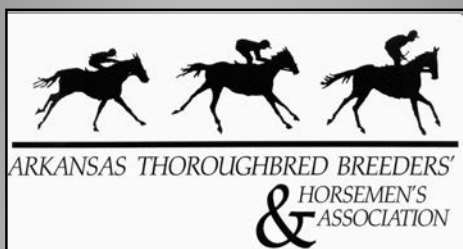


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2023 is ELECTION YEAR for ATBHA Board of Directors

2023 is an election year for ATBHA Board of Directors for the four year term 2023-2027. A ballot together with voting instructions, a bio sheet with the slate of candidates and a self addressed envelope will be mailed on or before March 1st to all current ATBHA members whose 2023 dues have been paid. Ballots must be correctly marked and returned to arrive in the ATBHA office on or before April 3rd to be eligible to be counted. Results will be announced the evening of April 7, 2023.

DIRECTIONS: PRINTING DIGITAL CERTIFICATES

ATBHA's Application for Registration of Broodmare and Stallion both require a copy, front and back of The Jockey Club Certificate. With Digital Certificates, it's a little different than with a paper Certificate, but it isn't hard. To print either or both copies do as follows:

FRONT OF CERTIFICATE: Place your cursor in the middle of the Digital Certificate, **RIGHT CLICK**, select **PRINT**, then PRINT... You're done!

CERTIFICATE HISTORY: (located below the front page of a Digital Certificate, after "Wins Listing" it shows "Certificate History" (same as ownership history). Place cursor at the beginning of "Certificate History" - **LEFT CLICK MOUSE** and **HOLD DOWN TO HIGHLIGHT** ENTIRE "Certificate History" Section. Next, place cursor in the middle of the highlighted area, **RIGHT CLICK**, select **COPY**. Then, open a blank page in Microsoft Word or a similar program. Select **PAGE LAYOUT**, then **ORIENTATION**, and **LANDSCAPE**. Next, select **MARGINS**, I set margins at .5, .5, .5, .5. Place cursor at top left corner of page, **RIGHT CLICK**, select **PASTE**. From your Task Bar select FILE, then select Print. You're done!

After you've done it a time or two it will be a breeze!!!

ATBHA Awards Banquet & Annual Meeting

ATBHA's Annual Membership Meeting will be held Friday, April 7, 2023 at 5:30 p.m. at the Oaklawn Event Center PRIOR TO THE BANQUET. All ATBHA members are encouraged to attend.

ATBHA's Awards Banquet will be held Friday, April 7, 2023 at 6:00 p.m. at the Oaklawn Event Center.

6:00 p.m. - Doors open for Silent auction and cocktails

6:45 p.m. - Dinner

See Page 11 for agenda and reservation information.

DOWNLOAD **NEW** FORMS AT: www.atbha.com

- NEW ATBHA Membership Application
- NEW Foal Registration Application
- NEW Broodmare Registration Application
- NEW Stallion Registration Application
- Stakes Nomination Form & Instructions

USE NEW FORMS FOR ALL ATBHA REGISTRATIONS

BROODMARE REGISTRATIONS

It is imperative that broodmares coming into the State of Arkansas be registered when the mare is brought into the state, PRIOR TO HER FOAL BEING BORN.

2023 MEMBERSHIP DUES MUST BE PAID by 3/1/23 to avoid late renewal fees and to receive a ballot for Board of Director's Election

The ATBHA News **CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES**

All ads are Black & White

Full page	\$450.00
1/2 page	\$250.00
1/4 page	\$125.00
Business card	\$ 65.00

ATHBA Members receive a 25% discount off of the above rates

Circulation: Approx. 400

If anyone has information, an article or pictures of foals to share or have printed in a future issue of *The ATBHA News*, the deadlines to submit it to the ATBHA office is the 20th day of the first month of each quarter.

(Jan/Apr/July/Oct)



IMPORTANT DATES DEADLINES

Check the ATBHA Office for changes to the following

2023

- Mar 1 2023 Membership Dues Renewal
- 4 Nodouble Breeders' Stakes
- Downthedustyroad Breeders' Stakes
- 16 Chaplaincy Banquet @ Oaklawn Event Center
- 24 Awards Banquet Reservations Due
- Apr 1 Arkansas Derby
- 3 ATBHA Board of Director's Election Ballots Due
- 7 ATBHA Membership Meeting (5:30 pm)
- 7 ATBHA Awards Banquet (6:00 pm)
- 8 Rainbow Stakes
- Rainbow Miss Stakes
- May 1 New Stallion Registration Deadline
- 4 Natural State Breeders' Stakes
- 6 Arkansas Breeders' Championship
- Aug 1 2023 Report of Mares Bred Due

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**PLEASE Use ONLY
New Registration Applications
for all Broodmares, Stallions and
Arkansas-bred Foals Registrations**

Registration forms are available on ATBHA's website. Go to "News & Information". From the drop down menu, select "Forms", then select the form you need.

