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## Breeders' Cup Starters - Money Won

Horse	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Earnings
Tiznow	2	2	0	0	\$4,560,400
Ouija Board (GB)	3	2	1	0	2,833,200
Invasor (Arg)	1	1	0	0	2,700,000
Curlin	1	1	0	0	2,700,000
Awesome Again	1	1	0	0	2,662,400
Pleasantly Perfect	2	1	0	1	2,520,000
Saint Liam	1	1	0	0	2,433,600
Skip Away	2	1	0	0	2,288,000
Cat Thief	3	1	0	1	2,200,000
Alysheba	3	1	1	1	2,133,000
Alphabet Soup	1	1	0	0	2,080,000
Volponi	2	1	0	0	2,080,000
Ghostzapper	1	1	0	0	2,080,000
Cigar	2	1	0	1	2,040,000
High Chaparral (Ire)	2	2	0	0	2,021,600
English Channel	3	1	0	0	1,988,400
Red Rocks (Ire)	2	1	0	1	1,920,000
Better Talk Now	4	1	1	0	1,793,000
Spain	3	1	1	0	1,755,200
Unbridled	2	1	0	1	1,710,000
Black Tie Affair (Ire)	3	1	0	1	1,668,000
Medaglia d'Oro	2	0	2	0	1,600,000
A.P. Indy	1	1	0	0	1,560,000
Arcangues	1	1	0	0	1,560,000
Concern	2	1	0	0	1,560,000
Ashado	3	1	1	1	1,460,000
Kip Deville	1	1	0	0	1,420,200
Buck's Boy	3	1	0	1	1,392,000
Wild Again	1	1	0	0	1,350,000
Proud Truth	1	1	0	0	1,350,000
Skywalker	2	1	0	0	1,350,000
Ferdinand	1	1	0	0	1,350,000
Sunday Silence	1	1	0	0	1,350,000
Theatrical (Ire)	3	1	1	0	1,350,000
Street Sense	2	1	0	0	1,335,000
Kalanisi (Ire)	1	1	0	0	1,289,600
Unbridled Elaine	1	1	0	0	1,227,200
Round Pond	1	1	0	0	1,220,400
Ginger Punch	1	1	0	0	1,220,400
Shirocco (Ger)	1	1	0	0	1,185,600
Miesque's Approval	1	1	0	0	1,171,800
Fantastic Light	2	1	0	0	1,162,400
Escena	2	1	0	1	1,160,000
Azeri	2	1	0	0	1,160,000
Fraise	3	1	0	0	1,152,000
Chief Bearhart	3	1	0	0	1,152,000
Thor's Echo	1	1	0	0	1,150,200
Lahudood (GB)	1	1	0	0	1,150,200

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## Highest/Lowest Earnings of Starters

(Going into Breeders' Cup races)

	Horse	Race	Earnings
<b>Highest</b> (Seasonal Earnings)	Cigar	1996 Classic	\$4,430,000
<b>Highest</b> (Lifetime)	Skip Away	1998 Classic	9,616,360
<b>Lowest</b> (Seasonal Earnings)	Ricks Natural Star	1996 Turf	0
<b>Lowest</b> (Lifetime)	Hot Date	1990 Juvenile	2,000

## Breeders' Cup Fields and Payoff Averages

Race	Starters	Average	Most/Least	Win Payoff Average
Classic	275	11.5	14/8	\$30.60
Distaff	223	9.3	14/6	\$21.50
Filly & Mare Turf	111	12.3	14/10	\$15.30
Juvenile	289	12	14/8	\$16.10
Juvenile Fillies	278	11.6	14/8	\$17.20
Mile	316	13.2	14/10	\$20.50
Sprint	310	12.9	14/9	\$21.40
Turf	280	11.6	14/8	\$22.30

## Foreign-based Starters of Breeders' Cup Races

Year/Track	Horse	Race/Finish	Year/Track	Horse	Race/Finish
<b>2007 - MTH</b> (12)	George Washington	C, dnf	<b>2005 - BEL</b> (20)	<b>Red Rocks</b>	<b>T, 1st</b>
	Passage of Time	F&MT, 3rd		Scorpion	T, 5th
	All My Loving	F&MT, 5th		Hurricane Run	T, 6th
	Timarwa	F&MT, 6th		Starcraft	C, 7th
	Simply Perfect	F&MT, dnf		Oratorio	C, 11th
	Achill Island	JT, 2nd		Jack Sullivan	C, 12th
	Strike the Deal	JT, 4th		Ouija Board	F&MT, 2nd
	Domestic Fund	JT, 5th		Favourable Terms	F&MT, 5th
	Excellent Art	M, 2nd		Karen's Caper	F&MT, 9th
	Jeremy	M, 10th		Mona Lisa	F&MT, 10th
	Red Rocks	T, 3rd		Luas Line	F&MT, 11th
	Dylan Thomas	T, 5th		Sundrop	F&MT, 14th
<b>2006 - CD</b> (18)	George Washington	C, 6th	Leo	J, 9th	
	David Junior	C, dnf	Ivan Denisovich	J, 12th	
	<b>Ouija Board</b>	<b>F&amp;MT, 1st</b>	Set Alight	J, 13th	
	Satwa Queen	F&MT, 5th	Whipper	M, 4th	
	Mauralakana	F&MT, 7th	Majors Cast	M, 5th	
	Quiet Royal	F&MT, 9th	Ad Valorem	M, 9th	
	Germance	F&MT, 10th	Valixir	M, 10th	
	Satulagi	JF, 11th	<b>Shirocco</b>	<b>T, 1st</b>	
	Sleeping Indian	M, 4th	Ace	T, 2nd	
	Rob Roy	M, 5th	Azamour	T, 3rd	
	Aussie Rules	M, 8th	Bago	T, 4th	
	Araafa	M, 9th	<b>2004 - LS</b> (13)	Personal Rush	C, 6th
Librettist	M, 10th	Nebraska Tornado		D, 8th	
Ad Valorem	M, 13th	<b>Ouija Board</b>	<b>F&amp;MT, 1st</b>		
Echo of Light	M, 14th	Yesterday	F&MT, 5th		

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Year/Track	Horse	Race/Finish	Year/Track	Horse	Race/Finish
	Aubonne	F&MT, 12th		Milan	T, 2nd
	<b>Wilko</b>	<b>J, 1st</b>		Slew the Red	T, 9th
	Scandinavia	J, 8th		Mutamam	T, 11th
	Mona Lisa	JF, 12th	<b>2000 - CD</b>	Giant's Causeway	C, 2nd
	Antonius Pius	M, 2nd	(20)	Pine Dance	C, 10th
	Six Perfections	M, 3rd		Crimplene	D, 4th
	Diamond Green	M, 8th		Catella	F&MT, 3rd
	Whipper	M, 10th		Petrushka	F&MT, 5th
	Powerscourt	T, 3rd		Goldamix	F&MT, 10th
<b>2003 - SA</b>	Hold That Tiger	C, 5th		Maltese Superb	F&MT, 13th
(14)	<b>Islington</b>	<b>F&amp;MT, 1st</b>		Turnberry Isle	J, 6th
	L' Anresse	F&MT, 2nd		Noverre	J, 11th
	Yesterday	F&MT, 3rd		Dansili	M, 3rd
	Mezzo Soprano	F&MT, 10th		Muhtathir	M, 5th
	Dimitrova	F&MT, 12th		Distant Music	M, 10th
	Relaxed Gesture	J, 8th		Indian Lodge	M, 13th
	<b>Six Perfections</b>	<b>M, 1st</b>		Arkadian Hero	M, 14th
	Oasis Dream	M, 10th		Agnes World	S, 8th
	Refuse To Bend	M, 11th		<b>Kalanisi</b>	<b>T, 1st</b>
	<b>High Chaparral</b>	<b>T, 1st-dh</b>		Mutamam	T, 4th
	Falbrav	T, 3rd		Fantastic Light	T, 5th
	Sulamani	T, 5th		Montjeu	T, 7th
	Bright Sky	T, 6th		Fruits of Love	T, 11th
<b>2002 - AP</b>	Hawk Wing	C, 7th	<b>1999 - GP</b>	Almutawakel	C, 5th
(17)	Banks Hill	F&MT, 2nd	(18)	Louve Mysterieuse	D, 7th
	Islington	F&MT, 3rd		Zomaradah	F&MT, 3rd
	Gossamer	F&MT, 5th		Borgia	F&MT, 5th
	Kazzia	F&MT, 6th		Louve	F&MT, 10th
	Zenda	F&MT, 8th		Insight	F&MT, 11th
	Turtle Bow	F&MT, 9th		Mull of Kintyre	J, 4th
	Hold that Tiger	J, 3rd		Brahms	J, 7th
	Van Nistelrooy	J, 5th		Warrior Queen	JF, 8th
	Tomahawk	J, 8th		Docksider	M, 3rd
	<b>Domedriver</b>	<b>M, 1st</b>		Lend a Hand	M, 4th
	Rock of Gibraltar	M, 2nd		Jim and Tonic	M, 9th
	Dress To Thrill	M, 8th		Susu	M, 12th
	Medecis	M, 9th		Stravinsky	S, 6th
	Landseer	M, dnf		<b>Daylami</b>	<b>T, 1st</b>
	<b>High Chaparral</b>	<b>T, 1st</b>		Dream Well	T, 5th
	Golan	T, 6th		Courteous	T, 7th
<b>2001 - BEL</b>	Sakhee	C, 2nd	<b>1998 - CD</b>	First Magnitude	T, 14th
(18)	Galileo	C, 6th	(15)	Swain	C, 3rd
	Black Minnaloushe	C, 10th		Running Stag	C, 7th
	<b>Banks Hill</b>	<b>F&amp;MT, 1st</b>		Red Sea	J, 12th
	Spring Oak	F&MT, 3rd		Fly to the Stars	M, 5th
	Crystal Music	F&MT, 7th		Second Empire	M, 6th
	Lailani	F&MT, 8th		Cape Cross	M, 9th
	Mot Juste	F&MT, 12th		Among Men	M, 11th
	<b>Johannesburg</b>	<b>J, 1st</b>		Waky Nao	M, 13th
	Sophisticat	JF, 5th		Desert Prince	M, 14th
	Bach	M, 3rd		Bolshoi	S, 7th
	Noverre	M, 7th		Royal Anthem	T, 7th
	Express Tour	M, 10th		Caitano	T, 8th
	Mozart	S, 11th		Insatiable	T, 10th
	<b>Fantastic Light</b>	<b>T, 1st</b>		Leggera	T, 12th

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Year/Track	Horse	Race/Finish	Year/Track	Horse	Race/Finish
<b>1997 - HOL</b> (9)	Sunshine Street	T, 13th	<b>1993 - SA</b> (19)	<b>Tikkanen</b>	<b>T, 1st</b>
	Taiki Blizzard	C, 6th		Hatoof	T, 2nd
	<b>Spinning World</b>	<b>M, 1st</b>		Intrepidity	T, 4th
	Decorated Hero	M, 3rd		Only Royale	T, 5th
	Carmine Lake	S, 9th		Hernando	T, 6th
	Pas de Reponse	S, 11th		White Muzzle	T, 8th
	Royal Applause	S, 14th		Volochine	T, 9th
	Borgia	T, 2nd		Celtic Arms	T, 10th
	Majorien	T, 10th		Bolas	T, 14th
<b>1996 - WO</b> (13)	Dance Design	T, 11th	<b>Arcangues</b>	<b>C, 1st</b>	
	Tamayaz	C, 6th	Ezzoud	C, 7th	
	Taiki Blizzard	C, 13th	Coup de Genie	JF, 4th	
	Spinning World	M, 2nd	Ski Paradise	M, 2nd	
	Mark of Esteem	M, 7th	Barathea	M, 5th	
	Charnwood Forest	M, 9th	Bigstone	M, 6th	
	Iktamal	S, 6th	Wolfhound	M, 10th	
	Luna Wells	T, 10th	Catrail	M, 12th	
	<b>Pilsudski</b>	<b>T, 1st</b>	Monde Bleu	S, 7th	
	Singspiel	T, 2nd	Surprise Offer	S, 10th	
	Swain	T, 3rd	Sayedati	S, 13th	
	Shantou	T, 4th	Hatoof	T, 5th	
	Dushyantor	T, 7th	Opera House	T, 6th	
Wall Street	T, 8th	Wemyss Bight	T, 8th		
<b>1995 - BEL</b> (15)	Halling	C, dnf	Apple Tree	T, 9th	
	<b>Ridgewood Pearl</b>	<b>M, 1st</b>	Hernando	T, 10th	
	Sayedati	M, 3rd	Serrant	T, 11th	
	Soviet Line	M, 6th	Dernier Empereur	T, 12th	
	Cherokee Rose	M, 8th	Intrepidity	T, 13th	
	Shaanxi	M, 11th	Jolypha	C, 3rd	
	Poplar Bluff	M, 13th	Zoman	C, 12th	
	Owington	S, 7th	Rodrigo de Triano	C, 14th	
	Hever Golf Rose	S, 8th	Marling	D, 5th	
	Lake Coniston	S, 12th	Culture Vulture	D, 10th	
	Freedom Cry	T, 2nd	Devil's Rock	J, 9th	
	Carnegie	T, 3rd	Firm Pledge	J, 12th	
	Tamure	T, 4th	Creaking Board	JF, 6th	
	Hernando	T, 5th	Love of Silver	JF, 10th	
	Lando	T, dnf	Brief Truce	M, 3rd	
<b>1994 - CD</b> (26)	Ezzoud	C, 7th	Selkirk	M, 5th	
	Cezanne	C, 9th	Exit to Nowhere	M, 8th	
	Grand Lodge	C, 10th	Arazi	M, 11th	
	Flag Down	C, 12th	Cardoun	M, 12th	
	Millkom	C, 13th	Sheikh Albadou	S, 4th	
	Dernier Empereur	C, 14th	Elbio	S, 5th	
	Erin Bird	D, 4th	Mr Brooks	S, dnf	
	Truly a Dream	D, 5th	Quest for Fame	T, 3rd	
	Eltish	J, 2nd	Dr Devious	T, 4th	
	Belle Genius	JF, 4th	Subotica	T, 5th	
	<b>Barathea</b>	<b>M, 1st</b>	Trishyde	T, 6th	
	Distant View	M, 7th	Corrupt	T, 9th	
	Bigstone	M, 8th	Star of Gdansk	C, 10th	
	Ski Paradise	M, 10th	Cudas	C, 11th	
	East of the Moon	M, 12th	<b>Arazi</b>	<b>J, 1st</b>	
	Missed Flight	M, 14th	Showbrook	J, dnf	
Lochsong	S, 14th	Culture Vulture	JF, 9th		

