of champion 2-year-old colt Dehere, Take Charge Lady won 11 of 22 starts. She broke her maiden over 4½ furlongs in April at 2, and won the Walmac International Alcibiades Stakes (gr. II) at that age. She trained on to add seven more graded wins at 3 and 4, including the Ashland Stakes and back-to-back renewals of the Overbrook Spinster Stakes (all gr. I), and also took runner-up spot in the Kentucky Oaks (gr. I) to champion Farda Amiga. Her only attempt at 10 furlongs saw her take second in the Delaware Oaks (gr. I). Take Charge Indy's second dam, Felicity, is by Rubiano, a son of Fappiano who wasn't particularly precocious but very fast, earning honors as champion sprinter. Felicity never ran, but turned out to be a good broodmare as she is also the dam of Commendation, winner of the Bourbon County Stakes at Keeneland and runner-up in the Jersey Derby (gr. III), and of Eventail, who captured a pair of New York-bred stakes and was graded stakes-placed, and subsequently produced graded winner Straight Story.

On balance, this looks a pedigree best suited to distances around 8½ to nine furlongs, and Will Take Charge's Derby effort suggested that the Preakness trip will hold no fears for him. We'll close in noting that the Unbridled's Song/Dehere cross that produced Will Take Charge has an excellent strike rate (A++ TrueNicks ranking), having also produced 2013 grade I winner Graydar and graded scorer Strike It Rich from only seven starters. Together, runners from the sire line do have a longer average winning distance than either Unbridled's Song or mares by Dehere when bred to all other mates. Will Take Charge is also the first Unbridled's Song stakes winner with inbreeding to Fappiano (who appears here 3x4), although such a duplication has appeared in at least nine other stakes winners, including Anak Nakal, who dead-heated for third in the 2008 Belmont, and Bernardini's undefeated son Algorithms, a classic prospect early in 2012 before suffering a career-ending injury.—Alan Porter

Preakness winners from Will Take Charge's female family #22-c: None. His sire Unbridled's Song finished fifth in the 1996 Kentucky Derby.

Unbridled's Song, gr/ro, 1993	Unbridled, 1987	Fappiano, 1977	Mr. Prospector	
			Killaloe	
		Gana Facil, 1981	Le Fabuleux	Charedi
	Trolley Song, 1983	Caro, 1967	Fortino II	Chambord
Lucky Spell, 1971		Lucky Mel	Incantation	
WILL TAKE CHARGE	Dehere, 1991	Deputy Minister, 1979	Vice Regent	Mint Copy
		Sister Dot, 1985	Secretariat	Sword Game
	Felicita, 1994	Rubiano, 1987	Fappiano	Ruby Slippers
			Blushing Groom	Director
		Grand Bonheur, 1979		
	Take Charge Lady, b, 1999			
Inbreeding: 3SX4D Fappiano.				

#	Best Speed at Dist	
1	Orb	111
5	Mylute	107
6	Oxbow	101

**EXACTA; 50 cent TRIFECTA & 10 cent SUPERFECTA /
DAILY DOUBLE (RACES 12 & 13) / SUPER HIGH 5 /
2nd HALF OF PIMLICO SPECIAL / PREAKNESS DOUBLE**

	E1	E2/LATE	SPEED
PARS:	94	103/ 93	103



1 $\frac{3}{16}$ Mile. Preaknes-G1 PREAKNESS S. Grade I. Purse \$1,000,000 FOR THREE-YEAR-OLDS, \$10,000 TO PASS THE ENTRY BOX, STARTERS TO PAY \$10,000 ADDITIONAL. 60% of the purse to the winner, 20% to second, 11% to third, 6% to fourth and 3% to fifth. Weight 126 pounds for Colts and Geldings. A replica of the Woodlawn Vase will be presented to the winning owner to remain his or her personal property
Post Time: (6:20/ 5:20/ 4:20/ 3:20

