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UNREACHABLE STAR RETIRED AT INDIANA GRAND RACING & CASINO

SHELBYVILLE, Ind.; - Oct. 1, 2014 - It was a tribute only fitting for a champion as Unreachable Star took his final steps into a winner's circle Wednesday, Oct. 1. After a soft tissue problem was discovered on his front leg, Trainer Tim Glyshaw and David and Loren Hebel-Osborne of Loosen Up Stable made the decision it was time to retire Indiana's richest Thoroughbred.

Unreachable Star was greeted by a winner's circle full of well wishers, including breeder Dr. Crystal Chapple. Track Announcer Bill Downes read the many accomplishments over the years by Unreachable Star, including his Indiana Horse of the Year title in 2009 as well as being named Indiana's Older Horse of the Year four years in a row.

With more than \$784,000 in career earnings, 17 wins and seven stakes victories, Unreachable Star has shown how versatile he is, winning on different surfaces and different distances. His final win was recorded in the 2013 in the \$85,000 William Henry Harrison Stakes, a stakes race he won three times during his career. His final race was in early August over the turf in the \$85,000 AJ Foyt Stakes where he finished third.

"It's really sad because he's been with us so long, but I'm glad he's okay," said Glyshaw. "The older he's gotten the more aggressive he's gotten. He plays a lot in the barn and he will be missed. He will require six months for the suspensory to heal, and right now, there are no real plans for him. He will go back to the farm (Deerfield Farm) and enjoy time with Grand Traverse, who is now 11 and was retired last year."

Luis Dominguez, who has served as the horse's caretaker for the past five years, and Natalie Glyshaw led Unreachable Star down the track. He was presented with a blanket honoring his achievements as well as a watermelon, his favorite barn treat. He was then led to the paddock for more pictures and some final peppermints for his journey to Kentucky.

"He has been a special addition to the barn," said David Osborne, who is a longtime owner and now serves in the Kentucky legislature. "We bought him privately from the breeder (Chapple) because we used to own his sire (Unloosened). He only stood two seasons and he died. We had bred a couple of mares to him, and so had Crystal. We were trying to accumulate a few more of his offspring, so we bought a package deal."

Osborne notes the package came with a little twist. Besides the two colts, one of which was Unreachable Star, they purchased a Welsh Corgi from Chapple, who later became known by the name of Max.

"That's what sealed the deal," smiled Osborne on the addition of Max to the package. "So, we got two horses and one dog in the deal."

The Osbornes welcome Unreachable Star home and so far, the horse isn't aware that his yearly routine is changing. He generally gets the winter months off and gets turned out at Deerfield Farm. His vacation just started a little early this year.

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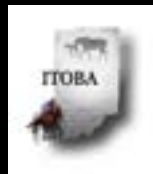
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