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Year/Track	Horse	Race/Finish	Year/Track	Horse	Race/Finish
	Ken de Saron	JF, 14th		Cruise Ship	J, 13th
	Danseuse du Soir	M, 4th		<b>Miesque</b>	<b>M, 1st</b>
	Priolo	M, 5th		Sonic Lady	M, 3rd
	Shadayid	M, 7th		Highest Honour	M, 7th
	Polar Falcon	M, 11th		Milligram	M, 13th
	Second Set	M, 12th		Sylvan Express	S, 8th
	Kooyonga	M, 13th		Sharp Romance	S, 12th
	<b>Sheikh Albadou</b>	<b>S, 1st</b>		Governor General	S, 13th
	<b>Miss Alleged</b>	<b>T, 1st</b>		Tremolino	T, 2nd
	Quest for Fame	T, 3rd		Sir Harry Lewis	T, 11th
	Pistolet Bleu	T, 5th		Bint Pasha	T, 14th
	Pigeon Voyageur	T, 6th	<b>1986 - SA</b>	Triptych	C, 6th
	In the Groove	T, 7th	(12)	Bold Arrangement	C, 7th
	Saddler's Hall	T, 10th		lades	C, 10th
	Dear Doctor	T, 11th		Polonia	JF, 9th
	Saganeca	T, 12th		<b>Last Tycoon</b>	<b>M, 1st</b>
<b>1990 - BEL</b>	Ibn Bey	C, 2nd		Sonic Lady	M, 7th
(13)	Go and Go	C, dnf		Magical Wonder	M, 8th
	Time Gentlemen	J, 5th		Double Schwartz	S, 8th
	Eternity Star	J, 11th		Green Desert	S, 9th
	<b>Royal Academy</b>	<b>M, 1st</b>		Dancing Brave	T, 4th
	Priolo	M, 3rd		Ivor's Image	T, 6th
	Markofdistinction	M, 7th		Darara	T, 8th
	Lady Winner	M, 8th	<b>1985 - AQU</b>	Femme Elite	JF, 6th
	Dayjur	S, 2nd	(18)	Shadeed	M, 3rd
	<b>In the Wings</b>	<b>T, 1st</b>		The Noble Player	M, 6th
	Saumarez	T, 5th		Rousillon	M, 8th
	French Glory	T, 7th		Palace Music	M, 9th
	Cacoethes	T, 9th		Never So Bold	M, 10th
<b>1989 - GP</b>	Go and Go	J, 8th		Chapel Cottage	M, 13th
(11)	Alchi	JF, 8th		Committed	S, 7th
	Most Welcome	M, 3rd		Vilikaia	S, 8th
	Royal Touch	M, 4th		Vacarme	S, 11th
	Zilzal	M, 6th		Al Sylah	S, 12th
	Green Line Express	M, 11th		<b>Pebbles</b>	<b>T, 1st</b>
	Sierra Roberta	T, 2nd		Strawberry Road	T, 2nd
	Star Lift	T, 3rd		Lashkari	T, 4th
	Behera	T, 4th		Shernazar	T, 6th
	Ile de Chypre	T, 9th		Teleprompter	T, 8th
	Scenic	T, 11th		Baillamont	T, 10th
<b>1988 - CD</b>	Tagel	J, 3rd		Persian Tiara	T, 13th
(12)	Eloquent Minister	JF, 12th	<b>1984 - HOL</b>	Concert Hall	J, 7th
	Blushing John	M, 10th	(11)	Lear Fan	M, 7th
	Warning	M, 11th		Prego	M, 9th
	<b>Miesque</b>	<b>M, 1st</b>		Princess Tracy	S, 5th
	Ravinella	M, 7th		Reesh	S, 11th
	Indian Skimmer	T, 3rd		<b>Lashkari</b>	<b>T, 1st</b>
	Triptych	T, 4th		All Along	T, 2nd
	Saint Andrews	T, 7th		Strawberry Road	T, 4th
	Sarhoob	T, 8th		Alphabatim	T, 5th
	Frankly Perfect	T, dnf		Persian Tiara	T, 7th
	Infamy	T, dnf		Treizieme	T, 9th
<b>1987 - HOL</b>	Bold Arrangement	C, 11th			
(13)	Antiqua	J, 11th			

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## Total Handle and Win Payoffs of Breeders' Cup Races by Year

Year	Track	Total Handle*	Lo Payoff	Hi Payoff	Payoff Averages
2007	Monmouth Park (Sat)	\$108,731,289	\$5.40	\$25.40	\$11.55
2007	Monmouth Park (Fri)	20,465,973	9.40	27.20	18.20
2006	Churchill Downs	134,357,846	4.80	50.60	24.60
2005	Belmont Park	116,434,571	6.70	63.50	22.35
2004	Lone Star Park	109,882,936	3.80	58.60	23.00
2003	Santa Anita Park	107,535,731	6.40	83.40	29.30
2002	Arlington Park	108,578,049	3.60	43.50	25.25
2001	Belmont Park	98,711,413	4.80	26.60	17.10
2000	Churchill Downs	101,283,427	5.40	113.80	35.30
1999	Gulfstream Park	96,485,255	5.20	67.00	27.40
1998	Churchill Downs	83,006,827	3.60	25.20	10.60
1997	Hollywood Park	72,659,391	4.40	35.20	10.70
1996	Woodbine Racetrack	67,738,890	5.20	41.70	17.00
1995	Belmont Park	64,075,209	3.40	31.00	10.80
1994	Churchill Downs	78,224,530	2.80	96.20	26.90
1993	Santa Anita Park	79,744,742	4.60	269.20	44.40
1992	Gulfstream Park	76,876,726	4.40	39.40	15.20
1991	Churchill Downs	67,588,113	3.00	86.20	32.70
1990	Belmont Park	55,328,195	2.40	26.40	9.50
1989	Gulfstream Park	55,345,677	3.40	35.20	12.00
1988	Churchill Downs	42,932,379	3.00	26.80	11.20
1987	Hollywood Park	31,864,457	4.00	62.80	19.20
1986	Santa Anita Park	31,984,490	3.00	73.80	22.80
1985	Aqueduct Racetrack	26,941,288	3.20	16.80	8.60
1984	Hollywood Park	16,452,179	3.40	108.80	34.00

\* Wagering on Breeders' Cup World Championships only.

## Breeders' Cup Pick 6 History

Year	Minimum Bet	Payoff	Number of Tickets	Consolation	Number of Tickets	Handle
2007	\$2	\$321,813.20	6	\$1,536.40	401	\$3,287,581
2006	2	1,450,707.00	2	11,318.00	85	4,786,481
2005	2	0	0	90,325.00	40	4,586,700
2004	2	0	0	56,149.00	61	4,566,837
2003	2	2,687,611.20	1	18,663.00	48	4,489,454
2002	2	0	0	43,937.60	78	4,569,515
2001	2	262,422.00	11	1,475.00		4,811,450
2000	2	45,772.00	68	465.00		5,123,453
1999	2	3,058,138.60	1	5,996.20		5,436,691
1998	2	34,607.20	114	335.80	3,906	6,494,193
1997	2	12,417.20	115	158.20		3,379,014

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Year	Minimum Bet	Payoff	Number of Tickets	Consolation	Number of Tickets	Handle
1996	\$1	\$471,812.00	4	\$4,462.00	141	\$3,340,945
1995	1	22,513.00	81	205.00	2,959	3,169,020
1994	1	0	0	66,290.00	54	4,599,918
1993	2	1,549,114.00	2	510.80	2,054	5,307,815
1992	2	740,115.00	4	2,800.00	349	5,104,480
1991	2	0	0	230,250.00	29	8,526,985

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Race Day	Racetrack	Attendance	Full Card On-Track	Simulcast Total	Total Handle
Oct. 27, 2007	Monmouth Park, N.J.	41,781	\$12,762,622	\$103,002,155	\$115,728,777
Oct. 26, 2007	Monmouth Park, N.J.	27,803	5,074,469	26,424,538	31,499,007
Nov. 4, 2006	Churchill Downs, Ky.	75,132	18,259,971	122,072,227	140,332,198
Oct. 29, 2005	Belmont Park, N.Y.	54,289	14,742,521	109,235,720	123,978,241
Oct. 30, 2004	Lone Star Park, Texas	53,717	13,326,726	107,570,415	120,897,141
Oct. 25, 2003	Santa Anita Park, Calif.	51,648	16,346,688	104,284,749	120,631,437
Oct. 26, 2002	Arlington Park, Ill.	46,118	13,829,689	102,229,885	116,059,574
Oct. 27, 2001	Belmont Park, N.Y.	52,987	13,087,814	91,057,372	104,145,186
Nov. 4, 2000	Churchill Downs, Ky.	76,043	13,579,798	95,023,242	108,603,040
Nov. 6, 1999	Gulfstream Park, Fla.	45,124	14,916,948	85,419,282	100,336,230
Nov. 7, 1998	Churchill Downs, Ky.	80,452	13,544,859	77,793,618	91,338,477
Nov. 8, 1997	Hollywood Park, Calif.	51,161	11,178,566	63,447,847	74,626,413
Oct. 26, 1996	Woodbine, Ontario, Canada	42,243	8,706,002	61,813,421	70,519,423
Oct. 28, 1995	Belmont Park, N.Y.	37,246	9,283,611	56,484,875	65,768,486
Nov. 5, 1994	Churchill Downs, Ky.	71,671	11,536,657	68,078,006	79,614,663
Nov. 6, 1993	Santa Anita Park, Calif.	55,130	15,006,557	67,601,992	82,608,549
Oct. 31, 1992	Gulfstream Park, Fla.	45,415	11,655,948	66,961,184	78,617,132
Nov. 2, 1991	Churchill Downs, Ky.	66,204	10,860,339	59,642,551	70,502,890
Oct. 27, 1990	Belmont Park, N.Y.	51,236	10,557,735	46,220,925	56,778,660
Nov. 4, 1989	Gulfstream Park, Fla.	51,342	12,373,213	45,129,419	57,502,632
Nov. 5, 1988	Churchill Downs, Ky.	71,237	10,995,103	33,713,296	44,708,399
Nov. 21, 1987	Hollywood Park, Calif.	57,734	13,002,176	23,012,544	36,014,720
Nov. 1, 1986	Santa Anita Park, Calif.	69,155	15,410,409	19,474,381	34,884,790
Nov. 2, 1985	Aqueduct, N.Y.	42,568	8,609,132	19,741,113	28,350,245
Nov. 10, 1984	Hollywood Park, Calif.	64,254	11,466,941	8,009,109	19,476,050

