



# **NO DERBY FOR SALES-BOUND VIREN'S ARMY**



Viren's Army has been entered in the Goffs London Sale | Racing Post

Middleham Park Racing's Viren's Army (Ire) (Twirling Candy) will not be supplemented to the G1 Investec Derby and is set to be entered in the Goffs London Sale June 13. The 3-year-old rose to prominence when upsetting the Listed Dee S. at Chester May 6, but Tim Palin, racing manager for Middleham Park, said the ownership group voted against putting up the £75,000 to supplement for the Derby.

"A few of the owners were undecided about supplementing, but they've had their vote and decided not to," Palin said. "It's a prohibitive figure and he's 25-1 to win. If he was around 6-1, the maths would probably stack up. There's the Italian Derby and the Irish Derby that he could in run, but there's only one Derby, I know."

Palin noted that Viren's Army holds entries Friday's Listed Cocked Hat S. at Goodwood and Sunday's G3 Gallinule S. at The Curragh, but said the colt would take up neither engagement.

"His next date in public is at the Goffs sale on the eve of Royal Ascot and he has an entry in the [G3] Tercentenary S. [at Royal Ascot June 16]. We will test the waters and if he doesn't make his reserve, he will run in the Tercentenary," Palin said.

Viren's Army will be offered with his Tercentenary entry, so should he be sold, he will be eligible to run in his new owners' colours. Cont. p2

#### ASCOT DOUBTS FOR THE QUARTERBACK

G1 Newmarket H. winner The Quarterback (Aus) (Street Boss) is unlikely to make the trip to Royal Ascot, trainer Robbie Griffiths told Racing.com's Racing Ahead, but the conditioner noted the 5-year-old gelding could still punch his ticket if he performs admirably in Saturday's G1 Darley Goodwood S.

"It might be something we'd be better planning for next year on less runs, going to Ascot," Griffiths told Racing Ahead. "He's already had the five runs and no real time to spell. That's what'll be discussed after Saturday's performance. If we had to make a decision now, we'd be unlikely to go for sure. We have nominated, we have vaccinated, and we're all right to go if we feel his performance, and his recovery, is up to it."

The Quarterback has been out twice since his Newmarket win, finishing fifth in the G1 William Reid S. Mar. 24 and third in Caulfield's VOBIS Gold Sprint Apr. 16.

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#### No Derby For Sales-Bound Viren's Army Cont. from p1

"Viren's Army has been the apple of my eye for a long time, but Middleham Park is a commercial operation and we have sold many top-class horses that have gone on to great success for their new owners," Palin noted. "Horses like Toormore, Realtra, Kool Kompany, Lily's Angel and Sandiva are examples of this and I expect an improving colt like Virens Army to be no exception, so much so that we have entered him in the Irish Derby after Royal Ascot. He is an ideal horse to campaign in both Europe and internationally, he has a great disposition and looks very progressive."

Goffs Chief Executive Henry Beeby added, "The London Sale continues to go from strength-to-strength, and we are delighted to work with Middleham Park. Viren's Army looks set to be one of the centerpieces of our sale and appeals as a horse who will excel anywhere in the world."



#### **MINDING HEADS 24 FOR OAKS**

G1 QIPCO 1000 Guineas winner and heavy G1 Investec Oaks favourite **Minding (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) headlines 24 acceptors for the Oaks at the latest declaration stage on Wednesday. Minding is the 4-7 favourite with Coral for the June 3 Classic and is one of 10 confirmations for trainer Aidan O'Brien, who also left Group



 $\textbf{Minding and Ryan Moore} \mid \textit{Racing Post}$ 

1 winner and G1 1000 Guineas runner-up Ballydoyle (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) eligible, as well as Listed Cheshire Oaks winner Somehow (Ire) (Fastnet Rock {Aus}). O'Brien trains six of the top seven current betting choices with Coral.

Third in the betting, and remaining eligible for the Oaks, is another Irish shipper, the Jim Bolger-trained **Turret Rock (Ire)** (Fastnet Rock {Aus}) (12-1). The most prominent British-trained filly in the betting, at 20-1, is Chris Humber's **Architecture (Ire)** (Zoffany {Ire}), second in Lingfield's Listed Fillies' S. May 7.



# **EUROPEAN-BRED SUCCESS**

with Royston Murphy

In this series, the *TDN* catches up with European expatriats working in the Thoroughbred industry around the world. Today's installment features Royston Murphy, of Sledmere Stud.

