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Breeders' Report

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Breeding more and more is becoming a science. Breeders sort and filter through the stallions available, searching for the best cross, praying for success. To help with the process Saddle Horse Report is proud to bring you our 14th Annual Breeders' Report. This report tracks the show ring statistics across the country from the 2019 season and ranks the most successful producing stallions in the industry. It is our hope that these rankings will assist breeders in finding the best cross for their broodmares thus filling our show rings with top performing Saddlebreds in every division for years to come.

Once again, Undulata's Nutcracker dominated this ranking with 25,446 points. This is the eighth year in a row for the stallion owned by Woodleigh Farm LLC and standing at Joan Lurie's Willowbank Farm to top the overall charts. The CH Caramac x Christmas In New York ERB son was also first or second in all but eight of the 37 divisions. His recorded 319 get showed in 2119 classes in the 2019 show season.

Nutcracker's top performer from the season was CH Really Really Red (broodmare sire Supreme Heir), who not only was a triple crown winner for rider Olivia Horan and trainers Mary and Evan Orr, but also the UPHA Junior Exhibitor Country Pleasure Horse of the Year. Nutcracker's top ten list was a who's who of the show ring. Following CH Really Really Red was Drosselmeyer, HS I'm Hot Wired, Katharine The Great, CH Undulata's Fashion Plate, Little Black Dress, CH Get Crackin', CH The Great Oz, CH Amarula Sunrise, Tefnut, and CH Nutta You Business.

Moving up a spot this year is another son of the great CH Caramac, Designed. Heralding from Judy Werner's Redwing Farm, Designed is not only a producer of champions, he is also a former world's champion in the amateur three-gaited division. Out of Sultan's Dianna (BHF), who is by Sultan's Santana, his breeding continues to be highly sought after. Designed amassed 6815 points from his 87 show ring stars in 639 classes. He also shows up first or second on six of the divisional charts, including five-gaited pony, open and junior exhibitor park, adult gaited pleasure, adult show pleasure and 13 & under show pleasure.

At the top of his list is the UPHA Five-Gaited Pony of the Year, CH Ultimate Spitfire (broodmare sire Bi Mi Sultan's Wine), who Samantha Swiger rode to victory passes at Pro-Am, Asheville, Cleveland Tri-State, Lexington, Louisville, and the UPHA/American Royal National Championship under the Milestone Banner. Making up his



Undulata's Nutcracker topped the Breeders' Report for a record eighth consecutive year.

impressive top ten performers were CH Who, CH Glenview's Excelalante!, Say Yes To Success, Altar Of The Sun, Buck Up, Clearly Perfect, Designed For Success, Swing Man, and I Rock Tom Ford.

World's champion performer and multi world's champion sire, Sir William Robert comes in at number three this year. Owned by Tom Galbreath and standing at Joan Lurie's Willowbank Farm, Robert is out of Rebel Empress who is a CH Heir To Champagne daughter. His bottom side breeding will take you back to the sought after Oman's Desdemona Denmark bloodline. His 92 get showed in 614 classes totaling 6444 points. From a divisional standpoint, Robert appears in the three-gaited fine harness, show pleasure and country pleasure divisions.

Adult Country Pleasure Reserve World's Champion (section two) CH Miss Can't Be Wrong (broodmare sire Mountainview's Oh Heavenly Day) was at the top of Robert's leader board. Paula and Nicki Percoco shared the riding duties for this nice mare under the direction of team Kalarama. His top ten point earners included Dreamacres Sir Duke, Analeigh, My Minnie Mouse, Sir Don Juan, Copper And Kings, Tailwinds, Berry Daring, Koekie De Villers, Absolutely Alison and CH HS Dignitary.

For the third year in a row Callaway's Northern Kiss made his mark on the breeding industry coming in at number four. Owned by and standing at Burt and Miriam Honaker's Northern Kiss

Farm, this stallion accumulated 5915 points from his 80 performers in 534 classes. By Callaway's Blue Norther, Northern Kiss is out of the CH Caramac daughter Callaway's Caramel Kiss. Divisionally, he topped the junior five-gaited, adult gaited pleasure, and junior exhibitor gaited pleasure sections.