## Smallest Winning Margins

First	Second	Race	Margin
Alphabet Soup	Louis Quatorze	1996 Classic	Nose
Eillo	Commemorate	1984 Sprint	Nose
Epitome	Jeanne Jones	1987 Juv. Fillies	Nose
Ferdinand	Alysheba	1987 Classic	Nose
Escena	Banshee Breeze	1998 Distaff	Nose
Fraise	Sky Classic	1992 Turf	Nose
Hollywood Wildcat	Paseana	1993 Distaff	Nose
Macho Uno	Point Given	2000 Juvenile	Nose
Personal Ensign	Winning Colors	1988 Distaff	Nose
Tasso	Storm Cat	1985 Juvenile	Nose
Tiznow	Sakhee	2001 Classic	Nose
Answer Lively	Aly's Alley	1998 Juvenile	Head
Cherokee Run	Soviet Problem	1994 Sprint	Head
Da Hoss	Hawksley Hill	1998 Mile	Head
Flanders	Serena's Song	1994 Juv. Fillies	Head
High Chaparral/Johar (dh)	(3rd) Falbrav	2003 Turf	Head
Last Tycoon (Ire)	Palace Music	1986 Mile	Head
Phone Chatter	Sardula	1993 Juv. Fillies	Head
Pleasant Stage	La Spia	1991 Juv. Fillies	Head
Prized	Sierra Roberta	1989 Turf	Head
Proud Truth	Gate Dancer	1985 Classic	Head
Silver Train	Taste of Paradise	2005 Sprint	Head
Unbridled Elaine	Spain	2001 Distaff	Head
Wild Again	Gate Dancer	1984 Classic	Head

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## Largest Winning Margins

First	Second	Race	Margin
Inside Information	Heavenly Prize	1995 Distaff	13 1/2 lengths
Street Sense	Circular Quay	2006 Juvenile	10 lengths
Pleasant Home	Society Selection	2005 Distaff	9 1/4 lengths
Countess Diana	Career Collection	1997 Juv. Fillies	8 1/2 lengths
English Channel	Shamdinan	2007 Turf	7 lengths
Princess Rooney	Life's Magic	1984 Distaff	7 lengths
Bayakoa	Colonial Waters	1990 Distaff	6 3/4 lengths
Corinthian	Gottcha Gold	2007 Dirt Mile	6 1/2 lengths
Volponi	Medaglia d'Oro	2002 Classic	6 1/2 lengths
Life's Magic	Lady's Secret	1985 Distaff	6 1/4 lengths
Skip Away	Deputy Commander	1997 Classic	6 lengths

## Favorites and Longshots

- Favorites have won 64 of 180 Breeders' Cup races, a 35.5 percent rate. The worst finish by a favorite was in the 2003 Juvenile at Santa Anita Park when Cuvee finished 12th by 58 lengths at 3-2.
- There have been 40 odds-on (.90 or less) choices with 17 winners.
- There have been 35 horses to go off at odds of 100-1 or greater; only Arcangues, winner of the 1993 Classic at 133.60-1, has finished in the money.

## Pre-Entries, Entries and Starters

Year	Pre-Entries	Entries	Starters
2007 <sup>††</sup>	141 (160)	124	117
2006	114 (121)	104	104
2005	117 (120)	100	99
2004	101 (108)	92	91
2003	101 (109)	91	90
2002	104 (113)	92	90
2001	104 (117)	98	94
2000	135 (143)	105	103
1999 <sup>†</sup>	128 (143)	102	101
1998	117 (123)	85	82
1997	94 (100)	77	76
1996	90 (95)	85	82
1995	101 (109)	84	81
1994	126 (137)	94	91
1993	103 (110)	82	81
1992	112 (124)	92	91
1991	116 (127)	91	90
1990	110 (130)	91	83
1989	101 (110)	89	80
1988	87 (94)	79	75
1987	106 (116)	91	84
1986	90 (102)	79	76
1985	110 (124)	90	82
1984	77 (86)	69	68

( ) indicates total pre-entries in the event that a horse enters in more than one Breeders' Cup Championship race.

<sup>†</sup>First year to include eight total races, <sup>††</sup>First year to include 11 total races

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## Winning Post Positions

<b>Post 1</b> 20 Winners	<b>Post 5</b> 19 Winners	<b>Post 9</b> 10 Winners	<b>Post 12</b> 12 Winners
<b>Post 2</b> 23 Winners	<b>Post 6</b> 14 Winners	<b>Post 10</b> 10 Winners	<b>Post 13</b> 2 Winners
<b>Post 3</b> 15 Winners	<b>Post 7</b> 8 Winners	<b>Post 11</b> 11 Winners	<b>Post 14</b> 5 Winners
<b>Post 4</b> 20 Winners	<b>Post 8</b> 12 Winners		

## Breeders' Cup Winners Who Have Produced Breeders' Cup Winners

<b>Hollywood Wildcat</b> <i>(1993 Distaff)</i>	—	<b>War Chant</b> <i>(2002 Mile)</i>
<b>Personal Ensign</b> <i>(1988 Distaff)</i>	—	<b>My Flag</b> ————— <b>Storm Flag Flying</b> <i>(1995 Juv. Fillies)</i> <i>(2002 Juv. Fillies)</i>

## Dams Who Have Produced Multiple Breeders' Cup Winners

<b>Primal Force</b>	<b>Awesome Again</b> <i>(1998 Classic)</i>	<b>Hasili (Ire)</b>	<b>Banks Hill</b> <i>(2001 F&amp;M Turf)</i>
	<b>Macho Uno</b> <i>(2000 Juvenile)</i>		<b>Intercontinental</b> <i>(2005 F&amp;M Turf)</i>

## Breeders' Cup Winners Who Have Sired Breeders' Cup Winners

<b>A.P. Indy</b> <i>(1992 Classic)</i>	<b>Tempera</b> <i>(2001 Juv. Fillies)</i>	<b>Royal Academy</b> <i>(1990 Mile)</i>	<b>Val Royal</b> <i>(2001 Mile)</i>
<b>Awesome Again</b> <i>(1998 Classic)</i>	<b>Wilko</b> <i>(2004 Juvenile)</i>	<b>Tiznow</b> <i>(2000 &amp; 2001 Classic)</i>	<b>Folklore</b> <i>(2005 Juv. Fillies)</i>
	<b>Ghostzapper</b> <i>(2004 Classic)</i>	<b>Unbridled</b> <i>(1990 Classic)</i>	<b>Unbridled's Song</b> <i>(1995 Juvenile)</i>
	<b>Round Pond</b> <i>(2006 Distaff)</i>		<b>Anees</b> <i>(1999 Juvenile)</i>
	<b>Ginger Punch</b> <i>(2007 Distaff)</i>		<b>Halfbridled</b> <i>(2003 Juv. Fillies)</i>
<b>Capote</b> <i>(1986 Juvenile)</i>	<b>Boston Harbor</b> <i>(1996 Juvenile)</i>	<b>Unbridled's Song</b> <i>(1995 Juvenile)</i>	<b>Unbridled Elaine</b> <i>(2001 Distaff)</i>
<b>Cherokee Run</b> <i>(1994 Sprint)</i>	<b>War Pass</b> <i>(2007 Juvenile)</i>	<b>Wild Again</b> <i>(1984 Classic)</i>	<b>Elmhurst</b> <i>(1997 Sprint)</i>
<b>Chief's Crown</b> <i>(1984 Juvenile)</i>	<b>Chief Bearhart</b> <i>(1997 Turf)</i>		
<b>Cozzene</b> <i>(1985 Mile)</i>	<b>Tikkanen</b> <i>(1994 Turf)</i>		
	<b>Alphabet Soup</b> <i>(1996 Classic)</i>		

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## Lowest/Highest Odds for Each Breeders' Cup Race Winner

<b>Distaff:</b>	1985; Life's Magic — \$.40 <i>(coupled with Lady's Secret and Alabama Nana)</i> 2000; Spain — \$55.90	<b>F&amp;M Turf:</b>	2004; Ouija Board — \$.90 2005; Intercontinental — \$15.10
<b>Juv. Fillies:</b>	1990; Meadow Star — \$.20 2000; Caressing — \$47.00	<b>Juvenile:</b>	1984; Chief's Crown — \$.70 1999; Anees — \$30.30
<b>Mile:</b>	1993; Lure — \$1.30 1986; Last Tycoon — \$35.90	<b>Turf:</b>	2002; High Chaparral — \$.90 1984; Lashkari — \$53.40
<b>Sprint:</b>	1984; Eillo — \$1.30 1991; Sheikh Albadou — \$26.30	<b>Classic:</b>	1995; Cigar — \$.70 1993; Arcangues — \$133.60

## Oldest Horses to Run in a Breeders' Cup Race

<b>John's Call</b>	9 Years Old (2000 Turf)	<b>Bet On Sunshine</b>	9 Years Old (2001 Sprint)
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## Oldest Horses to Win a Breeders' Cup Race

<b>Cardmania</b>	7 Years Old (1993 Sprint)	<b>Miesque's Approval</b>	7 Years Old (2006 Mile)
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## Oldest Trainer to Win a Breeders' Cup Race

<b>Philip G. Johnson (77)</b>	Volponi (2002 Classic)
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## Youngest Trainer to Win a Breeders' Cup Race

<b>Craig Dollase (27)</b>	Reraise (1998 Sprint)
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## Oldest Jockey to Win a Breeders' Cup Race

<b>Bill Shoemaker (56)</b>	Ferdinand (1987 Classic)
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## Youngest Jockey to Win a Breeders' Cup Race

<b>Fernando Jara (18)</b>	Invasor (Arg) (2006 Classic)
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## First Winning Female Trainer

<b>Jenine Sahadi</b>	Lit de Justice (1996 Sprint)
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## First Winning Female Jockey

<b>Julie Krone</b>	Halfbridled (2003 Juvenile Fillies)
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## Returning Breeders' Cup Winners

Horse	Race Won	Returned
Arazi	J,1991	M, 1992, 11th
Ashado	D,2004	D, 2005, 3rd
Azeri	D,2002	C, 2004, 5th
Banks Hill	F&MT, 2001	F&MT, 2002, 2nd
<b>Bayakoa</b>	<b>D,1989</b>	<b>D, 1990, 1st</b>
Beautiful Pleasure	D,1999	D, 2000, 6th
Better Talk Now	T, 2004	T, 2005, 7th T, 2006, 2nd T, 2007, 4th
Buck's Boy	T, 1998	T, 1999, 3rd
Cajun Beat	S, 2003	S, 2004, 5th
Cardmania	S, 1993	S, 1994, 3rd
Cat Thief	C, 1999	C, 2000, 7th
Chief Bearhart	T, 1997	T, 1998, 4th
Chief's Crown	J, 1984	C, 1985, 4th
Cigar	C, 1995	C, 1996, 3rd
Concern	C, 1994	C, 1995, 8th
<b>Da Hoss</b>	<b>M, 1996</b>	<b>M, 1998, 1st</b>
Dancing Spree	S, 1989	S, 1990, 6th
Epitome	JF, 1987	D, 1988, 7th
Favorite Trick	J, 1997	M, 1998, 8th
Fly So Free	J, 1990	C, 1991, 4th S, 1993, 9th
Fraise	T, 1992	T, 1993, 4th T, 1994, 11th
Gilded Time	J, 1992	S, 1993, 3rd
Go for Wand	JF, 1989	D, 1990, dnf
<b>High Chaparral</b>	<b>T, 2002</b>	<b>T, 2003, 1st - dh</b>
Hollywood Wildcat	D, 1993	D, 1994, 6th
Jewel Princess	D, 1996	D, 1997, dnf
Kona Gold	S, 2000	S, 2001, 7th S, 2002, 4th
Lashkari	T, 1984	T, 1985, 4th

Horse	Race Won	Returned
<b>Lure</b>	<b>M,1992</b>	<b>M, 1993, 1st</b> M, 1994, 9th
Macho Uno	J, 2000	C, 2001, 4th C, 2002, 5th
Meadow Star	JF, 1990	D, 1992, 7th
<b>Miesque</b>	<b>M, 1987</b>	<b>M, 1988, 1st</b>
My Flag	JF, 1995	D, 1996, 4th
Open Mind	JF, 1988	D, 1989, 3rd
<b>Ouija Board</b>	<b>F&amp;MT, 2004</b>	F&MT, 2005, 2nd <b>F&amp;MT, 2006, 1st</b>
Outstandingly	JF, 1984	D, 1986, 3rd
Paseana	D, 1992	D, 1993, 2nd
Pleasantly Perfect	C, 2003	C, 2004, 3rd
Precisionist	S, 1985	C, 1986, 3rd S, 1988, 5th
Red Rocks (Ire)	T, 2006	T, 2007, 3rd
Rhythm	J, 1989	C, 1990, 8th
Sheikh Albadou (GB)	S, 1991	S, 1992, 4th
Silverbulletday	JF, 1998	D, 1999, 6th
Singleary	M, 2004	M, 2005, 8th
Six Perfections (Fr)	M,2003	M, 2004, 3rd
Skip Away	C, 1997	C, 1998, 6th
Skywalker	C, 1986	C, 1987, 12th
Spain	D, 2000	D, 2001, 2nd
Steinlen (GB)	M, 1989	M, 1990, 4th
Storm Flag Flying	JF, 2002	D, 2004, 2nd
Street Sense	J, 2006	C, 2007, 4th
Thirty Slews	S, 1992	S, 1993, 4th
<b>Tiznow</b>	<b>C, 2000</b>	<b>C, 2001, 1st</b>
Twilight Ridge	JF, 1985	D, 1986, 6th
Unbridled	C, 1990	C, 1991, 3rd
Very Subtle	S, 1987	S, 1988, 4th
Volponi	C, 2002	C, 2003, 10th

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## Geldings Who Have Participated in Breeders' Cup Races