**Hometown?** Small village called Kilmeague in Co. Kildare, Ireland.

How did you end up where you are now? I came to Australia in



Royston & Catriona Murphy
Kelsey Riley

'95 to work for Segenhoe Stud. After spending 17 years working there, myself and my wife decided to join forces and take over the running of Sledmere Stud, which was originally owned by my wife Catriona's late grand aunt Ann Raymond.

What have you found to be the major difference between racing/breeding in Australia and your home country? I think the biggest difference is Australia's main focus on breeding sprinters and 2-year-olds. Also, the prize money on offer in Australia, for all levels of racing, far exceeds most other countries'.

Name one home comfort that you miss? That has to be the food, even after all these years I love going home and having a good Irish stew.

**Favourite sport or hobby outside of racing?** *I love going fishing and hunting in remote far North Queensland.* 

What would you say is your proudest accomplishment? On a personal level, being the father of two great boys Jack and Ted. On a professional level, playing a major role in the building and development of Segenhoe Stud and now doing the same at Sledmere Stud.





# BRITAIN



# Thursday, Goodwood, post time: 4:00 p.m. VEOLIA HEIGHT OF FASHION S.-Listed, £40,000, 3yo, f, 9f 192yT

| PP  | HORSE  | SIRE                  | JOCKEY  | TRAINER   |  |  |  |  |
|-----|--|-----------------------|---------|-----------|--|--|--|--|
| 1   | Play Gal (GB)                                | Multiplex (GB)        | Gannon  | Evans     |  |  |  |  |
| 2   | Mirsaalah (GB)                               | Sir Percy (GB)        | Morris  | Tate      |  |  |  |  |
| 3   | September Stars (Ire)                        | Sea the Stars (Ire)   | Berry   | Beckett   |  |  |  |  |
| 4   | Skiffle (GB)                                 | Dubawi (Ire)          | Buick   | C Appleby |  |  |  |  |
| 5   | Zaakhir (Ire)                                | Raven's Pass          | Holland | C Hills   |  |  |  |  |
| 6   | Visage Blanc (GB)                            | Champs Elysees (GB)   | Egan    | Channon   |  |  |  |  |
| 7   | Dessertoflife (Ire)                          | Mastercraftsman (Ire) | Fanning | Johnston  |  |  |  |  |
| 8   | Cajoled (Fr)                                 | High Chaparral (Ire)  | Moore   | Scott     |  |  |  |  |
| 9   | The Black Princess (Fr)                      | Iffraaj (GB)          | Dettori | Gosden    |  |  |  |  |
| Αll | All carry 126 pounds bar Dessertoflife, 131. |                       |         |           |  |  |  |  |

#### Wednesday's Results:

BRITISH STALLION STUDS EBF TENNENTS ROTHESAY S.-Listed, £50,000, AYR, 5-18, 4yo/up, f/m, 10fT, 2:13.02, g/s.

- 1--#MALEFICENT QUEEN (GB), 126, f, 4, Mount Nelson (GB)--Manila Selection, by Manila. (4,000gns RNA Ylg '13 TATYEA). O-Weldspec Glasgow Limited; B-Kassala Limited (GB); T-Keith Dalgleish; J-Phillip Makin. £28,355. Lifetime Record: 6-5-1-0, \$83,737.
- 2--More Mischief (GB), 126, f, 4, Azamour (Ire)--Mischief Making, by Lemon Drop Kid. (28,000gns Ylg '13 TAOCT). O-Caron & Paul Chapman. £10,750.
- 3--Namhroodah (Ire), 126, f, 4, Sea the Stars (Ire)--Independent (GB), by Medicean (GB). (€75,000 Ylg '13 GOFORB). O-Saeed Manana. £5,380.

Margins: 2 3/4, 5, 2 3/4. Odds: 3.00, 4.50, 5.50.

Also Ran: Elbereth (GB), Brandybend (Ire), Haalan (GB), Chain Of Daisies (GB), Coreczka (Ire), Persona Grata (GB), Loaves And Fishes (GB).

Keith Dalgleish, former jockey with Mark Johnston, has been getting notable results throughout his short second career as a trainer and was due a decent horse to fly his flag higher, with Maleficent Queen stepping up to the plate. Beaten only once so far, ironically on debut by More Mischief in a mile maiden at Hamilton last May, the bay has made inexorable progress subsequently and after handicap wins also at a mile at Carlisle later that month and over this track and trip in September, she impressed on her return shouldering 10 stone at Pontefract at this distance Apr. 27. Held up in fifth early by a confident Phillip Makin, she moved easily to More Mischief passing the threefurlong marker and when committed a furlong later readily gained control. "She's just progressed with every run. We gave her plenty of time to get over each one and she keeps finding," Dalgleish explained. "I thought she was up to this level, she was worthy, but when the rain came I was delighted, everything came right. She travelled smoothly and pricked her ears in front. We'll see how she comes out of it and I'll have a chat with the owner, we'll look for a group race over this trip."

