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BLOOMING MARVELLOUS!

Flying under the radar ahead of yesterday's G1 Etihad Airways Irish 1000 Guineas, Derrick Smith's **Marvellous (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) emerged clear best in what amounted to a war of attrition for the fillies in testing ground to forge a sixth renewal for Aidan O'Brien's Ballydoyle stable. Racing at the back throughout the early stages,



Marvellous
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the 10-1 shot, who came into this off a lengthy break having finished sixth in the Mar. 30 G3 Leopardstown 1000 Guineas Trial, steadily wore down **Lightning Thunder (GB)** (Dutch Art {GB}) and, after gaining the lead passing the furlong marker, strode away for a three-length

success. "You would have to be very pleased, as it was only her third run and was in deep ground," jockey Ryan Moore commented. "She was drawn towards the outside and was a long way back, so had to do it the hard way. I was taken off my feet after a furlong and couldn't really hold my spot, but when I asked her she did pick up and I think she was just pretty inexperienced during the race. She should get further and I'm sure she'd be a better filly on nicer ground." **Cont. p3**

MISSION ACHIEVED

With Kildare spared none of the abundant rainfall that is blighting the summer, Khalid Abdullah's **Noble Mission (GB)** (Galileo {Ire}) had the right ingredients to dominate yesterday's G1 Tattersalls Gold Cup at The Curragh, and set the flag flying above Warren Place for the first time since the sad departure of Sir Henry Cecil last year.



Noble Mission with Lady Jane Cecil and James Doyle
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Hammered into even-money joint-favoritism with **Magician (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}), the homebred full-brother to Frankel (GB) led from pillar-to-post en route to a 1 1/4-length verdict over that rival to add the all-important top-level victory to his recent pattern-race successes, all accomplished on testing ground. "It's a huge win and a great tribute to everyone at Warren Place," Juddmonte's Racing Manager Teddy Grimthorpe said. "It's big for us and a special day and I think he's just secured himself a stallion box." **Cont. p4**

INTENSE HOLIDAY OUT OF BELMONT

The Todd Pletcher trained **Intense Holiday** (Harlan's Holiday) will miss the G1 Belmont S. after being pulled up yesterday morning after a five-panel breeze with stablemate



Intense Holiday
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Commissioner (A.P. Indy). Pletcher said the colt suffered a condylar fracture of the right foreleg and will undergo surgery to repair the injury. "It's not life-threatening, and I don't think it's career-ending," Pletcher explained.

"It's particularly frustrating because after the Derby we ran [all the tests] and everything indicated he was healthy and ready to move forward. It's unfortunate."

Commissioner, who was recently second in the GII Peter Pan S. May 5, covered the five furlongs in 1:00.77 ([video](#)) with jockey Javier Castellano aboard. "I thought Commissioner breezed very well," the trainer commented. "He was traveling well throughout and was willing; he seemed to be getting over the surface well and wrapped up good. He did everything you hoped he would do."

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‘Cirrus’ Romps at Longchamp

Cirrus des Aigles (Fr) (Even Top {Ire}) cruises to an easy victory in the G1 Prix d'Ispahan at Longchamp.

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Nuovo Record (Jpn) (Heart's Cry {Jpn}) holds off favored Harp Star (Jpn) (Deep Impact {Jpn}) to capture Tokyo's G1 Japanese Oaks.

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EST	Race	Click for	TV
4:57p	Poker S.-GIII, BEL	Brisnet.com PPs	TVG/HRTV
5:00p	Los Angeles H.-GIII, SA	Brisnet.com PPs	TVG/HRTV
5:20p	Winning Color S.-GIII, CD	Brisnet.com PPs	HRTV
5:51p	Lone Star Park H.-GIII, LS	Brisnet.com PPs	HRTV
6:47p	All American S.-GIII, GG	Brisnet.com PPs	TVG/HRTV
7:30p	Gamely S.-GI, SA	Brisnet.com PPs	TVG/HRTV



Sunday, Curragh, Ireland

ETIHAD AIRWAYS IRISH 1000 GUINEAS-G1,
 €300,000, CUR, 5-25, 3yo, f, 8fT, 1:45.52, sf.
 1--#@▲**MARVELLOUS (IRE), 126, f, 3, by Galileo (Ire)**

1st Dam: You'resothrilling (GSW-Eng & Ire,
\$224,243), by Storm Cat

2nd Dam: Mariah's Storm, by Rahy

3rd Dam: Immense, by Roberto

O-Derrick Smith, Susan Magnier & Michael Tabor.
 B-You'resothrilling Syndicate (IRE). T-Aidan O'Brien.
 J-Ryan Moore. €174,000. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0,
 €184,005. **Werk Nick Rating: B. Click for the**
[eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Lightning Thunder (GB), 126, f, 3, Dutch Art (GB)--**
 Sweet Coincidence (GB), by Mujahid. (£33,000 yrl
 '12 DONAUG; 115,000gns 2yo '13 TATAPR).

O-Mohd Al Kubasi & Pearl Bloodstock Ltd. B-S A
 Douch (GB). T-Olly Stevens. €60,000.

3--**Vote Often (GB), 126, f, 3, Beat Hollow (GB)--**
 Minority (GB), by Generous (Ire). O-Khalid Abdullah.
 B-Juddmonte Farms Ltd (GB). T-Dermot Weld.
 €30,000.

Margins: 3, 4 1/4, HF. Odds: 10.00, 3.33, 4.00.
 Also Ran: Avenue Gabriel (GB), Palace (Ire), Tested
 (GB), Queen of Power (Ire), Heart Focus (Ire),
 Wonderfully (Ire), Ballybacka Queen (Ire), Al Thakhira
 (GB). Scratched: My Titania (Ire). **Click for the [Racing](#)**
[Post result](#), the [brisnet.com PPs](#) or the [free brisnet.com](#)
[catalogue-style pedigree.](#) [VIDEO, courtesy](#)
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Ballydoyle appeared to possess a clutch of above-
 average fillies at the start of the year, with Tapestry
 (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) and Bracelet (Ire) (Montjeu {Ire})
 leading the way before failing to make any impact in the
 G1 1000 Guineas at Newmarket. In the background,
Palace (Ire) (Fastnet Rock {Aus}), **Wonderfully (Ire)**
 (Galileo {Ire}) and Marvellous were working towards this
 Classic with no obvious stand-out form claims, and the
 latter had the least to offer in that respect. Seen just
 twice so far, the relative of Giant's Causeway had
 followed an encouraging if labored debut win over the
 subsequent Listed scorer I'm Yours (GB) (Invincible
 Spirit {Ire}), with a less-than-auspicious first sophomore
 start in the seven-furlong Leopardstown 1000 Guineas
 Trial.

By halfway, the portents were hardly strong that she
 was going to produce the type of performance at the
 business end that would make her an authoritative
 Classic winner as Ryan Moore niggled to close on the
 leaders. Answering every call as the race came down to
 a dour staying test, she made ground on the outside
 and as the yards wore on she was gradually coming
 into her own, as Lightning Thunder became the final
 target. Grinding past her passing the furlong marker and
 into the clear, she entered the June 6 G1 Epsom Oaks
 picture with the field strung out again as they had been
 in the colts' race 24 hours earlier. John Magnier
 revealed that she was far from a forlorn hope
 beforehand. "Aidan fancied her and, in fact, I think he
 even asked Joseph to ride her but Joseph picked the



John Magnier has a pat for Marvellous
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other one," he
 explained. "It wasn't
 that much of a surprise
 and her pedigree
 would indicate there
 could be more to
 come. She will
 probably get a mile
 and a half and I
 couldn't see any
 reason why she
 shouldn't run in the

Oaks if all goes well, but we'll have to listen to what
 they all say over the next few days." The trainer backed
 up that plan. "She coughed a bit after Leopardstown
 and had a bit of a break, but had been working nicely
 and with the ground looking like it would be nice at
 declaration time Joseph decided to ride Palace," he said.
 "When it turned, it went in her favor and she looks like
 she'll get further than a mile. The plan was to come
 here and then on to Epsom and she'll definitely get a
 mile and a quarter and maybe a mile and a half. I would
 imagine she won't ever want firm ground, as for them
 to handle ground like that they must like a little ease."

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TATTERSALLS GOLD CUP-G1, €210,000, CUR, 5-25, 4yo/up, 10 1/2fT, 2:21.71, sf.

1--▲**NOBLE MISSION (GB)**, 129, h, 5, by [Galileo \(Ire\)](#)

1st Dam: Kind (Ire) (MSW-Eng & GSP-Ire, \$132,389), by Danehill

2nd Dam: Rainbow Lake (GB), by Rainbow Quest

3rd Dam: Rockfest, by Stage Door Johnny

O-Khalid Abdullah. B-Juddmonte Farms (GB). T-Lady Cecil. J-James Doyle. €130,200. Lifetime Record:

MGSW-Eng, 18-7-5-2, €463,100. *Full to Frankel (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), Horse of the Year, Co-Champion

2yo Colt, Champion 3yo Colt & Hwt. Older Horse-Eur, Hwt. 3yo Colt at 7-9.5f-Eng, Hwt. Older

Horse at 7-9.5f & 9.5-11f-Eng, Co-Hwt. 2yo Colt-Eng, MG1SW-Eng, \$4,788,744; 3/4 to Bullet

Train (GB) (Sadler's Wells), GSW-Eng, \$177,615; and 1/2 to Joyeuse (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}), MSW

& MGSP-Eng, \$106,991. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++**

Triple Plus. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Magician (Ire)**, 129, c, 4, [Galileo \(Ire\)](#)--

Absolutelyfabulous (Ire), by Mozart (Ire). O-Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith & Susan Magnier.

B-Absolutelyfabulous Syndicate (IRE). T-Aidan O'Brien. €42,000.

3--**Euphrasia (Ire)**, 126, m, 5, Windsor Knot (Ire)--

Bishop's Lake (GB), by Lake Coniston (Ire). (12,000gns yrl '10 TATOCT; 500,000gns HRA '13 TATDEC). O-Mrs C C Regalado-Gonzalez. B-Tally-Ho Stud (IRE). T-Joseph Murphy. €21,000.

Margins: 1 1/4, HD, 21. Odds: 1.00, 1.00, 50.00.

Also Ran: Einsteins Folly (Ire), Hall of Mirrors (Ire).

Scratched: Cardinal Palace (Ire), Parish Hall (Ire), Along Came Casey (Ire). [Click for the Racing Post result](#), the [brisnet.com PPs](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [VIDEO](#), [courtesy attheraces.com](#).

Always highly regarded by Sir Henry Cecil without showing the same dynamism as his full-sibling, Noble Mission had no Classic on the agenda in 2012 but still managed to best the subsequent G1 St Leger hero Encke (Kingmambo) in Goodwood's G3 Gordon S. over 12 furlongs. After a series of defeats, he was allowed a confidence boost in the Listed Tapster S. back over that



Noble Mission
Racing Post

track and trip last May, but could not step up when fourth in Royal Ascot's G2 Hardwicke S. in June and Longchamp's G2 Prix Dollar in October either side of a third in the G3 Rose of Lancaster S. over an extended 10-furlong trip at Haydock in August. After another eclipse on his seasonal bow in the G3 John Porter S. over a mile

and a half at Newbury Apr. 12, he was asked a different question by James Doyle in the 10-furlong G3 Gordon Richards S. at a rain-soaked Sandown Apr. 25. **cont. p5**

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Tattersalls Gold Cup cont.

Sent straight to the lead there, the hooded bay ground down the much-lauded Telescope (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) to win by nine lengths, and while it was down to 2 1/4 lengths when they met again in the G3 Huxley S. at Chester May 8, there was a further eight lengths back to last year's winner Danadana (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}), which marked it as a performance out of the top drawer. Always in complete control under James Doyle here, he upped the ante at the head of affairs on the home turn with Joseph O'Brien already sending out distress signals on Magician in his wake. Left alone to idle and gawk at the open expanse of the Kildare venue, he let his sizeable advantage be dwindled by Ballydoyle's representative and the game mare Euphrasia. Teddy Grimthorpe commented, "We fell upon the plan to go from the front at Sandown because of needs, but it worked again at Chester so we thought we must try it again here. We need to sit down and have some good thoughts about him now, but he's had four quite tough races so we have to give him a little bit of a breather but that's up to Jane." For Lady Cecil, the result was predictably emotional following the previous win for the stable supplied by Shiva (Jpn) (Hector Protector) when it was first promoted to its current



Lady Jane Cecil speaks to the media
Racing Post

status in 1999. "It's great for all the staff at Warren Place and we've achieved our aim to win a Group 1 and raise the flag for Henry. I've almost 30 horses for Prince Khalid and without them you can't do it. We hadn't thought past this, but he's in the [July 5] G1 Eclipse S. at Sandown." Aidan O'Brien was not disappointed by the effort of Magician afterwards and suggested he would have preferred not to put him through the slog in the testing ground. "The reason we ran is the race got a yellow card from the Pattern Committee last year and was in trouble of losing its Group 1 status," he said. "A Group 1 for older horses is seriously important for us in Ireland and so he had to run. The ground meant he was going to be far from his best and I told Joseph to look after him with one eye on Royal Ascot and fast ground for the [June 18] G1 Prince of Wales's S. It served a purpose in that respect and I don't think it bottomed him, so we'll look forward to him next time. He's a beautiful mover who doesn't rise his feet at all and Joseph said after a half-furlong he was beaten. It was pure guts and determination that kept him going, so we're delighted and there are plenty of other days."

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Sunday, San Siro, Italy

OAKS D'ITALIA-G2, €407,000, SRO, 5-25, 3yo, f, 11fT, 2:14.5, gd.

1--@#**FINAL SCORE (IRE)**, 124, f, 3, by [Dylan Thomas \(Ire\)](#)

1st Dam: [Holy Moon \(Ire\)](#) (SW-Ity, \$146,541), by [Hernando \(Fr\)](#)

2nd Dam: [Centinela \(GB\)](#), by [Caerleon](#)

3rd Dam: [New Generation \(Ire\)](#), by [Young Generation \(Ire\)](#)

O-Scuderia Effevi; B-Razza Del Velino (Ire); T-Stefano Botti; J-Fabio Branca; €157,250. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, €170,000. *1/2 to [Cherry Collect \(Ire\)](#) (Oratorio {Ire}), Hwt. 3yo Filly-Ity at 9.5-11f, MGSW & G1SP-Ity, \$491,577; and [Charity Line \(Ire\)](#) (Manduro {Ger}), Hwt. 3yo-Ity at 9.5-11f, G1SW-Ity, \$491,577. **Werk Nick Rating: B.** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Scighera (GB)**, 124, f, 3, [New Approach \(Ire\)](#)--Zina La Belle (GB), by [Mark Of Esteem \(Ire\)](#). (36,000gns yrl '12 TATOCT). O-Scuderia Rencati; B-W & R Barnett (GB); T-Stefano Botti; €69,190.

3--**So Many Shots (Ire)**, 124, f, 3, [Duke of Marmalade \(Ire\)](#)--Cland Di San Jore (Ire), by [Lando \(Ger\)](#). (€45,000 RNA wnl '11 GOFNOV; €13,000 RNA yrl 12 GOFFEB; €24,000 yrl '12 GOFSP) O-Dioscuri; B-Sandro Garavelli (Ire); T-Stefano Botti; €37,740. Margins: HF, 1HF, HF. Odds: 0.91, 6.79, 4.55.

Also Ran: [Finidaprest \(Ire\)](#), [Elektrum \(Ire\)](#), [Vallecupa \(Ity\)](#), [Donna Prassede \(Ity\)](#), [Vague Nouvelle \(Ire\)](#), [Lady Dutch \(GB\)](#), [Nauka \(Ger\)](#), [Daring Life \(Ire\)](#), [Hurrimera \(Ity\)](#).

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Oaks d'Italia cont.

Final Score took an unbeaten record into yesterday's G2 Oak d'Italia, and she emerged with that record firmly intact in her first black-type attempt. Racing prominently while wide through the early stages, the chestnut produced a kick in midstretch, hit the lead and won comfortably despite running slightly green. A six-length debut winner in Rome in November, Final Score was not seen again until Apr. 20, but she showed no signs of rust, running away with an allowance over this strip. Final Score wrapped up a group double on the card for her trainer, Stefano Botti. Holy Moon is the only mare in history to produce three winners of this event, while owner Scuderia Effeve is the first owner since 1969 to have his silks on the Italian Derby and Oaks winners in the same year.

Sunday, Dusseldorf, Germany

94TH GERMAN 1000 GUINEAS-G2, €125,000, DUS, 5-25, 3yo, f, 8fT, 1:37.67, gd.