<b>A Bit O'Gold</b> (C, 13th, 2005)	(T, 1st, 1998) (T, 3rd, 1999)	<b>Decorated Hero (GB)</b> (M, 3rd, 1997)	<b>Green Barb</b> (T, 8th, 1989)
<b>Affirmed Success</b> (S, 6th, 1998) (S, 12th, 1999) (M, 4th, 2000) (M, 11th, 2001)	<b>Budroyale</b> (C, 2nd, 1999)	<b>Delay of Game</b> (M, 7th, 1999)	<b>Greg's Gold</b> (S, 8th, 2007)
<b>Areyoualkintome</b> (S, 13th, 2006)	<b>Cajun Beat</b> (S, 1st, 2003) (S, 5th, 2004)	<b>Designed for Luck</b> (M, 7th, 2003)	<b>Guided Tour</b> (C, 12th, 2000) (C, 5th, 2001)
<b>Awesome Gem</b> (C, 3rd, 2007)	<b>Calestoga</b> (S, 11th, 1988)	<b>Diamond Stripes</b> (C, 8th, 2007)	<b>Gygistar</b> (S, 9th, 2005)
<b>Balto Star</b> (M, 12th, 2001) (T, 9th, 2003)	<b>Caller One</b> (S, 4th, 2000) (S, 3rd, 2001)	<b>Disturbingthepeace</b> (S, 7th, 2002)	<b>Hawksley Hill (Ire)</b> (M, 2nd, 1998) (M, 5th, 1999)
<b>Battle Won</b> (S, 11th, 2005)	<b>Cannonball</b> (JT, 3rd, 2007)	<b>Dramatic Gold</b> (C, 3rd, 1994) (C, 9th, 1996)	<b>He's a Saros</b> (C, 8th, 1987)
<b>Best Pal</b> (J, 6th, 1990) (C, 10th, 1993) (C, 5th, 1994)	<b>Captain Squire</b> (S, 7th, 2003)	<b>Elmhurst</b> (S, 1st, 1997)	<b>Highland Springs</b> (M, 7th, 1989)
<b>Bet On Sunshine</b> (S, 3rd, 1997) (S, 3rd, 2000) (S, 13th, 2001)	<b>Cardmania</b> (S, 12th, 1992) (S, 1st, 1993) (S, 3rd, 1994)	<b>Ethan Man</b> (S, 10th, 2003)	<b>Hodges Bay</b> (T, 13th, 1989)
<b>Better Talk Now</b> (T, 1st, 2004) (T, 7th, 2005) (T, 2nd, 2006) (T, 4th, 2007)	<b>Choctaw Nation</b> (C, 6th, 2005)	<b>Evening Attire</b> (C, 4th, 2002) (C, 7th, 2003)	<b>Honor the Hero</b> (S, 7th, 1994)
<b>Big Jag</b> (S, 3rd, 1999)	<b>Chorwon</b> (T, 6th, 2001)	<b>Explosive Darling</b> (M, 5th, 1987)	<b>Imperial Choice</b> (C, 6th, 1985)
<b>Blazing Fury</b> (T, 4th, 2001)	<b>Clock Stopper</b> (S, 6th, 2004)	<b>Flourescent Gem</b> (S, 6th, 1989)	<b>Irish Prize</b> (M, 4th, 2001)
<b>Bluesthstandard</b> (S, 2nd, 2003)	<b>Colchis Island (Ire)</b> (T, 6th, 1990)	<b>Forty Niner Days</b> (M, 7th, 1992)	<b>Itsallgreetkome</b> (M, 2nd, 1990) (T, 2nd, 1991)
<b>Bolshoi (Ire)</b> (S, 7th, 1998)	<b>Commentator</b> (S, 7th, 2007)	<b>Funfair (GB)</b> (M, dnf, 2005)	<b>Jack Sullivan</b> (C, 12th, 2005)
<b>Bonapaw</b> (S, 10th, 2002)	<b>Da Hoss</b> (S, 13th, 1995) (M, 1st, 1996) (M, 1st, 1998)	<b>Funny Cide</b> (C, 9th, 2003) (C, 10th, 2004)	<b>Jess C's Whirl</b> (S, 13th, 1996)
<b>Bordonaro</b> (S, 4th, 2006) (S, 6th, 2007)	<b>Daring General</b> (J, 4th, 1998)	<b>Gander</b> (C, 9th, 2000) (C, 9th, 2001)	<b>Jim and Tonic (Fr)</b> (M, 9th, 1999)
<b>Boundless Moment</b> (S, 9th, 1996)	<b>Daros (GB)</b> (T, 8th, 1992)	<b>General Challenge</b> (C, 10th, 1999)	<b>John's Call</b> (T, 3rd, 2000)
<b>Buck's Boy</b> (T, 4th, 1997)	<b>Dawson's Legacy</b> (J, 2nd, 1997)	<b>Gold Land</b> (S, 4th, 1998)	<b>Kelly's Landing</b> (S, 10th, 2006) (S, 5th, 2007)
	<b>De Roche</b> (C, 5th, 1990)	<b>Gold Storm</b> (S, 9th, 2004)	<b>Key Spirit</b> (S, 11th, 1991)
		<b>Great Communicator</b> (T, 12th, 1987) (T, 1st, 1998)	<b>King Corrie</b> (S, 6th, 1992)
		<b>Great Normand</b> (M, 12th, 1990)	<b>King Ruckus</b> (S, 12th, 1994)

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## Geldings Who Have Participated in Breeders' Cup Races

**Kiss a Native**

(J, 14th, 1999)

**Kona Gold**

(S, 3rd, 1998)

(S, 2nd, 1999)

(S, 1st, 2000)

(S, 7th, 2001)

(S, 4th, 2002)

**Ladies Din**

(M, 8th, 2000)

**Lakota Brave**

(S, 5th, 1996)

**Lava Man**

(C, 7th, 2006)

**L'Carriere**

(C, 2nd, 1995)

**Leprechaun Kid**

(T, 10th, 2005)

**Little Bold John**

(M, 10th, 1989)

**Lucky Coin**

(M, 4th, 1997)

**Maharesred**

(J, 10th, 1988)

**Media Plan**

(S, 5th, 1991)

**Men's Exclusive**

(S, 6th, 1997)

**Most Feared**

(J, 6th, 2002)

**Mr O'Brien (Ire)**

(M, 9th, 2004)

**Mt. Sassafras**

(C, 4th, 1996)

**Music Merci**

(J, 4th, 1988)

(S, 6th, 1993)

**My Cousin Matt**

(S, 3rd, 2004)

**Naninja**

(M, 12th, 1997)

**North East Bound**

(M, 2nd, 2000)

**Not Surprising**

(S, 4th, 1995)

**Nuclear Debate**

(M, 12th, 2002)

**Olympic Prospect**

(S, 7th, 1988)

(S, 4th, 1989)

**Paying Dues**

(S, 2nd, 1996)

**Peeping Tom**

(S, 9th, 2001)

**Perfect Drift**

(C, 12th, 2002)

(C, 6th, 2003)

(C, 4th, 2004)

(C, 3rd, 2005)

(C, 8th, 2006)

**Pinfloron (Fr)**

(M, 11th, 1997)

**Play the King**

(S, 2nd, 1988)

**Pt's Grey Eagle**

(S, 8th, 2004)

**Publication**

(J, 4th, 2001)

**Quick Call**

(M, 8th, 1989)

**Quiet Resolve**

(M, 14th, 1999)

(T, 2nd, 2000)

(T, 10th, 2001)

**Rare Rock**

(S, 9th, 1998)

**Regal Thunder**

(S, 8th, 1999)

**Reraise**

(S, 1st, 1998)

**Ricks Natural Star**

(T, 14th, 1996)

**Sam Who**

(S, 13th, 1989)

**Same Old Wish**

(M, 3rd, 1996)

**Sarafan**

(M, 8th, 2001)

**Savinio**

(M, 5th, 1995)

(C, 5th, 1997)

**Secreto de Estado**

(J, 11th, 1995)

**Serrant**

(T, 11th, 1993)

**Shake the Bank**

(T, 13th, 2005)

**Shake You Down**

(S, 3rd, 2003)

**Silverfoot**

(T, 6th, 2005)

(T, 9th, 2006)

**Siren Lure**

(S, 8th, 2006)

**Styly Gifted**

(S, 7th, 1987)

**Smart and Sharp**

(M, 10th, 1984)

**Smokey Stover**

(S, 9th, 2007)

**Soaring Free**

(M, 5th, 2003)

(M, 4th, 2004)

**Solar Splendor**

(T, dnf, 1992)

(T, 14th, 1993)

**Son of a Pistol**

(S, 13th, 1999)

**Soviet Line (Ire)**

(M, 6th, 1995)

(M, 7th, 1997)

**Special Ring**

(M, 8th, 2003)

(M, 13th, 2004)

**Star Over the Bay**

(T, 8th, 2004)

**Superstrike (GB)**

(S, 9th, 1992)

**Surprise Offer (GB)**

(S, 10th, 1993)

**Teleprompter (GB)**

(T, 8th, 1985)

**The Exeter Man**

(S, 13th, 1998)

**The Tin Man**

(T, 4th, 2002)

(T, 4th, 2003)

**Thirty Slews**

(S, 1st, 1992)

(S, 4th, 1993)

**Thor's Echo**

(S, 1st, 2006)

**Thornfield**

(T, 13th, 1999)

**Time Limit**

(J, 7th, 1997)

**Trafalger**

(S, 8th, 1997)

**Transduction Gold**

(T, 8th, 2007)

**Tri To Watch**

(J, 8th, 1991)

**Trippi's Storm**

(M, 6th, 2007)

**Turk Passer**

(T, 9th, 1995)

**U D Ghetto**

(J, 7th, 2006)

**Unite's Big Red**

(T, 12th, 1999)

**Valid Video**

(S, 13th, 2003)

**Val's Prince**

(T, 8th, 1997)

(T, 11th, 1999)

**Who's To Pay**

(M, 6th, 1990)

**Williams News**

(T, 13th, 2000)

**With Anticipation**

(T, 7th, 2001)

(T, 2nd, 2002)

**Zany Tactics**

(S, 9th, 1987)

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## Status of Past Breeders' Cup Winners (as of June 1, 2008)

### Breeders' Cup Classic

Year	Winner	Status
2007	Curlin	Still in Training
2006	Invasor (Arg)	Stud, Shadwell Farm, Ky.
2005	Saint Liam	Deceased
2004	Ghostzapper	Stud, Adena Springs, Ky.
2003	Pleasantly Perfect	Stud, Lane's End Farm, Ky.
2002	Volponi	Stud, Jeju Stud and Training Farm, Korea
2001	Tiznow	Stud, WinStar Farm, Ky.
2000	Tiznow	Stud, WinStar Farm, Ky.
1999	Cat Thief	Stud, Overbrook Farm, Ky.
1998	Awesome Again	Stud, Adena Springs Farm, Ky.
1997	Skip Away	Stud, Hopewell Farm, Ky.
1996	Alphabet Soup	Stud, Adena Springs South, Fla.
1995	Cigar	Retired, Kentucky Horse Park, Ky.
1994	Concern	Stud, Okla. Equine Lameness Center, Ok.
1993	Arcangues	Stud, Keiba Bokujo, Japan
1992	A.P. Indy	Stud, Lane's End Farm, Ky.
1991	Black Tie Affair (Ire)	Stud, O'Sullivan Farms, Va.
1990	Unbridled	Deceased
1989	Sunday Silence	Deceased
1988	Alysheba	Stud, Janadriya, Saudi Arabia
1987	Ferdinand	Deceased
1986	Skywalker	Deceased
1985	Proud Truth	Deceased
1984	Wild Again	Pensioned, Three Chimneys Farm, Ky.

### Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile

Year	Winner	Status
2007	Corinthian	Stud, Gainesway Farm, Ky.

### Breeders' Cup Distaff

Year	Winner	Status
2007	Ginger Punch	Still in Training
2006	Round Pond	Broodmare Prospect, Darley at Jonabell, Ky.
2005	Pleasant Home	Broodmare, Claiborne Farm, Ky.
2004	Ashado	Broodmare, Darley at Jonabell, Ky.
2003	Adoration	Broodmare, Ashford Stud, Ky.
2002	Azeri	Broodmare, Hill 'n' Dale Farm, Ky.
2001	Unbridled Elaine	Broodmare, Darley at Jonabell, Ky.
2000	Spain	Broodmare, Dromoland Farm, Ky.
1999	Beautiful Pleasure	Broodmare, Fawn Leap Farm, Ky.
1998	Escena	Broodmare, Diamond A Farm, Ky.
1997	Ajina	Broodmare, Stonerside Farm, Ky.
1996	Jewel Princess	Broodmare, Ashford Stud, Ky.
1995	Inside Information	Broodmare, Claiborne Farm, Ky.
1994	One Dreamer	Broodmare, Glen Hill Farm, Fla.
1993	Hollywood Wildcat	Broodmare, Oak Tree (Lane's End), Ky.
1992	Paseana (Arg)	Deceased
1991	Dance Smartly	Deceased
1990	Bayakoa (Arg)	Deceased
1989	Bayakoa (Arg)	Deceased
1988	Personal Ensign	Pensioned, Claiborne Farm, Ky.

