

FAST PASS

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2XSW ON DIRT/
G3P ON TURF

BY CURLIN,
O/O SW
MORE THAN READY
MARE

OVERVIEW

- ✓ **Versatile-** Dual Surface Winner
- ✓ **By Leading Sire-** CURLIN; Out of a **Stakes Winner** by **MORE THAN READY**
- ✓ **In Form-** 2x Stakes Winner/G3 Placed in 2018
- ✓ **Strong Figures-** Ran two, very strong **2 Thoro-Graphs** this year



BISHOP'S POND

CURLIN X MORE FOR ME (MORE THAN READY)

Selling Wednesday, November 7

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BISHOP'S POND has been a **model of durability** throughout her career. In her 28 lifetime starts, she has raced at **9 different racetracks** on both the **east and west coast**. She came into her own in her sophomore year to pair back to back wins on the **NYRA circuit**, breaking her maiden against **MSW company** at **Belmont** and winning her **Alw-N1X condition** at **Saratoga**. While **primarily racing on the turf** from her 2-through 5-year-old seasons, BISHOP'S POND was given the opportunity to display her **dual-surface talent in 2018** adding **2 Stakes wins on the dirt** + a **G3 placing on the turf** to her resume.

Bishop's Pond has convincingly **gotten better with time** and is **coming into the sale off of her best year on the track**.

TURF

DIRT

- ✓ **5 ½ length Stakes winner**
going 1 mile
- ✓ **4 ½ length Stakes winner**
going 1 1/16 miles

- ✓ **G3 placed** going 1 1/8 miles
- ✓ **Stakes Placed** going 1 mile
- ✓ **Won** going 1 3/16 mile in
Saratoga Alw-N1X
- ✓ **Broke Maiden** going 1 ¼
miles in **Belmont MSW**

OCTOBER 10, 2018- WINTER MELODY STAKES AT DELAWARE

1st by 4 ½ lengths, 86 Beyer, 2 Thoro-Graph

 [WATCH RACE REPLAY \(SHE IS 10\)](#)

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BISHOP'S POND turned in a **resounding victory** in her last start before the sale. Leaving nothing to chance, Bishop's Pond **broke sharply**, went straight to the lead and **kicked clear down the stretch** to win easily. She earned a **career best 2 Thoro-Graph** and notched her **2nd Stakes win on the dirt**.

KEY RACES TO WATCH

JANUARY 8, 2018- \$100,000 THIRTY EIGHT GO GO AT LAUREL

1st by 5 ½ lengths, 85 Beyer, 2 Thoro-Graph

▶ WATCH RACE REPLAY (SHE IS 7)

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BISHOP'S POND turned in another impressive **front running victory** to secure her first Stakes win. This was her first attempt at 1 mile on the **dirt** and only her **3rd career start** on the surface, but she handled it all like a pro and **rolled home with ease** and earned another **very strong 2 Thoro-Graph**.

"She broke out of there so nice, I didn't want the lead, but she made it so easily and relaxed nicely."

– Jockey Rosario Montanez

SPEED FIGURES



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Individual Horse Past Performances

Bishop's Pond

Own: Dubb Michael, Bethlehem Stables LLC a

Dual Surface Winner

Dk. b or b. m. 6 (Mar)

Sire: Curlin (Smart Strike) \$150,000

Dam: More for Me (More Than Ready)

Br: Mr. & Mrs. Richard S. Kaster (Ky)

Tr: Servis Jason

MSW Winner at BEL
ALW1X Winner at SAR

Life	28	6	3	4	\$364,372	90
2018	5	2	0	2	\$107,845	87
2017	6	1	1	0	\$63,625	90

Leading Sires:
CURLIN
MORE THAN READY

100Oct18-8Del	fst	1 ¹ / ₁₆ ①	24	:48	2:12	1:43	1:34	③	WntrMeldyB50k
1Sep18-8Mth	fm	1 ¹ / ₈ ①	48	3	1:12	3:13	1:48	3 ¹ / ₂ ⑥	Violet-G3
28Jly18-5Lrl	fst	7f	22	:45	2:1:09	2:13	3 ¹ / ₄ ⑥	TwixtB75k	G3P Turf
17Mar18-9SA	fst	1 ¹ / ₈ ④	46	3	1:11	1:37	2:1:50	2:44 ③	SMrgrrta-G1
8Jan18-7Lrl	fst	1 ¹ / ₁₆ ①	23	:46	4:1:11	3:36	4 ¹ / ₄ ③	ThyEhtGoB100k	
25Nov17-4Aqu	fm	1 ¹ / ₁₆ ①	22	:50	2:1:14	1:43	3 ¹ / ₄ ③	FrvtTgthrB150k	
30Sep17-9Bel	gd	1 ¹ / ₂ ①	C 47	1:12	1:37	4:1:50	1:34 ③	BldmInv-G1	
11Sep17-7Del	fst	1 ¹ / ₁₆ ⑦	23	:48	1:12	1:41	4:1:34 ③	Alw 4000nc	
8Jly17-8Del	fm	1 ¹ / ₈ ①	50	1:14	2:1:38	3:2:17	1:34 ③	RGDkMem-G3	
3Jun17-41Mth	fm	1 ¹ / ₁₆ ①	C 23	:47	2:1:11	2:41	4:1:34 ③	Eatntwn-G3	
15Apr17-7Aqu	fm	1 ①	24	:49	1:13	1:36	2:44 ③	PtlyOGrceB100k	
10Nov16-8Aqu	fm	1 ¹ / ₈ ⑦	53	2:1:20	1:44	3:2:20	4:1:34 ③	OC 62k/N2x-N	