1 Orb (S 1) 🏆						B. c. 3		Prime Power: 159.5 (1st)		Life: 8 5- 0 - 1 \$2,335,850 111		Fst (110)		7 4- 0 - 1 \$921,050 102	
Own: Stuart S Janney III & Phipps Stable						Sire: Malibu Moon (A.P. Indy) \$70,000				2013 4 4- 0 - 0 \$2,280,900 111		Off (110)		1 1- 0 - 0 \$1,414,800 111	
White, Cherry Bell, Cherry Sleeves, White Cap						Dam: Lady Liberty (Unbridled)				2012 4 1- 0 - 1 \$54,950 88		Dis (110)		1 1- 0 - 0 \$1,414,800 111	
ROSARIO JOEL (0 0-0-0 0%)						Brdr: Stuart S Janney III LLC & PhippsStable (KY)		L 126		PIM 0 0- 0 - 0 \$0 0		Trf (110)		0 0- 0 - 0 \$0	
						Trrn: McGaughey III Claude R (0 0-0-0 0%)						Aw		0 0- 0 - 0 \$0	
+2013 566 24% 57% -0.29						+2013 85 24% 55% -0.01		Sire Stats: AWD 7.0		17%Mud		1421MudSts		1.99spi	
+JKYw/ S types 338 20% 53% -0.51						+Shipper 287 19% 49% -0.12		Dam's Stats: AWD 7.8		19%Mud		756MudSts		4.16spi	
+JKYw/ Trn L60 5 40% 80% +2.00						+Graded Stakes 118 25% 58% +0.79									
+JKYw/ Routes 147 29% 61% -0.27						+Wnr last race 154 25% 51% +0.72									

★ Highest last race speed rating ★ Won last race (CD 05/04 10.00F Dirt SY KyDerby-G1)
★ Best Dirt speed is close to the Avg Winning Speed ★ Sharp 4F workout (May-13)

DATE TRK	DIST	RR	RACETYPE	CR	E1	E2	LP	1c	2c	SPD	PP	ST	1C	2C	STR	FIN	JOCKEY	ODDS	Top Finishers	Comment
04May13CD ¹¹	1 1/4 sy ⁶ 1:09 ⁴ 1:36 2:02 ⁴	128	KyDerby-G1	126	89	122	91	+29		111	15	16 ¹⁰	16 ¹⁸	17 ¹⁴	2 ^{hd}	12 ³	RosarioJ ¹²⁶	L 5.40	Orb ³ GoldenSol ¹ Revolutionary ¹⁸	Awkwd st; bold 6w move 19
30Mar13GP ¹²	1 1/4 ft :48 ² 1:12 ⁴ 1:37 ³ 1:50 ⁴	128	FlyDerby-G1	123	76	87	103	-7	-7	97	6	5 ²	5 ⁴	5 ¹	3 ¹	12 ³	VelazquezJR ¹²²	L 2.90	Orb ³ Itsmickyday ² MeritMan ⁵	4 wide; drew clear 10
23Feb13GP ¹¹	1 1/8 ft :23 :45 ² 1:08 ⁴ 1:42 ¹	118	FntnOYth-G2	122	94	111	89	+17	+20	102	1	7 ⁸	6 ⁸	5 ^{5 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 1/2	VelazquezJR ¹¹⁶	L 5.40	Orb ³ Violence ⁶³ Speak Logistics ²	Circled 4 wd; up late 9
26Jan13GP ⁵	1 1/4 ft :49 1:13 ² 1:37 ³ 1:51	118	OC75knt1x-N	119	65	69	105	-17	-19	89	3	7 ⁵	6 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{3 1/2}	1 1/2	1	RosarioJ ¹¹⁸	L 4.40	Orb ³ DukeoftheCity ² IndySlullusion ²³	Tight 1st; bid; clear 7
24Nov12Aqu ⁴	1m ft :23 ¹ :47 1:12 ¹ 1:38 ³	116	78	84	90	+3	+4			86	4	7 ⁵³	6 ⁵	2 ³	2 ^{1 1/2}	12	RosarioJ ¹²⁰	L 2.50	Orb ³ Freeedom Child ² Revolutionary ¹⁸	4w run turn; driving 7
10Nov12Aqu ⁴	6 1/2 ft :22 ⁴ :45 ³ 1:09 1:15 ²	114	Mdn 62k	114	78	79	97	-7	-12	84	6	9	9 ⁵	8 ^{5 1/4}	5 ^{5 1/4}	4 ^{5 1/2}	RosarioJ ¹²⁰	3.70	Vyjack ¹ Clawback ³⁰ Retrive ³¹	Driven 4w into stretch 10
08Sep12Bel ¹	1m ft :23 ¹ :46 ⁴ 1:12 ² 1:38 ¹	112	Mdn 73k	110	87	85	67	+5	0	72	1	5 ⁵	5 ⁵	5 ^{7 1/2}	5 ¹³	42 ²³	RosarioJ ¹²⁰	10.70	Tizcrack ¹⁰³ NewLine ³³ RoyalArb ¹⁸	Acted up gate; off slow 15
18Aug12Bel ¹	7f ft :22 ² :45 1:09 ³ 1:22 ⁴	111	Mdn 70k	114	59	74	105	-7	-8	88	1	8	8 ¹⁴	8 ¹⁰	4 ⁴	3 ¹	RosarioJ ¹¹⁹	29.25	Violencen ⁶ Tittown ⁶ Fire ¹ Orb ²	Off very slow; 6w 1/4 8

