### HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL

# Travelers elite youth team migrates to Ky.

#### **LEAGUE BOASTS TOP** PREP PROSPECTS

#### By Ben Roberts

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The Nike-sponsored Elite Youth Basketball League (EYBL) has been the summer home to such prep stars as Anthony Davis, Michael Kidd-Gilchrist, Nerlens Noel, Andrew Wiggins and Julius Randle in recent years.

On Saturday, the Travelers Basketball club will hold its first practice in Lexington the team's new headquarters — and officially become the first EYBL team to be based in Kentucky.

The Travelers are moving north after a quarter century in Tennessee, where Ron Mercer, Corey Brewer and Vincent Yarbrough were among its most notable players.

The team's director, Andy Rines, said the decision to relocate to Kentucky was made

"We had 25 great years in Tennessee. But for the past three or four years, the talent level in the east and middle part of the state has been on the decline," Rines said. "It's probably at its lowest point since we've been in operation."

According to EYBL rules, a team must primarily consist of players from its state of operation. Each team is allowed to have three out-of-state players, but they must come from a bordering state.

As Tennessee's talent pool dwindled in recent years, Rines and other team officials started scouting Kentucky to fill out their roster.

"Once we got up here, we realized the talent in Kentucky right now is much better than what's in Tennessee," he said. "That gave us the idea to make the move."

The Travelers' leading scorer and rebounder last year was Lexington Catholic forward Jack Whitman, who will play his college ball at William & Mary.

16-and-under team. Seventeen of the 21 total players on the rosters are from Kentucky.

The EYBL squad includes Holmes point guard James "Beetle" Bolden, who wowed a couple of Rupp Arena crowds with his performances during last week's Sweet Sixteen.

Lafayette forward Jackson Davis, Knott Central guard Camron Justice and Dixie Heights guard Brandon Hatton are also on the team, which will be coached by former Vanderbilt player Brendan Plavich.

The 16-and-under roster includes three Lexington high schoolers — Catholic's Tanner Johnson, LCA's Matt Rose and Lafayette's Shon Wright.

Holmes Coach Jason Booher, who led Shelby Valley to a Sweet Sixteen title in 2010, hopes the arrival of the Travelers means good things for high school basketball in the state.

"I was excited to hear that they were coming to Kentucky," Booher said. "I think we're seeing Kentucky high school basketball back up on the rise. Hopefully their shift from Tennessee to Kentucky is another sign of that.

"They'll get a taste of what the best is all about, and they'll have some humbling experiences, I'm sure."

The competition will be

Class of 2014 prospects Tyus Jones, Emmanuel Mudiay, Jahlil Okafor, Stanley Johnson and Trey Lyles all have UK scholarship offers and all are expected to play on the EYBL circuit again

The competition is second to none," Rines said. "You've got 80, 85 percent of the best high school players in the country in the league. ... From the kids' standpoint, the competition is the best and the exposure is the best."

The Travelers — one of 40 EYBL teams from the United States and Canada — will play 20 regular-season games at stops in Los Angeles; Hampton, Va.; Minneapolis and Dallas.

The top 24 teams at the conclusion of the regular season are sent to the Nike Peach Jam finals in South Carolina, where just about every top college coach in the country will be waiting.

Last year's Peach Jam championship game featured a matchup between teams led by Wiggins and fellow UK recruit Aaron Gordon.

'The goal is to make the Peach Jam. If you do that, your season is the ultimate success," Rines said. "But the one thing that's different about the EYBL is there are no easy games. Even the worst teams are really good."

The team plans to hold two-a-day practices every Saturday until the end of the school year.

The first EYBL game of 2013 will be played April 19 in Los Angeles, and that will mark the start of a new chapter for the Travelers basketball program.

"We've played Tyus Jones This year, the Travelers since he was in ninth grade, ll field an EYBL team and a and it never gets easy," Rines said. "But that's the fun of it too, just knowing that every game is so highly competitive. And these kids are competitors, so I think that's what they want.'

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scored over Dunbar's Mike Smith (15) in the 43rd District tournament in February. Davis is part of the new, Nikesponsored Elite Youth **Basketball** League in Kentucky.

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#### **DERBY WATCH**

# BAFFERT HAS SUPER LEGACY AT OAKLAWN

# Trainer's Super Ninety Nine, Den's Legacy are Rebel contenders



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**SPORTS** 

Verrazano was a fearsome favorite in last weekend's Grade II Tampa Bay Derby because, despite questions about his inexperience, there was just no arguing how superior his form was compared to his opponents that day.

