\$300,000 Bourbon Flight

5th Running - Saturday, Sept. 20, 2025 (September Meet) 3-Year-Olds at 1 3/16 Miles on Dirt at Churchill Downs Stakes & Track Record - 1:54.66, Batten Down (2024)

Name Origin: A bourbon flight is a way to sample multiple bourbons at once to compare and contrast different brands and styles. Flights typically include three to five bourbons, each with a small amount for tasting. This allows tasters to compare notes and choose their favorite. Some say it's best to save some of each bourbon in the glass before moving on so you can revisit them later. Others recommend using unsalted crackers or water to reset the palate between tastings.

Year (Race No.) Dis. (Starters)	Winner (Age/Sex) Owner(s)	Jockey (Weight) Trainer	Second Third	Time (Cond.) Odds (Margin)	Sire Bred (Color)	Gross Purse-Gr. Winner's Share-#
2024-Sept 21 (7th)	Batten Down (3r)*	Junior Alvarado (120)	Hades	1:54.66 (fast)	Tapit	\$287,500
1 3/16 M (6)	Juddmonte	Bill Mott	Elephants Ear	0.53-1 (5 3/4 lengths)	Kentucky (Gr or Ro.)	\$183,450-4
2023-Sept 23 (7th)	Slip Mahoney (3g)*	Gerardo Corrales (118)	Big Data	1:56.66 (fast)	Arrogate	\$300,000
1 3/16 M (6)	Gold Square LLC	Brad Cox	Oscar Eclipse	2.38-1 (neck)	Kentucky (Gr or Ro.)	\$183,450—3
2022-Sept 24 (10th)	Home Brew (3c)	Ricardo Santana Jr. (118)	Creative Minister	1:56.39 (fast)	Street Sense	\$275,000
1 3/16 M (9)	Gary & Mary West Stables Inc.	Brad Cox	War Campaign	5.70-1 (nose)	Kentucky (B.)	\$163,920—2
2021-Sept 25 (9th)	King Fury (3c)*	Brian Hernandez Jr. (120)	Bourbon Thunder	1:56.01 (fast)	Curlin	\$275,000
1 3/16 M (7)	Fern Circles Stables & Three Chimneys Farm LLC	Kenny McPeek	Dr Jack	0.50-1 (13 lengths)	Kentucky (Ch.)	\$166,710—1

^{*-}Favorite ... Race was known as the Bourbon Trail in 2021-22.

Most Wins, Jockey: Most Wins, Trainer: Most Wins, Owner: High \$2 Win: Low \$2 Win: Largest Win Margin: Smallest Win Margin: Largest Field Size:

Smallest Field Size: **Favorites Record:**

Favorites who finished off-the-board: Fastest Splits – ¼-mile: Fastest Splits – ½-mile:

Fastest Splits - ¾-mile: Disqualifications: Off-tracks:

no jockey with more than one win

2, Brad Cox (2022-23)

no owner with more than one win \$13.40, Home Brew (2022) \$3.00, King Fury (2021) 13 lengths, King Fury (2021) nose, Home Brew (2022)

9 (2022) 6 (2023-24)

4-3-0-0 (Win%=75.0%; ITM%=75.0%) Saint Tapit (9th in 2022 at 2.33-1) :23.19, Batten Down (2024) :47.07, Batten Down (2024) 1:11.04, Batten Down (2024)

none none