



Super Schissel

Bay horse, 3 by Uncle Peter – Bavarde by Andover Hall

OWNER: Al J Libfeld, ON & Perry L Soderberg
BREEDER: Coyote Wynd Farms
SALE INFO: \$115,000 Lexington-Selected
TRAINER: Per Engblom
DRIVER: Scott Zeron

YEAR	STARTS	1 ST	2 ND	3 RD	EARNINGS	MARK
2019	6	1	0	4	\$61,407	1:52.4 M
2018	13	4	1	3	\$244,060	1:54.3 Lex
LIFETIME	19	5	1	7	\$305,467	3, 1:52.4 M

- In his final prep before the Hambletonian, Super Schissel closed down the stretch to finish third behind fellow Hambo contenders Don't Let'em and Swandre The Giant in the Reynolds Memorial on July 27th.
- Closed down the stretch to grab third in his Stanley Dancer division on July 14th.
- Has hit the board five out of six starts this season. He lone win came in a non winners of four at the Meadowlands on June 28th in 1:52.4.
- Super Schissel finished fourth in his Goodtimes elimination at Woodbine Mohawk Park and rallied for third in the Final on June 15th.
- Was a Jimmy Takter trainee during his 2 year old season and transferred to Per Engblom for his three year old campaign.
- Finished third in his Breeders Crown elimination and finished fourth in the final at Pocono Downs.
- Made thirteen starts as a two year old and had wins in two legs of the Kentucky Sire Stakes, a win in a division of the International Stallion Stakes and captured the \$158,000 Matron Stakes at Dover Downs On November 8th.
- Per Engblom, 39, is making his Hambletonian debut with his own stable, but is no stranger to the race after spending the past six years as the top assistant to Hall of Fame trainer Jimmy Takter. Engblom was part of two Hambletonian victories during that time frame, with Trixton in 2014 and Pinkman in 2015.

- Engblom grew up in Mantorp, Sweden, which is also Takter's birthplace. Both men began their careers at the local racetrack, which was started by a group that included Engblom's grandfather, Bengt Engblom. Per Engblom's father, Raoul, also is a trainer.
- This is Enblom's second stint in the U.S. He was 19 when he came to the States for the first time. His sister, Pernilla, worked for Takter and the stable needed additional help. Engblom worked as a groom for two years before assisting with training for another three years. He then returned home to Sweden, where he was the private trainer for Stall Tilly, and later worked in Italy before starting his own public stable.
- At the beginning of 2012, Engblom and his wife, Helene, decided to move to the U.S. with their then 4-year-old son, Tom, who was ready to start school. Engblom worked for a year with trainer Tony Alagna before returning to the Takter Stable, where Helene joined him.
- Scott Zeron, 30, has already hoisted the Hambletonian trophy twice in his career. In 2018, Zeron-driven Atlanta became the first female trotter since Continentalvictory in 1996 to win the Hambletonian. Two years earlier, Zeron won with Marion Marauder, who went on to capture the Yonkers Trot and Kentucky Futurity to sweep the Trotting Triple Crown. Marion Marauder was the ninth Trotting Triple Crown winner and was named Trotter of the Year.
- With Marion Marauder, the then 27-year-old Zeron was the second-youngest driver to win the Hambletonian and youngest driver to win a harness racing Triple Crown, either trotting or pacing.
- Atlanta was named 2018 Trotter of the Year. Zeron also drove two other Dan Patch Award winners in 2018, 2-year-old male pacer Captain Crunch and 3-year-old female pacer Kissin In The Sand.
- Captain Crunch in June won the North America Cup, one of the sport's top races for 3-year-old pacers.
- Zeron was born in Montreal and made a name for himself in Ontario, twice leading all Canadian drivers in wins (2010 and 2011) before relocating to the U.S. near the end of 2013. In 2012, he received the Rising Star Award from the U.S. Harness Writers Association.
- In 2016, Zeron set a career high with \$8.91 million in purses. He also won his first Meadowlands driving title.
- Zeron won the 2012 Little Brown Jug with Michael's Power and at age 23 was the youngest driver to ever win the race.
- For his career, Zeron has won 3,600 races and nearly \$70 million in purses.
- Co-owner Al Libfeld won the Hambletonian in 2010 with Muscle Massive.

- His sire, Uncle Peter, earned over \$1.2 million in his career including a Hambletonian elimination win in 2012. He broke in the final and was placed 8th.