



Leaderboard

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HOW TO GET INTO THE KENTUCKY DERBY STARTING GATE – The “Road to the Kentucky Derby” is a 36-race series that awards points to the Top 4 finishers in each race. The Top 20 point earners nominated to the Triple Crown will earn a spot in the starting gate for the 139th running of the Grade I, \$2 million Kentucky Derby Presented by Yum! Brands on Saturday, May 4. The Kentucky Derby field has been limited to 20 starters since 1975. At least 20 horses have entered the 1 ¼-mile race for 3-year-old Thoroughbreds every year since 2004, and 12 of the last 14 years.

Rank	Horse	Points	Owner(s)	Trainer	Non-Restricted Stakes Earnings
1.	Will Take Charge	60	Willis D. Horton	D. Wayne Lukas	\$512,971
2.	Vyjack	50	Pick Six Racing (David Wilkenfeld)	Rudy Rodriguez	\$405,000
3.	Orb	50	Stuart Janney III & Phipps Stable (Ogden Mills “Dinny” Phipps)	Shug McGaughey III	\$240,000
4.	Verrazano	50	Let’s Go Stable (Kevin Scatuorchio & Bryan Sullivan), Mrs. John Magnier, Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith	Todd Pletcher	\$210,000
5.	Hear the Ghost	50	Halo Farms (Ted Aroney) or Jerry Hollendorfer	Jerry Hollendorfer	\$195,400
6.	Oxbow	36	Calumet Farm (Brad Kelley)	D. Wayne Lukas	\$316,000
7.	Flashback	30	Gary & Mary West	Bob Baffert	\$180,000
8.	Goldencents	29	W.C. Racing (Josh Kaplan & Glenn Sorgenstein), Dave Kenney & RAP Racing (Rick Pitino)	Doug O’Neill	\$758,000
9.	Shanghai Bobby	24	Starlight Racing (Jack & Laurie Wolf & Donald & Barbara Lucarelli et al), Mrs. John Magnier, Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith	Todd Pletcher	\$1,731,000
10.	Java’s War	22	Charles Fipke	Ken McPeck	\$201,772
11.	Den’s Legacy	20	Westrock Stables LLC (Scott & Joe Ford)	Bob Baffert	\$325,000
12.	Falling Sky	20	Newtown Anner Stud, James Covello & Joseph Bulger	John Terranova II	\$157,500
13.	West Hills Giant	20	Long Island Racing Stables, Sunrise Stables, Bentivegna	John Terranova II	\$89,000
14.	Code West	20	Gary & Mary West	Bob Baffert	\$80,000
15.	Dynamic Sky	13	John C. Oxley	Mark Casse	\$289,168
16.	Speak Logistics	11	Hardway Stables, Inc. (Ralph Nabavi)	Eddie Plesa Jr.	\$52,500
17.	Itsmyluckyday	10	Trilogy Stable (Marion Montanari & David Melin) & Laurie Plesa	Eddie Plesa Jr.	\$393,600
18.	Overanalyze	10	Repole Stable (Mike Repole)	Todd Pletcher	\$308,381
19.	Uncaptured	10	John C. Oxley	Mark Casse	\$292,374
20.	Super Ninety Nine	10	Tanma Corporation (Susan Chu)	Bob Baffert	\$218,000
21.	Power Broker	10	Gary & Mary West	Bob Baffert	\$210,000