13May Bel 4f ft :47 B/5/98 29Apr CD 4f ft :474 B/5/43 21Apr Pay 5f ft:1:02 B/3/5 14Apr Pay 4f ft :48 B/2/8 25Mar Pay 4f ft :481 B/3/7 18Mar Pay 4f ft :48 B/2/12
11Mar Pay 4f ft :482 B/2/16 18Feb Pav 4f ft :49 B/2/27 11Feb Pav 4f ft :491 B/8/17 06Feb Pav 3f ft :371 B/5/12 22Jan Pav 4f ft :49 B/3/7 ●16Jan Pav 4f ft :491

2	Goldcents (E/P 5)										Prime Power: 145.7 (7th)										Life: 7 4-1-0 \$1,250,000 106										Fst (107)										6 4-1-0 \$1,250,000 106																																						
	Own: Wc Racing Dave Kenney & Rap Racing										Sire: Into Misscig (Mant. Holiday) \$10,000										2013 4 2-0-0 \$528,000 106										Off (106?)										1 0-0-0 \$0 58																																						
	8/1 Periwinkle Blue, Silver Horseshoes & 'wilshireccoin.com.'										Dam: Golden Works (Banker's Gold)										2012 3 2-1-0 \$722,000 101										Dis (100?)										0 0-0-0 \$0 58																																						
	KRIGGER KEVIN (0 0-0-0 0%)										L 126 Brdr: Rosecrest Farm & Karyn Pirrello (KY)										PIM 0 0-0-0 \$0 0										Trf (109?)										Awf										1 1-0-0 \$42,000 101																												
										Trnr: O'Neill Dug F (0 0-0-0 0%)																																																																					
2013										2013										Sire Stats: AWD 6.9										33%Mud										12MudSts										4.25spi																													
JKYw/EP types										275 13% 38% +0.09										+Shipper										254 21% 46% -0.20										Dam's Sire: AWD 6.8										11%Mud										973MudSts										0.86spi									
+JKYw/ Trn L60										28 21% 39% -0.09										Graded Stakes										150 11% 30% +0.10										SoldAt: OBSJUN 2012										\$62.0k (2/12)										Sire Avg: \$36.6k										StudFee: \$12,500									
+JKYw/ Routes										36 25% 47% +1.03										Routes										847 15% 43% -0.47																																																	

★ 20% trainer: Shipper ★ May improve at the shorter distance
★ Best Dirt speed is faster than the Avg Winning Speed

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04May13	CD ¹¹	1 1/4	sy ^s 1:09 ⁴ 1:36 2:02 ⁴	117	KyDerby-G1	115	118	112	12	+	29	58	7	2hd	4 1/2	5	1719	1749 1/2	GriggerK ¹²⁶	L 7.50	Orb ² Golden Soul ¹ Revolutionary ^{hd}	Eased up late	19
06Apr13	3DA	1 1/8	ft :46 ² 1:10 ² 1:35 ³ 1:48 ³	117	SADerby-G1	123	01	110	97	+	5	106	4	2hd	2 1/2	2 1/2	11	1 1/4	GriggerK ¹²²	L 6.50	Glndcncts ¹ Flashbc ³ SprNintyWin ²	Led btwn into str; held	8
09Mar13	SA7 ²	1 1/8	ft :22 ⁴ :45 ⁴ 1:09 ⁴ 1:42 ¹	118	SnFelipe-G2	120	00	108	83	+	8	97	3	2 1/2	1hd	1 1/2	2 1/2	4 1/2	GriggerK ¹²⁰	L 2.30	HarthGhst ³ Flshbc ³ TzaMnstr ¹	Pulled; dueled; outkicked	8
05Jan13	SA3 ²	1 1/8	ft :23 :46 ¹ 1:10 1:36 ²	116	Sham-G3	119	93	104	81	+	+7	93	2	21	21	21	2 1/2	1 1/2	GriggerK ¹²⁰	L 0.40	Glndcncts ¹ DnsLgacy ¹ Manle ¹⁵	Bit tight early; gamely	5
17Nov12	Ded ⁷	1 1/8	ft :22 ³ :46 ¹ 1:11 1:44 ⁴	117	DeJckpt-G3	120	91	102	84	+	+8	94	9	1hd	1	1	1	1 1/2	GriggerK ¹¹⁷	L 2.60	Goldncnts ¹ BBrndntty ¹ Mynt ³³	Well rated; driving	9
06Oct12	B2el ⁸	1m	2:23 :47 ² 1:11 ¹ 1:35 ²	117	Champagn-G1	117	81	95	98	-	-3	97	1	11	1 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	GriggerK ¹²²	L 3.70	ShanghaiBoby ⁵ Goldncnts ¹ Frtty ¹	Str in; stried inside	6

