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Rank	Stallion (Foreign foaled), (YOB,Sire), Where Stands	2019 Stud Fee	Rnrs/ Wnrs	SWnrs/ Wns	SW/ BT SW	(Chief Earner, Earnings)	2019 Earnings	Foals	Stks Wnrs	A-E Index	Comp Index
1	SUCCESSFUL APPEAL (96, Valid Appeal), Noble Equine Vet Services	Pnsd	52/13	0/0	0/0	(Roiland, \$42,000)	\$444,572	*798	54	1.67	1.44
2	LIAISON (09, Indian Charlie), Mighty Acres	\$2,500	58/13	0/0	0/0	(Tensas Talk, \$36,680)	\$284,239	210	3	0.87	1.21
3	WILBURN (08, Bernardini), River Oaks Farms	\$2,500	72/15	0/0	0/0	(Stars Wilburn, \$25,860)	\$250,415	*310	7	0.80	1.09
4	CALEB'S POSSE (08, Posse), River Oaks Farms	\$2,000	28/10	0/0	0/0	(Caleb Can Dab, \$30,110)	\$215,473	*103	2	1.10	1.19
5	POLLARD'S VISION (01, Carson City), Mighty Acres	\$2,500	25/7	0/0	0/0	(Eye Luv Lulu, \$56,213)	\$158,937	*754	20	1.18	1.17
6	AMERICAN LION (07, Tiznow)	N/A	25/8	0/0	0/0	(Maria Rose, \$20,750)	\$139,424	*188	1	0.73	1.04
7	EUROEARS (04, Langfuhr), Dunn Ranch	\$1,500	16/3	0/0	0/0	(Three Chords, \$51,650)	\$136,192	136	4	0.87	0.92
8	MAGNA GRADUATE (02, Honor Grades), Brewster Ranch	\$2,500	27/3	0/0	0/0	(Magna Man, \$44,720)	\$123,047	*233	7	0.95	1.00
9	CACTUS RIDGE (01, Hennessy)	Pnsd	18/4	0/0	0/0	(Gordy Florida, \$18,800)	\$85,121	*457	23	1.23	1.02
10	LATENT HEAT (03, Maria's Mon), River Oaks Farms	\$2,000	17/5	0/0	0/0	(Latent Revenge, \$35,100)	\$70,711	*349	7	0.87	1.08
11	DIXIE CHATTER (05, Dixie Union), Silver Star Breeding Center	Private	15/5	0/0	0/0	(Yo Y Me, \$12,208)	\$70,692	211	3	0.58	0.96
12	MR. NIGHTLINGER (04, Indian Charlie)	Died	21/3	0/0	0/0	(Lakota Princess, \$15,900)	\$65,109	185	4	0.61	0.86
13	KIPLING (96, Gulch)	Pnsd	21/1	0/0	0/0	(Dubdubwatson, \$31,620)	\$54,943	361	9	0.97	0.88
14	CALIMONCO (06, Storm Cat), Silver Star Breeding Center	\$1,500	11/5	0/0	0/0	(My Ebony Star, \$15,240)	\$53,524	66	0	0.46	1.00
15	SPECIAL RATE (00, Pulpit), River Oaks Farm	\$2,000	14/0	0/0	0/0	(No Deal, \$31,500)	\$43,483	185	4	0.58	0.64
16	ORATORY (02, Pulpit)	Died, 2016	17/1	0/0	0/0	(Shes Our Fastest, \$10,060)	\$30,015	*224	6	1.11	1.14
17	MAIMONIDES (05, Vindication), Silver Star Breeding Center	\$1,500	7/2	0/0	0/0	(Enchanted Rambam, \$9,600)	\$27,325	*106	1	0.74	1.90
18	DA STOOPS (03, Distorted Humor), Rockin BB Ranch	\$1,000	6/2	0/0	0/0	(Blind Ruckus, \$11,600)	\$25,501	*89	1	1.02	1.05
19	MISTER LUCKY CAT (08, Storm Cat)	N/A	1/1	0/0	0/0	(Contraband, \$22,800)	\$22,800	9	1	0.77	1.50
20	BEGGARTHYNEIGHBOR (09, Half Ours)	N/A	1/1	0/0	0/0	(Half Ours to Keep, \$22,420)	\$22,420	17	0	2.84	0.33

LUCK AND FATE have always played major roles in horse racing, and one of the best examples of that is Randy Patterson and his daughter, Sara. The father scored big with \$40,000 claimer-turned-grade 1 winner Moonshine Mullin, which he freely chalks up to luck, and for Sara, a fateful day in 2015 put her into a dream position, managing Cedar Run Farm just outside Hot Springs, Ark.

To be clear, the Pattersons both have a lifetime of experience with and a passion for horses that have fueled their success. For Randy, that experience started as an infant at Anthony Downs, a historic and now-defunct oval in his Kansas hometown of Anthony.

"I was 4 days old the first time I went to Anthony Downs," said Randy, whose parents were racing fans but never owned racehorses. "There was no parimutuel (at the time), so you just bet with your neighbor or whoever was next to you. We went every year until they closed in 2009."



Grade 1 winner and Cedar Run stallion Moonshine Mullin tears through his paddock

Randy, who still lives in Anthony and has a cattle business, got into the game in the mid-1980s when he partnered with a few others on a claimer at Ak-Sar-Ben in Nebraska. Among his previous trainers was W.R. "Charlie" Morse, which led Pat-

terson to put horses in the barn of Morse's son Randy.

