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Remington Revs Up

Gaming puts the 'OK' in Oklahoma

BY ESTHER MARR

Before Remington Park obtained slots in 2005, the track was struggling to survive. The front side desperately needed updating, crowds had dwindled to alarmingly low numbers, field sizes were ever-shrinking, and purses were not lucrative enough to compete with the tracks in neighboring states bolstered by casino funds.

Just when things seemed hopeless for the Oklahoma City track, a godsend came in the fall of 2004 in the form of the passage of State Question 712. The measure, which was approved by Oklahoma citizens, authorized Remington Park to offer alternative gaming in addition to live and simulcast horseracing. Over the last six years those additional funds have had a crucial impact on the facility and the Oklahoma Thoroughbred industry as a whole.

About a year after the bill passed, Remington Park transformed its clubhouse level, which had not been used for years, into a glitzy casino featuring 750 electronic gaming machines. Other amenities added include the Lookout, a racebook overlooking the finish line; the Wild Rush Bar with an overhead sound stage; and Remi's Buffet restaurant.

The proceeds from casino gaming have supplemented the horsemen's purse structure, and more than \$70 million has also been pumped into state education programs.

Oklahoma horse industry officials are in agreement that Remington Park would have shut its doors had it not been for the timely passage of the casino bill. Competition from the dozens of in-state Native American casinos had put both Remington and Will Rogers Downs near Tulsa in a position where they could no longer operate.



Remington Park Casino offers 750 electronic gaming machines

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Rank	Stallion (Foaling Year, Sire), Farm Standing	2012 Stud Fee	Rnrs/ Wnrs	Stakes Wnrs/ Wns	Rstret SW/ BT SW	(Chief Earner, Earnings)	2012 Earnings	Cumulative			
								Foals	Stks Wnrs	*A-E Index	*Comp Index
1	READ THE FOOTNOTES (01, Smoke Glacken), River Oaks Farm	\$3,500	39/9	1/2	1/1	(Opus A, \$97,500)	\$412,644	*198	8	1.46	1.21
2	TOCCET (00, Awesome Again), Mighty Acres	\$2,500	57/16	0/0	0/0	(Take Me to Zuber, \$32,610)	\$354,339	*268	11	1.20	1.29
3	EVANSVILLE SLEW (92, Slew City Slew), Diamond G Ranch	Died, 2012	57/17	0/0	0/0	(Two Moons, \$43,630)	\$317,224	*479	33	1.14	0.93
4	DON'T GET MAD (02, Stephen Got Even), Rockin Z Ranch	\$2,000	35/14	0/0	0/0	(Populist Politics, \$40,620)	\$267,260	*104	2	1.14	0.95
5	LUCKY LIONEL (93, Mt. Livermore), Diamond G Ranch	\$1,000	26/11	0/0	0/0	(Lucky Lou, \$37,493)	\$205,758	316	13	1.21	1.27
6	OMEGA CODE (00, Elusive Quality), Rockin Z Ranch	\$2,000	62/14	0/0	0/0	(Twin, \$25,295)	\$204,836	255	6	0.74	1.26
7	TACTICAL CAT (96, Storm Cat), Diamond G Ranch	\$1,000	31/5	0/0	0/0	(Tactical Cajun, \$34,302)	\$122,450	475	24	1.11	1.29
8	WESTERN EXPRESSION (96, Gone West), Kirton Farms	\$1,500	19/5	0/0	0/0	(Take a Walk, \$29,770)	\$121,096	*298	4	1.16	1.31
9	SERVICE STRIPE (91, Deputy Minister), Caines Stallion Station	\$1,000	20/7	0/0	0/0	(Juke Box Joe, \$40,300)	\$112,110	347	17	1.21	1.07
10	DANCE MASTER (97, Gone West), JEH Stallion Station-Oklahoma Division	\$1,500	27/5	0/0	0/0	(Bobbiesqueen, \$22,623)	\$106,159	219	8	0.87	1.10
11	NATIONAL SAINT (96, Saint Ballado), B-T Ranch	\$1,000	9/6	0/0	0/0	(Stickcrossmountain, \$29,032)	\$90,560	52	0	0.50	0.89
12	FREEFOURINTERNET (98, Tabasco Cat), Equi-Center Veterinary Clinic	\$2,000	17/2	0/0	0/0	(Senator Bill, \$21,300)	\$89,825	77	1	0.80	1.01
13	KING OF SCAT (96, Eastern Echo), Raywood Farm	\$1,000	16/6	0/0	0/0	(Champangefortwo, \$40,940)	\$80,993	180	11	0.73	0.76
14	BURBANK (93, Wild Again), Boyd Caster	\$1,000	21/4	0/0	0/0	(Cagey Little Girl, \$20,551)	\$77,489	122	3	0.88	0.72
15	DIAMOND (95, Mr. Prospector), Oklahoma Equine	\$2,500	15/4	0/0	0/0	(Devil Her Diamond, \$24,669)	\$69,668	271	6	1.13	1.08
16	COUNTRY BE GOLD (97, Summer Squall), Caines Stallion Station	\$1,000	10/4	0/0	0/0	(Country Green, \$23,540)	\$69,594	44	0	0.69	1.30
17	MALABAR GOLD (97, Unbridled), Winner's Circle Farms	N/A	22/4	0/0	0/0	(Gold Castle, \$10,440)	\$55,171	*242	4	0.69	1.11
18	SEMORAN (93, Phone Trick), Devon Farms	\$1,000	8/3	0/0	0/0	(Will He Thrill Me, \$19,608)	\$49,418	164	0	0.63	0.92
19	MAJOR HENRY (98, Seattle Slew), Gladd Farms	N/A	9/4	0/0	0/0	(Major Fashion, \$13,475)	\$40,635	60	1	0.38	0.56
20	FAST PLAY (86, Seattle Slew), Rockin Z Ranch	Pnsd	7/2	0/0	0/0	(Pacar, \$13,075)	\$39,321	*420	19	1.16	1.38
21	AFFIRMATIVE (99, Unbridled)	N/A	6/1	0/0	0/0	(Warren's Assassin, \$10,930)	\$35,615	67	1	1.21	0.81
22	SASHA'S PROSPECT (96, Mr. Prospector), Charlton Ranch	\$1,200	8/3	0/0	0/0	(Polka Joke, \$14,472)	\$30,094	*92	1	0.90	0.84
23	MONSIEUR CAT (98, Tabasco Cat), Legend Farm	\$1,500	5/2	0/0	0/0	(Morning Frost, \$15,540)	\$29,660	53	1	0.88	1.83
24	SONG OF THE SWORD (01, Unbridled's Song), Cowboy Stables	N/A	2/1	0/0	0/0	(Roll Dem Bones, \$27,900)	\$27,900	10	0	1.49	1.49
25	BOLD ANTHONY (90, Bold Ruckus), Pendergraft Farm	N/A	9/2	0/0	0/0	(My Nephew Matt, \$13,830)	\$26,109	200	3	0.57	0.97

