# Solution Gulfstream Park

# 2024/2025 MEDIA GUIDE SECTION 1



# GENERAL INFORMATION

# 2024/2025 CHAMPIONSHIP MEET STAKES SCHEDULE



# **PREMIUM STAKES DAYS**

January 1 | New Year's Day January 25 | Pegasus World Cup February 1 | Holy Bull March 1 | Fountain of Youth March 29 | Florida Derby

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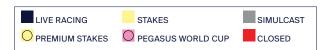
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NOV	EMBER			
DATE	STAKES	AGE/SEX	DISTANCE	PURSE
NOV 28	Wait a While	2yo Fillies	7 1/2 F (T)	\$100K
NOV 29	Pulpit	2уо	7 1/2 F (T)	\$100K
NOV 30	In Reality Div. (FL Sire Stakes)	2уо	1 1/16 M	\$300K
	My Dear Girl Div. (FL Sire Stakes)	2yo Fillies	1 1/16 M	\$300K
DEC	EMBER			
DEC 7	H. Allen Jerkens Hdcp.	3yo&up	2 M (T)	\$100K
DEC 14	Tropical Park Derby	Зуо	1 1/16 M (T)	\$125K
	Tropical Park Oaks	3yo Fillies	1 1/16 M (T)	\$125K
DEC 21	Fort Lauderdale (G2)	3yo&up	1 1/8 M (T)	\$200K
	Harlan's Holiday (G3)	3yo&up	1 1/16 M	\$150K
	Suwannee River (G3)	3yo&up F&M	1 M (T)	\$150K
	Janus	3yo&up	5 F (T)	\$125K
	Sugar Swirl	3yo&up F&M	6F	\$125K
DEC 26	Via Borghese	3yo&up F&M	13/8 M (T)	\$125K
	Rampart	3yo&up F&M	1 M	\$125K
DEC 28	Mr. Prospector (G3)	3yo&up	7F	\$150K
	Abundantia	3yo&up F&M	5 F (T)	\$100K
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JAN 1	Cash Run	3yo Fillies	1M	\$150K
	Dania Beach	Зуо	1 M (T)	\$150K
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FEB 1	Holy Bull (G3)	Зуо	1 1/16 M	\$250K
	Kitten's Joy (G3)	Зуо	1 1/16 M (T)	\$150K
	Sweetest Chant (G3)	3yo Fillies	1 1/16 M (T)	\$150K
	Forward Gal (G3)	3yo Fillies	7 F	\$150K
	Swale	Зуо	7 F	\$150K
FEB 8	Ladies' Turf Sprint	4yo&up F&M	5 F (T)	\$125K
FEB 15	Royal Delta (G3)	4yo&up F&M	1 1/16 M	\$150K
FEB 22	Gulfstream Park Sprint	4yo&up	6 F	\$125K
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MAR 1	Fountain of Youth (G2)	Зуо	1 1/16 M	\$400K
	Davona Dale (G2)	3yo Fillies	1 M	\$200K
	Gulfstream Park Mile (G2)	4yo&up	1 M	\$200K
	Mac Diarmida (G2)	4yo&up	1 3/8 M (T)	\$200K
	Canadian Turf (G3)	4yo&up	1 1/16 M (T)	\$150K
	Honey Fox (G3)	4yo&up F&M	1 M (T)	\$150K
	The Very One (G3)	4yo&up F&M	13/8 M (T)	\$150K
	Herecomesthebride (G3)	3yo Fillies	1 M (T)	\$200K
	Colonel Liam	Зуо	1 M (T)	\$200K
MAR 8	Hurricane Bertie (G3)	4yo&up F&M	6 1/2 F	\$150K
	Silks Run	4yo&up	5 F (T)	\$100K
MAR 15	Captiva Island	4yo&up F&M	5 F (T)	\$100K
	Hutcheson	Зуо	6 F	\$100K
MAR 16	Any Limit	3yo Fillies	6 F	\$100K
MAR 22	Texas Glitter	Зуо	5 F (T)	\$100K
MAR 23	Melody of Colors	3yo Fillies	5 F (T)	\$100K
MAR 29	Curlin Florida Derby (G1)	Зуо	11/8 M	\$1M
	Gulfstream Park Oaks (G2)	3yo Fillies	1 1/16 M	\$250K
	Pan American (G2)	4yo&up	11/2 M (T)	\$200K
	Orchid (G3)	4yo&up F&M	1 1/2 M (T)	\$150K
	Ghostzapper (G3)	4yo&up	1 1/16 M	\$150K
	Appleton	4yo&up	1 M (T)	\$150K
	Sand Springs	4yo&up F&M	1 1/16 M (T)	\$150K
	Sir Shackleton	4yo&up	7 F	\$150K
	Cutler Bay	Зуо	7 1/2 F (T)	\$150K
	Sanibel Island	3yo Fillies	7 1/2 F (T)	\$150K

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# The Championship Meet

# At Gulfstream Park 2024/2025

GULFSTREAM PARK

# GULFSTREAM ANNOUNCES 2024/25 CHAMPIONSHIP MEET SCHEDULE

\$5.55 Million Pegasus World Cup Day Saturday, January 25
\$1 Million Curlin Florida Derby March 29
66 Stakes, 30 Graded
Meet Begins Thanksgiving Day



**HALLANDALE BEACH, FL** - Gulfstream Park's acclaimed Championship Meet, highlighted by the \$3 million Pegasus World Cup Invitational (G1) and \$1 million Pegasus World Cup Turf Invitational (G1) Jan. 25 and the \$1 million Curlin Florida Derby (G1) March 29, will launch its 2024-2025 season Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 28 and run through March 30, 2025.

The Championship Meet, the winter home of the top horses, horsemen and jockeys in the world, will play host to a total of 66 stakes races – 30 graded – totaling \$15.025 million. Opening weekend begins with 2-year-old turf stakes Thanksgiving Day and Friday, Nov. 29, and the \$600,000 finals of the Florida Sire Stakes Saturday, Nov. 30.

Pegasus World Cup Day will offer eight stakes races – seven graded plus two overnight handicaps - totaling \$5.55 million. Along with the \$3 million World Cup and \$1 million World Cup Turf, the day will also feature the \$500,000 Pegasus Filly & Mare Turf Invitational (G2), \$200,000 Inside Information (G2) for fillies and mares, the \$200,000 W.L. McKnight (G3) for 4-year-olds and up and \$150,000 La Prevoyante (G3) for 4-year-olds and up fillies and mares, both at 1½ miles on the turf, and the \$150,000 Fred Hooper (G3) for 4-year-olds and up at a mile on the main track.

The \$150,000 Gulfstream Park Turf Sprint, for 4-yearolds and up on the turf, is expected to draw a crowd as are two overnight handicaps run on Gulfstream's Tapeta track – the \$100,000 Carousel Club and \$100,000 South Beach.

In just eight years the Pegasus World Cup and Pegasus World Cup Turf have hosted Horses of the Year in Gun Runner, California Chrome, Knicks Go and Bricks and Mortar, as well as two-time Longines World's Best Racehorse Arrogate. The race has also attracted runners from England, Ireland and Japan, as well as the world's most noted celebrities and entertainers.

PEGASUS WORLD CUP DAY							
January 25, 2025							
\$3 million Pegasus World Cup (G1)	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub> miles						
\$1 Million Pegasus World Cup Turf (G1)	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub> miles						
\$500,000 Pegasus F&M Turf (G2)	<b>1</b> <sup>1</sup> /16 <b>miles</b>						
\$200,000 Inside Information (G2)	7 furlongs						
\$200,000 W.L. McKnight (G3)	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> miles turf						
\$150,000 La Prevoyante (G3)	1 ½ miles turf						
\$150,000 Fred Hooper (G3)	1 mile						
\$150,000 Gulfstream Park Turf Sprint	5 furlongs turf						
\$100,000 Carousel Club	1m, 70 yds Tapeta						
\$100,000 South Beach	1m, 70 yds Tapeta						

# The Championship Meet

# At Gulfstream Park 2024/2025

The Curlin Florida Derby highlights 10 stakes totaling \$2.5 million - five graded - including the \$250,000 Gulfstream Park Oaks (G2) for 3-year-old fillies, two 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> mile turf events in the \$200.000 Pan American (G2) for older horses and \$150,000 Orchid (G3) for fillies and mares, and the \$150,000 Ghostzapper (G3) for 4-year-olds and up on the main track.

The Florida Derby continues to be the leader in establishing classic winners. There have been 46 Florida Derby starters that have won a remarkable 59 Triple Crown events, including 25 Kentucky Derbys.

Meanwhile, last winter's Gulfstream Park Oaks produced Alabama (G1) winner Power Squeeze, Test (G1) winners Ways and Means, Black-Eyed Susan (G2) winner Gun Song, and Monmouth Oaks (G2) winner Scalable.

Two big days with major preps for the spring classics lead up to the Curlin Florida Derby.

On Feb. 1, the \$250,000 Holy Bull (G3) is the featured event of a five stakes program that includes three other graded races - the \$150,000 Forward Gal (G3) on the main track, \$150,000 Kitten's Joy (G3) and \$150.000 Sweetest Chant (G3) on turf. both contested on the turf.

The final preps for the Curlin Florida Derby and Gulfstream Park Oaks is March 1. The nine stakes program - eight graded - is led by the \$400,000 Fountain of Youth (G2), won by Belmont (G1) and Haskell (G1) winner Dornoch last winter, and \$200,000 Davona Dale (G2).

Gulfstream's renowned 3-year-old series begins Jan. 4 with the \$150,000 Mucho Macho Man followed by the Holy Bull, Fountain of Youth and Florida Derby.

The 3-year-old filly series begins Jan. 1 with the \$100,000 Cash Run at a mile, followed by the Forward Gal. Davona Dale and Gulfstream Park Oaks on Derby Day.

Gulfstream's turf course will offer a plethora of opportunities for all horses during the Championship Meet. In December 3-year-olds and up will have

the \$100.000 H. Allen Jerkens at two miles and the \$200,000 Fort Lauderdale (G2) at 11/8 miles, while 3-year-olds and upward will have opportunities in the \$150,000 Suwannee River (G3) at a mile and the \$100,000 Abundantia at five furlongs.

From January through March, older turf horses and fillies and mares will each have eight turf stakes available at a mile or more. Five of the eight in both divisions will be graded. Turf sprinters will also have plenty of opportunities. Fillies and mares will contest the \$125,000 Ladies Turf Sprint and \$100,000 Captiva Island while 4-year-olds and up will contest the Gulfstream Turf Sprint and \$100,000 Silks Run.

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FLORIDA DERBY DAY		FOUNTAIN OF YO
March 29, 2025		March 1, 2025
\$1 million Curlin Florida Derby (G1)	1 ¼ miles	\$400,000 Fountain of
\$250,000 Gulfstream Park Oaks (G2)	<b>1</b> 1/16 miles	\$200,000 Davona Dale
\$200,000 Pan American (G2)	1 ½ miles turf	\$200,000 Gulfstream
\$150,000 Orchid (G3)	1 ½ miles turf	\$200,000 Mac Diarmic
\$150,000 Ghostzapper (G3)	<b>1</b> <sup>1</sup> / <sub>16</sub> miles	\$150,000 Canadian Tu
\$150,000 Appleton	1 mile turf	\$150,000 Honey Fox (
\$150,000 Sand Springs	1 <sup>1</sup> /16 miles turf	\$150,000 The Very Or
\$150,000 Sir Shackleton	7 furlongs	\$200,000 Herecomest
\$150,000 Sanibel Island	7 ½ furlongs turf	\$200,000 Colonel Liar
\$150,000 Cutler Bay	7 ½ furlongs turf	

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BEGINNINGS

### 1939

Gulfstream Park offered its first thoroughbred racing card on Wednesday, February 1, 1939, when Candar jumped out of the gate on top and romped to an easy 3 1/2-length victory in the first race. An estimated crowd of 18,000 wagered \$224,287 after Sonia Henie, the Norwegian 3-time Olympic champion figure skater and newly turned Hollywood film star, cut the ceremonial ribbon. Jack Horning, a 28-year-old Miami contractor and heir to a Pittsburgh steel fortune, had been credited with pulling off a near miracle getting the track operational for opening day. Gulfstream Park had risen from an empty field along U.S. 1 in just 48 days. The track conducted only four of 40 scheduled days of racing due to financial problems that shuttered the facility for nearly five years.