1--#**@AJAXANA (GER)**, 128, f, 3, by **Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)**
 1st Dam: Arlekinada (GB) (SP-Ger), by Lycius
 2nd Dam: Arctic Appeal (Ire), by Ahonoora (GB)
 3rd Dam: Arita (Fr), by Kronzeuge (Ger)

O-Stall Lucky Owner. B-Klaus Hofmann (GER).
 T-Waldemar Hickst. J-Anthony Crastus. €70,000.
 Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, €89,000.

Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

2--**Indian Rainbow (Ire)**, 128, f, 3, Indian Haven (GB)--Pent House (Ire), by Titus Livius (Fr). (€17,000 wlng '11 GOFNOV; 14,000gns yrl .12 TATDEC). O-Stall Mandy. B-Mrs Bill O'Neill (IRE). T-Andreas Lowe. €28,000.

3--**Diamond Dove (Ger)**, 128, f, 3, Dr Fong--Dyveke (Ger), by Lando (Ger). O/B-Gestut Wiesengrund (GER). T-Andreas Lowe. €14,000.

Margins: 3/4, NO, 3/4. Odds: 1.50, 11.10, 7.70.
 Also Ran: Evita Peron (GB), Ninas Terz (Ger), Artwork Genie (Ire), Feodora (Ger), Turfmaid (Ger), Wild Step (Ger), Filaga (Fr), Oriental Magic (Ger). **Click for the Racing Post result or the free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree.**

Introduced at the French provincial track of Amiens at the end of October, Ajaxana flaunted her obvious talent with a 10-length success in a Course G conditions event over an extended mile before debuting in Cologne's G3 Schwarzgold-Rennen last time Apr. 21. Splitting Meerjungfrau (Ger) (Manduro {Ger}) and the subsequent G3 Chartwell S. winner Emerald Star (GB) (Mount Nelson {GB}) in that prize, the bay took advantage of the absence of that winner to make all here. Quickly sent to the inside by Anthony Crastus from the outset, she was able to negotiate the sharp first turn with aplomb, running freely before cruising uphill into the final bend. Tackled by Indian Rainbow passing the quarter pole, she showed tenacity to ward off that threat in the final meters and assert for Classic glory. "Following her facile victory at Amiens as a 2-year-old, we planned for the Guineas all the time and came here with great confidence," trainer Waldemar Hickst explained. "She also holds an entry for the [Aug. 3] G1 Preis der Diana here at Dusseldorf and we will see whether or not she will have a start in between."



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Sunday, San Siro, Italy

PREMIO CARLO VITTADINI-G2, €104,500, SRO, 3yo/up, 8fT, 1:35.10, gd.

1--**PRIORE PHILIP (ITY)**, 124, c, 3, by **Dane Friendly (GB)**
 1st Dam: Lan Force (Ity) (MSP-Ity), by Blu Air Force (Ire)
 2nd Dam: Lan Fei (Ity), by Love The Groom
 3rd Dam: Lazarska, by Baby Turk (Ire)

O-Scuderia Ste Ma; B-Az Agr Loreto Luciani (Ity); T-Stefano Botti; J-Fabio Branca; €40,375. Lifetime Record: G1SW-Ity, 10-8-1-0, €221,273. **Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Verdetto Finale (GB)**, 131, g, 4, Nayef (GB)--Love Roi (Ity), by Roi Danzig. O-Scuderia Incolinx; B-Azienda Agricola Rosati Colarieti; T-R Biondi; €17,765.

3--**Passaggio (Ity)**, 131, h, 6, **Exceed and Excel (Aus)**--Copious (Ire), by Generous (Ire). O-Scuderia Delle Rose; B-Emilio Giorgi (Ity); T-Antonio Cascio; €9,690. Margins: NK, 3, 1 3/4. Odds: 1.53, 15.50, 51.48
 Also Ran: Vola E Va (GB), Porsenna (Ire), Vedelago (Ire), Summer Fall, Nabucco (Ger), Saint Bernard (GB). **Click for the Racing Post result or the free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO.**

Priore Philip established himself as Italy's best juvenile last term, culminating in a four-race winning streak with a victory in the G1 Gran Criterium, and the chestnut appears to have retained his form as a sophomore. He picked up where he left off with a victory in his seasonal debut in an allowance here Mar. 16, but had the streak snapped last out in the G2 Italian 2000 Guineas Apr. 27. Traveling slightly worse than midpack yesterday, Priore Philip called on a sharp turn of foot to get to second in midstretch, but had to summon all his reserves to overtake Verdetto Finale in the final jumps.



Sunday, Curragh, Ireland

AIRLIE STUD GALLINULE S.-G3, €65,000, CUR, 5-25, 3yo, 10fT, 2:16.79, sf.

- 1--#**@ADELAIDE (IRE)**, 129, c, 3, by [Galileo \(Ire\)](#)
 1st Dam: Elletelle (Ire) (GSW-Eng, SW & G1SP-Ire, \$245,777), by Elnadim
 2nd Dam: Flamanda (GB), by Niniski
 3rd Dam: Nemesia (Ire), by Mill Reef

O-Derrick Smith, Susan Magnier & Michael Tabor. B-Elletelle Syndicate (IRE). T-Aidan O'Brien. J-Joseph O'Brien. €42,250. Lifetime Record: GSP-Fr, 3-2-1-0, €82,235. **Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).**

- 2--**Mekong River (Ire)**, 129, c, 3, [Galileo \(Ire\)](#)--Simply Perfect (GB), by Danehill. O-Susan Magnier, Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith. B-Roncon, Wynatt & Chelston (IRE). T-Aidan O'Brien. €13,000.

- 3--**Boqa (Ire)**, 129, c, 3, [Danehill Dancer \(Ire\)](#)--Mowaadah (Ire), by Alzao. (€100,000 yrl '12 ARQAUG). O-Ms Mary Slack. B-Barronstown Stud (IRE). T-Tommy Stack. €6,500.

Margins: 3, HF, 4 3/4. Odds: 0.67, 7.00, 25.00. Also Ran: Renaissance Art, Blue Hussar (Ire). Scratched: Theophilus (Ire), Edelmira (Ire). **Click for the [Racing Post result](#) or the [brisnet.com PPs](#). [VIDEO](#), courtesy [attheraces.com](#).**

Adelaide was hot property to provide Aidan O'Brien with a 13th renewal of this Derby trial, and duly made no mistake to remain in line for a possible tilt at one of the upcoming middle-distance Classics. After making a successful debut in the mile maiden at Leopardstown in which the dual group scorer Fascinating Rock (Ire) (Fastnet Rock {Aus}) was fifth, the bay went down by just a half-length to Free Port Lux (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}) in the 11-furlong G2 Prix Hocquart on his return at Longchamp May 11. Settled in third early by a confident Joseph O'Brien, the bay took over from the long-time leader Mekong River and Boqa with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining and quickly stamped his authority on affairs. Aidan O'Brien was non-committal about the Classics, saying, "We could go to France on Sunday for the G1 Prix du Jockey Club, but the trouble is if you are drawn high at Chantilly over a mile and a quarter it's very difficult. If he doesn't go, I'd imagine he'll go to Royal Ascot for the [June 20] G2 King Edward VII S."

Sunday, Woodbine

NASSAU S.-GII, \$196,576, WOX, 5-25, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:33, fm.

- 1--**SOLID APPEAL**, 122, m, 5, by [Successful Appeal](#)
 1st Dam: Star of the Woods, by Woodman
 2nd Dam: Star of the River (GB), by Soviet Star
 3rd Dam: Beautiful River, by Irish River (Fr) (\$100,000 wing '09 KEENOV). O-Jim & Susan Hill; B-Select Bloodstock LLC (KY); T-Read Baker; J-Jesse M Campbell. \$110,436. Lifetime Record: Ch. Turf Female-Can, 19-6-2-3, \$539,441. * 1/2 to Meetmeinthewoods (General Meeting), MSP, \$187,336; It Tiz (Tiznow), MSW, \$260,183. **Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#). Werk Nick Rating: B.**

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- 2--**Why Katherine**, 118, m, 5, Whywhywhy--Include Katherine, by Include. O-Terra Racing Stable; B-Dom Romeo (ON); T-Kevin Attard. \$44,174.

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- 3--**Deceptive Vision**, 116, f, 4, [A.P. Indy](#)--Eye of the Sphynx, by Smart Strike. O/B-Sam-Son Farm (ON); T-Malcolm Pierce. \$22,087.

Registered Ontario-Bred

Margins: HF, 3/4, 2. Odds: 2.70, 18.15, 1.75. Also Ran: Savvy Hester, Surtsey, Avie's Sense, Northern Passion, Queen's Daughter (Fr), Sisterly Love. Scratched: Meri Shika (Fr). **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or the [brisnet.com PPs](#). [VIDEO](#).**

Solid Appeal, winner of last year's renewal of this race, finished her 4-year-old campaign with an eighth in the GII Canadian S. stretching out to 1 1/8 miles Sept. 15 and a third in the GIII Cardinal H. routing at Churchill Downs. Nov. 9. She began this season with a fifth in the GIII Doubledogdare S. over the Keeneland synthetic Apr. 18. **cont. p7**

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Solid Appeal rated in midpack and off the rail through the opening stages and improved her position into the turn. The bay split foes and swung to the four path for running room. She continued to steadily gain on the leaders down the lane, found another gear in the final furlong and won going away.

“I thought there would be pace, but I didn't think there would be that much pace,” said winning pilot Jesse Campbell. “When I saw Shaun [Bridgmohan on Deceptive Vision] up there close, I knew there was pace. She was in a good spot, so I left her alone and let the race come to her. I had a lot of horse, and she finished well.”

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Sunday, Longchamp, France

PRIX D'ISPAHAN-G1, €250,000, LON, 5-25, 4yo/up, 9f 55yT, 1:57.98, sf.

1--**CIRRUS DES AIGLES (FR)**, 128, g, 8, by Even Top (Ire)

1st Dam: Taille de Guepe (Fr), by Septieme Ciel

2nd Dam: Roots (Fr), by Funambule

3rd Dam: Ruma (Fr), by Rheffic (Fr)

O-Jean-Claude-Alain Dupouy & Xavier Niel; B-Yvon Lelimouzin & Benoit Deschamps; T-Corine Barande-Barbe; J-Christophe Soumillon; €142,850. Lifetime Record: Ch. Older Horse-Eur, Hwt. Older Horse-Eng & Fr at 9.5-11f, Hwt. Older Horse-Fr & UAE at 11-14f, Hwt. Older Horse-Fr at 9-11f, G1SW-Eng, & UAE, 57 starts, 20 wins, 34 places, €6,673,332. **Werk Nick Rating: A + .** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Anodin (Ire)**, 128, c, 4, Anabaa--Born Gold, by Blushing Groom (Fr). O/B-Wertheimer & Frere (IRE). T-Freddy Head. €57,150.


3--**Pollyana (Ire)**, 125, m, 5, Whipper--Shamah (GB), by Unfuwain. (€3,000 yrl '10 GOFSP; 195,000gns RNA HRA '13 TATDEC). O-Mme Emma Kennedy & Mlle Myriam Claire Carroll. B-Mesnil Investments Ltd & Carrigbeg Stud (IRE). T-Fabien Lefebvre. €28,575. Margins: 1HF, 1 1/4, 3/4. Odds: 0.60, 11.00, 23.00. Also Ran: Olympic Glory (Ire), Neatico (Ger), Matorio (Fr). [Click for the Racing Post result](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [Equidia VIDEO](#).

Allowed the opportunity to run in yesterday's G1 Prix d'Ispahan at Longchamp due to his current state of rude health, Cirrus des Aigles (Fr) made easy work of his task by leading all the way under Christophe Soumillon to bag a fifth top-level success. Sent off the 3-5 favorite, the 8-year-old was never in any danger and only needed to be kept up to his work to score by 1 1/2 lengths from Anodin (Ire) in what amounted to a picnic in the Bois de Boulognes. “I wake up every morning and go to his stable not to see if he is okay, but to see if he is really there and it is not just a dream,” trainer Corine Barande Barbe commented. “He is quite exceptional and I don't know if there has ever been one like him. He gives us so much fun and pleasure and this was only really a workout for him.”

By the time Cirrus des Aigles confronted So You Think (NZ) in the inaugural running of the G1 Qipco Champion S. at Ascot in October 2011, he had already garnered seven pattern-race successes but his eclipse of that dual-hemisphere giant pitched him into new territory. Proving it was no flash in the pan, he traveled to Meydan the following March to best St Nicholas Abbey (Ire) (Montjeu {Ire}) in the G1 Dubai Sheema Classic before returning to France to enjoy what only amounted to a homecoming parade in the G1 Prix Ganay. Following that emphatic eight-length success of the subsequent Group 1 winner Giofra (GB) (Dansili {GB}), his momentum was halted as he was beaten by the filly that Andre Fabre regards as the best he trained in Golden Lilac (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) in this race. On top of his later disqualification from second as a result of a positive test for a prohibited substance, the gelding suffered an infection which kept him off until the G2 Prix Dollar here in October 2012, but he still managed to win that by nine lengths en route to a match with Frankel (GB) (Galileo {Ire}) back at Ascot's Champions Day. After making the Juddmonte colossus race a bit, he was absent for eight months and only truly regained some of his old form with another win in the Prix Dollar prior to another second in the Champion and a third placing in the G1 Hong Kong Cup. Even a second placing to Gentildonna (Jpn) (Deep Impact {Jpn}) in the Mar. 29 G1 Dubai Sheema Classic did not completely fire the imagination, but the veteran then managed the implausible by upstaging Treve (Fr) (Motivator {GB}) in the Apr. 27 G1 Prix Ganay and after this relatively easy follow-up it is hard to say that he will not add something special to his laurels this term. **cont. p9**



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Corine Barande Barbe was looking at all options after he had failed to see a rival here, with his main opponent Olympic Glory (Ire) (Choisir {Aus}) putting in another lackluster effort around these turns. "I was not worried about anything beforehand, as he had run very well here before and been beaten only by two very good fillies including Goldikova (Ire) (Anabaa) and the ground was exactly as he likes it," she said. "He has plenty of possibilities, including the G1 Coronation Cup [at Epsom June 7], the G1 Prince of Wales's S. [at Royal Ascot June 18] and so we will decide, all the time keeping an eye on the G1 King George VI and Queen Elizabeth S. [at Ascot July 26]."

Sunday, Longchamp, France

POUR MOI COOLMORE PRIX SAINT-ALARY-G1, €250,000, LON, 5-25, 3yo, f, 10fT, 2:08.45, sf.

1--#@▲**WE ARE (IRE), 126, f, 3, by Dansili (GB)**

1st Dam: In Clover (GB) (GSW-Fr, \$211,681), by Inchinor (GB)

2nd Dam: Bellarida (Fr), by Bellypha (Ire)

3rd Dam: Lerida (Fr), by Riverman

O/B-George Strawbridge (IRE). T-Freddy Head.

J-Thierry Jarnet. €142,850. Lifetime Record:

3 starts, 3 wins, €172,350. *1/2 to Dream Clover

(GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}), MSW-Fr, \$109,779. **Werk**

Nick Rating: A. Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).

2--**Vazira (Fr), 126, f, 3, Sea the Stars (Ire)--Vadaza (Fr)**

(MSP-Fr), by Zafonic. O-H H The Aga Khan. B-H H

The Aga Khan's Studs SC. T-Alain de Royer-Dupre.

€57,150.

3--**Bereni Ka (Fr), 126, f, 3, Vadasin (Ire)--Ile Aux Moines (Ire), by Bering (GB). O-Mme Anne Dupont & Yohann Gourraud. B-Jacques Chapet & Mme Anne Dupont (Fr). T-Yohann Gourraud. €28,575.**

Margins: 3, 3, HF. Odds: 1.70, 1.50, 28.00.

Also Ran: Lady Penko (Fr), Stormyra (Fr), Chocolatier (Fr), Goldy Espony (Fr), Green Speed (Fr). **Click for the [Racing Post result](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [Equidia VIDEO](#).**

Despite being unproven in black-type company, We Are was nevertheless sent off the well-supported second choice as a result of a substantial reputation and



We Are Scoopdyga

the manner of her two wins so far. The first came in a mile debutantes event here Apr. 10 and was followed by a convincing performance in a conditions race over 10 1/2 furlongs at Saint-Cloud at the start of May. Held up early by Thierry Jarnet in mid-division and forced out wide with no cover,

the bay was delivered at the top of the straight, and after taking command passing the quarter-pole, surged away from the one-paced Vazira. "She did have the best trip here, but I like the way she won and she showed how good she is," trainer Freddy Head commented. "She will go for the G1 Prix de Diane [at Chantilly June 15] now and I hope she could be very good. She has a great future ahead of her."

Sunday, Longchamp, France

PRIX VICOMTESSE VIGIER-G2, €130,000, LON, 5-25, 4yo/up, 15 1/2fT, 3:32.22, sf.