*A-E and COMPARABLE INDEX: The lifetime Average-Earnings Index indicates how much purse money the progeny of one sire has earned, on the average, in relation to the average earnings of all runners in the same years; average earnings of all runners in any year is represented by an index of 1.00. The Comparable Index indicates the average earnings of progeny produced from mares bred to one sire, when these same mares were bred to other sires. Only 32% of all sires have a lifetime AEI higher than their mares Comparable Index.



Scott Wells, president and general manager of Remington

"If it wasn't for the passage of the bill in 2004, there would not be horse racing in Oklahoma today; the industry would be defunct," said Justin Cassity, executive director of the Thoroughbred Racing Association of Oklahoma.

Soaring Purses

It didn't take long to see a gargantuan difference in Remington

Park's purse structure as a result of the new casino.

Prior to 2005, Remington's purses ranged between \$65,000 and \$75,000 a day. With the addition of slots, however, daily distribution has soared to the \$225,000-\$250,000 range.

"The effect (from obtaining slots) has been monumental," said Scott Wells, president and general manager of Remington. "(The casino) completely reversed what was going to be a slide toward extinction... Remington Park would have been closed and padlocked within a few months of the election had that bill not passed. But instead, the rebound of the industry is nothing short of remarkable."

Remington's 67-day 2011 Thoroughbred season ran from Aug. 18-Dec. 10. A stakes schedule of 29 events, with total purses of more than \$3.2 million, was headlined by the \$400,000 Oklahoma Derby.

Remington's maiden special weight purses have also been climbing steadily in recent years. In 2011 those purses were at a healthy \$30,000, compared to \$26,000 in 2007.

"(Remington's maiden purses) are not going to be where New York's are, but when you're up in the \$30,000s for a maiden special weight, that's better than what a lot of other states can offer today," noted prominent horseman Dr. Warren Center, who owns Mighty Acres Farm near Pryor, Okla.

Increased Quality

A direct effect from Remington's enhanced purses was the track's ability to attract higher-quality horses. Even in the midst of the tumultuous economic environment the last few years, Remington has been able to buck the national trend by regularly host-

ing stellar runners at its facility.

"At Remington Park in 2011, there were probably 15-20 Oklahoma-bred maidens that could have broken their maidens anywhere," said Cassity.

"The biggest 2-year-old race in Oklahoma for Thoroughbreds is a \$300,000 race on the closing day of the year—the Springboard Mile. That race has gotten better (quality-wise) every year since we started it in 2008," he added.

During the dark days before the slots passage, Remington had a mere 800 horses stabled on the backside during its fall meets. In 2011 the facility had more than 3,000 applications for 1,400 stalls.

"Our starters per race (average) is now around 10," said Wells. "Overall, the quality of the horses has started to move up. Certainly the quality of the product we're putting on the racetrack is night and day better than when we began in 2005."

Center, who has eight horses in training, 50 broodmares, and stands stallions at Mighty Acres, said the state's increased breeders' awards have allowed him to build the multi-million dollar facility Harmony Training Center near Inola, Okla., with a few partners in 2010.

The new money has also enabled him to improve the quality of mares he purchases each year.

"Ten years ago at the Keeneland sales I was buying \$5,000-\$10,000 mares," he said. "Today, I'll double and triple that. I can go buy a \$20,000 or \$30,000 mare and believe the offspring of that mare running in Oklahoma can justify that price."

"We're also hoping that some better-quality females will let us enjoy more breeders awards," added Center, who cited a horse he bred named Ted's Folly, who brought just \$1,200 as a yearling but went on to earn more than \$300,000 at Remington, Prairie Meadows, and Fair Grounds in 2011-12. "There's thousands of dollars of breeders' awards for a horse that can do that," he said.

Donnie Von Hemel, Remington's all-time leading trainer, said before Remington and Will Rogers obtained slots, the Oklahoma program had fallen in status to the point where it was really only a state-wide competition.

"But (gaming) brought it back to being one of the stronger racing programs in the region, and we do have a few races that have a national impact," he said.