In November 2013 the two Randys haltered Moonshine Mullin for \$40,000 at Remington Park. The 5-year-old son of Albert the Great had plenty of back class—

Special Note For Sire Lists:

For stallions that stand, will stand, or stood (deceased) in the states featured in this section (stallions that are dead or exported prior to 2015 are excluded), and have runners in North America. Listed below are all available statistics for the Northern Hemisphere through March 10, 2019. As supplied to BloodHorse by The Jockey Club Information Systems Inc., lists include adjusted money from Japan, Hong Kong, and Singapore. Adjusted earnings are put on par with average North American purse in 2018 is \$23,755 or 50% of the 2018 average purse in Japan. To put earnings on par, all Japanese progeny earnings are multiplied by 50% before being credited to a sire's progeny earnings. Hong Kong earnings are adjusted by 15%; Singapore by 66%. Current year stakes winners include all Northern Hemisphere black-type stakes results from all available countries. *Foal counts include Southern Hemisphere. Cumulative stakes winners include all countries.

*AVERAGE-EARNINGS INDEX and COMPARABLE INDEX: Lifetime AVERAGE-EARNINGS INDEX indicates how much purse money the progeny of one sire has earned 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; 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 AVERAGE-EARNINGS INDEX higher than their mares' COMPARABLE INDEX.

two years earlier he had run second to Stay Thirsty in the Jim Dandy Stakes (G2) and a respectable sixth behind that same horse in the Travers Stakes (G1). At the time of the claim, Moonshine Mullin was a solid allowance/high-end claimer, but he really found his stride again in 2014 with five consecutive wins, the last two coming at Churchill Downs in the Alysheba Stakes (G2) and Stephen Foster Handicap (G1) in an upset over Will Take Charge.

Moonshine Mullin's Foster effort earned him a "Win and You're In" berth in the Breeders' Cup Classic (G1), but an injury prevented him from making that race and he was retired the following spring after re-entering training for a time. All told, he earned \$1,014,361 with nine wins from 32 starts. More than \$637,000 of that bankroll was for Patterson and Morse.

"We got lucky," said Patterson, who currently has about 12 horses on the track.
"Randy did it all; he picked him out, and he trained him."

That wasn't the first time Patterson and Morse found success with a high-priced claimer. In 2010 at Oaklawn, they dropped a claim on Kate's Main Man for \$35,000. The Iowa-bred gelding by Stephen Got Even went on to earn more than \$380,000 for Patterson with two stakes wins at Prairie Meadows and a victory in the \$100,000 Essex Handicap at Oaklawn in 2011.

Patterson said he had offers to sell Moonshine Mullin, both prior to his injury leading up to the Breeders' Cup and afterward as a stallion prospect. In the end, he decided to hang on to the horse and stand him himself.

The question of where to stand him was easily solved as Patterson had recently purchased a farm in Pearcy, Ark., with Sara running the operation.

A FORTUITOUS DAY

Around the end of 2013, Sara was at a crossroads in her career. She was working as a heavy equipment operator for a waste management company in Kansas, but her employment there came with one caveat.

"I told them, 'I've got to be honest and that if my dad ever decides to buy a horse farm, I'm out of here,' "she said.

When the boss takes you for an unan-

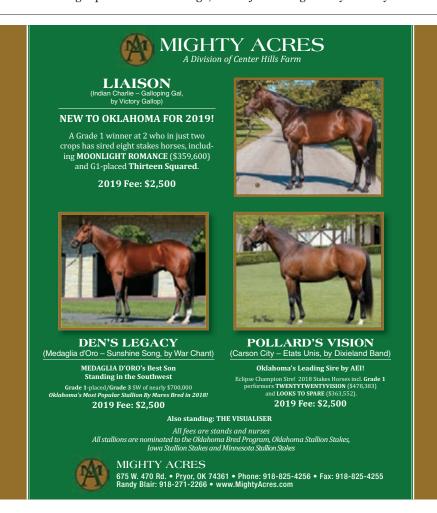


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nounced visit to the corporate office, it generally means you're either getting fired or a promotion. It turned out to be the latter for Sara, as she was given a surprise interview for a site manager position in San Diego,

Calif. After discussing the specifics of the potential new job, she talked to her dad.

"We broke for lunch, and I had missed a call from him," she recalled. "He said, 'I was just calling to tell you that you need to



