

Strong Catalog Set For OBS March Sale Blind Luck Wins Eclipse Award OBS Two Year Old Grads Score In 14 Grade Ones

2010 Graded Stakes Winners OBS 2YO Sales

ACTING ZIPPY
 BLIND LUCK
 BOUQUET BOOTH
 COFFEE BOY
 COMMA TO THE TOP
 DADE BABE
 DIVA DELITE
 DR. ZIC
 EIGHTYFIVEINAFIFTY
 ENDLESS CIRCLE
 GOURMET DINNER
 GRAND RAPPORT
 KANTHAROS
 KRYPTON
 LINE OF DAVID
 MAJESTICPERFECTION
 MONA DE MOMMA
 NEVERSAIDIWASSWEET
 ODYSSEUS
 ORCHESTRATOR
 PHOLA
 RICHIEGIRLGONEWILD
 RIGHTLY SO
 RIGOLETTA
 SHADOWBDANCING
 SILVER TIMBER
 SKIPSHOT
 STATELY VICTOR
 SWEET AUGUST MOON
 TANDA
 TELL A KELLY
 TURBULENT DESCENT
 WICKEDLY PERFECT

March Selected Two-Year-Old Sale Starts OBS Juvenile Sale Season

The March Sale of Selected Two-Year-Olds in Training gets the OBS juvenile sale season off and running on Tuesday and Wednesday, March 15-16. Nearly 500 horses have been cataloged, with both sessions beginning at 11 a.m.

The March Sale Under Tack Show is set for Thursday and Friday, March 10-11, beginning each morning at 8 a.m. The sale includes the ongoing Gulf Coast Farm Dispersal, consigned to OBS by Jerry Bailey Sales Agency. Best known as the breeder of champion Lookin at Lucky, Gulf Coast was North America's fourth leading breeder in 2010.

The OBS Championship Day is held Monday, March 14, the day before the sale.

Blind Luck A Champion

The sale begins after a year of tremendous racing success by OBS juvenile sale graduates, culminating in Mark Dedomenico LLC, John Carver, Peter Abruzzo & Jerry Hollendorfer's **Blind Luck** winning the Eclipse Award as 2010's champion 3-year-old filly. The fourth OBS graduate so honored, Blind Luck follows in the footsteps of **Yanks Music** (1996), **Xtra Heat** (2001) and **Wait a While** (2006).



Blind Luck Adam Coglianese photo

Trained by Jerry Hollendorfer, Blind Luck won five graded stakes in 2010, including victories in the Alabama (G1), Kentucky Oaks (G1) and Las Virgenes (G1). The daughter of Pollard's Vision was consigned to the 2009 OBS April Sale by Omega Farm, Agent.

The Best Of Both Sales

For the first time, OBS has consolidated the February and March Selected Two-Year-Old Sales into one, a move that enables us to offer even greater depth of quality racing prospects.

The March Sale carries on a legacy of achievement, as OBS Selected Two-Year-Old Sales have produced 34 millionaires, winners of 17 Eclipse Awards and nine Breeders' Cup victories. Horse of the Year titles for **Skip Away** and **Favorite Trick** are

2011 OBS 2YO SALES OBS CHAMPIONSHIP STAKES

March 14, 1:00 p.m.

MARCH SELECTED SALE

March 15-16, 11:00 a.m.
Under Tack: March 10-11
8:00 a.m.

APRIL SALE

April 18 - 21, 10:30 a.m.
Under Tack: April 12-15
8:00 a.m.

JUNE SALE

June 21 - 22, 10:30 a.m.
Under Tack: June 18-19
8:00 a.m.

included, along with the three Dubai Golden Shaheen scores for **Caller One** (twice) and **Saratoga County** and championships for **Lost in the Fog**, **Cherokee Run**, **Gilded Time**, **Jewel Princess**, **Fleet Indian** and **Brave Raj**.

The March Sale enjoyed one of its greatest days at the Breeders' Cup in 2008, as graduates **Forever Together** (Filly and Mare Turf), **Midnight Lute** (Sprint) and **Stardom Bound** (Juvenile Fillies) all raced to victory.