Some of the best Oklahoma-bred horses to race at Remington in recent years include Ted's Folly, winner of the 2011 Oklahoma Classics Juvenile Stakes, Oklahoma Stallion Stakes, and Remington Springboard Mile Stakes; and other multiple stakes winners She's All In, D Fine Okie, Marq French, and Shotgun Gulch. Even though Caleb's Posse wasn't bred in Oklahoma, the grade I winner launched his career at Remington when he captured the 2010 Clever Trevor Stakes at 2. Additional horses that won stakes at Remington and went on to become graded victors at other tracks include Peach Brew, Brownie Points, Now I Know, and Going Ballistic.

Before 2005, Von Hemel said he was forced to split up his stable and race some horses at other tracks in order to keep his clients happy.

"But since the slots, you can race all your horses at Remington and your clients are happy to do it, the purses are good, and it has kept Oklahoma owners in Oklahoma and caused owners from surrounding states to send their horses to Oklahoma," he said.

Von Hemel added that the quality of Oklahoma's racing has gone up enough that the state has gained some traction in its handle.

"More people are willing to gamble on the races because of the better horses and the bigger fields and all those things that

gamblers like," he said of Remington's all-sources and on-track handle, which have been on a steady upward trend since 2009. "You have to look at the gaming as an opportunity to increase the quality of racing to where the pari-mutuel on the racing side is more powerful to the gamblers and hopefully the track benefits from that too."



Remington's all-time leading trainer Donnie Von Hemel

Facility Face-lift, Promotions, Crowds

Many out-of-state patrons have been pleasantly surprised by the beauty of the new Remington Park. The 24-year-old facility was given a much-needed renovation in 2010 when Global Gaming RP took ownership.

"Global Gaming Solutions not only invested the purchase price of \$80.25 million, but they spent \$15 million in improvements in the first 15 months," said Wells. "That really put us back at the status of being one of the more luxurious racetracks in the United States."

Global Gaming Solutions revamped the entire three-level front side of Remington, from the upper level suites down to the apron. Now called "The Plaza," the brick-paved apron is flanked by tasteful landscaping, including

strategically placed boulders, trees, and a waterfall.

A "Super Screen" high-definition video board was also added, which creates a new level of excitement, according to Wells. Additional remodeling is being done to the casino this year, along