# 1940-1943

Closed

### 1944

Gulfstream Park reopened on December 1, 1944. James Donn Sr., owner of Exotic Gardens and one of the creditors left unpaid when the track closed in 1939, stepped in to take over the reins and operated a 20-day meeting with an average attendance of 4,434 and an average handle of \$281,902.

### 1947

Armed, Thoroughbred racing's biggest attraction rebounded from a stunning fifth-place finish in the Santa Anita Handicap with a track-record performance in the \$25,000 Gulfstream Park Handicap, easily beating stablemate Pot o' Luck by a measured length under a stranglehold by jockey Doug Dodson. Armed shaved more than four seconds off the track record with his 2:01 2/5 clocking despite never having been allowed to fully exert himself.

### 1948

Rampart, a 6-year-old mare, became the first of her sex to win the Gulfstream Park Handicap, defeating defending champion and reigning Horse of the Year Armed.

### 1949

Coaltown set a track record for 1 1/4 miles while winning the \$20,000 Gulfstream Park Handicap in 1:59 4/5. After setting sprint-like fractions of :22 3/5, :45, 1:09 and 1:34 1/5 (a fifth of a second faster than the mile world record), Coaltown was eased up as he crossed the finish line seven lengths ahead of Three Rings. Carrying high weight of 128 pounds, including jockey Ovie Scurlock, Coaltown was timed in 1:59 4/5, equaling the world record shared by Shannon II (Golden Gate Fields) and Saint Andrews II (England).

### 1952

The Florida Derby was inaugurated on March 15, 1952, when an 18-horse field was assembled for the 1 1/8-mile stakes for 3-year-olds, requiring four horses to line up outside the 14-stall starting gate. Sky Ship, ridden by Ronnie Nash, prevailed by a head over Handsome Teddy. Sky Ship was sent to post at 11-1 and surely would have paid more than \$24.10 had he not run in an entry with Closed Door, who finished a never-threatening sixth. Both horses carried the blue and white colors of Brookmeade, owned by Dodge automobile heiress Mrs. Isabel Dodge Sloan. The first Florida Derby Day at Gulfstream was attended by 17,915 who wagered \$1.3 million on a nine-race program. The clubhouse and a grandstand addition were constructed.

### 1953

The Florida Derby became the first stakes to carry a \$100,000 purse in the history of thoroughbred racing in the Sunshine State. Money Broker, a 15-1 longshot, won by a head to collect a winner's share of \$88,000 from a total purse of \$133,750. Dark Star, who finished 13th, went on to win the Kentucky Derby. Crafty Admiral successfully defended his Gulfstream Park Handicap title.

### 1955

Nashua captured the \$148,750 Florida Derby on March 26, 1955, but the 4-5 favorite of a crowd of 24,873 made it interesting. Nashua was reserved off the early pace before making a sweeping move around the turn to get the lead in mid-stretch. Just as he was putting away pacesetter First Cabin at the eighth-pole, Nashua, apparently thinking his job was done, suddenly tried to prop. With late-closing Blue Lem bearing down, Arcaro got Nashua's mind back on running just in time to eke out victory by a neck. Nashua went on to finish second behind Swaps in the Kentucky Derby before winning the Preakness and Belmont Stakes.



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### 1956

Swaps set a world record of 1:39 3/5 for a mile and 70 yards in the Broward Handicap while conceding 8-25 pounds to his rivals as the 130-pound highweight. Needles closed from 14th and last to be a popular winner of the \$145,400 Florida Derby. He went on to become the first Florida-bred horse to win the Kentucky Derby.

#### 1957

Gen. Duke equaled the world record of 1:46 4/5 for 11/8 miles under Bill Hartack while defeating heavily favored Bold Ruler in the \$123,600 Florida Derby. Bardstown became the first to carry 130 pounds to victory in the \$126,600 Gulfstream Park Handicap.

#### 1958

Round Table had to carry 14-22 pounds more than his rivals in the Gulfstream Park Handicap that attracted 25,389, the largest attendance in two years. Even that huge concession in weights wasn't sufficient to make the race competitive, as Round Table rallied to overtake front-runner Meeting in mid-stretch and draw away to a four-length win under 130 pounds. Ridden by Bill Shoemaker, who was nursing a leg injury suffered in a spill at Santa Anita two weeks earlier, Round Table ran the 11/4 miles in 1:59 4/5 to equal the track record set by Coaltown in the 1949 Gulfstream Park Handicap. In the Florida Derby, heavily favored Tim Tam rallied late to prevail by just a half-length over 75-1 pacesetter Lincoln Road. Tim Tam went on to win the Kentucky Derby and Preakness.



Needles became the first Florida-bred horse to win the Kentucky Derby.

### TURF & A NEW ERA

### 1959

Gulfstream opened its world acclaimed turf course. Woody Stephens-trained One-Eyed King won the first running of the Donn Handicap, which was inaugurated at 11/2 miles on turf. Easy Spur followed up victories in the Hutcheson and Fountain of Youth with a three-quarter-length victory over Sword Dancer in the Florida Derby. Favored at 4-5, Easy Spur was jockey Bill Hartack's third consecutive success in the Florida Derby. Trainer Arnold Winick wrapped up his first of 12 Gulfstream training titles.

#### 1960

Bally Ache and Venetian Way sparked a hotly contested rivalry in the 1960 Florida Derby. After beating Venetian Way by a nose in Gulfstream's signature race, the two colts reversed positions in the Kentucky Derby. Bally Ache went on to win the Preakness. Woody Stephens-trained Bald Eagle captured the Grade 1 Gulfstream Park Handicap on his way to a year-end championship.

### 1961

J ames Donn Jr. became president of Gulfstream. What was at the time the world's largest tote board was erected in the infield.

#### 1972

Gulfstream awarded choice "middle" dates (January 17-March 2) for the first time. The richest purse schedule in Florida history (\$3.4 million) was offered and the Florida Derby became the state's richest race when its value was raised to \$125,000-added.

#### 1978

Doug Donn, following the death of his father, James Donn Jr., was elected Gulfstream Park president.

### 1979

Gulfstream set a record for handle, \$94,568,590, during its 44-day meeting. A one-day handle record of \$3,641,157 was set Florida Derby Day. New mutuel machines were installed, giving patrons the ability to bet and cash any amount at the same window.

### 1980

Jockey Angel Cordero Jr. set a meeting record with 60 winners.

#### 1981

A state handle record was set with \$103,531,722 for 50-day meeting. Single-day mark of \$4,090,109 established on Florida Derby Day.

#### 1983

Record \$104,049,307 bet at 50-day meeting. Single-day mark upped to \$4,568,618.

### 1985

50-day meeting handle record set with \$114,940,056. Florida Derby Day handle, a record \$5,008,579. One Pick 6 ticket returns \$289,793.60. Takeout on multiple horse wagers cut from 22 to 20%.

# History



At Gulfstream Park

### 1986

Handle for 50-day meeting again set record with \$114,995,640.

### 1989

For the first time, Gulfstream staged the \$10 million Breeders' Cup as part of its "Ultimate Weekend of Racing" Friday, Saturday and Sunday, November 3-5. Highlights included Sunday Silence and Easy Goer

in the Classic, and Bayakoa in the Ladies' Classic.

### 1990

Bertram and Diana Firestone, then-owners of Calder Race Course, purchased Gulfstream. The 90-day meeting produced a record \$167,552,397 handle. The Florida Legislature passed the Inter-Track Wagering (ITW) bill. Bill Shoemaker rode Beau Genius, the last winner of his brilliant riding career, to victory in the Hallandale Handicap.

### 1991

The Donn Handicap was selected the inaugural race in the American Championship Racing Series. The meeting handle set a record \$179,532,495. Gulfstream Park Racing Association Inc., owner of Gulfstream Park, was acquired from Catoctin International Racing Corp. by Gulfstream Holdings Inc., a subsidiary of Orient Corp. The acquisition was completed on December 27.

### 1992

For the second time, Gulfstream hosted the \$10 million Breeders' Cup program, again staging a three-day "mini" meet. The total handle of \$79,790,369 for the Breeders' Cup 10-race program was a North American record for a single day's betting.

### 1993

The handle for the 68-day meeting was \$248,661,887 - largest in Florida history. Wagering from simulcasting boosted that total to \$387,019,482. Julie Krone was leading jockey with 96 wins.

### 1994

Gulfstream enjoyed the most successful meeting in Florida history. For the 62 days, the total from all sources (commingled and non-commingled) was \$560,962,021. Holy Bull won the Florida Derby and would go on to be named Horse of the Year.

### 1995

Cigar was the story at the 63-day meeting, winning the Donn and Gulfstream Park handicaps en route to an undefeated season and Horse of the Year honors. Thunder Gulch captured the Florida Derby and Fountain of Youth Stakes and later took two-thirds of the Triple Crown. Jockey Jerry Bailey won seven races on March 11 (Florida Derby Day) erasing the mark of six set by Charlie Burr in 1953. A record total mutuel handle of \$622,039,493 was wagered.

### 1996

Cigar continued his winning streak (it would reach 16) with a smashing score in the Donn Handicap, his season debut. Unbridled's Song turned in a tour de force to win the Florida Derby and Jerry Bailey notched a second consecutive title by winning five races on the meet's final day to edge Shane Sellers, 97-96. Bill Mott captured his fourth consecutive training title and Frank Passero Jr., second in the standings, set a North American record by sending out 14 consecutive winners, shattering the old mark of nine.

### 1997

The introduction of full-card simulcasting helped set records in average daily handle, total commingled handle, on-track handle, ITW handle and ISW handle.

### 1998

Increases in on-track attendance and handle continued Gulfstream's upward swing, with the on-track wagering total of \$133,517,034 establishing a record. Fans were treated to performances by five Eclipse champions, Skip Away, Favorite Trick, Buck's Boy, Escena and Banshee Breeze, during the 63-day meet. Jerry Bailey regained his spot as Gulfstream's leading rider and Bill Mott notched his sixth consecutive trainer's title.

### 1999

The tone for the meet was set from the start, with an opening-day attendance record of 31,831 established January 3, and by the end of the meet, wagering from all sources topped the \$700 million mark. Jorge Chavez (91 wins) and Frank Passero Jr. (29 wins) topped the jockey and trainer standings, respectively. In September, Gulfstream was sold to Magna Entertainment Corp. and from November 5-7, played host to its third Breeders' Cup meet. Total wagering on the November 6 program exceeded \$100 million, then an all-time North American record.

### 2000

Local favorite Hal's Hope captured the Florida Derby. Jockey Jorge Chavez (77 wins) and trainer Bill Mott (30 wins) took titles in their respective categories.

### 2001

Monarchos put in a dominating performance in the Florida Derby, then became the 19th Florida Derby performer to capture the Kentucky Derby. Jerry Bailey won 13 stakes during the 63-day meeting to best his own record by one.



### 2002

The 90-day meet featured a plethora of superlative performances, among them Hal's Hope's triumph in the Gulfstream Park Handicap on March 30. The win made Hal's Hope, who captured the 2000 Florida Derby, the only horse in Gulfstream history to win both events. Bill Mott saddled 32 winners and won his ninth Gulfstream training title in 10 years, while Edgar Prado topped the Gulfstream standings for the first time, winning with 82 mounts. Palm Meadows, MEC's state-of-the-art training center, opened in November.

### 2003

Gulfstream established a Florida record for parimutuel handle with a total of \$825.3 million wagered during its 89-day season, a meet which saw the introduction of the Sunshine Millions. The Sunshine Millions pitted Florida-breds vs. California-breds for \$3.6 million in purses at Gulfstream and Santa Anita. The inaugural was attended by more than 36,000 fans at the two tracks and was covered nationally by NBC. Eibar Coa won his first Gulfstream jockey championship with 91 winners.

