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### "Fillies are the Future" at next week's Timonium 2-Year-Old Sales

As a racing complement to our popular Raise You Broodmare Partnerships, Country Life Farm concentrated on strong female pedigrees at last year's Fasig-Tipton May Sale of 2-Year-Olds. Residual value of fillies in the Racing Stable is the key factor. We branded three filly acquisitions as our "Carry Back Racing Partnerships"-named for the 1961 Kentucky Derby and Preakness winner conceived at Country Life.

The Raise You and Carry Back Partnerships share the same format: 1. No Markup. 2. Country Life

buys the first 10% share of 10-share LLC's; 3. Two-Year Durations; 4. 60% Majority Rule. For \$30,000, we bought Maryland-Bred "Monte Crista." She broke her maiden in her first start on the grass on April 28, earning \$29,640, paying for herself in her first win. Monte Crista is entered in the 2nd race on the Preakness Card this weekend, a \$52,000 turf allowance that carries a 30% Maryland-Bred bonus.

After we bought Monte Crista, her half-brother Just Howard reeled off 4 straight wins, including the Gr. 3 Commonwealth Derby, to be named 2017 Maryland-Bred Horse of the Year. Just Howard makes his 2018 debut on the Preakness card, in the Gr. 3 \$250,000 Dixie Handicap.

For \$50,000, we signed for a Street Sense filly out of a 1/2-sister to \$1,297,075-earner and Gr. 1winner Elloluv. Named "Street Appeal", she was set to debut on Thursday, May 17, in a \$40,000 Pimlico turf allowance, but this week's rain took the races off the Turf and she is a scratch.

For \$40,000, we purchased a 2nd Maryland-Bred, by Maryland's leading sire Friesan Fire. Named "Friesing Waters," she is prepping for her 3-year-old grass debut and Maryland-Bred bonuses.

Our Carry Back Racing Partnership fillies are valuable players in trainer Mike Trombetta's Fair Hill string. We intend to buy 3 more fillies in the \$40-50,000 range next Monday and Tuesday at Timonium. If you would like to play the racing game, hold a share by sending an e-mail to info@countrylifefarm.com or call Josh 443-807-0644; Mike 410-459-8517; or Christy 410-808-1325.

## Maiden Win for Monte Crista



Partners in our Monte Crista LLC gather in the Laurel Winner's Circle after Monte Crista's \$42,000 Turf win.

### **Monte Crista's Partners:**

- 1. Colleen Akehurst, TX
- 2. Country Life, MD
- 3. Tony Dale, MD
- 4. David D. Heim, PA
- 5. Kevin McGill, MD
- 6. Dave Johnson, TX
- 7. Chip Reed, MD
- 8. Phyllis Soboczenski, DE
- 9. Patrick Thompson, MD
- 10. Debi Tucker, NC



### Country Life's first "Pinhooking Partnerships" sell at Fasig May Timonium Sale May 21-22

Every niche market in the horse business has its benefits. Country Life Farm hired noted bloodstock expert Mark Reid of Walnut Green Bloodstock to select three yearlings last year, to pinhook into the Fasig-Tipton May Sale of 2-Year-Olds-In-Training.

For \$70,000, we bought a Street Sense filly out of La La's Cookin', from the family of the Street Sense stakes winner Unbridled Budget (earner of \$758,837). At the breeze-up on Wednesday, May 16, our first pinhook filly went a dazzling quarter-mile in :21 and 4/5ths, one of the fastest works of the day (click <u>here</u> for video).

For \$35,000, we bought a Maclean's Music filly, who breezes on Thursday, May 17. Last year, her sire broke through with a Preakness winner in Cloud Computing, in his first crop.

For \$13,000, we bought a Bodemeister colt out of a mare named Raise Up, who we had just bought, in foal to Carpe Diem. Bodemeister sired last year's Kentucky Derby winner Always Dreaming. Our colt also breezes on Thursday. We'll see how we do at the high-risk, high-reward niche of "pinhooking" next week.