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1	CLOSING ARGUMENT (02, Successful Appeal), Louisiana Stallion Station	\$5,000	88/27	0/0	0/0	(Grandad Bud, \$57,280)	\$795,690	*295	8	1.19	1.33
2	LEESTOWN (94, Seattle Slew)	Died, 2008	116/26	0/0	0/0	(Watch My Smoke, \$62,567)	\$696,578	574	18	0.87	0.99
3	YANKEE GENTLEMAN (99, Storm Cat), Le Mesa Stallions	\$5,000	66/24	1/2	1/1	(Speedacious, \$118,704)	\$528,723	*310	16	1.44	1.33
4	TENPINS (98, Smart Strike), Elite Thoroughbreds	\$3,500	77/25	1/1	0/1	(Regal Strike, \$60,000)	\$498,547	*266	8	1.08	1.16
5	GOLD TRIBUTE (94, Mr. Prospector), Red River Farms	\$2,000	55/15	2/2	2/2	(Nana Knows, \$53,632)	\$456,123	*434	9	1.01	1.12
6	HALF OURS (03, Unbridled's Song), Clear Creek Stud	\$4,500	31/16	1/1	0/1	(Beggarghynneighbor, \$101,000)	\$412,666	*99	2	1.03	1.44
7	IDE (93, Forty Niner), Clear Creek Stud	\$2,500	55/17	0/0	0/0	(Ide Ball, \$56,548)	\$384,347	493	16	1.21	1.11
8	GOOD AND TOUGH (95, Carson City), Elite Thoroughbreds	\$3,000	49/14	0/0	0/0	(Good Law, \$56,250)	\$350,353	*395	16	1.24	1.18
9	CANADIAN FRONTIER (99, Gone West), Le Mesa Stallions	\$3,500	35/14	0/0	0/0	(Tonto Fontenot, \$49,528)	\$331,548	137	7	1.48	1.55
10	BRAHMS (97, Danzig), Elite Thoroughbreds	\$3,500	51/10	1/2	1/1	(Look At the Time, \$103,704)	\$323,333	*567	15	1.11	1.10
11	AFTERNOON DEELITES (92, Private Terms), Clear Creek Stud	Pnsd	38/9	1/1	1/1	(Cajun Charlie, \$75,000)	\$279,433	*581	25	1.16	1.41
12	MY FRIEND MAX (92, Danzig), Kraft Farm	\$1,000	32/12	0/0	0/0	(Sir Maxwell, \$44,367)	\$259,065	180	10	1.12	0.95
13	WILDCAT SHOES (01, Forest Wildcat)	Died, 2009	34/7	1/1	1/1	(Cat Shoes, \$52,139)	\$239,197	97	2	0.95	0.99
14	SEFAPIANO (89, Fappiano)	Died, 2010	29/10	0/0	0/0	(Esther Carl, \$34,000)	\$194,545	336	22	1.34	0.95
15	SNUCK IN (97, Montbrook), Matthews Thoroughbred Farm	\$2,500	33/10	0/0	0/0	(Witch's Orchard, \$51,920)	\$189,156	*277	5	0.91	0.97
16	TASTE OF PARADISE (99, Conquistador Cielo), Fanlew Farms	\$2,500	35/11	1/1	1/1	(Joy's Paradise, \$56,404)	\$181,720	115	1	0.67	0.97
17	TETON FOREST (01, Forestry), Elite Thoroughbreds	\$2,500	35/8	0/0	0/0	(Prince Teton, \$35,460)	\$178,570	*181	3	0.85	1.04
18	LION TAMER (00, Will's Way), Clear Creek Stud	\$2,500	29/4	0/0	0/0	(Manchac, \$27,208)	\$171,899	61	0	0.96	1.20
19	HONOR GLIDE (94, Honor Grades), Fanlew Farms	\$2,500	15/7	0/0	0/0	(Euroglide, \$33,000)	\$156,817	158	2	0.72	1.09
20	TIME BANDIT (96, Time for a Change), Heritage Stud	\$1,000	29/9	0/0	0/0	(Snow Bandit, \$22,156)	\$156,771	218	3	0.88	0.95
21	MR. LIVINGSTON (97, El Prado), Fanlew Farms	Died, 2011	32/7	0/0	0/0	(Livingston Street, \$46,103)	\$150,411	*147	1	0.62	0.92
22	HIGH CASCADE (98, Woodman), Becky Bynum, DVM	\$1,000	29/5	0/0	0/0	(Classic Cascade, \$43,271)	\$148,705	*139	1	0.55	0.65
23	WIRE ME COLLECT (93, Clever Trick), Traders Rest Farm	\$1,500	21/6	0/0	0/0	(Friend of Indy, \$45,472)	\$143,745	156	4	0.80	0.76
24	RAINMAKER (99, Storm Cat), All Star Thoroughbreds	\$1,500	25/5	0/0	0/0	(Fast Time Streaker, \$29,314)	\$143,579	*163	0	0.55	0.85
25	LUNARPAL (02, Successful Appeal), Le Mesa Stallions	N/A	24/7	0/0	0/0	(Drew Clear, \$25,180)	\$141,769	82	1	0.82	1.10
26	TOOLIGHTTOQUIT (92, Dixieland Brass), Ryder River Ridge Farm	\$2,000	16/7	0/0	0/0	(I'mabodboy, \$24,470)	\$136,785	*168	8	1.01	1.05
27	BIG TOP CAT (02, Storm Cat), Louisiana Stallion Station	\$2,500	22/5	1/1	1/1	(Top Cat Boogie, \$52,500)	\$133,801	67	1	0.94	0.78
28	RICHTER SCALE (94, Habitony), Chad & Pat White Farms	N/A	25/4	1/1	0/1	(Hurricane Bluff, \$61,716)	\$125,894	343	8	0.80	1.30
29	K ONE KING (96, Apalachee), Louisiana Stallion Station	\$1,250	29/5	0/0	0/0	(Big Beautiful Doll, \$18,524)	\$123,851	153	4	0.80	0.94
30	PORTO FORICOS (95, Mr. Prospector), Clear Creek Stud	\$1,500	23/4	0/0	0/0	(Bonita Saleeta, \$50,862)	\$123,047	187	5	1.26	1.21
31	LAABITY (91, Mr. Prospector)	N/A	18/7	0/0	0/0	(North Washington, \$23,904)	\$121,470	190	1	0.48	0.74
32	RULER'S COURT (01, Doneraile Court), Holly Hill Farm	\$2,000	19/5	0/0	0/0	(Classy Ruler, \$28,786)	\$120,912	78	1	0.53	0.90
33	LONE STAR SKY (00, Conquistador Cielo), Le Mesa Stallions	\$1,500	21/4	0/0	0/0	(Skymax, \$30,996)	\$119,253	65	1	1.04	0.91
34	SEATTLE SLEET (90, Seattle Slew), Donaghey Farm	\$1,000	16/4	1/1	1/1	(Sweet Little Sleet, \$73,148)	\$115,385	275	8	0.84	1.10
35	OSIDY (02, Storm Cat), Elite Thoroughbreds	\$2,000	35/5	0/0	0/0	(Osidy Again, \$20,496)	\$115,328	88	0	0.75	0.85
36	RUN PRODUCTION (00, Saint Ballado), Louisiana Stallion Station	\$3,500	18/3	0/0	0/0	(Red Production, \$30,528)	\$114,017	81	6	1.69	1.17
37	ISTINTAJ (96, Nureyev), Pomerosa Farms	\$1,000	9/4	0/0	0/0	(Bigtruck El Paso, \$46,700)	\$112,697	66	2	0.75	0.78
38	ENTREPRENEUR (97, Cure the Blues), All Star Thoroughbreds	\$1,000	15/7	0/0	0/0	(Boss M, \$16,170)	\$104,499	62	0	0.53	0.91
39	SCREEN IDOL (99, Zarbyev), Triple R Stable	Died, 2011	5/3	1/1	1/1	(She's Prado's Idol, \$59,500)	\$103,772	10	1	1.87	1.64
40	MAUK FOUR (00, Boston Harbor), Jerry Cart Farm	\$1,000	9/3	0/0	0/0	(Sweet Boston Lady, \$49,130)	\$103,718	21	0	0.77	1.02
41	PROUD AND TRUE (94, Mr. Prospector), 519 Thoroughbreds	N/A	15/4	0/0	0/0	(Shefoggedmyglasses, \$20,600)	\$99,940	217	4	1.08	0.97
42	PLACID FUND (92, Dixieland Band), The Stock Exchange	\$750	18/4	0/0	0/0	(Leaha's Princess, \$26,129)	\$97,062	133	3	0.89	0.81
43	ROSSINI (97, Miswaki), Elite Thoroughbreds	\$2,000	29/5	0/0	0/0	(Early Bravia, \$26,974)	\$91,840	*444	9	0.67	0.87
44	OLE REBEL (99, Carson City), Clear Creek Stud	\$1,000	11/3	0/0	0/0	(Joyce's Rebel, \$33,104)	\$87,485	42	0	0.74	1.02
45	CATASTROPHE (97, Storm Cat), The Horse of Course	\$1,200	12/2	0/0	0/0	(Barela K, \$30,824)	\$83,877	75	2	0.86	1.12
46	DARING BID (98, Unbridled)	N/A	8/3	0/0	0/0	(Anna Jane's Crane, \$55,112)	\$83,792	*45	0	0.38	0.50
47	GRAND APPOINTMENT (98, Unbridled), Red River Farms	\$2,000	7/1	1/1	1/1	(Get in Da House, \$71,052)	\$82,591	44	1	1.02	0.98
48	SULTRY SONG (88, Cox's Ridge)	\$1,000	14/5	0/0	0/0	(Highhopesdancer, \$24,380)	\$81,477	*803	23	1.21	1.32
49	ROYAL STRAND (IRE) (94, Royal Academy), Double Dam Farm	\$1,000	20/1	0/0	0/0	(Royal Madame, \$29,340)	\$81,276	71	2	1.23	0.75
50	SORCERER'S STONE (03, Gulch), Louisiana Stallion Station	\$1,000	13/2	0/0	0/0	(Miss Stone Express, \$38,904)	\$74,756	53	0	0.47	0.58
51	EASYFROMTHEGITGO (99, Dehere), Ryder River Ridge Farm	\$2,000	25/5	0/0	0/0	(Ladygoeasy, \$13,780)	\$74,444	121	2	0.73	1.00
52	PUCK (99, Mr. Greeley), Peach Lane Farms	\$1,000	12/5	0/0	0/0	(Viking Warrior, \$28,212)	\$73,439	43	0	0.43	0.54
53	SMOOTH JAZZ (99, Storm Boot)	N/A	19/3	0/0	0/0	(Whatsupnotmuch, \$11,031)	\$70,795	114	2	1.20	1.12
54	STARK RIDGE (92, Lyphard's Ridge), McDowell Farm	\$1,000	5/2	0/0	0/0	(Star Affirmed, \$39,400)	\$69,971	51	0	0.86	1.20
55	VALID BELFAST (95, Valid Appeal), Judice Farms	\$1,000	20/4	0/0	0/0	(Cajun Chu Chu, \$22,208)	\$69,621	184	0	0.59	0.56
56	JOE'S SON JOEY (98, Fast Play), Heritage Stud	\$500	3/2	1/1	1/1	(Redhotrush, \$53,678)	\$68,558	17	1	1.05	0.87
57	ZARBYEV (84, Nureyev), Chad & Pat White Farms	N/A	17/2	0/0	0/0	(Kimua's Lil Girl, \$15,052)	\$65,386	*307	15	1.12	0.89
58	ERLTON (96, Buckaroo), All Star Thoroughbreds	\$1,000	18/3	0/0	0/0	(Poof She's Gone, \$24,146)	\$64,599	118	0	0.68	1.00
59	PLANET EARTH (93, Conquistador Cielo), Peach Lane Farms	\$1,000	9/2	0/0	0/0	(I Love Pickles, \$27,108)	\$62,881	49	0	0.55	0.69

