



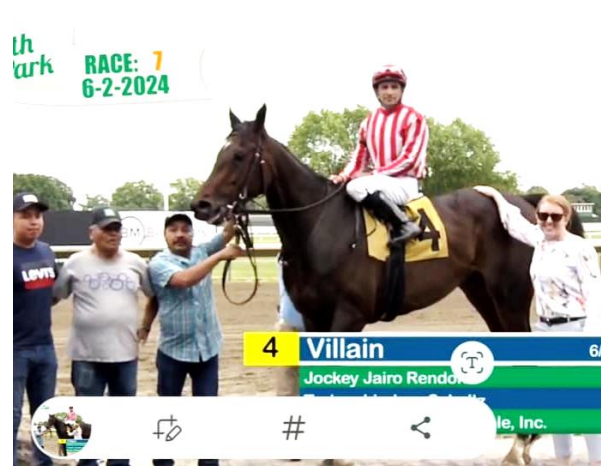
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Homebred Villain Breaks Maiden to Continue Long History of Winners for his dam, Honor Your Gift

The legacy continues for superstar resident broodmare Honor Your Gift! Her most recent gift came in the form of three-year-old gelding Villain (by Lookin at Lucky), who won a maiden special weight race at Monmouth Park on June 2nd. Making his third career start, Villain went off as the fourth choice in a field of 10 going a mile and a sixteenth on the turf. He didn't get the cleanest break, but he steadied and gathered himself well under the guidance of jockey Jairo Rendon. Villain settled mid-pack and waited for his queue coming around the final turn, pouncing on his rivals to draw away for an easy 1 ½ length score. With the win he earned \$28,500 for his owner and breeder, Willow Lane Stables. Fantastic job by trainer Lindsay Schultz to have this horse fit and ready. Villain marks the fourth winner from five horses to hit the track for his 12-year-old dam, Honor Your Gift. He is preceded in victory by stakes-winner Morning Molly (now broodmare, dam of two foals), graded stakes-winner Highestdistinction (still in training), and stakes-placed Therearenorules (also still in training). Honor Your Gift also has a yearling by Candy Ride, a foal by Oscar Performance, and is back in foal to American Pharoah. This is a young family that just continues to get better. Honor Your Gift, as well as all of her offspring, were foaled and raised at Endeavor Farm. Villain has a very bright future ahead of him and we are so excited to cheer him along!



Two Winners for JRita Young Thoroughbreds in June

The month of June was a good one for the racing stable of J.R. & Rita Young with two winners, not to mention two seconds and two thirds! The first victor was Derby Day Lassie (Double Irish - Rita's Fifty Seven, by Ready's Image), who went gate to wire to win by three lengths at Fair Meadows on June 6th. Another trip to the winner's circle was enjoyed by Traffic Boss (Cross Traffic - Take Me Home Too, By Came Home), who got his second career win at Fair Meadows on June 26th. Both of these wins were by homebreds!



Derby Day Lassie



Traffic Boss

Orbi One Makes First Trip to the Winner's Circle

Congratulations to Dream Big Racing, who picked up a well-deserved win with Orbi One (Orb - Honey Lake, by Dynaformer) at Belterra Park on June 20th. The dark bay gelding made it look easy, dominating his foes after taking the lead as they entered the stretch to glide home for a 1 ½ length margin of victory. He completed the one-mile maiden special weight contest on the turf in a very game time of 1:34.91. Orbi One is trained by John Ortiz and was piloted by Charle Oliveros. Can't wait to see this guy's next start!



Wherever You Are Impresses in Maiden Breaking Effort



What a game race by Wherever You Are (by Dialed In) to get his first career win at Los Alamitos on June 23rd. He took the lead shortly after breaking and never looked back, winning easily by 2 ½ lengths. Wherever You Are was bred by his owner, Coal Creek Farm. He was foaled and raised at Endeavor Farm, as was his dam, stakes-winner My Heart Goes On, who is out of another homebred in My Untamed Heart, who is out of yet another homebred in One for You. The family just keeps getting deeper! Great win, congrats to the team.