When the 11-horse field for the Grade II Rebel Stakes goes to post at Oaklawn Park on Saturday, Super Ninety Nine might be considered even more of an overwhelming choice than his 3-to-2 morning-line odds suggest.

He dusted some of the same challengers by 1114 lengths in the Grade III Southwest Stakes at Oaklawn on Feb. 18 and the son of Pulpit is unbeaten going two turns.

But when evaluating the colt's potential outcome for this race, the key piece of information might be the man listed as his trainer. The level of domination Hall of Famer

Bob Baffert has had shipping horses from California to Oaklawn Park over the years is equal parts astonishing and terrifying, depending on which side of the cheering fence you fall on. With 29 lifetime starters at the Hot

Springs track, Baffert has saddled 17 winners and 13 graded stakes victors. He's won the last three Rebel Stakes with Lookin At Lucky (2010), The Factor (2011) and Secret Circle (2012).

Last season Baffert won six of the eight graded stakes he entered at Oaklawn, most notably the Grade I Arkansas Derby with eventual Kentucky Derby and Preakness Stakes runner-up Bodemeister.

Because Baffert doesn't send his prospects to Arkansas unless he thinks they are ready to do something special, Super Ninety Nine and his stablemate and fellow Rebel Stakes contender Den's Legacy are further elevated by that association.

Though his frame and pedigree suggests more a miler, Super Ninety Nine handled the 11/16-mile Southwest Stakes like a horse who wanted more and has had two stellar workouts since.

Den's Legacy has been consistent in his 10 starts, finishing off the board twice and most recently running second in the Grade II Robert B. Lewis Stakes.

The D. Wayne Lukas-trained duo of Oxbow and Will Take Charge are among those trying to thwart Baffert, as will the Todd Pletcher-trained Delhomme, who is making his season debut.

Though Baffert isn't slated to make the trip to Arkansas, his challengers will be trying to beat him in what has essentially become his house.

## The Derby Dozen

1. Itsmyluckyday: Seasoned son of Lawyer Ron worked one mile in 1:46 flat at Calder last Saturday in a move trainer Eddie Plesa Jr.

(Horses listed in post position

order with saddle-cloth number)

1st-\$7,900, maiden claiming (\$7,500), fillies

2nd-\$8,700, claiming (\$5,000), fillies & mares

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R. Prescott

4-years-old and up, 51/2 furlongs, post 1:40

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Rocky Bear

Desert Bay

Prince Larry

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# Breeders' to pay travel costs

The Breeders' Cup will pay travel costs for all horses shipping from outside of California for the first time and will lower entry fees by 1 percent for the Nov. 1-2 event at Santa Anita in Arcadia, Calif.

The Breeders' Cup board of directors on Friday approved giving owners of horses shipping from outside of North America a \$40,000 travel allowance, while owners of domestic horses shipping to California will get a \$10,000 allowance.

Breeders' Cup chairman Tom Ludt says the decision will make the event more affordable and increase its global reach.

described as "perfect." Verrazano has been the most brilliant member of this class, but Itsmyluckyday has the experience edge with

2. Verrazano: His 3-length victory in the Tampa Bay Derby last weekend drove home why this son of More Than Ready has generated such excitement. He bobbled at the start and didn't appear to relish the surface, vet still handled his competition with freakish ease. Was fitting how much Verrazano towered over Falling Sky as he went by that one to take the lead because he has dwarfed everything in his wake in three career starts. The Grade I Wood Memorial at Aqueduct on April 6 is slated for Verrazano's final prep.

3. Orb: Trainer Shug McGaughey said he 'couldn't be more pleased" with the way Orb looked covering 4 furlongs in :48.40 at Payson Park on Monday, his first move since winning the Grade II Fountain of Youth. Hall of Fame jockey John Velazguez, who piloted Orb in the Fountain of Youth and will be aboard him for the Grade I Florida Derby on March 30, could have a Sophie's Choice Kentucky Derby mount moment as he also rides Verrazano for Pletcher. When asked about the possible situation, McGaughey said he would "cross that bridge when we come to it."

**4. Vyjack:** Unbeaten gelding worked a half mile in :51.23 at Aqueduct on Friday in his first move since taking the Gotham Stakes. Downer news came this week as various outlets reported trainer Rudy Rodriguez would serve a 20-day suspension for two flunixin positives last year, though he will be the trainer of record when Vyjack starts in the Wood Memorial, according to Daily Racing Form. Vyjack has done nothing wrong on the track and the fact he showed a new, late-running dimension in the Gotham adds more intrigue to his slated meeting against Verrazano.