1--#@**FLY WITH ME (FR), 123, c, 4, by Beat Hollow (GB)**

1st Dam: Bird of Paradise (Fr) (SP-Fr,

\$295,191), by Highest Honor (Fr)

2nd Dam: Kaldance (Fr), by Kaldoun (Fr)

3rd Dam: Violet Dancer (Fr), by Fabulous Dancer

O-Jean Luck. B-SCA Haras de la Barbottiere (FR).

T-Eric Libaud. J-Maxime Guyon. €74,100. Lifetime

Record: 12 starts, 5 wins, 5 places, €152,650.

Werk Nick Rating: B+ . Click for the

[eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).

2--**Goldtara (Fr), 120, m, 6, Gold Away (Ire)--Diatara (Fr), by Sillery. (€8,000 yrl '09 ARQOCT). O-Andreas Fehr & Mme Maja Fehr. B-Enrico Barbieri & Pier Luigi Uccelli (FR). T-Alain Lyon. €28,600.**

3--**Terrubi (Ire), 123, c, 4, Dalakhani (Ire)--Altruiste, by Diesis (GB). (€130,000 yrl '11 ARQAUG). O-Ecurie Jean-Louis Bouchard. B-Ecurie de Meautry & Petra Bloodstock Agency Ltd (IRE). T-Pascal Bary. €13,650.**

Margins: NO, 1 1/4, 2HF. Odds: 4.90, 26.00, 2.30.

Also Ran: Montclair (Ire), Ebiyza (Ire), Solow (GB), Times Up (GB), Les Beaufs (Fr). **Click for the [Racing Post result](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [Equidia VIDEO](#).**

Third on his first try at black-type in Toulouse's Listed Prix Max Sicard over 12 furlongs in December, Fly With Me successfully stepped up to 14 furlongs in a conditions event at Compiègne Mar. 17 before finishing third again in the Apr. 27 G3 Prix de Barbeville over this track and trip. Content to track the leader Goldtara in third, the grey--who sported cheekpieces--was the only rival able to put it up to her in the straight and eventually mastered her in the final meters. "He had improved a lot from his last run and the way he was ridden today, slightly isolated from the others and brought with one run, is the best way," trainer Eric Libaud commented. "I am convinced that there is still improvement to come and it is great for the owner, who bred him and has been with me since I started training."

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JAPANESE RESULTS

Sunday, Tokyo, Japan

YUSHUN HIMBA (JAPANESE OAKS)-G1, ¥224,760,000, Tokyo, 5-25, 3yo, f, 2400mT, 2:25.80, fm.

1-▲@#**NUOVO RECORD (JPN)**, 121, f, 3, by Heart's Cry (Jpn)

1st Dam: Omega Spirit (Jpn), by Spinning World

2nd Dam: Fager's Prospect, by Chief's Crown

3rd Dam: Fager's Glory, by Mr. Prospector

O/B-Reiko Hara; T-Makoto Saito; J-Yasunari Iwata; ¥125,042,000. Lifetime: 6-3-1-1. **Werk Nick Rating: B+**. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Harp Star (Jpn)**, 121, f, 3, by Deep Impact (Jpn)--Historic Star (Jpn), by Falbrav (Ire). O-Carrot Farm; B-Northern Farm; ¥47,012,000.

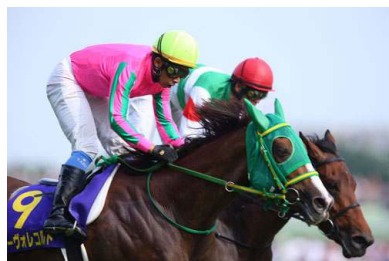
3--**Bounce Shasse (Jpn)**, 121, f, 3, by Zenno Rob Roy (Jpn)--Rich Dancer (GB), by Halling. O-Carrot Farm; B-Northern Farm; ¥28,006,000.

Margins: NK, NK, 3/4. Odds: 8.80, 0.30, 15.40.

Also Ran: Nishino Akatsuki (Jpn), Blanc Beige (Jpn), Marble Cathedral (Jpn), Sang Real (Jpn), Meine Auram (Jpn), Meine Greville (Jpn), Bella Regina (Jpn), Forevermore (Jpn), Xmas (Jpn), Magic Time (Jpn), Shiny Girl (Jpn), Dilga, Pacific Gal (Jpn), Peisha Felice (Jpn), Eliza Best (Jpn).

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Despite a strong record--having been off the board just once in five career outings--Nuovo Record had failed to break through at the group level, but that all changed yesterday when she put on a gutsy display to



Nuovo Record
Horsephotos

hold off the late charge of the heavily favored Harp Star in the Japanese Oaks. Covered up on the rail early slightly worse than midpack, Nuovo Record managed to work her way off the fence and into the clear approaching the final turn. Produced by jockey Yasunari Iwata in midstretch, the dark bay stormed down the

center of the track, put her head in front of Bounce Shasse, running gamely on the rail, inside the final furlong, and held off a last-gasp lunge from Harp Star on her outside. "With the 2400 meter distance and the horse's aptitude to the left-handed course in mind, I think we ran our race today," said Iwata. "She was well in hand and relaxed up to the straight, which was why we were able to win. I heard Harp Star catching up and just desperately drove her to the line. She is a well-settled filly, which is an important factor for a winner."

A second-out winner over this strip in November, Nuovo Record took a Chukyo allowance Dec. 8 before being shelved for three months. She finished second to Harp Star in the Mar. 8 G3 Tulip Sho in her seasonal debut, and again found that rival too tough when checking in third in the G1 Oka Sho (Japanese 1000 Guineas) Apr. 13.

Nuovo Record becomes the second Group 1 winner for her sire, Heart's Cry. The first was G1 Tenno Sho Autumn and G1 Dubai Duty Free victor Just A Way (Jpn), currently the world's highest rated horse on the Longines World's Best Racehorse Rankings.

HONG KONG RESULTS

Sunday, Sha Tin, Hong Kong

STANDARD CHARTERED CHAMPIONS AND CHATER CUP, HK\$8,000,000 (US\$1,031,742), Sha Tin, 5-25, 3yo/up, 2400mT, 2:28.11, gd.

1--**BLAZING SPEED (GB)**, 126, g, 5, [Dylan Thomas \(Ire\)](#)--[Leukippids \(Ire\)](#), by [Sadler's Wells](#). (45,000gns RNA wnlg '09 TATDEC; 45,000gns RNA yrl '10 TATOCT; 41,000gns yrl '10 TATDEC). O-Fentons Racing Syndicate; B-J Sankey; T-Tony Cruz; J-Neil Callan; HK\$4,000,000. Lifetime Record: 23-7-4-1, HK\$14,269,510.

2--**Dibayani (Ire)**, 126, g, 4, Shamardal--Dibiya (Ire), by Caerleon. O-Robert Ng Chee Siong. HK\$1,600,000.

3--**California Memory**, 126, g, 8, Highest Honor (Fr)--Kalpita, by Spinning World. (\$65,000 yrl '07 KEESEP). O-Howard Liang Yum Shing. HK\$960,000. Margins: 2HF, 1HF, NO. Odds: 24-1, 7-1, 12-1.

Bred, raised and sold by [Brookdale](#)

Also Ran: Bubble Chic (Fr), Designs on Rome (Ire), Liberator (Aus), Dominant (Ire), Same World (GB).

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Blazing Speed

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betting choices have gone on to victory in this event, a list which includes such superstars as Vengeance of Rain (NZ), Ambitious Dragon (NZ) and Viva Pataca (GB). The last of those was trained by John Moore, who all but guaranteed

that G1 Queen Elizabeth II hero Designs on Rome (Ire) (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}) would assert his class Sunday, but for once, the horseman was wrong, as the exciting 4-year-old never fired and Blazing Speed caused the upset.

Seventh in the G2 Jockey Club Mile Nov. 17, Blazing Speed stretched out to the 2000 meters of the G1 Hong Kong Cup Dec. 8, and though only sixth, was beaten under two lengths by Military Attack (Ire) (Oratorio {Ire}). He upset recent G1 SAI Cup hero Dan Excel (Ire) (Shamardal) in the Stewards' Cup over the mile Jan. 19, but could do no better than fourth to Military Attack in the Hong Kong Gold Cup Feb. 22.

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Part of the local contingent for Dubai World Cup night, Blazing Speed had run his race by the half-mile pole in the G1 Duty Free S. and trudged home 10th and was exiting a sixth over unsuitably easy ground in the G1 Champions Mile May 4. Though his pedigree would suggest an ability to stay this extended trip, he'd never tried it, and the results were spectacular.

Away without incident, Blazing Speed took up a one-back, one-out spot with cover just behind Same World (GB) (Hawk Wing), who raced closest to the early pacesetter, Queen Mother Memorial Cup H. winner Bubble Chic (Fr) (Chichicastenango {Fr}). Designs on Rome was a touch slow to begin and was immediately dropped out to the tail by Tommy Berry. The pace was solid for the distance, and there was little change in the order through the middle furlongs as the crowd anticipated the run that was certain to come from the favorite. Neil Callan and Blazing Speed were the first to launch their bid as they peeled out to the three path and quickly descended on the top two. He raced to the front nearing the final furlong and quickened clear Dibayani, second to Designs on Rome in the Hong Kong Derby, outfinished the evergreen defending champion California Memory for second. With victories in two of the three legs of the Triple Crown for older horses, Blazing Speed nets his connections a bonus of HK\$2 million.

"Neil Callan rode a perfect race today," said winning trainer Tony Cruz. "The horse won it quite easy and I'm very happy with that performance. In the Gold Cup he made contact with other horses and he got too keen too early--he started pulling and that's always a bad sign-- that's why he didn't finish his race properly. Today it was a totally different story."

Danehill and his sire sons have crossed well with Blazing Speed's family, particularly in this jurisdiction. The winner's second dam, Teslemi (Ogygian), is the dam of 1998 Hong Kong Derby hero Johann Cruyff (GB) (Danehill) while she is also the granddam of 2009 Derby winner Super Satin (NZ) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}). Teslemi is also responsible for dual Group 1 winner Spartacus (Ire) (Danehill).

Sunday, Sha Tin, Hong Kong

SHA TIN VASE H., HK\$2,500,000 (US\$322,420), Sha Tin, 5-25, 3yo/up, 1200mT, 1:09.10, gd.

1--**#AEROVELOCITY (NZ), 118, g, 5, Pins (Aus)--**

Exodus (NZ), by Kaapstad (NZ). (NZ\$120,000 yrl '10 NZBPRES). O-Daniel Yeung Ngai; B-N E Schick & S J Till; T-Paul O'Sullivan; J-Zac Purton; HK\$1,425,000. Lifetime Record: 11-6-2-1, HK\$4,743,240. *Formerly Naisoso Warrior (NZ).

2--**Divine Ten (Aus), 121, g, 5, Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)--Zakythos Star (Aus), by Dehere.** (A\$47,500 wnlg '10 INGWNL). O-Wong Kwong Miu. HK\$550,000.

3--**Golden Harvest (Aus), 115, g, 5, Al Maher (Aus)--Marzipan (NZ), by Gold Brose (Aus).** (A\$75,000 yrl '10 INGEAS). O-Wong Kwok Keung. HK\$287,500.

Margins: SHD, SHD. 1. Odds: 5-1, 2-1, 6-1.

Also Ran: Smart Volatility (Aus), Tour de Force (Aus), Frederick Engels (GB), Beauty Sparkle (Aus), Bullish Friend (Aus), Charles the Great (Ire), Bobo Dragon (Aus), Straight Gold (Aus), Best Eleven (Aus), El Zonda (GB), Go Baby Go (Aus).

Third in Class 3 company over this course and distance Oct. 12, Aerovelocitv proved victorious at that level Nov. 9 and on the International Races undercard Dec. 8. He successfully transitioned to Class 2, scoring by 1 1/2 lengths Jan. 26 and by half that margin when last seen Feb. 23. In with a light weight and supported



Aerovelocitv (center, pink shades)
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very well despite the 90-day absence, Aerovelocitv landed in midfield from his wide draw, but was always two or three away from the inside and was forced to cover some ground on the turn. He worked his way into the race about four

wide into the stretch and appeared to be cocking his head towards the stands. But Zac Purton, looking for his fourth winner on the day, was able to keep his mount's mind on business and got the better of a final-furlong duel with the equally progressive Divine Ten. "The horse has done a good job," said Purton. "He's had to be freshened up so he was feeling the pinch that last 150 meters, but with no weight on his back I ended up getting a really good run on him. He's an honest horse, he always gives his best and he's done that again today." **Click for the HKJC.com chart or the HKJC.com PPs. VIDEO.**



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POKER COULD PLAY MORE LIKE WAR

Two sons of leading stallion War Front--Gary Barber's **Jack Milton** and Justice Family Racing's **Peace and Justice**--are among the major contenders for today's \$300,000 GII Poker S. over the Belmont Park sod. The former bested Up With the Birds (Stormy Atlantic) in Keeneland's GIII Transylvania S. some 13 1/2 months ago, but was third in his next four tries, capped by a local run behind Up with the Birds in the Oct. 5 GI Jamaica H. His sophomore season concluded with a sixth-place run in the GI Hollywood Derby Dec. 1, but the Todd Pletcher trainee returned sharp with a decisive May 1 optional claiming score at Churchill May 1 going this distance. Jack Milton figures to get plenty of pace to close into, with Peace and Justice and main source of heat up front. The John Shireffs trainee looked good running away from his competition first up here last June, but the mentally immature speedster was eighth in his next two tries. He resurfaced to set impossible splits and keep going at Santa Anita Jan. 5, and garnered the "TDN Rising Star" seal of approval before adding another Arcadia allowance Feb. 14. The dark bay could not properly ration his speed in his stakes debut in Santa Anita's Apr. 6 Thunder Road S., settling for fifth, but there's little doubt where he'll be early here under new rider and recently named Hall of Famer Alex Solis. Live Oak Plantation's **Za Approval** (Ghostzapper) figures to take some beating as he drops out of Grade I company for just the second time in his last seven tries. A winner of the GIII Knickerbocker S. here in October last time he dropped in class, the grey nearly upended Wise Dan (Wiseman's Ferry) in the GI Breeders' Cup Mile Nov. 2. He was a close fourth as the favorite in a strong running of Santa Anita's GI Frank E. Kilroe Mile Mar. 8, and endured a less-than-ideal trip when filling the same spot behind Wise Dan in Keeneland's GI Maker's 46 Mile Apr. 11. **cont. p12**

LUCY LOOKS FOR THIRD STRAIGHT

Steve Moger's **Stormy Lucy** (Stormy Atlantic) seeks her third straight victory in Monday's GI Gamely S. at Santa Anita. The 5-year-old won the Mar. 16 GII Santa Ana S. over the Gamely course and distance while in the barn of trainer Frank Lucarelli. Purchased privately by Moger after that victory, Stormy Lucy returned to win the Apr. 13 GIII Santa Barbara H. last time out. Juddmonte homebred **Emollient** (Empire Maker) returns to the turf after a close-up third-place finish in the Apr. 18 GIII Doubledogdare S. over Keeneland's Polytrack. The 4-year-old won last year's GI Ashland S. and GI Spinster S. over the poly, as well as the GI American Oaks over the Hollywood lawn. She was fourth behind Stormy Lucy in the Santa Ana. Ramsey homebred **Emotional Kitten** (Kitten's Joy) began the year with a runner-up effort in the Santa Ana. She was fourth after a wide trip in the Apr. 12 GI Jenny Wiley S. last time out.

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Monday, Santa Anita Park, post time: 7:35 p.m. EDT
Gamely S.-GI, \$300,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT

PP HORSE	OWNER	BREEDER	TRAINER/JOCKEY	ML
1 Customer Base <i>(m, 5, Lemon Drop Kid--Little Cat Feet, by Tale of the Cat)</i>	Glen Hill Farm	Edward Seltzer & Beverly Anderson-Ky	Proctor Smith	8-1
2 Emotional Kitten <i>(f, 4, Kitten's Joy--Silent Emotion, by Ghazi)</i>	Kenneth L & Sarah K Ramsey	Kenneth L & Sarah K Ramsey-Pa	Ward Espinoza	7-2
3 Stormy Lucy <i>(m, 5, Stormy Atlantic--Here Comes Lucinda, Dixieland Band)</i>	Steve Moger	Mercedes Stable LLC-Ky	Moger Talamo	7-2
4 Changethechannel ® <i>(m, 5, English Channel--Elegant Prospect, by Mr. Prospector)</i>	Abbondanza Racing LLC	Bluegrass Hall LLC-Ky	McCarthy Baze	20-1
5 Premier Steps (Ire) <i>(f, 4, Footstepsinthesand (GB)--Primissima {Ger}, by Second Set {Ire})</i>	Swift Thoroughbreds, Vintage Thoroughbred, et al	Manister House Stud-Ire	Proctor Stevens	12-1
6 Miss Serendipity (Arg) Matias Cavalieri <i>(m, 6, Not For Sale {Arg}--Marca Registrada {Arg}, by Candy Stripes)</i>	Matias Cavalieri	Anselmo Emilio Cavalieri-Arg	McAnally Blanc	5-1
7 Parranda <i>(m, 5, English Channel--Dynamic Feature, by Rahy)</i>	Campbell Clark or Gato Racing LLC	Kinsman Farm-Fla	Hollendorfer Nakatani	7-2
8 Emollient <i>(f, 4, Empire Maker--Soothing Touch, by Touch Gold)</i>	Juddmonte Farms	Juddmonte Farms Inc-Ky	Mott Napravnik	3-1
9 Rhagori (GB) Michael House <i>(m, 5, Exceed and Excel (Aus)--Cresta Gold {GB}, by Halling)</i>	Michael House	P T Tellwright-GB	Callaghan Desormeaux	15-1



"As long as the ground is not too soft, Za Approval will run [in the Poker]," said trainer Christophe Clement. "He loves it firm. I ran him a little bit unfit in California first time out [in 2014] and he went off form in Kentucky, though I'm not exactly sure why. He came back here and seems to be doing well."

