

# MATING ANALYSIS

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## BOWMAN'S BAND

Dixieland Band – Hometown Queen, by Pleasant Colony

Millionaire Bowman's Band is a son of Dixieland Band out of grade one performer, Hometown Queen, and from the family of Sightseek, Tates Creek, Chris Evert, Winning Colors and Chief's Crown.

Dixieland Band and his sons have been exceptional with **Mr. Prospector** line mares, this cross producing more than 30 stakes winners. Mr. Prospector sons who are already broodmare sire of stakes winners by Dixieland Band include **Allen's Prospect**, **Cahill Road**, **Conquistador Cielo**, **Fappiano**, **Crafty Prospector**, **Miswaki**, **Tank's Prospect** and **Two Punch**. Bowman's Band's dam is also half-sister to the dam of a millionaire by Mr. Prospector's son, **Carson City**, but almost any Mr. Prospector line mare would be a possible here.

The Dixieland Band/**Seattle Slew** combination has been a fruitful one, producing such as top-class runner, and very successful young sire, Dixie Union (out of a mare by **Capote**). Sons of Seattle Slew with **Buckpasser** in their pedigree have also been good, including **A.P. Indy** (who is already broodmare sire of four Dixieland Band line stakes winners), **Slew o'Gold** and **Slewacide**. Seattle Slew is a Bold Ruler line horse, and Dixieland Band seems to have a broad affinity for the **Bold Ruler** line in general, including via **Secretariat**, **Raja Baba** and **Bold Bidder**.

The distaff side of Dixieland Band's pedigree has a connection to the pedigree of **Roberto**. There are Dixieland Band line stakes winners out of mares by **Dynaformer** (grade one winner Sharp Lisa), **Kris S. Sunshine Forever** and **Robellino**. Roberto is a **Turn-to** line stallion and we can also note Dixieland Band working well over the Turn-to line through **Smarten** (and his son **Cyane**), and **Lord Gaylord** (and his son **Lord Avie**). Turn-to's relative, My Babu, is broodmare sire of **Damascus**, and the Dixieland Band/Damascus cross has provided two grade one winners.

Bowman's Band is himself a product of the very successful Dixieland Band/Ribot cross, his strain coming via **His Majesty**. It might well pay to add more **Ribot** through His Majesty's brother, **Graustark**, and **Tom Rolfe/Hoist the Flag/Alleged**. The **Majestic Light** strain might also combine well with this.

Other sire lines worth considering here are **Tentam**, **In Reality**, **Naskra** (Dixie Union is sire of group winning juvenile filly Sander Camillo out of a mare by Naskra's son, **Star de Naskra**), **Gallant Man** and **Prince John**.

– Alan Porter

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## BOWMAN'S BAND

1998 chestnut  
16.2 hands

	Nearctic
	Northern Dancer
	Natalma
Dixieland Band	Delta Judge
Mississippi Mud	Sand Buggy
	His Majesty
Pleasant Colony	Sun Colony
Hometown Queen	Nijinsky II
Nijinsky Star	Chris Evert

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