22.	Revolutionary	10	WinStar Farm LLC (Kenny Troutt)	Todd Pletcher	\$120,000
t-23.	Elnaawi	10	Shadwell Stable (Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum)	Kiaran McLaughlin	\$40,000
t-23.	Palace Malice	10	Dogwood Stable, Inc. (W. Cothran “Cot” Campbell)	Todd Pletcher	\$40,000
25.	Tiz a Minister	10	S. A. Y. Racing, LLC	Paul Aguirre	\$36,000
26.	Texas Bling	9	Hall’s Family Trust (Lewis A. Hall)	Danele Durham	\$241,200
27.	Siete de Oros	7	Ramon Preciado	Ramon Preciado	\$80,000
28.	He’s Had Enough	6	Reddam Racing LLC (J. Paul Reddam)	Doug O’Neill	\$442,000
29.	Fear the Kitten	6	Frank Irvin	Mike Maker	\$84,890
30.	Tesseron	5	Donver Stable (Donna & Vern Dubinsky)	Josie Carroll	\$49,017
31.	Capo Bastone	4	Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners (Aron Wellman et al)	Todd Pletcher	\$246,000
32.	Normandy Invasion	4	Fox Hill Farms Inc. (Rick Porter)	Chad Brown	\$58,000
33.	Golden Soul	4	Charles Fipke	Dallas Stewart	\$44,000
34.	Escapefromreality	4	MeB Stables LLC & Brooklyn Boyz Stables (Anthony & Mary Bonomo)	Dominick Schettino	\$41,334
35.	Frac Daddy	4	Magic City Thoroughbred Partners (Carter Stewart)	Ken McPeck	\$40,596
36.	Fortify	3	Godolphin (Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum et al)	Mahmood Al Zarooni	\$225,000
37.	Mylute	2	GoldMark Farm, LLC (T. Paul Bulmahn) & Whisper Hill Farm (Amanda Pope)	Tom Amoss	\$163,365
38.	Carving	2	Jill Baffert & Bode Miller	Bob Baffert	\$145,750
39.	Clearly Now	2	Irma Desrochers & Leonard Zenith	Brian Lynch	\$145,086
40.	Heaven’s Runway	2	K.K. Jayaraman & V. Devi Jayaraman	Joseph Martin	\$111,198
41.	My Name Is Michael	2	Watchel Stable, Barry Butzer & Dominion Bloodstock	Bill Mott	\$50,171
42.	Always in a Tiz	2	MeB Stables LLC (Mary Ellen Bonomo) & Brooklyn Boyz Stables (Anthony Bonomo Sr.)	Dominick Schettino	\$39,000
43.	Delhomme	2	WinStar Farm LLC (Kenny Troutt) & Twin Creeks Racing (Randy Gullatt & Steve Davison et al)	Todd Pletcher	\$27,000
44.	Dewey Square	2	Siena Farms, LLC (Anthony Manganaro)	Dale Romans	\$16,298
45.	Manando	2	Kaleem Shah Inc.	Bob Baffert	\$12,000
46.	Pataky Kid	1	Swiftly Farms Inc. (Don & Dana Myers)	Tom Proctor	\$110,714
47.	Amerigo Vespucci	1	Aldie Germania Farms Inc.	Timothy Tullock Jr.	\$70,000
48.	Dry Summer	1	Michael Britt or Sam House	Joel Marr	\$66,000
49.	Joshua’s Comprise	1	Rose Family Stable	Barry Rose	\$56,000
50.	Quinzieme Monarque	1	John M.B. O’Connor	Tom Albertrani	\$20,000
51.	Channel Isle	1	Calumet Farm (Brad Kelley)	D. Wayne Lukas	\$15,000
52.	Little Jerry	1	Jaam Racing, Inc. (Jason Tackitt) & Riley Racing Stable (Jerry Fialkowski)	Richard Baltas	\$12,000

