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WELL DONE!

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We are again proud of our trainer Karen Dennehy Godsey, who finished sixth in the trainer standings at Colonial Downs with an 11 horse stable behind all the big boys!! July 10th was a great day when we almost had a hat trick! It started with Jake's Lil Man, a 2007 gelding by Defrere, who won a Maiden Special Weight for owner Darlene Bowlin. Jake settled close to the early pace and moved to even terms inside the five eights pole, dueled for control and widened under steady handling to win by 3 1/4 lengths going a mile on the dirt. Next Eagle Point Farm's old faithful, Toccoa, came through with her 7th career win. The 10 year old mare by Purple Comet loves the dirt at Colonial Downs and has established quite a fan base there! Jockey Geovany Gracia says she was just playing with the other horses and only straightened up at the finish to win by a head. I get anxious that Toccoa might one day misjudge the finish line but I guess she knows what she's doing by now! So far we are two for two on this day. Next is Eagle Point Farm's Travison, a 2007 Pollard Vision gelding, who is the favorite. But of course, Travision pulls his stunt and walks out of the gates to spot the field by 15 lengths then comes running at the end and gets beat by 4 lengths. It was an exciting day none the less! Another Eagle Point bred, Caulitacat, 2007 by Lion Hearted, broke his maiden on July 16th when he won by three on the dirt course. Cat picked up a check every race and loved the competition. He was a fun horse to have running this summer! Another exciting day was on July 23rd when Eagle Point Farm's Impossibly Suave, by Posse, broke his maiden at odds of 22-1 going a mile on the grass. Impossibly Suave won easy even after a very troubled trip. Sometimes the unexpected wins are the most fun!

The most surprising star of the meet for us was *Cobbley's Breeze*, a 2006 mare by Tom Cobbley. This Virginia bred mare is owned by Dr. Michael Overfelt and bred by Heidi Overfelt of Bedford, Virginia. *Cobbley's Breeze* won on July 3th in a mile turf race when she was rated a slim lead inside, urged clear and then was used as necessary through the lane. Jockey Jimmy Vail had the mare under wraps and he cruised past the finish line with a 3 1/4 length lead. Next start was on July 24th and *Cobbley's Breeze* stalked the pace, angled out in the stretch and drew clear for a 4 1/2 length win...again under wraps. After 2 very impressive wins it was time to really test her. The next start was the Virginia bred Brookmeade Stakes where *Cobbley's Breeze* raced three wide and then an-

gled in to save ground and angled out in upper stretch to run a very game third. A great meet for *Cobbley's Breeze* and the Overfelt's! After a little R&R at Eagle Point Farm, *Cobbley's Breeze* shipped into Monmouth to run in a \$50,000 NW1 Allowance race and is picked last. The ship and the change of rider and course was no issue for her! From the one hole with Sheldon Russel aboard she broke on top, set the pace, showed the way to the lane and then drew off from the field for a 3 1/4 length win. What a thrill! Congratulations to the Overfelts, Karen Godsey and *Cobbley's Breeze*!!



Big Ron West, by Western Expression, won a Maiden Special Weight for owner and breeder Ronald Thoma (Chruchville Farm) on July 19th at Parx Racing. Big Ron West repulsed a challenge near the far turn, moved clear and lasted to finish in a dead heat. Big Ron West had seconds on July 25 and August 6th. Big Ron West added another win in a starter allowance on September 4th at Parx Racing. He vied three wide, drew clear midway and stayed clear while never threatened for a two length win.

Churchville Farm had another winner with Dan's Ginger who won on September 6th at Parx Racing. Dan's Ginger, by Western Expression, was off slow and then hustled wide to loop the field and take the lead to be clear by three lengths at the wire.

Risky Red, by Devil His Due, won a mile race by 6 3/4 lengths for owner Marshall E. Dowell and trainer Robbie Bailes on June 11th at Colonial Downs.

Herd a Turtles, by Disco Rico, broke her maiden at Colonial Downs on June 23rd for owner and trainer David P. Hill. Herd a Turtles broke awkwardly and was bumped after the start and then set the pace and widened under minimal encouragement to win by 12 1/2 lengths.

