

2026 BIRTHDAYS

Date	Birthday	Birthplace
Jan. 2	Former Trainer Cecil Borel (72)	St. Martins Parish, La.
Jan. 3	Owner Terry Finley (62)	Mt. Laurel, N.J.
Jan. 3	Jockey Kyle Frey (34)	Tracy, Calif.
Jan. 4	Owner Jim Stone of Stoneway Farm (83)	
Jan. 5	Former Trainer Gary "Red Dog" Hartlage (79)	Shively, Ky.
Jan. 5	Trainer Saffie Joseph Jr. (39)	Bridgetown, Barbados
Jan. 6	Trainer "Shug" McGaughey III (75)	Lexington, Ky.
Jan. 6	Jockey Luis Quinonez (59)	Sinaloa, Mexico
Jan. 8	Owner Kenny Troutt of WinStar Farm (78)	Mt. Vernon, Ill.
Jan. 8	Trainer Mark Glatt (53)	Spokane, Wash.
Jan. 12	Former Jockey Joe Talamo (36)	Marrero, La.
Jan. 13	Trainer Bob Baffert (73)	Nogales, Ariz.
Jan. 14	Jockey Ramon Vazquez (42)	Puerto Rico
Jan. 14	Jockey Joel Rosario (41)	Santo Domingo, Dominican Rep.
Jan. 15	Former Trainer Bernie Flint (86)	New Orleans, La.
Jan. 15	Trainer Larry Rivelli (55)	Chicago, Ill.
Jan. 18	Jockey Kendrick Carmouche (42)	Vinton, La.
Jan. 19	Trainer Chris Hartman (53)	Phoenix, Ariz.
Jan. 21	Owner Mike Repole (57)	New York, N.Y.
Jan. 24	Owner John "Jack" Oxley (89)	Tulsa, Okla.
Jan. 24	Trainer Jimmy Jerkens (67)	Bay Shore, N.Y.
Jan. 26	Jockey Marcelino Pedroza Jr. (33)	Panama
Jan. 28	Jockey Geovanni Franco (35)	Mexico City, Mexico
Jan. 30	Owner Tracy Farmer (87)	Jackson County, Ky.
Feb. 1	Trainer Michael McCarthy (55)	Youngstown, Ohio
Feb. 1	Jockey Gabriel Saez (38)	Darien Province, Panama
Feb. 2	Former Jockey Patricia Cooksey (68)	Youngstown, Ohio
Feb. 5	Former Jockey Jim McKnight (74)	
Feb. 5	Jockey Abel Cedillo (37)	Guatemala
Feb. 6	Trainer Nick Zito (78)	New York, N.Y.
Feb. 7	Trainer Mike Maker (57)	Garden City, Mich.
Feb. 9	Former Jockey Rosie Napravnik (38)	Mendham, N.J.
Feb. 10	Former Trainer Elliott Walden (63)	Lexington, Ky.
Feb. 14	Trainer Mark Casse (65)	Indianapolis, Ind.
Feb. 16	Owner Mike Pegram (74)	Fort Knox, Ky.
Feb. 22	Former Jockey Craig Perret (75)	New Orleans, La.
Feb. 23	Former Trainer Neil Howard (77)	Riverdale, N.Y.
Feb. 27	Jockey Kent Desormeaux (56)	Maurice, La.
March 1	Owner Peter Brant (79)	Queens, N.Y.
March 1	Jockey Stewart Elliott (61)	Toronto, Canada
March 2	Former Trainer Tony Reinstedler (62)	Louisville, Ky.
March 3	Trainer Wesley Ward (58)	Selah, Wash.
March 3	Jockey Willie Martinez (55)	San Juan, Puerto Rico
March 3	Trainer Ben Colebrook (48)	Bristol, Tenn.
March 4	Jockey Jesus Castanon (53)	Mexico City, Mexico
March 6	Former Jockey Gary Stevens (63)	Caldwell, Idaho
March 7	Trainer Linda Rice (62)	Racine, Wisc.
March 7	Jockey Juan J. Hernandez (34)	Veracruz, Mexico
March 11	Trainer Phil D'Amato (50)	San Pedro, Calif.
March 14	Jockey Luis Contreras (40)	Mexico City, Mexico
March 15	Owner Michael Dubb (70)	New York, N.Y.
March 16	Jockey Hector Berrios (39)	Santiago, Chile
March 17	Owner William S. "Will" Farish III (87)	Houston, Texas
March 17	Former Trainer "Scooter" Dickey (85)	Anthony, Kansas
March 17	Former Trainer Carl Bowman (75)	Middleton, Ohio
March 19	Former Jockey Earlie Fires (79)	Riverdale, Ark.
