

2026 BREEDERS' CUP

OCALA/MARION COUNTY CONNECTIONS

The following horses who finished in the top three during the Breeders' Cup World Championships have connections to the Ocala/Marion County Horse Capital of the World®



KEENELAND RACE COURSE



\$1 MILLION BREEDERS' CUP JUVENILE FILLIES

First	Emphatic	Kinsman Farm graduate
Second	Miss Monica	Hoppel Horse graduate
Third	Manuka Honey	Hidden Brook graduate

\$2 MILLION BREEDERS' CUP JUVENILE

First	Hughes	Eisaman Equine graduate
Third	Salahuden	Eddie Woods Stables graduate

\$1 MILLION BREEDERS' CUP FILLY AND MARE SPRINT

First	Ways and Means	de Meric Stables graduate
Second	Fois Gras	Randy Bradshaw graduate

\$1 MILLION BREEDERS' CUP TURF SPRINT

First	Bacio	Co-bred by Torie Gladwell; Co-owned by Torie Gladwell, Valerie Dailey; Torie and Jimbo Gladwell's Top Line Sales graduate
Second	Cy Fair	Niell Brennan Stables graduate, OBS Spring graduate

\$1 MILLION BREEDERS' CUP DIRT MILE

First	Further Ado	Scott Kintz's Six K's Training and Sales graduate
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\$2 MILLION CYGAMES BREEDERS' CUP SPRINT

Second	Englishman	Mayberry Farm graduate
Third	Liam Smith	Bred in Kentucky by Donald R. Dizney, owner of Double Diamond Farm in Ocala

\$2 MILLION LONGINES BREEDERS' CUP DISTAFF

First	Nitrogen	Casse Training Center graduate, Trained by Ocala resident Mark Casse
Third	Measure	Co-owned by Leslie and John Malone's Bridlewood Farm

\$7 MILLION LONGINES BREEDERS' CUP CLASSIC

First	Sovereignty	Bridlewood Farm graduate
Second	The Puma	Hidden Brook Farm graduate, OBS Spring graduate
Third	Knightsbridge	David Scanlon Training and Sales graduate