5. Revolutionary: His potential challengers for the Louisiana Derby shrank by one when Risen Star Stakes winner Ive Struck a Nerve sustained an ankle injury during a workout last Saturday morning that will knock him off the Triple Crown trail. Revolutionary continues to go about his business, working 5 furlongs in 1:01.48 at Palm Meadows last Sunday.

6. Shanghai Bobby: Reigning juvenile ampion clicked off another 5-Sunday, covering the distance in 1:02.90. His expected presence in the Florida Derby, along with Orb and Itsmyluckyday, appears to be scaring some off as there doesn't seem to be many others pointing to that spot at the moment. Is being overshadowed by some Pletcher-trained

stablemates but fact remains he has never not fired in a race.

7. Hear the Ghost: Yes, he benefited from the pace duel that developed between Flashback and Goldencents in winning the Grade II San Felipe last weekend but it's hard not to like a horse who swallows up ground the way the gelding son of Ghostzapper did in the final sixteenth. Trained by Hall of Famer Jerry Hollendorfer, Hear the Ghost was making just his third career start and stretching out for the first time in the 11/16-mile San Felipe having broken his maiden at Hollywood Park last December and running second in the San Pedro at Santa Anita on Jan. 21. "You don't see too many horses do what he's done and not turn out to be a pretty good horse," jockey Corey Nakatani said. Rematch with Flashback is on tap in the Grade I Santa Anita Derby on

8. Flashback: The speed duel that set things up for Hear the Ghost cost jockey Julien Leparoux the mount on Flashback as agent Tony Matos confirmed Thursday that Garrett Gomez will ride the son of Tapit in the Santa Anita Derby. Leparoux stood by his decision to move Flashback out from the rail and engage Goldencents around the first turn, and the grav colt was only caught by half a length at the wire. Still, that move did nothing to help the cause of getting Flashback to relax.

9. Normandy Invasion: Like Flashback, he will also have a new rider for his final Derby prep as owner Rick Porter announced this week that Javier Castellano would ride Normandy Invasion in the Wood Memorial, taking over for Jose Lezcano after the pair's fifth-place finish in the Risen Star. Pretty much has to run first or second in the Wood to earn enough points to definitely make the Kentucky Derby field, a task that got that much more daunting when it was announced Verrazano would likely be in the gate, too.

10. Oxbow: Hall of Fame trainer D. Wayne Lukas describes him as one of the toughest horses he's ever conditioned, saying there is no quit in the son of Awesome Again. Will need that mettle against a field of 10 in the Rebel Stakes, and how he performs will serve as a barometer in how we further evaluate the odd results of the Risen Star, where he ran fourth.

11. Super Ninety Nine: Baffert says this colt is built like a sprinter, yet he has turned a corner going two turns, including his freaky 111/4-length win over a sealed, sloppy track in the Southwest Stakes. Figures to have more pace pressure on him in the Rebel and drew the outside post No. 11 in the field. 12. Rydilluc: Worked 5 furlongs in 1:02.02

on the turf at Palm Meadows on Thursday in preparation for his expected start in the Toyota Blue Grass Stakes at Keeneland on April 13. His form has been on turf, but Animal Kingdom's 2011 Kentucky Derby triumph proved the transition can be done.

## The next dozen

Shakin It Up, Uncaptured, Goldencents, Treasury Bill, Palace Malice, Delhomme, West Hills Giant, Tiz a Minister, Den's Legacy, Java's War, Code West, Departing

Off the trail: Ive Struck a Nerve.

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She's All In

Don't Tell Sophia

My Miss Aurelia

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3-year-olds, 11/16 miles, 6:48

Songs and Sonnets G. Gomez

# Saturday's Thoroughbred racing entries

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5	Ecton Park Ruller	T. Pompell	121	30-1	5	Magical Moment	A. Tamburello	121	7-2
6	Vanilla Man	B. Fayos	121	10-1	6	Jo Bob	M. Adam	121	10-1
7	Clear Board	C. Russell	121	7-2	7	Strike Zone	B. Creed	121	30-1
8	Marvin D	A. Castillo	116	20-1	8	Sun Bear	R. Morales	121	6-1
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2	Skipping the Score					
3		A. Canchano				
	Bob's Gone Wild					
	Magical Moment					
	Jo Bob	M. Adam	121	10-1		
	Strike Zone					
	Sun Bear	R. Morales	121	6-1		
9	Kumacandu	N. Arroyo, Jr.	121	5-1		
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3-	year-olds, 6 furlong	gs, 5:42				
1	Fenway Slugger	A. Jimenez	122	12-1		
2	Rhythm Lake	A. Castanon	122	4-1		
	Contrapuntal	F. Arguello, Jr.	122	20-1		
4	Bo's Shepard			12-1		
5	C J Mon	E. Zuniga	122	30-1		
6	Macevil	N. Arroyo, Jr.	122	7-5		
7	Polaris	A. De Leon	122	5-1		
8	Fine Leather	P. Ouzts	122	4-1		
9	Little J J	A. Sanchez III	122	10-1		
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1	Class Included		121	10-1
2	Centre Court	J. Leparoux	123	3-1
3	Heavenly Landing	C. Lanerie	117	10-1
4	Channel Lady	J. Castellano	121	4-1
5	Namaskara	E. Prado	117	8-1
6	Pianist	J. Velazquez	117	5-1
7	Star Torina	J. Castanon	117	15-1
8	Samitar (GB)	J. Rosario	117	5-1
9	Frontside	A. Garcia	117	6-1

