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**TEAM VALOR INTERNATIONAL TOPS AMERICAN-BASED SYNDICATE STATS, KENTUCKY OUTFIT HAS WON 17 STAKES RACES WORLDWIDE THIS YEAR, TVI LEADS IN NUMBER OF GRADED WINS AND GRADED STAKES WINNERS**

Team Valor International so far this season has posted victories in 17 stakes races worldwide, nearly double that of its nearest rival among American-based public syndicates.

The 17 stakes were won by 14 individual runners in five different nations (United States, Germany, Italy, South Africa, and Uruguay), reflecting the international aspect of the racing stable.

Team Valor statistician Kathleen Irwin remarked, “Our number of Graded victories should have been higher except Captain’s Lover’s Grade 3 Matchmaker Stakes at Monmouth was downgraded when weather necessitated a change in racing surface.” Team Valor also has placed in 30 other stakes races, 17 of which were Graded and 6 of which were Grade 1 races. “We have lost some heartbreakingly close photos in big races this year, but that is part of nature of the enterprise.”

**Public Syndicate Groups - Stakes Stats for 2009**

	stk wins	Gr stk wins	Indiv Gr wnrs
<b>TEAM VALOR INTERNATIONAL</b>	17	7	5
<b>WEST POINT</b>	9	6	4
<b>IEAH</b>	7	4	3
PEACHTREE	4	2	2
SOVEREIGN	2		
STARLIGHT	1	1	1
CLASS	1	1	1
DOGWOOD	1		
CENTENNIAL	1		
ELITE RACING	1		
KARAKORUM			
HORIZON			
LITTLE RED FEATHER			
BLINKERS ON			
PEWTER			
SACKATOGA STABLE			
BONGO			
PARTING GLASS			
TEAM VICTORY			
STARVIEW			
HIBISCUS			
	<b>stk wins</b>	<b>Gr stk wins</b>	<b>Gr winners</b>
Other Stables TOTAL	11	4	4

Closest competitors West Point Stable and IEAH have had stellar years, but still rank behind TVI. Interestingly, all other partnership stables combined do not attain the numbers earned by Team Valor International.