If you have a problems downloading application(s), email the ATBHA office and the form(s) needed will be sent to you as an attachment to a return email.

Rules and Regulations, along with the applicable fees for each, are printed on the back of the application specific to the type of registration (Broodmare, Sire or Arkansas-bred Foal). If you have any questions, contact the ATBHA office.

**A NEW BROODMARE to the Arkansas breeding program
MUST BE REGISTERED WHEN THE MARE IS BROUGHT
INTO THE STATE, PRIOR TO THE FOALING DATE.**

ATBHA.COM is your source for:

- Registered Arkansas STALLIONS and individual information
- Arkansas FARMS with contact information & stallion listings
 - HORSES FOR SALE
- REGISTERED FOALS-Arkansas-bred Foals by Foaling Year
- STAKES Nominated Arkansas-bred Foals by Foaling Year
- NEWS & INFORMATION (Forms - Rules - Newsletters - Directory)

- SOME THINGS CHANGE FAST -

**WE DO OUR BEST TO KEEP LISTS UPDATED,
BUT OCCASIONALLY EVEN WE CAN GET A LITTLE BEHIND!**

**MINUTES OF ANNUAL MEETING
OF
A.T.B.H.A. GENERAL MEMBERSHIP**

The annual meeting of the General Membership of ATBHA was held Friday, April 15, 2022 at the Oaklawn Event Center, 2705 Central Ave., Hot Springs, AR.

President Bill McDowell presided over the meeting. The meeting was called to order.

President McDowell stated that since the minutes from the previous meeting were not printed in the January – March 2022 issue of The ATBHA News that a copy was placed on each table for members to review. He asked if there were any questions, corrections or discussion regarding the Minutes as written. There being none, Lewis Mathews made a motion to approve the minutes as written, seconded by Jeff Sheets. A vote was taken, Motion passed unanimously.

President McDowell said since our last meeting was in 2019, due to Covid restrictions on group gatherings in 2020 and 2021, he would address the registered Arkansas-bred earnings and awards over the past three years. He went on to say the increase in total earnings of Registered Arkansas-bred over these past three years went from almost \$8 million in 2019 to over \$10 million in 2021 with the Purse and Awards Fund deposits not showing the same increases for the same period, being \$1.6 million in 2019 to what we anticipate 2021 will be, somewhere around \$1.4 million. He further explained how those numbers affect the incentive awards paid for breeder, owner and stallion owner. He acknowledged that the awards for 2021 had not yet been mailed out as we are awaiting year-end figures from the Racing Commission Offices to proceed with processing the checks.

President McDowell talked about the Purse Bonus paid by ATBHA to owners of Registered Arkansas-bred horses that finishes 1st, 2nd and 3rd in an open company race at Oaklawn, excluding stakes and handicap races, advising \$67,000 had been paid during the 2021-22 Oaklawn meet through 4/3/22 with another month of races still to be run.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned. President McDowell announced that the General Membership Meeting was concluded and the program and presentation of awards would continue.

Dated this 15th day of April, 2022

APPROVED this ____ day of April, 2023.

Bill McDowell, President

Deana Echols, Secretary

OBITUARIES

YWACHETTA DRIVER - of Irving, Texas, passed away November 27, 2022. For 88 years, she lived a life marked by generosity, warmth and moxie. She will always be remembered as a loving wife, dutiful mother and beloved friend. Her most treasured roll was being "Grandma" to seven grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

She grew up with two brothers. Her childhood years were spent enjoying the freedoms of a small-town life like cruising around without a driver's license and having friends stop by unannounced to watch the first and only television in the neighborhood.

In 1954 she married James Travis Driver, together, as longtime members of ATBHA, they shared the love of thoroughbred horse racing. They raised three sons, Scott, Craig and Russell.

A self starter with a keen business sense. She co-founded Driver Pipeline, a pipeline construction company, alongside her husband. The success did not come without sacrifice; prior to starting the business, they moved to 28 states in 14 years, all while living in a trailer with their three children. The company grew to be one of the most respected pipeline contractors in the Southwest.

Never one to sit idle, she filled her time with friends, family and travel. She loved bringing people together and was especially known for her annual Christmas Eve gathering. Some of her favorite destinations included Little Rock, AR and Solana Beach, CA. She made friends along the way through the race track, neighborhood, beauty salon and local community.

She leaves behind her husband, sons, daughter-in-law, grand and great-grand children, two brothers and a sister-in-law to remember as a great listener, steadfast cheerleader and supporter of their personal and professional goals

Our sincere condolences are with the Driver family.

JAMES R GARROUETTE - of Hot Springs, AR, passed away peacefully at home December 14, 2022. Born in Fairfax, OK, December 17, 1932, Jim, or "Buddy" as he was known to his family and friends at the time, left home at age 14 to become a jockey (claiming he was 16 so he could get a license). He quickly "broke his maiden" in 1947 at Ak-Sar-Ben in Omaha, going on to be the leading apprentice rider at several tracks and one of the top jockeys in the country in 1948.

