

Barbara Banke
Owner
Stonestreet Farm

Barbara Banke is a Thoroughbred owner and breeder and proprietor of Jackson Family Wines, based in Santa Rosa, California. She serves on the boards of the Breeders' Cup, TOBA, and National Museum of Racing and Hall of Fame and has been a member of The Jockey Club since 2013.

A former land use and constitutional law attorney, Banke spent more than a decade arguing cases before the United States Supreme Court and Courts of Appeal.

Banke owns Stonestreet Stables, which campaigned Hall of Fame runners Curlin and Rachel Alexandra, has won graded or group races in six different countries and maintains interests in several notable stallions, including Awesome Again, Curlin, Ghostzapper, and Maclean's Music. Her Lexington-based Stonestreet Farm is a leading international commercial breeder.

In June, Lady Aurelia, who is owned in partnership by Stonestreet Stables, George Bolton, and Peter Leidel and trained by Wesley Ward, won the group 1 King's Stand Stakes at Royal Ascot. Lady Aurelia also captured the group 2 Queen Mary Stakes at Royal Ascot in 2016.

Banke graduated from UCLA and Hastings Law School.