

Top Pacers Bid For 1:56 Mile In Two Stakes

Harness racing enthusiasts have two unusual treats in store at Wolverine Raceway during the closing nights of the week celebration of the 100th birthday of the Grand Circuit.

Boasting a stake a night for an eight program period, Wolverine will present one of the finest pacing events of the year Wednesday (tonight) in the \$38,707 Matron for four year old pacers.

Then on Friday, fans will have an opportunity to see Albatross, the once-beaten three-year-old who has a string of 15 straight wins and 16 firsts in 17 starts this year, in the \$25,000 Matron. That will officially ring down the curtain on Roaring Grand activities which will go in the books as the most sensational second straight victory in the Little Brown Jug slated in Delaware, O. next week.

Earlier in the year there

was talk that Dancer might become the first driver to win the Hambleton and the Brown in the same year. That was when Quick Pride was whipping all in the three-year-old trotting division. But the colt lost his form three weeks ago and he hopes his alterna-bleon and was just another also-ran behind the winning Speedy Crown.

Albatross is something else. The colt, originally owned by Bert James of Windsor, Ontario but since sold to a syndicate, never appears to be disturbed by anything. He has been able to take on all comers in his class and win as he pleases. He did the same thing a year ago.

Area followers of the pacers and trotters had a chance to

see Bret Hanover pace at Wolverine in the Matron and now they'll have a chance to see a "wonder" horse win as he pleases.

The STORY is just the opposite Wednesday (Tonight) when a field of eight goes postward in the four-year-old event which could see the current track record of 1:57.4 go by the boards.

Never before has Wolverine been able to present a field with so much speed and the \$38,707 purse is one of the big reasons.

The big question is whether Kentucky, star of the Bruce

Nickells stable, will be able to topple the equally fast Keystone Pat as he did two weeks ago.

It will be recalled that Kentucky left Keystone Pat set the pace for three quarters and then came storming down the middle to win handily in the fastest mile in Wolverine history...1:57.4.

Keystone Pat, who stays there as long as he can, zoomed to a 1:56.4 clocking earlier in the season at Vernon Downs. He was headed for that kind of a mile Saturday when he wilted in the stretch and Knox Patch, a Michiganbred and former track record holder, sped by to win.

Besides the anticipated duel between the two speedsters,

Michigan fans will be watching the performance of Breadman George, the star of the Bill Longo stable of Farmington.

Breadman George has been below 2:00 a couple of times this year and has been around that clocking in all of his starts. The four-year-old has won \$44,332 this year and that's quite a bit when one considers he hasn't competed in any of the major stakes.

Others in the field are Menges Hanover, Colonial, Banner Ronger, N.T. Nick and Pine Hill Fred.

and third places and Borgess won the next five with Steve Legal, Jim Barden, Mark dividend winner in 12:34.9. Oiler, Ken Yates and Doug Catholic Central took second Kruecher in that order.

Borgess Starts Off With Win

Bishop Borgess opened his cross country season with a victory over Catholic Central and its former coach, Brian Schwall, who left Borgess last spring to take over the Shanrocks.

It was a satisfying triumph for Coach Tom Kennedy making his debut for Borgess, a defending Catholic League

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★ Wednesday, Sept. 15.....Matron 4 year Pace
★ Thursday, Sept. 16.....Matron 5 year Trot
★ Friday, Sept. 17.....Matron 3 year Pace

TO RACES NIGHTLY

INFORMATION/RESERVATIONS... GA 1-7170
Schoolcraft/Middlebelt Livonia

FARMINGTON
Coach Hal Beardsley
Sept. 18 - Farmington Harrison, 2 p.m.
Sept. 24 - at West Bloomfield, 8 p.m.
Oct. 9 - Waterford, 8 p.m.
Oct. 9 - Livonia Stevenson, 2 p.m.
Oct. 15 - at Walled Lake Central, 8 p.m.
Oct. 23 - Southfield Lathrup, 2 p.m.
Oct. 29 - at Pontiac Northern, 8 p.m.
Nov. 5 - at Southfield, 8 p.m.
Nov. 18 - North Farmington, 2 p.m.

NORTH FARMINGTON
Coach Ron Holland
Sept. 18 - Pontiac Northern, 2 p.m.
Sept. 24 - at Walled Lake Central, 8 p.m.
Oct. 1 - at Oak Park, 3:30 p.m.
Oct. 9 - at Franklin, 2 p.m.
Oct. 16 - John Glenn, 2 p.m.
Oct. 22 - at Groves, 8 p.m.
Oct. 30 - Thurston, 2 p.m.
Nov. 6 - Farmington Harrison, 2 p.m.
Nov. 13 - at Farmington, 2 p.m.