Although a natural, he unfortunately became too big to continue riding and pursued his career as a trainer, saddling his first winner in 1951. Jim was a proud U.S. Army veteran, serving during the Korean Conflict. He was in the 287th Mounted Military Police Platoon stationed in Berlin and frequently represented the U.S. in jumping competitions. After serving his country, he resumed his career in thoroughbred racing successfully training horses for over 60 years. He loved what he did, living the adage, "you never work a day in your life if you do something you love."

He is survived by his loving and caring wife, Carolyn, his daughters, Stevi Nelson (Dan), Jami Fenner (Brett) and Melanie Hartmann (Steve); four grandchildren, a brother, sister and two stepdaughters, Debby Vest (Ron) and Becky Hill (Eldon).

His pallbearers were Paul Holthus, Brett Fedder, Grand Hartmann, Steven Hartmann, Jimmy Power, Eldon Hill and Ron Vest.

Memorials may be made to the Oaklawn Racetrack Chaplaincy, P O Box 20564, Hot Springs, AR 71903.

Jimmy will forever be remembered and loved by the many many lives he touched.

Our deepest condolences are with the entire Garrouette family and friend.

JONATHAN D "NUTTY" PRATHER - age 39 of Hot Springs, son of long time ATBHA member, John H and Linda Prather. He was a graduate of Hot Springs High School in 2001.

He was active in sports, football, track, and basketball. He became a member of New Haven United Methodist Church at an early age. Shortly after graduation, he started as an assistant trainer to his dad. During that time he developed a passion for horses. He touch the lives of many people with his smile and generosity, and maintained his trademark sense of humor. He was an avid hunter and fisherman. He loved to float the river with his friends and never went anywhere without his flip-flops.

Those left to cherish his memories are his beloved parent, John & Linda, his children, Jonathan Prather, Jr. and Evalynn Prather; his brother, Benard (Terra) Prather, his sister, Leslie Prather and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, family and friends.

Our deepest sympathy is with Jonathan's parents, siblings, children, family and many many friends.

