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RYMSKA winning the Winter Memories Stakes

OVERVIEW

The black beauty of Chad Brown's stable, **RYMSKA** competed with the very best in her division since arrival in America in the fall of her 2-year-old season. A daughter of one of France's top stallions, **LE HAVRE**, she became known for a devastating late kick. The **Grade 2-winning** and **multiple Grade 1-placed** 5-year-old comes to Keeneland with strong résumé, having danced every dance while **hitting the board in 13 of her 15 career starts**.



RYMSKA (FR)

LE HAVRE (IRE) X FOREIGN RAIDER (IRE) BY LEND A HAND (GB)





PAST PERFORMANCES

RYMSKA displayed talent from the very moment she stepped on the track in France at the age of two.



IN FRANCE

In her 2nd career start, **RYMSKA** came through with a **maiden-breaking win** at Deauville, one of France's top racecourses. In her next start, she picked up her first Black Type win against Stakes company over a distance of **just over a mile**. Later that month, she was shipped to America to contest in the **G3 Miss Grillo**, a **Breeders' Cup prep** race for the **Juvenile Fillies Turf**.



RYMSKA breaking her maiden on debut at France's prestigious Deauville.

2YO YEAR

She made her US debut in the **G3 Miss Grillo** at Belmont Park, against some of the best fillies the east coast had to offer, **coming home 2**nd that day to future Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf champ **NEW MONEY HONEY** and finishing ahead of Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf 2nd -place finisher **COASTED**. Sent to the Breeders' Cup off this effort, Rymska drew post 11 of 14 and ultimately ran 5th, beaten just 3 ¼ lengths while **covering 13 feet more than the winner and over 24 feet (approximately 3 lengths) further** than the 3rd and 4th-place finishers.

	Came home fastest of all and traveled further.										
_			This Segment					Race Cumulative			
		Time (s)	Distance Run (ft)	Off Rail (ft)	Avg (mph)	Lengths Ahead	Time (s)	Peak (mph)	Distance (ft)	Delta (ft)	
3	New Money Honey	11.69	665	15.7	38.8	1/4	1:34.01	41.8	5351		
6	Coasted	11.57	667	13.9	39.3	Head	1:34.08	41.0	5352	1	
9	Cavale Doree (FR)	11.55	665	19.4	39.3	1	1:34.10	42.0	5338	-13	
2	Lull	12.26	664	11.8	36.9	1/2	1:34.29	42.9	5340	-11	
11	Rymska (FR)	11.60	663	28.1	39.0	Head	1:34.43	40.7	5364	13	

3YO YEAR

RYMSKA really came into stride as a 3yo and was <u>undefeated</u> that season. She captured the **G3 Sweetest Chant** at Gulfstream, before being sidelined by a minor injury for several months. She picked up right where she left off and took both the **G3 Commonwealth Oaks** and the **Winter Memories** in New York before shipping to Santa Anita as the **morning line favorite for the G1 American Oaks**. Bad luck struck again when she had to scratch the morning of the race with a splint bone injury, forcing her to the sidelines again.



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4YO YEAR



RYMSKA winning the G3 Athenia, earning a 104 Beyer

In her career-best performance to date, RYMSKA took the **Grade 3 Athenia** (watch replay) at Belmont Park where she posted a **104 Beyer Speed Figure**, taking down the multiple Grade1-winning **NEW MONEY HONEY**, as well as the Grade 2-winning/Grade 1-placed **HAWKSMOOR** and Grade 2 winner **ON LEAVE**.

Had she run that number in 2019, it would be the 3rd highest Beyer Speed Figure of any female turf horse this year, only behind reigning Eclipse Award Champion SISTERCHARLIE and G1W GOT STORMY. More bad luck was sent her way before closing out her year, when she drew post position 14 of 14 in the G1 Matriarch at Del Mar. Still, she showed her class, only finishing 3 lengths back of G1W UNI despite enduring a wide trip.

TURF FEMALE TOP BEYERS

108- GOT STORMY ('19 Fourstardave [G1])

105- SISTERCHARLIE ('19 Diana [G1])

104- RYMSKA ('18 Athenia [G3])

103- UNI ('19 Fourstardave [G1])

5YO YEAR

She won the **G2 Hillsborough** (watch replay) at Tampa Bay Downs, blowing away her competition by a widening two lengths, earning a **Beyer Speed Figure of 97** in the process.

After her win at Tampa, she would make 2 more starts in **G1 company**, running 2nd both times. She had troubled trips in both the **G1 Jenny Wiley**, finishing ahead of G1 Fourstardave winner GOT STORMY, and the **G1 Gamely**, only bested by division leaders **RUSHING FALL** and **VASILIKA**.

PEDIGREE

RYMSKA is by the prolific French stallion LE HAVRE, whose best offspring include LA CRESSONNIERE, a dual French Classic-winning filly, who at one point was a favorite for the Group 1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe, as well as G1 winners AVENIR CERTAIN and SUEDOIS, who won the G1 Shadwell Mile at Keeneland in 2017. She is out of the LEND A HAND mare FOREIGN RAIDER and from the family of the multiple Group 1-winning CREATOR.







RYMSKA winning the G2 Hillsborough

SUMMARY

A beautiful daughter of leading French sire, LE HAVRE, RYSMKA had a devastating turn of foot and has been as consistent as they come when it comes the filly and mare turf ranks in America. She came over to the states and has competed with the best of her generation in 4 separate racing seasons and is now **primed to become** a star in someone's broodmare band.

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