KENTUCKY DERBY PREP SEASON POINTS EARNED THIS WEEK:

Race	1st (Points)	2nd (Points)	3rd (Points)	4th (Points)
Rebel	Will Take Charge (50)	Oxbow (20)	Den’s Legacy (10)	Texas Bling (5)

NOT TRIPLE CROWN NOMINATED – Joha (10 points); Steeler-IRE (10), River Seven (10), Dice Flavor (10), Artigiano (4), Nina’s Dragon (4), Indiano Jones (2), Al Waab-IRE (2), Counting Days (2), Hightail (1), Five Iron (1), Birdman-IRE (1), Archwarrior (1) & Stormy Holiday (1)

SIDELINED/INACTIVE/OFF TRAIL – Ive Struck a Nerve (51 points); Violence (30); Majestic Hussar (5); Bern Identity (4); Know More (4) & Fury Kapcori (4)

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TIEBREAKERS – If two or more horses have the same number of points, the tiebreaker is **earnings in non-restricted stakes races**.

FILLIES – If a filly wants to run in the Kentucky Derby she can, but she’ll have to earn her way into the field by accumulating points against open company just like the rest of the colts and geldings and be nominated to the Triple Crown. Additionally, any points earned by a filly in the “Road to the Kentucky Derby” series against open company will be credited to her point total in the “Road to the Kentucky Oaks” series.

DEAD-HEATS – In the event of a dead-heat (tie) in a “Road to the Kentucky Derby” race, those horses will divide equally the points they would have received jointly had one beaten the other.

SPLIT DIVISIONS – In the event a “Road to the Kentucky Derby” race is split into divisions and each division awards its originally published purse money, points will be awarded as scheduled for each division. If the originally published purse is halved for each division, points will be halved as well.

SCHEDULE CHANGES – No changes to the 2013 schedule are planned at this time. Churchill Downs officials will review which races will be included in the “Road to the Kentucky Derby” series annually. Plans call for the schedule of races to be announced each July.

NOMINATIONS – Horses born in 2010 were made eligible to run in this year’s Kentucky Derby and Triple Crown with a \$600 early payment that was due Jan. 26, 2013. A late period for nominations at \$6,000 each will close Saturday, March 23, 2013. In addition to the Triple Crown nomination fee, owners must pay \$25,000 to enter the Derby by 10 a.m. ET on Wednesday, May 1, 2013, and an additional \$25,000 to start. If there are less than 24 Triple Crown nominees entered, a horse may be supplemented for \$200,000.

POST POSITION DRAW – The Kentucky Derby Post Position Draw – a traditional “pill pull” in which horses’ entry blanks are pulled simultaneously with a numbered pill to determine what stall a horse will break from the starting gate – will be held at Churchill Downs on Wednesday, May 1, 2013, at 5 p.m. ET (Live on NBC Sports Network). Up to 24 horses may enter the race and four horses can be listed as “also eligible” and would be ranked in order accordingly; they could draw into the field should any horse(s) be scratched before scratch time on Friday, May 3, 2013 at 9 a.m. ET.

PRIZE MONEY – The Kentucky Derby winner will receive a gold trophy plus an estimated \$1.24 million payday. A total of \$400,000 will be awarded to the runner-up, \$200,000 to third, \$100,000 to fourth and \$60,000 to fifth.

KENTUCKY DERBY PREP SEASON

(Points: 10-4-2-1)

Day	Date	DD	WD	Gr.	Purse	Race	Distance	Track
Sat.	Sept. 29	217	31	II	\$158,994	Juddmonte Royal Lodge	1 M (I)	Newmarket
Sat.	Sept. 29	217	31	I	\$250,000	FrontRunner	1 1/16 M	Santa Anita
Sat.	Oct. 6	210	30	I	\$400,000	Foxwoods Champagne	1 M	Belmont Park
Sat.	Oct. 6	210	30	I	\$400,000	Dixiana Breeders’ Futurity	1 1/16 M (S)	Keeneland
Sun.	Oct. 7	209	30	III	\$229,677	Grey	1 1/16 M (S)	Woodbine
Sat.	Nov. 3	182	26	I	\$1,818,000	Grey Goose Breeders’ Cup Juvenile	1 1/16 M	Santa Anita
Sat.	Nov. 17	168	24	III	\$1,000,000	Delta Downs Jackpot	1 1/16 M	Delta Downs
Sat.	Nov. 24	161	23	II	\$250,000	Remsen	1 1/8 M	Aqueduct
Sat.	Nov. 24	161	23	II	\$177,150	Kentucky Jockey Club	1 1/16 M	Churchill Downs
Sat.	Dec. 15	140	20	I	\$750,000	CashCall Futurity	1 1/16 M (S)	Betfair Hollywood Park
Sat.	Jan. 5	119	17	III	\$100,000	Sham	1 M	Santa Anita
Sat.	Jan. 19	105	15	III	\$200,000	Lecomte	1 M 70 Y	Fair Grounds
Mon.	Jan. 21	103	15		\$150,000	Smarty Jones	1 M	Oaklawn Park
Sat.	Jan. 26	98	14	III	\$400,000	Holy Bull	1 1/16 M	Gulfstream Park
Sat.	Feb. 2	91	13	II	\$200,000	Robert B. Lewis	1 1/16 M	Santa Anita
Sat.	Feb. 2	91	13	III	\$200,000	Sam F. Davis	1 1/16 M	Tampa Bay Downs
Sat.	Feb. 2	91	13	III	\$200,000	Withers	1 1/16 M	Aqueduct
Sat.	Feb. 16	77	11	III	\$200,000	El Camino Real Derby	1 1/8 M (S)	Golden Gate
Mon.	Feb. 18	75	11	III	\$300,000	Southwest	1 1/16 M	Oaklawn Park