2020 Registered Arkansas-bred Stakes Nominations (Updated by Name)

NAME	SEX	SIRE	DAM	NAME	SEX	SIRE	DAM
Actin' Up	F	Carpe Diem	Ms. Cruisen'	Mozingo	F	Too Much Bling	Fast Find
Adamantly	F	Ordained	Sennockian Storm	Mr Works	C	Outwork	Ramsanelli
Aloha Baby	F	Street Strategy	Vuitton Too	Ms Carroll County	F	Cinco Charlie	Valiant Reason
Altar Girl	F	Ordained	Safe N Rich	Onlythreesocks	F	Texas Chrome	KO Socks
Aseel	F	Klimt	Vickis Got Swagger	Outlaw Run	C	Ordained	Zanzu
Aunt Cari	F	Moonshine Mullin	Never Ends	Partyinthestreets	C	Street Strategy	Spageddy Eddy
Baby Nova	C	Macho Rocket	Tactical Girl	Pat's Gal	F	Five Iron	Essie
Be Bo	F	Mor Spirit	Lady Giacomo	Paynt the Moon	F	Paynter	Jenilish
Be My Huckleberry	F	Double Irish	K J's Sweetater	Pearcy Road	C	Street Strategy	Key Appeal
Black Apple	C	Double Irish	Divination	Pepperoni Kid	G	Laurie's Rocket	Pizza Lady
Blingtapper	C	Moro Tap	Sheridan's Bling	Petit Jean	F	Prom Shoes	Posse's Starlet
Bobsbikinacandy	F	Eagle	Pacific Sunrise	Pink Chimes	F	Double Irish	Shadow Lane
Boliver	C	Marvandy Invasion	Marvelous Maddie	Posse Gone West	C	Posse Hawk	Gone Rolfe
Bonnie Lass	F	Cinco Charlie	Olemiss Rebel	Preacher's Kid	C	Ordained	Pass That Bottle
Bradford	C	Street Strategy	Sea Shack	Preordained	F	Fast Anna	Seeking the Max
Bradley Pink	F	Double Irish	Sequiota	Probation Royalty	C	Moonshine Mullin	American Royal
Brooke's All In	F	Double Irish	Brooke's a Bookin	Quarantined	F	Palace	Talicious
Bubby Boy	C	Moonshine Mullin	Include Lacey	Quick Chris	C	Zong	Quick Chris
Cadilla Cowboy	C	Commissioner	Rudy's Edge	Ready Shoes	C	Prom Shoes	More Than Crafty
Cadlac Jack	C	Moonshine Mullin	Dontmesswithcactus	Red Daisy	F	Cinco Charlie	Doolittle Daisy
Catalpa	F	Double Irish	Kousa	Relentless Rocket	F	Laurie's Rocket	Relentless Dear
Catherine's Beach	F	Sea Prince	Moon Shoes	Ridgepoint Road	C	Jonesboro	Nana
Changing Times	C	Mo For the Money	Timelessly	Road Shoes	C	Prom Shoes	Ms Ridge Road
Choctaw Zip	C	Carpe Diem	Nomee	Rosalie's Destiny	F	Hamazing Destiny	Yoo Hoo Too
Chrome Candy	C	Texas Chrome	Country Candy	Rosie's Boy	C	Prom Shoes	A Rose Given
Chrome's Knockout	F	Texas Chrome	Keene's Knockout	Rudiano	C	Mo For the Money	Pick Me Up
Chrome's Shadow	C	Texas Chrome	Stephanie's Wildcat	Rustic Affair	C	Cloud Computing	Hookipa
Chuck Wills Widow	F	Midnight Lute	Glorys Last Chance	S W Moonshine	C	Moonshine Mullin	Taylor's Moonbeam
Cohiba Street	C	Street Strategy	Loranger Sunrise	Sassy Lass	F	Double Irish	Demi Ten
Coromandel	F	Tekton	Wood Rose	Secret Honor	C	Cyber Secret	Golden Honor
Count it All Joy	F	Double Irish	Bag the Storm	Seeking Chrome	C	Texas Chrome	Seeking Her Mine
Dalton's Rutrow	C	Just A Coincidence	Razzmic	She Be Sheehan	F	Shaman Ghost	I Be Jeannie Be
Date A Cutest One	F	Not This Time	Get On With It	She's a Whiz	F	Texas Chrome	Lethethegrayrunaway
Debater	C	Ordained	Heated Debate	She's Storming	F	Hightail	Dedham
Deep	F	Eagle	Paddle Out	Sistersouttachrome	F	Texas Chrome	Sister Sandra
Denada	F	Top Hit	Rockin Cowgirl	Sophie's Star	F	Street Strategy	Safflower
Doughty	F	Free Drop Billy	Madrilena	Southern Speight	F	Speightster	Southern Prospect
Driving	F	Five Iron	Unbridled Praise	Stormymidnightstar	F	Hightail	Hayes
Elmo's Secret	F	Secret House	Ticked by Elmo	Street Painter	F	Street Strategy	Paintergone
Empyrean Shadow	C	Shupanga	She'llkisstheboys	Street Proud	F	Street Strategy	Ally's Candy
Fabulous Tale	F	Texas Chrome	Cat Tale	Street Roller	C	Street Strategy	Sylvia's Buttercup
Fancy Paynter	C	Paynter	Fancy Madelyn	Stuck N Snow	C	Mo For the Money	All About Allie
Finishwhatustarted	F	Jonesboro	Come On Baby	Table Money	C	Mo For the Money	Jonesboro Polly
Fortibug	F	Brody's Cause	Cateybug	Tapit Twice	C	Double Irish	Orange Street
Foypass	F	Collected	Holiday's Jewel	Terri Got a Friend	F	Jonesboro	Big Mollie
Gentlemen's Cry	F	Gentlemen's Bet	Wild Street Girl	Texana	F	Tekton	Dana's Done
Golden Honey	F	Mo For the Money	Miss Lilly Blue	The Girl in Red	F	Uncaptured	Red Pine
Graceful Moon	F	Macho Rocket	Forever Grace	Tiz a Strategy	F	Street Strategy	Denali Tizforever
Great Barrier	C	Candy Ride	Reef Point	Traffic Boss	C	Cross Traffic	Take Me Home Too
Haythere Jogeegirl	F	Double Irish	Generation of Love	Unbearable	F	Moonshine Mullin	Real Bear
He's Rich	C	Icon Ike	She's Rich	Unholstered	C	Graydar	Pistolpackinpenny
Hess	C	Moonshine Mullin	Sensational Appeal	Water to Wine	C	Ordained	Missippi Martini
Huey Duey	C	Commander's Shoes	With A Twist	Welcometoarkansas	C	Cross Traffic	Miss E U
Iconic Bonnet	F	Icon Ike	Sun Bonnet	Westheimer Street	C	Street Strategy	Megyn's Gold
Iconic Nurse	F	Icon Ike	Nurse Goodnight	Westover	C	Double Irish	Morning Coffee
Indian Irish	F	Double Irish	Indian Clarkie	Wicked Prince	C	Wicked Strong	Butterfly Princess
Indian Spirit	F	Cinco Charlie	Wicked Beauty	Wild Rosey	F	Not This Time	Rosey Bay
Jim Ned	C	Brodemeister	Wild Hope	Wreath's Iron Lady	F	Five Iron	Wreath
K J's Legacy	C	Commander's Shoes	K J's Girl	Zettie	F	Cross Traffic	Giantess
Katelyn's Mess	F	Tekton	Moonflower	Zone	F	Icon Ike	Zonly
Kaulana	F	Overanalyze	Dayienu		C	Rascal Cat	Elevenpont River
King Peanut	C	Mo For the Money	Smell the Roses		F	Five Iron	Fleeting Moment
Lake Hamilton	C	Midnight Lute	Kombat Lake		F	Rascal Cat	Marie's Kismet
Lassie My Girl	F	Double Irish	Robin My Girl		C	Paynter	Megalicious
Little Man Collier	G	Palace	Rita Ann		C	Ordained	Miss Ascipious
Long Cool	C	Eagle	Red Dress		F	Rascal Cat	Polish Suspect
Luce on the Loose	C	Eagle	My Girl Bess		F	Street Strategy	Probably Thursday
Luck is Good	C	Texas Chrome	Barbary Hall		F	Gormley	Prompter
Majestic Cinema	F	Street Strategy	Cinema Doll		C	Brahms	Run Nashly Run
Max's Too	F	Hightail	Tom's to the Max		F	Macho Rocket	Taptap I'mgone
Midnight Taxes	C	Midnight Lute	Include Katherine				
Miss Arkansas	F	Anchor Down	Burning Creole				
Miss Pony Up	F	Double Irish	Rainbows Are Due				
Moon Spot	C	Moonshine Mullin	Victorious Kiss				
Moonshine Two Go	C	Moonshine Mullin	Go Go Okie				

