

Air Born Leader

Air Born Leader, aka "Moocher", is a horse that was conceived in the nick of time. His dam, Air Born Jazz, had been bred twice in 2007 to a son of Mr. Jess Perry and did not get in foal. It was very late in the breeding season so rather than take a chance with that same sire she was taken to Kevin & Tina Cleary's sire Leader of The Class for the last chance to be bred. Consequently, Air Born Leader was born May 4, 2008.

His racing career started good during his 2 year old year but he then started to back up. He was taken to the University of Illinois to be evaluated where a torn suspensory was found and a procedure was done to repair it. He came back sound and ran 6 more years. He is currently enjoying his retirement on the Thompson farm.

Air Born Leader's race record consists of 48 outs with 12 wins (6 stakes), 9 seconds, and 5 thirds.