

In the Know in Ohio

E-NEWS AND E-NOTES FOR FRIDAY FEBRUARY 20th 2026



THE PLAYERS



1	APEX 2ct 1:51.4m Walner - Mission Brief - Muscle Hill Owners: Jeffrey Snyder, S R F Stable, Steve Stewart.	Marcus Melander, trainer 9 6-1-1 \$871,798.00
2	SETYOURSIGHTSHIGH 2f 1:53.1m In Range - Special Interest - Cantab Hall Heights Stable, Mantorp., AMG Stable., K Kjellgren Livs AB	Marcus Melander, trainer 11 7-4-0 \$678,159.00
3	SUPER CHAPTER 3c 1:50f Chapter Seven - Lifetime Pursuit - Cantab Hall Jeffrey Snyder, Arthur Pronti, Hanover Shoe Farms	Marcus Melander, trainer 14 9-3-1 \$1.23 million
4	YO TILLY 3ft 1:50.2m Tactical Landing - Consolidator - Triumphant Caviar William Pollock, Bruce Areman, Andrew Harris.	Andrew Harris, trainer 12 11-1-0 \$979,195.00
5	LEXUS CODY 7gt 1:49.1m Archangel - Lexus Helios - Ken Warkentin Burke Racing, Weaver Brusceci, Phillip Collura	Ron Burke, trainer 21 11-3-4 \$1.31 million
6	WARRAWEE MICHELLE 4mt 1:50f Walner - Sound Check - Yankee Glide Ake Svanstedt Inc., Santandrea Inc., Young Guns.	Ake Svanstedt, trainer 11 3-4-2 \$561,991.00
7	BEAU JANGLES 2cp 1:48.3m Cattlewash - Mrs Major Hill - Art Major Graham Grace Stb, Kiwi Stables, Bolton Stables.	Ian Moore, trainer 12 12-0-0 \$1.22 million
8	LOUA DIPPA 2fp 1:48m Sweet Lou - Looksgoodinaromper - Pet Rock Burke Racing Stable LLC., Weaver Brusceci LLC.	Ron Burke, trainer 13 9-2-1 \$827,028.00
9	LOUPRINT 3pc 1:46.3m Sweet Lou - Rockin Racer - Rockin Image Burke Stable, Weaver Brusceci, Collura, Karr	Ron Burke, trainer 12 10-1-0 \$1.02 million
10	MIKI AND MINI 3fp 1:48.2m Always B Miki - That's The Ticket - Roll With Joe Craig Henderson, Robert Mondillo, Lawrence Minowitz	Chris Ryder, trainer 15 13-2-0 \$1.12 million
11	ERVIN HANOVER 5hp 1:46.2m Captaintreacherous - Eloquent Grace - Well Said Owner: Pollack Racing LLC.	David Monary, trainer 17 10-1-1 \$848,218.00
12	TWIN B JOE FRESH 5mp 1:47.3m Roll With Joe - Fresh Breeze - Captaintreacherous Chris Ryder, Dexter Dunn, Peter Trebotica, Barry Spak	Chris Ryder, trainer 9 6-2-1 \$526,714.00

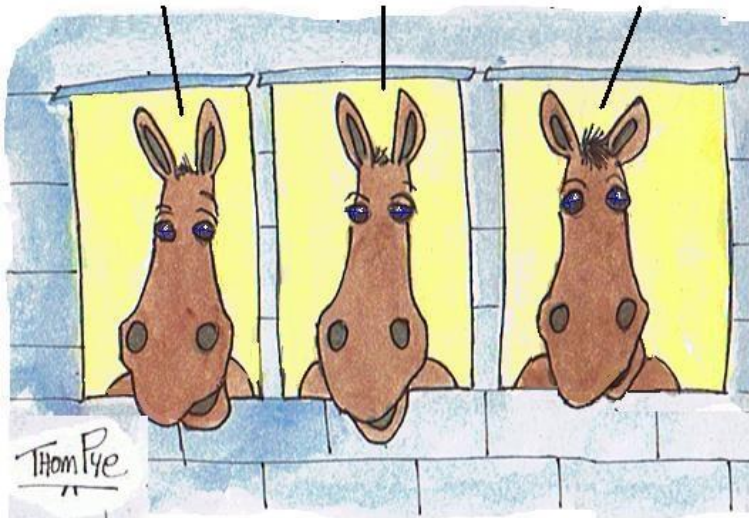
IT'S TIME TO GET DOWN TO THE NITTY GRITTY

Some beach, somewhere in Florida...

SUNDAY!!! The official naming of 2025 Horse of the Year culminates Feb 22nd in Ocala, Florida as the United States Harness Writers Association presents the coveted Dan Patch Awards to both horse and human. The suspense is palatable and almost as tasty as the food feasts over the weekend as the Sports elite goes to post. The choices have been made... we can only wait to see if “our” selections hold true.

It will be a Night to Remember!

It might come down to one vote! Which could be mine! I could be a tiebreaker!

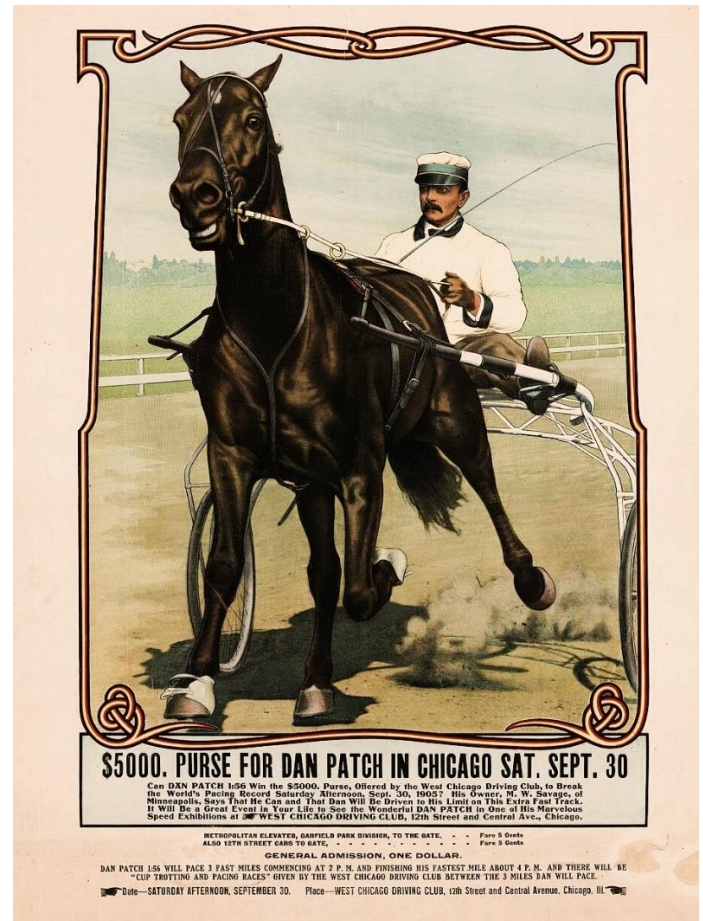


Dan Patch (1896-1916) was America's first sports hero remaining undefeated in a race as his record for the mile of 1:55 ¼ stood for 30 years.

His sire, **Joe Patchen** (1889-1917) was a Champion in his own right as he finished 1st or 2nd in over 90% of his starts and was the record holder on a half-mile track until Dan went in 2:04h. His Kansas stud fee was \$150 (\$6,800 nowadays) & he was known as “The Iron Horse”

Who drove Joe Patchen?

- A) Myron McHenry
- B) Knapsack Murphy
- C) Edward “Pop” Geers



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