

The 115th Annual  
**Grand National Steeplechase**  
 Butler, MD  
 Saturday, April 22, 2017  
 Post Time 3:15 p.m.

| PP  | HORSE                      | SEX/AGE | CLM \$ | WGT | JOCKEY         | OWNER                      | TRAINER              |
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| <b>FIRST RACE (#32) Purse \$30,000. Amateur Timber Stakes. 3-1/4 Miles over Timber.</b> |                            |         |        |     |                |                            |                      |
| <b>PSOT TIME: 3:15 pm.</b>  |                            |         |        |     |                |                            |                      |
| 1   | RAVEN'S CHOICE [L]         |         | g.10   | 165 | Beecher, M     | Ann Jackson                | Todd J. Wyatt        |
| 2   | OLD TIMER [L] (x2)         |         | g.11   | 165 | Hendriks, M    | Kinross Farm               | Richard L. Valentine |
| 3   | TERKO SERVICE [S] [L] (x3) |         | g.10   | 165 | Pinkard, C     | Frank A. Bonsal Jr.        | Ann D. Stewart       |
| 4   | WILDCATTER [L]             |         | g.9    | 165 | Newman, J      | Armata Stables             | Elizabeth H. Voss    |
| 5a  | BATTLE ARAY [L] (x3)       |         | g.9    | 165 | Baumgardner, B | Merriemfield Farm          | William Meister      |
| 6   | SERENE HARBOR [L]          |         | g.14   | 165 | Yeager, A      | Welcome Here Farm          | Todd McKenna         |
| 7   | AND THE EAGLE FLYS [L]     |         | g.15   | 165 | Dalton, K      | Mrs. William D. Class, Jr. | William Meister      |
| 8   | DERWINS PROSPECTOR [S] [L] |         | g.9    | 165 | Cottreau, G    | Gerry L. Brewster          | Joseph G. Davies     |
| 9   | SENIOR SENATOR             |         | g.7    | 165 | Poretz, E      | Irvin L. Crawford II       | Joseph G. Davies     |
| 10a   | IMPERIAL WAY [L]           |         | g.12   | 165 | Baumgardner, B | Merriemfield Farm          | Elizabeth H. Voss    |
| 11  | WINGO STAR [L] (x2)        |         | g.9    | 165 | Dalton, K      | Holbrook Hollow Farm       | William Meister      |
| 12  | SUPER SATURDAY [S] [L]     |         | g.8    | 165 | Clements, S    | Irvin S. Naylor            | Katherine S. Neilson |

[S] - denotes supplementary nominee

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| <b>SECOND RACE (#33) Purse \$20,000. THE BENJAMIN H. MURRAY MEMORIAL. Amateur Allowance Timber (NW2). 3-1/4 Miles over Timber.</b> |                          |  |      |     |                   |                            |                      |
| <b>POST TIME: 4:00 p.m.</b>  |                          |  |      |     |                   |                            |                      |
| 1  | TOUCHDOWNTONY [L]        |  | g.8  | 162 | Cottreau, G       | Irvin L. Crawford II       | Joseph G. Davies     |
| 2a   | BATTLE ARAY [L] (x1)     |  | g.9  | 170 | Baumgardner, B    | Merriemfield Farm          | William Meister      |
| 3  | CHURCH MUSIC             |  | m.10 | 160 | Owings, B         | J. W. Y. Martin, Jr.       | Suzie O. Owings      |
| 4  | OUT PLAYING [L]          |  | g.7  | 162 | Yeager, A         | Donald Cochran             | Todd McKenna         |
| 5  | SUMO POWER [L]           |  | g.11 | 170 | Todd, E           | Blythe Miller Davies       | Joseph G. Davies     |
| 6a   | IMPERIAL WAY [L]         |  | g.12 | 162 | Baumgardner, B    | Merriemfield Farm          | Elizabeth H. Voss    |
| 7  | RODRIGUEZ (IRE) [L] (x3) |  | g.10 | 170 | Hendriks, M       | Kiplin Hall                | William Dowling      |
| 8  | OLD TIMER [L] (x1)       |  | g.11 | 170 | Hendriks, M       | Kinross Farm               | Richard L. Valentine |
| 9  | CLASS BRAHMS             |  | g.9  | 162 | Beecher, M        | Rosbrian Farm              | Tara Elmore          |
| 10   | GAS CAN EDDIE [L]        |  | g.10 | 162 | Baumgardner, B    | Mrs. William D. Class, Jr. | William Meister      |
| 11   | GREAT HALO [L]           |  | g.10 | 162 | <b>McKenna, T</b> | Keystone Thoroughbreds     | Todd McKenna         |
| 12   | HENRY SAN (IRE) [L]      |  | g.10 | 170 |                   | Irvin S. Naylor            | Cyril Murphy         |
| 13   | PRIME PROSPECTOR         |  | g.9  | 170 | McGuirk, A        | Peter A. Jay               | Todd J. Wyatt        |
| 14   | PURED IT [L]             |  | g.8  | 170 | Clements, S       | Armata Stables             | Katherine S. Neilson |
| 15   | OUR TOWN [L]             |  | g.8  | 162 | Kendrick, M       | Gerry L. Brewster          | Joseph G. Davies     |
| 16   | WINGO STAR [L] (x1)      |  | g.9  | 170 | Dalton, K         | Holbrook Hollow Farm       | William Meister      |
| 17   | DE CHERA                 |  | g.11 | 162 | Poretz, E         | H. Bruce Fenwick           | H. Bruce Fenwick     |