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a -Treasury Bill Texas Bling	J. Talamo M. Berry	115 119	5-1 30-1			
Delhomme	G. Gomez	115	7-2			
Hardrock Eleven	T. Thompson	115	50-1			
Den's Legacy	R. Albarado	119	8-1			
Will Take Charge	J. Court	122	15-1			
Stormy Holiday	D. Bell	115	30-1			
a -Title Contender	L. Quinonez	115	5-1			
Oxbow	M. Smith	122	4-1			
Super Ninety Nine	R. Bejarano	122	3-2			
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3	Tiz Gianni	R. Napravnik	118	20
5	Fire With Fire	T. Baze	118	12
6	Huntsville	A. Quinonez	118	12
7	Bright Thought	V. Espinoza	118	7
8	All Squared Away	E. Maldonado	118	8
9	Bourbon Bay	D. Flores	120	7
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# Friday's Thoroughbred racing results

#### **TURFWAY** Weather cloudy, track fast 1st-\$11,400, cl, 3YO F, 61/2f.

6 (6) Cherokee Callie (A.Tamburello) 3. 4 (4) Dazzlewithdiamonds (N.Arroyo, Jr.) 9.40 3.20 3 (3) Picture Me Mad (B.Creed) 2 40 Off 5:30. Time 1:20.56. Also ran—Smokinhotamber, Heart of Class, Thirty Eight Plus. Exacta (6-4) paid \$30.60. Super fecta (6-4-3-2) paid \$213.80. Trifecta (6-4-3) paid \$130.00.

2nd—\$6,100, mdn cl, 4Y0 up F&M, 11/16mi. 4 (4) Winning Cluster (A.Canchano) 18.60 7.40 5.00 7 (7) Blitzenstekkldpink (B.Creed) 1 (1) Tomo Nights (P.Ouzts) Off 6:00. Time 1:51.08. Also ran-Birdie Belle, Keep Sing-

ing, Seattle Rising, Clearly Wicked, Myland. Daily Double (6-4) paid \$52.60. Exacta (4-7) paid \$76.20. Superfecta (4-7-1-8) paid \$2,554.80. Trifecta (4-7-1) paid \$454.80. 3rd-\$7,000, cl. 4YO up. 1mi. 5 (4) Political Race (A.Canchano) 5.00 9 (9) St. Armands (T.Pompell) 8.60 4.80

Off 6:32. Time 1:40.42. Scratched-Wasn't Me. Also Ran-

Dante's Storm, Speak the Word, a-Jabulani, a-Redwood Man, Little Willy, Municipal Finance. Pick 3 (6-4-5) paid \$187.00.

6 (6) Skylight Warrior (B.Creed)

Daily Double (4-5) paid \$112.80. Exacta (5-9) paid \$44.00. Superfecta (5-9-6-4) paid \$516.40. Trifecta (5-9-6) paid a-Coupled 4th-\$7,900, mdn cl, 3YO F, 6f.

2.60 2.10 7 (5) Love Tractor (D.Sarvis) 3.40 4 (3) Sweet Jaleena (A.De Leon) 17.20 6.20 9 (7) Ready Roxie (T.Pompell) 6.00

Off 7:07. Time 1:14.63. Scratched-Starz in Orbit, Star of Kitalpha. Also ran—Shellie's Way, Justalovesong, Blabbermouth, Two Punch Layla. Pick 4 (6-4-5/8-1/5/7) paid \$355.40. Pick 3 (4-5-7) paid \$134.40. Consolation Pick 3 (4-5-5) paid \$55.20. Trifecta (7-4-9) paid \$452.00. Consolation Double (5-5) paid \$5.60. Daily Double (5-7) paid \$11.60. Exacta (7-4) paid \$46.80. Superfecta (7-4-9-8) paid \$5.718.60.