Previously trained by Mora Leandro (as of 09/02/2012): (27 7-2-3 26%)

02Sep12Dmr6 ⊕ 5½ t :224 :46 :57 1:023 112 Mdn 70k 117 85 92/ 105 -12 -14 **101** 2 2 1½ 1½ 17 17¼ KriggerK118 L 1.60 Goldcents? 3Wild Dude2¼ Storm Power1 Inside; handily 10

3 Titletown Five (E 7) 🏆										Dkbr. c. 3 KESEP 2011 \$250k										Prime Power: 139.1 (9th)										Life: 7 1- 2- 1										\$87,398 103										Fst (111)										6 1- 2- 1										\$83,398 103									
Own: P Hornung E Martin D W Lukas W Davis D M										Sire: Tizenow (Crazy) \$75,000										L 126										2013 3 0- 1- 0										\$31,668 96										Off (110)										1 0- 0- 0										\$4,000 87									
30/1 Green, White 'gb' In Yellow Oval, Yellow Band On Sleeves,										Dam: d' Wildcat Speed (Forest Wildcat)										2012 4 1- 1- 0										\$55,730 103										Dis (111)										0 0- 0- 0										\$0																			
LEPAROUX JULIEN R (0 0-0-0 0%)										Brdr: Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC (KY)										PIM 0 0- 0- 0										\$0 0										Trf (111)										0 0- 0- 0										\$0																			
										Trnr: Lukas D. Wayne (0 0-0-0 0%)																														AW										0 0- 0- 0										\$0																			
2013 338 16% 40% -0.33										2013 111 13% 34% +0.13										Sire Stats: AWD 7.5										18%Mud 723MudSts										2.16spi																																							
+JKYw/ E types 222 18% 46% -0.46										Shipper 421 10% 30% -0.83										Dam's Sire: AWD 6.3										16%Mud 1764MudSts										1.65spi																																							
+JKYw/ Routes 78 19% 46% +0.27										Graded Stakes 166 4% 25% -1.43										SoldAt: KESEP 2011										\$250.0k (8/39)										SireAvg: \$161.1k										StudFee: \$75,000																													
										Routes 639 13% 35% -0.40																																																																					

★ Best Dirt speed is close to the Avg Winning Speed

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20Mar13FG ⁹										1m ft										.262										1:14										1:37 ³										1:50 ¹										118										LaDerby-G2										118										119										117										72										+24										96										10										3 ^{hd}										1										1hd										1hd										5 ²										99 ¹										J CourtJK ¹²²										L										15.00										Rvltosanyr ³ Myte ³ Dprtn ³										Bobbled brk/gave way										14																			
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28Oct12CD ¹¹										7f ft										.231										.47										1:12 ³										1:24 ¹										112										Mdn 50k										120										95										97										104										-3										103										6										1										1										12										19										CourtJK ¹¹⁸										L										1.30										TiltownFive ⁹ Bradstr ¹⁰ ProbdStrike ¹³										3 path; ridden out										12																																							
18Aug12Sar ⁴										7f ft										.222										.45										1:09 ³										1:22 ⁴										111										Mdn 80k										115										87										94										87										-7										89										5										2										1										1										1										2nk										MaragrH ¹¹⁹										L										5.70										Violence ² TiltownFive ⁹ Orb ²										Drifted out;bmpd here										8																													
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07May CD 4f ft :473 B/35 17Apr CD 4f gd :47 B/2/21 09Apr OP 4f ft :482 B/3/21 27Mar OP 4f ft :484 B/10/55 19Mar OP 6f gd 1:161 B/1/2 12Mar OP 5f ft 1:011 B/2/15
 28Feb OP 4f ft :48 B/1/14 20Feb OP 6f ft 1:144 B/1/1 15Feb OP 5f ft 1:012 B/1/20 09Feb OP 4f ft :481 B/2/61 03Feb OP 3f ft :371 B/5/10 23Oct 12 CD 4f ft :482 B/2/44

