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## THOROUGHBRED CHARITIES OF AMERICA TO HONOR BARBARA BANKE AND BACKSTRETCH EMPLOYEE SERVICE TEAM



ment Center in Lexington, Ky.

“We are pleased to acknowledge Barbara Banke and B.E.S.T. for their outstanding work within the Thoroughbred industry,” said Mike McMahon president of TCA. “Barbara is involved with numerous organizations that offer aftercare services or support farm or backstretch employees that care for Thoroughbreds, and B.E.S.T.’s outstanding program provides health and human services to thousands of backstretch workers each year at NYRA tracks - we couldn’t think of a more deserving individual and organization for these awards.”

The Allaire duPont Leadership Award, named for one of TCA’s founders, is presented annually to an organization or individual whose philanthropic endeavors are consistent with TCA’s mission. Past award winners include Bourbon Lane Stable, Graham and Anita Motion, Frank Stronach, Fasig-Tipton, Darley, Todd Pletcher, Roy and Gretchen Jackson, Bill Casner and John and Debby Oxley.

Banke, the chairman and proprietor of Jackson Family Wines, is one of the wine industry’s top innovators. Her successful Stonestreet Farms raced Horses of the Year Curlin and Rachel Alexandra, and Eclipse Award Winner My Miss Aurelia. The farm has produced over 20 graded states winners since its inception in 2005. A staunch advocate of Thoroughbred aftercare, Stonestreet is committed to giving their former racers every opportunity to succeed in a second career. Banke is a long-time supporter of TCA and many organizations that work on behalf of Thoroughbreds and those who care for them.

The Ellen and Herb Moelis Industry Service Award is presented annually to an organization that works to uphold TCA’s mission. Past award winners include The Jockey Club’s Thoroughbred Incentive Program, CANTER USA, Belmont Child Care Association, Old Friends, Kentucky Equine Humane Center, Mid-Atlantic Horse Rescue, New Vocations, Tranquility Farms and the Retired Racehorse Project.

The Backstretch Employee Service Team (B.E.S.T.) was founded in 1989 and works to provide free health and social services to the backstretch communities at Aqueduct, Belmont, and Saratoga Racetracks. B.E.S.T. offers primary healthcare clinics, facilitates enrollment in health and life insurance programs, offers transportation and translation services, provides alcohol and substance abuse counseling, acupuncture clinics, and much more.

LEXINGTON, Ky. - Thoroughbred Charities of America will honor Barbara Banke with the Allaire duPont Leadership Award and the Backstretch Employee Service Team (B.E.S.T.) with the Ellen and Herb Moelis Industry Service Award at the 27th annual Stallion Season Auction & Celebration on Saturday, January 7, 2017 at the Keeneland Entertainment Center in Lexington, Ky.

The Celebration will feature approximately 10 seasons including Into Mischief, Malibu Moon, and Speightstown. Bidders or their authorized agents may bid on select seasons by attending the live auction in-person or they may bid on the select seasons during the online phase with the highest bidders earning the right to bid by phone during the live auction. In addition to the seasons, non-season lots such as a Triple Crown ticket package, a John Deere utility vehicle, and equine air transportation via a H.E. Tex Sutton flight will be offered. All non-season items will also be available for bidding during the online auction with absentee bidding available at the live auction.

TCA Stallion Season Auction sponsors include LNJ Foxwoods, Rosenberg Thoroughbred Consulting, PBI Bank, Candyland Farm, John Deere, Bourbon Lane Stable, Starquine.com, Fasig-Tipton, Keeneland, TDN, TOBA, The Horse Media Group, and L.V. Harkness & Co. For further information regarding the 27th annual TCA Stallion Season Auction including season donations, sponsorships and advertising please visit [www.tca.org](http://www.tca.org) or call (859) 276-4989.

*TCA’s mission is to provide a better life for Thoroughbreds, both during and after their racing careers, by supporting qualified repurposing and retirement organizations and by helping the people who care for them. TCA distributes grants to several categories of Thoroughbred-related nonprofits including rehabilitation, retraining, rehoming and retirement organizations; backstretch and farm employee programs; equine-assisted therapy programs; and research organizations. Since its inception in 1990, TCA has granted over \$21 million to more than 200 charities. TCA administers the Horses First Fund, initiated by LNJ Foxwoods in June 2016 to assist a horse rescue operation in Mercer County, Kentucky as well as provide emergency aid for horses in need in the future. From 2000-2015, more than 95% of TCA’s expenditures were allocated to program services including direct grants. TCA is the charitable arm of the Thoroughbred Owners and Breeders Association (TOBA).*



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## 2015 ITOBA STALLION SEASON AUCTION AVAILABLE STALLIONS

### INDIANA

### KENTUCKY

### NEW YORK

### OHIO

Flattermeblue  
Lantana Mob  
What Now  
Sangaree  
Deputy Storm  
Strong Contender  
Hap  
Strong Hope  
City Weekend  
Pass Rush  
Elite Squadron  
Unbridled Express  
Domestic Dispute  
Heat Shimmer  
Mustanfar  
Lentenor  
Quarter Given  
Colonial Colony  
Quiteahandful  
SoldtoWallstreet  
Moshagib  
Silver Mountain  
Vibank  
Goods  
Drinkwiththedevil  
City Weekend  
Caimen  
Act of War  
A P Ridge  
Deer Lake  
Paullinus