### 2004

Within days of the conclusion of the meeting, Gulfstream Park began work on a massive renovation project that dramatically altered the look of the facility, ushering in a new era of racing and entertainment. The old grandstand and clubhouse were leveled in July; the main track was enlarged from a mile to 11/8 miles, and the turf course was widened from 80 to 170 feet. Todd Pletcher won his first of a long string of training titles at Gulfstream. On November 2, voters statewide approved Amendment 4, which altered the Florida Constitution, authorizing the slots question to be placed on the ballot in Dade and Broward counties.

### 2005

Temporary structures were used during the 2005 meet as work progressed on the state-of-the-art clubhouse. Trainer Nick Zito saddled High Fly and Noble Causeway for 1-2 finishes in the Florida Derby. On March 8, Broward County voters passed an initiative allowing slot machines to be placed in its four existing pari-mutuel facilities.

### 2006

Barbaro took the Holy Bull and the Florida Derby during the Gulfstream meet. He went on to win the Kentucky Derby by a wide margin before sustaining a catastrophic injury in the Preakness that would claim his life after a valiant struggle. On January 4, Gov. Jeb Bush signed the slots bill into law.

### 2007

Reigning Horse of the Year Invasor overcame a stumble midway around the final turn to win the Donn Handicap before going to Dubai to win the World Cup. Development partner Forest City began construction of Phase 1, the retail aspect, of The Village at Gulfstream Park. Thoroughbred racing and slot machines mixed for the first time in the state of Florida when the meet opened January 3.

### 2008

Big Brown was the big story, winning the Florida Derby from post No. 12 by five lengths and, five weeks later, winning the Kentucky Derby. The colt would win two-thirds of the Triple Crown before being defeated in the Belmont Stakes. Ginger Punch and Sugar Swirl were a dynamic distaff duo for owner Frank Stronach. Ginger Punch, the champion mare of 2007, won the Sunshine Millions Distaff while Sugar Swirl became the first to sweep Gulfstream's three stakes for older female sprinters – the First Lady, Hurricane Bertie and Shirley Jones.

### 2009

Quality Road, owned by Edward Evans and trained by Todd Pletcher, set a track record in winning the Florida Derby over stablemate Dunkirk. Breeders' Cup Mile winner Kip DeVille beat Breeders' Cup Turf winner Red Rocks in the Gulfstream Park Turf.

### 2010

For only the sixth time in the Florida Derby's 59-year history, the 11/8-mile event is determined by a head when Ice Box rallied from last in an 11-horse field to beat Pleasant Prince. Ice Box would finish second in the Kentucky Derby. Quality Road returned to Gulfstream to break his own track record when winning the Donn Handicap by a record 12 3/4 lengths after starting his 4-year-old season with a win in the Hal's Hope. Todd Pletcher-trained Super Saver became the fifth Kentucky Derby winner in eight years to winter and train at Palm Meadows.





## A BRIGHTER FUTURE WITH THE STRONACH GROUP

### 2011

Big Drama, the winner of the 2010 Breeders' Cup Sprint and Eclipse Award, set a track record for six furlongs while winning the Mr. Prospector (G3) in 1:08.12. Little Mike became the only horse to win three graded stakes during the 79-day meeting while capturing the Appleton (G3), Canadian Turf (G3) and Fort Lauderdale (G3). Dialed In closed from far back to win the \$1 million Florida Derby (G1), giving trainer Nick Zito and owner Robert LaPenta back-to-back victories in Gulfstream's signature race. The Rainbow 6 wager was instituted and the pool climbed to \$5.018 million on the next to last day of the meeting, when the mandatory payoff resulted in 1,311 winning tickets worth \$3,279.26 each.

### 2011-2012

Jockey Javier Castellano scored his 3,000th career victory on his way to capturing the riding title with a record 112 winners. Take Charge Indy, trained by Pat Byrne, led from gate-to-wire to win the \$1 million Florida Derby. Fountain of Youth winner Union Rags, who finished third, would go on to win the Belmont Stakes. The Florida Derby generated record handles for the state-of-the-art facility, where \$2.9 million was wagered on-track and the all-sources handle climbed to a record \$26.7 million.

### 2012-2013

Orb prepared for his Kentucky Derby victory with scores in an allowance race, the \$400,000 Fountain of Youth (G2) and the \$1 million Florida Derby (G1). Itsmyluckyday, who finished second in the Florida Derby, also won two important stakes: the \$100,000 Gulfstream Park Derby and the \$400,000 Holy Bull (G3). Point of Entry defeated 2011 Kentucky Derby winner and eventual Dubai World Cup winner Animal Kingdom in the Gulfstream Park Turf Handicap (G1). The Eclipse Awards Dinner was held for the first time at the Sport of Kings facility at Gulfstream. The Claiming Crown was held for the first time at Gulfstream Park and spurred a 66-percent betting increase over the previous season's opener.

### 2013-2014

The 75th anniversary meeting was highlighted by Constitution narrow victory over Wildcat Red in the \$1 million Florida Derby on a card that generated all-time record handles. A total of \$26.8 million was wagered on the Florida Derby Day program, eclipsing the 2013 record of \$24.6 million and representing an 8.96 percent increase. In addition, the \$36.469 million wagered during the two-day Florida Derby Weekend broke the 2004 record of \$36.064 million. Bill Mott-trained Lea emerged as a blossoming handicap star with his second stakes score of the meeting with his win in the \$500,000 Donn Handicap in the track-record time of 1:46.86. Earlier on the Donn Handicap undercard, two-time champion Groupie Doll, the two-time Breeders' Cup Filly & Mare Sprint (G1) champion, made a spectacular exit from racing in the Hurricane Bertie (G3). The Eclipse Awards returned to Gulfstream. Jockey Javier Castellano captured a record 132 races during the Championship Meet to notch his third straight title and third straight 100-win season, and Todd Pletcher comfortably claimed his 11th straight Champions Meet title while saddling eight gradedstakes winners. The inaugural summer meeting that began on July 1 proved to be a huge success.

### 2014-2015

The 76th Championship Meet at Gulfstream Park was highlighted by Materiality's front-running victory in the 64th running of the \$1 million Florida Derby (G1) on March 28. The Todd Pletcher-trained colt withstood a strong stretch challenge by Holy Bull (G2) winner Upstart to win Gulfstream's signature race in only his third lifetime race, matching the accomplishment of stablemate Constitution, who captured the 2014 Florida Derby with only two prior starts. Constitution returned in 2015 to capture Gulfstream's premier event for older horses, the \$500,000 Donn Handicap (G1) on February 7. Pletcher dominated the trainer standings with 46 trips to the winner's circle to capture his unprecedented 12th consecutive Championship Meet title, Jockey Javier Castellano notched his 4000th career victory when he capped a three-win day on February 8 to achieve the milestone aboard Captain Stan in the 10th race. Castellano continued his winning ways to capture his fourth straight Championship Meet title and fourth-straight 100-win season in a row. Ken and Sarah Ramsey took their fourth straight owner title with 23 trips to the winner's circle. Castellano,



Pletcher and the Ramseys were all honored for their 2014 achievements at the 44th annual Eclipse Awards dinner, held in Gulfstream's Sport of Kings facility. Gulfstream Park became the new home of the Florida Sire Stakes in 2014, when Jacks or Better Farm and trainer Stanley Gold extended their respective races won records to 16 in the stakes series for horses sired by stallions standing in Florida. In July 2015, Gulfstream Park also welcomed the Summit of Speed, a \$1.175 million program of nine stakes, including two Breeders' Cup 'Win & You're In' events, the \$250,000 Smile Sprint (G2, won by Favorite Tale, and the \$250,000 Princess Rooney (G2), captured by Merry Meadow.

### 2015-2016

The \$1 million Florida Derby (G1) continued its tradition of Triple Crown success in 2016. Reddam Racing's Nyquist maintained a perfect record while winning Gulfstream's signature race by 3 1/4 lengths - an impressive performance that propelled him to victory in the Kentucky Derby (G1) five weeks later. The Doug O'Neill-trained 3-5 favorite, who became the first West Coast shipper to win the Florida Derby since Empire Maker (2003), was ridden by Mario Gutierrez. Nyquist's triumph was worth a record \$1.6 million, including a \$1 million bonus from Fasig-Tipton. The 14-race program highlighted by the 11/8-mile feature event generated a Florida Derby Day handle record of \$32,082,270. The big day punctuated a banner 2015-2016 season that generated a record allsources handle of \$807 million, a 15-percent increase over the 2014-2015 record handle of \$704 million. The average daily handle for the 2015-2016 meet reached a record \$9.55 million, up from the 2014-2015 average of \$8.1 million. Todd Pletcher extended his domination of the trainer standings with an unprecedented 13th consecutive title with 62 victories, while Javier Castellano won his fifth straight riding title with 113 wins. Cathryn Sophia registered a pair of dazzling

triumphs, overwhelming her 3-year-old filly rivals by 5 1/2 lengths in the Forward Gal (G2) and by seven lengths in the Davona Dale (G2), before going on to win the Kentucky Oaks (G1).

### 2016-2017

Highlighted by memorable editions of the \$1 million Florida Derby (G1) and the \$12 million Pegasus World Cup Invitational (G1), the 2016-2017 Championship Meet registered a record all-sources handle of \$867 million for the 87-day session. Always Dreaming captured the Florida Derby by five lengths before going on to score a 2 3/4-length victory in the Kentucky Derby five weeks later. Always Dreaming gave trainer Todd Pletcher his most important victory of a meet during which he claimed his 14th straight title. In the inaugural edition of the Pegasus World Cup, Bob Baffert-trained Arrogate validated his No. 1 world ranking with a stunning 4 3/4-length victory in the ground-breaking event that also attracted California Chrome, the 2014 Kentucky Derby and Preakness winner who was named 2016 Horse of the Year in January during the Eclipse Awards Dinner in Gulfstream's Sport of Kings Theater. Luis Saez claimed his first Championship Meet title with 102 trips to the winner's circle.

### 2017-2018

The 89-day Championship Meet once again generated a record handle of \$957 million, representing a 10.4 percent increase over the previous season. Record handles were also achieved on the \$16 million Pegasus World Cup Invitational (G1) program January 27 (\$41.9 million) and the \$1 million Florida Derby (G1) card (\$49.9 million) March 31. Gun Runner closed out a remarkable career with a 2 1/2-length triumph in the Pegasus World Cup two days after being named 2017 Horse of the Year at the Eclipse Award ceremony in Gulfstream's Sport of Kings facility. Trainer Todd Pletcher, who won an unprecedented 15th straight training title, captured



### 2018-2019

The \$9 million Pegasus World Cup Invitational (G1), won by Breeders' Cup Mile champion City of Light, was supported by the inaugural running of the \$7 million Pegasus World Cup Turf Invitational (G1), captured by Bricks and Mortar, in the \$16 million Pegasus World Cup Championship Invitational series. Maximum Security remained undefeated while winning the \$1 million Florida Derby (G1) before going on to prevail by 1<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lengths in the Kentucky Derby, only to be disgualified. Undefeated Mexican Triple Crown champion Kukulkan registered a 10 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>-length triumph in the \$300,000 Clasico del Caribe, while stablemate Jala Jala returned to Gulfstream to win the Copa Confraternidad del Caribe. Trainer Jorge Navarro captured his first Championship meet title, ending Todd Pletcher's unprecedented streak of 15 consecutive titles. Irad Ortiz Jr. rode 135 winners, edging two-time defending titlist Luis Saez by one winner. Jockey Tyler Gaffalione notched his 1,000th winner at Gulfstream aboard Mission From Elle in a maiden race.



### 2019-2020

Gulfstream Park, through strict protocols developed in communication with government and health officials, blazed the trail for the safe continuation of racing in the midst of the global COVID-19 pandemic. The 69th Florida Derby (G1) was run without spectators but with spectacular results. Sackatoga Stable's Tiz the Law captured the Triple Crown's premier prep by 3 ¾ lengths on his way to victories in the Belmont (G1) and Travers (G1), while a record \$53.8 million was wagered on the Florida Derby Day card. Peter Callahan's Swiss Skydiver, the 3 ¼-length winner of the Gulfstream Park Oaks (G2) that day, went on beat the boys in the Preakness Stakes (G1), as well as score in the Alabama (G1) and Santa Anita Oaks (G2).

