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INDIANA-BRED NOBODY LISTENS INVADES TURFWAY PARK TO WIN \$125,000 BIG DADDY STAKES

FLORENCE, Ky. (Saturday, March 11, 2023) – **Matt Kwiatkowski, Jason Kaylor** and **Roger Browning's** fleet-footed Indiana-bred **Nobody Listens** returned to the winner's circle for the 10th time in his 20-start career in Saturday night's \$93,500 Big Daddy Stakes at Turfway Park.

Trained by **Tim Eggleston** and ridden by **Joe Ramos**, Nobody Listens coasted six furlongs in 1:09.17.

Ramos and Nobody Listens left no doubt on their early plans in the Big Daddy and hustled to the early lead. Nobody Listens was momentarily joined on his inside by **Bad Beat Brian** and the duo blasted an opening quarter-mile in 22.38. As the field continued their journey up the backstretch, Nobody Listens shook clear of his early rival and skittered a half-mile in :44.60. At the top of the lane, **Night Time** and jockey **Chris Landeros** attempted rally to the outside of Nobody Listens, who opened up a two-length margin. In deep stretch, Nobody Listens was able to hold Night Time at bay by a neck to record his first victory outside the state of Indiana.

Nobody Listens awarded his backers with \$2 mutuel payoffs of \$9.88, \$6.52 and \$4.54. Night Time returned \$4.82 and \$3.04 while **Candy Overload** closed from last and paid \$2.96.

The ever-consistent Nobody Listens now sports a stout overall record of 20-10-6-1 with purse earnings of \$422,806. Ramos has been aboard Nobody Listens for all 10 of his victories.

Nobody Listens is a 5-year-old gelded son of Conveyance out of the Chapel Royal mare Royalesque. He was bred in the Hoosier State by **Southern Chase Farm, Inc, Karen Dodd** and **Greg Dodd**.

The Big Daddy Stakes is named in memory of the longtime racing official **Rick Leigh**, who died in 2020 at age 73.

Racing at Turfway Park will resume Wednesday for a special makeup program. First post is 5:55 p.m. For more information and to make dining reservations, visit www.TurfwayPark.com.

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