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| <b>THIRD RACE (#34) Purse \$15,000. THE WESTERN RUN PLATE. Amateur Apprentice Timber. 3 Miles over Timber.</b> |                          |  |      |     |                |                         |                  |
| <b>POST TIME: 4:45 p.m.</b>  |                          |  |      |     |                |                         |                  |
| 1  | CLASS INDIAN [L]         |  | g.10 | 175 | Batoff, J      | Jeremy A. Batoff        | William Dowling  |
| 2  | BLACK POND [L]           |  | g.9  | 165 | Fulton, A      | Move Up Stable          | Michael L. Leaf  |
| 3  | PULLER [L]               |  | g.9  | 170 | McGuirk, A     | Charles C. Fenwick Jr.  | Todd J. Wyatt    |
| 4  | MECKLENBURG              |  | g.13 | 170 | Yeager, A      | Rosbrian Farm           | Tara Elmore      |
| 5  | TERKO SERVICE [L] (x1)   |  | g.10 | 170 | Pinkard, C     | Frank A. Bonsal Jr.     | Ann D. Stewart   |
| 6  | WHERE'S THE BEEF [L]     |  | g.9  | 165 | Baumgardner, B | Welcome Here Farm       | Ivan Dowling     |
| 7  | RODRIGUEZ (IRE) [L] (x2) |  | g.10 | 170 | Hendriks, M    | Kiplin Hall             | William Dowling  |
| 8  | SPOILER ALERT [L]        |  | g.6  | 165 | Dalton, K      | Merriebelle Stable, LLC | William Meister  |
| 9  | MYSTIC STRIKE [L]        |  | g.8  | 170 | Yeager, A      | Upland Partners         | Todd McKenna     |
| 10   | HILL TIE                 |  | g.7  | 165 | Poretz, E      | Sportsmans Hall         | Joseph G. Davies |

Scratches by 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, April 19 with the NSA office 410-392-0700.

All NSA Officials must be on the grounds by 11:30 a.m.

For communication with the NSA after 5:00 p.m. Friday:  
 NSA Voice Mail - 410-392-0700 (answers after 5th ring).  
 NSA cellular phone (610-207-5990) Nancy Dougherty.

**STABLING: New in 2017 - All NSA Horseman parking will be located at 2605 Butler Road, 1 miles west of Falls Road.** Portable stalls will be available and bedding will be provided. Box lunches available.

Grand National Stewards: Gregg Morris (Presiding), Gus Brown, Bruce Rodman.

**THIRD PARTY FUROSEMIDE (SALIX) ADMINISTRATION**  
 Horsemen are reminded that third party administration of furosemide (Salix) is in effect at this race meet. Please refer to the 2017 NSA Fall Condition Book (center yellow section) for complete details of the new NSA Medication policy. Contact Dr. Jeff Witwer (803-243-0328)

NSA Officials: NSA Representative - Nancy Dougherty; Clerk of Scales - Jake Chalfin; Horse Identifier - Joe Clancy; Starter - Chris Daney; Testing Veterinarian - Dr. Michael Odian; Lasix Veterinarian - Dr. Nick Meitinis (410-365-4255).

Foal papers are not required to be on file with the Horse Identifier at the races providing the horse can be properly identified; and tattoos are required for all horses, with a one-time exception providing the horse can be identified by its markings. All scratches must be made no later than one hour prior to post time for the first race.

The SOTA representative will be Jack Fisher. Please direct all horsemen's issues or concerns to him prior to approaching the Race Chairman or a member of the Race Committee.