Earlier during the Championship Meet, Mucho Gusto, who won the \$3 million Pegasus World Cup Invitational (G1) and Zulu Alpha, who captured the \$1 million Pegasus World Cup Turf Invitational (G1), thrilled fans at Gulfstream January 25.

### 2020-2021

The \$3 million Pegasus World Cup Invitational (G1) headlined a spectacular day of Thoroughbred racing in January. Korea Racing Authority's Knicks Go, coming off a track record-breaking victory in the Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile (G1), carried his brilliant speed over 1 1/8-miles to score a definitive 2<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>-length triumph over Jesus' Team, the locally based Jose D'Angelo trainee who had also finished second in the Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile. Robert and Lawana Low's Colonel Liam made an auspicious stakes debut while winning the co-featured \$1 million Pegasus World Cup Turf Invitational (G1) by a neck over Largent, his fellow Todd Pletcher trainee. Colonel Liam went on to win the Munoz Memorial (G2) at Fair Grounds and the Turf Classic (G1) at Churchill Downs in his next two starts. Pletcher went on to saddle St. Elias Stable's Known Agenda for a victory in the Florida Derby (G1) in March, notching his record sixth

success in the Gulfstream's premier Triple Crown prep race. Pletcher claimed his record 18th Championship Meet title with 58 trips to the winner's circle. Known Agenda was Irad Ortiz Jr.'s Championship Meet record-breaking 138th winner. The three-time titlist finished the meet with 140 winners.

### 2021-2022

Life Is Good pulled off a 3 1/4-length victory over defending champion Knicks Go in the \$3 million Pegasus World Cup Invitational (G1) Jan. 29. The Todd Pletcher-trained 4-year-old son of Into Mischief, who captured the Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile (G1) at Del Mar, ran 1 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>8</sub> miles in 1:48.91 under Irad Ortiz Jr. Ortiz also guided defending champion Colonel Liam to a length victory in the \$1 million Pegasus World Cup Invitational Turf (G1). Ortiz had notched his 3000th career victory in North America Feb. 24 aboard Order and Law. Jose Ortiz rode Chad Brown-trained Regal Glory for a 2 ½-length victory in the \$500,000 Pegasus World Cup Filly and Mare Turf Invitational (G3). Saffie Joseph Jr., who unseated 18-time titlist Todd Pletcher to claim his first Championship Meet title, saddled White Abarrio for a 1 ¼-length score in the \$1 million Curlin Florida Derby (G1) April 2, giving jockey Tyler Gaffalione his first victory in the premier Triple Crown prep. Luis Saez, who had captured back-to-back Championship Meet titles in 2016-2017 and 2017-2018, regained supremacy among jockeys with 122 wins, dethroning defending three-time champ Irad Ortiz Jr.

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### 2023-2024

National Treasure, the 2023 Preakness Stakes (G1) winner, provided Hall of Fame trainer Bob Baffert his third success in the \$3 million Pegasus World Cup Invitational (G1) Jan. 27. Baffert had previously found the Pegasus winner's circle with Arrogate (2017) and Mucho Gusto (2020)....Hall of Fame trainer Todd Pletcher scored his record-extending eighth victory in the \$1 million Curlin Florida Derby (G1) after saddling Fierceness, the 2023 2-year-old champion, for a stunning 13 ½-length romp...Danny Gargantrained Dornoch captured the Fountain of Youth (G2) and went on to win the Belmont Stakes (G1) at Saratoga....Irad Ortiz Jr., who rode 119 winners, won the Championship Meet riding title for the fifth time in the past six seasons while making a successful defense of his 2022-2023 title...Saffie Joseph Jr. collected his third straight Championship Meet training title following Hall of Famer Todd Pletcher's 18-vear reign. Joseph saddled 66 winners....Ken Ramsev claimed the owner title with 27 winners.



# Palm Meadows

# The Winter Home of Champions

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Palm Meadows, regarded as the finest Thoroughbred training center in North America, continues to be fertile ground for developing champions of all ages and on all surfaces.

Palm Meadows, the innovative, world-class training facility owned by The Stronach Group, is a sprawling 286-acre facility located in Palm Beach County 45 miles north of Gulfstream Park.

Kentucky Derby winners Animal Kingdom (2011), Super Saver (2010), Big Brown (2008), Street Sense (2007) and Barbaro (2006), as well as Funny Cide (2003), all took up winter residence at Palm Meadows, as did Horse of the Year and Breeders' Cup winners Bricks and Mortar (2019), Invasor (2006), Saint Liam (2005) and Ghostzapper (2004).

Other noteworthy residents have included Belmont Stakes winners Dornoch (2024) Tonalist (2014), Palace Malice (2013), Union Rags (2012), Ruler On Ice (2011), Da' Tara (2008), Jazil (2006) and Birdstone (2004); Travers winners V.E. Day (2014), Alpha (2012), Stay Thirsty (2011), Afleet Express (2010), Street Sense (2007), Bernardini (2006) and Flower Alley (2005); multiple Grade I winner Quality Road, and juvenile champions Good Magic (2017), Shanghai Bobby (2012), Uncle Mo (2010) and War Pass (2007).

Palm Meadows has drawn rave reviews since opening Nov. 29, 2002. The facility has a seven-furlong, 176-foot wide turf course, a 1 1/8-mile main track and a one-mile jogging path. Its 40 barns, which each contain 36 stalls, accommodate a total of 1,325 thoroughbreds.

Trainer Tom Albertrani has called Palm Meadows the "best Thoroughbred training center I have ever been to." Trainer Barclay Tagg echoed Albertrani's sentiments: "I believe it is, without doubt, the best Thoroughbred training center in North America." Jockey Alan Garcia has referred to Palm Meadows as "horse heaven."

The on-site facilities at Palm Meadows have been designed to be environmentally friendly while using





renewable resources. One of the structures at Palm Meadows houses a compost system that turns manure into nutrient-rich organic matter while being odorless and noiseless. Similar systems are in place in Europe, but this is the first of its kind to be employed in the U.S.

After the stalls receive their daily cleaning, the waste is collected, loaded on a truck and taken to the compost building, which is large enough to house not only a football field but the bleachers as well.

The living quarters at Palm Meadows are unparalleled. There are 32 rooms for trainers, each containing one bed, a full kitchen and bathroom, a living room, dishwasher, laundry facility, microwave and heating/ air conditioning. Phone service is available, and there is a common-area cafeteria, an employee lounge and a trainers' lounge.

There are also furnished grooms' quarters for 208 (double occupancy) featuring heating and air conditioning, private shower, sink, a laundry facility and more.

Palm Meadows' annual economic impact in the Boynton Beach area is estimated in excess of \$50 million, providing more than 2,000 jobs, either directly or indirectly.

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Coaltown Counterpoint Crafty Admiral Cryptoclearance Dark Star Davona Dale Daylami Decathlon Dehere De La Rose **Deputy Minister** Easy Goer Eillo Eliza Escena **Favorite Trick** Fly So Free **Foolish Pleasure** Forego Fort Marcy Forty Niner Forward Gal Fraise Funny Cide

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# Celebrities



# At Gulfstream Park

USHER IS WALKING THE BLUE CARPET. MATT DAMON IS PLAYING POKER. VANESSA HUDGENS AND OLIVIA CULPO ARE KINDLY TAKING PICTURES WITH FANS. SNOOP DOGG IS DRAWING A CROWD IN THE WALKING RING.

John Legend and Rick Ross are making a music video. Frank Sinatra and Raquel Welch are filming a movie.

Post Malone, Jimi Hendrix, Thomas Rhett, Cyndi Lauper, Frank Zappa are performing.

Yes, that's Mel Brooks telling one-liners in Ten Palms.

Joe Torre, Joe Pesci, David Cassidy and Rashard Lewis are leading their horses into the winner's circle. Mia Farrow, Lou Holtz, Erin Brockovich and Geraldo Rivera are guest speakers. Don Shula, Bob Griese and Larry King come to hang.

While Gulfstream has seen Thoroughbred racing's



biggest stars on its track. it's also been a magnet for celebrities in the sports and entertainment worlds. That's never more evident than in late January when Gulfstream plays host to the Pegasus World Cup Invitational

Series. Celebrities attending Pegasus have included Pharrell Williams, Lenny Kravitz, Bella Thorne, Usher, Karolina Kurkova, Prince Royce, Ludacris, Aaron Paul, Gene Simmons, Hudgens, Mike Ditka, DJ Cassidy and Emmanuelle Chriqui.

Frank Sinatra and Raquel Welch

You really don't know who you might bump into on any given day at Gulfstream Park. And the trail of celebrities starts on opening day, February 1, 1939.

In an attempt to attract attention to its first Thoroughbred racing program, original Gulfstream owner Jack Horning used part of the \$1.4 million he spent to build the track on having film star and threetime Olympic figure skating champion Sonja Henie cut a ceremonial ribbon to open the racing surface.

In 1947, three years after Gulfstream reopened under the Donn family, Babe Ruth and his wife Claire spent the afternoon at Gulfstream. Ruth, recuperating from throat surgery and weakened by cancer, would give an emotional speech just a week later when the Yankees hosted 'Babe Ruth Day' at Yankee Stadium.

In 1966, Jackie Gleason filmed his popular television show at Gulfstream, while in 1967 Frank Sinatra and Raquel Welch spent a day at Gulfstream filming scenes for the comedy-thriller 'Lady In Cement' with co-stars Richard Conte and Lainie Kazan. Sinatra and Welch were filmed sitting in the stands and the beginning of a race with Gulfstream emblazoned on top of the starting gate was used in the film's official trailer.

One of the most memorable events at Gulfstream occurred in May of 1968 when the track hosted what some will argue was the precursor to Woodstock – The Miami Pop Festival. Promoted by Michael Lang – who a year later would create and promote Woodstock – The Miami Pop Festival drew approximately 60,000 fans over two days to listen to a lineup that included Hendrix, Zappa, John Lee Hooker, The Crazy World of Arthur Brown, Chuck Berry and NRBQ. Linda Eastman, the future wife of Beatle Paul McCartney, also attended the event.

Ken Davidoff, who worked as a photographer for the Palm Beach Daily News, recalled: "The stage was on two flatbed trucks facing west (on the apron). Hendrix played at night, and he was wearing these blue velvet paints and told me I couldn't take flash pictures of him. Because it rained most of the second day, only three bands played. But everyone stayed at The Castaways hotel and they had a huge jam session there."

Terry Adams, a founding member of NRBQ who along with Bill Frisell composed the score for the 2018 film "Change in the Air," recalled the band wasn't part of the festival lineup. "We just wanted to go to the concert," Adams said. "So we walked up to the gate with our equipment and said, 'We're NRBQ.' And the guy opened the gate and let us in. We rescued Chuck Berry that night. He wasn't happy

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with his backup band so, while he was playing, we tapped each member of his backup band on their shoulder, took their instruments, and we slowly became his band."

While the first day ended with a tremendous fireworks display, the second day brought four inches of rain and the show was canceled after only a few acts played. Noted producer and engineer Eddie Kramer recalled in the book 'The Road to Woodstock,' that while he pulled away in a car from Gulfstream during the second day's torrential rain, Hendrix, sitting in the back seat of the car, wrote 'Rainy Day, Dream Away.'

From the 1960s through the 1980s, marching bands, parachutists, water skiers and circus performers were present during Florida Derby Day. There was also a Miss Florida Derby beauty pageant and Florida Derby Ball. One of the greatest spectacles on Derby Day was the animal races. One of those to participate in the races was jockey Mickey Solomone.

"I rode a few," Solomone recalled. "You name it they raced it. I don't even remember what I rode, zebras, donkeys. Rode an ostrich...that was not fun. They were nasty suckers to get on. But they came in with



different animals every year."