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### Breeders' Cup Distaff (continued)

Year	Winner	Status
1987	Sacahuista	Broodmare, Ashford Stud, Ky.
1986	Lady's Secret	Deceased
1985	Lifeis Magic	Deceased
1984	Princess Rooney	Pensioned, Gentry Bros. Farm, Ky.

### Breeders' Cup Filly & Mare Sprint

Year	Winner	Status
2007	Maryfield	Broodmare Prospect, Hill 'n' Dale Farms, Ky.

### Breeders' Cup Filly & Mare Turf

Year	Winner	Status
2007	Lahudood (GB)	Broodmare Prospect, Shadwell Farm, Ky.
2006	Ouija Board (GB)	Broodmare, Stanley Estate & Stud, England
2005	Intercontinental (GB)	Broodmare, Juddmonte Farms, Ky.
2004	Ouija Board (GB)	Broodmare, Stanley Estate & Stud, England
2003	Islington (Ire)	Broodmare, Ballymacoll Stud, Ireland
2002	Starine (Fr)	Deceased
2001	Banks Hill (GB)	Broodmare, Juddmonte Farms, Ky.
2000	Perfect Sting	Broodmare, Adena Springs Farm, Ky.
1999	Soaring Softly	Broodmare, Darby Dan Farm, Ky.

### Breeders' Cup Juvenile

Year	Winner	Status
2007	War Pass	Still in Training
2006	Street Sense	Stud, Darley at Jonabell, Ky.
2005	Stevie Wonderboy	Stud, Airdrie Stud, Ky.
2004	Wilko	Stud, Adena Springs South, Fla.
2003	Action This Day	Stud, Spendthrift Farms, Ky.
2002	Vindication	Stud, Hill 'n' Dale, Ky.
2001	Johannesburg	Stud, Ashford Stud, Ky.
2000	Macho Uno	Stud, Adena Springs Farm, Ky.
1999	Anees	Deceased
1998	Answer Lively	Deceased
1997	Favorite Trick	Deceased
1996	Boston Harbor	Stud, Shizunai Stallion Station, Japan
1995	Unbridled's Song	Stud, Taylor Made Farm, Ky.
1994	Timber Country	Stud, Shadai Stallion Station, Japan
1993	Brocco	Stud, Durham Lodge, Western Australia
1992	Gilded Time	Stud, Bar None Ranches, Alberta, Canada
1991	Arazi	Stud, Independent Stallion Station, Victoria, Australia
1990	Fly So Free	Deceased
1989	Rhythm	Deceased
1988	Is it True	Deceased
1987	Success Express	Pensioned, Vinery, New South Wales, Australia
1986	Capote	Deceased
1985	Tasso	Stud, Janadriya, Saudi Arabia
1984	Chief's Crown	Deceased

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### Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies

Year	Winner	Status
2007	Indian Blessing	Still in Training
2006	Dreaming of Anna	Still in Training
2005	Folklore	Broodmare, Taylor Made Farm, Ky.
2004	Sweet Catomine	Broodmare, Mill Ridge Farm, Ky.
2003	Halfbridled	Broodmare, Hagyard Farm, Ky.
2002	Storm Flag Flying	Broodmare, Claiborne Farm, Ky.
2001	Tempera	Deceased
2000	Caressing	Broodmare, Hermitage Farm, Ky.
1999	Cash Run	Broodmare, Ashford Stud, Ky.
1998	Silverbulletday	Broodmare, Hill 'n' Dale, Ky.
1997	Countess Diana	Deceased
1996	Storm Song	Broodmare, Dalham Hall Stud, England
1995	My Flag	Broodmare, Claiborne Farm, Ky.
1994	Flanders	Broodmare, Overbrook Farm, Ky.
1993	Phone Chatter	Broodmare, Ashford Stud, Ky.
1992	Eliza	Broodmare, Ashford Stud, Ky.
1991	Pleasant Stage	Deceased
1990	Meadow Star	Deceased
1989	Go for Wand	Deceased
1988	Open Mind	Deceased
1987	Epitome	Deceased
1986	Brave Raj	Deceased
1985	Twilight Ridge	Pensioned, Manchester Farm, Ky.
1984	Outstandingly	Deceased

### Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf

Year	Winner	Status
2007	Nownownow	Still in Training, Ireland

### Breeders' Cup Mile

Year	Winner	Status
2007	Kip Deville	Still in Training
2006	Miesque's Approval	Stud, Highdown Stud, South Africa
2005	Artie Schiller	Stud, Hurricane Hall, Ky.
2004	Singletary	Stud, Cardiff Stud Farm, Ca.
2003	Six Perfections (Fr)	Broodmare, Haras de Fresnay-Le-Buffard, France
2002	Domedriver (Ire)	Stud, Haras de Fresnay-Le-Buffard, France
2001	Val Royal (Fr)	Stud, National Stud, England
2000	War Chant	Stud, Three Chimneys Farm, Ky.
1999	Silic (Fr)	Stud, Getaway Farm, Ca.
1998	Da Hoss	Retired, Kentucky Horse Park, Ky.
1997	Spinning World	Stud, Coolmore, Australia
1996	Da Hoss	Retired, Kentucky Horse Park, Ky.
1995	Ridgewood Pearl (GB)	Deceased
1994	Barathea (Ire)	Stud, Rathbarry Stud, Ireland
1993	Lure	Pensioned, Claiborne Farm, Ky.
1992	Lure	Pensioned, Claiborne Farm, Ky.
1991	Opening Verse	Deceased
1990	Royal Academy	Stud, Coolmore, Australia
1989	Steinlen (GB)	Deceased
1988	Miesque	Broodmare, Oak Tree (Lane's End), Ky.
1987	Miesque	Broodmare, Oak Tree (Lane's End), Ky.
1986	Last Tycoon (Ire)	Deceased
1985	Cozzene	Stud, Gainesway Farm, Ky.
1984	Royal Heroine (Ire)	Deceased

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## Status of Past Breeders' Cup Winners (as of June 1, 2008)

### Breeders' Cup Sprint

Year	Winner	Status
2007	Midnight Lute	Still in Training
2006	Thor's Echo	Still in Training
2005	Silver Train	Stud, Vinery, Ky.
2004	Speightstown	Stud, WinStar Farm, Ky.
2003	Cajun Beat	Retired, Padua Farm, Fla.
2002	Orientate	Stud, Gainesway Farm, Ky.
2001	Squirtle Squirt	Stud, Iburi Stallion Station, Japan
2000	Kona Gold	Retired, Kentucky Horse Park, Ky.
1999	Artax	Stud, Fever Stallions, NY
1998	Reraise	Retired, Privately Owned, Va.
1997	Elmhurst	Retired, Evergreen Farm, Ky.
1996	Lit de Justice	Stud, Magali Farm, Ca.
1995	Desert Stormer	Broodmare, Claiborne Farm, Ky.
1994	Cherokee Run	Stud, Darley at Jonabell, Ky.
1993	Cardmania	Retired, Tehachapi Ranch, Ca.
1992	Thirty Slews	Retired, Privately Owned, Ca.
1991	Sheikh Albadou (GB)	Deceased
1990	Safely Kept	Broodmare, Burleson Farm, Ky.
1989	Dancing Spree	Stud, Manor Stud, England
1988	Gulch	Stud, Lane's End Farm, Ky.
1987	Very Subtle	Deceased
1986	Smile	Deceased
1985	Precisionist	Deceased
1984	Eillo	Deceased

### Breeders' Cup Turf

Year	Winner	Status
2007	English Channel	Stud, Hurricane Hall, Ky.
2006	Red Rocks (Ire)	Still in Training
2005	Shirocco (Ger)	Stud, Dalham Hall Stud, England
2004	Better Talk Now	Still in Training
2003	High Chaparral (Ire)	Stud, Coolmore, Ireland
2003	Johar	Stud, Mill Ridge Farm, Ky.
2002	High Chaparral (Ire)	Stud, Coolmore, Ireland
2001	Fantastic Light	Stud, Darley Stallion Complex, Japan
2000	Kalanisi (Ire)	Stud, Gilttown Stud, Ireland
1999	Daylami (Ire)	Stud, Riethuiskrael Stud, South Africa
1998	Buck's Boy	Retired, Quarter B Farm, Ill.
1997	Chief Bearhart	Stud, Shizunai Stallion Station, Japan
1996	Pilsudski (Ire)	Stud, Anngrove Stud, Ireland
1995	Northern Spur (Ire)	Stud, Metropolitan Stud, N.Y.
1994	Tikkanen	Stud, Glebe House, Northern Ireland
1993	Kotashaan (Fr)	Stud, Ballycurragh Stud, Ireland
1992	Fraise	Deceased
1991	Miss Alleged	Deceased
1990	In the Wings (GB)	Deceased
1989	Prized	Stud, O'Sullivan Farms, Va.
1988	Great Communicator	Deceased
1987	Theatrical (Ire)	Stud, Hill 'n' Dale, Ky.
1986	Manila	Stud, Turkish Jockey Club, Turkey
1985	Pebbles (GB)	Deceased
1984	Lashkari (GB)	Deceased

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## Important Dates in the Breeders' Cup Program

**April 23, 1982** | At the annual Kentucky Derby Festival "They're Off" awards luncheon in Louisville, Kentucky, John R. Gaines announces plans for multi-race, multimillion-dollar Breeders' Cup Series.

**May 3, 1982** | Board of Directors named for Breeders' Cup Limited (BCL), the nonprofit administrative organization for the Breeders' Cup.

**July 27, 1982** | Breeders' Cup stakes race program outlined as a one-day, seven-race series with purses totaling \$13 million. Series to be known as "Racing International's Championship Program."

**September 2, 1982** | After reviewing proposals from eight different racing associations, Breeders' Cup Track Selection Committee chooses Southern California as locale for inaugural Breeders' Cup Championship in 1984.

**February 24, 1983** | Hollywood Park in Inglewood, California, selected as site for inaugural Breeders' Cup - November 10, 1984.

**April 15, 1983** | BCL announces the nomination of 1,083 stallions, representing more than \$10.9 million in fees.

**June 8, 1983** | \$10 million Breeders' Cup Premium Awards Program announced, with allocations slated for 90 racing associations in 22 states and five Canadian provinces.

**September 13, 1983** | NBC Sports and the BCL announce an exclusive, multiyear contract to broadcast all seven Breeders' Cup races live to a worldwide audience in a four-hour television special.

**January 2, 1984** | The split divisions of the La Prevoyante Handicap at Calder Race Course in Florida become the first races to offer Breeders' Cup Premium Awards.

**January 4, 1984** | A point system based on first-, second-, and third-place finishes in North American Graded Stakes to be used to determine starters in Breeders' Cup races if any of the races are oversubscribed.

**January 17, 1984** | The graded stakes panel of the Thoroughbred Owners and Breeders Association announces their unprecedented decision to assign grade I status to all seven Breeders' Cup races.

**February 4, 1984** | Ollie Cohen's Eillo, eventual winner of the inaugural Breeders' Cup Sprint, named first Breeders' Cup Horse of the Month.

**March 6, 1984** | Frank E. (Jimmy) Kilroe is named chairman of the five-member Racing Directors/Secretaries Panel, which will select starters for the Breeders' Cup races if fields are oversubscribed.

**May 8, 1984** | BCL announces the official names for the seven Breeders' Cup races, now slated with a total purse and nominator awards value of \$10 million.

**August 29, 1984** | Major corporate sponsorship is secured for three of the seven Breeders' Cup races. Sponsors are Mobil Oil Corporation, De Beers Consolidated Mines Ltd. and Chrysler Corporation (Chrysler-Plymouth Division). By Breeders' Cup day two additional sponsors had signed on: First Jersey Securities and Michelob (Anheuser-Busch, Inc.).

**October 22, 1984** | Breeders' Cup unveils its permanent trophy, a 1,850-pound bronze and marble reproduction of the Torrie horse, an ecorche or flayed horse designed by the 16th-century sculptor Giambologna.

**October 30, 1984** | Seventy-seven horses are pre-entered for the seven Breeders' Cup races.

**November 5, 1984** | Aqueduct Racetrack in New York is named host track for the 1985 Breeders' Cup, with the event scheduled for November 2, 1985.

**November 10, 1984** | The inaugural Breeders' Cup is run before 64,254 at Hollywood Park. Chief's Crown wins the first Breeders' Cup race, the Breeders' Cup Juvenile and long-shot Wild Again wins the Breeders' Cup Classic in a thrilling stretch duel with Slew o' Gold and Gate Dancer.

**February 8, 1985** | Breeders' Cup creator John R. Gaines receives the Eclipse Award of Merit and NBC Sports receives the Eclipse Award for National Television Achievement for its Breeders' Cup telecast. Seven of the 10 horses honored with Eclipse Awards for 1984 participated in Breeders' Cup Championship races.

