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# Agenda:

- Strategic direction historical perspective
- Growth Strategy
  - The Kentucky Derby & Oaks
  - Racing Innovations
  - **III.** On-Line Gaming
  - v. Casino Gaming
  - v. Churchill Downs Entertainment
- III. Financials
- IV. Q&A



# **Historical Perspective: Derby & Oaks**

Kentucky Derby & Kentucky Oaks

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|                 | <u>2004</u> | <u>2009</u> |
|-----------------|-------------|-------------|
| Attendance      | 238,499     | 258,430     |
| Handle          | \$174 mil.  | \$186 mil.  |
| % U.S. Industry | ~1.2%       | ~1.5%       |
| TV Programming  | 1.5 Hours   | 3.0 Hours   |

- 135 Years of History
- The longest continuously held sporting event in the U.S.
- #8 on Forbes list of "The Worlds Most Valuable Sporting Event Brands"

# **Historical Perspective: Live Racing**

Live Racing



|                 | <u>2004</u> | <u>2009</u> |
|-----------------|-------------|-------------|
| CDI Race Tracks | 7           | 4           |
| CDI Race Days   | 640         | 401         |

- Sold Hollywood Park in 2005
- Sold Ellis Park in 2006
- Sold Hoosier Park in 2007



### **Historical Perspective: Gaming**

Gaming Trend

|                              | <u>2004</u>        | <u>2009</u> |             |
|------------------------------|--------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Video Poker Machines         | 758 <sup>-a)</sup> | 809         |             |
| Slots - New Orleans          | -                  | 606         |             |
| Poker Tables – Miami Gardens | -                  | 29          |             |
| Slots – Miami Gardens        |                    | 1,245 Open  | s Jan, 2010 |

- Local gaming strategy focused on ROI
- Permanent New Orleans facility opened Nov, '08
- New 104,000 sq ft, \$85 million facility opened
   Jan 22, 2010 in Miami Gardens, FL



### **Historical Perspective: On-Line**

On-Line Wagering (ADW)

2004

Handle (\$ millions)

BRIS Data business

HRTV

Trend

2009

\$255 (First 9 mo. 2009)

- Started TwinSpires.com in Q2 2007
- Purchased and integrated AmericaTab & BRIS in mid-2007
- Announced definitive agreement to acquire Youbet.com, Inc on Nov 11<sup>th</sup>, 2009
  - Innovation and efficiency gains
  - United Tote business



# **Historical Perspective: Entertainment**

Entertainment

<u>2004</u>

2009

**Trend** 

Jazz Fest Host

HullabaLOU

Wine & Food Festivals

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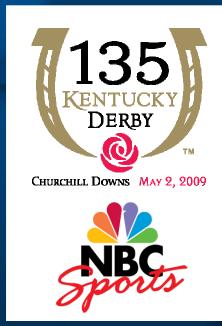
**Other** 

The Rolling Stones Concert - 2006

The Police Concert - 2007



## **The Kentucky Derby & Oaks**



TV ratings up 11% in 2009

16.3 million Derby viewers; Most in 20 years



First Sports Illustrated cover since Smarty Jones in 2004. Before that, Sunny's Halo in 1983

| Expanded Network Coverage    | 2007    | 2008           | 2009    |
|------------------------------|---------|----------------|---------|
| Access Hollywood @ The Derby |         | 30 min.        | 60 min. |
| Red Carpet                   | 30 min. | 30 min.        | 30 min. |
| Pre-Race                     | 30 min. | 45 min.        | 30 min. |
| Race                         | 60 min. | 60 min.        | 60 min. |
| Total                        | 2 hours | 2 hrs. 45 min. | 3 hours |

# The Kentucky Oaks ... more than the 'day before Derby"



- · Make it a stand alone event
- Focus on women and their interest
- Moved coverage to Bravo, better demographics:
  - -Same number of viewers
  - Median age dropped from 58.1 to 49.1
  - -Female viewers increased from 21% to 49% of audience
- · Susan G. Komen for the Cure



# The Innovation Leader in Growing Thoroughbred Racing



A Historical First: Night Racing at Churchill Downs

- ✓ Inaugural Night racing at Churchill Downs in 2009
- ✓ Attendance of 89,115
  attendance over 3 nights
- ✓ Installing permanent lights
- ✓ Provides more value to season box holders, turf club members