2019 LEADING SIRES IN LOUISIANA



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Rank	Challian (Fourier fooled) (VOR Circ) Whore Chards	2019	Rnrs/	SWnrs/	SW/	(Objet Ferner Fernings)	2019	Faala			Comp
	Stallion (Foreign foaled), (YOB,Sire), Where Stands	Stud Fee	Wnrs	Wns	BT SW	(Chief Earner, Earnings)	Earnings				Index
1	GEMOLOGIST (09, Tiznow), Acadiana Equine@Copper Crowne	\$4,500	95/22	0/0	0/0	(Hidden Ruler, \$66,600)	\$701,198	*466		1.07	1.34
2	DAAHER (04, Awesome Again), Circle H Farms	\$3,000	33/6	1/2	0/1	(Haikal, \$247,500)	\$527,596	146		1.34	1.23
3	STAR GUITAR (05, Quiet American), Clear Creek Stud	\$7,500	49/12	1/1	1/1	(Testing One Two, \$100,600)	\$519,597	117		1.21	1.10
4	CUSTOM FOR CARLOS (06, More Than Ready), Clear Creek Stud	\$3,500	67/14	0/0	0/0	(Monte Man, \$49,400)	\$464,936	216		0.90	1.02
5	ASTROLOGY (08, A.P. Indy), Acadiana Equine@Copper Crowne	\$4,000	67/16	0/0	0/0	(Leah's Dream, \$51,365)	\$444,780	*242		0.91	1.24
6	HALF OURS (03, Unbridled's Song), Clear Creek Stud	\$5,000	63/10	1/1	1/1	(Ours to Run, \$60,000)	\$355,325	*457		0.98	1.14
7	GREELEY'S GALAXY (02, Mr. Greeley)	Died, 2017	36/8	0/0	0/0	(Galaxy Thirtysix, \$36,000)	\$259,540	189		1.00	1.00
8	D'WILDCAT (98, Forest Wildcat), Whispering Oaks Farm	\$2,500	48/9	0/0	0/0	(D'wildcat Indian, \$37,800)	\$258,823	*490		1.26	1.21
9	MY PAL CHARLIE (05, Indian Charlie), Elite Thoroughbreds	\$2,500	43/8	0/0	0/0	(Lovely Charlie, \$51,000)	\$243,914	181		0.70	1.03
10	FLASHPOINT (08, Pomeroy), Le Mesa Stallions	\$1,500	29/9	0/0	0/0	(Flashy Brew, \$55,380)	\$234,061	81		0.56	0.79
11	RUN PRODUCTION (00, Saint Ballado), Whispering Oaks Farm	\$1,500	34/7	1/1	1/1	(Wonder Run, \$88,200)	\$219,430	241		0.98	0.92
12	LINE OF DAVID (07, Lion Heart)	Died, 2017	42/10	0/0	0/0	(Celesse, \$72,970)	\$213,753	*287		0.88	1.09
13	REDDING COLLIERY (06, Mineshaft), Red River Farms	Died, 2018	33/8	0/0	0/0	(Nippy Red, \$38,990)	\$213,124	88		0.71	1.33
14	LION TAMER (00, Will's Way)	Pnsd	22/6	0/0	0/0	(Win Lion Win, \$37,600)	\$211,741	149		0.74	1.02
15	CLOSING ARGUMENT (02, Successful Appeal), Whispering Oaks Fa	. ,	34/8	0/0	0/0	(Final Argument, \$29,400)	\$185,765	*488		1.18	1.13
16	COUNTRY DAY (06, Speightstown), Peach Lane Farms	\$2,000	18/5	1/1	0/1	(Break Even, \$48,600)	\$169,754	112			1.01
17	BIND (08, Pulpit), Red River Farms	\$1,500	29/7	0/0	0/0	(Boston Bind, \$28,260)	\$165,268	71	1	0.67	0.99
18	GUILT TRIP (09, Pulpit), Red River Farms	\$2,500	16/4	1/1	1/1	(Goodprofit, \$65,390)	\$164,864	54		0.75	1.27
19	FOREFATHERS (04, Gone West)	N/A	30/3	0/0	0/0	(Whatelse Igot Todo, \$29,060)	\$162,854	188		0.57	1.04
20	INTERACTIF (07, Broken Vow), Red River Farms	\$2,000	19/8	0/0	0/0	(Debriyn, \$20,850)	\$156,610	84		0.72	1.04
21	MASS MEDIA (01, Touch Gold)	N/A	33/5	0/0	0/0	(Karslyn, \$19,440)	\$141,611	*237		1.01	1.02
22	(, ,,	\$3,500	25/7	0/0	0/0	(Ryoan, \$29,200)	\$139,683	*304		1.11	1.43
23	TIZ THE ONE (07, Tiznow)	N/A	27/4	0/0	0/0	(Typhoon Tycoon, \$25,500)	\$133,760	84	1	0.61	0.93
24	SAINT AFLEET (01, Northern Afleet), Landlock Equine	\$1,500	17/3	0/0	0/0	(Bending Saint, \$35,600)	\$127,800	107		0.65	0.86
25	CALIBRACHOA (07, Southern Image), Red River Farms	\$2,000	21/4	0/0	0/0	(Smart Prospector, \$29,100)	\$117,209	43		0.62	1.32
26	TIME BANDIT (96, Time for a Change), Averett Farm	\$1,000	12/3	0/0	0/0	(Wild Bert, \$46,320)	\$112,110	296		0.85	0.88
27	LEWIS MICHAEL (03, Rahy), Circle H Farms	\$2,500	17/3	0/0	0/0	(Moonlight Michelle, \$32,190)	\$102,337	139		0.77	1.08
28	TENPINS (98, Smart Strike), Elite Thoroughbreds	\$2,500	21/2	0/0	0/0	(Queeten, \$29,940)	\$101,228	*386		0.85	1.01
29	YANKEE GENTLEMAN (99, Storm Cat)	N/A	28/5	0/0	0/0	(Snapper Bite, \$14,480)	\$93,501	*539		1.04	1.16
30	RULER'S COURT (01, Doneraile Court), Holly Hill Farm	\$1,000 \$1,500	14/3 6/4	0/0 0/0	0/0	(Mr. Graceful, \$24,140)	\$80,340 \$79,530	137 20	0	0.59	0.71 1.12
31	CAMEO APPEARANCE (10, Majestic Warrior), Red River Farms				0/0	(Sweet Amelia, \$27,000)	. ,				
32	GOLD TRIBUTE (94, Mr. Prospector), Red River Farms	\$2,000 Pnsd	11/3	0/0 0/0	0/0	(My Sister Annette, \$33,750)	\$78,955	*498	14	0.95	1.05 1.04
	IDE (93, Forty Niner)	N/A	14/4		0/0	(Big Cane, \$33,400)	\$77,030	590			
34	SILENT PLEASURE (03, Real Quiet)		7/2	0/0		(Toomuch, \$39,160)	\$75,280	42		0.42	0.53
35	HONEST MAN (04, Unbridled's Song)	N/A \$2,000	13/3	0/0	0/0	(Gg's Gracefulgabby, \$23,090)	\$73,200	68		0.40	1.21
36	DUE DATE (05, El Prado), Peach Lane Farms		21/0	0/0	0/0	(Gladyousawme, \$16,180)	\$68,431	90	1	0.56	0.78 0.82
37	GRAND APPOINTMENT (98, Unbridled)	Died, 2015 \$2,000	7/2 8/2	0/0	0/0 0/0	(Grand Little Man, \$17,300)	\$67,490	85		0.83	
38	APRIORITY (07, Grand Slam), Elite Thoroughbreds LONE STAR SPECIAL (05, Malabar Gold), Horse of Course	\$2,000	6/3	0/0 0/0		(Snowball, \$32,200)	\$64,500	44	1	0.70	0.78 1.07
39 40	PROUDINSKY (GER) (03, Silvano), All Star Thoroughbreds	\$2,500	17/2	0/0	0/0 0/0	(Crocodile Jacques, \$30,720) (King Cookie, \$21,150)	\$60,690 \$58,268	73 54	0	0.49	0.78
		\$2,000	6/1	0/0	0/0		\$50,200	23		0.49	1.23
41	SUM OF THE PARTS (09, Speightstown), Red River Farms	\$2,000 N/A	16/2	0/0	0/0	(Charlies Ticket, \$25,410) (Jill's Smooth Air, \$17,160)	\$50,750	69		0.25	0.71
42	SMOOTH AIR (05, Smooth Jazz) TETON FOREST (01, Forestry)	Died, 2017	6/1	0/0	0/0	(Risky Steps, \$26,670)	\$44.672	*238		0.51	0.71
43	REAL SOLUTION (09, Kitten's Joy), Blue Star Racing	\$5.000	8/0	0/0	0/0	(Sister Peacock, \$22,320)	\$44,454	49		0.78	1.20
	CHOOSING CHOICE (93, Unreal Zeal)	\$5,000 N/A	4/2	0/0	0/0	(Sister Peacock, \$22,320) (Choose No More, \$27,270)	\$44,454	153		0.70	0.53
45	UNUUSING UNUICE (95, UIII eai Zeai)	IV/A	4/2	0/0	0/0	(CHOOSE IND INIDIE, \$21,210)	\$40,000	103	U	0.00	0.00