E1	E2 / Late	SPD
24	100 / 20	100

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Ultimate PP's w/ QuickPlay Comments

Pimlico Preaknes-G1 1 1/8 Mile 3yo Saturday, May 18, 2013 Race 12

E1 E2/Late SPD
94 103/ 93 103

7 Will Take Charge (P 1) ☆										Ch. c. 3 KEESEP 2011 \$425k Prime Power: 148.2 (6th)										Life: 8 3 - 1 - 0 \$545,371 101 Fst (114) 6 3 - 1 - 0 \$544,171 101									
Own: Willis D Horton										Sire: Unbridled's Song (Unbridled) \$60,000										2013 4 2 - 0 - 0 \$451,200 101 Off (115) 2 0 - 0 - 0 \$1,200 98									
12/1 White, White "H" On Black Ball, Black Bars On Sleeves,										Dam: Take Charge Lady (Dehere)										2012 4 1 - 1 - 0 \$94,171 91 Dis (115) 1 0 - 0 - 0 \$0 98									
SMITH MIKE E (0 0-0-0 0%)										Brdr: Eaton (KY)										PIM 0 0 - 0 - 0 \$0 0 Trf (114) 0 0 - 0 - 0 \$0									
+2013 109 19% 46% +0.57										2013 111 13% 34% +0.13										Sire Stats: AWD 7.2 17% Mud 1269 MudSts 3.01spi									
+JKYw/ P types 112 16% 45% -0.41										Shipper 421 10% 30% -0.83										Dam's Sire: AWD 6.8 13% Mud 2150 MudSts 1.96spi									
+JKYw/ Routes 32 31% 59% +2.78										Graded Stakes 166 4% 25% -1.43										SoldAt: KEESEP 2011 \$425.0k (6/58) SireAvg: \$225.7k StudFee: \$125,000									
										Routes 639 13% 35% -0.40																			

★ Best Dirt speed is close to the Avg Winning Speed ★ Sharp 4F workout (May-13)

● Poor 'Graded Stakes' trainer record: 3% wins 166 sts

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04May13CD ¹¹	1 1/4	sy ⁶	1:09 ⁴	1:36	2:02 ⁴	120	KyDerby-G1	121	100	121	67	+29	98	16	106 1/2	101 3/4	111 1/4	98 1/4	81 2/3	CourtJK ¹²⁶	Lb 36.40 Or ² Golden Soul ¹ Revolutionary ^{hd} 5w run; checked 3/16 19	
16Mar13OP ¹⁰	1 1/8	ft	:23 ¹	:47	1:12 ²	145	117 Rebel-G2	121	92	104	94	+9	101	7	64 1/2	64 3/4	41 1/2	32 1/2	1hd	CourtJK ¹²²	Lb 28.00 WitTakCharg ^{hd} Oxb ² DnsLgacy ³ Trfct1/2; 4w2nd turn; up 11	
18Feb13OP ⁹	1 1/8	sy ⁶	:23 ¹	:47 ²	1:12 ¹	1:44 ⁴	117 Southwest-G3	116	76	84	78	+3	80	3	109 3/4	101 0	101 0	101 6	618	CourtJK ¹²²	Lb 7.20 SprNntN ¹¹ 1 st FarthKin ² 2 nd HvnsRnw ² 3 rd Passed tiring foes 10	
21Jan13OP ⁸	1m	ft	:23	:46 ³	1:11 ⁴	1:38 ³	115 SmrtyJnsl	150K	119	99	101	85	+13	93	9	42	31 1/2	2hd	1hd	1nk	CourtJK ¹¹⁵	Lb 12.10 WitkChrgnk TxsBlnd ^{hd} AlwsnTz ⁴ 6-4w 1st turn; bid; game 9
09Dec12RP ⁹	1m	ft	:23 ³	:48 ⁴	1:14 ²	1:39 ⁴	114 SpringbrdM	300k	117	92	90	93	-7	91	3	1hd	13	1 1/2	2hd	21 3/4	LebronV ¹²⁰	Lb 11.90 TxsBlng ¹ WitTakCharg ³ Worldvnt ² 4 th Pace; outfinished 12
24Nov12CD ¹¹	1 1/8	ft	:24 ¹	:49	1:13 ⁴	1:44 ⁴	116 KyJC-G2	111	72	69	64	-5	63	7	95 1/2	116 1/2	139 3/4	132 0	132 5/8	CourtJK ¹²²	Lb 33.80 Uncpnt ^{hd} FrcDdy ¹ 1 st DwysSqr ² 3 rd Saved ground; empty 13	
18Oct12Kee ⁷	7f	ft	:22 ⁴	:47	1:11 ²	1:24	112 Mdn 50k	114	81	76	95	-1	82	8	7	95 1/2	83 3/4	52 1/4	11	CourtJK ¹¹⁸	Lb 5.60 WillTakeCharge ¹ HardAcce ³ DeadlyTrth ² 6 wide run 1/4 pl 9	
16Aug12Sar ³	5 1/2	ft	:21 ⁴	:45 ¹	:57 ²	1:04	113 Mdn 80k	112	63	80	93	+1	80	4	7	71 1/2	77 1/2	56	RosarioJ ¹¹⁹	20.30 ShSmMgc ² GbDnc ³ MdntPp ² 4 th Saved ground; improved 8		

