

# Consigned by Niall Brennan Stables, Agent IV

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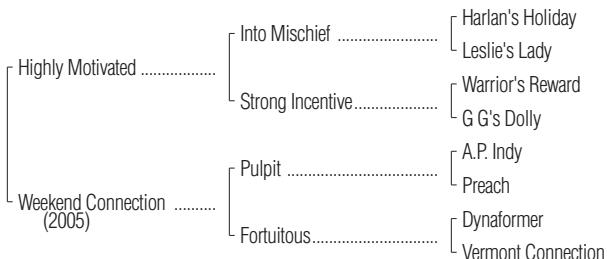
**Bay Colt**

**Hip No.**

**495**

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March 19, 2024



**By HIGHLY MOTIVATED** (2018). Black-type winner of 4 races at 2 and 4, \$667,375, Monmouth Cup S. **[G3]** (MTH, \$240,000)-ntr, Nyquist S. (KEE, \$75,000)-ntr, 2nd Toyota Blue Grass S. **[G2]** (KEE, \$160,000), Philip H. Iselin S. **[G3]** (MTH, \$50,000), 3rd Gotham S. **[G3]** (AQU, \$36,000). Half-brother to black-type winners Ways and Means, Surge Capacity. **His first foals are 2-year-olds of 2026.** Son of black-type winner Into Mischief, leading sire 6 times, sire of 188 black-type winners, 9 champions.

## 1st dam

**WEEKEND CONNECTION**, by Pulpit. Winner at 3, \$20,335. Dam of 9 other registered foals, 9 of racing age, 8 to race, 5 winners, including--

**KAVOD** (g. by Lea). 8 wins, 2 to 6, 2025, \$949,592, Advent S. (OP, \$90,000), ||| Duncan F. Kenner S. (FG, \$60,000), 2nd Tremont S. [L] (BEL, \$30,000), ||| Colonel Power S. [L] (FG, \$20,000), Ring The Bell S. (OP, \$28,650), 3rd ||| Thanksgiving Classic S. (FG, \$20,000), Speightstown Sprint S. (LS, \$10,340).

**Gran Brandy** (f. by First Samurai). Winner at 2, \$28,073, 3rd Our Dear ||| Peggy S. (GP, \$7,275). Producer.

**Shrilanka** (f. by Pleasantly Perfect). Placed at 2 and 3, \$31,330, 2nd Oak Tree Juvenile Fillies Turf S. [L] (DMR, \$20,000). Dam of 2 winners, incl.--

**Another Hot Mess** (f. by Hard Spun). 3 wins at 3 and 4, \$141,090, 3rd Opelousas S. (EVD, \$6,000).

Night Out (g. by Include). 3 wins, 2 to 5, \$71,285.

## 2nd dam

**FORTUITOUS**, by Dynaformer. 2 wins at 2, \$145,020, Natalma S. **[G3]** (WO, \$102,- 420(CAN)), 2nd Via Borghese S. [L] (GP, \$15,000). Dam of 1 foal, above.

## 3rd dam

**VERMONT CONNECTION**, by Alysheba. Placed at 3, \$7,785. Sister to **Houston Connection**. Dam of 15 foals, 14 to race, 13 winners, including--

**FORTUITOUS**. Black-type winner, above.

Dinah Lee. Winner at 4, \$14,280. Dam of 4 winners, including--

**My Dinah Lee**. Winner at 3, \$45,894, 3rd Brookmeade S.-R (LRL, \$6,402).

## 4th dam

**LASSIE CONNECTION**, by Seattle Slew. 3 wins at 3, \$27,160. Half-sister to **WOLFHOUND [G1]** (Total: \$452,478, hwt. in Europe and England), **WEEKEND SURPRISE, SPECTACULAR SPY [L], FOXHOUND [L], AI Mufti [G1], Lassie's Lady [O]**. Dam of 16 foals, 13 to race, 10 winners, incl.--

**WINNING CONNECTION**. 21 wins, 3 to 8, \$520,597, Evangeline Mile H. ||| [L] (EVD, \$45,000)-etr, mi. in 1:36 3/5, etc.

Black-type-placed winners: **Unbridled Lassie** [L] (\$170,220), **Houston Connection** **[G3]** (\$162,469), **Bankruptcy Court** **[G3]**, **Thrilla in Manila** **[G3]**.

**Engagements: Breeders' Cup.**

Foaled in Kentucky. (KTDF).