March 25	Trainer Gustavo Delgado Sr. (69)	Maracaibo, Venezuela
March 26	Trainer "Rusty" Arnold (71)	Paris, Ky.
March 27	Trainer Jeff Mullins (63)	Murray, Utah
March 29	Owner Ron Winchell of Winchell Thoroughbreds (54)	
March 30	Trainer Brad Cox (46)	Louisville, Ky.
April 2	Trainer Ingrid Mason (55)	California
April 14	Trainer Phil Bauer (41)	Louisville, Ky.
April 18	Jockey Leandro Goncalves (44)	Sobral, Brazil
April 20	Former Jockey Donna Barton Brothers (60)	Alamogordo, N.M.

April 20	Jockey Jose Lezcano (41)	Chiriqui, Panama
April 21	Trainer Tom Proctor (70)	Gilmer, Texas
April 23	Owner Richard Klein (68)	Louisville, Ky.
April 23	Former Trainer Pete Vestal (75)	New York, N.Y.
April 24	Trainer Steve Hobby (70)	Colorado
April 27	Trainer Jorge Delgado (36)	Maracaibo, Venezuela
May 1	Trainer Brian Lynch (62)	Brisbane, Australia
May 1	Trainer Rudy Rodriguez (54)	Guanajuato, Mexico
May 1	Trainer Rodolphe Brisset (38)	Tours, France
May 4	Owner Jack Wolf (77)	Louisville, Ky.
May 7	Trainer Randy Morse (64)	Canutillo, Texas
May 8	Trainer Mike Lauer (75)	Hamilton, Ohio
May 10	Owner Samantha Siegel of Jay Em Ess Stable (61)	New York, N.Y.
May 12	Trainer Bret Calhoun (62)	Dallas, Texas
May 13	Owner Sol Kumin (51)	Boston, Mass.
May 17	Jockey James Graham (46)	Dublin, Ireland
May 18	Trainer Grant Forster (52)	Vancouver, B.C.
May 19	Jockey Luis Saez (34)	Panama City, Panama
May 20	Jockey Junior Alvarado (40)	Barquisimeto, Venezuela
May 21	Owner Seth Klarman (69)	New York, N.Y.
May 22	Trainer Graham Motion (62)	Cambridge, England
May 23	Jockey Victor Espinoza (54)	Hidalgo, Mexico
May 23	Trainer Helen Pitts-Blasi (52)	Monkton, Md.
May 23	Trainer Joseph O'Brien (33)	Tipperary, Ireland
May 24	Former Jockey Don Brumfield (88)	Nicholasville, Ky.
May 24	Trainer Doug O'Neill (58)	Dearborn, Mich.
May 25	Trainer Ian Wilkes (61)	Martinsbrook, New South Wales, Australia
May 27	Jockey Samy Camacho (38)	Caracas, Venezuela
June 3	Owner HH Sheikh Timim bin Hamad Al Thani of Wathnan Racing (46)	Doha, Qatar
June 12	Owner G. Watts Humphrey Jr. (82)	Cleveland, Ohio
June 12	Jockey Edgar Prado (59)	Lima, Peru
June 18	Trainer Jerry Hollendorfer (80)	Akron, Ohio
June 19	Trainer Eddie Kenneally (60)	County Waterford, Ireland
June 22	Jockey Declan Carroll (27)	Louisville, Ky.
June 23	Jockey Rafael Bejarano (44)	Arequipa, Peru
June 24	Jockey Shaun Bridgmohan (47)	Spanish Town, Jamaica
June 26	Trainer Todd Pletcher (59)	Dallas, Texas
June 27	Jockey Edgard Zayas (32)	Canovanas, Puerto Rico
June 29	Jockey Luan Machado (35)	Curitiba, Brazil
July 9	Jockey Rajiv Maragh (41)	Spanish Town, Jamaica
July 10	Owner Carl Pollard (88)	Lancaster, Ky.
July 10	Trainer Paul McGee (64)	Louisville, Ky.
July 11	Trainer Robert E. "Butch" Reid Jr.	Philadelphia, Pa.
July 12	Jockey Sophie Doyle (40)	Cambridge, England
July 12	Jockey Chris Landeros (38)	San Mateo, Calif.
July 13	Trainer George Papadromou (50)	Cyprus
July 15	Owner Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum (77)	Dubai
July 15	Jockey Julien Leparoux (43)	Senlis, France
July 16	Jockey Florent Geroux (40)	Argentan, France
July 19	Jockey Joe Rocco Jr. (44)	Hollywood, Fla.
