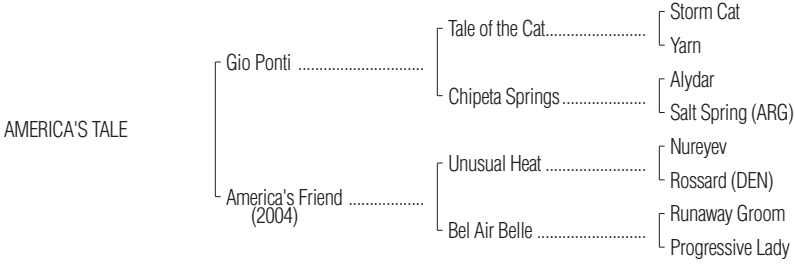


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**AMERICA'S TALE**  
Bay Mare; foaled 2015

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**By GIO PONTI** (2005). Champion 3 times, black-type winner of \$6,169,800, Arlington Million S. **[G1]** (AP, \$588,000), etc. Sire of 8 crops of racing age, 546 foals, 406 starters, 16 black-type winners, 268 winners of 757 races and earning \$21,028,458, 2 champions, including Drefong **[G1]** (\$1,538,385), and of Olympic Runner **[G2]** (\$450,462). Sire of dams of winners.

**1st dam**

**AMERICA'S FRIEND**, by Unusual Heat. 4 wins at 4, \$284,244, Solana Beach H.-R (DMR, \$65,820), 3rd Dance In The Mood S. (HOL, \$10,140). Sister to **BEL AIR SIZZLE**, **Starspangled Heat**. Dam of 9 registered foals, 8 of racing age, 7 to race, 6 winners, including--

**AMERICA'S TALE** (f. by Gio Ponti). Black-type winner, see record.

**Mr. Unusual** (g. by Mr Speaker). Winner at 3, 4, and 5, 2022, \$40,697, in N.A./U.S.; winner at 3, \$23,080, in Canada, 2nd Manitoba Derby (ASD, \$12,240). (Total: \$58,094).

Mr. Biffle (c. by Palace Malice). Winner at 3 and 4, 2022, \$42,263.

**2nd dam**

**BEL AIR BELLE**, by Runaway Groom. 4 wins, 3 to 5, \$58,720. Dam of--

**BEL AIR SIZZLE** (f. by Unusual Heat). 6 wins, \$515,646, Melair S.-R (HOL, \$120,000), Valentine Dancer H.-R (SA, \$40,000), 2nd Del Mar Oaks **[G1]** (DMR, \$70,000), Santa Ana H. **[G2]** (SA, \$30,000), Honeymoon H. **[G2]** (HOL, \$27,250), 3rd Providencia S. **[G2]** (SA, \$18,000), Senorita S. **[G3]** (HOL, \$13,176), Irish O'Brien S.-R (SA, \$15,000). Producer.

**AMERICA'S FRIEND** (f. by Unusual Heat). Black-type winner, above.

**Starspangled Heat** (g. by Unusual Heat). 5 wins, 3 to 5, \$476,685, 2nd California Dreamin' H.-R (DMR, \$28,500), Sensational Star S.-R (SA, \$20,000), 3rd San Juan Capistrano S. **[G2]** (SA, \$24,000), California Dreamin' H.-R (DMR, \$18,000), Lure S.-R (SA, \$11,988).

California Heat. Winner at 4, \$93,474. Dam of 3 winners, including--

**Beat the Heat** (g. by Uh Oh Bango). 5 wins, 4 to 6, \$128,661, 3rd Arizona Breeders' Futurity-R (TUP, \$5,167).

**3rd dam**

**PROGRESSIVE LADY**, by Crafty Prospector. 3 wins in 6 starts at 3, \$40,030.

Dam of 7 foals, 6 winners, including--

American Miner. 9 wins, 4 to 9, \$129,271.

**RACE RECORD:** At 2, two wins, 3 times 2nd; at 3, three wins (Safely Kept S. [L] (LRL, \$60,000), Tiffany Lass S. (FG, \$45,000)), once 3rd; at 4, one win (Inside Information S. **[G2]** (GP, \$120,280)). Totals: 6 wins, 3 times 2nd, once 3rd. Earned \$405,853.

**PRODUCE RECORD:** 2021 f. by Curlin; 2022 c. by Constitution.

Mated to Medaglia d'Oro (El Prado (IRE)--Cappucino Bay), last service April 4, 2022. (Believed to be **PREGNANT**).