Monday, Belmont Park, post time: 4:57 p.m. EDT

POKER S.-GIII, \$300,000, 4yo/up, 1mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1	Peace and Justice	War Front	Solis	Shirreffs	2-1
2a	Bio Pro	War Front	Velazquez	Mott	5-1
3	Plainview	Street Cry (Ire)	Lezcano	DiPrima	12-1
4	Big Screen	Speightstown	Alvarado	Albertrani	6-1
5a	Jack Milton	War Front	Castellano	Pletcher	5-1
6	Za Approval	Ghostzapper	Rosario	Clement	6-5
7	Sinatra	Harlan's Holiday	Maragh	Jerkens	15-1

'SUPER' RETURNS IN LA

Tanma Corp's **Super Ninety Nine** (Pulpit) makes his long awaited return to the races at Santa Anita today in the GIII Los Angeles H. Last term, the Bob Baffert pupil romped by 11 lengths in Oaklawn's GIII Southwest S., but could only manage fifth behind last year's champion sophomore Will Take Charge (Unbridled's Song) and GI Preakness S. victor Oxbow (Awesome Again) next time out in that venue's GII Rebel S. The chestnut has not been seen in over a year since finishing third to eventual GI Breeders' Cup Mile hero Goldencents (Into Mischief) in last year's GI Santa Anita Derby. Trainer Jerry Hollendorfer saddles a live contender in **Wild Dude** (Wildcat Heir), who he owns in partnership with Green Smith. The bay kicked off this term with an allowance win here Jan. 3 and edged out GI Breeders' Cup Sprint winner Secret Circle (Eddington) for a neck success in the GII Palos Verdes S. over this track and trip Feb. 2. A close fourth behind 2013 GI Met Mile winner Sahara Sky (Pleasant Tap) in the GII San Carlos S. Mar. 8, Wild Dude missed by just a nose last time over this strip in the GII Portero Grande S. Apr. 12.



Super Ninety Nine
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Monday, Santa Anita Park, post time: 5:00 p.m. EDT

LOS ANGELES H.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo/up, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1	Wine Police	Speightstown	Espinoza	Miller	6-1
2	Cyclometer	Cyclotron	Maldonado	Headley	7-2
3	Super Ninety Nine	Pulpit	Garcia	Baffert	3-1
4	Wild Dude	Wildcat Heir	Smith	Hlndrfr	1-1
5	Color of Courage	Came Home	Talamo	Mandella	9-2

WELL-MATCHED BUNCH IN WINNING COLORS

A competitive group of nine female sprinters will battle under the Twin Spires in today's GIII Winning Colors S. Ashbrook Farm's outside-drawn 3-year-old **Southern Honey** (Colonel John) likely has the most upside, but faces a tall task as the lone sophomore. Second first out here Nov. 30, the Rusty Arnold pupil was fourth on seasonal debut at Gulfstream Mar. 2. Since then, however, she's been unstoppable. A 5 3/4-length graduate over the Keeneland Polytrack Apr. 5, the bay aired by a visually impressive five-length margin going seven panels back at this track May 2. With a fair bit of pace drawn inside of her, the promising filly could be well-served to take a stalk-and-pounce approach under Julien Leparoux. Another who may have room to step forward is Mike Rutherford's **Socialbug** (Curlin). Garnering **"TDN Rising Star"** status after two sharp victories at Del Mar last summer to kick off her career, the half-sister to top sprinter Midnight Lute (Real Quiet) faded to fifth after setting the pace in Santa Anita's L.A. Woman S. Oct. 5. She reappeared to just miss to subsequent GII Santa Monica S. winner Scherzinger (Tiz Wonderful) in an Arcadia optional claimer Jan. 2, but bounced back to score over wet/fast going back at that track Mar. 1. Backed at 7-10 for her Lousiville debut last time Apr. 26, the Bob Baffert trainee could only manage a second-place run behind **Anahauc** (Henny Hughes). That runner, trained by Bernie Flint, was coming off a 4 3/4-length score in a Fair Grounds off-the-turfer Mar. 12. Claiborne Farm and Adele Dilschneider's **Apropos** (First Samurai) could also have a major say as she returns to dirt. The homebred annexed an Oaklawn optional claimer Jan. 12, and was a decisive 3 1/4-length winner of that track's American Beauty S. 13 days later. She was most recently third with some traffic trouble in Keeneland's GI Madison S. Apr. 12.

Monday, Churchill Downs, post time: 5:20 p.m. EDT

WINNING COLORS S.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1	Jamaican Smoke	Latent Heat	Lanerie	Kenneally	10-1
2	Aireofdistinction	Songandaprayer	Santana Jr	Asmussen	6-1
3	Cozze Up Lady	Cozzene	Albarado	Calhoun	12-1
4	Socialbug	Curlin	Mena	Baffert	6-1
5	Sweet Cassiopeia	Five Star Day	Rocco Jr	Connelly	5-1
6	Anahauc	Henny Hughes	Graham	Flint	7-2
7	Apropos	First Samurai	Bridgmohan	Stall Jr	3-1
8	Warm Breeze	Street Sense	Goncalves	Forster	10-1
9	Southern Honey	Colonel John	Leparoux	Arnold II	8-1

Monday, Lone Star Park, post time: 5:51 p.m. EDT

LONE STAR PARK H.-GIII, \$200,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1	Called to Serve	Afleet Alex	Quinonez	Asmussen	3-1
2	He Has Bling	Too Much Bling	Cabrera	Durham	20-1
3	Grand Contender	Strong Contender	Eramia	Amoss	6-5
4	Donoharm	Lemon Drop Kid	Berry	Calhoun	9-5
5	F J Uncle Vic	Uncle Abbie	Vldz-Jmnz	Eoff	20-1
6	Texas Air	Texas City	Wood	Milligan	15-1



Monday, Golden Gate Fields, post time: 6:45 p.m. EDT

ALL AMERICAN S.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo/up, 1m (AWT)

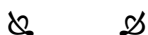
PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1	You Know I Know	Simon Pure	Trujillo	Sadler	5-2
2	China Prince	Peppered Cat	Carr	Dollase	7-2
3	Pepper Crown	Peppered Cat	Cedillo	Paszkeicz	9-2
4	Minister Vivendi	Ministers Wild Cat	Gonzalez	Delia	20-1
5	Longview Drive (K)	Pulpit	Antngrgi III	Hlndrfr	15-1
6	Hudson Landing	Maria's Mon	Hernandez	Wright	6-1
7	Summer Hit	Bertrando	Baze	Hlndrfr	2-1

SALES NEWS

TEELEY REDUCTION ROCKS GOLD COAST

The reduction sale of Teeley Assets, one of Australia's most influential breeders and the curators of the line of influential broodmare Shantha's Choice (Aus), drove substantial increases across the board during the opening session of the Magic Millions National Weanling Sale yesterday. With 62 more horses offered than this session 12 months ago, the gross nearly doubled at A\$8,276,500. The average climbed 26% to A\$43,561, while the buyback rate remained steady at 17%.

The Teeley Reduction was responsible for three highest priced lots—and four of the top five—including the session-topping [Lot 222](#), which brought a final bid of A\$600,000 from Stonestreet Stables LLC and Coolmore Stud. By Coolmore's leading sire Fastnet Rock (Aus), the October foal is out of Your Life Style (Aus) (Hussonet {Aus}), herself a daughter of Monsoon Wedding (Aus) (Danehill), the dam of two stakes winners and a daughter of Shantha's Choice. Monsoon Wedding is therefore a full-sister to champion racehorse and sire Redoute's Choice (Aus) and Platinum Scissors (Aus), and a half to promising young sire Manhattan Rain (Aus) and Sliding Cube (Aus), the dam of **"TDN Rising Star"** **☆** Rubick (Aus) (Encosta de Lago {Aus}). The bidding on the bay youngster opened at A\$300,000, and in the end it was John Moynihan, representing Stonestreet, and Coolmore's Tom Magnier who emerged victorious.



"He's a beautiful horse," Moynihan said. "We loved him physically, he has a great pedigree and if he runs he's a major stallion prospect. We're excited. Coolmore will own half of him and we're going to race him with them. He's an exceptionally bred horse, he's very physical and by a great stallion. He's the right sort of horse to have a shot with. I've admired the progeny of



The session-topping Lot 222
Magic Millions

Fastnet Rock for some time and he's clearly a world-class stallion. This was just an outstanding colt—all strength and quality with a great pedigree, so Stonestreet is delighted to partner with Coolmore to race him. I think he was great value at that price."

The G1 Golden Slipper-winning and producing sire Stratum (Aus) enjoyed a profitable run when a pair of fillies from the Teeley Reduction fetched A\$425,000 and A\$400,000 just moments apart. The fillies are closely related, like the session topper being out of daughters of Monsoon Wedding. [Lot 213](#), the first through the ring, realized A\$425,000 from Arrowfield Stud. The September-foaled miss is the second foal out of the Group 3-winning Precious Lorraine (Aus) (Encosta de Lago {Aus}). [Lot 215](#), sold to New Zealand's Jamieson Park for A\$400,000, is the first foal out of the winning Quench the Thirst (Encosta de Lago).

Teeley Assets, owned by Sri Lankan businessman Muzaffar Yaseen, has made its own advertising, especially over the past season, with 12 stakes victories by the nursery's graduates. The undisputed highlight this year has been Lankan Rupee, the winner of three Group 1s and the world's current highest-rated sprinter.

"The obvious story of the day was the success of the reduction of weanlings from Teeley Assets," Magic Millions Managing Director Vin Cox said. "Their weanlings sold extremely well with the top priced lot at \$600,000 selling to Stonestreet Stables from the U.S. and Coolmore, which is exciting news for the Australian industry. It's been an honor to have conducted this sale and a pleasure to run it. Every horse was for genuine sale as is evidenced in the results."

Crashing the Teeley party in fourth on the results sheet as [Lot 2](#), which got the sale off to a strong start when fetching A\$260,000 from agent James Harron on behalf of Dr Edmund and Belinda Bateman. One would not have blamed the Batemans for extending for this first crop son of Group 1-winning sprinter Foxwedge, whom they campaigned. **cont. p15**



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SESSION TOTALS	2014	2013
Catalogued	264	205
No. Offered	229	167
No. Sold	190	138
RNAs	39	29
% RNAs	17%	17%
High Price	A\$600,000	A\$280,000
Gross	A\$8,276,500	A\$4,781,850
Average (% change)	A\$43,561 (+26%)	A\$34,651



Consigned by Eliza Park International, the August foal is out of Call Me Paris (Aus) (Hotel Grand {Aus}), a winning half-sister to a pair of stakes winners.

"He's a cracking colt," said Harron. "Very physical, great maturity. He had a great attitude through the sale and he looks like a nice running type of horse."

Dr Bateman added of the progeny of Foxwedge: "They're great types. Obviously we have some great types at home. We're really pleased at this stage it's going the way it is. They're really impressive foals. It's really encouraging."

Foxwedge stands at Newgate Farm for a fee of A\$27,500, and shuttles to Whitsbury Manor Stud in Britain.

It would hardly be a horse sale in Australia without Redoute's Choice (Aus) getting his name amongst the top prices, and that happened when Gerry Harvey's Baramul Stud signed for [Lot 206](#), a filly by that champion sire, for A\$230,000. Another from the Teeley reduction, the bay is the second foal from the Group 2-winning and Group 1-placed Fritz's Princess (Aus) (More Than Ready).

The session enjoyed a diverse buying bench, with buyers from the UK, New Zealand and South Africa joining a diverse group of buyers from across Australia, as well as Moynihan's big splash from the U.S. The British-based Blandford Bloodstock went to A\$220,000 for [Lot 249](#), a Coolmore-consigned colt by Fastnet Rock out of a daughter of Group 1 winner Credit Account (Aus) (Imposing {Aus}). "We have the most diverse buying bench we've seen at a National Weanling Sale with strong international participation," said Vin Cox. "The Teeley results aside, there was good healthy competition on quality lots."

The second and final session of the Magic Millions National Weanling Sale takes place tomorrow, beginning at 10 a.m. local time. Full results, catalogues and live streaming are available at www.magicmillions.com.au.

MAGIC MILLIONS NATIONAL WEANLING SALE--SESSION ONE TOPPERS

Lot	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price (A\$)
222	c	Fastnet Rock (Aus)	Your Life Style (Aus)	600,000
		<i>B-Teeley Assets</i> Consigned by Teeley Reduction Purchased by Stonestreet Stables LLC/Coolmore Stud		
213	f	Stratum (Aus)	Precious Lorraine (Aus)	425,000
		<i>B-Teeley Assets</i> Consigned by Teeley Reduction Purchased by Arrowfield Stud		
215	f	Stratum (Aus)	Quench the Thirst (Aus)	400,000
		<i>B-Teeley Assets</i> Consigned by Teeley Reduction Purchased by Jamieson Park		
2	c	Foxwedge (Aus)	Call Me Paris (Aus)	260,000
		<i>B-Racetree</i> Consigned by Eliza Park International Purchased by James Harron Bloodstock		
206	f	Redoute's Choice (Aus)	Fritz's Princess (Aus)	230,000
		<i>B-Teeley Assets</i> Consigned by Teeley Reduction Purchased by Baramul Stud		
249	c	Fastnet Rock (Aus)	Paint By Numbers (Aus)	220,000
		<i>B-Caradale Pty Ltd</i> Consigned by Coolmore Stud Purchased by Blandford Bloodstock		



Tonalist Breezes at Belmont

Robert Evan's GI Belmont S. hopeful **Tonalist** (Tapit) registered his penultimate breeze for his Classic test Sunday morning. The Christophe Clement trainee covered five panels in 1:01.63 ([video](#)) with exercise rider Lee Vickers in the irons. "He looked good, was willing, and came back in good order," Clement commented. "It was not the most aggressive work, but it was what we wanted. He galloped out in :13 and 3/5 this morning, so it was a strong gallop out. The plan is to bring him back this coming Saturday or Sunday and work him in company with Life In Shambles. It will probably be a touch more aggressive. I just hope we can keep him sound and life is good."

Wicked Strong Works a Mile

GI Twinspires.com Wood Memorial S. winner and GI Belmont S. probable **Wicked Strong** (Hard Spun) worked a mile in 1:39.59 ([video](#)) over the Belmont training track Sunday morning. The Centennial Farms colorbearer galloped out 1 1/8 miles in 1:55.22 with regular rider Kelvin Pahal aboard. "I thought it was good. A nice, good stamina work," said trainer Jimmy Jerkens. The trainer also explained that the colt will likely breeze again next weekend and have a blow out the week before the Belmont S.

"It's what got him here, so we figured we wouldn't change the format," Jerkens said of the training regiment. "He worked last week; he worked faster than I wanted. He was a little too edgy [last week], so we decided we'd keep him [on the training track] and work him two turns just to simmer him down a little bit. He worked [on the training track last week], but he was really on the muscle. If you're on the muscle [on the training track] you'll be doubly on the muscle [on the main track]. He went nice and easy the first part and finished up nicely [today], I thought."

Samraat Tunes Up for Belmont

Samraat (Noble Causeway) breezed a mile in 1:41.28 ([video](#)) Sunday in preparation for a start in the third leg of the Triple Crown. "It was terrific, exactly what we wanted," said trainer Rick Violette. "He made a long sustained run around the turn and straight through the wire. He ran his last three-eighths in 36 flat and cooled out like he was King Kong."

Violette noted that the work would be the last serious breeze for the New York-bred multiple graded stakes winner. "Saturday would be the right day, or Sunday, we'll watch the weather next week," he explained. "It will just be an exercise to blow off a little steam and let him feel really good."



