

Kentucky Equine Research Feeds the Champions

Steeplechasing. In a race so tough that the favorite rarely wins, a 40-1 long shot crossed the finish line first in the 135th National Hunt Chase Challenge Cup at Cheltenham Race Course. Another Rum, trained by Ian Duncan and ridden by Mark O'Hare, outlasted more than a dozen other entrants in a contest that pits horses and riders against a hilly course of 27 hurdles, ditches, and water jumps. The horses ran for almost nine minutes over a twisting pretzel-shaped track leading to an uphill finish. Another Rum took the lead two fences from home and pulled away from his rivals to win by several lengths. Products from Irish company **Bluegrass Horse Feeds**, a KER Team Member, provided the horse with the stamina to win this challenging event.

Dressage, Driving, Team Roping, Arabian Breeding. Horse owners in the southeastern United States have a variety of interests, and **Flint River Mills**, KER's Georgia Team Member, has a range of feeds for every requirement.


- Dressage enthusiast and FRM customer Susan Dutta and her Oldenburg gelding Currency DC are ranked first in the U.S. after their breathtaking performance at the World Championship Finals in Verden, Germany. In a discipline where many competitors rarely see scores as high as 7, Dutta earned an 8.7 for canter, 9.0 for submission and type, and a 9.5 for trot.
- Jim Richards, who pilots his equines in combined driving events, has had a successful spring and summer, thanks in part to FRM feeds. Driving a pair of horses, he won the intermediate level championship at the Georgia International CDE in April, and the next month claimed a top-ten finish in the USEF National Pairs Championship in New Jersey. At the prestigious Laurels, Pennsylvania competition in September, Richards finished in third place in the advanced multiple horse division.
- Team roper Jimmy Tanner and his horse Big 'Un captured first place with a 5.1-second run in the 2004 PCRA Dodge National Circuit Finals Rodeo in Idaho. He also won the Silver Spurs 112th Semi-Annual Pro Rodeo in Florida in the same year. Highlights of 2005 include first-place finishes in the Western Stampede and the Strawberry Days Rodeo in Utah. The Georgia native counts on FRM to keep his header horses in top condition.
- Finally, FRM customer Chapel Farms Arabians boasts successes with an array of its youngsters including Koweta Call Me Emmie (Region 12 Champion Half-Arabian two-year-old filly), Koweta Buckoneer (Region

12 top ten half-Arabian yearling colt/gelding), Very Versace (Region 12 top ten yearling sweepstakes colt), and Aascent (Region 12 top ten two-year-old gelding).

Saddlebreds. KER Team Member **Hallway Feeds** supplies products to the fine harness horses at John Conatser's Carriage Lane Farms in Nicholasville, Kentucky. Conatser ranked fifth in the list of leading trainers at the World's Championship Horse Show at the 2005 Kentucky State Fair, an event that is considered the richest and most prestigious competition for Saddlebred horses. On the strength of his long record of show successes, Conatser was awarded the United Professional Horseman's Association Richard E. Lavery Horseman of the Year title in 2004, and at the 2005 convention of the United Professional Horsemen's Association, he was named the Tom Moore Horseman of the Year.

Model Horses. Winsome Adante, owned by Plain Dealing Farm and ridden by Kim Severson, has been chosen as the subject for the tenth USET Foundation Breyer model horse. The figurine will be produced in a limited edition of 750 copies and is destined to become a collector's item. Powered by feeds produced by KER Team Member **Pennfield Feeds**, Winsome Adante has won numerous top-level competitions including Rolex Kentucky (three-time winner), Blenheim, and the silver medal at the Olympic Games in Athens.

Thoroughbred Racing. When top race trainers look for the very best nutrition for the equine athletes in their care, many of them choose products made by **Hallway Feeds** in Lexington, Kentucky. These Hallway customers made the right choice for the following Grade I stakes winners in only a three-month period this year: Richard Mandella (Salt Champ—Santa Monica Handicap and Rock Hard Ten—Santa Anita Handicap); Richard Dutrow (Saint Liam—Donn Handicap and Sis City—Ashland Stakes); Bobby Frankel (High Limit—Louisiana Derby and Leroidesanimaux—Frank E. Kilroe Mile Handicap); Ken McPeck (Prince Arch—Gulfstream Park Breeders' Cup Handicap); John Shirreffs (Tarlow—Santa Margarita Invitational Handicap and Giacomo—Kentucky Derby); Nick Zito (High Fly—Florida Derby and Bellamy Road—Wood Memorial Stakes); and Jeff Mullins (Buzzards Bay—Santa Anita Handicap).

Kentucky Equine Research congratulates these outstanding horses, trainers, riders, and drivers, and wishes them continued success. 

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