5th-\$8,700, cl, 4YO up F&M, 61/2f. 2 (1) Rupertactofduty (P.Ouzts) 1 (8) a-Tour for Love (N.Arroyo, Jr.) 5.20 3.80 2.80 3 (2) Sweetasnails (B.Creed) 3.00 Off 7:36. Time 1:19.33. Also ran-a-Dancefourseven, My

Gal Sunday, Summer Courtship, Big X's and 0's, Thimbleberry. Pick 3 (5-7-2) paid \$38.80. Consolation Pick 3 (5-5-2) paid \$16.00. Daily Double (7-2) paid \$15.60. Exacta (2-1) paid \$15.40. Superfecta (2-1-3-7) paid \$443.00. Trifecta (2-1-3) paid \$41.40

6th-\$11,400, mdn cl, 3YO, 6f. 6 (6) Bluemymind (E.Zuniga) 1 (1) Shut Up Chris (R.Morales) 14.80 6.00 3.40 3.00 2.60 4 (4) Mosconi (B.Creed) 3.00

Off 8:05. Time 1:12.88. Also ran-Naughty Scotty, Blue Blade, Tune the Cello, Noontime Gambler, Larry Zip It, Don't Want It, Naaz's Boy, Pick 3 (7-2-6) paid \$194,20, Daily Double (2-6) paid \$69.60. Exacta (6-1) paid \$49.40. Superfecta (6-1 4-9) paid \$551.80. Trifecta (6-1-4) paid \$136.40.

7th-\$8,700, cl, 3YO up F&M, 1mi. 3 (3) Issheit (E.Zuniga) 7 (6) Queen Weezy (N.Arroyo, Jr.) 12.40 6.00 3.80 4.20 4.00 6 (5) J J Gulch (A.Castillo)

Off 8:34. Time 1:40.88. Scratched-Crypto Rising Star. Fayegotaway. Also ran—Truthandknowledge, Ten Cent Lady, Sharp Exchange. \$0.5 Pick 5 (5/8-1/5/7-2-6-3) paid \$275.70, 4 correct paid \$5.00. Pick 3 (2-6-3) paid \$367.40. Trifecta (3-7-6) paid \$603.40. Superfecta (3-7-6-2) paid \$2,381.40. Daily Double (6-3) paid \$137.40. Exacta (3-7) paid \$65.40.

8th—\$26,500, mdn spl wt, 4YO up F&M,  $1^1/16mi$ 7 (7) Kiss (E.Wilkinson) 55.20 24.00 l (1) Sylvan Light (A.Castanon) 8.80 17.80 4 (4) Recce (P.Ouzts) 6.20 Off 9:03. Time 1:47.62. Also ran-Valentine City, Allusual Sarah Jane Roe, Chopperette, Littlegreatone. Pick 3 (6-3-7) paid \$648.40. Superfecta (7-1-4-5) paid \$13,807.60. Trifecta (7-1-4) paid \$5,226.00. 9th-\$11,400, cl, 3YO up, 11/16mi. 11.00 5 (5) That's Showbiz (E.Zuniga)

paid \$2,764.80. Daily Double (3-7) paid \$127.00. Exacta (7-1)

3 (3) Macho Matt (A.Tamburello) 10 (9) In My Book (P.Ouzts) Off 9:34. Time 1:48.08. Scratched-Cowboy Casanova,

Patrick's Joy. Also ran—Secret Citizen, Railroad Roy, My Chaperrel, Doc La Pointe, Jamal the Brute, Sinister Intent, Grand Kuma. Pick 3 (3-7-5) paid \$5,920.20. Daily Double (7-5) paid \$464.40. Exacta (5-3) paid \$78.20. Superfecta (5-3-10-11) paid \$2,707.60. Trifecta (5-3-10) paid \$445.20.

10th—\$8,700, cl, 3Y0 up F&M, 6f. 4 (3) Sweet Sadie Lady (N.Arroyo, Jr.) 25.40 1(1) Tart's Knickers (B.Creed) 6 (5) Calwill (P.Ouzts) Off 10:05. Time 1:12.64. Fast. Scratched-Swift Melva

Tough Nuggies, Also Ran-Pressthehardways, Countess Causeway, Seminole Lady, Tickle Me Silly, Funky Nassau, Little B's Angel, Chustonemorekiss, Doitforbob. Pick 4 (3-7-5 4) paid \$67,219.20. Pick 3 (7-5-4) paid \$4,818.20. Superfecta (4-1-6-12) paid \$6,069.80. Trifecta (4-1-6) paid \$903.60. Daily Double (5-4) paid \$173.40. Exacta (4-1) paid \$78.20.

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