2020 NOMINATIONS CLOSED 12/31/21

Fillies	65
Colts/Geldings	80
TOTAL NOMINATED	145

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING
of the
A.T.B.H.A. General Membership

Pursuant to a change in the ATBHA Bylaws
by its Board of Directors:

ATBHA
GENERAL
MEMBERSHIP
MEETING

WILL BE HELD at 5:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, APRIL 7, 2023

in the Oaklawn Event Center
(prior to doors opening for Banquet)

*If you have an item or items you would like placed on the
agenda for this meeting, please notify Deana Echols at the
ATBHA office by phone 501-624-6328 or email atbha@att.net.*

All members are encouraged to attend.

Late

**Supplemental Nominations
to Restricted Stakes Races**

Registered Arkansas-breds NOT previously
nominated to the Arkansas-bred stakes pro-
gram ***must*** submit a Stakes Nomination form*
to ATBHA with payment of the \$2,500, the late
supplemental nomination fee, prior to entering
their horse in a restricted stakes race.

The payment of the late supplemental nomina-
tion makes the horse eligible to participate in all
future restricted stakes during its racing career.

* The Nomination Form is available at atbha.com
(under News & Information - Forms)

The applicable form and payment may be deliv-
ered to ATBHA prior to entering said horse or
may be delivered to the Oaklawn Horsemen's
Bookkeeper if arranging for the late supple-
mental nomination fee to be paid out of your
Oaklawn account.

ATBHA Awards Banquet

Friday, April 7, 2023

Oaklawn Event Center

6:00 Cocktail Hour & Silent Auction • 6:45 Buffet

Program & Awards

\$65 per person

RSVP by Friday, March 24

Reservations can be made by mail, email or telephone

(See page 11 for additional information & reservation form)

It can not be stressed enough to all owners and breeders that sell or re-home their horse(s) that you utilize The Jockey Club's "Sold as Retired from Racing" form or a self designed similar form/bill of sale documenting that the horse is being retired from racing, breeding or whatever reason you have for giving or selling it might be. Not all horses make it to the track to race. Not all mares can continue to be bred. It is to your benefit that some type of documentation, signed by you and the new owner, be completed and retained in your files. If it is being retired from racing, if you use The Jockey Club's form as directed, they can ensure that it not ever race again.

This form doesn't completely alleviate a horse's previous owner from being tracked down, harassed and intimidated by outsiders if the horse you once owned ends up in the hands of someone other than to whom your horse was initially given or sold, but it is proof that you gave or sold the horse in good faith and with good intentions. There are people out there making it their full time job to track down, harass and intimidate previous owners, whereby causing those owners anguish and frustration, sometimes time and money, for a situation to which they had no control.

NOTICE TO ALL HORSE OWNERS Re: Sold as Retired from Racing

The Jockey Club suggests, in addition to your preferred method of documenting horses that you are removing from racing for whatever reason (could be age, physical condition, injured, etc.) and re-homing, that you utilize the form entitled **SOLD AS RETIRED FROM RACING**. This form can be found on The Jockey Club Registry website in the right hand column in Brown. This is the only way to protect the horse from racing again, but doesn't restrict it from being bred, so it's really helped mares who shouldn't run, but are ok for breeding and geldings who retire into show homes or as pets whereby the new owners want the papers, but the sellers want to protect the horse from running.

Additionally, since The Jockey Club began the process of recording and documenting horses SOLD AS RETIRED FROM RACING, utilizing the above mentioned form, over 4,100 horses have been recorded as such. You can see the list of horses whose Jockey Club Certificates are officially stamped across the front page "RETIRED FROM RACING" by visiting the following website:

<https://www.registry.jockeyclub.com/registry.cfm?page=retiredFromRacingList>

If you have moved within the last 12-14 months, please make sure ATBHA has changed your address in the STATE DATABASE so your check(s) aren't returned marked "Undeliverable as Addressed" "Return to Sender - Unable to Forward" or "Forward Address Expired"

www.registry.jockeyclub.com has your answers!