Although Manila Selection had 10 tries before producing a black-type performer in this improving filly, her granddam is the MSW Wendy's Ten (Tentam), responsible for the GSW Montjoy (Manila), who was also third in the G1 Champion S., SW and GIII Arlington Oaks runner-up Instinct (Thunder Gulch). Click for the Racing Post result. Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.

**6th-BAT, £7,250, Cond**, 5-18, 2yo, 5f 11yT, 1:04.20, gd. +BATTAASH (IRE) (c, 2, Dark Angel {Ire}--Anna Law {Ire}, by Lawman (Fr)), a 200,000gns TATOCT yearling, was slowly away after rearing in the stalls but was always in touch towards the back of the small field and when allowed tanked to the lead passing the quarter pole. Drifting left towards the rail when in the clear, the 14-1 outsider was in no danger once he had established a clear advantage and was pushed out for a fourlength dismissal of Leontes (GB) (Paco Boy {Ire}). The first foal out of a half-sister to the G2 Champagne S. winner and G1 July Cup third Etlaala (GB) (Selkirk), the winner who is also related to this year's G3 Greenham S. scorer Tasleet (GB) (Showcasing {GB}) has a yearling half-brother by Intikhab. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$6,783. Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton. O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Ballyphilip Stud (IRE); T-Charles Hills.

**1st-AYR**, £6,600, Cond, 5-18, 2yo, 6fT, 1:16.58, g/s. **DANIELSFLYER (IRE) (c, 2, Dandy Man {Ire}--Warm Welcome {GB}, by Motivator {GB})**, a debut second tackling Southwell's straight five furlongs last time Apr. 25, recovered from a series of bumps to track the leaders in a close fifth after boisterous initial skirmishes upped one panel for this turf bow. Pushed along at halfway, the 12-1 chance challenged entering the final eighth and was ridden out to assert by 1 1/2 lengths from Northern Thunder (Ire) (Dragon Pulse {Ire}). The winner's third dam is US Horse of the Year and MG1SW Champion All Along (Fr) (Targowice). Sales history: €35,000 Wlg '14 GOFNOV; £28,000 RNA Ylg '15 DNPRM. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$7,839. **Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton**.

O-Elliott Brothers & Peacock & Partner; B-Michael McGlynn (IRE); T-David Barron.

**3rd-KEM**, £5,000, Cond, 5-18, 2yo, f, 6f (AWT), 1:14.36, st. **VENTURA BLUES (IRE) (f, 2, Bated Breath {GB}--Salmon Rose {Ire}, by Iffraaj {GB})**, never a factor when fourth on debut on soft ground over five furlongs at Nottingham Apr. 16, was much sharper this time breaking from her wide draw to race just behind the early pace without cover. Gaining the lead from Magical Forest (Ire) (Casamento {Ire}) approaching the furlong pole, the 8-1 shot asserted to win by 1 1/4 lengths. Boost (GB) (Pivotal {GB}), the daughter of G1SW Hooray (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), ran with encouragement after suffering a troubled trip and finished with a flourish to be a length further away in third. **Cont. p4** 

#### 3rd-KEM Cont.

The dam of Ventura Blues, who becomes the second winner for his first-season sire (by Dansili {GB}), is a half-sister to the G1 Dubai World Cup hero Prince Bishop (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}) from the family of the GSW and GISP Blingo (Artie Schiller) and MGSW and MG1SP Retrieve (Aus) (Rahy), also has a yearling filly by Poet's Voice (GB). Sales history: 32,000gns RNA Wlg '14 TATFOA; £68,000 Ylg '15 DNPRM. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$4,984. Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.

O-Middleham Park Racing VI; B-George Kent (IRE); T-R. Hannon.

