# Top 10 Contenders for the 66th Little Brown Jug Week #3 – August 31, 2011

For the next few weeks the Little Brown Jug's Assistant Publicity Director Jay Wolf will feature the top LBJ contenders for the 66th edition on the Little Brown Jug on September 22.

# 1.) Roll With Joe (Last Week #1)

Owners: Blue Chip Bloodstock (NY), Stephen Demeter (NY), Not To Worry Stable (NY) and

Winbak Farms (MD)

Trainer: Ed Hart Driver: Ron Pierce Lifetime Earnings: \$1,375,457 Lifetime Mark: 1:48.2

Did not race last week. He drew the outside post #8 for the \$342,875 Cane Pace Final at Tioga

Downs.

## 2.) Big Bad John (#2)

Owner: Winchester Baye Acres, Inc. (FL)

Trainer: Ron Potter Drivers: David Miller and Brett Miller

Lifetime Earnings: \$568,732 Lifetime Mark: 1:49

The Western Hanover colt will be racing in the \$200,000 Pennsylvania Sire Stakes Final on

September 5 at Harrah's Chester.

## 3.) Custard The Dragon (#4)

Owners: George Teague Jr. Inc. (DE), Fannin Racing LLC (DE), Ted Gewertz (NY) and Robert

Feldman (FL)

Trainer: George Teague, Jr. Driver: Montell Teague Lifetime Earnings: \$701,667 Lifetime Mark: 1:48.1f

Will face-off with Big Bad John in the \$200,000 PASS Final on September 5.

#### 4.) See You At Peelers (#3)

Owners: Christina Takter (NJ), John Fielding (ON) and Jim Fielding (ON)

Trainer: Jimmy Takter Driver: Marcus Johansson Lifetime Earnings: \$1,485,952 Lifetime Mark: 1:49.2f

The filly is now 22 for 23. She finished sixth in the \$193,158 Nadia Lobell Stake at the Meadows. She had post #9 and was forced to set the speedy fractions of :26.1, :53.1 and 1:21.1 before

fading in the lane. She was named the 3-1 favorite in the first LBJ Future Wager.

#### 5.) High Noon (#5)

Owners: Christina Takter (NJ), John Fielding (ON), Falkbolagen Ab (NJ) and Riverview Farms

(NJ)

Trainer: Jimmy Takter Driver: Ron Pierce
Lifetime Earnings: \$327,062 Lifetime Mark: 1:50.4

Is having bad luck in the post draws. He had post #8 in the Battle of the Brandywine and will have

post #9 in the Cane Pace Final at Tioga.

#### 6.) Shadyshark Hanover (#6)

Owners: Shadyshark Stable (IL)

Trainer: Erv Miller Driver: Jim Morrill, Jr. Lifetime Earnings: \$718,251 Lifetime Mark: 1:47.4

Will leave from post #5 in the \$342,875 Cane Pace Final on September 10.

## 7.) Powerful Mist (#7)

Owner: Legacy Racing of DE Inc. (DE), Niel Gargiulo (DE) and Louie Paglierani (FL)

Trainer: Wayne Givens Drivers: Andy Miller and Dave Palone

Lifetime Earnings: \$543,997 Lifetime Mark: 1:50.2f

The Powerful Toy colt drew the coveted rail spot in the Cane Pace Final.

#### 8.) Wink N Atcha (#8)

Owners: George Teague Jr. Inc. (DE), Paisano Stable (DE), Ted Gewertz (NY) and Robert

Feldman (FL)

Trainer: George Teague, Jr. Driver: Yannick Gingras Lifetime Earnings: \$499,692 Lifetime Mark: 1:51.2f

Will race in the \$50,000 PASS Consolation pace on September 5 at Harrah's Chester.

## 9.) Up The Credit (#10)

Owners: Carl Jamieson (ON), Thomas Kyron (ON), Brian Paquet (QC) and Joanne Morrison

(ON)

Trainer: Carl Jamieson Driver: Jody Jamieson Lifetime Earnings: \$1,009,922 Lifetime Mark: 1:49s

Finished 3rd in a Preferred Pace at Mohawk Raceway last weekend.

# 10.) Dancin Yankee (NR)

Owners: Robert Briley (KY) and Baron Racing Stable (PA)

Trainer: Josh Green Driver: Kyle Ater
Lifetime Earnings: \$122,620 Lifetime Mark: 1:50.2.f

The Ohio bred has won five of his last six starts. The Yankee Cruiser colt finished 30-1 in the

Little Brown Jug Future Wager

#### Odds and Ends

## "Big" Loss

Big Jim, winner of the 2010 Breeders Crown 2-year-old Colt Pace was retired from racing after suffering injuries to both rear ankles.

The Western Ideal colt was four for 10 this season and had lifetime earnings of \$1,541,924. He established his lifetime mark of 1:49.1 as a two-year old.

# Overnight Sensation?

The complete stakes and overnight schedules for the 2011 Delaware County Fair have been released and can be found on www.littlebrownjug.com.

It was also announced that for the first time a half-mile pace will be contested on Wednesday, September 21. The pace is for horses and geldings who have won more than \$1,000 but less than \$5,000 in 2011. The estimated purse is \$2,500. The world record for a ½ mile sprint is :54.2 and was set at Northfield Park in 1996.

#### **Trivia Time**

What Jug entrant came into the LBJ with highest career earnings?

Answer will appear next week.

**Last Week's Answer:** Bonjour Hanover (1965) was the last filly to compete in the Little Brown Jug before Fan Hanover's win in 1981.