Northern Asset (broodmare sire Crimson Assets) was at the top of Northern Kiss's top ten performers with 187 points. Ali DeGray showed the DeVore Stables trained Amateur Three-Gaited Over Two (section two) World's Champion. Reserve world's champion Kiss Goodnight was second followed by Groundhog, Gotham Stone SS, Material Kiss, Simple Kiss, HS Kiss My Grits, Fort Chiswell's Hot Kiss, Topsy Parson, Infamous Kiss, North Charleston, and Fort Chiswell's Wild Kiss.

At number five is the number two ranked 2019 World's Champion Sire, I'm First. Owned and bred by Stonecroft Farm and standing at Alliance Stud, I'm First is by the late CF First Night Out, who appears at the number 14 spot, and out of the world's champion mare That Special Face. The three-time Five-Gaited Stallion World's Champion racked up 4383 points with 79 get showing in 393 classes.

At the top of his list is the junior exhibitor five-gaited top performer I'm Berry Tart (broodmare sire My Magical Moment). Grace Weisner was in the irons under the direction of Mary and Evan

Looking Back...

BREEDERS' REPORT OVERALL WINNERS

Supreme Heir 2008
Supreme Heir 2009
Supreme Heir 2010
Supreme Heir 2011
Undulata's Nutcracker 2012
Undulata's Nutcracker 2013
Undulata's Nutcracker 2014
Undulata's Nutcracker 2015
Undulata's Nutcracker 2016
Undulata's Nutcracker 2017
Undulata's Nutcracker 2018

Orr for top ribbons in show rings at Raleigh, River Ridge, Asheville, Shenandoah, Blue Ridge, and the Kentucky State Fair. Other standouts included Our First Million, I'm Ziggy Stardust, First Encore, First Lieutenant, Fox Grape's Top Trend, He's Divine, Super Scandal, Co Co First, and I'm Vegas.

Remaining in the top ten for the third year in a row was Undulata's Heir Apparent sliding in at number six with 4200 points. Sixty-one offspring earned the point total in 408 classes for the Undulata's Nutcracker son who is out of the multi-titled CH An Heir About Her (BHF). Divisionally, the number six stallion captured the number two spots in the amateur three-gaited, park pleasure and country pleasure driving divisions. Heir Apparent is owned, bred and standing at Ever Glades Farm in Kansas City, Missouri.

Among the top ten Heir Apparent performers in the point totals were Rusty Barrett's country pleasure driving partner Whispered Warning (broodmare sire Adriatic) followed by Grand Gesture, Reedann's Royal Gossip, Soquili's Good Time Charlie LLC, Star's Heavenly Heir, Seven Oaks Heir Show, For No Apparent Reason, Pumps And Pearls, Seamus Heaney and Forever Heaven. Callaway Hills' late world's champion Callaway's Blue Norther still has a hold on the top ten as he finished at number seven this year for Tony

Weldon. The son of CH Will Shriver and Royally Blue scored 3,653 points from 48 offspring in 345 classes. Blue Norther also appeared on the divisional charts as the junior exhibitor five-gaited number two producing sire.

Two hundred thirty-two of Blue Norther's points came from Alyssa Lopez-Northcutt's country hunter pleasure campaigner Callaway's Hot N Cold (broodmare sire CH Caramac). His second top performer was Callaway's Hang On To Your Heart followed by CH Callaway's Brioni, Callaway's Kiton, Callaway's Consider Me Gone, CH Callaway's Nachele, Callaway's Almost Blue, Callaway's No Reservations, Callaway's Amberjack, Callaway's I'll Stand By You, and Callaway's Here Comes the Blue.

Moving up two spots this year was Trust Fund, who came in at number eight. Owned and managed by Bob Griffin, Trust Fund is by world's champion Attaché's Royal Assets out of the multi-world's champion mare CH Stonewall's Crimson & Clover. This year he captured 3527 points with his 43 sons and daughters showing in 323 classes.