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1	STORM AND A HALF (97, Storm Cat), McDowell Farm	\$1,500	75/25	2/2	2/2	(Devil and a Half, \$69,400)	\$715,144	388	18	0.84	0.98
2	THE DADDY (02, Valid Expectations), Trophy Club Training Center	\$1,500	31/10	0/0	0/0	(Run Mommy Run, \$30,410)	\$209,420	*87	1	0.99	1.29
3	PRIMARY SUSPECT (01, Hennessy), McDowell Farm	\$1,000	13/2	1/1	1/1	(Primetime Dreamer, \$91,320)	\$140,452	55	2	0.69	1.20
4	PROUDEST ROMEO (90, Proud Truth)	Died, 2009	16/8	0/0	0/0	(Summer Robin, \$16,320)	\$124,584	181	7	0.97	1.14
5	HESABULL (93, Dispersal), Lake Hamilton Equine Associates	\$1,000	20/4	0/0	0/0	(Sunday Grace, \$31,664)	\$119,495	138	5	1.03	1.11
6	FATHER STEVE (99, Pulpit), Lake Hamilton Equine Associates	Died, 2012	33/6	0/0	0/0	(Brother Kris, \$17,731)	\$115,257	108	0	0.60	0.76
7	MIDWAY ROAD (00, Jade Hunter), Trophy Club Training Center	\$750	26/6	1/1	1/1	(Badness, \$32,580)	\$112,370	73	1	0.71	1.12
8	CINNAMON CREEK (95, Darn That Alarm), Three Boys Stables	\$1,500	10/2	0/0	0/0	(Lee Creek, \$34,240)	\$79,149	91	1	0.57	0.67
9	SOUTHERN FOREST (92, Seeking the Gold), Anderson Farms	\$1,000	11/3	0/0	0/0	(Spartan, \$15,410)	\$67,519	81	1	0.48	0.75
10	EXPLOSIVE TRUTH (99, Proudest Romeo), McDowell Farm	\$1,000	6/3	0/0	0/0	(Explosive Disco, \$37,875)	\$65,453	14	0	0.61	1.06

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New Thoroughbred Racing Association of Oklahoma Offers One Voice

The Thoroughbred Racing Association of Oklahoma, a long-time member of the Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association, has undergone some major changes in recent years.

The organization was formerly known as the Oklahoma Thoroughbred Association, which represented only the state's breeders. The OTA was dissolved in September 2011 in order to form the Thoroughbred Racing Association of Oklahoma, which provides representation for all horsemen—owners, trainers, and breeders.

"The main reason the OTA was dissolved was to have continuity and to have a single voice representing the Thoroughbred industry in Oklahoma," explained Justin Cassity, executive director of the TRA0.

"In the big picture it's going to be a fantastic thing," Cassity added. "We've received nothing but positive feedback from the legislators we deal with and from our track partners at Will Rogers, Remington Park, and Fair Meadows."