Social Inclusion Arrives at Big Sandy

G1 Preakness S. third-place finisher **Social Inclusion** (Pioneerof the Nile) arrived at Belmont Park Sunday. Owner Ronald Sanchez said that the colt will be aiming for either the G1 Belmont S. or the G1I Woody Stephens on the Belmont undercard. Although the connections had originally thought about the G1 Metropolitan H. a possibility, Sanchez said that option is no longer in consideration. "[Trainer Manuel Azpurua] wants breeze the horse before we make a decision [on which race to enter]," said Sanchez.

EBANORAN MUST IMPROVE: OXX

The Aga Khan's homebred **Ebanoran (Ire)** (Oasis Dream {GB}), first past the post but demoted to second in Leopardstown's G3 Derby Trial S. May 11, is training smoothly in his preparations for the G1 Investec Derby June 7, although trainer John Oxx noted his charge must improve to find the winner's circle in Europe's most famous Classic.

"He came out of the last race well, we still have two weeks to go but at this stage, we're happy," Oxx told *PA Sport*. "There was nothing between him and [promoted winner] Fascinating Rock at Leopardstown and, at this time of year, it's all about how horses improve. Both of them have six pounds to find with [ante post favorite] Australia on official ratings."

Oxx added that he expects Ebanoran to handle the Epsom course.

"I don't think the track should be a problem for our horse and hopefully the atmosphere shouldn't bother him. He was very calm at Leopardstown, but you never really know with Epsom until you get there."



KINGMAN FINE AFTER GUINEAS ROMP

Khalid Abdullah's **Kingman (GB)** (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) emerged from his five-length romp in Saturday's G1 Irish 2000 Guineas in good form, and is firmly on course for his next target, the G1 St. James's Palace S. at Royal Ascot June 17.

"He's fine this morning, and the win gave us a lot of pleasure," Teddy Grimthorpe, racing manager for Khalid Abdullah, told *PA Sport*.



Kingman
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Kingman is expected to meet Night of Thunder (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}), the colt who handed him his lone defeat when second in the G1 2000 Guineas at Newmarket May 3, in the St. James's Palace. The pair are now on even terms, as Kingman defeated the Richard Hannon

trainee in the G3 Greenham S. Apr. 12.

"Hopefully it will revert to the Greenham form [at Ascot]," Grimthorpe added.

Grimthorpe also noted that there are no firm plans yet for Khalid Abdullah's **Joyeuse (GB)** (Oasis Dream {GB}), a ☆ "TDN Rising Star" ☆ and half-sister to Frankel (GB), who took a listed contest at Haydock Saturday.

"It was nice to see her back on form," he said. "There aren't many options for sprinting fillies and we'll be studying the programme book."

NEWS TODAY

ZOUSTAR SHUTTLE CAREER ON HOLD

Australia's dual Group 1-winning sprinter Zoustar (Aus) (Northern Meteor {Aus}), retired after injuring himself while preparing for the G1 Diamond Jubilee at Royal Ascot, will not shuttle to the Northern Hemisphere for 2015, David Redvers told ANZ Bloodstock News. Sheikh Fahad bought into the 3-year-old colt after he won last year's G1 Coolmore Stud S., and his racing manager said: "I'm sure he would have blitzed the Diamond Jubilee field and heralded a dual-hemisphere stallion career, but now I expect it would be difficult to establish him here."

Zoustar will begin his stud career at Widden Stud for a fee of A\$44,000.

"We will just send him back down to Australia so he can establish himself at Widden Stud first and see what happens in the future," Redvers told the trade daily.

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**Member Candidates
statements**

Each year, the Thoroughbred Daily News gives the candidates on the ballot for the election of Breeders' Cup Members the opportunity to make a statement in support of their candidacy. This year, there are 35 individuals on the ballot. These statements will appear in the TDN from today through June 2, when the voting opens.

TOM LUDT

Being involved in the Thoroughbred business for numerous years and differing dimensions, I have been blessed to learn and have a different perspective from all my different roles. Running Vinery Stud Farm in Kentucky, Florida and New York, racing at all levels including having Grade I winners, chairing the International Wagering hub for KHRA and now running Santa Anita Park race track as president, I feel very fortunate to be able to see our fans, horses, bettors and horsemen in my different



Tom Ludt

capacities and see this as a very positive attribute to continuing on with the Breeders' Cup. Over the past eight years with Breeders' Cup, two as chairman and the rest as a director and board member on numerous sub-committees, I have helped assist Breeders' Cup growth and have a vested interest in seeing it continue to flourish even more dominantly as an institution that brings our sport and industry together. I sincerely hope I can continue to participate and assist the Breeders' Cup organization and see the positive attributes it brings to all fans, horsemen, bettors and everyone that Breeders' Cup reaches. I am optimistic and look forward to the future of our industry and sincerely thank you for your consideration.

PATRICK W. MADDEN

Having grown up in the Thoroughbred industry I have been involved as a breeder, consignor, owner, stallion syndicator and shareholder. Before becoming a full time developer, I practiced law, with a focus on the equine space and stallion syndication. Being a full time and engaged handicapper, I recognize the magnitude of the large pools created by events like the Breeders' Cup as they relate to attracting and growing the wagering base. Without having a specific affiliation, I believe I can bring a unique perspective to the areas of promotion and growth of the Breeders' Cup brand. Creating a successful commercial development is about vision, functionality, practicality, and economics. In order to generate revenues, the development has to attract the stores where people want to come and spend their money. The location has to deliver a shopping experience that people will continue to utilize. This endless circle is not all that far from what the Breeders' Cup has to deliver. The site, horses, and the experience will bring the fans and bettors. Competition is growing every day, and the urgency to execute is vital to maintain and expand the brand. In summation, I am anxious to apply the knowledge I have obtained from growing up in the thoroughbred business as well as my experiences in other areas such as development and law to bring a fresh new perspective at developing the brand name of the The Breeders' Cup.



Patrick W. Madden

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BILL CASNER

Anyone that is informed enough to be reading the TDN or this commentary is fully aware of the challenges our industry faces. Meaningful reform has progressed at a snails pace and has been slow to address our biggest challenges. Not long ago, horse racing occupied the zenith of the sports



Bill and Susan Casner

entertainment industry with the highest attendance and a 10% annual growth. Sadly, our relevance continues to slide and our image as the Sport of Kings has been severely damaged.

The Breeders' Cup has gone thru an evolution over the past 10 years with changes in governance and mission. It has gone from an organization that only focused on the Breeders' Cup event to one that has accepted that it must be proactively involved with the problems our industry continues to address.

The Breeders' Cup along with The Jockey Club are the two organizations that have the opportunity to lead.

I look forward with your help, to continuing my pro-activeness as a Breeders' Cup trustee and for an industry that captured my heart 51 years ago.

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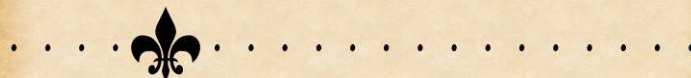
It has been an honor to serve as a Member of the Breeders' Cup for the past four years and to work with Chairmen Roy Jackson and Barry Weisbord on the Enhanced Experience Committee since its inception. This is a committee that has delivered on its mission to improve both the fan and owner experiences during Championship week. Last year, I expanded my involvement and joined the Racing and Nominations Committee. If given the opportunity to serve another term, I will continue to bring forth an active approach to my work on these Committees as they serve as a voice to provide direction to the Board of Directors on what needs to be address to further the organization and the constituency it represents, the nominators. In addition, in the pursuit of a true World Thoroughbred Championship, I will continue to be a valuable resource as a spokesperson with International nominators thanks to my various ties with breeding farms around the world, whether they are in Asia, Europe, Australia or South America. Finally, a Breeders' Cup Member's main role is to vote in annually the Directors. This is a role I have taken very seriously and would continue to do so if I am fortunate enough to serve another term.

To read all of the candidates' statements to date, click [here](#).



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BORISLOW HITS RECORD RAINBOW SIX

Longtime Thoroughbred owner Daniel Borislow hit Gulfstream Park's Rainbow Six yesterday for a record \$6,678,939.12. "I've been one of the larger bettors for a period of years," Borislow said. "I guess, probably, I've gotten good at it." The hit comes one day before Gulfstream's mandatory payout of the entire pool, which was projected to reach \$16 million. "First of all I want to congratulate today's winner," said Gulfstream Park President Tim Ritvo. "We designed the Rainbow 6 to be a life-changing wager. We're disappointed like everyone else that we didn't have the chance to see how high the pool could have gone with a mandatory payout on Monday, but this also proves that you never know when someone will get lucky and hit it."

New York

Monday, Belmont Park, post time: 2:53 p.m. EST

PENNINE RIDGE S., \$200,000, 3yo, 1 1/8 mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1	Flamboyant	Peer Gynt (Jpn)	Rosario	Gallagher	3-1
2	Gala Award	Bernardini	Velazquez	Pletcher	9-5
3	Can'thelbelieving	Dke of Mrrmlde (Ire)	Garcia	Motion	8-1
4	Mr Speaker	Pulpit	Lezcano	McGughy III	8-5
5	Smooth Daddy	Scat Daddy	Saez	Albertrani	12-1

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Only five have signed on for this test, whose first and second place finishers will receive an invitation to the inaugural GI Belmont Derby, a Breeders' Cup Win and You're In Event. Phipps Stable homebred **Mr Speaker** is one of just two graded stakes winners in this event. The Shug McGaughey pupil earned his diploma on third asking on the lawn at Belmont last October and followed that with a win in the GIII Dania Beach S. in Hallandale Dec. 21. A non-factor seventh when switched to the dirt in that venue's GII Holy Bull S. Jan. 25, the dark bay was second to the other graded winner in this field **Gala Award** when returned to the sod in the GIII Palm Beach S. Mar. 1. Mr. Speaker returned to the winner's circle last time at Keeneland in the GIII Coolmore Lexington S. going 1 1/16 miles over the Polytrack. Mrs. John Magnier, Michael Tabor and Derrick Smith's Gala Award graduated in his second attempt at Gulfstream Jan. 20 before going on to win the Palm Beach. The Todd Pletcher trainee was last seen finishing sixth in the GI Toyota Blue Grass S. going 1 1/8 miles over the Keeneland synthetic Apr. 12. Another interesting contender is west coast invader **Flamboyant**, owned by David Bienstock and Charles Winner. Conditioner by Patrick Gallagher, the bay has an impressive record in his native land, including a black-type win last September and an allowance win that November. The bay posted a narrow victory last time while making his U.S. debut in Santa Anita's 1 1/8-mile La Puente S. on the sod Apr. 19.



Mr Speaker A. Coglianese

Monday, Belmont Park, post time: 1:51 p.m. EST

JERSEY GIRL S., \$100,000, 3yo, f, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	Red Velvet	City Zip	Ortiz, Jr	Pletcher	4-1
2	Aibhilin	Sky Mesa	Rivera	Lynch	20-1
3	Our Amazing Rose	Yes It's True	Velazquez	Pletcher	1-1
4	Size	First Samurai	Lezcano	Mott	8-1
5	Sustainable	Forestry	Maragh	McLaughlin	10-1
6	Elena Strikes	Smart Strike	Castellano	Pletcher	3-1

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Yesterday's Results:

WONDER AGAIN S., \$200,000, BEL, 5-25, 3yo, f, 1 1/8mT, 1:49 4/5, gd.

1--**#SEA QUEEN, 117, f, 3, by [Lemon Drop Kid](#)**

1st Dam: Dowry, by Belong to Me

2nd Dam: Sea Jamie Win, by Dixieland Band

3rd Dam: Windansea, by Conquistador Cielo

O-Stonetower Stable; B-The Neuman Group (KY); T-Christophe Clement; J-Irad Ortiz, Jr. \$120,000.

Lifetime Record: 5-3-1-0, \$216,495. *1/2 to Nereid (Rock Hard Ten), GISW, \$303,800.

Raised at Royal Oak Farm (Damian & Braxton Lynch)

2--**Minorette, 117, f, 3, [Smart Strike](#)--Silk and Scarlet (GB), by Sadler's Wells. O-Susan Magnier, Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith; B-Silk & Scarlet Syndicate (KY); T-Chad C Brown. \$40,000.**

3--**Recepta, 121, f, 3, [Speightstown](#)--Honor Bestowed, by Honor Grades. (\$410,000 yrl '12 KEESEP). O-Darby Dan's Phillips Racing Partnership & Pam Gartin; B-John Phillips & Hank Snowden (KY); T-James J Toner. \$20,000.**

IN THE DARBY DAN TRADITION

Margins: HF, 2 3/4, HF. Odds: 18.80, 6.30, 4.50. Also Ran: Party Now, Daring Dancer, Lawn Party. Scratched: Courtesan.

Sea Queen went to the sidelines after a debut win over the Saratoga lawn last July and was a narrowly beaten runner-up behind Miss Besilu (Medaglia d'Oro) in her return at Gulfstream Feb. 8. Fourth in Hallandale Mar. 15, she returned to the winner's circle at Keeneland last time out Apr. 23. Dismissed as the longest shot on the board in her stakes debut, the dark bay filly settled into a stalking second through a quarter in :23.91 and a half in :48.93. Forced to wait for racing room at the top of the lane, Sea Queen angled out three wide in upper stretch and forged to the lead in the final sixteenth to win going away. "She's a nice filly," said winning trainer Christophe Clement. "I'm a bit surprised she won at 18-1, but it doesn't matter, she can't read the board. It was a great ride from Irad [Ortiz], and we'll go for the [July 5 GI] Belmont Oaks." The top two finishers in the race receive automatic invitations to the \$1-million Belmont Oaks Invitational. Chad Brown, trainer of runner-up Minorette, is also considering the Oaks. "The mile and a quarter will suit her as well," Brown said. "If she comes out of the race in good shape, I'll be pointing her toward the Belmont Oaks." Sea Queen is a half to 2011 GI American Oaks winner Nereid (Rock Hard Ten), who sold for \$1.3 million at the 2013 Keeneland January sale. Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).



2nd-BEL, \$75,460, Alw, NW1\$X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/4mT, 2:05, gd.

CONCISE (GB) (f, 4, [Lemon Drop Kid](#)--Cut Short, by Diesis {GB}), fourth in the GII Lake Placid S. Aug. 18, was third in the GI Garden City S. Sept. 14 before concluding her year with a ninth place finish in the GII Queen Elizabeth Challenge Cup S. Oct. 13. Third when making her return in a Keeneland allowance Apr. 19, she was sent off the 4-5 favorite here. After breaking on top, Concise set a moderate pace from the rail and led the way into the stretch. Seda Francesca (Arg) (Tapit) moved outside on the far turn to challenge for the lead, but Concise responded when urged and drew clear to a 1 1/2-length win. Sales History: 225,000gns RNA yrl '11 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: GISP, 12-2-1-4, \$147,431. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).

O-Andrew Stone. B-Cliveden Stud (GB). T-H G Motion.

1st-BEL, \$73,500, Msw, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:41, ft.
TIZ DARK (c, 3, [Tiznow](#)--Stop the Lights, by Storm Cat) set the pace before being past late in a runner-up debut effort at this oval May 4. The 1-9 favorite pressed pacesetting longshot Yap Yap Yap (Birdstone) through a half in :46.68. He took over midway on the far turn, shrugged off the upper stretch challenge of Sublime (Medaglia d'Oro) and strode clear to an easy 6 3/4-length victory. Yap Yap Yap completed the trifecta. Shopping Spree (Street Cry {Ire}) stalked the pace before tiring to fifth and last. Tiz Dark RNA'd for \$230,000 as a Keeneland September yearling. The winner's dam, Stop the Lights, produced a Kitten's Joy colt this spring. His second dam, MGISW Stop Traffic (Cure the Blues), produced GI Whitney H. winner Cross Traffic (Unbridled's Song). She has an unraced Medaglia d'Oro juvenile colt, as well as an Unbridled's Song yearling filly and she produced a colt by Giant's Causeway this year. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#). Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$60,000.
 O-Starlight Racing. B-Diamond A Racing Corp (KY). T-Todd A Pletcher.

Kentucky

Yesterday's Results:

9th-CDX, \$52,174, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:47 3/5, fm.

STRIKE CHARMER (f, 4, [Smart Strike](#)--Cat Charmer {SW, \$121,860}, by Storm Cat) graduated in her third attempt over this track and trip last June 15 and finished a close fourth in an optional claimer at Saratoga next out Aug. 19. She was last seen taking second over track and trip Sep. 13. Sent off as the 4-1 second choice in this return, the homebred tracked the pace while saving ground and began to inch forward near the end of the backstretch. She split rivals as she turned for home and bumped with Princess Maria (Giant's Causeway), before edging clear of that foe to win by 1 3/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$83,450. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).
 O/B-Courtlandt Farm (KY). T-David M Carroll.