Gulfstream also worked with a number of spokespersons in the 80s and 90s, including Joe Namath, Larry King, Tony Curtis and Julie Krone. But as Gulfstream went through ownership and management changes in the 1990s, it also changed direction in marketing. Trying to figure out how to attract a younger audience to the track, Gulfstream started promoting concerts behind its grandstand.

"I think Gulfstream was always ahead of its time in marketing going back to the 1950s," former president Douglas Donn said. "We started the animal races, which was in Sports Illustrated and newspapers all across the country. The activities on Derby Day were designed to attract people who wouldn't come to horse racing. It was also about publicity, because it got back to the racing dates and the fact we were in a competitive situation (with Hialeah Park). So we made an effort to get more people here even if it didn't make economic sense. We became very aggressive.

"As far as the concerts, we advertised to bring new people here but it never happened. They were tuning us out. So what we did was we brought in acts and for the \$2 admission charge to the track you would get to see the concert. We did it during the races so we could show a little film, hold a seminar and hand out vouchers designed to get people interested in racing. We did a poor job of explaining to the horse community what the purpose and intent of having the shows during live racing was. That was our fault and, yes, it was an inconvenience. We didn't expect someone who had never been to the track to walk in and bet \$100. It was a long-term strategy."

On some days, when the track hosted the likes of Bryan Adams, Styx, the Beach Boys, Yes, Huey



Lewis and Cyndi Lauper (who told of walking hots in New York), Gulfstream was crowded with as many as 20,000 people. But if the concerts were creating new race fans, it never showed in the handle numbers, despite a parade of acts that also included the Little River Band, Richie Havens, Art Garfunkel, Joan Jett, Davey Jones and David Cassidy.

Sports stars have always had an appreciation of Thoroughbred racing's equine and human athletes. NHL Hall of Famer Denis Savard is a regular winter guest. Don Shula, Bill Parcells, Joe Torre, Paul Hornung, Michael Irvin, Don Zimmer, Jimmy Johnson, Bill Kilmer, Paul LoDuca, Nick Buoniconti and Sam Huff have all attended the races, as have retired NFL stars Wes Welker, Vince Wilfork and Jonathan Vilma. Rashard Lewis, a member of the NBA champion 2012-2013 Miami Heat, visited the winner's circle twice during the Championship season after two horses he co-owns with Jake Ballis - Cigar Street and White Rose - won races.



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Even Shaquille O'Neal made it to Gulfstream, donning jockey silks (and rather large silks) to shoot a commercial in the winner's circle.

Joe Pesci visited Gulfstream several times in 2004 to watch a filly he owned named Pesci compete in the Sunshine Millions. Academy Award-winning actor Don Ameche attended the 1989 Breeders' Cup, while Mel Brooks and Anne Bancroft attended the '92 edition. Comedians Shecky Green, Pat Cooper and David Brenner have performed at Gulfstream or enjoyed the races and actor Matt Damon has visited Gulfstream's poker room on numerous occasions, slipping in-and-out of the building in what is known as the 'Damon Stairwell.'

Rock and Roll Hall of Famer Dion attends the races each winter with friends. Another Rock and Roll Hall of Famer, Stephen Stills, spent a day in the Director's Room several years ago, the guest of former racing secretary Bobby Umphrey, talking about music, racing, and the enormous Thoroughbred he rode on the cover of a past album entitled, 'Thoroughfare Gap.'

Former University of Louisville basketball coach and NCAA champion Rick Pitino owned a share of 2013 Kentucky Derby starter Goldencents. But instead of watching the race at Churchill Downs, Pitino spent the afternoon in a suite at Gulfstream surrounded by friends.

Since being rebuilt in the style of renowned architect Addison Mizner, Gulfstream has served as a backdrop for A&E's hit television show 'The Glades,' HBO's 'Ballers,' music videos for John Legend and Rick Ross, countless magazine shoots and parties hosted by the likes of Dennis Rodman and Alonzo Mourning.

Hey, is that celebrity chef Bobby Flay in Ten Palms Restaurant?











# Giving Back

# A Gulfstream Park Legacy

# A LEGACY OF GIVING BACK

Gulfstream Park's commitment to "giving back" to communities - through philanthropic partnerships, donations and outreach programs - endures today at the local and national levels through many diverse community initiatives.

Gulfstream's latest initiatives include:

- Funding the Gulfstream Park American Dream Scholarship at Broward College in perpetuity to help students in Broward, Miami-Dade or Palm Beach County who are 75 percent toward degree completion and have financial need.
- Canter for the Cause, which allows riders of all ages to trot or canter their horse across legendary Gulfstream to benefit Thoroughbred Aftercare
- Reading programs at several local schools in the area.
- Impact Fund for Veterans and Legends
- Ed Brown Society

Gulfstream has also held several events to raise awareness and funds for, among others, the Permanently Disabled Jockeys Fund, Thoroughbred Aftercare Program, Florida Thoroughbred Retirement and Adoptive Care (TRAC), Becca's Closet, Feeding South Florida, Best Buddies, Overtown Youth Center, The Pantry of Broward and Live, Love and Help Stephanie Schriefer. Gulfstream also continued its support of His Place Ministries, dedicated to the spiritual, emotional and life needs of all backstretch personnel at Gulfstream and Palm Meadows.

Gulfstream's annual giving program focuses on the needs of local charities as well as aiding caregivers responding to emergencies of the moment. At the same time, Gulfstream Park has been a major



contributor to the many charitable organizations in the larger equine community. The caring needs of the people who live and work in the world of Thoroughbred racing will not fade away. Nor will Gulfstream Park's charitable efforts diminish.

Over the past several years Gulfstream has raised and distributed more than \$1 million to local and national charitable organizations. Gulfstream has also started the Gulfstream Cares Outreach Booth to help local and national charities raise funds and awareness for their organizations during the Championship Meet.



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In recent years, Gulfstream Park and its parent company, The Stronach Group, have endeavored to raise awareness and significant funds for several local charities including Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital, Hallandale Beach PAL, Susan G. Komen For The Cure, After The Impact, Hospice Care, Zamar School of Performing Arts, Jockeys' Guild, Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation, The Exceller Fund, Memorial Foundation, Old Friends, American Cancer Society, the University of Florida (Barbaro Scholarship), and the Florida Horsemen's Charitable Foundation.

In March of 2011, just weeks after jockey Eibar Coa was injured in a spill, Gulfstream orchestrated a golf tournament and auction that raised more than \$50,000 to help Coa and his family with medical expenses and long-term rehabilitation. Gulfstream's philanthropic efforts in 2011 also helped to raise money and awareness for Florida Thoroughbred Retirement & Adoptive Care Program.

In January of 2010, Gulfstream not only contributed financially to the arrest and conviction of those responsible for crimes

against horses in South Florida, but management and employees raised more than \$10,000 for victims of a deadly earthquake in Haiti. A month later, officials from The Stronach Group. Forest City Commercial Development and Hallandale Beach gathered to make a two-year \$50,000 commitment to the Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital Foundation.

Gulfstream Park has also worked closely with local law enforcement, volunteering to host a fundraiser in 2007 for the families of two police officers killed in the line of duty.

# **Track Records**



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## DIRT TRACK (TB)

Course Type	Distance	Horse	Age	Weight	Time	Date
Dirt	4 1/2 Furlongs	Nacho Mama	2	121	50.86	August 12, 2018
Dirt	5 Furlongs	Boston Brat	6	120	56:35	January 17, 2003
Dirt	5 1/2 Furlongs	Discreet Dancer	2	120	1:02:34	December 3, 2011
Dirt	6 Furlongs	Big Drama	5	124	1:08:12	January 15, 2011
Dirt	6 1/2 Furlongs	Forest Danger	4	118	1:14:44	February 14, 2005
Dirt	7 Furlongs	Clearly Now	7	121	1:20.17	April 1, 2017
Dirt	7 1/2 Furlongs	Keyed Entry	3	116	1:27.12	February 4, 2006
Dirt	1 Mile	Normandy Invasion	4	119	1:33:13	February 22, 2014
Dirt	1 1/16 Miles	Social Inclusion	3	119	1:40:97	March 12, 2014
Dirt	1 1/8 Miles	Arrogate	4	124	1:46.83	January 28, 2017
Dirt	1 3/16 Miles	Fort Larned	4	117	1:53:92	March 31, 2012
Dirt	1 1/4 Miles	Buddy's Humor	5	120	2:02:64	March 21, 2009
Dirt	1 7/16 Miles	Watchmon	3	122	2:25:80	April 8, 2005
Dirt	150 Yards	Desirable Lady	3	120	8:11	April 5, 2005

## TURF TRACK (TB)

Course Type	Distance	Horse	Age	Weight	Time	Date
Turf	5 Furlongs	Pay Any Price	7	116	53.61	March 11, 2017
Turf	7 1/2 Furlongs	Quality G	5	121	1:25:98	March 2, 2024
Turf	Abt. 7 1/2 Furlongs	Vow Me Now	5	118	1:26.25	March 20,2021
Turf	1 Mile	Mr. Light (ARG)	6	118	1:31:41	January 3, 2005
Turf	1 1/16 Miles	Inchcape	5	121	1:38:10	March 7, 2015
Turf	1 1/8 Miles	Warm Heart (IRE)	4	118	1:44:45	January 27, 2024
Turf	1 3/16 Miles	Suffused	5	123	1:51.40	March 4, 2017
Turf	1 3/8 Miles	Stream of Gold (IRE)	7	117	2:10:87	March 16, 2008
Turf	1 7/16 Miles	Giant Hope	4	120	2:17:64	March 12, 2006
Turf	1 1/2 Miles	Twilight Eclipse	4	123	2:22:63	March 23, 2013
Turf	2 miles	Sir Anthony	5	124	3:19.48	December 26, 2020

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# TAPETA (TB)

Course Type	Distance	Horse	Age	Weight	Time	Date
Tapeta	5 Furlongs	Yes I Am Free	8	123	54:89	February 4, 2024
Tapeta	5 ½ Furlongs	Extendo	3	118	1:01.61	January 18, 2023
Tapeta	1 Mile & 70 Yds.	Fly the W	7	118	1:37.67	December 30, 2023
Tapeta	1 1/16 Miles	Fighter In the Win	5	121	1:39.91	February 4, 2024
Tapeta	1 1/8 Miles	Tiz Eternal	5	123	1:47.53	January 11, 2024
Tapeta	1 3/16 Miles	Champagne Juan	4	123	1:54.19	January 4, 2024
Tapeta	1 5/8 Miles	Value Engineering	6	120	2:43.01	December 17, 2022
Tapeta	Abt. 1 ½ Miles	Modus Operandi (IRE)	4	120	2:30.48	February 13, 2022



# Champions

# Who Have Raced at Gulfstream



Accelerate (O) (C) Added Edge (2) (C) A Fleets Dancer (O) Airman's Guide (OF) Aiina (3F) Anees (2) Animal Kingdom (3) \*A.P. Indy (3) Arcangelo (3) Arazi (2) (C) Archers Bay (3) \*Armed (O) Artax (S) \*Arts and Letters (3) Bald Eagle (O) Banshee Breeze (3F) Barbizon (2) Battlefield (O) Bayakoa (OF) (C) Bear Now (OF) Beautiful Pleasure (OF) Benny the Bull (S) Bernardini (3) Bewitch (2F) Big Blue Kitten (MT) Big Brown (3) Big Drama (S) Bird Town(3F) \*Black Tie Affair (O) Blushing John (O) \*Bold Ruler (3,S) Bowl Game (T) \*Bricks and Mortar (T) Buck's Boy (T) Candy Eclair (2F) Cardmania (S) (C) Carotene (3F, OF, T) Carry Back (3) Ce Ce (FS) Channel Maker (T) Cherokee Run (S) Chief's Crown (2) Chilukki (2F) Chou Croute (S) Christmas Past (3F) Cicada (2F, 3F, OF) \*Cigar (O) Close Hatches (OF)