Oklahoma breeders' awards were also altered in 2010, which went into effect in the spring of 2011. The awards were previously based on a tiered structure, but now a straight 40% bonus is split 50/50 between Oklahoma-bred runners, in restricted and open company races, and the state's breeders' fund.

For example, if a horse is racing at Remington and the purse is \$10,000, then \$2,000 (20%) is paid to the runners of the race and \$2,000 is paid to the breeders' fund.

According to Cassity, between Remington Park and Will Rogers Downs in 2011, more than \$3 million was distributed to Oklahoma-breds from the Oklahoma-bred program.

"If you couple in the fact of the overnight purse money that went to the Oklahoma-bred, which was approximately \$11.3 million last year, that's a huge number," he explained.

Cassity said the TRA0 will start a campaign in May with open meetings on how Oklahoma-bred restricted money is distributed, generated, and spent.

"It's a continual education process," he said. "We're going to have PowerPoint presentations showing where our dollars come from and how (the breed program) is funded. Hopefully, it will help people understand how they get paid."

The state of Oklahoma currently requires two races during each day of the live race meet be restricted to Oklahoma-breds.

"That's created some excitement and happiness in the breeders' awards," said prominent Oklahoma breeder Dr. Warren Center. "The breeders' awards are really making up for the lack of the sales price that yearlings are commanding."

Center added there was currently a debate within the Oklahoma industry as to how the extra gaming funds should be distributed.

"It's a debate of do you make the purses better, pay the breeders better, and do you have restrictions on what is and is not an Oklahoma-bred? That is still evolving," Center said. "The money that's going to the breeders in Oklahoma is better than in a lot of other states that put more of the money into the purses."

"So the jury is out as to which one in the long run is to the betterment of the breeders and owners. We won't know for awhile how that settles out."

By Esther Marr



Dr. Warren Center

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with the recent opening of Bricktown Brewery.

Cassity and Von Hemel agreed that the relationship Remington has maintained with Global Gaming Solutions, a subsidiary of the Chickasaw Nation, has tremendously helped them turn things around.

"Our working relationship with them is fantastic," said Cassity.

Added Von Hemel: "Being a part of the (Native American) gaming within the state and being owned by those entities have been a good thing. The Chickasaws have come in and spent a lot of money on the front side of Remington Park, and it's an enjoyable place to go to the races."

"I think it's a matter of the Chickasaws wanting to be a good member of the state of Oklahoma. They want to help racing here, which helps a myriad of other businesses and helps propel the economy."

There's no doubt the facility's improvements have contributed to its considerable rise in attendance. In 2005 total attendance at the track was 211,000 compared to 2011, when attendance totals rose to 1,918,000.

Wells noted that group sales had increased by 40% from 2010 to 2011, and 2012 is already on pace to surpass two million visitors.

"Just the physical improvements have resulted in a tremendous upswing in group sales," Wells said. "We've always operated with the philosophy that group sales is one of the best ways to develop new fans, because you get people in there in a less intimidating environment and they have fun and intend to come back with smaller groups of family and friends and become long-term fans."

Remington's admission and parking are free. The track is an all-ages facility, but one must be 18 to enter the casino.

"There are 114 casinos in Oklahoma, and Remington Park and Will Rogers Downs are the only ones that have horse racing in addition to the casino games," said Wells.

