

# Top Gun Classic

<b>Top Gun Classic . .</b> Dark bay/br. colt; April 30, 2020	{	Classic Empire . . . . .	{	Pioneerof the Nile . . . . .	{	Empire Maker	
				Sambuca Classica . . . . .		Star of Goshen	
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							Apple Martini . . . . . (2005)
						Storm Cat	
						Mariah's Storm	
						Crafty Prospector	
						Oak Blossom	

**By CLASSIC EMPIRE (2014), \$2,520,220, champion, Breeders' Cup Juv. [G1], Arkansas Derby [G1], Breeders' Futurity [G1], Bashford Manor S. [G3], 2nd Preakness S. [G1], etc. His first foals are 2-year-olds of 2021. Sire of 9 winners, \$640,104, including First Empire (Soaring Free S.), black type-placed Interstatedaydream [G2], Twenty Four Mamba, etc.**

**1st dam**

**APPLE MARTINI**, by Giant's Causeway. 6 wins, 3 to 5, \$352,581, Lincoln Heritage H.-R (AP, \$52,002), Purple Violet S.-R (AP, \$51,449), Illini Princess H.-R (HAW, \$51,187), 2nd Pat Whitworth Illinois Debutante S.-R (HAW, \$22,005), 3rd Arlington Oaks [G3](AP, \$10,780), Dr. A. B. Leggio Memorial S. [L] (FG, \$8,250), Lincoln Heritage H.-R (AP, \$9,931), Illini Princess H.-R (HAW, \$9,608), Pago Hop S. (FG, \$4,200). Sister to **GIANT OAK, OAK BROOK, Cause She's Crafty, A Step Ahead**. Dam of 6 foals of racing age, 5 to race, including a 3-year-old of 2021, two winners--  
 McHenry (g. by Henrythenavigator). 8 wins, 4 to 7, pld at 8, 2021, ~~\$152,410~~ || **\$153,400**.  
 Applewood (g. by Bodemeister). 4 wins, 4 to 6, 2021, ~~\$97,386~~ **\$98,651**.



**2nd dam**

**CRAFTY OAK**, by Crafty Prospector. 8 wins, 3 to 5, \$442,155, Sixty Sails H. [G3]-etr, Lady Hallie H. [L] (HAW, \$60,000), Wabash S. [L] (HOO, \$41,010), etc. Half-sister to **OAKEN LAUNCH, Little's Brittle** (11 wins, \$140,578). Dam of 15 foals, 14 to race, 13 winners, including--

**GIANT OAK** (c. by Giant's Causeway). 5 wins, 2 to 5, \$1,484,829, Clark H. [G1] (CD, \$328,700), Donn H. [G1] (GP, \$300,000), Arlington Classic S. [L] (AP, \$86,400), 2nd Indiana Derby [G2] (HOO, \$98,520), Illinois Derby [G2] (HAW, \$95,000), Hawthorne Gold Cup H. [G2] (HAW, \$48,500), Kentucky Jockey Club S. [G2] (CD, \$32,256), Washington Park H. [G3] (AP, \$30,000), 3rd Whitney Inv. H. [G1] (SAR, \$75,000), Breeders' Cup Marathon [G2] (CD, \$49,500), New Orleans H. [G2] (FG, \$40,000), Ben Ali S. [G3] (KEE, \$15,000), Mineshaft H. [G3] (FG, \$10,000), Honor Glide S. (AP, \$5,764). Sire.

**APPLE MARTINI** (f. by Giant's Causeway). Black type winner, above.

**OAK BROOK** (g. by Giant's Causeway). 4 wins, 2 to 5, \$264,006, Black Tie Affair H.-R (AP, \$31,710), 2nd Arlington H. [G3] (AP, \$19,400), Wood-chopper S. (FG, \$15,000), etc. Set ncr at Keeneland.

**Tall Grass Cat** (g. by Bluegrass Cat). 9 wins, 2 to 6, \$192,551, 3rd Jim Edgar Illinois Futurity-R (HAW, \$13,158).

**Cause She's Crafty** (f. by Giant's Causeway). 4 wins to 4, \$148,460, 2nd Pat Whitworth Illinois Debutante S.-R (HAW, \$20,875). Dam of--

**Crafty's Dream** (f. by Bodemeister). 3 wins, \$134,997, 2nd Beyond The Wire S. (LRL, \$20,000), 3rd Wide Country S. (LRL, \$10,000).

**A Step Ahead** (g. by Giant's Causeway). Winner at 2 and 3, \$107,887, 2nd Jim Edgar Illinois Futurity-R (HAW, \$22,715).

**Sheltowee** (g. by Saint Liam). Winner at 3, \$78,590, 2nd Jim Edgar Illinois Futurity-R (HAW, \$21,295).

**Breeders' Cup nominated.**  
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