A pre-race veterinary exam is required of each entry beginning at 1:30 p.m. at the stable area by Drs. Rachel Westerlund and Cooper Williams. Bandages are not permitted during the examination. ALL HORSES NOT ON LASIX MUST BE ON THE GROUNDS 2 HOURS PRIOR TO POST TIME FOR THE FIRST RACE FOR THE PRE-RACE VET CHECK UNLESS EXCUSED BY THE STEWARDS FOR EXTENUATING CIRCUMSTANCES. LASIX HORSES MUST BE ON THE GROUNDS 4 HOURS PRIOR TO POST TIME FOR THEIR SCHEDULED RACE.

Scratches are due no later than 2:15 p.m. with the Clerk of Scales, Jake Chalfin.

There will be a mandatory jockeys meeting at 2:15 p.m. with the Stewards at the riders tent. An Officials meeting will be held immediately following the jockeys meeting in the paddock.

The Grand National Steeplechase will not permit any type of advertising on a Rider or a Horse running in any race of the day.

Special Events Medical Services (SEMS) provides field trauma support and works within the parameters of the Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services Systems (MIEMSS). Note: SEMS utilizes Gator vehicles specifically modified for field trauma use. A team of qualified physicians is present to supervise medical activities and to perform examinations following a fall.

Western Run Plate is run between blue and white flags.

OTR's will be welcomed at the Brown Advisory sponsor tent nearest the paddock. Wear identifying credentials sent to you by mail.

There will be a post race reception and viewing of race video for officials and all horsemen named in the program at the residence of Mr. & Mrs. Peter Fenwick, 2315 Geist Road, immediately following the last race.

#### Paddock Schedule

2:45 p.m. - Horses for The Grand National (First Race) to be saddled in paddock arrive in paddock

2:55 p.m. - Horses for the Grand National that were saddled in barn arrive in paddock.

3:15 p.m. - Post Time for The Grand National

3:30 p.m. - Horses for The Benjamin H. Murray Memorial (Second Race) to be saddled in paddock arrive in paddock.

3:40 p.m. - Horses for The Benjamin H. Murray Memorial that were saddled in barn arrive in paddock.

4:00 p.m. - Post Time for The Benjamin H. Murray Memorial.

4:15 p.m. - Horses for The Western Run Plate II (Third Race) to be saddled in paddock arrive in paddock.

4:25 p.m. - Horses for The Western Run Plate II that were saddled in barn arrive in paddock.

4:45 p.m. - Post Time for The Western Run Plate II.

Horsemen are reminded that their NSA "Horsemen" rear-view mirror tag will be honored at all gates.

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The Grand National race course was inspected on April 9, 2017 by Clerk of Course, Priscilla Hoblitzell.

**Turf:** The course is very even throughout and currently low at approximately 3". Fast growth is expected due to recent abundance of rain combined with current conditions of sun and warmth. We expect to mow the entire course on April 18.

**Smoothness:** The entire course has been Cambridge rolled in the past 72 hours and is quite smooth for open country and paddock circumstance.

**Compaction:** ideal and consistent readings throughout of 90-110 (Good).

**Moisture:** Readings of no less than 6 (Average) in higher sections of the course and some readings of 10 (Wet) in lower sections beneath thick turf and slightly yielding ground.

## RACE MEET INFORMATION SHEET

**Meet:** Grand National Steeplechase **Date:** April 22, 2017 **Post Time:** 3:15 p.m. (gates open 12:00 p.m.)

**Physical Address:** 2838 Butler Road, Glyndon, MD

**Contact Name/Telephone No:** Peter R. Fenwick / 410-916-3929

**Airports:** Baltimore Washington International (BWI)

**Rail Service:** N/A

**Food Service at Races:** OTR welcome to Brown Advisory sponsor tent nearest the paddock, please wear identifying credentials send by mail  
Post Race Party for Owner/Rider/Trainers

**Pre-Race Activities:** N/A

**Race Day Activities:** Vendors: (GQ)  
Sponsor Tents/Exhibits (By Invitation)  
Pony Races (Jr. Field Master's Chase at 1:45 p.m.)

**Credentials Needed:** NSA Hang Tag Parking Pass

**Will Call/Location:** N/A

**Horse Related:**Stabling: **NEW -Tented Stabling available at 2605 Butler Road, 1 miles west of Falls Road. Portable stalls will be available and bedding will be provided. Box lunches available.**

Contact: Peter R. Fenwick at 410-916-3929

Hot Water: Recommended that you bring your own / Cold water is available.

Electrical Outlets: no

Veterinary Assistance: Cooper Williams and Rachel Westerlund

Approximate Time Between Races: 45 minutes

**Hotels, Motels B&B's:** Hunt Valley Marriott, Hunt Valley, MD

**Directions:** I-83 to West on Shawan Road to right on Falls Road to left on Butler Road.