The Junior Exhibitor Three-Gaited Park (section two) World's Champion Sugar Fund (broodmare sire Callaway's Blue Norther) was at the top of Trust Fund's chart. Dawson Archibald is the owner and rider of this Milestone trained champion. Also

TOP 10 OVERALL SIREs

Five-Gaited Sires

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Desert's Supreme Memories
3. Callaway's Northern Kiss
4. I'm First
5. He's Born To Royalty
6. Designed
7. Callaway's Blue Norther
8. My Royale Charm
9. Samur
10. Heir Emerald

Three-Gaited Sires

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Sir William Robert
3. Designed
4. Mountainview's Heir To Fortune
5. Tango's Parting Kiss
6. Samur
7. Undulata's Heir Apparent
8. Seaforth's Billion Heir
9. Callaway's Northern Kiss
10. The Mystery Writer

Fine Harness Sires

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Sir William Robert
3. Mountainview's Heir To Fortune
4. I'm A New Yorker
5. Joe Fabulous
6. Nutcracker's Nirvana
7. The Mystery Writer
8. Callaway's Blue Norther
9. Sir Silver Knight
10. I'm Lookin' For You

Pleasure Sires

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Designed
3. Callaway's Northern Kiss
4. Sir William Robert
5. Undulata's Heir Apparent
6. Trust Fund
7. Callaway's Blue Norther
8. CF First Night Out
9. I'm First
10. Deep Blue

TOP 20 OVERALL SIREs

Rank	Sire	Points	# Classes	APG	Get
1.	Undulata's Nutcracker	25446	2119	79.8	319
2.	Designed	6815	639	78.3	87
3.	Sir William Robert	6444	614	70	92
4.	Callaway's Northern Kiss	5915	534	73.9	80
5.	I'm First	4383	393	55.5	79
6.	Undulata's Heir Apparent	4200	408	68.9	61
7.	Callaway's Blue Norther	3653	345	76.1	48
8.	Trust Fun	3527	323	82	43
9.	The Mystery Writer	3506	314	92.3	38
10.	Deep Blue	3257	304	69.3	47
11.	Tango's Parting Kiss	3201	291	64	50
12.	I'm A New Yorker	3199	307	72.7	44
13.	Desert's Supreme Memories	3132	269	78.3	40
14.	CF First Night Out	2972	294	76.2	39
15.	VHF The Licorice Drop Kid	2803	275	82.4	34
16.	He's Born To Royalty	2775	245	89.5	31
17.	(SA) Tomcat	2702	259	52	52
18.	Callaway's Guy Park	2673	267	62.2	43
19.	Nutcracker's Nirvana	2566	235	52.4	49
20.	Mountainview's Heir To Fortune	2521	217	48.5	52

APG = Average Points Per Get

TOP TWO DIVISIONAL SIRES

scoring in the Top 10 of winning get by Trust Fund were Ro & Me's Gypsy Moon, CH Ro & Me's Da Vinci Code, Ro & Me's Heir Express, Ro & Me's Kiss Me Not, Ro & Me's Entitled, Ro & Me's Bess In Black, Ro & Me's Trust In Karma, Royal Crest's Exotic Stone, and Ro & Me's Power Trip.

Another son of Callaway's Blue Norther, The Mystery Writer, stands at number nine, for the second year in a row. He is out of Broodmare Hall of Fame producer Callaway's Agatha Christie. The Mystery Writer's stallion career has been spent at Reedannland under the watchful eye of the late Dr. Alan Raun, DVM. This spring this top producing stallion (from both the Breeders' Report and World's Champion Sire Report) will be available for someone to add to their breeding program or become a cornerstone for a new breeding operation at the Reedannland dispersal sale during the Robertson Spring Sale.

Leading The Mystery Writer to his totaled 3,506 points from his 38 offspring was Knollwood trained High Point Report Junior Exhibitor Five-Gaited Show Pleasure Grand Champion CH Ken Follett (broodmare sire Telemark), ridden by Gabrielle Nadeau. Others in the top ten included CH Cloverleaf Freedom Writer, The Dance Writer, Reedann's Alibi, Reedann's Into The Night, CH Reedann's Rare Mystery, Reedann's Publisher, The Pulitzer Prize, Reedann's Count Mystery, Reedann's Whodunnit, and Novella.