KENTUCKY DERBY CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES

First Leg of Series (Points: 50-20-10-5)

Day	Date	DD	WD	Gr.	Purse	Race	Distance	Track
Sat.	Feb. 23	70	10	II	\$400,000	Besilu Stables Fountain of Youth	1 1/16 M	Gulfstream Park
Sat.	Feb. 23	70	10	II	\$400,000	Risen Star	1 1/16 M	Fair Grounds
Sat.	Mar. 2	63	9	III	\$400,000	Gotham	1 1/16 M	Aqueduct
Sat.	Mar. 9	56	8	II	\$350,000	Tampa Bay Derby	1 1/16 M	Tampa Bay Downs
Sat.	Mar. 9	56	8	II	\$300,000	San Felipe	1 1/16 M	Santa Anita
Sat.	Mar. 16	49	7	II	\$600,000	Rebel	1 1/16 M	Oaklawn Park
Sat.	Mar. 23	42	6	III	\$550,000	Horseshoe Casino Cincinnati Spiral	1 1/8 M (S)	Turfway Park
Sun.	Mar. 24	41	6	III	\$800,000	Sunland Derby	1 1/8 M	Sunland Park

Second Leg of Series (Points: 100-40-20-10)

Day	Date	DD	WD	Gr.	Purse	Race	Distance	Track
Sat.	Mar. 30	35	5	I	\$1,000,000	Besilu Stables Florida Derby	1 1/8 M	Gulfstream Park
Sat.	Mar. 30	35	5	II	\$1,000,000	Louisiana Derby	1 1/8 M	Fair Grounds
Sat.	Mar. 30	35	5	II	\$2,000,000	UAE Derby	1 3/16 M (S)	Meydan
Sat.	Apr. 6	28	4	I	\$1,000,000	Wood Memorial	1 1/8 M	Aqueduct
Sun.	Apr. 6	28	4	I	\$750,000	Santa Anita Derby	1 1/8 M	Santa Anita
Sat.	Apr. 13	21	3	I	\$1,000,000	Arkansas Derby	1 1/8 M	Oaklawn Park
Sat.	Apr. 13	21	3	I	\$750,000	Toyota Blue Grass	1 1/8 M (S)	Keeneland

Wild Card (Points: 20-8-4-2)

Day	Date	DD	WD	Gr.	Purse	Race	Distance	Track
Sat.	Apr. 20	14	2	III	\$200,000	Coolmore Lexington	1 1/16 M (S)	Keeneland
Sat.	Apr. 27	7	1	III	\$175,000	Derby Trial	1 M	Churchill Downs

DD = Days until May 4 Kentucky Derby; WD = Weeks until May 4 Kentucky Derby; Gr. = Grade; M = Miles; Y = Yards; F = Furlongs; (I) = Turf; (S) = Synthetic

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