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A NEW ERA

AUGUST 2005

TOCCOA and trainer Karen Dennehy had a successful Colonial Downs Meet. **TOCCOA** won three straight races. After a thirteen month layoff, **Toccoa** took the lead and never looked back to win by 3 1/4 lengths on June 28th in a six furlong claiming race on the dirt for a first win for trainer Karen Dennehy. Their



next start on July 12th, **Toccoa** took the lead and won by six in a six furlong claiming race on the dirt. Next, on a raise to allowance company, **Toccoa** laid off the lead then shot through on the rail at the top of the stretch to win by three or more lengths in the 5 1/2 furlong dirt race. That day, July 23rd, was Eagle Point day at the races, and **Toccoa** and Dennehy did not disappoint our Eagle Point employees. In the \$40,000 Sissy Woolums Memorial Stakes race on August 6, **Toccoa** still added to her earnings with a fourth place finish on the muddy track. Pretty good meet for the Virginia bred (Harry Loving and Eagle Point Farm) and owned **Toccoa**, 2001 by Purple Comet out of Misquinto by Magic Prospect. A true Virginia Bred horse, trainer, owner, and groom, James Braxton. (James also won the best kept shed row award at Colonial Downs.)

GRANT'S MOON proved best by a nose in an allowance race at Delaware Park on August 10th. Kevin Burton and Donovan Haughton own this Malibu Moon filly who is trained by Donovan Haughton. Another nice win for a nice filly.

MIS WES added some black print with a third place finish in the 1 1/16 mile \$60,000 Brookmeade Stakes on July 2nd at Colonial Downs. The Wayne County filly came back with an allowance win on July 23rd at Colonial Downs when she won by 2 1/2 lengths for owners/breeders Mandy and Jim Peterson. The Virginia bred made a three wide move in the far turn and drew off before drifting wide late.

RED GULCH won by a neck in a one mile race on July 1, 2005 when he was forced out, steadied at the 3/4 pole and was closing driving. Carlos Gracia trains this Gulch gelding for Kaygar Stables and Bob Gerczak. Another great win at Colonial Downs. Red Gulch added a second in another allowance race at Colonial Downs on August 5th.

Mrs. Frank P. Wright's **A FIRM BRIDGE** by Peteski won by 5 1/4 lengths in a 1 1/8 mile turf race when he stalked the pace and raced wide and took command with energy on July 18th at Colonial Downs. Then he came back with a second in an Allowance race at Pimlico on August 12.

WINNERS:

SOLITARIUS, 2001 by Diamond won at Penn National on June 16 by 1 1/2 lengths in a five furlong turf race and then again on June 25 at Charles Town in a 6 1/2 furlong race by 3 1/4 lengths.

COBBLEY'S JEWEL by Tom Cobbley, another Virginia bred won by 1/2 length in a 5 1/2 furlong allowance race at Colonial Downs on July 10, 2005 for breeder Heidi Overfelt of Bedford, Virginia.

ECHOES OF GLORY by Pleasant Dancer broke her maiden by 3/4 lengths at Charles Town on July 27th for owners/ breeders George and Katherine Gaylord of Doswell when she prompted the pace three wide, gained the lead and drove clear.

PLEASANT HOPE by Pleasant Dancer won by two at Charles Town on August 14th for breeder Carlton Southworth.

LEAPSHIN, seven year old gelding by Finnochio, lead all the way and won by two on June 28th at Great Lake Downs for breeder Dave Belknap of Michigan.

IRISH WARNING, by Larrupin', won at Philadelphia Park on June 4th by 3 3/4 length in a 1 70 yards race.

BLYTHEWOOD, by Root Boy, Bred By Mrs. Frank P. Wright, won by 1 1/4 lengths on August 20th at Charles Town in a 6 1/2 furlong race.

TOUR ON REVIEW, by Tour D'Or broke his maiden at Pimlico on August 26 for owner James T. Gottwald and trainer Robbie Bailes

SECONDS:

A FIRM PROSPECT, owned by Dr. Fred T. Lewis at Pimlico on June 3rd in a 1 1/16 mile race.

SOUTHERN WARRIOR, by Mt. Magazine, bred/owned by George Sheehan, 2nd in a MSW at Pimlico on June 4th in a 1 1/16 mile race for trainer Dave Hill.

STRIDING VICTORY, owned by Cindy Ellis, 2nd at Charles Town on June 9th.

TALLULAH MAE, bred by James Ryan, 2nd at Charles Town on June 15th in a 4 1/2 furlong race

MITOTE MAYA, bred by James Ryan, 2nd at Charles Town on August 12th

RADHA, 2nd at Charles Town on August 17th.

GET TO STEPPIN' by Chenin Blanc, 2nd in his first start at Colonial Downs on June 28th for trainer Karen Dennehy

A big **THANK YOU** to all who donated to the Shannon Campbell Charity Golf Benefit.

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EAGLE POINT FARM IS OFFERING MANY HORSES FOR SALE. PLEASE CONTACT US IF YOU'RE INTERESTED IN PURCHASING ONE OF OUR YEARLINGS OR RACING AGE HORSES.



Eagle Point Farm wants to help put you in the winner's circle. We have our new trainer and manager, Karen Dennehy, overseeing our training operation on our new irrigated and conditioned track. We are currently going through many changes and upgrades in our facility and management in order for us to provide the best for your racehorse. Contact us about starting your yearling, giving your horse some 'R and R' away from the track, or helping with purchasing horses at the sales. We look forward to helping you have success at the racetrack!

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