**3rd-BAT, £4,500, Mdn**, 5-18, 3yo/up, 11f 144yT, 2:31.56, g/f. GIRLING (IRE) (f, 3, Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}--Gravitation {GB} {GSW-Eng, \$126,343}, by Galileo {Ire}), runner-up at Salisbury Oct. 12 and at Sandown on seasonal return last time Apr. 29, was positioned second behind the clear leader for most of this one. Taking closer order with a half-mile remaining, the 4-7 chalk was sent to the front approaching the two pole and stayed on well under minimal urging in the closing stages to score by an unextended 4 1/2 lengths from Mahfooz (Ire) (Teofilo {Ire}). Girling's G3 Lillie Langtry S.-winning dam is out of a stakesplaced half-sister to MG1SW G1 Irish Derby victor Fame and Glory (GB) (Montjeu {Ire}), and to the dam of MG1SW G1 1000 Guineas heroine Legatissimo (Ire) (Danehill Dancer (Ire)). The winner is kin to the 2-year-old filly Gemima (Ire) (Holy Roman Emperor (Ire) and the yearling colt Gendarme (Ire) (Lawman {Fr}). Lifetime Record: 3-1-2-0, \$7,943. Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.

O-Gillian, Lady Howard de Walden; B-Avington Manor Stud (IRE); T-Ralph Beckett.

**2nd-KEM, £3,500, Mdn**, 5-18, 3-4yo, 7f (AWT), 1:25.70, st. +TARBOOSH (GB) (g, 3, Bahamian Bounty {GB}--Mullein {GB} **(SW & GSP-Eng, \$117,727), by Oasis Dream (GB))**, a 72,000gns TATFOA foal and 100,000gns TATOCT yearling, was keen under restraint on the heels of the leaders but had limited places to go deep in the straight. Switched around to deliver his run with a furlong remaining, the 3-1 favourite cut down Destroyer (GB) (Royal Applause {GB}) in the final strides to win by a neck. The speedy dam, who was third in the G2 Diadem S. at Ascot, is a half to a staying middle-distance performer in Illustrious Blue (GB) (Dansili {GB}), winner of the two-mile G2 Goodwood Cup and G3 Sagaro S. She descends from the G3 Musidora S. winner Rimosa's Pet (GB) (Petingo {GB}), dam of the G2 Gimcrack S. and G3 Coventry S.-winning sire Rock City (Ire) and the G3 Cherry Hinton S. winner and G1 1000 Guineas runner-up Kerrera (Ire) (Diesis {GB}), later responsible for another Guineas runner-up in Firth of Lorne (Ire) (Danehill) who found one too good in the French equivalent.

Mullein has a 2-year-old filly by Medicean (GB) named Morello (Ire) and a yearling filly by Dark Angel (Ire). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$3,274. Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.

O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Landmark Racing Limited (GB); T-William Haggas.

#### **New Partners for London Sale:**

Private jet company VistaJet and global private network company Select Mobile have become partners in the Goffs London Sale, this year set for June 13 on the eve of Royal Ascot. They join supporting partner Chateau Leoube and title partners QIPCO and Selfridges.

"The Goffs London Sale in association with QIPCO is all about offering the very best horses with a top-class service in a stunning location, and the introduction of two such significant high-end companies as VistaJet and Select Mobile is representative of the event," said Goffs Chief Executive Henry Beeby. "We are delighted to welcome Vista Jet and Select Mobile to the London Sale."



#### Le Prezien Tops Goffs UK Sale:

Anthony Bromley and David Minton's Million in Mind draft produced the two highest-priced lots at Wednesday's Goffs UK Spring HIT Sale at Doncaster. Leading the way was the Grade I-



Le Prezien | Goffs UK

placed Le Prezien
(Fr) (Blue Bresil
{Fr}) (lot 305), who
was consigned by
the stable of Paul
Nicholls and sold to
Frank Berry on
behalf of JP
McManus for
£290,000. The
same connections
also bought

Millions in Mind's listed-winning mare **The Organist (Ire)** (Alkaadhem {GB}) (<u>lot 304</u>) for £260,000. There was one other lot to breach the £200,000 mark on the day, and that was the supplementary <u>lot 351</u>, the 4-year-old gelding **Espoir de Teillee** (**Fr**) (Martaline {GB}), who was bought by Roger Brookhouse for £220,000.



# **OBSERVATIONS**

on the European racing scene

12.42 Fontainebleau, Mdn, €25,000, unraced 3yo, f, 11fT

JOYERIA (Medaglia d'Oro), one of two Godolphin entries for this firsters' test, is out of the 2010 GI Del Mar Oaks and GI Ashland S. heroine Evening Jewel (Northern Afleet), and represents the Andre Fabre stable in a field of nine here. Rivals include fellow Godolphin colourbearer Year of Promise (Gio Ponti), a Henri-Alex Pantall-trained half-sister of MGISW Smiling Tiger (Hold That Tiger) and GI Del Mar Debutante S. heroine She's a Tiger (Tale of the Cat); and Qatar Racing's Freddy Head trainee Dame de Sang (Fr) (Vision d'Etat {Fr}), a half to last term's G3 Prix des Chenes scorer Evasive's First (Fr) (Evasive {GB}).