View video entitled Manage Digital Certificates

View video entitled How to Microchip a Foal

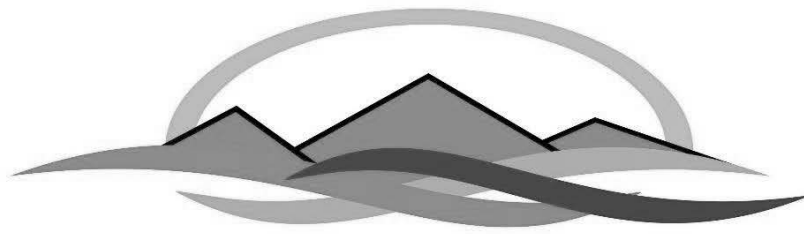
Effective with the foal crop of 2018, The Jockey Club no longer issues paper certificates.
All Certificates of Foal Registration are Digital Certificates.

For an instructional video regarding Digital Certificates, visit:

<http://bit.ly/tjcdigitalcerts>

For an instructional video of how to register and microchip visit:

<https://vimeo.com/212142590>



ECHO CANYON

RESORT & MARINA

ECHO CANYON is on the shores of Lake Ouachita, surrounded by the Ouachita National Forest providing a lake getaway for boating, fishing, hiking, and biking. Echo Canyon Cabins are the perfect home away from home. Located only 15 miles from Oaklawn. ECHO CANYON is the best kept secret of Arkansas.

Off Season Rates through April

Cabins:

7 - Studio Kitchenette Cabin

5 - 3-bedroom cabin features a full kitchen, 2 full baths and washer/dryer with a covered back patio overlooking the resort and Lake Ouachita.

**All cabins are Non-Smoking with WIFI, Satellite TV and Hair Dryers
Pet Friendly & Handicapped Accessible cabins are available.**

RV Sites:

9 RV Sites: Sites have 50amp electric, water and sewer hookups. We do not provide bathrooms or showers.

Reservations: echocanyonar.com or call: 501-767-2997

Location: 2645 Blakely Dam Road, Royal AR 71968

Email: echocanyonar@gmail.com



STALLIONS

NEW STALLIONS STANDING IN 2023

(Registered since Publication of 4th Quarter Newsletter)

CHANGE IN LOCATION OF STALLION

ZONG - gr, '05, by Unbridled's Song - Zing
Indian Creek Thoroughbreds Farms, LLC, owner.
Standing in 2023 at Turkey Creek Ranch
323 Dave Simmons Rd., Junction City, AR 71749

For further information:

(318) 237-8225 Mark Dison or (318) 548-7144 Ashley Dison

Updates to Stallions
listed in the annual
Stallion & Farm Directory
are made quarterly in
The ATBHA News
under this section entitled
"Stallions"

ATBHA RULES & REGULATIONS FOR STALLIONS STANDING IN ARKANSAS

Owners of registered Arkansas stallions must submit a Report of Mares Bred to The Jockey Club on or before August 1st following the breeding season, listing all mares bred to the stallion during that year's breeding season, as required by The Jockey Club Rules and Regulations. A copy of said Report of Mares Bred must be submitted to the ATBHA office by August 1, accompanied by the applicable annual stallion re-certification fee.

To renew a stallion's Arkansas registration, an annual re-certification fee shall be paid on each registered Arkansas stallion that stood in Arkansas only during that year's breeding season. Payment of the annual Stallion Re-certification Fee shall be the obligation of the stallion owner, shall be in the amount of three hundred dollars (\$300) per year, beginning the year after the initial Arkansas registration, shall be due and payable to ATBHA on or before August 1st of the breeding year, and shall be accompanied by a photocopy of the Report of Mares Bred for that year, as set out in Section above.

ELECTION YEAR

*Ballots for ATBHA Directors
for the 2023-2027 term will be
mailed by March 1st.*

*Please read and follow direc-
tions carefully, mark ballot and
return in the envelope provided
to arrive at ATBHA office by
April 3rd!*

STALLION OWNERS and BREEDING FARMS

Upon completion of the 2023 breeding season, submit your 2023 REPORT OF MARES BRED to The Jockey Club for your stallion(s). This report is due on or before August 1 of the breeding season. It is important that this be done timely so published numbers credit Arkansas accurately with the number of mares bred in our state to Registered Arkansas Stallions.

Additionally, a couple of months after these reports are submitted, a single page will be mailed to you by The Jockey Club. That page is entitled "**Electronic Service Certificate - Stallion Authorization Number**" - the number listed is the number needed to release your stallion(s) Service Certificates on line. This can be done easily once the stud fee is paid. You are the only one that has that number and the only one that can release the service certificates. You have total control over if and when the Service Certificate is released.

STALLION OWNERS & BREEDING FARMS

Release **SERVICE CERTIFICATES**
electronically (on-line) at
registry.jockeyclub.com

**MINUTES OF MEETING OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS
OF**

ARKANSAS THOROUGHBRED BREEDERS' & HORSEMEN'S ASSOC.