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1	ORATORY (02, Pulpit), Eureka Thoroughbred Farm	\$3,500	41/15	0/0	0/0	(Miz Maggie Mae, \$48,830)	\$409,448	*129	0	1.32	1.18
2	EARLY FLYER (98, Gilded Time), Valor Farm	\$2,500	40/16	2/2	2/2	(Defiant Flyer, \$60,133)	\$359,421	180	9	0.95	0.91
3	TOO MUCH BLING (03, Rubiano), Lane's End Texas	\$4,000	21/7	1/1	1/1	(Color Code, \$65,500)	\$237,180	65	3	1.45	1.32
4	VALID EXPECTATIONS (93, Valid Appeal), Lane's End Texas	\$7,500	53/11	0/0	0/0	(Safe Range, \$26,380)	\$225,581	579	42	1.30	1.22
5	SCRIMSHAW (00, Gulch), Double S Thoroughbred Farm	\$1,500	27/8	0/0	0/0	(Nikaluk, \$22,200)	\$196,633	*147	2	1.06	0.94
6	PINE BLUFF (89, Danzig), Duncan 21 and Change Farm	N/A	17/7	0/0	0/0	(Almighty Adversary, \$38,090)	\$174,947	*578	35	1.53	1.64
7	CITY STREET (99, Carson City), Bullard Farms	\$1,500	19/8	0/0	0/0	(Como Se Llama, \$47,700)	\$165,884	123	3	0.58	0.88
8	LITTLE EXPECTATIONS (97, Valid Appeal), Asmussen Horse Center	\$1,500	24/8	0/0	0/0	(Hunterwood Point, \$26,834)	\$151,057	164	4	0.84	1.06
9	MY GOLDEN SONG (03, Unbridled's Song), Valor Farm	\$2,000	16/3	1/1	1/1	(Cowgirl N Up, \$54,800)	\$149,177	43	1	0.97	1.18
10	CAPTAIN COUNTDOWN (96, Relaunch), Double S Thoroughbred Farm	\$500	17/6	0/0	0/0	(Wampas Kitty, \$17,867)	\$100,028	156	1	0.58	0.68
11	WIMBLEDON (01, Wild Rush), Valor Farm	\$1,750	22/5	0/0	0/0	(Chicks a Flyin, \$27,524)	\$100,024	89	2	0.79	0.78
12	SUPREME CAT (00, Hennessy), Lane's End Texas	\$1,000	19/8	0/0	0/0	(Storm in Your Eyes, \$22,570)	\$97,891	66	2	1.18	0.91
13	SPECIAL RATE (00, Pulpit), Key Ranch	\$3,000	14/5	0/0	0/0	(Special Durbee, \$21,900)	\$93,192	88	0	0.61	0.53
14	SEEKING A HOME (98, Seeking the Gold)	N/A	13/5	0/0	0/0	(Statler, \$45,660)	\$81,697	111	3	0.85	0.79
15	INTIMIDATOR (01, Gone West), Asmussen Horse Center	\$1,500	16/5	0/0	0/0	(Simply Gone, \$23,110)	\$79,296	60	2	1.00	0.94
16	TRULUCK (95, Conquistador Cielo), Lane's End Texas	\$2,000	19/5	0/0	0/0	(Truvictoria, \$19,742)	\$78,339	171	3	0.74	0.73
17	UNCLE ABBIE (97, Kingmambo), Key Ranch	\$3,000	26/4	0/0	0/0	(Cavitate, \$15,620)	\$77,275	177	5	0.71	0.63
18	DAY OF THE CAT (01, Storm Cat), Bradford Thoroughbred Farm	\$1,500	10/5	0/0	0/0	(My Rikely, \$25,103)	\$74,894	56	0	0.57	0.82
19	GOT THE GOODS (01, Pulpit), R&R Farms	\$1,500	7/3	0/0	0/0	(Melissas Good Boy, \$17,470)	\$65,077	30	0	0.39	0.52
20	RARE BRICK (83, Rare Performer), Phoenix Pharms	\$2,000	13/3	0/0	0/0	(Black Market Brick, \$19,410)	\$53,896	486	30	0.96	1.00
21	TOUGH TONE (98, Pick Up the Phone), JEH Stallion Station-Texas Division	\$1,000	20/3	0/0	0/0	(Drunk Dial, \$13,365)	\$51,218	100	2	0.68	0.72
22	GOLD ALERT (83, Mr. Prospector), Gentry Farms	Died, 2011	10/3	0/0	0/0	(Donegal Gold, \$22,047)	\$49,043	423	18	1.20	1.18
23	AMERICAN CHAMP (94, Jolie's Halo), Ward Animal Hospital	\$500	3/2	0/0	0/0	(Deliverer, \$28,820)	\$48,156	80	3	0.55	0.50
24	SENECA JONES (90, Alydar), Asmussen Horse Center	Died	6/3	0/0	0/0	(Jonesicula, \$19,832)	\$45,312	220	11	0.96	0.87
25	ROO ART (82, Buckaroo)	Died, 2004	1/1	1/1	1/1	(Scrappy Roo, \$44,862)	\$44,862	263	10	0.78	0.90
26	LIL'S LAD (95, Pine Bluff), Key Ranch	\$2,000	16/1	0/0	0/0	(F P Reign's Lad, \$16,486)	\$42,194	*220	7	0.85	1.15

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1	TOP HIT (98, Twining), Triple AAA Ranch	N/A	15/9	2/2	1/2	(Uh Oh Bango, \$248,800)	\$363,769	53	7	1.21	0.90
2	MARGIE'S WILDCAT (01, Storm Cat), Fleming Thoroughbred Farm	N/A	29/9	0/0	0/0	(Party Boy, \$35,950)	\$211,339	74	0	0.66	1.03
3	DEPUTY WILD CAT (99, Deputy Minister), Fleming Thoroughbred Farm	\$2,000	21/6	0/0	0/0	(Red Over Blue, \$31,233)	\$137,862	110	2	1.00	1.10
4	MILLENNIUM WIND (98, Cryptoclearance), Little Kentucky	\$1,500	16/4	0/0	0/0	(Barely Nothing, \$65,000)	\$95,222	*239	3	0.57	1.28
5	HOLD FOR GOLD (95, Red Ransom), Fleming Thoroughbred Farm	N/A	7/4	0/0	0/0	(Great Investment, \$28,350)	\$69,379	135	4	1.13	1.17
6	GOLDEN GEAR (91, Gulch), Fleming Thoroughbred Farm	Died, 2009	21/1	0/0	0/0	(Circa'sgoldengear, \$19,600)	\$65,655	323	11	0.97	1.28
7	RED SKY'S (96, Skywalker), Fleming Thoroughbred Farm	\$1,500	17/8	0/0	0/0	(Maggieredvanentune, \$8,948)	\$65,029	103	1	0.34	0.49
8	BENTON CREEK (93, Septieme Ciel), Fleming Thoroughbred Farm	N/A	17/5	0/0	0/0	(Severed Ties, \$9,352)	\$49,566	295	19	0.57	0.58
9	BUCK STRIDER (93, Easy Goer), Sarival Farms	\$1,000	14/4	0/0	0/0	(Razor Buck, \$5,862)	\$33,540	161	3	0.34	0.34
10	ABSOLUTE HARMONY (96, Seeking the Gold), University of Arizona Horse Center	\$1,250	7/1	0/0	0/0	(Absolutely Cool, \$21,190)	\$29,344	16	0	0.36	0.57