**October 1, 1985** | BCL approves Oak Tree Racing Association as host for 1986 Breeders' Cup races. Event scheduled for November 1, 1986, during the Oak Tree meeting at Santa Anita Park in Arcadia, California.

**October 21, 1985** | One hundred and ten horses are pre-entered for the seven Breeders' Cup races.

**November 2, 1985** | The second Breeders' Cup is run before 42,568 at Aqueduct Racetrack. Total wagering (on-track and simulcast) of over \$28 million establishes a single-day North American record.

**December 9, 1985** | BCL Board of Directors votes to run the Breeders' Cup for two consecutive years (1986 and 1987) in Southern California.

**December 13, 1985** | BCL announces the creation of 36 new added-money Special Stakes races to be run throughout the United States and Canada. Funding of \$3 million to be provided by the Breeders' Cup from Premium Award money that has gone unpaid during that program's first two years.

**April 3, 1986** | Hollywood Park will host the Breeders' Cup in 1987.

**May 1, 1986** | Anheuser-Busch, Inc., for its flagship Budweiser brand, has agreed to title sponsorship of the \$3 million Special Stakes Program, now to be known as the Breeders' Cup Budweiser Special Stakes Program.

**June 10, 1986** | NBC Sports extends its contract for the exclusive television rights to Breeders' Cup through 1989.

**July 31, 1986** | BCL and Fair Hill Race Course announce the creation of the \$250,000 Breeders' Cup Steeplechase, the world's richest steeplechase event. The race will be run November 1, 1986, at the Elkton, Maryland course and broadcast as a feature by NBC Sports during the seven-race Breeders' Cup program.

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**November 1, 1986** | A Breeders' Cup record crowd of 69,155 attend the third running of Breeders' Cup at Santa Anita Park and wager \$15,410,409 on the day's races (\$12,510,109 on Breeders' Cup races alone), establishing a North American single-day on-track handle record. Total wagering (on-track and simulcast of \$34,884,790) establishes a single-day North American record. Census wins the inaugural running of the Breeders' Cup Steeplechase at Fair Hill Race Course.

**January 3, 1987** | Breeders' Cup Budweiser Special Stakes Program expands to 49 races throughout the United States and Canada, with total Breeders' Cup funding increased to \$4 million.

**July 16, 1987** | Churchill Downs in Louisville, Kentucky, is named host track for the 1988 Breeders' Cup, to be run November 5, 1988.

**August 31, 1987** | Order of the Breeders' Cup races changed for 1987: Sprint, Juvenile Fillies, Distaff, Mile, Juvenile, Turf and Classic.

**October 31, 1987** | French-bred Gacko wins the second running of the \$250,000 Breeders' Cup Steeplechase at Fair Hill Race Course.

**November 21, 1987** | A crowd of 57,734 watch as Ferdinand defeats Alysheba by a nose after a thrilling stretch duel in the fourth Breeders' Cup Classic at Hollywood Park, earning the colt Horse of the Year honors and champion older horse. Total 1987 Breeders' Cup wagering of \$36,014,720 sets an all-time North American single-day wagering mark.

**January 1, 1988** | Breeders' Cup Budweiser Special Stakes

Program allocated an additional \$1 million in funds, making this national series of added-money races worth a total of \$5 million.

**February 11, 1988** | The distance of the Breeders' Cup Distaff is shortened from 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> miles to 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>8</sub> miles.

**April 28, 1988** | James E. Bassett III is appointed as president of Breeders' Cup Ltd. Bassett, who succeeds C. Gibson Downing as president, is Chairman of the Board of the Keeneland Association.

**May 4, 1988** | Fair Hill Race Course has once again been selected as host for the third running of the \$250,000 Breeders' Cup Steeplechase, to be run Saturday, October 29, 1988.

**May 26, 1988** | Gulfstream Park in Hallandale, Florida, is named host track for the 1989 Breeders' Cup.

**October 29, 1988** | English-bred Jimmy Lorenzo wins the third running of the \$250,000 Breeders' Cup Steeplechase at Fair Hill Race Course.

**November 3, 1988** | NBC Sports extends its contract for the exclusive television rights to Breeders' Cup through 1994.

**April 7, 1989** | Far Hills Race Meeting Association in Far Hills, N.J., is selected as the site of the 1989 Breeders' Cup Steeplechase.

**May 10, 1989** | New York's Belmont Park is chosen as the site of the 1990 Breeders' Cup.

**September 20, 1989** | Churchill Downs is chosen as the site of the 1991 Breeders' Cup.

**October 28, 1989** | Highland Bud wins the Breeders' Cup Steeplechase by 10 lengths at AT&T Moorland Farms in Far Hills, N.J.

**November 2, 1989** | Officials of BCL and the European Breeders' Fund (EBF) announce a new, five-year agreement for renewal of cross-registration between the two programs.

**March 1, 1990** | Officials of BCL change the name of racing's \$10 million day from Breeders' Cup Day to Breeders' Cup Championship.

**April 16, 1990** | Belmont Park is selected as the site of the 1990 Breeders' Cup Steeplechase, with the race scheduled to be run on October 20, 1990.

**June 14, 1990** | Fair Hill Race Course in Elkton, Maryland, is chosen as the site of the 1991 Breeders' Cup Steeplechase, with the race set to be run on October 19, 1991.

**October 20, 1990** | Morley Street (Ire) wins the \$250,000 Breeders' Cup Steeplechase by 10 lengths at Belmont Park.

**February 28, 1991** | Gulfstream Park in Hallandale, Florida, is selected as the site of the 1992 Breeders' Cup Championship, with the races scheduled to be run on October 31, 1992.

**March 8, 1991** | BCL changes its purse distribution (paying to fifth-rather than sixth-place), points system and selection process for the Breeders' Cup Championship races.

**May 7, 1991** | A National Pick-7 wager will be in place for the 1991 Breeders' Cup Championship races.

**October 12, 1991** | Eclipse Award winner Morley Street (Ire) wins the \$250,000 Breeders' Cup Steeplechase for the second consecutive year.

**February 26, 1992** | Oak Tree at Santa Anita is selected as the site of the 1993 Breeders' Cup Championship.

**March 19, 1992** | BCL and NYRA announce the creation of the Belmont Breeders' Cup Special on October 10, 1992. Coverage of the Breeders' Cup Steeplechase and five NYRA races were televised by NBC Sports.

**April 13, 1992** | Lady's Secret becomes the first Breeders' Cup champion to be elected to the National Museum of Racing and Hall of Fame.

**October 10, 1992** | The Belmont Breeders' Cup Preview attracts the country's top horses prepping for the \$10 million Breeders' Cup Championship three weeks later. A crowd of over 32,000 watch Highland Bud win his second Breeders' Cup Steeplechase.

**February 26, 1993** | Sites for the 1994, 1995 and 1996 Breeders' Cup Championship are selected. Churchill Downs will host the event in 1994, Belmont Park in 1995 and Woodbine in 1996.

**April 14, 1993** | The NBC Sports telecast of the Breeders' Cup Championship is named the Outstanding Live Sports Special of 1992 at the 14th Emmy Awards for Sports annual ceremony.

**July 15, 1993** | BCL and NBC Sports announce new five-year contract televising the Breeders' Cup Championship through 1999.

**September 30, 1993** | BCL announces that the seven Breeders' Cup races would be simulcast live to Europe and South Africa.

**October 16, 1993** | The Belmont Breeders' Cup Preview attracts the top eastern-based horses prepping for the \$10 million Breeders' Cup Championship three weeks later. Televised live by NBC Sports, the Preview showcased defending Mile winner Lure, and juvenile standouts

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Dehere and Heavenly Prize. The \$250,000 Breeders' Cup Steeplechase was won by Lonesome Glory.

**November 6, 1993** | On the tenth anniversary running of the Breeders' Cup Championship, Lure cruises to his second consecutive Breeders' Cup Mile, while Arcangues stuns the racing world at 133-1 by winning the Classic.

**March 4, 1994** | BCL announced that the Breeders' Cup Steeplechase has been discontinued.

**April 27, 1994** | BCL, NYRA and NBC Sports announce a new six-year contract televising the Breeders' Cup Preview at Belmont Park through 1999.

**October 24, 1994** | A record 126 horses, including 33 from Europe, are pre-entered for the seven Breeders' Cup Championship races.

**February 1, 1995** | Beginning with foals of 1996 and thereafter, the supplemental fee for the Breeders' Cup Championship races will be reduced from 12 percent of the purse to nine percent.

**July 13, 1995** | Officials of BCL and EBF announce an agreement that, for the first time, allows stallions standing in non-Breeders' Cup and EBF countries to nominate to both program's simultaneously.

**February 28, 1996** | Hollywood Park will be the site of the 1997 Breeders' Cup Championship, with the races scheduled to be run on November 8.

**March 7, 1996** | The purse for the Breeders' Cup Classic will be increased by \$1 million, making the race worth \$4 million. The increase makes the winner's share of the purse \$2,080,000.

**September 20, 1996** | Breeders' Cup Ltd.'s Web site ([\[erscup.com\]\(http://erscup.com\)\) is unveiled. The 650-page site provides fans online access to biographical and statistical information, past Championship, and National Stakes program results, as well as information on the current Breeders' Cup Championships host track.](http://www.breed-</a></p></div><div data-bbox=)

**October 26, 1996** | For the first time ever, the Breeders' Cup Championship travels outside the United States to be run before 42,380 fans (a Canadian record) at Woodbine Racetrack in Toronto.

**December 4, 1996** | D.G. Van Clief, Jr. was elected president of Breeders' Cup Ltd., succeeding James E. Bassett III, who retired from the post on December 31.

**February 4, 1997** | Seven of the 10 Eclipse Award winners participated in the 1996 Breeders' Cup Championship, including Horse of the Year Cigar. In addition, NBC Sports was awarded the 1996 Eclipse Award for National Television Achievement for their coverage of the 1996 Breeders' Cup Championship.

**February 28, 1997** | The Advertising Club of Lexington presented Breeders' Cup Ltd. and Hammond Communications Group an ADDY award for the Breeders' Cup Web site, [www.breederscup.com](http://www.breederscup.com).

**July 11, 1997** | BCL announced procedural changes for horses supplemented to the Breeders' Cup Championships; supplemental entry fees will be added to the purses of Breeders' Cup races. Additionally, a credit system has been established for horses supplemented into future Breeders' Cup races.

**July 31, 1997** | It was announced that the Breeders' Cup Pick 7 will be replaced with a Breeders' Cup Pick 6.

**September 5, 1997** | Churchill Downs was selected to host the 1998 Breeders' Cup Championship for a record fourth time.

**November 14, 1997** | The Breeders' Cup Web site, [www.breederscup.com](http://www.breederscup.com), surpassed all previous user records with more than 1.25 million hits from around the world during the recent coverage of the Breeders' Cup Championship on the internet.

**February 24, 1998** | A record crop of 12,743 foals were nominated to the Breeders' Cup program the previous year. The 1997 total tops the previous high of 12,183 nominated foals set in 1987. They also announced that 1,202 stallions were nominated to the Breeders' Cup for the 1998 breeding season, a 4.7 percent increase over 1997.

**February 25, 1998** | The total purse of the Breeders' Cup Distaff increases to \$2 million. The increase becomes effective with the 1998 Breeders' Cup Championship at Churchill Downs. Total purses and awards for the Championship will now be \$12 million.

**March 23, 1998** | Gulfstream Park is selected to host the 1999 Breeders' Cup Championships, to be held on Saturday, November 6, 1999, at the South Florida racetrack.

**April 10, 1998** | BCL, on behalf of the Thoroughbred breeding industry, is contributing \$3.5 million to the National Thoroughbred Racing Association (NTRA).

**July 2, 1998** | BCL and ESPN announced an expansion of the "Racing to the Breeders' Cup" series. With NTRA as entitlement sponsor, the series expanded to 15 shows, highlighted by 15 grade I races.

**July 16, 1998** | A motion was approved to incorporate the \$1 million Filly & Mare Turf into the Breeders' Cup Championship. The new race would be inaugurated at Gulfstream Park in 1999. Due to the configuration of the turf course at Gulfstream, the Filly & Mare Turf will be run at 1<sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub> miles; however, the 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> mile distance will be used at future sites when possible.

**November 7, 1998** | A record crowd of 80,452 enjoy a great Championship day hosted by Churchill Downs. The Classic, with a total purse value of \$5.12 million, was the richest race ever run. Awesome Again came flying down the stretch to outfinish Silver Charm and Swain.

**November 17, 1998** | The Breeders' Cup Web site, [www.breederscup.com](http://www.breederscup.com), registered 3.1 million hits this year, more than doubling last year's traffic. Usage peaked on Friday, November 6 to 56,882 users making over 400,000 hits.

**February 24, 1999** | A record 14,062 foals were nominated to the Breeders' Cup program last year. The 1998 total tops the previous record year's 12,751 nominated foals.

**April 12, 1999** | NBC Sports and BCL announce an agreement to telecast four new racing shows from Saratoga and Belmont Park leading up to the Breeders' Cup Championship. The expanded coverage will include 11 grade I races, with purses totaling \$4.3 million.

