

Commonwealth Stakes (G3)

31st Running • Spring • 7 furlongs • 4-year-olds and up

The Commonwealth is one of the supporting features on the day of the Toyota Blue Grass (G1) during the Spring Meet.

Milestones – Commonwealth Stakes

2016 Purse: \$250,000

Fastest Time at Current Distance (7 furlongs): 1:20 2/5, Distorted Humor, 1998

Largest Straight Payoff: \$66.20, Black Tie Affair (IRE), 1990

Smallest Straight Payoff: \$2.60, Richter Scale, 2000

Largest Field: 12, 2006

Smallest Field: 5, 1999; 2010; 2011; 2013

Largest Value to Winner: \$274,784, Sun King, 2006



Ami's Flatter won the Commonwealth (G3) by 2¾ lengths for his first career stakes win.



Kentucky's Agriculture Commissioner, Ryan Quarles, presented the trophy to jockey Martin Garcia and Ruth Schmidt, assistant to trainer Josie Carroll.

Commonwealth Stakes History

Year	Winner/Age/Owner	Jockey/Wgt./Trainer	2nd/Age/Jockey/Wgt.	3rd/Age/Jockey/Wgt.	Time	Margin
2016	Ami's Flatter (4) Ivan Dalos	Martin Garcia (118) Josie Carroll	Ready for Rye (4) Javier Castellano (120)	Holy Boss (4) Florent Geroux (120)	1:21.66 ft	2 3/4
2015	Kobe's Back (4) C R K Stable (Lee Searing)	Gary Stevens (118) Peter Eurtan	C. Zee (4) Edgard Zayas (120)	Rocket Time (4) Calvin Borel (118)	1:22.16 ft	3/4
2014	Occasional View (6) Robert Trussell	Alan Garcia (118) Kenneth G. McPeck	Dimension (GB) (6) James Graham (118)	Laugh Track (5) Jose Lezcano (118)	1:22.77 Polytrack	1
2013	Handsome Mike (4) Reddam Racing LLC (J. Paul Reddam)	Mario Gutierrez (118) Doug O'Neill	Gantry (6) Richard Eramia (118)	Candyman E (6) Joe Bravo (118)	1:23.14 Polytrack	1 1/4
2012	Lonesome Street (5) Kenneth L. and Sarah K. Ramsey	Joel Rosario (118) Michael J. Maker	Bergerac (5) Javier Castellano (118)	Right One (FR) (6) Garrett Gomez (118)	1:21.17 Polytrack	2 1/4
2011	Aikenite (4) Dogwood Stable (W. Cothran Campbell)	John R. Velazquez (118) Todd A. Pletcher	Cool Bullett (4) Shaun Bridgmohan (118)	Le Grand Cru (6) Jamie Theriot (118)	1:22.35 Polytrack	2 1/4