A meeting of the Board of Directors of Arkansas Thoroughbred Breeders' & Horsemen's Association was held Monday, November 21, 2022, at 1:00 p.m. at the Arkansas Thoroughbred Breeders' office.

President Bill McDowell called the meeting to order. The Directors in attendance were Bill McDowell, Lewis Mathews, Tommy Ives, Sara Patterson, John Thiel, Ernie Witt and Val Yagos. Not present were Linda Anderson, Jesse Clement, Tim Martin and Jeff Sheets. Bill McDowell announced there was a quorum.

President McDowell asked if there were any corrections or discussion regarding the Minutes from the May 3, 2022 meeting. There being none, Val Yagos made a motion to approve the minutes as written, seconded by Ernie Witt and unanimously approved.

A copy of the 2021 Financial Report was reviewed; there were no questions or comments.

Next was an explanation of two items which require board approval..

1) The need to increase ATBHA's advertising rates for the annual Stallion & Farm Directory and the quarterly Newsletters due to the continuous increases in the cost of paper as well as printing and production costs. The proposed increases were approximately \$50 on each size ad, with the Newsletters allowing a 25% member's discount.

2) Vote on whether ATBHA would sponsor a table at the 2022-23 Oaklawn Kick-off Banquet for \$650. The Electronic and Telephone votes for or against the sponsorship were: Four (4) for ATBHA to sponsor a table in 2022 and continue to vote on this matter annually, One (1) for ATBHA to not sponsor a table in 2022 and continue to vote on this matter annually, and Five (5) for ATBHA to not sponsor a table in 2022 and to discontinue sponsoring a table for this annual event in 2022 and all future years, unless voted otherwise at a later date.

After discussion on both of the above matters Motion was made by Lewis Mathews to approve the proposed increases to the advertising rates and to approve the votes regarding the sponsoring a table at the Oaklawn Kick-off Banquet, seconded by Ernie Witt. After a vote, Motion passed unanimously.

Next was discussion regarding the Bonus Purse Supplement program. It was noted that \$25,000 was paid for Bonus Purse Supplements earned in December 2021 and \$71,000 for the Bonus Purse Supplements earned January through May 2022. After a brief discussion, a motion was made by Tommy Ives, seconded by Ernie Witt to continue the Bonus Purse Supplement for the live race meet of 2022-23, the same as it has been for the past several years.

Next was discussion about the Purse and Awards and what kind of percentages to anticipate for 2022 awards. As information becomes available, earnings and deposits, this matter will again be reviewed and discussed.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

APPROVED this 7th day of February, 2023.

Bill McDowell, President

Deana Echols, Secretary

**Banquet Reservations
are due on or before
MARCH 24th...Please!**



Bermuda * Alfalfa * Timothy * Orchard Alfalfa

Straw * Bedding Pellets * Shavings * Feed

DELIVERIES AVAILABLE

934 Golf Links Rd

Hot Springs, AR 71901



**ATBHA
AWARDS BANQUET**
When: **FRIDAY APRIL 7th**
Where: **OAKLAWN EVENT
CENTER**

**SEE PAGE 11
FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
AND RESERVATION FORM!**

THE JOCKEY CLUB - INTERACTIVE REGISTRATION
www.registry.jockeyclub.com

If you don't have an account with THE JOCKEY CLUB ("TJC") INTERACTIVE REGISTRATION ("IR"), you absolutely need one if you're in the thoroughbred horse business. It's simple to sign up and it's totally FREE!

Once you have set up your account and look through it, you'll understand why we stress that you have to have one. Your Jockey Club Certificates are no longer mailed to you. TJC issues digital certificates that are placed in your account. You won't ever lose your Jockey Club Certificates again. You have total control of the assignment of who gets the digital copy of a certificate (ie. your trainer, a racing secretary, sales company, etc.)

We also stress that once Arkansas Thoroughbred Breeders' has put the Registered Arkansas-bred stamp on your foal's digital certificate showing it is a "Registered Arkansas-bred" that you print a copy of the certificate so you have a paper copy of the Jockey Club's digital certificate for your file.

We strongly suggest you watch the two videos on the page where you sign in to The Jockey Club Registry ... one on digital certificates and one on microchipping.

AWARDS BANQUET
RESERVATIONS
DUE BY
FRIDAY
MARCH 24th



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Thoroughbred Racing Economic Indicators

For End of Year 2022

YTD 2022 vs. YTD 2021

Indicator	YTD 2022	YTD 2020	% Change
Wagering on U.S. Races*	\$12,108,807,335	\$12,215,598,838	- 0.87%
U.S. Purses	\$ 1,309,837,841	\$ 1,180,842,882	+10.92%
U.S. Race Days	4,101	4,072	+ 0.79%
U.S. Races	33,453	33,565	- 0.33%
U.S. Starts	244,133	247,405	- 1.32%
Average Field Size	7.30	7.37	- 0.99%
Average Wagering Per Race Day	\$2,950,489	\$3,999,901	- 1.65%
Average Purses Per Race Day	\$319,161	\$289,991	+10.06%