Coaltown (O) (C) Cotton Carnival (3F) \*Counterpoint (3) Crafty Admiral (O) \*Curlin (3. O) Davona Dale (3F) (C) Dawson's Legacy (2) Dayatthespa (FT) Davlami (T) Decathlon (S) Dehere (2) De La Rose (TF) \*(C) Deputy Minister (2M) Dubai Majesty (S) Easy Goer (2) Eillo (S) Eliza (2F) English Channel (T) Escena (OF) Family Style (2F) (C) Fantasy Lake (2F) \*Favorite Trick (2) Flv So Free (2) Foolish Pleasure (2) \*Forego (H.S) Forever Together (TF) Forte (2) \*Fort Marcy (T) Forward Gal (2F) Funny Cide (3) (C) Gandria (3F) Genuine Risk (3F) Gilded Time (2) (C) Ginger Brew (3F) Ginger Punch (OF) Gio Ponti (O-T) (C) Global Access (3) Go for Wand (2F. 3F) (C) Gomtuu (2) Good Magic (2) Goodnight Olive (FS) Groovy (S) Groupie Doll (FS) Gun Runner (HOY, O) Hansel (3) Heavenly Cause (3F) Heavenly Prize (3F) (C) Heliotrope (TF)

(C) Hero's Love (T) Hollywood Wildcat (3F) \*Holy Bull (3) Honest Pleasure (2) Honor Code (OM) \*(SA) Horse Chestnut Housebuster (S) Iceberg II (T) Inside Information (OF) \*(Arg) Invasor (O) (CH) Isola Piu Bella \*(C) Izvestia (3) Jaywalk (2F) Johnny D. (T) (C) Judiths Wild Rush (2,S) Just a Game II (TF) \*Kelso (3,0) (C) Kirby's Song (3F) Kitten's Joy (T) (C) Kiss a Native (3) Knicks Go (HOY, OM) Kona Gold (S) Lady Pitt (3F) \*Ladv's Secret (OF) La Prevovante (2F) Late Bloomer (OF) Laugh and Be Merry (TF) Left Bank (O) Lemon Drop Kid (O) Letruska (OF) Little Current (3) Lord Avie (2) Lost in the Fog (S) Mac Diarmida (T) Main Sequence (OM, T) Malathaat (3F) \*(A) Mat Bov Maximum Security (3M) (C) Mercedes Won (2) Miesque's Approval (T) Misty Morn (3) (C) Moonlit Promise (SF) (C) Mr. Havercamp (O, T) \*(C) Mt. Sassafras (O) Musical Romance (FS) \*Nashua (2,3) Needles (2,3) Nodouble (H)

Nyquist (2M) \*(C) Northern Dancer (3) Not Surprising (S) Office Queen (2F) Old Hat (OF) One Way Love (C-O) Open Mind (2F, 3F) Our Mims (3F) Outstandingly (2F) \*(C) Overskate (T. O. 3) Paradise Creek (T) Parka (TM) Paseana (OF) Perfect Sting (TF) Pleasant Colony (2F) Pleasant Tap (O) Plugged Nickle (S) Princess Rooney (3F) Pucker Up (OF) Queena (OF) Questing (3F) \*(C) Quiet Resolve (T) Regal Glory (TF) Rhythm (2) \*Roman Brother (O) \*Round Table (O,T) Royal Delta (OF) Royal Native (3F) Rubiano (S) Sabin (TF) Safely Kept (S) \*Saint Liam (O,) (C) Saoirse (OF) Saratoga Dew (3F) (C) Scotzanna (3F) Shackleford (S) Shamrock Rose (SF) Shanghai Bobby (2) She Be Wild (2F) Shecky Greene (S) Silverbulletday (2F) Silver Charm (3) \*Skip Away (3,0) \*(C) Sky Classic (T, C-2, C-3, C-O, C-T) (C) Small Promises (OF) Smart Angle (2F) Smart Deb (2F)

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Smile (S) Snow Chief (3) Soaring Softly (TF) \*Spectacular Bid (2, 3,0) Speightstown (S) St. Vincent (T) \*(C) Starship Jubilee (TF) Steinlen (T) Storm Song (2F) Straight Deal (O) \*Sunday Silence (3) Sunshine Forever (T) Surfside (2F) Swale (3) \*Swaps (O) (C) Sweetest Thing (TF) Sweet Patootie (2F) Swiss Skydiver (3F) \*Sword Dancer (3) Talking Picture (2F) Tapitsflv (TF) Tepin (TF) \*(C) Thornfield (T) Thor's Echo (S) Thunder Gulch (3) Tim Tam (3) Top Knight (2) Trinniberg (S) Unbridled (3) Uncle Mo (2) Up to the Mark (T) Vanlandingham (O) Veguist (2F) \*(C) Victoria Park Victory Gallop (O) Wait a While (3F) \*(C) Wando (3) War Pass (2) West Coast (3) What a Summer (S) White Skies (S) Will Take Charge (3) Winning Colors (3F) (C) With Approval (3) (C) Woolloomooloo (TF, OF) Work All Week (S) World Approval (T)

Champions are North American, or Eclipse champions, otherwise noted. Eclipse Awards were first handed out in 1971; Sovereign Awards in 1975. \* - Horse of the Year | C - Canadian champion, or Sovereign Award winner | A - Argentine | CH - Chile | SA - South African | 2 - 2-year-old Male

2F - 2-year-old Female | 3 - 3-year-old Male | 3F - 3-year-old Female | O - Older Horse | OF - Older Filly and Mare | T - Turf TF - Turf Filly & Mare | S - Sprinter | FS - Female Sprinter

2024 Graded Stakes-Winning Alumni



Antiquarian – Peter Pan (G3) at Aqueduct Arthur's Ride – Whitney (G1) at Saratoga Baby Yoda – True North (G2) at Saratoga Batten Down – Ohio Derby (G3) at Thistledown Bentornato – Gallant Bob (G2) at Parx Cellist – Kentucky Cup Classic (G3) at Turfway Park Chili Flag – Churchill Distaff Turf Mile (G2)

at Churchill Downs; Just a Game (G1) at Saratoga

**Crupi -** Suburban (G2) at Saratoga

Delahaye - Mint Julep (G3) at Churchill Downs

Didia – New York Stakes (G1) at Saratoga

**Domestic Product -** Tampa Bay Derby (G3) at Tampa Bay Downs; Dwyer (G3) at Aqueduct, H. Allen Jerkens (G1) at Saratoga

Dontlookbackatall - Caress (G3) at Saratoga

**Dynamic Pricing –** Edgewood (G2) at Churchill Downs

Far Bridge – Sword Dancer (G1) at Saratoga

Fast as Flight - Modesty (G3) at Churchill Downs

Fierceness – Jim Dandy (G2), Travers (G1) at Saratoga

Filo Di Arianna - Highlander (G3) at Woodbine

First Mission – Essex (G3) at Oaklawn Park; Alysheba (G2) at Churchill Downs

First World War - Penn Mile (G3) at Penn National

Fluffy Socks – Gallorette (G3) at Pimlico Race Course

Get Smokin - Trillium (G3) at Woodbine

**Gun Song -** Black-Eyed Susan (G2) at Pimlico Race Course

**Honor D Lady –** Delaware Handicap (G2) at Delaware Park

Howard Wolowitz – Franklin-Simpson (G1) at Kentucky Downs

Implicated - Nassau (G2) at Woodbine

**I'm Very Busy –** Muniz Memorial Classic (G2) at Fair Grounds

Kingsbarns – Ben Ali (G3) at Keeneland; Stephen Foster (G1) at Churchill Downs Leslie's Rose – Ashland (G1) at Keeneland McKulick – Glens Falls (G2) at Saratoga Mystic Lake – Charles Town Oaks (G3) at Charles Town

National Treasure – Metropolitan Handicap (G1) at Saratoga

**No More Time -** Sam F. Davis (G3) at Tampa Bay Downs

Ocean Club - Noble Damsel (G3) at Aqueduct

Octane – Razorback (G3) at Oaklawn Park

**Paramount Prince –** Dominion Day Stakes (G3) at Woodbine

**Play the Music -** Whimsical (G3), Royal North (G3) at Woodbine

Pounce - Lake George (G3) at Saratoga

**Power Squeeze -** Delaware Oaks (G3) at Delaware Park, Alabama (G1) at Saratoga

Resilience - Wood Memorial (G2) at Aqueduct

**Running Bee –** Monmouth Stakes (G3) at Monmouth Park

Scalable - Monmouth Oaks (G3) at Monmouth Park

**Scylla –** Shawnee (G3), Fleur de Lis (G2) at Churchill Downs

**Senor Buscador -** Saudi Cup (G1) at King Abdulaziz Racecourse

**Skippylongstocking –** Challenger (G3) at Tampa Bay Downs; Oaklawn Handicap (G2) at Oaklawn Park, Charles Town Classic (G2) at Charles Town

**Soul of an Angel -** Breeders' Cup Filly & Mare Sprint (G1) at Del Mar, Ruffian (G2) at Aqueduct

Spirit Wind - Honorable Miss (G2) at Saratoga

**Super Chow –** Toboggan (G3), Tom Fool Handicap (G3) at Aqueduct; Maryland Sprint Stakes (G3) at Pimlico Race Course

Ticker Tape Home - Seaway (G3) at Woodbine

### Time to Dazzle - Colleen (G3) at Woodbine

**Trikari -** American Turf (G2) at Churchill Downs; Belmont Derby (G1) at Aqueduct; Secretariat (G2) at Colonial Downs

Walkathon – Kentucky Downs Ladies Turf (G3) at Kentucky Downs

Waskesiu - Florida Oaks (G3) at Tampa Bay Downs

Ways and Means - Test (G1) at Saratoga

Win for the Money – Woodbine Mile (G1) at Woodbine

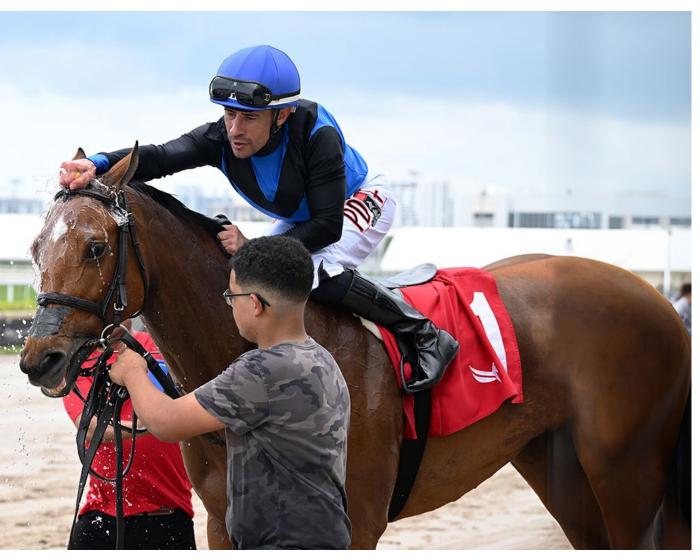




# **FTHA**



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Behind the scenes of Florida Thoroughbred racing is a vibrant, often unseen world known as the "backstretch." It's created by hundreds of independent businesses—both large and small. Through the labor-intensive, long-term and highdollar financial investment required to get a young Thoroughbred ready for competition, horse owners and trainers create thousands of jobs that drive over \$1 billion a year through Florida's economy—from breeding and buying, to training and campaigning.

The Florida Thoroughbred Horsemen's Association represents the interests of over 6,000 Thoroughbred horse owners and trainers who do business in Florida. Some FTHA members are based in Florida, others have vast operations throughout the globe. But during a race meet, Florida is home to all of us. The FTHA works to foster and promote their relationships with tracks, community and government, while creating a better economic climate in which our horsemen can do business.

The FTHA's mission and purpose is also to foster and encourage a healthier economic climate and a high level of public acceptance of the Florida Thoroughbred industry, to protect the safety of its members, their stable personnel and horses, and to work with all officials and representatives of Gulfstream Park, the Division of Pari-Mutuel Wagering and its departments and sub-divisions, and the public.

The FTHA is located at Gulfstream Park. For more information go to www.floridahorsemen.org.