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2010	Together Indy (4) R.A. Hill Stable (Raymond A. Hill) and Vic Fontana	Kent Desormeaux (118) George Weaver	Congressional Page (5) Javier Castellano (118)	Imperial Council (4) Julien Leparoux (118)	1:22.34 Polytrack	ft 1
2009	Eternal Star (5) Harry C. and Tom O. Meyerhoff	Eibar Coa (118) Michael J. Trombetta	Rebellion (GB) (6) Edgar Prado (118)	My Pal Charlie (4) Julien Leparoux (122)	1:21.17 Polytrack	ft 3/4
2008	Rebellion (GB) (5) Hickory Tree Stables (Jim and Marylea Treptow)	Edgar Prado (118) H. Graham Motion	Elite Squadron (4) John Velazquez (118)	Medzendekron (5) Eibar Coa (120)	1:21.40 Polytrack	ft hd
2007	Silent Name (JPN) (5) Stronach Stables (Elfriede and Andrew Stronach), Wertheimer and Frere (Alain Wertheimer)	Corey Nakatani (118) Gary Mandella	Lewis Michael (4) Rene Douglas (118)	Steel Light (6) Garrett Gomez (118)	1:21.26 Polytrack	ft 4
2006	Sun King (4) Tracy Farmer	Corey Nakatani (120) Nicholas P. Zito	Kazoo (8) Richard Migliore (118)	Spanish Chestnut (4) Julien Leparoux (118)	1:23.30	ft 2 3/4
2005	Clock Stopper (5) Overbrook Farm (William T. Young Jr.)	Jerry Bailey (118) Dallas Stewart	Gators N Bears (5) Charles Lopez (118)	Silver Wagon (4) Cornelio Velasquez (118)	1:22.06	ft 3/4
2004	Lion Tamer * (4) Michael B. Tabor	Mike Smith (122) Todd A. Pletcher	Private Horde (5) Jason Lumpkins (120)	Marino Marini (4) David Flores (118)	1:23.14	ft 3/4
2003	Smooth Jazz (4) Michael B. Tabor	Edgar Prado (118) Todd A. Pletcher	Crafty C.T. (5) Jerry Bailey (118)	Multiple Choice (5) Shane Sellers (120)	1:21.73	ft 3
2002	Oriental (4) Beverly J. and Robert B. Lewis	Pat Day (120) D. Wayne Lukas	Aldebaran (4) Kent Desormeaux (118)	Twilight Road (5) Rene Douglas (118)	1:21.54 sy	1 1/4
2001	Alannan (5) Eaglestone Farm (William A. Marquard)	Edgar Prado (118) Carl A. Nafzger	Valiant Halory (4) Jon Court (118)	Liberty Gold (7) Craig Perret (118)	1:22.39	ft 4
2000	Richter Scale* (6) Nancy R. and Richard S. Kaster and Nathan Fox	Richard Migliore (121) Mary Jo Lohmeier	Son's Corona (5) Jerry Bailey (117)	Deep Gold (4) Pat Day (117)	1:21	ft 4
1999	Good and Tough* (4) David P. Reynolds	Shane Sellers (115) Frank A. Alexander	Purple Passion (5) Mike Smith (115)	Crucible (4) Craig Perret (115)	1:22	ft 1 1/2
1998	Distorted Humor (5) R.L. Reineman Stables Inc. and Prestonwood Farm Inc. (Art, Jack and J.R. Preston)	Gary Stevens (119) W. Elliott Walden	El Amante (5) Jerry Bailey (114)	Partner's Hero (4) Robby Albarado (121)	1:20 2/5	ft 2
1997	Victor Cooley (4) Windways Farm (Jeff Begg)	Eddie Martin Jr. (114) Mark R. Frostad	Western Winter (5) Jerry Bailey (112)	Appealing Skier (4) Mike Smith (121)	1:22 2/5	ft nk
1996	Afternoon Deelites (4) Burt Bacharach	Kent Desormeaux (124) Richard Mandella	Western Winter (4) Shane Sellers (113)	Our Emblem (5) Pat Day (115)	1:21	ft 1/2
1995	Golden Gear (4) Barry Golden	Craig Perret (118) Doug Matthews	Turkomatic (4) Dean Sarvis (112)	Lit de Justice (5) Corey Nakatani (121)	1:22	ft hd
1994	Memo* (CHI) (7) Stud Panter (Francisco Cortez)	Paul Atkinson (118) Richard Mandella	American Chance (5) Craig Perret (115)	British Banker (6) Shane Sellers (115)	1:22 1/5	ft 3 1/2
1993	Alydeed* (4) Kinghaven Farms	Craig Perret (115) Roger Attfield	Binalong (4) Jerry Bailey (118)	Senor Speedy (6) Jorge Chavez (115)	1:21 2/5	ft hd
1992	Pleasant Tap* (5) Buckland Farm (Thomas M. Evans)	Eddie Delahoussaye (116) Christopher Speckert	To Freedom (4) Julie Krone (115)	Run On the Bank (5) Shane Sellers (118)	1:22 2/5	ft 2 1/2
1991	Black Tie Affair (IRE) (5) Jeff Sullivan	Juvenal Diaz (124) Ernie T. Poulos	Housebuster (4) Craig Perret (124)	Exemplary Leader (5) Corey Black (115)	1:21 4/5	ft 1
1990	Black Tie Affair (IRE) (4) Jeff Sullivan	Mark Guidry (121) Ernie T. Poulos	Shaker Knit (5) Herbert McCauley (115)	Momsfurrari (6) Ricardo Lopez (118)	1:22	ft hd
1989	Sewickley (4) Robert S. Evans	Randy Romero (115) Flint S. Schulhofer	Irish Open (5) Shane Romero (118)	Dancing Spree (4) Angel Cordero Jr. (115)	1:22 2/5	ft 3/4
1988	Calestoga (6) N&M Boyce Inc. (Neil B. Boyce and Michelle Boyce) and Frank Clumsky	Don Brumfield (120) Neil B. Boyce	You're No Bargain (4) Jesse Garcia (117)	Carload (6) Earlie Fires (120)	1:09 2/5 sy	6
1987	Exclusive Enough (3) Dorothy Scharbauer	Mike Smith (111) Jack Van Berg	f-Lazer Show (4) Pat Day (120)	High Brite (3) Jacinto Vasquez (120)	1:08 2/5 (ETR)	ft 1/2

*Winning favorite.

Run at 6 furlongs from 1987-1988. Run at 7 furlongs from 1989-present.

Listed, 1987-1989; Grade 3, 1990-1993; Grade 2, 1994-present.

Run on Polytrack from 2007-2014.