start thinking of a name for our farm in Arkansas.'

"Of all days, it happened on the same day they offered me a new job. I couldn't even concentrate after that, so I told them I needed to think about the job offer. I ended up quitting a couple of weeks later and moved to Hot Springs."

The father-daughter team decided on Cedar Run Farm for the name as the property is surrounded by cedar-lined mountains. Although Sara knew her father had been looking for a farm, she had no idea he was close to sealing the deal.

"I had gone by the place once with him, but the gates were closed so I didn't really get to look at it," she said. "He was kind of secretive about it."

After going through the gates for the first time, Sara realized she had some serious work to do.

"There were a few horses here, but it was a little rundown," she said. "We pulled up to the barn, and he threw the door open and it was packed full of stuff. He said, 'Wrap your arms around it; you're getting

busy.' It was an overwhelming feeling, but day by day we've pretty much renovated the entire place."

BUILDING A DREAM AS A FAMILY

Even though Sara grew up around horses and had some experience with Thoroughbreds in Kansas, taking the reins of a full-scale farm was a significant undertaking, especially considering nearly everything on the property needed to be replaced or renovated. Even so, she couldn't be happier (continued on page 60)

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AT 4 WON G3 Belmont Sprint Championship Stakes at Belmont; 3rd G1 Carter Handicap at Aqueduct, G2 Churchill Downs Stakes at Churchill Downs.

AT 5 2nd G3 Belmont Sprint Championship Stakes at Belmont, Diablo Stakes at Belmont; 3rd Thanksgiving Handicap at Fair Grounds; WON Allowance at Saratoga