# **FTBOA**



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### **ABOUT THE FTBOA**

The Florida Thoroughbred Breeders' and Owners' Association represents Thoroughbred breeders and owners who breed, raise, sell, train and race Florida Thoroughbreds.

Florida annually ranks second or third in annual foal production and is the perennial leading producer of Thoroughbred starters, winners, open stakes wins and graded stakes wins among U.S. regional markets.

Florida has produced more Kentucky Derby winners (six) than any other state or province outside of Kentucky including Needles (1956), Carry Back (1961), Foolish Pleasure (1975), Triple Crown winner Affirmed (1978), Unbridled (1990) and Silver Charm (1997). Florida far outdistances other regional markets with 30 Breeders' Cup winners, 19 winners of Triple Crown races, 66 national champions and 183 millionaire Thoroughbreds.

The FTBOA promotes Florida Thoroughbred breeding and racing through Florida-bred breeder and stallion awards, Florida-bred racing incentives, and the Florida Sire Stakes race series.

Breeder awards valued at up to 20% of gross purse are paid to the breeder of a Florida-bred registered with the FTBOA which finishes first, second or third in any race at a licensed Florida Thoroughbred racetrack. Stallion owners earn up to 20% of gross purse for Florida-sired winners in Florida black type stakes.

An annual highlight of the Florida-bred racing calendar, the FTBOA Florida Sire Stakes, distributes \$1.2 million in a six-race series for Florida-sired 2-year-olds. Several Florida-bred or Floridasired stakes, such as Sunshine series of stakes at Gulfstream Park in January and the Florida Cup card at Tampa Bay Downs in March, benefit older horses.

The FTBOA incentive programs collectively distribute more than \$15 million each year, increasing up to \$20 million with the inclusion of Florida-bred Owner Awards (FOA) that are managed by the respective Florida racetracks and Thoroughbred

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horsemens' associations. The combined Florida breeder, stallion and open race owner awards outpace all other states' incentive programs outside of Kentucky.

Florida Equine Communications, a wholly-owned subsidiary of FTBOA, produces the awardwinning monthly magazine *The Florida Horse*; the Thoroughbred digest *Wire to Wire*; and the *The Florida Horse* podcast. FEC also handles the media relations, social media and internet marketing for the Association.

FEC media resides online at FTBOA.com alongside extensive FTBOA services such as real-time Florida-bred race entries and results, the Floridabred registry search, Florida racing and breeding incentives administration, and FTBOA membership services. FEC products are perfectly posed for advertisers wishing to reach the more than \$3.24 billion Thoroughbred marketplace. The FTBOA administers Florida Thoroughbred Charities, the charitable arm of the Florida Thoroughbred industry. Since 1990, FTC has strengthened and supported the community by raising more than \$4 million for charitable organizations within the Thoroughbred industry, the city of Ocala, Marion County and the state of Florida.

The FTBOA actively represents the Thoroughbred industry in community affairs, especially at the state and national governments.

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# **Gulfstream's**

# 2023/2024 Leaders



**OWNERS, RACES WON** 

RANK	NAME	STARTS	1st	2nd	3rd	TOTAL \$	WIN %	TOP 3	\$ %
1	Kenneth L. Ramsey	79	27	12	10	\$1,043,965	34%	49	62%
2	Paterpop Racing	75	13	7	13	\$437,115	17%	33	44%
3	Bruno Schickedanz	91	11	16	11	\$368,210	12%	38	42%
4	Repole Stable	29	9	5	3	\$1,236,513	31%	17	59%
5	Amaty Racing Stables	36	9	4	9	\$211,910	25%	22	61%
6	Gary Barber	38	7	12	5	\$418,520	18%	24	63%
7	Live Oak Plantation	30	7	6	0	\$411,580	23%	13	43%
8	TEC Racing	26	7	7	2	\$307,150	27%	16	62%
9	Courtlandt Farms	11	6	0	1	\$312,670	55%	7	64%
10	Arindel	54	6	9	9	\$302,547	11%	24	44%

### JOCKEYS, RACES WON

RANK	NAME	STARTS	1st	2nd	3rd	TOTAL \$	WIN %	TOP 3	\$ %
1	Irad Ortiz Jr.	526	119	99	86	\$6,029,413	23%	304	58%
2	Jose Ortiz	462	94	68	55	\$4,365,228	20%	217	47%
3	Paco Lopez	485	92	67	60	\$4,415,281	19%	219	45%
4	Luis Saez	411	70	64	55	\$3,633,129	17%	189	46%
5	Edgard Zayas	423	56	70	63	\$3,068,735	13%	189	45%
6	Tyler Gaffalione	374	51	56	47	\$2,920,857	14%	154	41%
7	Junior Alvarado	245	35	28	32	\$2,298,128	14%	95	39%
8	Miguel Angel Vasquez	337	34	42	31	\$1,340,135	10%	107	32%
9	Javier Castellano	264	34	31	39	\$2,110,989	13%	104	39%
10	John R. Velazquez	202	29	24	27	\$2,484,517	14%	80	40%

## OWNERS, MONEY WON

RANK	NAME	STARTS	1st	2nd	3rd	TOTAL \$	WIN %	TOP 3	<b>TOP 3%</b>
1	SF Racing LLC, Starlight Racing, Madaket Stables LLC, Masterson, Robert E., Stonestreet Stables LLC, Schoenfarber, Jay A., Waves Edge Capital LLC and Donovan, Catherine	4	1	1	0	\$1,750,500	25%	2	50%
2	Repole Stable	29	9	5	3	\$1,236,513	31%	17	59%
3	Kenneth L. Ramsey	79	27	12	10	\$1,043,965	34%	49	62%
4	Joe R. Peacock, Jr.	1	0	1	0	\$573,000	0%	1	100%
5	Repole Stable and St. Elias Stables LLC	17	5	3	2	\$553,390	29%	10	59%
6	Westerberg, Magnier, Mrs. John, Smith, Derrick and Tabor, Michael B.	1	1	0	0	\$531,000	100%	1	100%
7	Paterpop Racing	75	13	7	13	\$437,115	17%	33	44%
8	Gary Barber	38	7	12	5	\$418,520	18%	24	63%
9	Live Oak Plantation	30	7	6	0	\$411,580	23%	13	43%
10	Amo Racing USA	25	3	5	1	\$403,146	12%	9	36%

### JOCKEYS, MONEY WON

RANK	NAME	STARTS	1st	2nd	3rd	TOTAL \$	WIN %	TOP 3	\$ %
1	Irad Ortiz Jr.	526	119	99	86	\$6,029,413	23%	304	58%
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10	Flavien Prat	11	2	1	0	\$1,858,780	18%	3	27%





# **Gulfstream's**



# 2023/2024 Leaders

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#### TRAINERS, RACES WON

RANK	NAME	STARTS	1st	2nd	3rd	TOTAL \$	WIN %	TOP 3	\$ %
1	Saffie Joseph Jr.	321	66	50	49	\$3,448,823	21%	165	51%
2	Todd Pletcher	178	37	28	22	\$3,460,666	21%	87	49%
3	Mark Casse	182	31	23	23	\$1,805,422	17%	77	42%
4	Jose D'Angelo	184	26	40	26	\$1,222,505	14%	92	50%
5	Brian Lynch	95	22	15	15	\$1,567,803	23%	52	55%
6	Martin Drexler	97	20	18	10	\$738,490	21%	48	49%
7	Fernando Abreu	93	19	8	14	\$614,085	20%	41	44%
8	Antonio Sano	106	18	15	14	\$748,190	17%	47	44%
9	Christophe Clement	94	17	15	16	\$1,265,115	18%	48	51%
10	Michael Maker	134	17	23	16	\$929,967	13%	56	42%

#### TRAINERS, MONEY WON

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2	Saffie Joseph Jr.	321	66	50	49	\$3,448,823	21%	165	51%
3	Mark Casse	182	31	23	23	\$1,805,422	17%	77	42%
4	Bob Baffert	2	1	0	0	\$1,726,050	50%	1	50%
5	Brian Lynch	95	22	15	15	\$1,567,803	23%	52	55%
6	Christophe Clement	94	17	15	16	\$1,265,115	18%	48	51%
7	Chad Brown	92	11	16	11	\$1,254,847	12%	38	41%
8	Jose D'Angelo	184	26	40	26	\$1,222,505	14%	92	50%
9	Jorge Delgado	78	15	14	11	\$961,776	19%	40	51%
10	Michael Maker	134	17	23	16	\$929,967	13%	56	42%



Trainer Saffie Joseph Jr. (second from right) honored for his 1,000th career win February 25, 2024



Trainer Todd Pletcher (third from right) and jockey John Velazquez in the winner's circle following the 2024 Florida Derby victory (G1)

# **Gulfstream's**



# Champion Jockeys & Trainers

## JOCKEYS



IRAD ORTIZ, JR.

YEAR	JOCKEY	VICTORIES
2023- 2024	Irad Ortiz Jr.	119
2022- 2023	Irad Ortiz Jr.	128
2021- 2022	Luis Saez	122
2020- 2021	Irad Ortiz Jr.	140
2019- 2020	Irad Ortiz Jr.	115
2018- 2019	Irad Ortiz Jr.	135
2017- 2018	Luis Saez	137
2016- 2017	Luis Saez	102
2015- 2016	Javier Castellano	113
2014- 2015	Javier Castellano	114
2013- 2014	Javier Castellano	132
2012- 2013	Javier Castellano	100
2011- 2012	Javier Castellano	112
2010	Paco Lopez	70
2009	Jose Lezcano	71
2008	Eibar Coa	76
2007	Cornelio Velasquez	73
2006	John Velazquez	86
2005	Edgar Prado	62
2004	John Velazquez	78
2003	Eibar Coa	91
2002	Edgar Prado	82
2001	Jorge Chavez	81
2000	Jorge Chavez	77
1999	Jorge Chavez	91
1998	Jerry Bailey	85

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YEAR	JOCKEY	VICTORIES
1958	John Choquette & Steve Brooks	28
1957	Charles Burr	34
1956	Steve Brooks	28
1955	William Cook	30
1954	Ken Church	30
1953	Charles Burr	48
1952	Jimmy Breckons	50
1951	Tom Barrow & Logan Batchellor	26
1950	Joe Culmone	58
1949	Logan Batchellor	29
1947- 1948	William Cook & Jack Turner	25
1947	Jimmy Stout	28
1945- 1946	Frank Truschka	34
1944	Buddy Mills	21
1939	Albert Snider	8

### TRAINERS



SAFFIE JOSEPH JR

YEAR	TRAINER	VICTORIES
2023- 2024	Saffie Joseph Jr.	66
2022- 2023	Saffie Joseph Jr.	47
2021- 2022	Saffie Joseph Jr.	58
2020- 2021	Todd Pletcher	58
2019- 2020	Todd Pletcher	48
2018- 2019	Todd Pletcher	47
2017- 2018	Todd Pletcher	72
2016- 2017	Todd Pletcher	58

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	Mark Shuman	87	19
	Bill Mott	34	19
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	Frank Passero Jr.	29	19
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	Sonny Hine	22	19
	John Tammaro & Dan Hurtak	23	194
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1980	Frank Merrill Jr.	19
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1971	Arnold Winick	23
1970	Arnold Winick	19
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1968	Arnold Winick	21
1967	Arnold Winick	21
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1965	Arnold Winick	25
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1963	Arnold Winick	17
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1961	Arnold Winick	19
1960	Arnold Winick	21
1959	Arnold Winick	20
1958	C.F. Bowles	14
1957	W.J. Schmidt	13
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# Wagering Terms



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## BREAKAGE

The difference between the true mutuel-odds payoff and the actual payoff on the lesser, rounded amounts given to winning players.

## CHURN

The amount of money wagered by a bettor during the course of one racing program.

# **COMMINGLED POOLS**

The host track's collection of all simulcast wagering monies derived from receiving tracks.

# DAILY DOUBLE

A single wager in which the bettor is required to select the winners of two designated, consecutive races.

# EVEN-MONEY

If a horse returns twice what was wagered, the horse is said to have been "even-money."

# EXACTA

A wager that requires the selection, in exact order, of the first and second horses in a race.