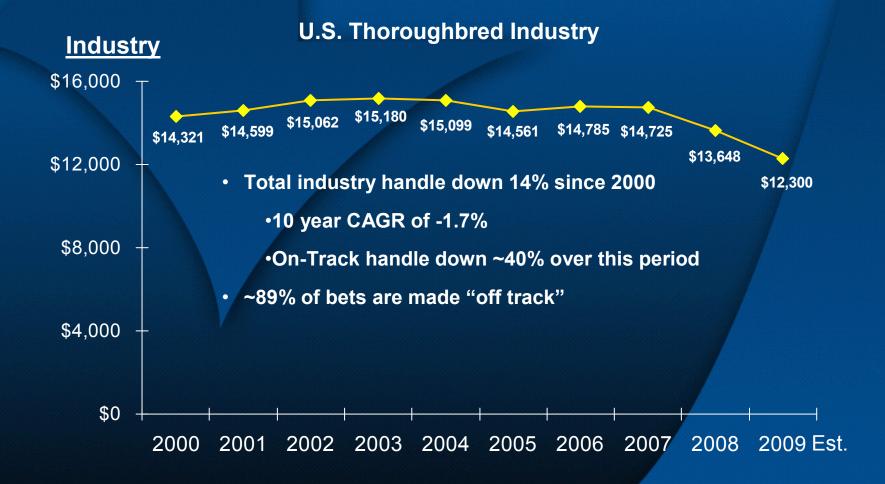


Returns to Churchill Downs in 2010 for Record 7<sup>th</sup> Time



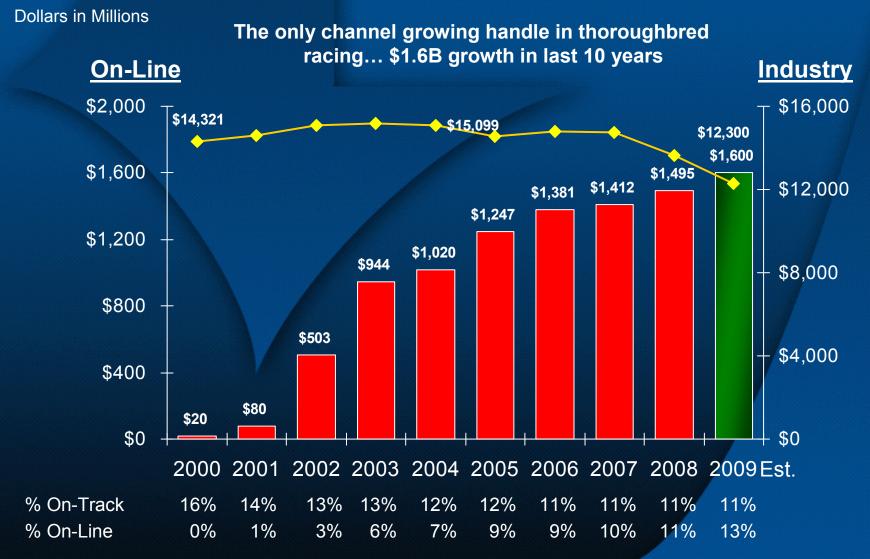
# **U.S. Thoroughbred Racing Handle Flat to Declining**

**Dollars in Millions** 





### **Customers Increasingly Choose to Wager On-Line**





# **Using Technology to Grow On-Line Wagering**





- □ First Internet Protocol TV Network devoted to Thoroughbred Racing
- "My OTB" wager & watch! from virtually anywhere
- Watch up to five live tracks at once; access simulcast feeds across most tracks
- □ Wagering, Program & Handicapping information synchronized with Video
- □ Integrated BRIS handicapping data
- □ Ability to display races in High-Definition 16:9 aspect ratio



**Dollars in Millions** 

- Nov 11<sup>th</sup>, 2009: Announced a definitive merger agreement to acquire Youbet.com
- Valued at \$126.2 million at the time of the announcement

#### **Deal Rationale:**

- ✓ The On-Line wagering channel is growing.
- ✓ Better innovation & features for our customers.
- ✓ Synergy savings in excess of \$10 million/year
- ✓ Better positioned to pursue other on-line business opportunities
- ✓ Improved tote stability for our tracks & ADW