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				ВТ	Rstrct			Cumulative			
Rank	Stallion (Foreign foaled), (YOB,Sire), Where Stands	2019 Stud Fee	Rnrs/ Wnrs	SWnrs/ Wns	SW/ BT SW	(Chief Earner, Earnings)	2019 Earnings	Foals	Stks Wnrs	A-E Index	Comp Index
1	MY GOLDEN SONG (03, Unbridled's Song), Valor Farm	\$5,000	32/6	2/2	2/2	(Cowgirls Like Us, \$42,000)	\$223,959	172	14	0.96	1.04
2	TOO MUCH BLING (03, Rubiano), Valor Farm	\$6,500	40/13	0/0	0/0	(Flying Bling, \$36,400)	\$212,086	263	27	1.09	1.05
3	BEHINDATTHEBAR (05, Forest Wildcat), John Tally Racing Stable	\$1,500	10/4	0/0	0/0	(River Bobcat, \$14,140)	\$65,830	104	0	0.53	0.80
4	MORO TAP (10, Tapit), Double Infinity Ranch	\$3,500	9/2	0/0	0/0	(Moro Texas, \$25,200)	\$63,922	48	0	0.52	0.93
5	UNCLE ABBIE (97, Kingmambo), Key Ranch	\$2,000	7/4	0/0	0/0	(Whipum Naenae, \$16,710)	\$52,020	256	7	0.65	0.63
6	GRASSHOPPER (04, Dixie Union), Valor Farm	\$3,500	18/2	0/0	0/0	(Crickadee, \$20,460)	\$51,779	127	3	0.76	0.91
7	DON GATO (06, Storm Cat)	N/A	5/4	0/0	0/0	(Gateau St Honore, \$17,820)	\$45,556	22	0	0.45	0.95
8	LITTLEEXPECTATIONS (97, Valid Appeal), Asmussen Horse Center	\$1,500	11/4	0/0	0/0	(King Cloudy, \$13,620)	\$45,383	218	5	0.74	0.97
9	UNBRIDLED'S HEART (05, Unbridled's Song)	Died, 2015	7/2	0/0	0/0	(Corluna, \$22,560)	\$39,288	30	0	0.49	0.53
10	CONGAREE (98, Arazi), Valor Farm	\$3,000	10/2	0/0	0/0	(Runningwscissors, \$22,000)	\$37,543	*399	13	1.21	1.38
11	STREET MOVE (06, Street Cry)	N/A	4/3	0/0	0/0	(Kingsville, \$14,468)	\$37,441	11	0	0.79	1.34
12	GAFF (02, Maria's Mon)	N/A	7/1	0/0	0/0	(Thisaintnoalleycat, \$12,100)	\$33,351	96	0	0.59	0.99
13	REVOLVING (09, A.P. Indy), Double S Thoroughbreds	\$1,000	14/2	0/0	0/0	(High Flying Guy, \$16,400)	\$31,345	41	0	0.68	1.43
14	LUNARPAL (02, Successful Appeal)	N/A	8/0	0/0	0/0	(Lunar Heat, \$9,390)	\$30,205	116	2	0.81	0.92
15	EARLY FLYER (98, Gilded Time), Valor Farm	\$2,500	15/1	0/0	0/0	(Silis, \$11,220)	\$20,079	304	16	0.74	0.91
16	SPELLBINDER (01, Tale of the Cat), Ivy Rose Equestrian Center	\$1,200	6/1	0/0	0/0	(Victory Spell, \$9,163)	\$19,759	37	1	0.96	1.14
17	JOE'S SON JOEY (98, Fast Play), Averett Farm	\$1,000	3/1	0/0	0/0	(Release the Beast, \$11,250)	\$19,230	31	0	0.98	0.96
18	INTIMIDATOR (01, Gone West), Asmussen Horse Center	\$1,500	12/0	0/0	0/0	(Mighty Intimidator, \$7,585)	\$17,585	210	6	0.55	0.74
19	CROSSBOW (08, Bernardini), Valor Farm	\$2,000	4/2	0/0	0/0	(Song and a G, \$10,650)	\$16,679	35	1	0.51	1.06
20	WIMBLEDON (01, Wild Rush), Key Ranch	\$2,000	7/1	0/0	0/0	(South Wimbledon, \$6,096)	\$15,231	137	4	0.72	0.75
21	HABAYEB (00, Storm Cat), Fairytail Farms	\$1,500	1/1	0/0	0/0	(Perfectly Precious, \$14,560)	\$14,560	52	4	0.52	0.69
22	SCRIMSHAW (00, Gulch)	N/A	3/1	0/0	0/0	(Lots of Moxie, \$11,880)	\$13,186	*199	3	0.96	0.89
23	STONESIDER (03, Giant's Causeway), Valor Farm	\$2,000	5/0	0/0	0/0	(Toohottoevenspeak, \$5,912)	\$12,409	*210	4	1.03	1.17
24	JET PHONE (01, Phone Trick)	Died, 2016	4/1	0/0	0/0	(Kyra, \$11,700)	\$12,397	44	3	0.88	1.03
25	MATTHEWSBURG (08, Ghostzapper), Swiftrun Thoroughbreds	\$2,500	2/1	0/0	0/0	(Soul Seekin, \$12,200)	\$12,200	8	0	0.16	0.52

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with the long hours required for the job she said she's always wanted to have.

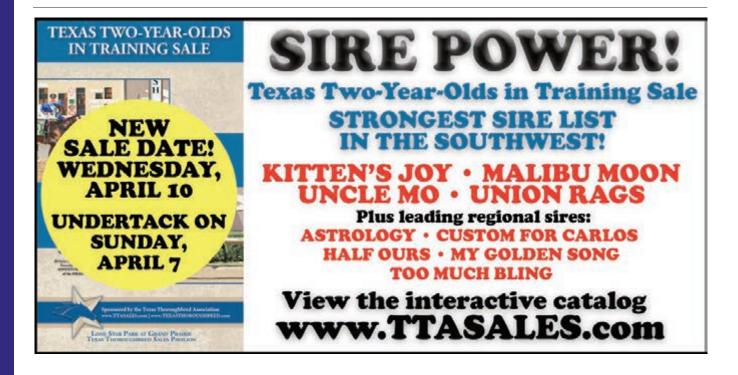
"My family has been into rodeos and roping, so I've been around horses my whole life," she said. "As a kid, I remember being able to sit on the fence and watch them saddle the horses at Anthony Downs, and I thought it was so was cool that my dad had horses. I loved it from the moment I can remember."