Guns and Religion, by Indian Charlie, won when he was uncontested while making the pace along the inside and drew away when asked in an Allowance race at Calder Race Course on June 26th for owner Clive A. Black.

Jim Arrison continues his winning ways. Flattering Annie, 2008 filly by Flatter, won an allowance race at Charles Town on July 15 for owner and breeder Arrison. She sprinted clear and was kept to her business in the drive for a 3 3/4 length win. On August 21st, Arrison's Domestic Dispute homebred, Secret Life of Bea, angled out six wide and closed determinedly under left hand pressure and was up in time to win by a neck in an Allowance race at Charles Town.

Dare to Dream Stable's Boston Pops Band, by Bowman's Band, added another win at Penn National on August 16th. The chestnut gelding set the pace, dropped back, angled outward and came again drawing clear for a 2 3/4 length win. Boston Pops Band also ran second at Colonial Downs on July 13th. Dare to Dream is an excellent racing syndicate. If you are interested in getting involved check them out at www.daretodreamstable.com!

Nanseeyouin Heaven, by Beautiful Indy, broke her maiden at Delaware Park on August 2, 2011. The filly looped four wide through the turn and rallied past the leaders to win going away. Daniel M. Borislow is the owner and breeder. John Scanlan is the trainer.

Dylan My Villian, by Black Tie Affair (IRE), won a 4 1/2 furlong race at Charles Town Races on July 1, 2011 for breeders Carl Buhr, Keith Early and Mark Deane.

Johnnyjimmychoo, by Coastal Storm, won a Maiden Special Weight at Penn National on July 1st for owner and breeder John Morrone. The chestnut gelding drew clear and finished under strong urging to win by 4 1/4 lengths. Sapphire Ridge, by Tiger Ridge, added another win at Finger Lakes on July 12th.

Agave Ridge, by Cactus Ridge, won by 4 3/4 lengths at Suffolk Downs on August 22nd and was second on September 5th

Livingonaprayer, by Songandaprayer, broke his maiden at Timonium on September 5th when he broke outward, bumped and was straightened, widened nearing the 1/8 pole and was extended for a 2 3/4 length win. He also had a second place finish at Charles Town on June 18th.

Proud Melody by Proud Citizen won at Mountaineer Park on September 11th for owner Brian E. Poe of Ohio. The filly also ran second at Thistledowns on July 11th.

NOTABLE SECONDS:

Sally Oh Sally, 2009 filly by Sharp Humor at Colonial Downs on July 9th for owners Mark and Cindy Stewart. EZ Mac, by Biaconi, in a Starter Allowance at Colonial Downs on June 19th and July 31st for owner/trainer David P. Hill

Runaway Ben, by Buckle Down Ben, at Penn National on July 4th, July 25th and September 10th at Parx Racing for owner Robert Winters

Royal Fireworks, by Bop, at Charles Town on August 12th and September 1st for owners Paul and Barbara Brown. Lovebegone, by Not for Love, at Mountaineer Park on July 25th

Danced All Night, by Jazz Club, at Charles Town on June 23rd.

Arise Sir Knight, by Say Florida Sandy, at Mountaineer Park on June 3rd.

Star City Slew, by Slew City Slew, at Charles Town on June 25th.

Caulitacat, by Lionhearted, at Colonial Downs on June 22nd for Eagle Point Farm.

Travision, by Pollard's Vision, on July 10th and July 27th at Colonial Downs, and on September 14th at Laurel Park for Eagle Point Farm.

Icy and Civil, by Civilization, on September 2nd at Charles Town for owner Stephen L. Reggetts,

Misty's Song, by Domestic Dispute, on September 4th at Timonium for breeder James Arrison

Twisted Heart, by Malibu Moon, on September 2nd at Parx Racing for owner Roy Simmens

Wild Kay, by Lionhearted, in an allowance race on September 5th at Timonium for owner/breeder James Arrsion Misty's Rebellion, by Lionhearted, at Charles Town on September 11th for owner and breeder James Arrison

We will be at the Fall Yearling sale at Timonium on October 4th and 5th. If you would like help purchasing a yearling or would like to make arrangements to have your yearlings sent to us please give us a call!!

Our deepest sympathy goes out to the family of David P. Reynolds.

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