

Kentucky Utilities Transylvania Stakes (G3)

Sponsored by Kentucky Utilities

31st Running • Spring • 1 1/16 miles (turf) • 3-year-olds

The Transylvania Stakes takes its name from Lexington's Transylvania University, the oldest college west of the Allegheny Mountains. Kentucky Utilities began to sponsor the race in 2018.

Milestones – Transylvania Stakes

2018 Purse: \$150,000

Stakes Record: 1:41.31, Nordic Truce, 2010

Largest Straight Payoff: \$139.00, Chin High, 2006

Smallest Straight Payoff: \$3.60, Analyze It, 2018

Largest Field: 11, 2018

Smallest Field: 5, 1996; 2015

Largest Value to Winner: \$93,000, Chattahoochee War, 2005; Chin High, 2006; Marcavelly, 2007; Boss Lafitte, 2008; Stormalory, 2009

Through 2016, Keeneland maintained separate course records for the Keeneland Course and the Haggin Course depending on the setting of a temporary rail. Beginning in 2017, Keeneland consolidated the course records into one set based solely on distance, not rail settings. (See page 212.)



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Unbeaten Keeneland sales graduate Analyze It opened his 2018 campaign with a 5 1/4-length win in the Kentucky Utilities Transylvania (G3) as the 4-5 favorite.



Winning Owner
William H. Lawrence



Winning Trainer
Chad C. Brown



Winning Jockey
Jose Ortiz

Transylvania Stakes History

Year	Winner/Owner	Jockey/Wgt./Trainer	2nd/Jockey/Wgt.	3rd/Jockey/Wgt.	Time	Margin
2018	Analyze It* William H. Lawrence	Jose Ortiz (123) Chad C. Brown	Captivating Moon Florent Geroux (118)	Admiralty Pier Luis Saez (118)	1:45.60	yl 5 1/4
2017	Big Score George Krikorian	Javier Castellano (123) Tim Yakteen	Holiday Stone Luis Saez (118)	Makarios Corey Lanerie (118)	1:43.23	gd 1/2
2016	Shakhimat Richard Hogan and Dan Gale	Emma-Jayne Wilson (118) Roger Attfield	J R's Holiday Emisael Jaramillo (123)	Inspector Lynley Florent Geroux (118)	1:42.65	gd 3 1/4
2015	Night Prowler Paul P. Pompa Jr.	Javier Castellano (118) Chad C. Brown	Luck of the Kitten Mike Smith (123)	Saham Paco Lopez (118)	1:44.03	sf nk
2014	Medal Count Spendthrift Farm	Robby Albarado (118) Dale L. Romans	Picozza John Velazquez (118)	Woodfield Springs Julien Leparoux (118)	1:43.35	ft 1 1/4
2013	Jack Milton* Gary Barber	John Velazquez (118) Todd A. Pletcher	Up With the Birds Shaun Bridgmohan (118)	Redwood Kitten Julien Leparoux (118)	1:41.80	fm nk
2012	Silver Max Mark Bacon and Dana Wells	Robby Albarado (118) Dale L. Romans	Travel Advisory Manoel Cruz (118)	State of Play John Velazquez (123)	1:41.81	fm 5 1/2
2011	Air Support Stuart S. Janney III	Rajiv Maragh (123) Claude R. McGaughey III	Great Mills Julien Leparoux (117)	Adirondack Summer Alan Garcia (123)	1:41.99	fm no
2010	Nordic Truce* Ammerland Stud (Dietrich Von Boetticher)	Julien Leparoux (123) Christophe Clement	Strike the Tiger John Velazquez (117)	Guys Reward Javier Castellano (117)	1:41.31	fm nk
2009	Stormalory* Darley Stable (Mohammed Al Maktoum)	Julien Leparoux (119) William I. Mott	Smart Bid Edgar Prado (119)	Florentino (JPN) Alan Garcia (119)	1:45.73	yl nk