13May CD 4f ft :48¹ B 6/40 29Apr CD 5f ft:1:01 B 12/35 21Apr CD 1mf ft:1:41³ B 1/1 12Apr OP 1mf ft:1:40⁴ B 1/1 05Apr OP 5f my:1:01 B 1/10 28Mar OP 4f ft :49¹ B 10/66
 12Mar OP 4f ft :49² B 3/25 05Mar OP 6f ft:1:13³ B 1/2 26Feb OP 4f ft :48⁴ B 3/14 14Feb OP 4f ft :49 B 1/31 08Feb OP 5f ft:1:00⁴ B 2/25 31Jan OP 4f ft :48⁴ B 2/29

8 Governor Charlie (E/P 5) ☆										Ch. c. 3 Prime Power: 141.1 (8th)										Life: 3 2 - 1 - 0 \$444,800 99 Fst (113) 3 2 - 1 - 0 \$444,800 99									
Own: Michael E Pegram Karl Watson & Paul Weit										Sire: Midnight Lute (Real Quiet) \$15,000										2013 3 2 - 1 - 0 \$444,800 99 Off (114) 0 0 - 0 - 0 \$0									
12/1 Red, Red 'mp' On Yellow Ball, Yellow Stripes On Sleeves,										Dam: Silverbulletway (Storm Cat)										2012 0 0 - 0 - 0 \$0 Dis (116) 0 0 - 0 - 0 \$0									
GARCIA MARTIN (0 0-0-0 0%)										Brdr: Michael E Pegram (KY)										PIM 0 0 - 0 - 0 \$0 0 Trf (114) 0 0 - 0 - 0 \$0									
+2013 273 15% 43% -0.46										2013 212 24% 51% -0.53										Sire Stats: AWD 6.7 22% Mud 23 MudSts 2.74spi									
+JKYw/EP types 300 16% 41% -0.62										+46-90daysAway 318 25% 58% -0.42										Dam's Sire: AWD 7.1 19% Mud 1371 MudSts 4.30spi									
+JKYw/ Trn L60 43 33% 53% +0.41										+Shipper 207 30% 57% -0.27																			
+JKYw/ Routes 59 17% 49% -0.18										+Graded Stakes 448 23% 53% -0.26																			

★ 30% trainer: Shipper ★ Won last race (SUN 03/24 9.00F Dirt FT SunDrby-G3)

