

# Leading Sires In California: January 1 Through November 9, 2008

## Leading Sires by Money Won

Rank	Sire	Runners	Starts	Races Won	Earnings
1.	Unusual Heat	134	790	123	\$5,349,035
2.	Stormin Fever†	158	938	147	3,641,708
3.	Deputy Commander	173	1125	155	3,341,062
4.	In Excess (Ire)	141	748	108	2,976,346
5.	Salt Lake†	147	858	152	2,883,141
6.	Benchmark	175	884	120	2,832,187
7.	Bertrando	153	721	114	2,817,389
8.	Sea of Secrets	159	1087	138	2,735,698
9.	Swiss Yodeler	160	1066	139	2,038,036
10.	Cee's Tizzy	99	503	75	1,990,290
11.	Lord Carson*	131	755	119	1,957,625
12.	Lit de Justice	91	641	78	1,706,266
13.	Old Topper	120	663	96	1,698,100
14.	Roar*	83	631	99	1,644,714
15.	Formal Gold	91	610	84	1,623,679
16.	Tribal Rule	63	320	61	1,615,203
17.	Thunderello#	66	448	69	1,564,350
18.	High Brite	113	669	104	1,552,662
19.	Beau Genius	105	686	95	1,513,974
20.	Game Plan	76	464	65	1,416,251
21.	Valid Wager*	139	876	120	1,415,260
22.	Comic Strip	79	449	78	1,246,146
23.	Skimming	92	504	82	1,232,883
24.	Souvenir Copy•	89	529	71	1,179,772
25.	Atticus	63	293	33	885,829
26.	Bartok (Ire)	53	348	50	824,990
27.	Memo (Chi)	63	331	55	818,084
28.	Decarchy	45	216	30	804,720
29.	Hold for Gold#	34	193	34	765,172
30.	Western Fame	58	348	50	761,925
31.	Mud Route	50	254	42	684,411
32.	Behrens#	72	500	50	682,414
33.	Birdonthewire	31	228	32	679,341
34.	General Meeting*	50	346	36	676,387
35.	Perfect Mandate	61	344	47	668,234

## Leading Sires by Average Earnings Per Runner (Minimum 10 Runners)

Rank	Sire	Runners	Races Won	Earnings	Average Earnings/Runner
1.	Unusual Heat	134	123	\$5,349,035	\$39,918
2.	Tribal Rule	63	61	1,615,203	25,638
3.	Thunderello#	66	69	1,564,350	23,702
4.	Suggest*	13	19	304,468	23,421
5.	Stormin Fever†	158	147	3,641,708	23,049
6.	Last Lion†	10	6	228,324	22,832
7.	Hold for Gold#	34	34	765,172	22,505
8.	Birdonthewire	31	32	679,341	21,914
9.	Stormy Jack	20	11	433,638	21,682
10.	In Excess (Ire)	141	108	2,976,346	21,109
11.	Lake George	16	12	331,480	20,718
12.	Cee's Tizzy	99	75	1,990,290	20,104

## Leading Sires Of Two-Year-Olds by Average Earnings Per Runner

(Minimum 5 Runners)

Rank	Sire	Runners	Races Won	Earned	Average Earnings/Runner
1.	Mud Route	5	9	\$185,273	\$37,055
2.	High Brite	6	3	162,077	27,013
3.	Nineelevn	8	6	205,912	25,739
4.	Lord Carson*	14	12	281,011	20,072
5.	Swiss Yodeler	25	12	416,079	16,643
6.	High Demand•	6	2	96,614	16,102
7.	Bertrando	20	8	304,655	15,233
8.	Bartok (Ire)	5	2	70,920	14,184
9.	Lit de Justice	11	6	155,169	14,106
10.	Richly Blended*	5	3	67,946	13,589
11.	Sea of Secrets	11	6	146,322	13,302
12.	Rio Verde	21	6	268,636	12,792

The statistics contained in these rankings are compiled by The Jockey Club Information Systems Inc. While every effort is made to prevent errors and omissions, California Thoroughbred cannot guarantee their complete and total accuracy. A dagger (†) indicates a stallion has been retired, an asterisk (\*) that he has died, a dot (•) that he is now standing elsewhere, a number sign (#) that he did not stand in California in 2007 but stood in the state in 2008, a double dagger (‡) that he did not stand in California in 2008 but will stand in the state in 2009 and in bold that he is a freshman sire. In all cases, the sire will remain in the rankings until the year after his last California foals are two-year-olds. Statistics cover racing in North America (U.S., Canada and Puerto Rico), England, France, Germany, Ireland, Italy and the United Arab Emirates only.



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