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**KENTUCKY DERBY WINTER BOOK HANDICAPPING SERIES
PANEL #1**

Saratoga Springs, N.Y. – Parting Glass Racing will host a handicapping panel to discuss the Kentucky Derby Winter Book picks at the monthly meeting of Parting Glass Racing, Saratoga’s original horse racing partnership, on **Thursday, February 15, 2007** at 7:00 p.m. at **The Parting Glass Pub**, located at 40 Lake Avenue, Saratoga Springs, New York. The meeting is **free and open to the public.**

In the first of a 3-part series, our February meeting will feature a stellar panel of local celebrity handicappers including Kyle Brownell, horse racing handicapper and racing analyst for the Glens Falls *Post Star*, and Bev Swimm, horse racing handicapper and blogger for the Albany *Times Union*. The panel will be moderated by Mike Kane, Communications Officer for the *National Museum of Racing*.

Kyle Brownell was named the **top handicapper** of the 2006 Saratoga Racetrack meet by *Equidaily Racing Journal*. Bev Swimm just launched a **blog on the Times Union website** that will follow the horse racing action leading up to the Triple Crown and the 2007 Saratoga meet. Mike Kane has been a sports-writer and journalist for 30 years, primarily with the Schenectady Gazette, from 1979 to 2005, until he became communications Officer for the National Museum of Racing.

The handicappers will discuss one of the best kept betting secrets in the world of horseracing: the “Kentucky Derby Future Wagers”. Tom Gallo, PGR’s managing member, predicts that “you’ll get expert wagering advice on placing your winter book bets - you can get a huge price on a horse that might 20 to 1 now but will be 2 to 1 in May. It’s not just fun ~ your winter book bet could be one of your **best bets of the year!**”

Parting Glass Racing was founded by Tom Gallo and Joan Desadora (owner of The Parting Glass Pub) in 2001. With more than 150 members, Parting Glass Racing, LLC is the umbrella organization managing several partnerships and horses. Their meeting is held every month at the Parting Glass Pub and is open to the public.

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