7th-CDX, \$50,960, Alw. Opt. Clm. (\$75,000), NW1X, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:10, ft.

BIRD MAKER (f, 3, Empire Maker--Bird Harbor, by Boston Harbor), second in the GII Golden Rod S. here last November, filled the same position in a Gulfstream Park optional claimer Jan. 31. Fourth at that level there a month later, she was a distant fifth in Aqueduct's GII Gazelle S. Apr. 5. The homebred was favored at even-money and caboosed the field down the backstretch, before gaining on the leaders entering the far turn. In the lead at the top of the lane, Bird Maker kept finding more and skipped away to an 11 1/4-length victory from Homesick Angel (Divine Park). Lifetime Record: GSP, 7-2-2-0, \$109,743. [Click for brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).
 O/B-Marylou Whitney Stables LLC (KY). T-Ian R Wilkes.

5th-CDX, \$48,545, Msw, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:51 2/5, ft.
FOR GOODNESS SAKE (c, 3, [Big Brown](#)--Fifteenth East, by Old Trieste) finished seventh on the grass when debuting for trainer Chad Brown Dec. 22 and was third in a maiden claimer at that venue Feb. 8. The bay was claimed and transferred to Michael Tomlinson, where he finished up sixth on the main track here going 1 1/16 miles May 3. Given 8-1 odds, he dueled for the lead while racing wide into the first turn and drew even with the pacesetter at the head of the lane. For Goodness Sake put the race to bed in a matter of strides to win by 10 1/4 lengths from Bourbon Sense (Street Sense). Sales history: \$45,000 wnlg '11 KEENOV; \$150,000 yrl '12 KEESEP; \$195,000 RNA 2yo '13 KEEAPR. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-1, \$33,220. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).

O-V-Leaf Stables LLC. B-Circle Double D Ranch-Diane & Doug Oberhelman (KY). T-Michael A Tomlinson.

Baccari Bloodstock Purchase & Graduate

Florida

Yesterday's Results:

1st-GPX, \$43,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 4 1/2f, :52, ft.
+ COCO'S WILDCAT (f, 2, [Wildcat Heir](#)--Coco's for Real, by Sword Dance {Ire}), sent off the 6-5 favorite, was hustled out to the early lead, spurted clear leaving the backstretch. She quickly opened a clear lead and set the pace through fractions of :21.11 and :45.54 before reporting home a confident three-length winner. Awesome Ice (Awesome of Course) was second. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$26,500.
 O/B-Gilbert G Campbell (FL). T-Kathleen O'Connell.

3rd-GPX, \$36,700, Msw, 2yo, 4 1/2f, :52 2/5, ft.
+ BAGRATION (c, 2, Any Given Saturday--American Czarina {SP, \$147,485}, by Quiet American), unveiled in this spot at 16-1, set the pace along the rail and lengthened his advantage down the stretch to win by 5 1/4 lengths. Svetik (Sharp Humor) was second. Sales history: \$20,000 yrl '13 FTKJUL. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$21,600. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).
 O-Raut LLC. B-Dr Naoya Yoshida & Bill Justice (KY). T-Gennadi Dorochenko.



Eastern U.S.

Yesterday's Results:

MONMOUTH BEACH S., \$82,000, MTH, 5-25, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m70y, 1:41 2/5, ft.

1--**#NATALIE VICTORIA, 121, m, 6, Indian Ocean--**

Appealing Sunday, by Valid Appeal. O-James A Riccio; B-Paul R & Mary Anne Denes (FL); T-Michelle Nevin; J-Jose L Ortiz. \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 32-10-5-6, \$408,027.

2--**Zucchini Flower, 117, m, 5, Flower Alley--Heathers Promise, by Silver Buck.** O-Albert Frassetto. \$15,000.

3--**Lady Cohiba, 117, m, 5, Broken Vow--Cohiba Miss, by Cat Thief.** (\$240,000 yrl '10 KEESEP). O-Live Oak Plantation. \$7,500.

EATON SALES **SOLD**

Margins: 3HF, 9, NK. Odds: 3.40, 3.30, 1.60.

Natalie Victoria has been a solid performer since being claimed by James A Riccio and new trainer



Natalie Victoria
Equi-Photo

Michelle Nevin off a winning effort in an Aqueduct claimer last December from owner/trainer David Jacobson. The dark bay won two of her next three starts on the Aqueduct inner track, most recently at the optional claiming level Mar. 24, and stepped into stakes company in this spot. Right to the front from the stalls, she raced on

an uncontested lead and came under mild pressure down the backstretch. Natalie Victoria sailed clear in the home straight and took her first stakes win in style. "She broke perfectly and I just let her go right to the front," said winning jockey Jose Ortiz. "No matter how fast or slow she goes, if she gets to the lead she relaxes. She did that today and was strong throughout. The track suited her well as it was a fast-playing track." Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).

5th-MTH, \$41,880, Alw. Opt. Clm. (\$30,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m70y, 1:43, ft.

MAJESTIC RIVER (f, 4, A.P. Indy--Tempus Fugit {MSW & GSP, \$344,471}, by Alphabet Soup, seventh in the Sunland Park Oaks last March, captured a Gulfstream optional claimer 11 months later coming off a layoff.

The bay miss exits a fourth at that level going a mile at there Mar. 27. Sent off at 3-1, Majestic River pressed the pace in second before pouncing on the leader rounding the turn. Three wide heading into the stretch, the 4-year-old asserted late to win geared-down by 7 1/4 lengths. Gnarley Girl (Dehere) was second. Sales history: \$425,000 yrl '11 FTSAUG. Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-0, \$88,138. Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).

O-George Bolton, Barry Lipman & Natrona Racing Stable LLC. B-Briland Farm & Robert & Stacy Mitchell (KY). T-Todd A Pletcher.

Another Big Fish from **BLUEWATER**

4th-MTH, \$35,620, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:43 2/5, gd.

TARNISHED (f, 3, Medaglia d'Oro--Myhrr, by Mr. Prospector), who finished second when making her debut going a mile on the Belmont turf May 3, was the 2-1 favorite for this second attempt. After being bumped at the start, the bay stalked the pace from outside and moved up to take control in the far turn. Mobilize (War Front) tried to chase down the leader, but Tarnished drew away to win by 2 3/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$35,520. Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).

O-Richard Santulli. B-Colts Neck Stables LLC (KY). T-Alan E Goldberg.

Central U.S.

First Winner for Freshman Sire

1st-LAD, \$26,000, Msw, (S), 2yo, f, 4 1/2f, :54 1/5, ft.

+**ELECTRIC KISS (f, 2, Smooth Air--Willowick, by Stormy Atlantic),** the even-money favorite for this unveiling, broke out from her wide draw and stalked the pace from the outside. Moving into contention in the upper stretch, the filly steadily made up ground on front-running Gifted Gabber (Intimidator) and just got her nose in front at the wire. Electric Kiss is the first winner for her freshman sire Smooth Air (by Smooth Jazz), victor of the 2008 GII Hutcheson S. and 2009 GII Gulfstream Park H. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$15,600. Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).

O-Henry B Johnson Jr & Mike McHalfey. B/T-Henry B Johnson Jr (LA).

First Stakes Winner for Freshman Sire

2nd-LSX, \$20,000, Msw, 2yo, 5f, :59, ft.

+**THE LONE ROO (c, 2, Sing Baby Sing--Hollye Lynne {MSW, \$222,820}, by Uncle Abbie),** a 4-1 shot in this unveiling, chased the runaway pacesetter Analog Man (Forestry) from second, reeled in that foe on the turn and powered clear to score by 4 1/2 lengths. The Lone Roo is the first winner for his freshman sire (by Unbridled's Song). Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$12,000.

O/B-Tom R Durant (TX). T-Jack A Bruner.

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Canada

Yesterday's Results:

MARINE S., \$128,843, WOX, 5-25, 3yo, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:44 2/5, ft.

1--#**CONQUEST TOP GUN**, 116, c, 3, by [Pioneerof the Nile](#)

1st Dam: **Early Vintage (SP)**, by **Jump Start**

2nd Dam: **Ms. Cuvee Napa**, by **Relaunch**

3rd Dam: **A Penny Is a Penny**, by **Temperence Hill**

(\$42,000 yrl '12 KEESEP; \$525,000 2yo '13 OBSJUN). O-Conquest Stables, LLC; B-Dixiana Farms LLC (KY); T-Mark E Casse; J-Eurico Rosa Da Silva.

\$69,023. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, \$110,099. *Third stakes winner for sophomore sire (by **Empire Maker**).

Another **Ingordo Bloodstock** Mating Recommendation

LANE'S END Sales Graduate

2--**Ami's Holiday**, 119, c, 3, Harlan's Holiday--Victorious Ami, by **Victory Gallop**. (\$35,000 RNA yrl '12 KEESEP). O-Ivan Dalos. \$27,609.

Another Webb Carroll Training Center Graduate

Registered Ontario-Bred

*3--**Asserting Bear**, 119, c, 3, Bear's Kid--Star Guest, by **Assert (Ire)**. (C\$50,000 yrl '12 ONTSEP). O-Bear Stables Ltd. \$20,247.

Registered Ontario-Bred/CTHS Grad

Margins: HD, 3/4, NK. Odds: 3.05, 3.50, 2.70. Also Ran: Tower of Texas, Puntrooskie, Heart to Heart. *Asserting Bear finished first, but was disqualified and placed third.

Conquest Top Gun, the top-priced lot at last year's OBS June sale, was third at this track in his debut last November. A distant sixth over the Gulfstream lawn in his second outing Feb. 8, the bay colt overcame a slow start and a wide trip to graduate over

Keeneland's Polytrack last time out Apr. 16. Conquest Top Gun rushed up to take the early lead going into the first turn and was pressured by Asserting Bear through fractions of :23.87 and :47.65.

Conquest Top Gun gained a slight advantage in deep stretch, but Asserting Bear was battling back and Ami's Holiday was attempting to split the two foes. Asserting Bear angled in and cut off the rallying challenger before just getting his head in front of Conquest Top Gun on the wire. Ami's Holiday, forced down to the rail, was rallying again along the inside and finished third. The stewards ruled Asserting Bear had impeded Ami's Holiday and disqualified the first-place finisher to third, giving Conquest Top Gun the victory.



Conquest Top Gun (inside) battles Asserting Bear
Michael Burns

"My horse was very anxious to run and the other horse [Asserting Bear] was always beside me, which didn't make my job too easy," admitted winning rider Eurico Rosa da Silva. "I was surprised he went that fast and still kept going. He ran a great race." [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#).

9th-WOX, \$55,994, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:16 2/5, ft.

+ **HOLD THE GOLD** (f, 3, [Street Cry {Ire}](#)--Collect the Cash {GISW, \$430,960}, by **Dynaformer**), debuting without Lasix, was sent off at 5-1. The bay filly settled well off the pace as favored Amethea (Henry Hughes) was involved in a three-way battle for the lead through a quarter in :21.78. Amethea took control after a half in :44 flat, but Hold the Gold was making rapid progress and the Stronach runner surged to the lead with a five-wide move into the lane and powered clear down the lane for an 8 3/4-length victory. Amethea held on for second, 3/4 lengths in front of Slipper Still Fits (Officer). Hold the Gold is out of the Adena homebred Collect the Cash, winner of the 2008 GI Queen Elizabeth II Challenge Cup. She is a half-sister to Stately Victor (Ghostzapper, GISW, \$950,704); and to Smart Penny (Smart Strike, SP, \$149,252). Collect the Cash has an unraced 2-year-old filly by Street Boss and a yearling colt by Malibu Moon. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$30,867. O-Stronach Stables. B-Adena Springs (ON). T-Brian A Lynch.

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First/second-crop starters to watch: Monday, May 25

Sire (Sire's Sire), current farm, 2010 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/BlackTypeWnrs * Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

BENNY THE BULL (Lucky Lionel), Winding Oaks, \$3K, 67/12/0 6-GP, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Benny's Dream, \$5K OBS OPN 2yo, 15-1

[COLONEL JOHN](#) (Tiznow), WinStar, \$15K, 186/24/2

10-CD, Stk, 6f, Southern Honey, \$180K KEE SEP yrl, 8-1

COSA VERA (Dynaformer), 12/0/0

5-DEL, Msw, 4 1/2f, +R. A. Superstar, 8-1

DAKOTA DOC (Storm of the Night), 2/0/0

5-BCF, Stk, 7f, Buzz Beyon, 12-1

DIXIE CHATTER (Dixie Union), Bellena Vista, \$5K, 84/21/1

1-SA, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Dixie Tweet, 8-1

[KODIAK KOWBOY](#) (Posse), WinStar, \$7K, 97/24/1

9-SA, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Smart Typical, 15-1

NASCAR GUY (Unbridled's Song), Dean Hansen Ranch, \$500, 3/0/0

5-BCF, Stk, 7f, Clear Mind, 10-1

SQUARE EDDIE (Smart Strike), Vessels Stallion Farm, 62/10/1

8-SA, Msw, 6f, +Discatonthesquare, 12-1

[U S RANGER](#) (Danzig), WinStar, \$5K, 115/8/1

4-MTH, Msw, 6f, +Sway Benay, 15-1



California

Yesterday's Results:

MIZDIRECTION S., \$82,300, SAX, 5-25, 3yo/up, f/m, a6 1/2fT, 1:13, fm.

1--**SKY HIGH GAL**, 124, f, 4, [Leroidesanimaux \(Brz\)](#)--**Shahrazad Sky**, by Sky Classic. (\$11,000 yrl '11 FTKOCT; \$30,000 2yo '12 OBSJUN). O-Hronis Racing LLC; B-Liberation Farm & Brandywine Farm (KY); T-John W Sadler; J-Mike E Smith. \$46,800. Lifetime Record: GSP, 9-5-1-1, \$232,533.

Foaled & Raised by Brandywine Farm (Jim & Pam Robinson)

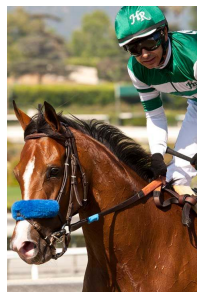
2--**Biorhythm**, 122, f, 4, Malibu Moon--Mystic Rhythms, by Citidancer. (\$300,000 yrl '11 FTSAUG). O-Glen Hill Farm. \$15,600.

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3--**Qiaona**, 124, f, 4, Wilko--Starlet Sky, by Skywalker. (\$4,500 yrl '11 BESOCT). O-Curt & Lila Lanning. \$12,060.

Margins: 1 1/4, 1HF, 1. Odds: 5.30, 4.80, 9.40.

Sky High Gal capped a three-race win streak with a victory in the 2013 Blue Norther S. in her first outing for trainer John Sadler. She concluded a three-race 2013 campaign with a fourth-place effort in the GIII Senator Ken Maddy S. and returned this term with a narrow front-running victory in the Feb. 9 Wishing Well S. down-the-hill turf course and she was a narrowly beaten third in the Apr. 12 GIII Las Cienegas S. last time out. Sky High Gal broke alertly and led early. She ceded the advantage to Biorhythm and tracked from second she pounced to the lead as that foe began to tire and inched clear.



Sky High Gal
Benoit

"She jumped out of there extremely well, so I let her do what she wanted the first hundred yards and we picked up a good rhythm," said winning rider Mike Smith. "I saw the Proctor horse [Biorhythm] come up on my outside and I was happy about that. She seemed pretty rank though and in the bridle, so I didn't want to go head and head and set it up for a closer. I surrendered the lead a little bit and gave my filly a second wind and if she was good enough, she was good enough, and she was." [Click for the **brisnet.com** chart or VIDEO.](#)

5th-SAX, \$57,086, Msw, 3/up, a6 1/2fT, 1:13 2/5, fm. **TAELYN'S PRINCE** (g, 3, [English Channel](#)--Chaposa Springs {MGIW, \$762,115}, by Baldski) opened his career with a pair of runner-up efforts last summer and had been off since running fifth over this course last October. Sent off at 4-1 in the return, the bay gelding pulled his way to press the early pace, fell back to a stalking second into the lane and reeled in pacesetter Superlooper (Discreet Cat) in the final strides to win going away by 1 1/4 lengths. Sales history: \$20,000 RNA yrl '12 KEESEP. [Click for the **brisnet.com** chart or VIDEO.](#) Lifetime Record: 4-1-2-0, \$59,960.

O-Val-U-Chem Inc. B-Bluegrass Hall (KY). T-Jeff Mullins.

4th-SAX, \$56,250, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:38 1/5, ft.

SHAPELY (f, 3, Empire Maker--Karis Makaw {MSW, \$159,182}, by Charismatic), second on the turf here first out Mar. 22, finished third going 1 1/16 miles over the main track May 1. Sent off at 4-5, the dark bay set an unhurried pace early. Pressed from multiple rivals around the final bend, she shook off those rivals and just lasted to score by 3/4 of a length from a closing Live for Now (Tiznow). Sales history: \$200,000 yrl '12 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, \$51,520. [Click for the **brisnet.com** chart or VIDEO.](#)

O-Jay Em Ess Stable. B-Siena Farms (KY). T-Ronald W Ellis.