● Has not raced in 55 days ● Speed Figs rank poorly vs others

★ Sharp 6F workout (May-13)																							
DATE TRK	DIST		RR	RACETYPE	CR	E1	E2	LP	1c	2c	SPD	PP	ST	1C	2C	STR	FIN	JOCKEY	ODDS	Top Finishers	Comment		
24Mar13Sun ¹¹	1 1/4 ft	:46 ¹	1:09 ⁴	1:34 ⁴	1:47 ²	115		SunDrby-G3	119	89	95	99	-3	99	7	31	3nk	1hd	12	15	GarciaM ¹²²	Lb 1.30 GvnrChar ¹ ShwSmMgc ³ 1Abrhm ¹	Vied 3w; drew clear 9
17Feb13SA ⁵	1m ft	:22 ⁴	:46 ³	1:11	1:36 ¹	115		Mdn 56k	119	91	95	93	+3	94	8	2 1/2	2 1/2	1hd	1hd	1nk	GarciaM ¹²¹	Lb 5.00 GvnrChar ¹ Ftrdgc ³ PrLyally ⁷	Headed past 1/8; game 9
19Jan13SA ²	6f ft	:21	:43 ¹	:55 ¹	1:08 ¹	114		Mdn 56k	114	83	93	87	+7	86	5	6	510	410	310	27 1/2	GarciaM ¹²¹	Lb 3.20 LiEmShin ⁷ GovernorChar ¹ DdEys ¹	Off bit slow; late 2nd 7
<div>●13May CD 6f ft:1:10⁴ B 1/4 ●07May CD 6f ft:1:12² B 1/3 02May CD 5f ft:1:09³ B 4/18 11Apr SA 4f ft :48¹ H 22/44 18Mar SA 5f ft:1:00² H 7/60 13Mar SA 6f ft:1:10² H 2/12 ●07Mar SA 6f ft:1:12² H 1/8 01Mar SA 5f ft:1:00⁴ H 10/30 12Feb SA 4f ft :48 H 6/34 07Feb SA 6f ft:1:13 H 1/22 30Jan SA 4f ft :49¹ H 25/53</div>																							

9 Itsmyluckyday (E/P 4) 🏆										Dkbbr. c. 3 OBSMAR 2012 \$110k										Prime Power: 152.0 (3rd)										Life: 11 5 - 2 - 1 \$625,600 111										Fst (110) 7 4 - 2 - 0 \$581,000 111									
Own: Trilogy Stable & Laurie Plesa										Sire: Lawyer Ron (Langfuhr) \$25,000										L 126										2013 4 2 - 1 - 0 \$500,000 111										Off (108) 2 1 - 0 - 0 \$33,000 103									
Green & Ceise Halves, Black Sash, Blue Sleeves, Black										Dam: Viva La Slew (Donerail Court)																				2012 7 3 - 1 - 1 \$125,600 103										Dis (111) 1 0 - 0 - 0 \$0 87									
10/1										Brdr: Liberation Farm & Brandywine Farm (KY)										PIM 0 0 - 0 - 0 \$0 0										Trf (107) 2 0 - 0 - 1 \$11,600 91																			
VELAZQUEZ JOHN R (0 0-0-0 0%)										Trnr: Plesa, Jr. Edward (0 0-0-0 0%)										AW										0 0 - 0 - 0 \$0																			
+2013 335 24% 55% -0.37										2013 107 17% 38% +0.20										Sire Stats: AWD 7.1 15%Mud 110MudSts 1.72spi																													
+JKYw/EP types 364 20% 49% -0.42										Shipper 208 17% 44% -0.28										Dam's Sire: AWD 6.8 13%Mud 1146MudSts 1.09spi																													
+JKYw/ Routes 83 39% 71% +0.59										Graded Stakes 33 9% 39% -1.22										SoldAt: OBSMAR 2012 \$110.0k (5/10) SireAvg: \$91.9k StudFee: \$25,000																													
+3rd off layoff 106 21% 47% -0.02																																																	

Ultimate PP's w/ QuickPlay Comments

Pimlico

Preaknes-G1 1 3/8 Mile 3yo Saturday, May 18, 2013

Race 12

 E1 E2/Late SPD
 94 103/ 93 103

RACETYPE STATS:					#	FAVORITES			Average	Median \$2	% Winners	% Winners	% Winners
PIM	3yo	GRDSTK/HCP	100000	- 2000000	Races	Win%	ITM%	\$2ROI	Field Size	Win Payoff	< 5/1	>=5/1 < 10/1	> 10/1
					60	33%	68%	+1.00	10.2	\$9.60	59%	18%	23%