# **Growing our Casino Gaming Business**



Fair Grounds Slots Opened November 2008





Calder Slots Opened January 2010



# **Growing Our Entertainment Offerings**



The Rolling Stones at Churchill Downs





JazzFest Hosted at Fair Grounds



The Police at Churchill Downs

### **Growing Our Entertainment Offerings**



- ➤ Announced Nov 30, 2009
- ➤ 3 day, 65+ act music festival targeted at 35-54 year old demographic
- ➤ 5 themed stages, music genre to match market research
- ➤ July 23-25, 2010 fits 'window of opportunity' in Midwest entertainment and routing schedule
- Named headliner each day on main stage
  - Bon Jovi
  - Kenny Chesney
  - Dave Matthews Band



# **Growth Summary**

|               | <u>2010</u>                      | 2011 & Beyond                         |
|---------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Racing /      | + Night Racing                   | → New TV & Presenting Sponsor         |
| Derby         | + Breeder's Cup                  | → Derby pricing and attendance        |
| On-Line       | + Channel shift / organic        | + Channel shift / organic             |
|               | + Youbet.com acquisition         | + Youbet.com carryover                |
|               |                                  | → Expansion beyond pari-mutuel        |
| Gaming        | + Calder casino opening          | + Calder casino carryover             |
|               | + New OTB – Chalmette            | → Gaming opportunities in<br>IL or KY |
| Entertainment | + HullabaLOU<br>+ Wine Festivals | → Other venues and events             |



#### Financials - Revenue

#### **Annual Revenues**



#### **First 9 Months Revenues**



#### Significantly diversified revenue mix

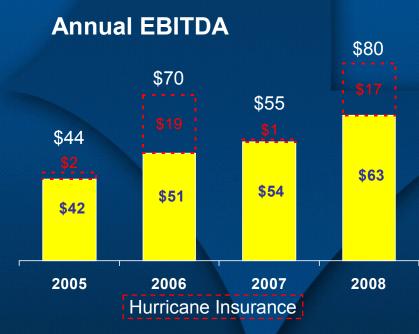
- ✓ Gaming 12% of total in '08, 13% thru 9 months of '09 ... growing with Calder Casino
- ✓ On-Line 13% of total in '08, 16% thru 9 months... growing with Youbet.com acquisition
- ✓ Racing/Derby declining slightly

| % of Total | Company | Revenues |
|------------|---------|----------|
|------------|---------|----------|

|              | <u>2005</u> | <u>2008</u> | YTD'09 |
|--------------|-------------|-------------|--------|
| Racing/Derby | 97%         | 76%         | 71%    |
| Gaming       | 3%          | 12%         | 13%    |
| On-Line      | - %         | 12%         | 16%    |
| Total        | 100%        | 100%        | 100%   |
|              |             |             |        |



#### Financials - EBITDA



#### **First 9 Months EBITDA**



#### Significantly diversified EBITDA

- ✓ On-Line 18% of EBITDA thru 9 months of '09...potientially growing with Youbet.com
- ✓ Gaming 30% of EBITDA in 2008, will be higher in 2009 on Permanent FG Facility opening, growing in '10/'11 on Calder Opening
- √ 15% CAGR excluding hurricane insurance rec.

| % of Total Company EBITDA                                    |     |     |     |  |  |
|--|-----|-----|-----|--|--|
| <u>2006</u> <u>2008</u> <u>YTD'09</u>                        |     |     |     |  |  |
| Racing/Derby   | 84% | 63% | 61% |  |  |
| Gaming   | 21% | 30% | 23% |  |  |
| On-Line  | - % | 10% | 18% |  |  |
| Corp/Other (5)% (3)% (2)%                                    |     |     |     |  |  |
| (Note: excludes hurricane insurance recoveries in each year) |     |     |     |  |  |



#### Financials - Cash Flow & Debt



#### Very Strong Balance Sheet

- ✓ Very strong cash flow generation
- ✓ Amended and expanded credit facility in December 2009 to \$275 million
- ✓ Cash flow values back-stopped with hard assets/real estate

#### Capital Spending Drivers

2006: Fair Grounds hurricane repairs

2007: FGs temporary slots facility

+ Arlington PolyTrack

2008: FGs permanent slots facility

2009: Calder Casino



### **Summary**

- ➤ Best known brands in our industry
- Diversified growth strategy
- Strong cash flow with access to capital
- > Strong balance sheet, back stopped with real assets
- Careful cost management
- Proven management team with a record of success



# Questions?