4th QTR 2022 vs. 4th QTR 2021

Indicator	4th QTR 2021	4th QTR 2020	% Change
Wagering on U.S. Races*	\$2,569,665,204	\$2,720,404,107	+5.54%
U.S. Purses	\$327,833,091	\$ 300,288,903	+9.85%
U.S. Race Days	881	870	+9.71%
U.S. Races	7,442	7,339	+7.85%
U.S. Starts	57,174	56,789	+2.27%
Average Field Size	7.68	7.74	-5.17%
Average Wagering Per Race Day	\$2,916,760	\$3,126,901	-3.74%
Average Purses Per Race Day	\$372,115	\$345,160	+13.80%

* Includes worldwide commingled wagering on U.S. races.

* * * * **IMPORTANT** * * * *

Oaklawn Event Center requires a head count two weeks prior to an event. That means we need a head count by Friday, MARCH 24th. If you're unable to get the Reservation form returned by that date, you may CALL (501) 624-6328 or send an email to atbha@att.net. Leave your name, the number that will be in your party and your telephone number.

A Message from our President:

I feel like we were really lucky with the freezing rain earlier this month. If it had been a few degrees colder it could have been terrible. As it was, I was without electricity a few days, that was bad enough!

I sold a few young yearlings in the Florida Sale a couple of weeks ago. The sale was really good, but I didn't do great, but it was okay for me. Most of my horses had small flaws and you're not going to sell one for a good price if it has any flaws at all.

We've only had one foal so far, but we have a lot of mares very close. It will be really busy from here on out... Let the Fun Begin! I'm looking forward to it and I'm not looking forward to it, all at the same time! I was able to find some good mares in foal to Kentucky sires at the sale this year, more so than last year, so I'm anxious to see what I'm going to get.

ATBHA registered 265 Arkansas-bred weanling foals in 2022. That number is down a little from last year, but there are always late registrations that will bring it up some. It surprises me how many yearling foal registrations we get each year, especially when the AR-bred fee for a yearling is five times higher than for a weanling. However the numbers go, we always seem to get good or full fields in both our Arkansas stakes and other restricted races. Overall though, it looks to me like we are increasing quality of Arkansas-bred foals. We have gotten some new members and registered quite a few new mares that will be foaling in Arkansas in 2023.

In the month of December 2022 we paid \$4,000 in bonus purse supplements for a 1st, 2nd or 3rd place finish in open company races. In December 2021 it was \$25,000. The total bonus purse supplements in 2022 was \$71,000. We have paid out \$14,000 so far this year, January 1-February 5. The bonus purse supplements paid are included in your horses' total earnings so at the end of the year, a breeder is also receiving breeder awards on the bonus payments.

I am excited that our Awards Banquet is at the beautiful Oaklawn Event Center again this year. Our office received a lot of compliments on both the venue, program and the food last year, plus it's so convenient. I hope you can attend!

Bill McDowell, President

FROM THE ATBHA OFFICE

We are awaiting reports to finalize calculations of the 2022 awards percentages. Once received, we will begin the process. Our hope is to have the awards process completed, checks printed, mailed and delivered to you before the banquet.

ATBHA now offers payment of any fees by credit card. Stakes Nomination payments and registrations still have to be by separate transaction. There is a processing fee for payment by credit card.

We are in need of items for the Silent auction at the Awards Banquet - If anyone would like to donate any items we will be grateful for your help. Please let ATBHA know what you will have and a description by the end of March. We would like to have the items at the ATBHA office by April 3rd if possible.

You will note, the ATBHA Board voted to change the section of the ATBHA ByLaws that required a general membership meeting to be held at the banquet. This year, ATBHA members will meet at 5:30 prior to the banquet.

This is an election year also...ballots will be mailed 1st class US Postage to those who have paid their 2023 membership dues. Please mark your ballots and return them immediately so they are received timely and can be counted.

Mark your calendars for these upcoming deadlines: **April 3rd Ballots must be received at ATBHA; March 24th Banquet Reservations must be received at ATBHA and April 7th ATBHA Awards Banquet.** We had so many compliments saying last year's banquet was the best banquet EVER! This year will be a reply of last or even better!!! SEE YOU THERE ... April 7th, if not before! .

ATBHA AWARDS BANQUET - RESERVATION REQUEST

Friday - April 7, 2023 • Oaklawn Event Center

6:00 Cocktail Hour (Cash Bar) • Silent Auction • 6:45 Dinner & Program

YES, I plan to attend. Make reservations for _____ people at \$65.00 each.

Member's Name: _____

Member's Phone Number: _____ **Email:** _____

PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR RESERVATION ON OR BEFORE FRIDAY, MARCH 24th

**Mail a copy of this notice with check to: ATBHA, P O Box 21641, Hot Springs, AR 71903 (Preferred)
Make reservations by phone or email and pay with credit card (processing fee added) or at door.**

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