**May 6, 1999** | A contract extension with NBC Sports will keep the Breeders' Cup Championships on NBC through 2001.

**May 26, 1999** | Churchill Downs was decided as host of the 17th

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running of the Breeders' Cup Championship, to be run in 2000.

**July 15, 1999** | Breeders' Cup officials announce ESPN's introduction of the "NTRA Racing to the Breeders' Cup" series, featuring 19 graded Breeders' Cup prep stakes totaling more than \$9 million.

**November 6, 1999** | Wagering on the eight Breeders' Cup races sets a new record during Championship day, held before 45,124 fans at Gulfstream Park. Moreover, the Ultra Pick 6 produces the largest known single pari-mutuel payout in history, a single ticket worth over \$3 million.

**November 22, 1999** | The Breeders' Cup Web site, [www.breederscup.com](http://www.breederscup.com), continues its impressive growth, nearly quadrupling traffic activity from the 1998 Championship. During the Championship coverage, the website records over 1.5 million page views and 155,000 user visits.

**December 6, 1999** | BCL announces yet another foal nominations record, with 15,100 foals nominated for 1999.

**December 10, 1999** | The Executive Committee for BCL and the Board of Directors of the National Thoroughbred Racing Association (NTRA) unanimously approve a strategic alliance between the two organizations, including the combination of selected administrative and marketing functions.

**March 3, 2000** | BCL passes a resolution requiring all horses entered to compete in the Breeders' Cup races must arrive at the host track grounds at least 24 hours prior to the post time of the first race. The resolution was designed to ensure the safety of the horses and protect the integrity of the event.

**March 29, 2000** | The Breeders' Cup Web site, [www.breederscup.com](http://www.breederscup.com), now features a comprehensive multimedia gallery. The gallery offers visitors photographs of winning horses and downloadable video stretch runs from all Breeders' Cup races.

**July 19, 2000** | The Breeders' Cup Web site is further enhanced with an interactive foal nominations and eligibility system and internal search capability.

**August 31, 2000** | BCL releases a commemorative book, titled "Breeders' Cup: Thoroughbred Racing's Championship Day." The photo-essay book, written by Jay Privman, celebrates the first 16 runnings of the Breeders' Cup.

**October 25, 2000** | Led by Kentucky Derby winner Fusaichi Pegasus, a record 135 horses pre-enter for the 17th running of the Breeders' Cup. In addition, a record 18 horses supplement to this year's event, boosting the total of purses and awards for the eight races to more than \$15 million.

**October 28, 2000** | All Gong wins the \$250,000 Breeders' Cup Steeplechase at the Far Hill Races in New Jersey. The 7-year-old owned by Calvin Houghland and trained by Bruce Miller went on to claim Eclipse honors as Champion Steeplechase Horse.

**January 1, 2001** | The operational merger between BCL and NTRA becomes effective. The consolidation of the NTRA, racing's "league office" and the Breeders' Cup, the sport's championship event, will serve as an impetus for improved economics with the industry and increased interest in the sponsorship marketplace.

**January 10, 2001** | Foal nominations break a record for the

eighth straight year. The 15,760 foals by Breeders' Cup, EBF and Common Fund nominated stallions represent a 3.7 percent increase over 1999 and a 49.5 percent increase since 1995.

**June 22, 2001** | It is announced that this year's Breeders' Cup Steeplechase will take place on Saturday, October 20, and again be run at Far Hills, N.J.

**June 26, 2001** | The NTRA and BCL launch a new brand - the World Thoroughbred Championships - to improve public awareness of the Breeders' Cup. The re-branding will include new logos and marks, and rankings and statistics for each of the racing divisions. Major races in each division leading up to the Breeders' Cup will become known as the "Road to the World Thoroughbred Championships."

**June 26, 2001** | The NTRA and BCL announce an agreement in principle to create a strategic alliance between the Breeders' Cup World Thoroughbred Championships (BCWTC) and the Emirates World Series Racing Championship, the inter-continental series that includes races in Europe, Asia, the Middle East, Australia and North America. The alliance would afford sponsors and fans increased global exposure for Thoroughbred racing.

**June 26, 2001** | Telecasts of the 2001 BCWTC and the Breeders' Cup Preview show (both airing on NBC) will be expanded by 30 minutes each, beginning this year. The new five-hour format will allow for more time between each of the Championships races.

**September 14, 2001** | In the wake of the terrorist attacks in New York, the NTRA, BCL and New York Racing Association announce that the 18th running of the BCWTC scheduled for

Oct. 27 at Belmont Park in Elmont, N.Y., will be dedicated to the families of New York firefighters, police officers, emergency services personnel and other victims in the surrounding communities who lost their lives.

**September 17, 2001** | Despite concerns about security and other risks, it is affirmed by BCL that plans would go forward to conduct this year's BCWTC as planned at Belmont Park.

**October 20, 2001** | In Far Hills, N.J., Quel Senor wins the \$250,000 Breeders' Cup Steeplechase. Augustin Stable horses Lord Zada and Praise The Prince are second and third, respectively. Defending Breeders' Cup winner All Gong falls at the eighth fence, while co-favorite It's A Giggie finishes fifth after setting the pace. Quel Senor is trained by Tom Voss and ridden by Cyril Murphy.

**October 23, 2001** | A four-year contract extension will keep the BCWTC on NBC through 2005. The Breeders' Cup has been televised on NBC since the event's inception in 1984. As part of the new agreement, NBC also will televise a preview show from Belmont Park three to four weeks prior to the BCWTC to be produced in partnership with NYRA along with additional advance promotion of the event.

**November 2, 2001** | The NTRA, BCL and NYRA announces that the BCWTC raised approximately \$2.5 million for the NTRA Charities-New York Heroes Fund. In total, more than \$5 million has been raised from members of the international horse racing community for the Heroes Fund, created to aid the families of the victims of Sept. 11. Owners, trainers and jockeys in the BCWTC contributed to the total raised through pledges of purse earnings. In addition, racing

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organizations, racetracks and individual contributors have donated to the Heroes Fund or to other types of relief agencies and programs.

**December 3, 2001** | It is announced that Arlington Park has been named the host site for the 2002 BCWTC. This will be the first time that Arlington Park, located in the suburban Chicago town of Arlington Heights, will host the event and the first time that the Championships will be held in the Midwest.

**January 17, 2002** | The 15,020 foals nominated to the Breeders' Cup program in 2001 by Breeders' Cup, European Breeders' Fund and Common Fund nominated stallions represent a 4.84% decrease from 2000, the first decline in nominated foals since 1992. The decline is due in large part to Mare Reproductive Loss Syndrome, which swept through Kentucky farms the previous spring.

**February 20, 2002** | NTRA unveils its new, fully redesigned Web site, NTRA.com. Featured is a newly organized BCWTC section, including charts, photographs and video from all 18 Breeders' Cup events.

**April 19, 2002** | An agreement was reached to hold the 2003 BCWTC at Santa Anita Park in So. California on October 25.

**April 24, 2002** | NTRA announces a schedule for future bet wagering on the eight championship races. Future bets on certain races would take place during four weekends during the summer.

**June 18, 2002** | A new international rankings system for horses being pointed to the eight Breeders' Cup races was unveiled. An international panel

of racing officials will produce weekly rankings for the world's top 10 runners in each division. Rankings will be determined by an analysis of horses' performances around the world and will be used during NTRA-produced television programming, in publicity, print advertising and marketing programs.

**June 18, 2002** | Plans for a new wager – Head2Head – were announced. The wager, expected to debut at the BCWTC, matches two designated horses against each other and challenges fans to predict which horse will finish in front of the other in a given race. The Head2Head bet is to be offered on each of the eight races.

**October 19, 2002** | Flat Top captures the \$250,000 Breeders' Cup Steeplechase by 6<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lengths over Tres Touche. The 9-year-old gelding went the (about) 2<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>-mile distance of the Steeplechase in 5:25.20. Flat Top is owned by Mrs. Henry Gerry and trained by Janet Elliot.

**October 26, 2002** | In the Breeders' Cup Classic, Volponi shocked almost everyone with his \$89 upset win over War Emblem, Medaglia d'Oro and Came Home, among others. The result touched off a pick-six wagering scandal that had repercussions far into the following year. Other winners in the 19th edition of the BCWTC were Azeri (Distaff), Storm Flag Flying (Juvenile Fillies), Orientate (Sprint), Domedriver (Mile), Vindication (Juvenile) and High Chaparral (Turf).

**February 11, 2003** | A total of 13,846 foals were nominated to the Breeders' Cup program in 2002. The total represents an 8.3% decrease in nominated foals from 2001. The decline is

due to Mare Reproductive Loss Syndrome, which affected most Kentucky farms in the spring of 2001.

**April 2, 2003** | Officials of BCL, NTRA, Lone Star Park and Magna Entertainment Corporation completed negotiations to hold the 2004 BCWTC at Lone Star Park, in Grand Prairie, Texas. Located in the suburbs of the Dallas-Fort Worth area, this is the first time that the Championships will be held in the Southwest.

**June 23, 2003** | An agreement was reached to hold the 22nd running of the BCWTC at Belmont Park in 2005. It was also announced that the purse for the Juvenile and the Mile were augmented to \$1.5 million each, increasing the total purses and awards for the eight Breeders' Cup races to \$14 million.

**October 18, 2003** | McDynamo, a 6-year-old son of Dynaformer captured the \$175,000 Breeders' Cup Steeplechase in Far Hills, N.J. Owned by Michael Moran, trained by Sanna Hendriks and ridden by Craig Thornton, the winner covered the 2<sup>5</sup>/<sub>8</sub> miles and 14 fences in 5:24.3 over a course labeled as good.

**October 21, 2003** | In memory of legendary jockey Bill Shoemaker, the outstanding performance by a jockey on Breeders' Cup Championships day will be honored with the Shoemaker Award. The winner, to be selected by the media, will be announced and presented with a trophy at Sunday's media brunch at the host track.

**October 25, 2003** | Pleasantly Perfect capped off a record day for trainer Richard Mandella by winning the \$4 million Breeders' Cup Classic – Powered by

Dodge. In addition to Pleasantly Perfect, Mandella also won the Juvenile Fillies with Halfbridled, the Juvenile with Action This Day, and in the Turf, his Johar won in a dead-heat with defending champ High Chaparral. Others victors on an unseasonably warm day at Santa Anita Park were Cajun Beat (Sprint), Adoration (Distaff) and European-based Six Perfections (Mile) and Islington (Filly & Mare Turf).

**October 26, 2003** | The inaugural winner of the Shoemaker Award was Alex Solis. Solis rode Johar to a dead-heat victory in the Turf and after waiting out a 13-minute photo finish decision, came back to defeat the Classic field aboard Pleasantly Perfect.

**November 4, 2003** | A record for total handle was established for the 12-race program held on BCWTC day. The 2003 handle totaled \$120,631,437; \$16,346,688 was bet by Santa Anita's on-track crowd of 51,648. Handle figures were slightly diminished due to a 13-minute photo finish delay after the running of the Turf, which greatly reduced available wagering time on the Classic.

**January 16, 2004** | It was announced that 14,927 foals were nominated to the Breeders' Cup program in 2003. The total represents a 7.3% increase in nominated foals from 2002. The increase is indicative of a recovery from Mare Reproductive Loss Syndrome, which affected most Kentucky farms in the spring of 2001.

**March 17, 2004** | The 2004 Breeders' Cup Stakes program, now in its ninth year, will feature 113 races and distribute \$7.2 million in Breeders' Cup Funds – an increase of \$800,000 over last year. The program is coopera-

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tively funded by BCL and 40 participating racetracks in the U.S. and Canada.

**March 27, 2004** | Pleasantly Perfect, winner of the 2003 Breeders' Cup Classic – Powered by Dodge, won the Dubai World Cup, becoming the second Classic winner to win both prestigious races; the first was Cigar, who won the inaugural Dubai World Cup in 1996.

**July 27, 2004** | NTRA Commissioner since 1998, Tim Smith announced that he would conclude his term on Sept. 1. Breeders' Cup Ltd. President D.G. Van Clief, Jr. was named Acting Commissioner and CEO; he was subsequently named Commissioner and CEO.

**August 8, 2004** | Officials of BCL and NTRA reached an understanding with New Jersey Sports and Exposition Authority for Monmouth Park in Oceanport, N.J., to be the host site for the 2007 BCWTC. It will be the first time the event will be held in the Mid-Atlantic region.

**October 23, 2004** | In Far Hills, New Jersey, defending champion McDynamo became just the second horse in history to win back-to-back runnings of the Breeders' Cup Steeplechase. The 2004 Champion steeplechaser covered the 2<sup>5</sup>/<sub>8</sub> miles and 14 fences in 5:06 <sup>4</sup>/<sub>5</sub> while earning \$96,250.