She has put that passion to work at Cedar Run since moving there in December 2013.

"I pretty much walked in with a tool box and went around and started at one thing and went on to the next," Sara said. "My first year we had three or four horses on the farm, and then we were down to two after the Oaklawn meet ended. I thought, 'How am I going to keep the lights on with two horses?' I was still trying to figure out the business and was a bit overwhelmed, but today we have about 65 horses."

The current equine population is a mix of broodmares and foals along with some yearlings, 2-year-olds, and lay-ups, mostly from Oaklawn. The Pattersons own about 25 of the horses.

Sara said the farm is about full at this point, although she's still working on a re-



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Rank	Stallion (Foreign foaled), (YOB,Sire), Where Stands	2019 Stud Fee	Rnrs/ Wnrs	SWnrs/ Wns	SW/ BT SW	(Chief Earner, Earnings)	2019 Earnings	Foals	Stks Wnrs	A-E Index	Comp Index
1	DOUBLE IRISH (11, Tapit), McDowell Farm	\$1,000	7/3	0/0	0/0	(Tapit Star, \$66,516)	\$178,566	27	0	0.93	0.94
2	PORTOBELLO ROAD (04, Storm Cat)	Died	19/4	0/0	0/0	(Souixper Charger, \$50,820)	\$113,928	150	1	0.73	0.89
3	PROM SHOES (04, Include), Anderson Farms	\$1,000	3/2	0/0	0/0	(Bebop Shoes, \$58,100)	\$112,243	14	0	0.52	0.52
4	JONESBORO (02, Sefapiano), Lake Hamilton Equine Center	\$500	15/3	0/0	0/0	(Hoonani Road, \$51,600)	\$109,707	84	2	0.74	0.77
5	HAMAZING DESTINY (06, Salt Lake), Starfish Stallions	\$1,500	12/1	0/0	0/0	(Destinedtobeastar, \$19,450)	\$69,123	37	0	0.43	0.87
6	COMMANDER'S SHOES (03, Deputy Commander), Rafter R Ranch	\$1,500	5/1	0/0	0/0	(Guska Mon Shoes, \$63,600)	\$69,087	84	0	0.62	0.80
7	LAURIE'S ROCKET (09, Bluegrass Cat), McDowell Farm	\$1,000	4/1	0/0	0/0	(Rusty Cage, \$58,200)	\$68,878	22	0	2.18	1.23
8	BRAHMS (97, Danzig), Trophy Club Training Center	\$1,000	18/2	0/0	0/0	(Just for Casey, \$17,083)	\$61,639	*687	13	1.05	1.12
9	ZARBYEV (84, Nureyev)	Died, 2017	12/2	0/0	0/0	(Zarb's Gift, \$27,660)	\$54,290	*376	13	1.03	0.82
10	HIGHTAIL (10, Mineshaft), Trophy Club Training Center	\$2,500	5/1	0/0	0/0	(Mongolian Groom, \$35,340)	\$53,709	18	1	3.12	0.94
11	ORDAINED (08, Pulpit), Starfish Stallions	\$1,500	10/1	0/0	0/0	(Ordained Kiss, \$17,023)	\$34,852	48	1	0.59	0.84
12	STORM AND A HALF (97, Storm Cat)	N/A	13/1	0/0	0/0	(Ms. D's Last Storm, \$9,695)	\$31,449	455	20	0.76	0.93
13	CINNAMON CREEK (95, Darn That Alarm)	Died, 2018	6/0	0/0	0/0	(Bogey, \$18,120)	\$27,434	120	0	0.59	0.68
14	CYBER SECRET (09, Broken Vow), Starfish Stallions	\$1,500	3/1	0/0	0/0	(Elissas Secret, \$23,600)	\$25,160	21	0	0.35	0.86
15	SPOTSGONE (03, Bright Launch)	N/A	8/0	0/0	0/0	(Spotitude, \$9,020)	\$18,792	32	0	0.33	0.76

cent expansion that brought the total acreage to around 200 after starting at just 40. She oversees a full-time staff of six that includes her mother—Randy's ex-wife, Tyra.

"I've got a great crew of people, and she's my right-hand man," Sara said. "They have been divorced since I was 1, but this farm has brought us all together. It's been kind of a whole family-type deal, which I never would have dreamed in my wildest dreams. I had never really seen them together."

While Randy is happy that he was able to make his daughter's horse farm dream a reality, he expects—and receives—a dedicated effort from her to make it successful.

"One of the first things my dad told me is that everything has to be perfect and clean and in order," Sara said. "He told me, 'I know you have your hands full and have a heck of a job to do, but I want this place to look like it belongs in Kentucky,' so that's been my drive since we bought it."



