



HORSE GOSSIP

Pin Oak Stud – May 10, 2019

RACE CALENDAR

MISSIVE

SUNDAY – Scheduled to run in the 5th race at Monmouth Park for Mike Stidham, going six furlongs in an allowance optional claiming with Joe Bravo in the irons. She's been training nicely since arriving at Monmouth.

RACE RESULTS SYNCHRONY

CHURCHILL – Finished 7th in the G1 Old Forester on Saturday. The weather was duplicate of last year's race day. It had stayed pretty good till about an hour before the race and then they had a major downpour. Synchrony didn't handle the surface at all and Johnny Velazquez said he was spinning his wheels quite a bit. But, the horse seems to come out of the race in good shape and has been shipped to Fair Hill to Stidham's barn. With all going well, we'll keep him nominated to a G2 at the end of May at Monmouth – a racetrack and surface where he won a couple of stakes last year.

TRAINER NEWS

GRAHAM MOTION

FAIR HILL -- CONDUCTIVE is on a regular breezing schedule. He's not too far from the entries again. I'LL TAKE THAT had a nice half mile breeze this week and seems to be doing well. VERBOTEN is back galloping and will be on a breezing schedule before long. 2yo DANCE RECITAL arrived in yesterday from Camden.

MALCOLM PIERCE

WOODBINE – INTERMITTENT is on a regular breezing schedule and is doing well. This weekend, Malcolm's barn receives WORLDS APART and 2yo DISCLOSURE from Camden.

MIKE STIDHAM

ARLINGTON - CLEAR AS DAY is on a regular training schedule and is looking for a race on the turf. MONMOUTH – MISSIVE had a nice breeze this week and is entered for Sunday. FAIR HILL – RELISHMENT is on a regular breezing schedule.

DONNIE VON HEMEL

CHURCHILL – DON'T FORGET has had a couple of breezes since his arrival. Donnie will get DANCE KINGDOM back this weekend.

BRENDAN WALSH

KEENELAND – MUSICIAN breezed 5/8's this week. Brendan received 2yo DIVULGENCE on Thursday morning from Camden.

MICKEY PREGER, JR.

CAMDEN – 2yos ALL SET and GOOD ALTERNATIVE continue to gallop. Mickey is giving these two a little more time. 2yo OVERSHADOW is on the easy list after having 60 days off. He is due to be x-rayed again and hopefully can resume training. These three are just a little behind the first group that shipped out, but hopefully will catch up pretty quickly.

BROODMARE NEWS



HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!

MARES BRED & COUNTING DAYS

•ANOTHER WORLD (to Mastery). •BEDANKEN (Super Saver). •DANCE WITH RON (West Coast). •FULL OF ZIP (Violence). •MOVING AWAY (Violence). •GOLD MEDAL DANCER (Speightstown).

MARES BOOKED FOR BREEDING

•DON'T LEAVE ME (to Speightstown). •BROWNIE POINTS (Union Rags). •SWEET RELISH (Super Saver).

MARES CHECKED IN FOAL

•BACHATA (to Bolt d'Oro). •CONSCRIPTION (Broken Vow). •LET'S GET MARRIED (Runhappy). •MAKE AMENDS (Blame). •MERCURIAL (Twirling Candy). •MUCH OBLIGED (Violence). •NO USE DENYING (Carpe Diem). •POINT SYSTEM (Candy Ride). •PROCLIVITY (Dialed In). •READY TO CONFESS (Into Mischief). •REALLY AND TRULY (Into Mischief). •STRIKE IT UP (Mineshaft). •TELL ALL (Collected). •WHIMSICALITY (Flatter). •WHISPER TO ME (Flatter). •YOU'RE WELCOME (Alternation).



These retired gals are simply enjoying life!

CHURCHILL DOWNS LIVE RACING THRU JUNE 29

JOSE ORTIZ, rider of Serengeti Empress (1st) – "She's such a fast filly. She took me to the front and she fought the entire way around there. I'm so thankful to (trainer) Tom (Amoss) for allowing me to ride this filly. This is an incredible win."



WEEKEND WATCH

Post times are Eastern Daylight Savings Time

Saturday, May 11

1:30p BEL Vagrancy H.-G3 (\$200,000)
3:08p BEL Peter Pan S.-G3 (\$300,000)
3:10p PW M Frost Champin Hurdle (\$100,000)
4:45p BEL Beaugay S.-G3 (\$200,000)
4:59p WO Ballade S. (C\$100,000)
5:26p CD Mamzelle S. (\$100,000)
5:34p GP Big Drama S. (\$100,000)
5:35p PW C Houghland Iroquois S.-G1 (\$150,000)
5:35p AP Hanshin Cup S.-G3 (\$100,000)
5:51p BEL Runhappy S.-L (\$150,000)
6:03p SA Santa Barbara S.-G3 (\$100,000)
6:24p BEL Man o' War S.-G1 (\$700,000)

Sunday, May 12

4:55p WO Fury S. (C\$125,000)
5:18p BEL Gold Fever S. (\$100,000)
7:00p SA Fran's Valentine S. (\$100,000)

STALLION NEWS

ALTERNATION



Congratulations to Serengeti Empress!

•SERENGETI EMPRESS won the Kentucky Oaks-G1 impressively on Saturday at Churchill Downs and looked even more stunning in the winner's circle draped in her beautiful Stargazer lilies. She went wire to wire winning by nearly two lengths, making her career record now five wins in eight starts with earnings of \$1,037,120. ALTERNATION's first G1 winner and million-dollar earner truly looks the picture of royalty as her name implies. A huge congrats to her owner Joel Politi, trainer Tom Amoss and her breeder Tri Eques Bloodstock. And a big hug and congrats to ALTERNATION. We are so proud of them both.

BROKEN VOW

•MILITIAMAN broke his maiden at Belmont in his second start on May 9, traveling 1/4 mi. on the turf. This colt was Broken Vow's highest-priced yearling to sell in 2017 at \$400,000.
•BROKEN PROMISE won a starter opt clm on May 5 at Belterra, going 1 1/16 mi. (T).
•VOW ME NOW won the English Channel S. at Gulfstream Park on May 4, 1 1/16 mi. (T).
•VOW TO RECOVER won the Honey Ryder S. at Gulfstream on May 4, going 1 1/16 mi. (T).
•STAN THE MAN ran 2nd in the Westchester S.-G3 at Belmont on May 4, going one mile.
•LE CHEVALIER finished 2nd in the 4-mile Virginia Cold Cup at Great Meadow on May 4.