# EXACTA BOX

For as little as \$1 per combination, bettors may "box" two or more horses in their exacta bets. For instance, a bettor could play a two-horse, \$1 exacta box with a combination of "2-4." This would cost \$2 and would be a winner if the #2 and #4 horses finished first and second, in either order.

# INTERTRACK WAGERING (ITW)

Simulcasting that emanates from one track and is received by in-state pari-mutuel facilities.

# INTERSTATE WAGERING (ISW)

Simulcasting that emanates from one track and is received by out-of-state pari-mutuel facilities.

# KEYS

In exotics, this wager focuses on one horse played above or below a group of other horses. For instance, in an exacta key, if you like the 3, you may wish to place the 3 on top with all the others played for second. To key the 3 on top in a trifecta, you would ask that the 3 be played "with 'all,' with 'all.'"

# MINUS POOL

Racetracks must pay off all winning bets and if the mutuel pool is insufficient, a minus pool is incurred and the racetrack must dip into its own pockets to pay the bet. On the rare occasion when this does occur it is typically in show bets.

# **MUTUEL POOL**

The total amount bet to win, place and show and all exotic bets.

# PART-WHEEL

Similar to a key, this wager differs only in that, instead of focusing on one horse, you play a group of horses above or below another group of horses.

### PICK 3

The Pick 3 is a multiple-race bet whereby the bettor must select, on a single ticket, the winners of three consecutive, specially designated races. If there are no tickets with all three winners, the payoff pool is distributed among those bettors with two of the three winners.

# PICK 4

The Pick 4 follows the same format as the Bet 3. The Pick 4 consists of the final four races on the card.

# PICK 5

The Pick 5 offers a base wager of 50 cents and follows the same format as the Pick 4 with the exception that if no one holds a ticket with the winners of all five races, 25 percent of the day's pool is paid out to those with the most winners while 75 percent is carried over and added to the next racing day's pool. The Pick 5 sequence spans the final five races on a card.

# **RAINBOW 6**

The Rainbow 6 is a 20-cent wager that requires the bettor to select the winners of the final six races on a card. The multi-race wager requires a bettor to hold the only ticket with all six winners in order for the Rainbow 6 jackpot to be paid out. If there are multiple tickets with all six winners or there are none with all six, 40 percent of the day's pool is paid out to those with the most winners and 60 percent is carried over to the next racing day.

# **ROLLING DOUBLES**

A wager in which you are challenged to pick the winners of two consecutive races, beginning with the first and second races, then the second and third, and up to the penultimate and final race of the day.

# SUPERFECTA

A wager requires the bettor to select, in exact order, the first four finishers of a designated race. For example a "4-5-10-2" superfecta ticket would be a winner only if the #4 horse won, the #5 horse ran second, the #10 horse was third and the #2 horse finished fourth. As with its exacta and trifecta counterparts, "boxing" with a \$1 base wager enables the bettor to play multiple combinations on the same ticket.

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**ROLLING SUPER HI-5** 

The Super Hi-5 offers a 50-cent base wager and requires the bettor to select the first five finishers of the designated race in exact order. Should no one hold a ticket with the first five finishers, 25 percent of the race's pool is paid out to those with the most placings in exact order while 75 percent is carried over to the next race.

### TAKEOUT

The amount taken out of every dollar wagered before the payoffs on a given race are determined.

### TRIFECTA

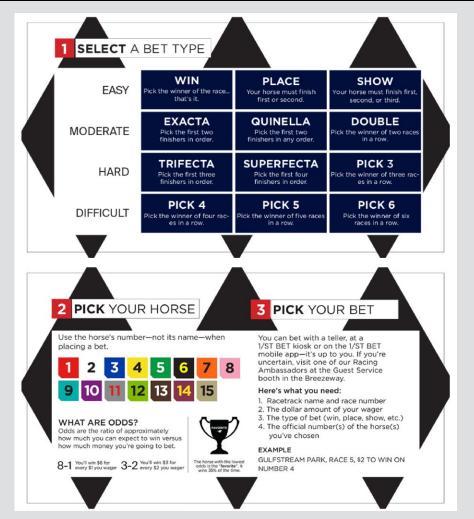
A trifecta wager requires the selection, in exact order, of the first-, second- and third-placed horses in a given race. For example, if the bettor purchases a trifecta combination of "2-4-11," then, in order to collect, the #2 horse must win, the #4 horse must be second and the #11 horse must finish third.

## TRIFECTA BOX

If a bettor wishes to box three or more horses in the trifecta, and the selections finish one-two-three in any order, then the ticket is a winner. For example, if a bettor wishes to box horses #3, #5 and #7 in the trifecta, then the ticket will cover the following six combinations: 3-5-7, 3-7-5, 5-3-7, 5-7-3, 7-3-5, 7-5-3.

### WIN, PLACE AND SHOW

A win bet requires that the bettor's horse finish first; a place bet requires the selected horse to finish first or second; a show bet means the chosen horse must finish first, second or third.



#### LEARN TO MAKE A BET IN 5 EASY STEPS

1. PICK THE TRACK TO WAGER ON2. CHOOSE A RACE AND BET AMOUNT3. DECIDE WHAT TYPE OF WAGER TO BET ON4. SELECT YOUR HORSE(S)5. PLACE YOUR BET

#### STRAIGHT BETS

**WIN:** You collect if your horse finishes first. **PLACE:** You collect if your horse finishes first or second. **SHOW:** You collect if your horse finishes first, second or third.

#### **HOW TO COLLECT ON TRACK**

Once the race is declared official, take your winning wager to any mutuel window. At that point you can decide to collect the full amount of your winnings or wager back all or part of it on upcoming races. If you are unsure of whether you've won, bring your ticket to any window to have it checked.

Avoid cashing your ticket 5 minutes before any race as many people wait until the last few minutes before a race to place their wagers, and cashing your winnings will slow the process.

# **Racing Terms**



# ALLOWANCE RACE

A race featuring conditions for participation such as amount of money won or number of races won in a certain time period.

### APPRENTICE

A rider who has not won five races is entitled to a 10-pound "allowance," which is to say his mount may carry 10 pounds less than the competition, and a seven-pound allowance until he has ridden an additional 30 winners; if he has ridden 35 winners prior to the end of one year from the date of riding his fifth winner, he shall have an allowance of five pounds until the end of that year. Also called a "bug" rider because an asterisk is often used in the program to denote apprenticeship.

### BAY

The light brownish color of some horses' coats.

### BLACK

The color of some horses.

### BLINKERS

A hood with plastic cups surrounding the eye holes that restrict visibility, helping the horse to focus on what lies ahead by eliminating distractions from the sides.

# BOBBLED

Horses can lose their action if they take a misstep while racing.

### BREEDER

Owner of a pregnant mare at the time she delivers the foal (baby horse of either sex).

# BREEDERS' CUP

Racing's international championship days, with 13 races offering prize money totaling \$24.5 million. The BC is annually held in late October or early November, changing venues from one year to the next, and attracts the world's best horses in training.

# BROODMARE

A female horse out to pasture for breeding purposes; a broodmare sire is the sire, or father, of such a female.

### BROWN

A dark brown color of some horses' coats.

## CHECKED

Horses on occasion could be pulled up briefly if the horse in front of them slows down dramatically and there is nowhere for them to go.

# CHESTNUT

Horse with a reddish-colored coat.

# CHUTE

The extensions that break off from a typically oval racetrack that allow for races to be conducted at distances which, if begun on the oval, would begin on the turn and would thereby disadvantage horses who started on the outside.

# CIRCUIT

A geographical grouping of tracks whose race meetings are coordinated to run in succession.

# CLAIMING RACES

Races in which all horses entered are for sale. A "claimer" is a horse who runs in these races.

# CLOCKERS

People who time, or clock, morning workouts; the time is taken in hundredths or in fifths of a second.

# COLT

A male less than 5 years old who is capable of future service at stud.

# CONDITION BOOK

A track-published pamphlet that contains rules and regulations of racing, and information on purses, weight assignments and terms of eligibility for every race at the meeting. They are free of charge and available at the racing office.

# DAM

The mother of a horse.

# DERBY

A race usually of considerable value for 3-year-old horses.

# DOGS

Orange traffic cones that are used during workout hours to protect the inside part of a racetrack or turf course.

### FILLY

A female 4 years old or less.

# FURLONG

One-eighth of a mile, 660 feet or 220 yards.

# GELDING

A horse whose testicles were removed often because of poor temperament and/or a growth disorder.

# **Racing Terms**



### **GRADED STAKES**

A committee of racing authorities from across the nation rank stakes order of importance, according to a grading system based on the historic, overall quality of the horses that have competed in them. There are Grade 1, 2 and 3 races, with the lower the number the more prestigious the race.

### GRAY

A horse with white hairs in his coat.

### GROOM

The horse's caregiver, the person who "grooms" the horse, cleans its stall and often spends the most time with it.

### HAND

A term used to measure the height of a horse, each hand being four inches.

### HANDICAP

A race in which, based on past performance, the racing secretary assigns individual weights to horses in the hopes of creating an evenly matched race; good horses carry more weight; handicapping is the process by which that determination is made.

### HANDICAPPER

A person, either a professional or amateur, who attempts to predict the outcome of a race.

### HANDLE

The total amount of money wagered on a race, at aracetrack or at a simulcast center, or both.

# HORSE

A horse is a horse of course, but, on the racetrack, a "horse" is a male 5 years old and older.

## JOCKEY CLUB

Long-standing organization that approves thoroughbred names and keeps the registry known as the American Stud Book.

### LEAD PONY

The horse who escorts thoroughbreds once they enter the racetrack.

### LENGTH

The average body length of a running horse, usually about 10 feet, used to measure the margin of victory or defeat.

# LONGSHOTS

The horses given the least chance to win a race; payoffs can be huge if they win.

# MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT

Races in which none of the participants have won a race; the participants are known as "maidens."

# INQUIRY

The investigation of a race by the stewards, based on their own observances or the objection of a jockey or, on rare occasion, the trainer.

# MARE

A female 5 years old or older.

# OBJECTION

Usually registered by a jockey and or stewards, but occasionally by a trainer, this act touches off a stewards' investigation into the running of a race.

## ODDS-ON

If a horse is so heavily favored that the payoff is less than equal to the amount wagered, the horse is said to be odds-on or an odds-on favorite.

### OPTIONAL CLAIMING ALLOWANCE RACE

A race featuring conditions for participation such as amount of money won or number of races won in a certain time period. Horses entered for a claiming price are also eligible to compete.

## OUTRIDER

The mounted person in charge of leading a field of horses to the track and through the post parade; he or she may also be called upon to catch loose horses.

# OVERNIGHT RACE

A race in which entries are drawn 48 hours in advance. The phrasing goes back to the day when race entries were drawn the day before.

# PADDOCK

The area where horses are saddled before a race.

# POOLS

The total amount of money bet on each brand of wager, such as win pools, place pools, etc.

# POSTS

The stalls in the starting gate from which a horse begins a race.

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# POST PARADE

The formal presentation of the field of horses before each race; after leaving the walking ring they are paraded before the grandstand and clubhouse, typically about 10 minutes before each race.

# POST TIME

The time when a race is scheduled to start.

# PURSE

The money value of a race.

# **RESTRICTED RACES**

Races limited to only particular horses, for instance, those bred in a particular state.

### ROAN

See Gray/Roan

# SADDLECLOTH

The piece of cloth placed under the saddle that bears the program number of a horse competing in a race.

## SHEDROW

The pathway inside a barn.

# SILKS

The colorful shirts, which represent a horse's owner(s), that jockeys wear during a race; also known as "colors."

**SIRE** The father of a horse.

# STABLE

An owner's racing enterprise.

# STAKES

A race for top-quality horses. The race may specify the sex and age of its participants and further differentiated by a grading system whereupon Grade 1 stakes are of the top level, followed by Grade 2 and Grade 3 stakes, then by ungraded stakes races.

# STALL

The horse's home while he is stabled at the racetrack.

# STALLION

A male horse who is in service at a breeding farm.





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