

BANGALORE SUMMER MEETING 2016

Mr. A.C. Satish Chandra, Chairman and Senior Steward of the Bangalore Turf Club Ltd., will present the Championship Mementos for the Bangalore Summer Meeting 2016.

1. Leading Individual Owner : Five Stars Shipping Company Pvt Ltd
With the stake money of **Rs.1,38,35,000**

(One Crore Thirtyeight Lakhs & Thirtyfive Thousand)

2. Leading Joint Owners : Five Stars Shipping Company Pvt Ltd
Represented by Mr. & Mrs. K.N. Dhunjibhoy and
Mr. & Mrs. Z.K. Dhunjibhoy
and Mr. Vispi R Patel
With Stakes money of **Rs. 1.65 Crore**

3. Champion Trainer : Mr. Arjun Mangalorkar - with **26** Wins

4. (a) Champion Jockey : Jockey S. John - with **33** Wins

- (b) Champion Indian Jockey : Jockey Prashant Pramod Debe **11** Wins
Claiming Allowance

5. Leading Stud Farm : Kunigal Stud Farm - with **28** Wins

6. (a) Leading Bookmarker 1st Enclosure : M/S. Ashwini Enterprises - With Field Money of
Rs. 64 Lakhs

- (b) Leading Bookmarker 2nd Enclosure: M/S. Nandeesh Enterprises - with Field Money of
Rs. 18 Lakhs

7. Leading Tipster : Daily Newspaper : M/S. Prajavani - Nominated **78** wins

8. Leading Tipster : Race Card Publishers : M/S. Original Vel - Nominated **90** wins

9. Horse of the Season : **NEW PRINCE** - with **3 Wins** and **1 Third**

Property of : Mr. Devaraj Palniswamy

Trained by : Mr. Azhar Ali

Bred at : Manjri

1st Groom :

2nd Groom :

10. Champion Horse

: **SERJEANT AT ARMS**

With stake money of Rupees **.1,99,85,000**

(One Crore Nintynine Lakhs & Eightyfive Thousand)

Property of : Five Stars Shipping Company Pvt Ltd.,, Represented by Mr. & Mrs.
K.N. Dhunjibhoy and Mr. & Mrs. Z.K. Dhunjibhoy and Mr. Vispi R. Patel.

Trained by : Mr. SULAIMAN S ATTAOLLAHI

Bred at : Nanoli Stud

1st Groom :

2nd Groom :

Trainer Puttanna decides to call it a day

Mr.B Puttanna has decided to retire from the profession after 45 years of successful career. He had the distinction of saddling about 1200 winners including many stakes winners and one classic winner through Jersey Girl. The unassuming trainer was also the President of Karnataka Trainers Association for a number of years.

Puttanna hailed from a racing family, with several of his relatives being trainers and got his initiation into racing through his late uncle B P Shivan who was known as a trainer of trainers. Puttanna was licensed to train at Chennai in the year in 1971 and later shifted his base to Bangalore two-years later. Puttanna was known for his astute knowledge of the competition which enabled him to bring about successful nominated winners for his owners. His first winner was through Mirage in 1971 in Mysore and he achieved the coveted land mark of saddling 1000 winners through Spirit of Excellence in the same centre. Jersey Girl who won the Bangalore 1000 Guineas was his only classic winner. Puttanna targeted his wards mostly to win in handicap races for his owners and always maintained a high standards of stable Management which made owners to train their horses under him.

Puttanna trained for many well-known race horse owners including the late Srikantadatta Narasimharaja Wadiyar, Mr Shapoor Mistry, Santosh Lad, Ananth Iyengar, Jairam Kimane among many others.

Puttanna was born in the year 1950 in a small village Chikkyarahalli, on the banks of K R S dam on January 16, 1950. Puttanna is known for his friendly nature. He carried his job with great discipline, efficiency and success .

The Members of the Managing Committee of the Bangalore Turf Club Ltd and the Racing Fraternity of Bangalore would like to wish him the Best for his future.