86	5/6	11	1 ¹ / ₂	13 ¹ / ₂	15	14 ¹ / ₂	McCarthy T
86	4/6	1 ¹ / ₂	1 ¹ / ₂	1hd	31 ¹ / ₂	34 ¹ / ₂	Lopez P
87	5/7	1	2 ¹ / ₂	2 ¹ / ₂	33 ¹ / ₂	33 ¹ / ₂	Vargas J A Jr
73	7/10	31	31 ¹ / ₂	33	912	1018 ¹ / ₂	Espinoza V
85	3/9	1 ¹ / ₂	1 ¹ / ₂	12	14	15 ¹ / ₂	Montanez R
89	2/7	11	11	1 ¹ / ₂	2hd	53 ¹ / ₂	Arroyo A S
82	3/7	1 ¹ / ₂	2 ¹ / ₂	1 ¹ / ₂	31 ¹ / ₂	510 ¹ / ₂	Ortiz I Jr
87	1/5	1 ¹ / ₂	1 ¹ / ₂	1 ¹ / ₂	15	14	Cedeno C
80	1/9	11	11 ¹ / ₂	1hd	57 ¹ / ₂	88 ¹ / ₂	Juarez N
90	2/11	33 ¹ / ₂	32	41 ¹ / ₂	43	52 ¹ / ₂	Juarez N
89	1/7	1 ¹ / ₂	1 ¹ / ₂	1 ¹ / ₂	1hd	22 ¹ / ₂	Arroyo A S
86	3/6	11	11 ¹ / ₂	1 ¹ / ₂	12 ¹ / ₂	1 ¹ / ₂	Ortiz I Jr

2x SW
on Dirt
in
2018

Look at the results sheet from any recent sale and it becomes clear: **CURLIN** is one of the most important commercial sires in the world.

His **Champion** daughter **STELLAR WIND** topped **Keeneland November** in 2017 at **\$6 million**, daughter **CURALINA** was a **\$3 million broodmare**, and he had a **trio of seven-figure horses at the 2018 yearling sales**, where he was a **Top 5 sire by average** (\$290,981) and **median** (\$245,000). Those results, of course, stem from his **success on the track**. **CURLIN** has been represented by stars like **Champion GOOD MAGIC** and the further **Grade I winners EXAGGERATOR, KEEN ICE, PALACE MALICE, CONNECT** and **OFF THE TRACKS**.



One key point is that **CURLIN** hasn't done it with big books. **From 2012 through 2014, he averaged just 75 foals a year**. That means that **offspring from his stakes-winning daughters should be in high demand** as there simply **aren't many of them**.

Enter **BISHOP'S POND**, a **\$250,000 2-year-old in training** who proved to be the goods on the track, where she's won several stakes and **banked over \$360,000**. Bishop's Pond is out of the stakes winner **More For Me**, by top sire **MORE THAN READY**, sire of 190 stakes winners internationally.

This is the immediate family of very fast **dirt** sprinter **G1W Millionaire RICHTER SCALE**. Additionally, Bishop's Pond's **3yo** half-brother **SHAKES CREEK** (The Factor), a \$165,000 2yo in training, **wired a maiden special weight field in 1:34.13** for the **Brad Cox** barn. Bishop's Pond also has a **2yo** half-sister named **MORE MO FOR ME (Uncle Mo)**, a \$150,000 yearling who is currently in training at Keeneland.

12	Bishop's Pond	Curlin	Mar 4	dk b/ f	\$250,000	FTF MAR SEL 2YO TRN 14	\$364,372	BW	109
13	Rate for Me	Exchange Rate	Mar 19	b g	\$140,000	KEE SEP YRLG 2014	\$130,084	W	106
14	Powerful Ally	Stay Thirsty	Apr 20	dk b/ c	\$200,000	KEE SEP YRLG 2015	\$156,515	W	107
15	Shakes Creek	The Factor	May 3	gr/ro c	\$165,000	OBS SPR 2YO 2017	\$29,400	W	94
16	More Mo for Me	Uncle Mo	May 6	b f	\$150,000	KEE SEP YRLG 2017		NS	

It's important to note here Bishop's Pond's breeding history. She raced in mid-March 2018 in California and was shipped to Kentucky to be bred to **Violence**. She did not get in foal on a **late May 6 cover**. She was immediately put back into training and rewarded her connections with **a strong third to MG3W/G2P Elysea's World (Ire)** in the **G3 Violet S. on the turf** at Monmouth Sept. 1 and a **win** in the **Winter Melody S. on the dirt** at Delaware Oct. 10.

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SUMMARY



BISHOP'S POND presents breeders the opportunity to acquire a **SW/G3P** mare by **CURLIN** that has proven herself on both **dirt and turf**, running **two, very strong 2 Thoro-Graphs in 2018**. While **CURLIN** has proven his success as a sire on both the dirt and turf, so has BISHOP'S POND's dam- **MORE FOR ME**- whose **progeny also have excelled on both surfaces**. BISHOP'S POND's immediate family sports the potential for **future updates** from her 3yo brother and Brad Cox-trainee, **SHAKES CREEK (The Factor)** and 2yo sister, **MORE MO FOR ME (Uncle Mo)**, a \$150,000 yearling buy, who are still in training.

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