Girolamo  
Regal Ransom  
Student Council  
I want Revenge  
Bullet Train  
Country Day  
General Quarters  
Get Stormy  
Nobizlikeshowbiz  
Taste of Paradise  
Tizdejavue  
Dominus  
Cowboy Cal  
American Lion  
Runaway and Hide  
Giant Oak

Boys at Tosconova  
Courageous Cat  
Lewis Michael  
Santiva  
Dr. Large

Williams Kitten  
Carnacks Choice  
Aeneas  
Birdrun  
David Copperfield  
Favorite Bid  
King of the Roxy  
Kingship  
Mr MaBee  
Louie Villain  
Mixmaster  
Tribal Volume  
Twinspired  
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## Benefits to the Indiana Bred Owner

- Eligible to the lucrative Indiana-Bred Stakes Program including 12 stake races for Indiana-Bred horses contested at \$85,000 each.
- Eligible to the Indiana Signature Stakes for Indiana-Breds, \$150,000 purse.
- Eligible to the Overnight Program for Indiana-Bred Horses.  
Purses for Overnight races for Indiana-Bred Horses are contested at \$2,000 above the Open Overnight races
- 40% Purse Supplements available to any Indiana-Bred finishing 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, or 3<sup>rd</sup> in the following open races
  - All Open Allowance, including
    - Maiden Special Weights
    - Starter Allowance (\$10,000 or higher)
    - Optional Claiming (\$10,000 or higher)
    - Maiden Optional Claiming (\$10,000 or higher)
  - Open Stakes
  - Open Claiming (claiming price \$10,000 or higher)

## Additional Benefits to the Indiana-Bred/Indiana-Sired Owner

- Eligible to lucrative Indiana-Bred Stakes Program  
With 8 Stake Races exclusively for Indiana-Bred/Indiana-Sired, including 2 new Sired Stake Races of 2014
- Eligible to Indiana Signature Stakes, \$150,000 purse, for Indiana Bred horses.  
With an added 25% purse supplement paid to the owner of an Indiana-Sired horse finishing 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, or 3<sup>rd</sup> in any Signature Event.
- Added opportunities with 33% of the Overnight Races in the Breed Development Program written exclusively for Indiana-Sired horses.

## Benefits to the Indiana Breeder

- 20% Breeder Awards to the Breeder of an Indiana-Bred Winner (\$10,000 Claiming or higher)
- Out of State Breeder Awards to the Breeder of an Indiana-Bred Horse winning outside the state (When Indiana racing is not in progress. July 1<sup>st</sup> for two year olds)

For complete program details see <http://in.gov/hrc/tb.htm>

Or contact Indiana Thoroughbred Breed Development Program, at

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### Congratulations to the Following Stakes Winners!

FIRST LADY STAKES  
MARY N'EILEEN  
JOCKEY: PACO LOPEZ

GOVERNOR'S STAKES  
MISTER POLLARD  
JOCKEY: RICARDO SANTANA, JR.

FLORENCE HENDERSON STAKES  
WILD SWAVA  
JOCKEY: FRANCISCO TORRES

AJ FOYT STAKES  
PROUD AZTECA  
JOCKEY: FRANCISCO TORRES



### REMAINING 2014 INDIANA BRED STAKES SCHEDULE

Date	Race	Distance	Purse	Age	Sex
Aug 27	ITOBA Stallion Season Stake - Colts	1 Mile	\$75,000 added	3 year olds	C/G
Aug 27	ITOBA Stallion Season Stake - Fillies	1 Mile	\$75,000 added	3 year olds	F/M
Sept 10	The Merrillville Stakes	6 Furlongs	\$85,000 added	3 and up	F
Sept 10	The Brickyard Stakes	6 Furlongs	\$85,000 added	3 and up	
Oct 1	The Indiana Stallion Stakes (*S)	6 Furlongs	\$85,000 added	2 year olds	F
Oct 1	The Crown Ambassador (*S)	6 Furlongs	\$85,000 added	2 year olds	
Oct 1	The Hillsdale Stakes	6 Furlongs	\$85,000 added	2 year olds	
Oct 1	The City Of Anderson	6 Furlongs	\$85,000 added	2 year olds	F
Oct 4	The Richmond Stakes (*S)	1 1/16 Mile	\$85,000 added	3 and up	F/M
Oct 4	The Gus Grissom Stakes	1 1/16 Mile	\$85,000 added	3 and up	
Oct 4	Hoosier Breeders Sophomore Stakes	1 1/16 Mile	\$85,000 added	3 year olds	
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Nov 1	The Frances Slocum Stakes	1 1/16 Mile	\$150,000 Guaranteed	3 and up	F/M
Nov 1	The Too Much Coffee Stakes	1 1/16 Mile	\$150,000 Guaranteed	3 and up	
Nov 1	The Indiana Futurity	1 mile 70 yds.	\$85,000 added	2 year olds	
Nov 1	The Miss Indiana Stales	1 mile 70 yds.	\$85,000 added	2 year olds	F



## NOMINATIONS STRONG FOR FIRST RUNNING OF ITOBA STAKES AT INDIANA GRAND RACING & CASINO



### **HAVE YOU NOMINATED**

your Indiana Bred foal for the coming years Indiana TOBA Stakes Race? Please email us for forms and more information!

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