

GET IN THE GAME: HOW TO READ THE PROGRAM

Racing is a game of skill, not chance. You might get lucky and pick a winner by color or name, but you stand a better chance of winning if you know how to size up the horses. This page shows how past performances (PPs) appear in the program. Each line describes a race the horse ran previously. These PPs are for Furthest Land the day he ran in the 2009 Kentucky Cup Classic. Furthest Land won the Classic at Turfway and next won the Grade I Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile.

Horse's post position, morning line odds, owner, description of owner's silks, trainer, and trainer's record at this track during this meet. The morning line is odds quoted by the track handicapper before wagering determines final odds.

Horse's name, color, sex, age, sire, dam, dam's sire, where bred, breeder, and medication.

Horse's career record (starts, firsts, seconds, thirds) and earnings in the last two years, in his career, at the distance of this race, on tracks not rated fast, and on turf and all-weather surfaces.

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Training workouts. Furthest Land breezed 5 furlongs in :59 flat on September 12 at the Churchill Downs training center. The black dot and "1/6" means he was the fastest of the horses that worked that distance that day, in this case 6.

A short line means the horse hasn't run in at least 30 days ("layoff"). A long line means a layoff of 45 days or more.

Left to right: date of race; race # and track; track condition and surface; length of race and the distance until timing begins; fractions noting speed at points of call and finish; age of horses in race; race name, grade, and purse; pace and speed numbers; post position; position of the horse at points of call and margin from the lead; jockey; weight the horse carried; medication and equipment; final odds; top three finishers and distance between them; comments, number of horses in the field.

Top 3 finishers, the weight they carried, and the margins between them. Italics mean that horse won his next race. Bold type means the horse is also in the current race.

Comments about the horse's performance.

Final odds to \$1; * indicates a favorite.

Reading a past performance line from left to right

05 Apr 09 7 Kee ft 1^{1/8}34 48³² 1:13⁰⁴ 1:43¹⁰ 4¹ Aoc100000mw4/x-N 87 104 3 3^{1-1/2} 3^{1-1/2} 3¹ 1^{1/2} 1^{2-1/4} Leparoux J R 118 bLA 4.90 Furthest Land 118^{21/4} **Wicked Style**118¹ Hyracotherium118² bid 3 wide, cleared 6

After a short layoff, Furthest Land ran April 5, 2009, in the 7th race at Keeneland. The track was fast and the race covered 1-1/16 miles (8.5 furlongs) on an all-weather surface (◇). (A furlong is 1/8 of a mile.) A T in a circle indicates a turf, or grass, race. An X in a circle means a race was taken off the turf and run on the main track. No symbol indicates dirt. On this track, horses run 34 feet before timing begins.

The pace was slightly slower than the baseline 12 seconds per furlong; the leader at half a mile stopped the timer at slightly more than 48 seconds. Furthest Land won this race, so that's his time at the finish: 1:43.10.

This race was for horses 4 years old and older (4¹). It was an allowance-optional claiming race for horses that had not won four races other than certain types (x). Horses could be available for claiming for \$100,000. "N" means Furthest Land was not available to be claimed. 87 and 104 are pace and

speed figures. Furthest Land broke from post 3 and at the first and second points of call was third, 1-1/2 lengths behind the leader. (A length is about 1/5 of a second.) At the third point of call he had gained half a length, and by the stretch call (always one furlong from the finish) he was ahead by half a length. He won by 2 1/4 lengths.

Julien Leparoux was the jockey. The horse was assigned to carry 118 pounds, wore blinkers (b), and was given Lasix (L) and an adjunct medication (A) to control pulmonary bleeding. His odds were 4.90 to 1.

Furthest Land finished 2-1/4 lengths ahead of Wicked Style, who was one length ahead of Hyracotherium. Wicked Style is also in the current race. Furthest Land raced three paths off the rail to make his bid and cleared the field. There were 6 horses in the race.