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Cypress Bend Farm’s Racing Stable on a Heater with Three Homebred Winners in Three Consecutive Days

Winning a race with a homebred is any breeder’s dream. Winning three races with three different homebreds on three consecutive days? That’s the stuff that fantasies are made of. And as unlikely as that may be to happen for a breeding operation of any size, that’s exactly what transpired for Clyde Taylor’s Cypress Bend Farm! Evangeline Downs was the site of this remarkable feat for the products of Cypress Bend Farm, who races under the banner of South Central Stables. The streak started on June 22nd, when Mystic Creed (Jimmy Creed - Mystic Charm, by War Pass) got his first career score in maiden special weight company. He led throughout and drew off under a hand ride by jockey Timothy Thornton to win by 5 ¾ lengths. The following day is when Mischief’s Machine (Into Mischief - Fast Laner, by Mutakddim) stole the show, closing late to get up just in time for career win number four. His earnings now total just shy of six figures. Capping off the winning frenzy on June 24th was Rose Palace (Palace - Roses Plus, by Value Plus). The four-year-old filly absolutely dominated her allowance race, winning by a margin of nearly 7 lengths. She now has 3 wins and 2 places in 7 lifetime starts, with earnings now eclipsing the \$100,000 mark. Both Rose Palace and Mischief’s Machine were piloted by Jose Luis Rodriguez. All three winners are trained by Keith Bourgeois. Great job by all the connections having these horses on their A-game and making it look easy. Mystic Creed, Mischief’s Machine, and Rose Palace were all foaled and raised at Endeavor Farm. We couldn’t be happier to see these horses performing so well for their very deserving owners/breeders and we wish everyone involved the best of luck as these homebreds move on the next level. We’ll be cheering you all along!



Mystic Creed



Mischief’s Machine



Rose Palace

Winning Now Seems to Be a Habit for See Spot Run

Way to go for the connections of See Spot Run (Air Force Blue - Arusha, by Tapit), who was last seen cruising to his second straight victory on June 20th at Mountaineer Park. Off as the even money favorite, he really made his foes feel the burn in this race, drawing off to a clear 8 length margin of victory. That makes four career wins now for owners/breeders Wayne Hash, Travis Hash, and Traci McCord. Another job well done by trainer Kim Puhl and a nice ride by jockey Luis Antonio Gonzalez. Let's make it three in a row!



Therearenorules Sharp in First Start Back This Year

A little rest and relaxation usually goes a long way for a racehorse, and that sure seems to be the case with Therearenorules (Declaration of War - Honor Your Gift, by Sightseeing). Making her first start back since last Halloween, Therearenorules was her usually classy self in her four-year-old debut at Delaware Park on June 10th. She got off a step slow and stayed patient behind a crawling pace, but really turned the jets on and flew down the lane to get up for a very impressive second. Watch out world, she's primed and ready to pounce!



Fasig-Tipton July Yearlings