**October 30, 2004** | In front of an audience of 53,717 fans at Lone Star Park in Texas, Ghostzapper took his field wire-to-wire with a dazzling performance in the \$4 million Breeders' Cup Classic-Powered by Dodge. Other winners in the 21st running of the BCWTC were Ashado (Distaff), Sweet Catomine (Juvenile Fillies), Singletary (Mile), Speightstown (Sprint), Oujia Board (Filly & Mare Turf), Wilko

(Juvenile), and Better Talk Now (Turf).

**October 31, 2004** | The second presentation of the Bill Shoemaker Award for outstanding performance by a jockey on Breeders' Cup Championships day went to John Velazquez. The New York-based jockey booted home two winners the previous day — Ashado in the Distaff and Speightstown in the Sprint.

**January 13, 2005** | A record 15,850 foals were nominated to the Breeders' Cup program in 2004. This tops the old mark of 15,786 foals nominated in 2000 and a 5.7% increase in nominated foals from 2003. Total foal nomination revenue generated by the 2004 foal crop was \$8,016,000, the highest revenue total since the nomination process began in 1982.

**February 3, 2005** | The 2005 Breeders' Cup Stakes program will feature 125 races and distribute \$7.305 million in Breeders' Cup Funds – an increase of \$205,000 over last year – to existing stakes races across the United States and Canada. Combined with racetrack and racing association allocations, total purses for the 2005 series will be in excess of \$22.5 million.

**February 11, 2005** | Legendary horseman and Breeders' Cup founding father John R. Gaines dies in Lexington, Ky. at the age of 76.

**April 19, 2005** | Breeders' Cup President D.G. Van Clief, Jr. was named the NTRA's Commissioner and chief executive officer. Van Clief had been serving as interim Commissioner and CEO pending the completion of a national search since September 2004 when former Commissioner Tim Smith stepped down.

**April 22, 2005** | A new formula was approved for stallion nominations that would increase purses for the 2008 BCWTC. Beginning with the 2006 breeding season, for stallions with less than 50 live foals, the nomination fee will remain one time the advertised stud fee, with a minimum of \$1,000. For stallions represented by 50-99 live foals the nomination fee will be 1.5 times the advertised stud fee and for stallions siring 100 or more live foals, the nomination fee will be twice the advertised fee.

**April 29, 2005** | The BCWTC will be televised on ESPN beginning in 2006 under an eight-year contract between the two parties. Officials said the "revenue-sharing" package would help racing capitalize on multimedia and technology, and also be a lure for current and potential sponsors.

**June 13, 2005** | Long-standing Breeders' Cup Partner Alberto Culver secured the title sponsorship of the Juvenile Fillies and the Juvenile Fillies Division. With the Alberto Culver agreement in place, all eight Breeders' Cup races will have name-in-title sponsorship.

**July 21, 2005** | In an effort to provide its fans with most attractive wagering program, it was decided that complete race order for the 22nd BCWTC will be announced Wednesday, October 19, when the Pre-Entered fields for all eight races are released.

**September 29, 2005** | NTRA, BCL and Bethesda Softworks® introduced Breeders' Cup World Thoroughbred Championships (Breeders' Cup), a horse racing video game for the PlayStation®2 and Xbox® game systems. The game simulates all aspects of thoroughbred horse racing, including breeding,

training and racing at a variety of tracks.

**October 20, 2005** | SIRIUS Satellite Radio, leading provider of sports radio programming will be the exclusive radio broadcaster for the 2005 BCWTC, featuring eight hours live coverage.

**October 22, 2005** | In Far Hills, New Jersey, history was made as McDynamo won his third consecutive running of the Breeders' Cup Steeplechase. The 2005 Champion steeplechaser is owned by Michael Moran and trained by Sanna Hendriks. The formidable 8-year-old earned \$110,000 while carrying rider Jody Petty over 14 fences on a rain-soaked course.

**October 25, 2005** | For the first time, the official Breeders' Cup simulcast show – the live video sent to racetracks and simulcasting facilities from the Breeders' Cup site – will be available on the internet via pay-per-view to non-U.S. residents. Offered at \$8.99, the pay-per-view option increases the global awareness and stature of the BCWTC.

**October 30, 2005** | At the Sunday press breakfast at Belmont Park, the Bill Shoemaker Award for outstanding Breeders' Cup Jockey of 2005 went to Garrett Gomez. The Southern California-based jockey piloted two winners the previous day – Stevie Wonderboy in the Juvenile and Artie Schiller in the Mile.

**November 4, 2005** | New wagering records were established at the BCWTC, including total handle, which was \$123,978,241. A record total of \$116,434,571 was wagered on the eight Breeders' Cup races at Belmont Park and at simulcast outlets around the world. A new record was also recognized for

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total simulcast handle, as \$109,235,720 was wagered on the full 12-race card.

**December 28, 2005** | SIRIUS Satellite Radio wins the Media Eclipse award in the Audio and Multi-Media Internet category for its live coverage of the 2005 BCWTC.

**January 8, 2006** | Breeders' Cup Ltd. adopted a new set of by-laws and elected a stream-lined 14-member Board of Directors, down from the 48 directors it had previously.

**February 2, 2006** | Breeders' Cup foal nominations reached an all-time high with a record 16,183 foals nominated to the program in 2005. This tops the old mark of 15,947 foals nominated in 2004. Total foal nomination revenue generated by the 2005 foal crop was \$8,214,000, the highest revenue total since the nomination process began in 1982.

**February 16, 2006** | The 2006 Breeders' Cup Stakes program will feature 135 races and distribute \$8 million in Breeders' Cup Funds – an increase of \$695,000 over last year – to existing stakes races across the United States and Canada. Combined with racetrack and racing association allocations, total purses for the 2005 series will be in excess of \$26 million.

**April 21, 2006** | Under the Breeders' Cup revised nomination program, owners of a non-nominated horse, sired by a Breeders' Cup, EBF or Common Fund stallion nominated in the year of conception, may pay a one-time \$150,000 late nomination fee to place that horse into the Breeders' Cup program for its entire racing career.

**April 26, 2006** | D.G. Van Clief, Jr. announced that he will retire

as Commissioner and CEO of the NTRA and as President of BCL effective by the end of the year.

**May 2, 2006** | Total purses for the Breeders' Cup World Championships (BCWC) have been raised to \$20 million, an increase of \$6 million from 2005. Each race will have a purse value of \$2 million, with the exception of the Turf at \$3 million and the Classic, which was raised to \$5 million.

**July 1, 2006** | Greg Avioli assumed the duties of interim CEO of NTRA and BCL, succeeding the retiring D.G. Van Clief, Jr. Avioli previously served as COO and interim CFO of the two organizations, and prior to that he was senior vice president of legislative and corporate planning.

**September 6, 2006** | Race caller Trevor Denman has joined the ESPN announcer team for coverage of the 2006 BCWC. He succeeds Tom Durkin, who has called every Breeders' Cup since its inception.

**October 28, 2006** | McDynamo won his fourth straight \$250,000 Breeders' Cup Grand National Steeplechase in a 22-length romp in Far Hills, N.J. The 9-year-old son of Dynaformer is trained by Sanna Hendriks, owned by Michael Moran and ridden by Jody Petty.

**October 30, 2006** | BCL and six of the nation's premier racetracks will launch a set of officially sanctioned Breeders' Cup qualifying races in 2007. The new "Breeders' Cup Challenge" will be highlighted by its "Win and You're In" provision, with the winner of each of the 24 Challenge races automatically qualifying for the corresponding divisional race in the BCWC.

**November 9, 2006** | New wagering records were established at the 23rd BCWC held Nov. 4 at Churchill Downs in Louisville, Ky. Three major wagering records were set, including total handle (\$140,332,198), Breeders' Cup-only handle (\$134,357,846) and simulcast handle (\$122,072,227). Total all-sources handle for the 10-race card was a 13.1% increase over the previous record, set last year.

**January 8, 2007** | The BCWC will move to an expanded two-day event that will inaugurate three \$1-million stakes designed to accommodate owners and breeders. The new races are the Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile for 3-year-olds and up, the Breeders' Cup Filly & Mare Sprint for fillies and mares, 3-year-olds and up, and the Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf, a one-mile event open to 2-year-old males and females. At Monmouth, the Dirt Mile will be run at a mile and 70 yards and the Filly & Mare Sprint at six furlongs. In future years, the distances will be one mile and seven furlongs, respectively.

**January 15, 2007** | Alex Waldrop, former president of Churchill Downs, was appointed president and CEO of the NTRA. In addition, Turfway Park President Robert Elliston was appointed executive chairman of the NTRA. Waldrop replaces current NTRA interim CEO Greg Avioli, who will continue as interim CEO of BCL.

**January 23, 2007** | The Eclipse Award winners were announced in California and for the first time in history, each of the eleven equine winners were participants in the BCWC. Invasor was a dual winner as Older Male and Horse of the Year.

**February 23, 2007** | Hong Kong Jockey Club Champions Mile will be the first international qualifying race for the BCWC. There also was an agreement made that would enable racing fans in Hong Kong to wager on this year's BCWC races.

**February 23, 2007** | A record 16,272 foals were nominated to the Breeders' Cup program in 2006. The 16,272 foals by Breeders' Cup, EBF and Common Fund nominated stallions tops the old mark of 16,263 nominated foals set in 2005. This record total is expected to increase when the results of the Southern Hemisphere foals, which have an April 15 nomination deadline, are released. In addition, the Breeders' Cup sired foals represent a record high of 52% of the eligible foal crop for North America.

**April 19, 2007** | The board approved the appointment of Greg Avioli as president and CEO of BCL, as well as approving the Oak Tree meet at Santa Anita as the site for the 2008 BCWC. It will be the first time that the Breeders' Cup will be run over a synthetic racing surface.

**March 31, 2007** | Invasor, winner of the 2006 Breeders' Cup Classic – Powered by Dodge, won the Dubai World Cup, becoming the third horse to win both prestigious races. The first was Cigar, who won the inaugural running in 1996, and the second was Pleasantly Perfect, who won in 2004.

**October 18, 2007** | Simulcast wagering will be available to more than 10,000 outlets worldwide for the 2007 BCWC. The outlets include all major U.S. racetracks, off-track betting locations, casinos and all major Account Deposit Wagering plat-

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forms, as well as many locations outside the country: Canada, United Kingdom, Ireland, Netherlands, France, Germany, Austria, Switzerland, Monaco, South Africa, Kenya, Panama, St. Kitts, St. Thomas, Venezuela, Uruguay, Brazil, and Peru. For the first time, the Hong Kong Jockey Club will offer the opportunity to watch and wager on the NetJets Breeders' Cup Mile on the turf.

## **October 20, 2007 |**

McDynamo captured his fifth consecutive Breeders' Cup win in the Grade 1, \$300,000 BC Grand National in Far Hills, New Jersey. Now 10 years old, the steeplechase superstar will retire after one more race. The son of Dynaformer is trained by Sanna Hendriks for owner Michael Moran, and ridden by Jody Petty.

**October 26, 2007 |** Under rainy skies and over wet conditions at Monmouth Park, the inaugural runnings of the three new Breeders' Cup races took place: the Filly & Mare Sprint was won by Maryfield, the Juvenile Turf was taken by Nownownow and Corinthian was the victor in the Dirt Mile.

**December 10, 2007 |** Three new BCWC races will be established in 2008, increasing the event to 14 races and raising total purses to \$25.5 million. The new races are the Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint (\$1 million) for 3-year-olds and up, 6 1/2 furlongs; the Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf (\$1 million), a one-mile event for 2-year-old fillies; and the Breeders' Cup Dirt Marathon (\$500,000) for 3-year-olds and up, 1 1/2 miles.

**February 7, 2008 |** For the first time in its history, the BCWC will be held at the same site for two consecutive years. Santa Anita Park in Arcadia, Calif., host of the event's 25th anniversary to take place Friday, Oct. 24 and Saturday, Oct. 25, has also been selected to host the 2009 Breeders' Cup.

**February 14, 2008 |** The Breeders' Cup Challenge, a series of automatic qualifying races for the BCWC, will be expanded from 24 races to a minimum of 49 races at 12 of North America's premier racing venues in 2008. The expanded Challenge will now include six races at Woodbine Racetrack in Toronto, Canada. Other new tracks for the Challenge include Emerald Downs in Auburn, Wash.; Suffolk Downs in Boston; Delaware Park in Wilmington, Del.; Calder Race Course near Miami; and Monmouth Park in Oceanport, N.J.

**February 27, 2008 |** The 2008 BCWC will card all five of its races for female horses together on the first day of the two-day event, Friday, Oct. 24. It marks the first time a major Thoroughbred event in North America has focused an entire day on female championship racing. The Breeders' Cup Distaff has renamed the Breeders' Cup Ladies' Classic and will be the premier race on the program, which will now feature purses totaling \$8 million, more than doubling last year's Breeders' Cup Friday purses.

**April 16, 2008 |** The Breeders' Cup Challenge will for the first time be expanded to Europe, with three "Win and You're In" races scheduled at Ascot Racecourse in England on September 27 and televised on the BBC and TVG networks. The additions bring the total 2008 Breeders' Cup Challenge series races to 53 from 24 races in 2007.