#### ISS PAULINE foals Declaration of War filly as sire's son wins Gr. 1 French Guineas

Raise You LLC broodmare Miss Pauline, purchased for \$40,000 in foal to Belmont Stakes winner Tonalist (she foaled a colt we sold for the LLC for \$65,000), recently foaled a beautiful filly by War Front's champion son Declaration of War. Miss Pauline, whose sister Tempo West is the dam of Declaration of War, saw her entire pedigree and produce enhance in value when Declaration of War's son Olmedo won the French classic Grade One Guineas last Saturday.

Miss Pauline is a half-sister to Belmont Stakes winner Union Rags. She earned \$207,000 racing for her breeder Mrs. Phyllis Wyeth. On Wednesday, May 16, Miss Pauline was bred to War Front's son Mosler, hop-ing to duplicate the affinity that her pedigree shows for the blood of Danzig's champion sire War Front.

Both Miss Pauline and her Declaration of War filly are scheduled to be sold this fall, in the two-years-anddone format of our Raise You Breeding Partnerships.

## Maryland-Breds of April 2018



Bayern—Lawless Love filly, 4/1. Owned by CLF & Lawless Love LLC



Mosler—Fifteen Moons filly, 4/2. Owned by CLF & Fifteen Moons LLC



Super Saver—Thievery filly, 4/8. Owned by Gainesway Farm.



Mosler—Miss Moonshine filly, 4/10. Owned by CLF & Miss Moonshine LLC



Super Ninety Nine—GG's Dolly filly, 4/1. Owned by Country Life Farm



Super Ninety Nine—Moon Map colt, 4/4. Owned by CLF & Moon Map LLC



Kitten's Joy—Nominative filly, 4/8. Owned by Ken & Sarah Ramsey.



Mosler—Grecian Maiden filly, 4/11. Owned by CLF & Grecian Maiden LLC



Seville—Sweet N Promising colt, 4/2. Owned by Tolly & Wendy Albert



Mosler—Scarlette Rah colt, 4/4. Owned by Bo & Stella Smith



Mosler—Dominus Effect filly, 4/10. Owned by Country Life Farm.



Mosler—Blue Indygo filly, 4/14. Owned by Angelinos Racing LLC

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We Miss Artie—A Time to Love colt, 4/14. Owned by Ken & Sarah Ramsey.



Itsmyluckyday—Present colt, 4/16. Owned by Tandy & Brad Bondi.



Run Away and Hide—Delightful Dawn colt, 4/18. Owned by Charles Parker.



Super Ninety Nine—Brusque filly, 4/19. Owned by Hector Alcalde.



Super Ninety Nine—Miss Charades filly, 4/15. Owned by Charles Parker.



Imagining—Wild American filly, 4/16. Owned by Bruce Smart.



Super Ninety Nine—Maid of Cotton colt, 4/19. Owned by Country Life Farm.



Palace Malice—Toasty filly, 4/20. Owned by Mike Palmer.



Declaration of War—Miss Pauline filly, 4/15. Owned by CLF & Miss Pauline LLC



Mosler—Laura's Valley colt, 4/18. Owned by Mrs. Glennie Martin.



Mosler—Prosecca filly, 4/19. Owned by James Anderson.



Mosler—Final Humor colt, 4/20. Owned by Country Life Farm.

## Maryland-Breds of April 2018



Carpe Diem—Raise Up filly, 4/21. Owned by CLF & Raise Up LLC



Liam's Map—Missy Rules filly, 4/23. Owned by CLF & Missy Rules LLC



Mosler—Lovely Moon colt, 4/24. Owned by Helen Alexander



Violence—Heather colt, 4/22. Owned by CLF & Heather LLC



Hit it a Bomb—Courage to Change colt, 4/23. Owned by Country Life Farm



Mosler—Kiss the Diva colt, 4/22. Owned by Charles Parker.



Super Ninety Nine—Two Stars filly, 4/24 (died). Owned by Mrs. Glennie Martin



Mosler—Fleet and Fancy filly, 4/29. Owned by CLF & Fleet and Fancy LLC



Follow all the action LIVE on our "Foal Cam" - click for link

Foal count as of press time: 42 colts— 48 fillies Only 2 mares left to foal!