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1	DESERT GOD (91, Fappiano), A & A Ranch	\$6,000	46/14	4/4	4/4	(Our Choice, \$135,000)	\$729,128	229	23	1.48	0.69
2	GHOSTLY MOVES (92, Silver Ghost), Callaway Farm	\$4,000	43/13	1/1	1/1	(Garretsghostlygirl, \$66,000)	\$420,956	214	22	1.18	1.06
3	QUINTON'S GOLD (97, Carson City), Doubletree Farm	\$3,500	15/6	1/2	1/1	(That's Who, \$132,000)	\$295,160	51	4	2.44	0.81
4	ROLL HENNESSY ROLL (00, Hennessy), A & A Ranch	\$2,500	25/8	2/2	2/2	(Kiss My Hennessy, \$62,644)	\$279,259	94	5	0.88	1.09
5	DOUBLE HONOR (95, Gone West), McCallum View Farm	\$3,500	42/13	0/0	0/0	(Dryden, \$78,350)	\$270,724	*547	18	1.11	1.20
6	GOLD CASE (94, Forty Niner), Mesa Vista Stud	\$5,000	45/6	0/0	0/0	(Rio de Dinero, \$42,800)	\$243,759	*545	21	1.11	1.12
7	ATTILA'S STORM (02, Forest Wildcat), A & A Ranch	N/A	15/6	1/1	1/1	(Dashkova, \$102,400)	\$241,609	44	1	1.18	0.72
8	PRECOCITY (94, Aferd), Mesa Vista Stud	\$4,000	24/10	0/0	0/0	(Admiral's Crown, \$26,430)	\$168,043	179	6	0.92	0.91
9	THATSUSINTHEOLBEAN (94, El Prado)	Died, 2006	13/6	0/0	0/0	(Max Bean, \$53,620)	\$156,363	60	4	1.08	0.74
10	DEVON LANE (93, Storm Cat), TNL Farm	\$2,500	36/5	0/0	0/0	(S P K Lanes Heart, \$26,000)	\$149,010	399	18	0.82	0.82
11	HALORY HUNTER (95, Jade Hunter)	Died, 2007	17/4	0/0	0/0	(Hunting Dixie, \$49,643)	\$137,118	187	7	0.77	0.85
12	STORM OF GOSHEN (01, Storm Cat), Bar Y Equine	\$1,500	10/4	0/0	0/0	(Naughty Storm, \$41,001)	\$131,421	47	0	0.73	0.93
13	AENEAS (99, Capote), Cedar Creek Ranch	N/A	22/4	0/0	0/0	(Sparkling Girl, \$44,345)	\$120,622	67	0	0.32	0.86
14	PROUD IRISH (86, Irish River), Tricar Stables	\$4,000	24/6	0/0	0/0	(Manes, \$35,356)	\$114,826	278	10	0.93	0.83
15	IRISH ROAD (00, Unbridled's Song), Cedar Creek Ranch	N/A	10/2	0/0	0/0	(It's Time to Laugh, \$50,236)	\$107,654	46	0	0.57	1.06
16	DOVE (98, Storm Cat), Double LL Farm	\$2,000	18/5	0/0	0/0	(Gossip Dome, \$30,870)	\$107,643	183	5	0.79	0.78
17	LE GRANDE DANSEUR (98, Citidancer), Doubletree Farm	\$1,500	13/5	0/0	0/0	(Le Grande's Spirit, \$51,625)	\$106,113	76	3	0.84	0.89
18	YOUR EMINENCE (01, Saint Ballado), Weatherly Horse Farms	\$2,500	25/5	0/0	0/0	(Fast a Nuff, \$25,575)	\$104,843	121	3	0.78	0.79
19	DOMINIQUE'S CAT (97, Storm Cat), McKenna Thoroughbreds	N/A	15/5	0/0	0/0	(Doms Flash, \$28,680)	\$104,308	82	3	0.87	0.64
20	SUAVE PROSPECT (92, Fortunate Prospect), Doubletree Farm	\$2,500	25/3	0/0	0/0	(Impadoodle, \$34,270)	\$95,144	382	17	1.13	1.04

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1	ASPEN PROSPECTOR (96, Septieme Ciel)	N/A	1/1	0/0	0/0	(Aspen Breeze, \$14,581)	\$14,581	8	0	0.27	0.99
2	OLIVER'S TWIST (92, Horatius), Menoken Farms	\$1,000	4/1	0/0	0/0	(Western Twist, \$12,182)	\$13,732	235	12	0.57	0.78
3	MAJORBIGTIMESHEET (95, Carson City), Wafer Thoroughbred Ranch	Died, 2009	4/0	0/0	0/0	(Major Billy, \$7,050)	\$11,803	50	3	0.57	0.56
4	TAP N SNAP (97, Pleasant Tap), Fred Gibson	N/A	1/1	0/0	0/0	(Red Tapper, \$9,540)	\$9,540	49	0	0.29	0.52
5	PROSPECTORS GAMBLE (85, Crafty Prospector)	Died, 2003	1/1	0/0	0/0	(Delta Charlie, \$5,196)	\$5,196	461	16	1.28	1.21

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1	FISTFITE (98, Two Punch)	Died, 2009	15/3	0/0	0/0	(Ridge Road, \$20,918)	\$75,232	70	5	0.97	0.79
2	GRAND ON DAVE (95, Meadowlake), Chikaskia River Racing	N/A	4/1	0/0	0/0	(Man Chester Man, \$14,750)	\$24,247	25	2	0.63	0.63
3	SMOKIN' JOHN (99, Smoke Glacken), Ellis Pugh	\$750	2/1	0/0	0/0	(Smokin Ali, \$14,680)	\$15,780	13	0	0.44	0.52
4	ADMIRAL INDY (94, A.P. Indy), Rutland Ranch	\$1,500	4/2	0/0	0/0	(Indy Fatigable, \$7,094)	\$10,877	68	2	0.18	0.57
5	POLLY'S COMET (97, Jolie's Halo)	N/A	2/1	0/0	0/0	(Battle Hill, \$5,640)	\$7,564	31	0	0.18	0.13

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