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TODAY'S INSIGHTS

2:39p 5th-MTH, \$40K, Msw, 3yo/up, 6f

HR/TVG Todd Pletcher unveils Stonestreet Stables and George Bolton's **PURR IMAGINATION** ([Bernardini](#)) in this spot. A half sibling to GSW Cause to Believe (Maria's Mon), the dark bay's second dam is GISW Cuddles (Mr. Prospector) and his dam is a full sister to MGSW Katz Me If You Can (Storm Cat). Also related to MGSW Buffythecenterfold (Capote), Purr Imagination displays a speedy worktab in preparation for this debut. [Brisnet.com PPs.](#)

4:49p 9th-CD, \$50K, Msw, 3yo/up, 5fT

HR/TVG Mike McCarty's **RED SOLID PERFECT** ([Street Cry {Ire}](#)) makes his career bow for trainer Steve Asmussen in this test. The chestnut's dam is GISW Set Play (Van Nistelrooy) and he is also related to GSWs With A Twist (Fappiano) and Hello Liberty (Forest Camp). [Brisnet.com PPs.](#)

5:15p 4th-GG, \$35K, Alw, 3yo/up, 6f

HR/TVG Last term's champion juvenile **SHARED BELIEF** ([Candy Ride {Arg}](#)) makes his highly anticipated return in this event for trainer Jerry Hollendorfer. Now owned by Jungle Racing LLC, KMN Racing LLC, Hollendorfer, Litt Solis II and Todaro, the undefeated dark bay graduated by seven lengths on debut here last October for previous trainer Jedd Josephson and breeders Pam and Martin Wygod. Purchased by these connections following that start, he won the GIII Hollywood Prevue S. by a similar margin Nov. 10 and was last seen dominating once again in the GI Cash Call Futurity Dec. 14. [Brisnet.com PPs.](#)

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Ireland

Yesterday's Results:

1st-CUR, €18,000, Mdn, 2yo, c/g, 6fT, 1:21.16, hy.
INTENSE STYLE (IRE) (c, 2, Intense Focus--Style Queen {Ire}, by Galileo {Ire}), who ran third here May 4 and fourth at Naas May 14 in his two prior goes, employed patient tactics off the clear leader in fourth after a sharp exit in this one. Making headway approaching the final quarter mile, the 20-1 chance led passing the eighth pole and was driven out late to score by 1 1/4 lengths from Dick Whittington (Ire) (Rip Van Winkle {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, €15,670. [VIDEO](#), [courtesy attheraces.com](#).

O-Mrs J S Bolger. B-Jim Bolger & John Corcoran (IRE). T-Jim Bolger.

8th-CUR, €15,000, Mdn, 3yo/up, 10fT, 2:20.29, sf.
TABLE ROCK (IRE) (c, 3, [Fastnet Rock {Aus}](#)--Small Sacrifice {Ire}, by Sadler's Wells), runner-up for the third time over a mile at Navan a week previously, was settled in behind the leaders early. Gaining the lead with a furlong remaining, the 5-4 favorite wandered in front but was always in control en route to a 1 1/2-length success from Starchitect (Ire) (Sea the Stars {Ire}). Annus Mirabilis (Ire) (Montjeu {Ire}), the three-quarter-brother to Ruler of the World (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) and half to Duke of Marmalade (Ire) (Danehill), started slowly and plugged on into fifth. Lifetime Record: 4-1-3-0, €16,926. [VIDEO](#), [courtesy attheraces.com](#). O-Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith & Mrs John Magnier. B-Whisperview Trading Ltd (Ire). T-Aidan O'Brien.

France

Yesterday's Results:

PRIX DE L'AVRE-Listed, €55,000, LON, 5-25, 3yo, 12fT, 2:43.47, sf.
1--#GOLDEN GUEPARD (IRE), 128, c, 3, by [Hurricane Run \(Ire\)](#)
1st Dam: Grey Lilas (Ire) (G1SW-Fr, \$553,665), by Danehill
2nd Dam: Kenmist (GB), by Kenmare (Fr)
3rd Dam: Mistral's Collette (Ire), by Simply Great (Fr)
 O-Gestut Ammerland; B-Ammerland Verwaltung Gmbh (Ire); T-Andre Fabre; J-Maxime Guyon. €27,500. Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 3 wins, 2 places, €76,600. *1/2 to Golden Lilac (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), MG1SW-Fr, \$1,479,042.
2--Behesht (Fr), 128, c, 3, Sea the Stars (Ire)--Behkara (Ire, by Kris (GB)). O-H H The Aga Khan. B-H H The Aga Khan's Studs SC (Fr). T-Alain de Royer-Dupre. €11,000.
3--Oak Harbour (GB), 128, c, 3, Sinndar (Ire)--Onega Lake (Ire), by Peintre Celebre. O-Wildenstein Stables Ltd. B-All Along LLC (GB). T-Alain de Royer-Dupre. €8,250.
 Margins: 2HF, HD, 1 1/4. Odds: 0.80, 1.90, 6.70.
 Also Ran: Sizing Stars (GB).

Golden Guepard boasted an unbeaten freshman record, prevailing in an Oct. 3 maiden at Compiegne and a one-mile conditions heat here Oct. 27. The homebred bay opened this campaign with a runner-up finish in the Mar. 30 Listed Prix Francois Mathet at Saint-Cloud and returned there to finish fourth in the May 3 G2 Prix Greffulhe last time. Positioned second behind little more than a crawl before easing closer as the tempo increased on the approach to the straight, he assumed command passing the two pole and was ridden clear to register a first black-type score in impressive fashion. [Click for the Racing Post result.](#) [Equidia VIDEO](#).

1st-LON, €34,000, Cond, 3yo, 8 1/2fT, 1:51.51, sf.
VISORIYNA (GB) (f, 3, [Dansili {GB}](#)--Visorama {Ire} {GSW & G1SP-Fr, \$181,554}, by Linamix {Fr}), runner-up at Bordeaux-le-Bouscat last time Apr. 12, was reined back to race second after an alert getaway here. Easing closer on the bridle in the straight, the 21-10 second favorite quickened smartly to seize control with 300 meters remaining and ran on strongly thereafter to comfortably best Glorieux (Fr) (Dunkerque {Fr}) by 1 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 2 wins, 3 places, €42,900. [Click for Equidia VIDEO](#). O-H H The Aga Khan. B-H H The Aga Khan's Studs SC (GB). T-Jean-Claude Rouget.

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STAKES RESULTS:

LOUISIANA LEGENDS SOIREE S., \$100,000, EVD, 5-24, (S), 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:37 3/5, fm.
1--ALL WOMAN, 122, f, 3, Half Ours--Knight Woman (MSW, \$515,376), by El Mandingo. O-Roy Investments LLC; B-Delmar R Caldwell (LA); T-Velton Vidrine; J-Billy Charles Patin. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 11-4-4-2, \$246,760.
2--Our Quista, 118, f, 3, Half Ours--Quista, by Conquistador Cielo. (\$3,000 RNA yrl '12 LTBSEP). O-Eugenia Thompson & Hickory Stables. \$19,000.
3--Closing Report, 124, f, 3, Closing Argument--Majestic Report, by Corporate Report. (\$36,000 yrl '12 LTBSEP; \$95,000 2yo '13 TEXMAR). O-Stephen R Brown. \$10,000.
 Margins: HF, HD, NO. Odds: 2.90, 4.90, 5.10.



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LOUISIANA LEGENDS MADEMOISELLE S., \$100,000, EVD, 5-24, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:03 2/5, ft.

1--**SNAPPY GIRL, 123, f, 4, Student Council--Snap to It, by Honour and Glory.** (\$8,200 wnlg '10 TEXDEC; \$9,000 RNA yrl '11 TEXAUG; \$65,000 2yo '12 TEXMAR). O-Jerry Namy; B-Millennium Farms at Moon Lake (LA); T-Karl Broberg; J-Diego Saenz. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 15-6-2-1, \$206,321. *1/2 to Dreamintowin (Woke Up Dreamin), SW-PR, \$112,209.

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2--**Blessed Immaculata, 120, m, 5, Macho Uno--Lavender Sea, by Woodman.** (\$5,000 yrl '10 LTBSEP; \$20,000 2yo '11 TEXMAR). O-Byron N King. \$18,000.

3--**Lady Grantham, 117, f, 3, Yankee Gentleman--Yes It's Gold, by Yes It's True.** O-J David Richardson & Sandra New. \$10,000.

Margins: 1 1/4, 1 1/4, HF. Odds: 3.30, 4.80, 6.20.

LOUISIANA LEGENDS CHEVAL S., \$100,000, EVD, 5-24, (S), 3yo, 1mT, 1:37, fm.

1--**#DREWSSASIN, 119, c, 3, Freud--Woodman's Prize, by Prized.** (\$32,000 yrl '12 ESLSEP). O-Norman Stables LLC; B-Tom Curtis & Wayne Simpson (LA); T-Lonnie Briley; J-Tracy J Hebert. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-0, \$106,100. *1/2 to Collateral Damage (Cobra King), MSP, \$279,720; Grace Happens (Aptitude), SP, \$187,063.

2--**Da House, 117, g, 3, Yankee Gentleman--Derby Debut, by Royal Strand (Ire).** (\$14,000 yrl '12 LTBSEP). O-Robert E Orth & Wesley Hawley. \$18,000.

3--**Let Me In, 119, g, 3, Any Given Saturday--Star of Glory, by Unbridled.** (\$25,000 RNA wnlg '11 KEENOV; \$25,000 yrl '12 ESLSEP). O-Brittlyn Stable Inc. \$10,000.

Margins: 2, 2HF, 1 1/4. Odds: 9.50, 12.90, 5.00.

LOUISIANA LEGENDS DISTAFF S., \$100,000, EVD, 5-24, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:45 1/5, ft.

1--**TENSAS HARBOR, 117, f, 4, Private Vow--Harbor Princess, by Boston Harbor.** (\$11,000 yrl '11 TEXAUG). O-Cantrell Family Partnership; B-Curt Leake (LA); T-J Keith Desormeaux; J-Colby J Hernandez. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 18-6-5-1, \$326,450.

2--**Little Ms Protocol, 116, m, 5, El Corredor--Character Builder, by Coronado's Quest.** O-Coteau Grove Farms LLC. \$20,000.

3--**She Loves Runnin', 120, f, 4, Run Production--Zarb's Love, by Zarbyev.** O-Oak Leaf TC LP. \$10,000.

Margins: 2HF, 1 1/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 3.20, 2.30, 19.30.

LOUISIANA LEGENDS SPRINT S., \$100,000, EVD, 5-24, (S), 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:03 1/5, ft.

1--**HEITAI, 125, g, 4, Fusaichi Pegasus--Sparkles of Luck (MSW, \$160,165), by Mr. Sparkles.** O/B-Rowell Enterprises Inc (LA); T-Karl Broberg; J-Diego Saenz. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 20-9-4-3, \$499,943. *1/2 to Muffin (Smart Strike), MSP, \$241,414.

2--**Marv in Lafitte, 120, g, 4, Brahms--Rendezvous Sioux, by Cherokee Run.** (\$15,000 yrl '11 KEESEP; \$60,000 2yo '12 OBSJUN). O-Keith Plaisance. \$18,000.

3--**Strong and Tough, 120, g, 6, Good and Tough--Hija de Plata, by Slew City Slew.** O-Riceland Racing Stables LLC. \$10,000.

Margins: 2, 1HF, 1. Odds: 0.60, 2.60, 22.40.

LOUISIANA LEGENDS TURF S., \$100,000, EVD, 5-24, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:44 2/5, fm.

1--**#SKIPBERRY WINE, 117, g, 5, Skip Away--My Strawberry Wine, by Excavate.** (\$7,000 RNA 2yo '11 OBSJUN). O/B-James W Green (LA); T-Samuel Breau; J-Gerard Melancon. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 15-5-1-4, \$173,786.

2--**Hopeful Notion, 120, g, 4, Notional--Hope For, by Rahy.** (\$25,000 wnlg '10 KEENOV). O-Autumn Hill Farms Racing Stables Inc. \$20,000.

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3--**Benwill, 120, h, 5, Leestown--Dynaspice, by Dynaformer.** O-Oak Leaf TC LP. \$10,000.

Margins: HF, HF, 2HF. Odds: 5.20, 3.80, 0.80.

LOUISIANA LEGENDS CLASSIC S., \$100,000, EVD, 5-24, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:44 1/5, ft.

1--**SUNBEAN, 125, g, 4, Brahms--X Strawdnair, by Malagra.** O/B-Brittlyn Stable Inc (LA); T-Ron Fauchaux; J-Richard E Eramia. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: GSP, 15-9-2-1, \$634,900. *1/2 to Mean Butterbean (My Friend Max), MSP, \$223,850; Brother Bean (My Friend Max), MSW, \$434,460; Miss Bean Wah (Afternoon Deelites), SW, \$205,890; Beanwah'smachine (Successful Appeal), MSW, \$177,152.

2--**Heavy On Themister, 117, g, 6, Lion Tamer--Twinwinwin, by Twining.** O-Peter L Cantrell. \$20,000.

3--**Arkansas Martini, 116, g, 5, Alyzig--Maggio, by Joy's Report.** O-Roustabout Racing Stables. \$11,000.

Margins: 5, 4, 2HF. Odds: 0.05, 18.90, 8.20.

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PRAIRIE EXPRESS S., \$75,000, PRM, 5-24, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09 2/5, ft.

1--**ALSVID, 114, g, 5, Officer--Reagle Mary, by Afternoon Deelites.** (\$55,000 2yo '11 OBSAPR). O-Black Hawk Stable (James Rogers); B-Yanagawa Stud LTD (KY); T-Chris A Hartman; J-Ken S Tohill. \$45,000. Lifetime Record: GSP, 23-10-6-2, \$678,215.

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2--**Apprehender, 120, g, 5, Posse--Missy's Mirage, by Stop the Music.** (\$21,000 yrl '10 KEESEP). O-Dream Farm LLC. \$15,000.

3--**Bobcat Jim, 118, c, 4, Sharp Humor--Glimmer, by Deputy Minister.** (\$165,000 yrl '11 KEESEP; \$150,000 2yo '12 FTMMAY). O-Dream Walkin Farms Inc. \$7,500.

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2 Year Old Sale Graduate of Hartley De Renzo

Margins: HF, 3 1/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 0.50, 4.10, 13.60.

ITS BINN TOO LONG S., \$50,950, CTX, 5-24, (S), 3yo, f, 4 1/2f, :52 4/5, ft.

1--**#POCKET GIFT, 120, f, 3, Great Notion--Anachini, by Forest Camp.** O/B-Silverton Hill LLC (WV); T-Jeff C Runco; J-J D Acosta. \$30,570. Lifetime Record: 9-3-2-1, \$98,676.

2--**Practical Ideas, 120, f, 3, Prospect Bay--Nine Carats, by Langfuhr.** O-C Allen Johnson. \$10,190.

3--**Joanne Elizabeth, 120, f, 3, Luftikus--Cross Creek Rosie, by Castine.** O-Edward R Krishack. \$5,605.

Margins: NK, NK, 3 3/4. Odds: 2.10, 1.10, 3.90.

FIRST LADY H., \$50,000, RUI, 5-25, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 1/5, ft.

1--**HARD TO RESIST, 119, m, 6, Johannesburg--Anja, by Gulch.** (\$20,000 wing '08 KEENOV; \$35,000 yrl '09 KEESEP). O-J Kirk & Judy Robison; B-Joan Murphy-Leopoldsberger (KY); T-Henry Dominguez; J-Enrique Portillo Gomez. \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 27-5-4-4, \$284,538.

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2--**Cottagecupcake, 120, f, 4, Stormello--M G on Tap, by Pleasant Tap.** O-Champion Racing Stable & M HCarson. \$11,000.

3--**Bright Town, 119, f, 4, Speightstown--Brite Diamond, by Deputy Minister.** (\$7,000 yrl '11 KEESEP). O-Tricar Stables, Inc. \$5,000.

Margins: 1, 1, HF. Odds: 2.30, 1.20, 7.70.



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PRAIRIE ROSE S., \$50,000, PRM, 5-24, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 1/5, ft.

1--**AMERICAN SUGAR, 117, f, 4, Harlan's Holiday--I Love America, by Quiet American.** (\$15,000 yrl '11 KEESEP). O-Poindexter Thoroughbreds LLC; B-Fares Farm LLC (KY); T-Lynn Chleborad; J-Alex Birzer. \$30,000. Lifetime Record: GSP, 21-7-0-4, \$265,901. * 1/2 to Love to Run (Pulpit), SP, \$206,870.

