



# THOROUGHBRED POLLS

**Week 36 • September 28**

Week 36 of the 2025 NTRA Top Three-Year-Old Thoroughbred Poll and the NTRA Top Thoroughbred Poll conducted by the National Thoroughbred Racing Association (NTRA), covering racing performances through September 28. Voting is conducted by national media.

The Top Thoroughbred poll represents horses competing for

Horse of the Year. The Top Thoroughbred Poll concludes on Tuesday, November 4 following the Breeders' Cup World Championships.

Rankings on both polls are on a 10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-1 basis with first place votes in parentheses, 2025 record and total points. A-S: Age-Sex, Sex: C-colt, G-gelding, H-horse, F-filly, M-mare, R-ridgling.

## Top Thoroughbred Poll

Rank	Horse	Age, Sex	2025 Record	Points	Previous
1	SOVEREIGNTY (26)	3-C	6-5-1-0	277	1
2	FIERCENESS	4-C	4-2-1-0	230	2
3	MINDFRAME (1)	4-C	4-3-0-0	190	3
4	SIERRA LEONE	4-C	4-1-2-1	176	4
5	THORPEDO ANNA (1)	4-F	5-4-0-0	152	5
6	JOURNALISM	3-C	7-4-3-0	129	6
7	BOOK'EM DANNO	4-G	5-4-0-0	84	7
8	REBEL'S ROMANCE	7-G	7-5-0-1	82	N/A
9	BAEZA	3-C	7-2-3-2	42	8
10	ANTIQUARIAN	4-C	4-2-2-0	31	11

**Other horses receiving votes:** *Nysos (22), Deterministic (19), Nitrogen (17), Locked (16), She Feels Pretty (16), Johannes (8), Formidable Man (7), Mystik Dan (5), Nevada Beach (5), Patch Adams (5), Ag Bullet (5), Forever Young (5), White Abarrio (5), Raging Torrent (3), Cavalieri (3), Gold Phoenix (2), Laurelin (2), Dorth Vader (1)\*, Seismic Beauty (1)*

\* Florida-bred