Rounding out the top ten producers is Deep Blue. The third son of Callaway's Blue Norther to make the top ten finished with 3,257 points for owner and breeder Fox Grape's Farm, Inc. The reserve world's champion, who is out of Broodmare Hall of Fame world's champion Yorkshire Pudding, stands aside other top ten producers Undulata's Nutcracker and Sir William Robert at Joan Lurie's Willowbank Farm. He had 47 get in the show ring in 2019 showing in a combined 304 classes.

Pat Johnson's western superstar, CH Charming In Blue, was at the top of Deep Blue's top ten performers, earning 264 points in 26 classes. The multi-world's champion CH He's In Style was second on the list while CH Spurwing's Queen Anna, Fox Grape's Fort Defiance, Azure Wish, I'm Blue In The Face, Just Surprise Me, Fox Grape's Trinity Road, Deep Blue Secret, and Fox Grape's Jungle Gardenia were among those who put him in tenth place.

Next up on this illustrious list of producers is Matt and Whitney Shiflet's Tango's Parting Kiss in the 11th spot. He was followed by the late I'm A New Yorker, Desert's Supreme Memories, the late CF First Night Out, VHF The Licorice Drop Kid, the gelding of the group He's Born To Royalty, South African bred Tomcat, the late Callaway's Guy Park, Nutcracker's Nirvana, and Mountainview's Heir To Fortune to round out the top 20.

This brings the 2019 Breeders' Report to a close. Once again you can see the influence from CH Caramac and Callaway's Blue Norther as both actual producers of champions and sires that continue their legacy.

For a complete and detailed list of our Breeder's Report please visit www.SaddleHorseReport.com under the results tab.

Open Five-Gaited

1. Callaway's Guy Park
2. He's Born To Royalty

Junior Five-Gaited

1. Callaway's Northern Kiss
2. Undulata's Nutcracker

Ladies Five-Gaited

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Desert's Supreme Memories

Amateur Five-Gaited

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Desert's Supreme Memories

Junior Exhibitor Five-Gaited

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Callaway's Blue Norther

Five-Gaited Pony

1. Designed
2. Gypsy Santana

Open Three-Gaited

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Sir William Robert

Junior Three-Gaited

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. I'm A Lucky Charm

Ladies Three-Gaited

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Sir William Robert

Amateur Three-Gaited

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Undulata's Heir Apparent

Junior Exhibitor Three-Gaited

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. He's Born To Royalty

Three-Gaited Pony

1. Seaforth's Billion Heir
2. Undulata's Nutcracker

Open Three-Gaited Park

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Designed

Junior Three-Gaited Park

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. I'm First

Amateur Three-Gaited Park

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Wine Women And Song

Junior Exhibitor Three-Gaited Park

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Designed

Open Fine Harness

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Sir William Robert

Junior Fine Harness

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Nutcracker's Nirvana

Amateur/Ladies Fine Harness

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. I'm A New Yorker

Park Pleasure

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Undulata's Heir Apparent

Junior Park Pleasure

1. Nutcracker's Nirvana
2. A Rare Temper

Adult Five-Gaited Show Pleasure

1. Callaway's Northern Kiss
2. Designed

Junior Exhibitor Five-Gaited Show Pleasure

1. Callaway's Northern Kiss
2. The Mystery Writer

Adult Three-Gaited Show Pleasure

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Designed

17 & Under Three-Gaited Show Pleasure

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Sir William Robert

13 & Under Three-Gaited Show Pleasure

1. Designed
2. Undulata's Nutcracker

Junior Three-Gaited Show Pleasure

1. Tantrum
2. Dylann's Desert Admiral

Show Pleasure Driving

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Sir William Robert

Walk & Trot Pleasure

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Callaway's The Gipper

Country Pleasure Five-Gaited

1. Roseridge Heir
2. Worthy's One And Only

Adult Country Pleasure

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Sir William Robert

Junior Exhibitor Country Pleasure

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Merchant Prince

Country Pleasure Driving

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Undulata's Heir Apparent

Country Hunter Pleasure

1. VHF The Licorice Drop Kid
2. CF First Night Out

Country Western Pleasure

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Royal Crest's Rockin' On Heir

In Hand Two & Under

1. Undulata's Nutcracker
2. Arrowhead's Unlike Any Other

Model In Hand

1. Unlisted
2. Clover Hill's Lightning Bolt