FARMINGTON HARRISON
Coach John Herrington
Sept. 18 - at Farmington, 2 p.m.
Sept. 25 - John Glenn, 2 p.m.
Oct. 1 - at Churchill, 4 p.m.
Oct. 8 - at Alpena, 8 p.m.
Oct. 16 - Northville, 2 p.m.
Oct. 22 - at Waterford Mott, 8 p.m.
Oct. 30 - Walled Lake Western, 2 p.m.
Nov. 6 - at North Farmington, 2 p.m.
Nov. 13 - at Plymouth, 8 p.m.

ST. AGATHA
Coach Mike Bennane
Sept. 19 - Royal Oak St. Mary at Hilbert Jr. High, 2:30 p.m.
Sept. 26 - Lourdes at Hilbert, 2:30 p.m.
Oct. 3 - St. Alphonsus at Ford, 2:30 p.m.
Oct. 9 - Mt. Carmel at Hilbert, 7:30 p.m.
Oct. 17 - St. Andrew at Hilbert, 2:30 p.m.
Oct. 23 - St. Hedwig at Redford High, 2 p.m.
Oct. 31 - Ann Arbor St. Thomas at Hilbert, 8 p.m.
Nov. 7 - at Orchard Lake St. Mary, 2:30 p.m.

PLYMOUTH
Coach Tom Mostimer
Sept. 17 - at Bloomfield Hills, 8 p.m.
Sept. 24 - at Dearborn, 3:45 p.m.
Oct. 1 - Allen Park, 8 p.m.
Oct. 8 - at Belleville, 8 p.m.
Oct. 15 - Redford Union, 8 p.m.
Oct. 22 - at Trenton, 8 p.m.
Oct. 29 - Dearborn Edsel Ford, 8 p.m.
Nov. 5 - at Livonia Bentley, 7:30 p.m.
Nov. 12 - Farmington Harrison, 8 p.m.

COUNTRY DAY SCHOOL
Coach Gene Reilly
Sept. 18 - Byron, 11 a.m.
Sept. 25 - Hamtramck, 11 a.m.
Oct. 2 - at Cranbrook, 2:30 p.m.
Oct. 9 - Whitmore Lake, 11 a.m.
Oct. 15 - at North Branch, 8 p.m.
Oct. 22 - at Harper Woods, 8 p.m.
Oct. 29 - at Lutheran East, 8 p.m.
Nov. 6 - University-Liggett, 11 a.m.

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Coach Bob Draheim
Sept. 17 - Livonia Franklin, 8 p.m.
Sept. 24 - Crestwood, 8 p.m.
Oct. 1 - Melvindale, 8 p.m.
Oct. 8 - at Southgate Schaffer, 8 p.m.
Oct. 16 - at Southgate, 2 p.m.
Oct. 22 - Riverside, 8 p.m.
Oct. 29 - Cherry Hill, 8 p.m.
Nov. 5 - At Taylor, Kennedy, 7:30 p.m.
Nov. 8 - at Garden City East, 8 p.m.

GARDEN CITY EAST
Coach Gary Humphrey
Sept. 17 - Riverside, 8 p.m.
Sept. 24 - Robichaud, 8 p.m.
Oct. 1 - at Wayne, 8 p.m.
Oct. 8 - Warren, 8 p.m.
Oct. 15 - Ann Arbor, 8 p.m.
Oct. 22 - at Taylor, 8 p.m.
Oct. 29 - at Lutheran West, 8 p.m.
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Coach Ralph Wellell
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Sept. 24 - at Northville, 8 p.m.
Oct. 1 - Waterford Kettering, 8 p.m.
Oct. 8 - at Milford, 8 p.m.
Oct. 15 - at Clarkson, 8 p.m.
Oct. 22 - Bloomfield Andover, 8 p.m.
Oct. 29 - West Bloomfield, 8 p.m.
Nov. 5 - at Brighton, 8 p.m.

LIVONIA BENTLEY
Coach Glen Goode
Sept. 17 - Madison Union, 7:30 p.m.
Sept. 24 - Redford Lamphere, 2 p.m.
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32'	\$525.00	32'x38'	\$585.00
36'	\$585.00	36'x42'	\$645.00
40'	\$645.00	40'x46'	\$705.00
44'	\$705.00	44'x50'	\$765.00
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