

## TVG to Present On-Site, Live Coverage of Charles Town Classic March 14, 2012

(Charles Town, WV) – In addition to the \$1,000,000 Charles Town Classic on April 14 being the first ever Grade 2 at Hollywood Casino at Charles Town Races, the card takes on added significance as racing network TVG will be on-site for the first time to deliver live coverage of the day's action.

"TVG has been an asset as a partner broadcasting our cards during the week and we're excited to have them on track for the event," said Charles Town Director of Racing Operations Erich Zimny.

TVG analysts and reporters will be on hand at Charles Town to break down all of the action, which gets underway at 5:00pm EST on April 14. The coverage will include 6 stakes worth a total of \$1.6 million, highlighted by the \$250,000 Robert Hilton Memorial, \$200,000 Sugar Maple and anchored by the \$1,000,000 Charles Town Classic.

"We value our partnership with Hollywood Casino at Charles Town Races and look forward to presenting live, on-site coverage of their signature race, the \$1 million Charles Town Classic," said Tony Allevato, TVG's Executive Vice President. "The fact the race has been elevated to Grade 2 status is a testament to how important it has become on the racing calendar."

In addition to the stakes action, Charles Town will offer a \$50,000 guaranteed late Pick 4 that concludes with the \$1,000,000 Charles Town Classic as the final leg. Post time for the Charles Town Classic itself is currently slated for 10:30pm EST.

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Hollywood Casino at Charles Town Races, a Penn National Gaming property, is a world-class entertainment venue offering visitors over 3,500 slot machines, more than 100 table games, a 30-table poker room, live and simulcast horse racing and a wide range of food and beverage choices, including Zen Noodle, the 350-seat Epic Buffet, the Final Cut Steakhouse—proud recipient of the Wine Spectator Award of Excellence—and all-new Skybox Sports Bar and H Lounge. The historic Charles Town Races has hosted live thoroughbred racing since 1933 and began offering gaming to visitors in 1997. Conveniently located about an hour from the Baltimore and Washington DC beltways, Hollywood Casino at Charles Town Races is one of the region's fastest growing gaming and entertainment destinations with more than 4 million visitors each year.

Hotel accommodations can be found on property at the Inn at Charles Town, which features 153comfortable guest rooms, including 18 spacious suites that overlook live thoroughbred racing action. Guests can enjoy a complimentary breakfast buffet and wireless internet access. They can further unwind by taking the complimentary shuttle service to enjoy racing, table and slot action and a diverse selection of dining options at Hollywood Casino at Charles Town Races. The Inn at Charles Town offers a variety of venues to host business or social functions.

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