July 20	Former Jockey Martin Pedroza (61)	Panama City, Panama
July 21	Jockey Victor Lebron (42)	St. Croix, U.S. Virgin Islands
July 22	Owner Seth Hancock of Claiborne Farm (77)	Lexington, Ky.
July 22	Jockey Adam Beschizza (34)	Newmarket, England
July 22	Trainer Donnacha O'Brien (28)	Tipperary, Ireland
July 23	Trainer "Jinks" Fires (86)	Rivervale, Ark.
July 24	Trainer Wayne Catalano (70)	New Orleans, La.
July 29	Trainer Bill Mott (73)	Mobridge, S.D.
July 29	Trainer Tim Yakteen (62)	Germany
July 30	Trainer Bobby Barnett (77)	Pampa, Texas
July 30	Trainer John Sadler (70)	Long Beach, Calif.
Aug. 2	Trainer Kenny McPeck (64)	Fort Chaffee, Ark.
Aug. 4	Jockey Flavien Prat (34)	Melun, France
Aug. 5	Trainer Rick Dutrow Jr. (67)	Hagerstown, Md.
Aug. 6	Former Jockey Mark Guidry (67)	Lafayette, La.
Aug. 10	Jockey Mike Smith (61)	Roswell, N.M.
Aug. 11	Jockey Irad Ortiz Jr. (34)	Trujillo Alto, Puerto Rico

Aug. 14	Trainer Dale Romans (60)	Louisville, Ky.
Aug. 16	Trainer Jorge Abreu (52)	Dominican Republic
Aug. 21	Jockey John McKee (45)	Cincinnati, Ohio
Aug. 22	Former Trainer Dave Vance (86)	Logansport, Ind.
Aug. 22	Former Jockey Channing Hill (39)	Grand Island, Neb.
Aug. 24	Jockey Mitchell Murrill (32)	Mobile, Ala.
Aug. 26	Former Trainer "Buff" Bradley (63)	Frankfort, Ky.
Aug. 27	Trainer Todd Fincher (55)	
Aug. 29	Former Trainer Carl Nafzger (85)	Plainview, Texas
Aug. 29	Owner Barbara Banke (73)	Southern California
Aug. 29	Jockey Joe Johnson (59)	Owensboro, Ky.
Aug. 31	Owner Ahmed Zayat of Zayat Stables (64)	Cairo, Egypt
Aug. 31	Trainer Ron Moquett (55)	Sallisaw, Okla.
Aug. 31	Jockey Umberto Rispoli (38)	San Severino Marche, Italy
Sept. 2	Late Trainer D. Wayne Lukas (91)	Antigo, Wisc.
Sept. 2	Former Trainer Larry Jones (70)	Hopkinsville, Ky.
Sept. 8	Former Trainer Steve Margolis (63)	New York, N.Y.
Sept. 10	Jockey Joe Bravo (55)	Long Branch, N.J.
Sept. 10	Jockey Drayden Van Dyke (32)	Louisville, Ky.
Sept. 11	Former Jockey Robby Albarado (53)	Lafayette, La.
Sept. 11	Trainer Brittany Russell (37)	Peach Bottom, Pa.
Sept. 12	Trainer Leonard Powell (50)	Deauville, France
Sept. 12	Jockey Tyler Gaffalione (32)	Kansas City, Kan.
Sept. 14	Former Jockey Charlie Woods Jr. (76)	Louisville, Ky.
Sept. 15	Trainer Dallas Stewart (67)	McComb, Miss.
Sept. 17	Owner Amr Zedan (52)	Los Angeles, Calif.
Sept. 17	Former Jockey Greta Kuntzweiler (51)	Ames, Iowa
Sept. 18	Jockey Ryan Moore (43)	Brighton, England
Sept. 19	Jockey Mario Gutierrez (40)	El Higo, Mexico
Sept. 21	Former Trainer Charlie LoPresti (69)	Brooklyn, N.Y.
Sept. 22	Trainer Norm Casse (43)	Louisville, Ky.
Sept. 24	Former Jockey Shane Sellers (60)	Erath, La.
Sept. 26	Trainer Phil Sims (65)	Flemingsburg, Ky.
Sept. 26	Jockey Kazushi Kimura (27)	Hokkaido, Japan
Sept. 29	Jockey Colby Hernandez (38)	Lafayette, La.
Oct. 2	Former Trainer Steve Penrod (74)	Lexington, Ky.
Oct. 2	Trainer Peter Miller (60)	Santa Monica, Calif.