Track Bias Stats

* MEET Totals *					* Week Totals *				
Dirt Routes	Speed Bias: 60%				Dirt Routes	Speed Bias: 62%			
# Races: 72	04/04 - 05/12				# Races: 13	05/06 - 05/12			
%Wire: 19%	WnrAvgBL				%Wire: 38%	WnrAvgBL			
	1stCall: 3.0					1stCall: 2.7			
	2ndCall: 2.0					2ndCall: 2.4			
Runstyle:	Early	Speed	Late	Speed	Runstyle:	Early	Speed	Late	Speed
	E	E/P	P	S		E	E/P	P	S
	+	+				++		+	
Impact Values:	0.84	1.60	0.92	0.74	Impact Values:	1.24	1.03	1.17	0.32
%Races Won	31%	29%	22%	18%	%Races Won	46%	15%	31%	8%
Post Bias:	RAIL	1-3	4-7	8+	Post Bias:	RAIL	1-3	4-7	8+
			+	+				+	+
Impact Values:	0.80	0.89	1.05	2.07	Impact Values:	0.49	0.65	1.28	1.63
Avg Win %	13%	14%	16%	24%	Avg Win %	8%	10%	19%	17%

Race Summary

#	Horse Name	ML	Med	Days	Run	P	Avg Dist/Surf	Avg	Best Pace	Final Speed				Rcg	Pedigree Stats				Dam
		Odds	Eqp	Since	L/R	T	PACE-SPEED	Rtg	E1 E2/Late	Sp1	Sp2	Sp3	Sp4	ACL	R1	R2	R3	Mud	Sire
2	Goldencents	8/1	L	14		+E/P 5	101 109/ 90 * 102*	118	101 110/ 98	58.	106.	97	93	118.1	87	120	117	118	6.9
4	Departing	6/1	L	28		P 1	96 101/ 97 * 101*	117	105 112/107	100.	102.	96	86	117.7	99	116	118	113	7.2
7	Will Take Charge	12/1	L	14.		P 1	92 104/ 94 101	117	99 104/ 94	98.	101	80	93	117.7	93	120	117	117	7.2
1	Orb	1/1	L	14		S 1	85 99/ 96 * 100*	117	94 111/105	111.	97.	102	89.	120.1	103	120	118	118	7.0
5	Mylute	5/1	L	14		S 2	95 106/ 91 * 100*	117	97 109/108	107.	105.	95	94	117.9	102	120	118	117	6.7
6	Oxbow	15/1	L	14		+E 2	95 106/ 90 * 100*	116	103 108/ 94	101.	90.	101	98	117.5	97	120	117	117	7.4
9	Itsmyluckyday	10/1	L	14..		+E/P 4	88 97/ 99 * 100*	117	106 116/102	87.	94.	106	111	117.8	96	120	118	118	7.1
8	Govenor Charlie	12/1	L	55		+E/P 5	89 95/ 99 99	115	91 95/ 99	99.	94	86		116.1	93	115	115	114	6.7
3	Titeltown Five	30/1	L	21		+E 7	119 117/ 72 96	117	119 117/ 77	88	96.	85	103	(114.8)	90	116	118	115	7.5

Speed Last Race	Back Speed	Current Class	Average Class Last 3	Prime Power	Early Pace Last Race	Late Pace Last Race
111 Orb	106 Goldencents	122.4 Orb	123.6 Orb	159.5 Orb	118 Goldencents	107 Departing
107 Mylute	106 Itsmyluckyday	122.2 Itsmyluckyday	121.4 Mylute	155.2 Mylute	116 Oxbow	99 Govenor Charlie
101 Oxbow	105 Mylute	121.1 Goldencents	120.8 Itsmyluckyday	152.0 Itsmyluckyday	113 Itsmyluckyday	91 Orb
100 Departing	102 Orb	120.9 Departing	119.9 Oxbow	149.5 Departing	100 Will Take Charge	88 Mylute
99 Govenor Charlie	102 Departing	120.7 Will Take Charge	119.6 Departing	149.2 Oxbow	97 Titeltown Five	77 Titeltown Five
98 Will Take Charge	101 Oxbow	120.2 Mylute	119.2 Will Take Charge	148.2 Will Take Charge	89 Orb	67 Will Take Charge
88 Titeltown Five	101 Will Take Charge	120.2 Oxbow	119.0 Goldencents	145.7 Goldencents	89 Govenor Charlie	63 Oxbow
87 Itsmyluckyday	99 Govenor Charlie	119.4 Govenor Charlie	117.5 Govenor Charlie	141.1 Govenor Charlie	87 Mylute	50 Itsmyluckyday
58 Goldencents	96 Titeltown Five	118.2 Titeltown Five	117.4 Titeltown Five	139.1 Titeltown Five	86 Departing	2 Goldencents