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- 3rd in the Count Fleet Sprint H. (G3)



2019 LEADING SIRES IN ARIZONA



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Rank	Stallion (Foreign foaled), (YOB,Sire), Where Stands	2019 Stud Fee	Rnrs/ Wnrs	SWnrs/ Wns	SW/ BT SW	(Chief Earner, Earnings)	2019 Earnings	Foals	Stks Wnrs		Comp Index	
1	ROCKY BAR (98, In Excess), Triple AAA Ranch	Private	17/9	0/0	0/0	(Lil Milo, \$69,360)	\$151,927	184	9	0.80	0.78	
2	TOP HIT (98, Twining), Triple AAA Ranch	Private	23/7	0/0	0/0	(Raging Lady, \$8,079)	\$64,575	119	5	0.80	0.84	
3	MARGIE'S WILDCAT (01, Storm Cat), Fleming Thoroughbred Farm	Private	13/3	0/0	0/0	(Karsavina, \$25,200)	\$55,888	142	1	0.63	0.80	
4	EZ DREAMER (05, In Excess), Triple AAA Ranch	Private	13/5	0/0	0/0	(Dreamy Gal, \$10,385)	\$44,780	54	1	0.56	0.85	
5	DISTORTED REALITY (04, Distorted Humor)	N/A	14/5	0/0	0/0	(Dances for Kamia, \$8,080)	\$41,964	123	1	0.42	0.81	
6	UH OH BANGO (07, Top Hit), Triple AAA Ranch	Private	11/3	0/0	0/0	(Beat the Heat, \$16,158)	\$39,141	34	0	0.74	1.00	
7	EZ EFFORT (09, In Excess), Fleming Thoroughbred Farm	Private	9/2	0/0	0/0	(Fortified Effort, \$11,248)	\$36,498	39	1	0.73	1.04	
8	S SUPAH BLITZ (00, Mecke)	Died, 2017	7/1	0/0	0/0	(No Supah for You, \$10,592)	\$24,137	66	0	0.39	0.71	

2019 LEADING SIRES IN COLORADO

			BT	Rstrct		Cumulative					
z	2019	Rnrs/	SWnrs/	SW/		2019		Stks	A-E	Comp	
 Stallion (Foreign foaled), (YOB,Sire), Where Stands	Stud Fee	Wnrs	Wns	BT SW	(Chief Earner, Earnings)	Earnings	Foals	Wnrs	Index	Index	
1 ZIP QUIK (07, City Zip), Menoken Farm	\$1,500	1/1	0/0	0/0	(Never Before, \$24,120)	\$24,120	34	0	0.32	0.77	
2 GRAND MINSTREL (05, Grand Slam), Menoken Farms	\$1,500	4/1	0/0	0/0	(Let the Boy Sing, \$9,953)	\$11,364	96	0	0.32	0.62	
3 CRAFTY SHAW (98, Crafty Prospector)	Pnsd	5/1	0/0	0/0	(Wacky Jackie, \$8,669)	\$10,432	*111	3	0.79	0.92	

Sara credits her dad for transferring some of his horsemanship skills to her, and she's also learned from another valuable source, the late Hall of Fame trainer Jack Van Berg.

"I used to sit down with Jack, and he'd tell me different things to try for different situations with a horse," she said. "We used to have quite a few horses out here for him. He was good friends with my dad, so he came here a lot."

Randy makes the seven-hour drive from Anthony to Hot Springs each week during the Oaklawn meet and a couple of times a month during the rest of the year. But he knows the farm is in good hands.

"I got a text from her one time, and she said, 'Dad, you couldn't drag me off here with a tractor,' "Randy said. "I recently had three different people come up and tell me what a great job she was doing. It makes her happy, and it makes me happy."