Winning Where It Counts

In 2010, OBS two-year-old sale graduates won or placed in 373 stakes races, winning an average of nearly three per week. They won 47 graded stakes, 14 of them grade one races, including the Alabama, Arkansas Derby, Blue Grass, CashCall Futurity, Darley Alcibiades, Hollywood Starlet, Kentucky Oaks and Oak Leaf Stakes. The 47 graded stakes wins represent more graded victories by OBS juvenile graduates than by graduates of all other North American two-year-old sales combined.

Stars from last year's March Sale included Stonestreet Stables LLC's **Kantharos** and Ike & Dawn Thrash's **Tell a Kelly**. **Kantharos**, sold by Eddie Woods, Agent, for \$250,000, scored in the Bashford Manor Stakes (G3) at Churchill Downs and then took the Saratoga Special (G2). Undefeated in three races, he romped by a combined margin of 28-1/2 lengths before being



Kantharos Adam Coglianese photo

retired to stud.

Tell a Kelly jumped from a maiden win into the Darley Debutante Stakes (G1) in August, and stormed from next to last to first to win by 4-1/2 lengths. She was consigned by Southern Chase Farm (Greg and Karen Dodd), Agent.

In all, 33 OBS two-year-old graduates won graded stakes in 2010, including Eclipse Award finalists **Majesticperfection**, **Rightly So** and **Turbulent Descent**.

On the recently released Experimental Free Handicap for two-year-olds, OBS juvenile sales graduates dominated graduates of all juvenile sales, with **Kantharos** and **Comma to the Top** the only colts in the top ten from any two-year-old sale.

Nine of the top twenty fillies are OBS graduates: **Turbulent Descent**, **Rigoletta**, **Tell a Kelly**, **Wickedly Perfect**, **Indian Gracey**, **Delightful Mary**, **Jordy Y**, **May Day Rose** and **Neversaidiwassweet**, while all other juvenile auctions combined for just one.

The roster of other major winners includes Arkansas Derby winner **Line of David**, Tampa Bay Derby winner **Odysseus** and Humana Distaff winner **Mona de Momma**.

March Sire Power

The 2011 March Sale features a strong stallion lineup from the general sire leader board to North America's most promising young guns.

Giant's Causeway, **Distorted Humor** and **Malibu Moon**, 1-2-3 on the 2010 Blood-Horse general sire list, are represented by youngsters in the sale, as are **Smart Strike**, **Medaglia d'Oro**, **Street Cry (Ire)**, **Tapit**, **Indian Charlie**, **Candy Ride (Arg)**, **Tiznow**, **Unbridled's Song** and **More Than Ready**.

Proven sires like **Speightstown**, **Elusive Quality**, and **Empire Maker**, have offspring in March, as well as **Mr. Greeley**, **Pulpit**, **Stormy Atlantic**, **Dixie**

Union, **Awesome Again**, **Lemon Drop Kid**, **Harlan's Holiday**, **Lion Heart** and **Montbrook**.

2010's top four leading first crop sires **Congrats**, **Bluegrass Cat**, **Bernardini**, and **War Front** have offspring in the sale, along with up and coming sires **Street Sense**, **Afleet Alex**, **Hard Spun**, **Corinthian**, **Any Given Saturday**, **Rockport Harbor**, **Wildcat Heir** and **Lawyer Ron**.

Safetrack Success

(2008-2010 sales)

OBS Safetrack Graduates have won or placed in

547 Stakes Races

329 Dirt

125 Synthetic

93 Turf

142 Graded Stakes

24 Grade One Wins

Breeders' Cup Juvenile F. (twice)

Alabama

Alfred G. Vanderbilt

Arkansas Derby

Ballerina

CashCall Futurity

Champagne

Darley Alcibiades (twice)

Darley Debutante (twice)

Hollywood Starlet (twice)

Humana Distaff

Kentucky Oaks

Las Virgenes (twice)

Oak Leaf (three times)

Santa Anita Oaks

Spinaway

Vinery Madison

(through 12/31/10)

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