Oct. 2	Trainer Robertino Diodoro (53)	Calgary, Canada
Oct. 2	Former Jockey Alan Garcia (41)	Lima, Peru
Oct. 2	Jockey Jose Ortiz (33)	Trujillo Alto, Puerto Rico
Oct. 10	Trainer Donnie Von Hemel (65)	Manter, Kansas
Oct. 10	Trainer Al Stall Jr. (63)	New Orleans, La.
Oct. 13	Former Jockey Pat Day (73)	Brush, Colo.
Oct. 13	Trainer Danny Gargan (55)	Louisville, Ky.
Oct. 16	Trainer Vickie Foley (70)	Goshen, Ky.
Oct. 16	Trainer Aidan O'Brien (57)	Ballydoyle, Ireland
Oct. 17	Jockey Paco Lopez (41)	Veracruz, Mexico
Oct. 17	Trainer Will Walden (36)	Lexington, Ky.
Oct. 19	Jockey Tyler Baze (44)	Seattle, Wash.
Oct. 21	Former Jockey Corey Nakatani (56)	Covina, Calif.
Oct. 23	Jockey Javier Castellano (49)	Maracaibo, Venezuela
Oct. 23	Jockey Martin Garcia (42)	Heroica Veracruz, Mexico
Oct. 24	Former Trainer Frankie Brothers (80)	New Orleans, La.
Oct. 28	Owner Michael Tabor (85)	East London
Oct. 28	Former Jockey Patrick Johnson (68)	Owensboro, Ky.
Oct. 28	Trainer Jack Sistierson (42)	Durham, England
Oct. 29	Owner Mandy Pope (72)	North Carolina
Oct. 29	Trainer Michelle Lovell (63)	West Palm Beach, Fla.
Oct. 29	Jockey David Cohen (42)	California
Nov. 1	Late Trainer Christophe Clement (61)	Paris, France
Nov. 3	Owner Ken Ramsey (91)	Artemus, Ky.
Nov. 3	Former Trainer Tim Glyshaw (58)	Evansville, Ind.
Nov. 3	Jockey Brian Hernandez Jr. (41)	Lafayette, La.
Nov. 5	Trainer Richard Mandella (76)	Altadena, Calif.
Nov. 5	Jockey C.J. McMahon (32)	Lafayette, La.
Nov. 7	Jockey Calvin Borel (60)	St. Martin Parish, La.
Nov. 11	Former Trainer Don Winfree (79)	Pawtucket, R.I.

Nov. 11	Trainer Jimmy Baker (69)	Aiken, S.C.
Nov. 13	Jockey Corey Lanerie (52)	Lafayette, La.
Nov. 13	Jockey Alonso Quinonez (43)	Guasave, Sinaloa, Mexico
Nov. 14	Trainer Ignacio "Nacho" Correas IV	Buenos Aires, Argentina
Nov. 15	Former Trainer Kiaran McLaughlin (66)	Lexington, Ky.
Nov. 15	Jockey Dylan Davis (32)	Garden City Park, NY
Nov. 16	Late Jockey Mike McDowell (78)	Pleasureville, Ky.
Nov. 17	Trainer Tom Amoss (65)	New Orleans, La.
Nov. 18	Trainer Steve Asmussen (61)	Gettysburg, S.D.
Nov. 19	Jockey Ricardo Santana Jr. (34)	Panama City, Panama
Nov. 23	Former Jockey Jon Court (66)	Gainesville, Fla.
Nov. 24	Jockey John Velazquez (55)	Carolina, Puerto Rico
Nov. 24	Jockey Antonio Fresu (35)	Ozieri, Italy
Nov. 26	Jockey Cristian Torres (34)	Puerto Rico
Dec. 6	Former Trainer Phil Hauswald (68)	New Albany, Ind.
Dec. 6	Trainer Joe Sharp (42)	Martinsburg, W.V.
Dec. 7	Trainer Kevin Attard (51)	Tottenham, Ontario
Dec. 8	Jockey Jose Valdivia Jr. (52)	Lima, Peru
Dec. 15	Jockey Frankie Dettori (56)	Milan, Italy
Dec. 18	Trainer Mike Stidham (69)	Neptune, N.J.
Dec. 18	Trainer Chad Brown (48)	Mechanicville, NY
Dec. 19	Former Trainer Ronny Werner (67)	San Antonio, Texas
Dec. 19	Jockey Manny Franco (32)	Carolina, Puerto Rico
Dec. 26	Trainer Walter Bindner Jr. (79)	Louisville, Ky.
Dec. 27	Trainer Greg Foley (69)	Goshen, Ky.