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1	MORNING LINE (07, Tiznow), A & A Ranch	Died, 2019	34/5	1/1	0/1	(Stubbins, \$127,200)	\$317,040	*145	3	0.98	1.25
2	DIABOLICAL (03, Artax), A & A Ranch	\$4,000	41/11	1/1	1/1	(Fast Gator, \$51,000)	\$291,282	170	12	0.95	0.92
3	SOUTHWESTERN HEAT (04, Gone West)	Died, 2017	30/6	1/1	1/1	(African Heat, \$51,000)	\$204,669	*120	5	0.74	0.95
4	ABSTRACTION (10, Pulpit), Doubletree Farm	\$3,500	12/3	1/1	0/1	(Hustle Up, \$111,000)	\$176,894	57	1	1.27	1.13
5	ATTILA'S STORM (02, Forest Wildcat), A & A Ranch	\$4,000	47/7	0/0	0/0	(Wedding Dance, \$16,320)	\$175,975	282	17	1.07	0.82
6	ROLL HENNESSY ROLL (00, Hennessy), A & A Ranch	\$2,500	24/9	0/0	0/0	(Hollywood Henry, \$41,760)	\$168,397	183	11	0.94	0.95
7	QUINTON'S GOLD (97, Carson City), Graham Farms	Private	26/4	0/0	0/0	(Golden Band, \$22,081)	\$105,232	157	10	1.17	0.85
8	THE WAY HOME (04, Giant's Causeway), Doubletree Farm	\$2,500	24/7	0/0	0/0	(Reback Home, \$16,340)	\$87,640	127	5	0.79	0.96
9	MCKENNA'S JUSTICE (07, Medaglia d'Oro)	Died, 2017	12/3	0/0	0/0	(McClassic, \$27,811)	\$73,750	26	0	0.70	0.63
10		Died, 2017	25/4	0/0	0/0	(Steve's Babe Doll, \$13,440)	\$70,729	85		0.64	1.11
11	MR. GOLD MOVER (08, Mr. Greeley)	N/A	15/3	0/0	0/0	(Move It Mister, \$9,060)	\$59,986	60	2	0.74	0.89
12	FUSAICHI ZENON (JPN) (97, Sunday Silence), Weatherly Horse Farm	s \$2,000	12/5	0/0	0/0	(Tef's Ordeal, \$10,970)	\$56,089	123		0.66	0.83
13	TAILFROMTHECRYPT (98, Cryptoclearance)	N/A	5/1	0/0	0/0	(Precious Looker, \$51,000)	\$54,062	43	0	0.47	0.73
14	DESERT GOD (91, Fappiano)	Pnsd	5/3	0/0	0/0	(Vic Tories, \$16,465)	\$42,849	259	25	1.45	0.74
15	RIGHT RIGGER (06, Unbridled's Song), Hunter Creek Farms	\$3,500	2/1	0/0	0/0	(Rig Time, \$41,870)	\$42,233	14	4	1.63	0.60
16	SPANKEY COME HOME (04, Came Home)	N/A	5/3	0/0	0/0	(Agronomo, \$20,460)	\$42,082	33		0.42	0.39
17	MONTEREY JAZZ (04, Thunderello), Sierra Blanca Equine	\$1,250	6/3	0/0	0/0	(Fastinating Allie, \$11,778)	\$38,832	33		0.40	0.56
18	DOMINIQUE'S CAT (97, Storm Cat), McKenna Thoroughbreds	\$2,500	7/2	0/0	0/0	(Dom Right, \$20,845)	\$38,086	117		0.80	0.61
19	LAUGH TRACK (09, Distorted Humor), Double LL Farm	\$2,500	11/3	0/0	0/0	(Touch Me III Dance, \$10,082)	\$37,364	60	0	0.42	0.82
20	SHAME ON CHARLIE (04, Indian Charlie), Ernest Riggs Farm	Private	2/2	0/0	0/0	(Shug's Best, \$19,760)	\$27,000	28	2	1.03	0.73
21	PRECOCITY (94, Aferd)	N/A	2/1	0/0	0/0	(Get Er Done, \$16,705)	\$26,645	214	6	0.81	0.84
22	MR. TRIESTE (01, Old Trieste), McKenna Thoroughbreds	\$1,500	6/1	0/0	0/0	(Daddy What If, \$13,440)	\$26,197	53	1	0.60	0.84
23	WESTERN GAMBLER (04, Storm Cat), Marr's Breeding Farm	Private	6/0	0/0	0/0	(Hute, \$17,000)	\$22,351	47	1	0.79	1.44
24	ROMAN EMPEROR (05, Empire Maker)	N/A	8/1	0/0	0/0	(Solid Convictions, \$6,960)	\$21,575	28	1	0.52	0.78
25	STORM DANI (05, Storm Cat)	N/A	4/1	0/0	0/0	(Ivan El Grande, \$16,849)	\$19,751	27	0	0.30	0.48

GETTING INTO THE STALLION GAME

The Patterson farm came into being just prior to the success of Moonshine Mullin, so standing stallions—or even breeding many of their own horses—was not really part of the original game plan.

That all changed when they had a grade 1 winner in need of a home to stand stud. Although Sara had completed a long list of renovations and improvements to the farm at the time, it didn't have the facilities or the room for a stallion operation. So the Pattersons decided to stand Moonshine

Mullin at nearby Lake Hamilton Equine Center, which is owned and operated by Dr. Jesse Clement and his wife, Joan.

"Dr. Clement has done this for years and years, so he's an extremely good broodmare vet," Sara said. "He will find a way to get a mare in foal; he'll take his time and do whatever he needs to do."

After Moonshine Mullin entered stud in 2016, the Pattersons doubled down on their stallion interests with Street Strategy, whom Randy had purchased privately after the passing of owner Dave Clark. The son of Street Sense ran seventh in the 2015 Las Vegas Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile (G1) in what was his last start for Clark's Iron Horse Racing. He made just one start for Patterson, but it was a big one: a victory in the \$100,000 Fifth Season Stakes at Oaklawn. An injury after that race ended his career with six wins from 11 starts and earnings of \$282,920, all under the care of Morse.

Although Randy has bred some horses in the past, the young horses at Cedar Run are the first true homebreds raised on his own property and by his own stallions.



Sara Patterson with Probably Thursday and her Moonshine Mullin filly

Moonshine Mullin's first crop will hit the track this year, followed by Street Strategy's runners next year.

FROM KANSAS TO ARKANSAS

With no disrespect to Anthony Downs, which for more than a century served as an important albeit small track for Kansas horsemen, comparing it to Oaklawn is akin to playing on a high school ball field versus Yankee Stadium. Coincidentally, both tracks opened in 1904, but while Oaklawn approaches six-figure purses for maiden and allowance races, the average pot at Anthony Downs was usually somewhere around the population of the town, which is 2,132.

Anthony Downs was never known as a launching pad for toplevel Thoroughbreds, but it did play a vital role in the Patterson family's love of the sport. And so does Oaklawn, where Sara still remembers visiting the first time.

"All I had been to was Anthony and Eureka Downs (another small Kansas track), and I remember being in awe of Oaklawn," she said. "I was in junior high the first time my dad brought me to Hot Springs on spring break, and I told him one day I want to live here. And it just so happened that it turned out that way, and here I am."

She fulfilled her dream of living in the Hot Springs area and also working there, even if she doesn't call it work.

"This isn't work to me," she said. "I live on the farm and walk out the door, and I couldn't be more grateful for all this. It's amazing to do something you are so passionate about that it doesn't feel like working."

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Sporting colors adorn the mailbox at Cedar Run Farm



The Pattersons' love of racing began at Anthony Downs in Kansas