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2008	Boss Lafitte Uptown Racing (Marc Winston and Robert Levy)	Robby Albarado (117) Thomas M. Amoss	Riley Tucker Edgar Prado (117)	Budge Man James Lopez (117)	1:44.43 ft Off Turf	1/2
2007	Marcavelly Zayat Stables (Ahmed Zayat)	Edgar Prado (117) William I. Mott	In Jest Cornelio Velasquez (117)	Cobrador Garrett Gomez (117)	1:36.98 fm Haggin Course	3 1/2
2006	Chin High Ike Thrash	Shaun Bridgmohan (117) Neil Pessin	Le Plaix (FR) Edgar Prado (117)	Wherethewestbegins Cornelio Velasquez (117)	1:37.87 fm Keeneland Course	1
2005	Chattahoochee War Amerman Racing Stables (Mr. and Mrs. John Amerman)	Jerry Bailey (121) Robert J. Frankel	Guillaume Tell (IRE) Rafael Bejarano (117)	Rey de Cafe Javier Castellano (121)	1:35.28 fm Keeneland Course	no
2004	Timo C.K. Woods Stable (Carolyn Kapioltas)	Edgar Prado (123) William Badgett Jr.	Mr. J.T.L. Rafael Bejarano (116)	America Alive Robby Albarado (116)	1:36.52 fm Keeneland Course	3/4
2003	White Cat Raymond H. Cottrell Sr.	Shane Sellers (116) Kenneth G. McPeck	Deep Shadow Kent Desormeaux (118)	Christmas Away Pat Day (116)	1:34.98 fm Keeneland Course	hd
2002	Flying Dash (GER) Fusao Sekiguchi	Jerry Bailey (116) Neil D. Drysdale	Back Packer Rene Douglas (116)	Political Attack Mark Guidry (120)	1:35.69 fm Keeneland Course	2 1/2
2001	Baptize* Gary and Mary West	Jerry Bailey (120) William I. Mott	Dynameaux Frank F. Lovato Jr. (116)	Act of Reform John Velazquez (116)	1:35.28 fm Keeneland Course	1
2000	Field Cat* James S. Karp	Mike Smith (116) Kim Boniface	Lendell Ray Jerry Bailey (116)	Go Lib Go Jorge Chavez (123)	1:35 fm Keeneland Course	1 1/2
1999	Good Night Adele Dilschneider and Claiborne Farm (Mrs. A.B. Hancock Jr.)	Shane Sellers (114) Frank Brothers	Air Rocket Jerry Bailey (114)	Make Your Mark Jose Santos (114)	1:35 fm Keeneland Course	1 1/2
1998	Dog Watch (GB) Lord John Hartington	Robbie Davis (116) Christophe Clement	Reformer Rally Craig Perret (118)	American Odyssey Jerry Bailey (114)	1:34 3/5 fm Keeneland Course	3/4
1997	Near the Bank* Robert Roberts and Clarence Smith	Pat Day (118) Denis W. Roberson	Daylight Savings Jose Santos (114)	Song for James Sal Gonzalez Jr. (113)	1:36 2/5 fm Keeneland Course	hd
1996	More Royal Augustin Stable (George Strawbridge Jr.)	Julie Krone (112) Jonathan E. Sheppard	Defacto Robbie Davis (121)	Rough Opening Eddie Maple (121)	1:35 4/5 fm Keeneland Course	1 1/2
1995	Crimson Guard Calumet Farm (Henryk de Kwiatkowski)	Mike Smith (118) William I. Mott <i>*Ops Smile disqualified from first and placed last.</i>	Dixie Dynasty Earlie Fires (114)	Nostra Jerry Bailey (118)	1:44 gd Keeneland Course	nk*
1994	Star of Manila New Phoenix Stable (Gary Drake et al)	Shane Sellers (121) Burk Kessinger Jr.	Prix de Crouton Mickey Walls (118)	Carpet Mike Smith (118)	1:42 4/5 fm Keeneland Course	2
1993	Proud Shot Jill Robinson	Herbert McCauley (118) Frank A. Alexander	Explosive Red Mark Larsen (121)	Awad Jose Santos (121)	1:44 fm Keeneland Course	1/2
1992	Casino Magistrate Blue Goose Stable (Mrs. C.V. Whitney)	Ricardo Lopez (121) Thomas J. Kelly	Coaxing Matt Charles Woods Jr. (112)	Trans Caribbean Jack Neagle (112)	1:46 3/5 yl Keeneland Course	3
1991	Eastern Dude Frances A. Genter Stable (Frances A. Genter)	Shane Sellers (121) Carl A. Nafzger	Magic Interlude Corey Black (121)	January Man Sandy Hawley (112)	1:42 4/5 fm (NCR)	1
1990	Izvestia Kingshaven Farms (Donald G. Willmot)	Randy Romero (112) Roger Attfield	Scattered Brent Bartram (115)	Divine Warning Keith Allen (112)	1:43 4/5 fm	2 1/2
1989	Shy Tom W.T. Young	Randy Romero (121) D. Wayne Lukas	Once Over Knightly Jim McKnight (118)	Ringerman Larry Saumell (121)	1:50 yl	2 1/2

* Winning favorite.

Listed, 1989-2002: Grade 3, 2003-present.

In 2014, rain forced the race off the turf course to be run on the main track.