LANE'S END Sales Graduate

2--**Canopy Lane, 116, f, 4, Forestry--Casse, by Broken Vow.** (\$14,000 RNA wnlg '10 KEENOV; \$50,000 RNA yrl '11 FTSAUG). O-Shawn Schabel. \$10,000.

3--**Cruzette, 114, f, 4, War Pass--Summer Cruise, by Vicar.** (\$50,000 yrl '11 KEESEP; \$42,000 RNA 2yo '12 BESMAR; \$39,000 2yo '12 FTMMAY). O-Jackie Rojas. \$5,000.

LANE'S END Bred, Raised and Sold

Margins: 3/4, NO, 1 3/4. Odds: 3.00, 13.50, 11.20.

INAUGURAL S., \$40,000, ARP, 5-25, 3yo, 6f, 1:12 2/5, ft.

1--**#IMA HAPPY STRIKE, 122, g, 3, Smart Strike--More Happy (GSW, \$133,438), by Vindication.** (\$18,000 2yo '13 OBSMAR; \$80,000 RNA yrl '12 KEESEP). O-Donna Eaton; B-Hill 'n' Dale Equine Holdings Inc & Gaines-Gentry Thoroughbreds (KY); T-Dwain Eaton; J-Travis Wales. \$40,000. Lifetime Record: 10-3-1-3, \$103,926.

Co-Bred and Consigned by Hill 'n' Dale

2--**Alsono, 124, c, 3, Limehouse--Miss Blue Grass, by St. Jovite.** (\$48,000 RNA HRA '13 FTKJU2). O-Tony Pennington.

3--**Blackout, 120, g, 3, Orientate--Fall Fantasy, by Menifee.** (\$15,000 yrl '12 KEESEP). O-Eli Diamant & Brandon Valentini.

HELL YEAH! VanMeter Sales

Margins: NO, 1, 5 3/4. Odds: 5.00, 0.80, 15.60.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

4th-BEL, \$62,000, NW1\$X, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:52 1/5, gd.

CAMPOGIOVANNI (g, 4, Grand Slam--Princess Dixie {MSW, \$513,289}, by Dixie Brass) Lifetime Record: 11-2-2-2, \$124,174. O-Tina Marie Bond. B-CBF Corporation (NY). T-H James Bond.

7th-WOX, \$54,746, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW3L, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f (AWT), 1:10, ft.

SHE AIN'T BAD (f, 3, Where's the Ring--She Ain't Much, by Phone Trick) Lifetime Record: 4-3-1-0, \$99,664. O-3 Sons Racing Stable Ltd. B-Ericka Rusnak (ON). T-Robert P Tiller. *C\$38,000 yrl '12 ONTSEP. ** 1/2 to Quick Code (Omega Code), SW, \$256,828.

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1st-PIM, \$51,688, Opt. Clm. (\$32,000-\$28,000), C, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:41 3/5, fm.

NASHLY'S VOW (m, 6, [Broken Vow](#)--Nashly {MSP, \$103,215}, by Island Whirl) Lifetime Record: 10-4-3-2, \$139,072. O-Howard M Bender. B-Sondra & Howard M Bender (MD). T-Lawrence E Murray. *1/2 to Cruise Along (Runaway Groom), MSW, \$272,640; Reckless Runner (Cherokee Run), SP, \$154,910.

9th-PIM, \$42,809, NW1X, 3yo/up, 5fT, :56 2/5, fm. **MAKE MY SATURDAY (g, 4, Any Given Saturday--Exciting Justice {SW}, by Glitterman)** Lifetime Record: 9-2-1-2, \$67,700. O-J Christopher Everett. B-WinStar Farm LLC (KY). T-Timothy J Tullock Jr. *\$45,000 yrl '11 KEESEP.

AMERICA'S BEST SELLERS...TAYLOR MADE

7th-CBY, \$39,000, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:43 1/5, fm. **TALKIN BOUT (m, 5, Yonaguska--Ma Home Cat {SW & MSP, \$125,518}, by Tomorrows Cat)** Lifetime Record: MSP, 15-5-5-1, \$149,292. O/B-Camelia J Casby (MN). T-Gary M Scherer.

1st-GGX, \$38,820. Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW1\$X, 3yo, 6f (AWT), 1:10 4/5, ft.

HYPNATIQUE (c, 3, [Scat Daddy](#)--More Mascara {SP, \$114,146}, by Genuine Guy) Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-1, \$55,225. O/B-Rhianon Farms Inc & Gloria Haley Smith (CA). T-Gloria Haley.

9th-GGX, \$37,140, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW1\$X, 3yo/up, 5fT, :57, fm.

EXOTIC SLEW (g, 5, Bertrando--Exotic Wishes, by A.P. Indy) Lifetime Record: SP, 26-3-7-2, \$160,594. O-Curt & Lila Lanning. B-Pam & Martin Wygod (CA). T-Ed Moger Jr. *\$22,000 yrl '10 BESOCT.

1st-MNR, \$37,100, 3yo/up, f/m, 7fT, 1:21 2/5, fm. **MIRACLE IN MAY (m, 8, Songandaprayer--Logia, by Bon Point {GB})** Lifetime Record: 50-16-6-4, \$224,684. O/T-Loren G Cox. B-Marion G Montanari (FL). *\$30,000 wlng '06 OBSOCT; \$20,000 yrl '07 KEESEP.

4th-PID, \$35,100, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m (AWT), 1:38 3/5, ft.

MISS TAPIT (m, 5, [Tapit](#)--Summer of Seventy, by El Prado {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 14-4-0-3, \$73,335. O-Daniel J Feiss. B-Oak Haven Farm (KY). T-J Michael Rogers. *\$25,000 yrl '10 KEESEP.

AMERICA'S BEST SELLERS...TAYLOR MADE

8th-PRX, \$34,600, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:38 3/5, ft.

WISE MINISTER (c, 3, [Curlin](#)--Take a Check {GSP, \$467,510}, by Touch Gold) Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-1, \$65,284. O/B-Fitzhugh LLC (PA). T-Michael J Trombetta.

5th-CBY, \$33,000, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 7 1/2fT, 1:31, fm.

ENLIGHTENED (m, 5, Larry the Legend--Glimmering, by Moscow Ballet) Lifetime Record: SW, 29-8-4-2, \$98,548. O-Windy Lea Farms. B-Robert Englekirk, Craig A & Lawrence Lewis (CA). T-Valorie Lund.

8th-PRM, \$32,816, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 3/5, my.

DIAMOND DISCO (m, 5, Diamond--Alley's Account, by Alamocitos) Lifetime Record: MSP, 24-5-6-5, \$146,258. O/B-7 Cedars Farm (OK). T-Clinton C Stuart.

7th-CTX, \$31,000, 5-24, C, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:26 3/5, ft.

DOWN TOWN ALLEN (m, 7, Windsor Castle--Like Down Town, by Roy) Lifetime Record: MSW, 37-21-5-4, \$842,067. O/T-John A Casey. B-John Allen Casey (WV).

6th-PRM, \$30,500, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1m70y, 1:42 1/5, my.

DOCTOR PETER (g, 4, [Student Council](#)--Golden Monarch, by Wavering Monarch) Lifetime Record: 18-4-2-5, \$111,350. O-Hooties Racing. B-Millennium Farms & Littlebrother Farm (KY). T-Doug L Anderson.

6th-CBY, \$28,500, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m70y, 1:44 2/5, ft.

BOX OFFICE APPEAL (f, 4, Catienus--Her Royal Nibs {MSP, \$244,852}, by Formal Gold) Lifetime Record: 19-2-3-3, \$54,888. O-Anthony J Didier. B-Kenneth L & Sarah K Ramsey (KY). T-Bruce L Riecken.

5th-CTX, \$27,000, 5-24, NW3L, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 4 1/2f, :53 1/5, ft.

LUCKY CANDY (f, 4, Luftikus--Candy One, by Yankee Victor) Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-1, \$57,790. O-Taylor Mountain Farm LLC. B/T-James W Casey (WV). *1/2 to Greenway Court (Windsor Castle), MSW, \$204,290.

2nd-MNR, \$25,300, NW3L, 3/up, 1mT, 1:36 2/5, fm.

MANAUS (c, 3, [Stroll](#)--Catch This Cat, by Cat Thief) Lifetime Record: 10-2-1-4, \$101,060. O-Equinox Inc. B-Greenwich Cattle Company (KY). T-Eduardo Caramori. *\$3,000 yrl '12 FTKOCT. **Winner ran without Lasix.

1st-LSX, \$23,000, Opt. Clm. (\$35,000), C, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 1/5, ft.

IVAN FALLUNOVALOT (g, 4, Valid Expectations--Flashdance Missy, by Horse Chestnut {Saf}) Lifetime Record: 11-6-1-1, \$110,710. O-Lewis E Mathews Jr. B-Eileen H Hartis (TX). T-W T Howard.

7th-CRC, \$22,050, NW1X, 3yo, 1m70y, 1:47 1/5, ft.

SHIVA CURLIN (c, 3, [Curlin](#)--Cavan Thunder {SP}, by Jump Start) Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, \$33,700. O-Sherry Racing Inc. B-Don & Beccie Ming (KY). T-Bisnath Parboo. *\$3,500 yrl '12 KEEJAN; \$37,000 2yo '13 OBSAPR.



6th-LSX, \$22,000, 5-24, NW3L, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:36, fm.

L'AIR DU TEMPS (m, 5, Smoke Glacken--G K Gems Ruby Boo, by Elusive Quality) Lifetime Record: 20-3-5-4, \$64,976. O-Danny Keene. B-Burden Creek Farm & Clifton Farm (KY). T-Joseph P Smith. *\$17,000 yrl '10 KEEJAN; \$29,000 RNA yrl '10 KEESEP.

3rd-TDN, \$22,100, NW2L, (S), 3/up, f/m, 1m, 1:42 4/5, ft.

ZIPZIPAROO (f, 4, City Zip--Roo Roo, by Meadowlake) Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-1, \$26,454. O-Langsem Farm Inc & Blazing Meadows Farm LLC. B-Langsem Farm Inc & Leslie Stone (OH). T-Timothy E Hamm.

7th-LSX, \$21,000, NW1X, (S), 3/up, 1m, 1:40 2/5, sy. EARLY HOT WATER (g, 3, Early Flyer--Aguascalientes, by Captain Bodgit) Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, \$31,190. O-Ken Murphy Thoroughbreds Ltd. B-Kenneth Murphy (TX). T-Robert A Young.

3rd-LSX, \$21,000, NW1X, (S), 3/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft. SCOOTER'S CHOICE (f, 3, Too Much Bling--Fast Find, by Mineshaft) Lifetime Record: SW, 8-2-4-1, \$102,461. O-Wayne Sanders & Larry Hirsch. B-W S Farish (TX). T-W Bret Calhoun. *\$13,000 yrl '12 TEXAUG.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ **Silverhill, g, 2, Silver City--Indian Nation, by Pleasant Tap.** LSX, 5-24, (S), 5f, :58 3/5. B-Clarence Scharbauer Jr (TX). *Third winner for freshman sire (by Unbridled's Song).

Diamonds Are B F F, f, 3, Alphabet Soup--Executive Diamond, by Bold Executive. WOX, 5-25, (S), 6f (AWT), 1:11 1/5. B-Paul Buttigieg (ON). *C\$25,000 RNA yrl '12 ONTSEP. **1/2 to Heyahohowdy (Domasca Dan), MSW, \$671,240.

Como Mi Padre, c, 3, Borrego--Evasive, by Elusive Quality. SAX, 5-25, (C), 1m, 1:39. B-Gatewood Bell, Kieran McLaughlin & John A Marulli (KY). *\$30,000 yrl '12 KEESEP.

Downtown Kid, g, 3, City Weekend--Matter of Style, by West Acre. IND, 5-24, (S), 6f, 1:14 1/5. B-Mast Thoroughbreds LLC (IN).

Seely Rose, f, 3, Corinthian--Unbridled Contessa, by Unbridled's Song. PRM, 5-24, (S), 6f, 1:10 4/5. B-Lloyd Debruycker (IA). *SP.

Lynx, g, 3, Curlin--Silver Bird (SW & GSP, \$539,329), by Lit De Justice. PRX, 5-25, 1m, 1:37 4/5. B-Jim McAlpine & Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC (ON). *\$28,000 yrl '12 KEESEP; \$150,000 2yo '13 OBSAPR.

Hidden Brook raised & sold for Jim McAlpine

STONESTREET BRED

Cashmere Cat, c, 3, Discreet Cat--Satin and Lace, by Kissin Kris. BEL, 5-25, (C), 1mT, 1:38. B-C Kidder, N Cole & W Betz (KY). *\$80,000 yrl '12 FTKJUL.

Durango Flier, c, 3, Good Journey--Cantina's Rose, by Decarchy. SAX, 5-24, (S), 1mT, 1:37 2/5. B-B&B Zietz Stables Inc (CA). *\$40,000 yrl '12 BESOCT.

Kip Elser's KIRKWOOD STABLES

Miss Mandalay, f, 3, Kipling--Brief Encounter, by Lion Hearted. PID, 5-25, 1m (AWT), 1:41 4/5. B-William M Backer Revocable Trust (PA). *\$45,000 RNA 2yo '13 FTMMAY.

Senior Prom, f, 3, Mr. Greeley--Very Very (SW, \$187,009), by Royal Academy. CDX, 5-25, 1 1/16m, 1:45 1/5. B-Mckee Stables Inc (KY). *\$145,000 RNA yrl '12 FTSAUG; \$45,000 RNA yrl '12 FTKOCT.

+ **Afoolsbrokenheart, f, 3, Mutakddim--Don't Blame Wayne, by Wayne's Crane.** LSX, 5-25, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:06 3/5. B-Three Feathers Farm (TX).

Callana, f, 4, Dynaformer--Quite a Bride (MGSW, \$878,881), by Stormy Atlantic. GPX, 5-25, 1 1/16mT, 1:41 4/5. B-Haras Santa Maria de Araras S A (KY). *\$120,000 RNA yrl '11 KEESEP.

Kiwi Notion, g, 4, Great Notion--Modena Bay (NZ) (SW & GSP, \$104,860), by Volksraad (GB). CDX, 5-25, (C), 1m, 1:37 1/5. B-Tom Hamilton (KY).

Change Anything, g, 4, Harlington--Razzi Cat, by Storm Cat. LSX, 5-24, 1 1/16mT, 1:45 2/5. B-J Stuart, P Bance, J Amling & C Noell (KY). *\$37,000 yrl '11 FTKJUL. **1/2 to Rocking Trick (Arg) (Phone Trick), MG1SW-Arg; Randy Cat (Arg) (Roy), MG1SW-Arg.

+ **Explosive Leah, f, 4, Silent Name (Jpn)--Explosive Story, by Radio Star.** WOX, 5-25, (S), 6f (AWT), 1:11 1/5. B-HJT Racing Stable (ON). *C\$10,000 yrl '11 ONTSEP. **No Lasix.

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ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Archange (Fr), f, 2, Arcano (Ire)--Carinae (MSP-US & SP-Eng), by Nureyev. CTB, 5-24, 5 1/2fT, 1:07.97. B-Ashbrittle Stud (Fr). *€17,000 yrl '13 ARQOCT. **Second winner for freshman sire (by Oasis Dream {GB}).

Vaasa (Ire), c, 3, Dalakhani (Ire)--La Sylphide (Swi) (GSW-Fr), by Baratheia (Ire). CTB, 5-24, 13fT, 2:54.53. B-Darley (Ire). *1/2 to Expansion (Maria's Mon), MGSW & MGISP-US, \$581,924; Monday Show (Maria's Mon), SP-Ger.

Spiritueux (Ire), c, 3, Invincible Spirit (Ire)--Stormina (MSW-US & GSP-Fr, \$273,572), by Gulch. CTB, 5-24, 9f 165yT, 2:07. B-Wertheimer & Frere (Ire). *1/2 to Silasol (Ire) (Monsun {Ger}), Co-Hwt. 2yo Filly & MG1SW-Fr, \$640,505.

Virgin Island (Ger), f, 3, Peintre Celebre--Venetian Beauty, by Lear Fan. CTB, 5-24, 9f 165yT, 2:07.79. B-Dayton Investments Ltd (Ger).

Ephraim (GB), g, 3, Rail Link (GB)--Enrica (GB) (GSP-Ity), by Niniski. MUL, 5-24, 11fT, 2:21.11. B-Gestut Rottgen (GB). *€52,000 RNA yrl '12 BBAAUG. **1/2 to Enora (Ger) (Noverre), G1SW-Ger, \$304,156; Egerton (Ger) (Groom Dancer), MGSW & MG1SP-Ger, \$705,874; Ephigenie (Ire) (Groom Dancer), SW-Ger.

Happy Memorial Day!