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BAY COLT
Foaled February 4, 2014

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By HARD SPUN (2004). Black-type winner of \$2,673,470, King's Bishop S. **[G1]** (SAR, \$150,000), etc. Sire of 5 crops of racing age, 979 foals, 550 starters, 40 black-type winners, 355 winners of 900 races and earning \$33,516,237, including champion Questing (GB) (\$876,876, Alabama S. **[G1]** (SAR, \$360,000), etc.), and of Hard Not to Like (\$961,671, Gamely S. **[G1]** (SA, \$180,000), etc.), Wicked Strong **[G1]** (3 wins, \$1,589,460), Hardest Core **[G1]** (\$850,580), Hard Aces **[G1]** (to 5, 2015, \$592,145).

1st dam

VACARE, by Lear Fan. 8 wins in 14 starts, 3 to 5, \$1,269,086, Queen Elizabeth II Challenge Cup S. **[G1]** (KEE, \$310,000), First Lady S. **[G2]** (KEE, \$248,000), Palomar H. **[G2]** (DMR, \$120,000), Dahlia H. **[G2]** (HOL, \$90,000), Pucker Up S. **[G3]** (AP, \$120,000), Magna Distaff S. [L] (GP, \$45,000), 2nd Yellow Ribbon S. **[G1]** (OSA, \$80,000), Ballston Spa H. **[G2]** (SAR, \$40,000), 3rd Gamely S. **[G1]** (HOL, \$44,856). Dam of 4 other registered foals, 4 of racing age, including a 2-year-old of 2015, 2 to race, 2 winners, incl.-- Knotty Pine (GB) (f. by Pivotal). Winner at 4, \$51,668.

2nd dam

APPEALING STORM, by Valid Appeal. Winner at 2 and 3, \$39,300. Dam of-- **VACARE** (f. by Lear Fan). Black-type winner, above.

SINGLE SOLUTION (f. by Flatter). 4 wins to 4, \$199,439, Pin Oak Valley View S. **[G3]** (KEE, \$75,000), 2nd Blushing K. D. H. (FG, \$12,000), 3rd Pucker Up S. **[G3]** (AP, \$20,460). Dam of 2 foals, 1 to race-- **No Fault of Mine** (f. by Blame). Winner in 2 starts at 2, \$61,454, 2nd Golden Rod S. **[G2]** (CD, \$42,854).

ABTAAL (c. by Rock Hard Ten). 2 wins at 2, €98,550, in France, Prix Thomas Bryon **[G3]**, 2nd Prix Djebel **[G3]**, 3rd Prix Daphnis **[G3]**, La Coupe de Marseille; winner at 5, \$33,767, in N.A./U.S. (Total: \$163,875).

Debora Ann. Unraced. Dam of 6 foals, 5 to race, 3 winners, including-- **Positive Side** (g. by Johar). Winner at 3, 4, and 5, placed at 7, 2015, \$203,967, 2nd Shakertown S. **[G3]** (KEE, \$20,000), Arlington Sprint S. [L] (AP, \$14,550), Colonel Power S. (FG, \$12,000), 3rd Twin Spires Turf Sprint S. **[G3]** (CD, \$16,085).

3rd dam

STORM O' FIRE, by Storm Bird. Unplaced in 1 start. Half-sister to **ALABAMA NANA (IRE) [G3]**, **TOOOVERPRIME (IRE)**. Dam of 4 winners, including-- Storm Sweep. 6 wins, 3 to 7, ¥40,471,000, in Japan. (Total: \$351,138). Valid Storm. Placed, \$9,180. Dam of **STORM FORCAST** (Total: \$136,714, dam || of **Mark**, Total: \$89,007; **Tempest**, Total: \$28,508), **Riverbrook** (\$58,090). Miss Valid Storm. Unraced. Dam of **VADHEIM** (2 wins, \$73,754).

Engagements: Breeders' Cup.

Foaled in Kentucky. (KTDF).