## Gary Fenton Chair Thoroughbred Owners of California



Gary Fenton is on the board of directors of the Thoroughbred Owners of California and has served as chair since 2021. He is also a member of The Jockey Club.

Fenton began his career working at the William Morris Agency as an entertainment attorney. From there, he went on to work for other media companies such as ATG, Carsey-Werner, and the AMC Network.

Fenton's passion and love for horses dates to the 1980s, having attended the first Breeders' Cup in 1984. Fenton has been the managing partner of Little Red Feather Racing (LRF) since 2005. LRF is California's largest syndicate, managing more than one hundred horses with over 300 partners. Since 2010,

only four owners in Southern California have more starts than LRF. G1 winners include Breeders' Cup champion Singletary, Egg Drop, Secret Spice, Mirth, Midnight Storm, Fault, and Gold Phoenix (IRE). LRF horses have earned over \$23,000,000, averaging nearly \$12,000 per start.

In 2015, LRF launched an affiliated company, Solana Beach Sales (SBS), to create pinhook partnerships. SBS has pinhooked seven horses for \$700,000+ and produced three graded stakes winners, including the G1 Instilled Regard and Bast. In 2017, LRF created LRF Cares, a 501(c)(3) sponsored charity, aimed at helping every former LRF runner have a chance to successfully find a second career and funding other noteworthy aftercare organizations.