1.10 Fontainebleau, Mdn, €25,000, unraced 3yo, c/g, 11fT His Highness The Aga Khan's SHALAKAR (FR) (Cape Cross {Ire}) is out of the 2009 G1 Prix de l'Opera heroine and 2010 G1 Prix Ganay and GI E.P. Taylor S. placegetter Shalanaya (Ire) (Lomitas {GB}), and opens up for Mikel Delzangles in this newcomers' heat. He is opposed by Kirsten Rausing's Galapiat (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), a son of the 2010 G1 Grosser Dallmayr-Preis victress Lady Jane Digby (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}), from the Andre Fabre stable.

#### 4.35 Goodwood, Mdn, £6,000, 3yo, f, 9f 192yT

Al Asayl Bloodstock's newcomer **TALISA** (**IRE**) (**Pour Moi** {**Ire**}), a David Simcock trainee, is a half-sister to the 2003 G1 Prix Saint-Alary victress Fidelite (Ire) (In the Wings {GB}), herself the dam of last term's Listed La Coupe de Marseille winner Extremis (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}). Her nine opponents include Juddmonte homebred **Atone** (**GB**) (**Oasis Dream {GB}**), a full-sister to three-time G1 Nassau S. heroine and GI Breeders' Cup Filly & Mare Turf winner Midday (GB) who bids to improve on a last-of-11 at Sandown for the Sir Michael Stoute stable last month.

#### 5.50 Sandown, Cond, £6,000, 2yo, f, 5f 6yT

Shadwell homebred **NAAFER (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB})** is out of the 2008 Listed Atalanta S winner Shabiba (Seeking the Gold) and is therefore a full-sister to this term's G1 Al Quoz Sprint runner-up Ertijaal (Ire). The William Haggas incumbent is joined by George Strawbridge homebred and fellow debutante **Night Law (GB) (Lawman {Fr})**, a daughter of the 2012 GI E.P. Taylor S. second Night Carnation (GB) (Sleeping Indian {GB}), who represents the Andrew Balding yard.



# **IRELAND**



#### Wednesday's Result:

**1st-DUN, €15,000, Mdn**, 5-18, 2yo, 5f (AWT), :59.18, st.

**+YULONG BAOBEI (IRE) (f, 2, Choisir {Aus}--Bless You {GB}, by Bahamian Bounty {GB}),** sent off the 11-4 second favourite, was smartly away and soon established a length lead. Applying more pressure than her over-matched rivals could handle in the last two furlongs, the bargain €13,000 GOYHIT yearling hit the line with six lengths to spare over Rock In Peace (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}). The dam, who hails from the extended family of the high-class sprinter and successful sire Kyllachy (GB), has a yearling filly by Rock of Gibraltar (Ire). Trainer Mick Halford said, "She knew her job first time and time will tell what she beat. We'll probably take our chance in the [May 29] Listed [Coolmore Stud EBF] fillies race at Naas. I think she's a smart filly." Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$10,437. Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.
O-Zhang Yuesheng; B-Tom & Alex Frost (IRE); T-Mick Halford.

#### **ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNER:**

Arcara (Ire), f, 3, Arcano (Ire)--Obsara (GB), by Observatory. DUN, 5-18, 5f (AWT), 1:00.05. B-Drumlin Bloodstock (IRE). \*€14,000 Ylg '14 GOFSPT.

Suvenna (Ire), f, 3, Arcano (Ire)--Sovana (Ire) (GSP-Fr), by Desert King (Ire). DUN, 5-18, 7f (AWT), 1:25.02. B-Citadel Stud (IRE).

\*1/2 to Topeka (Ire) (Whipper), GSW & G1SP-Fr, \$211,658, to Kalsa (Ire) (Whipper), GSW-Fr, & to Bocca Baciata (Ire) (Big Bad Bob {Ire}), GSW-Ire, \$208,309. \*\*€52,000 Wlg '13 GOFNOV; 20,000gns RNA Ylg '14 TATOCT.





#### Wednesday's Results:

**2nd-SCD, €29,000, Cond**, 5-18, 3yo, f, 8fT, 1:43.69, gd.

PRINCESS GIBRALTAR (FR) (f, 3, Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}--Princess Sofia {UAE}, by Pennekamp), who graduated going an extended mile at Pornichet-le-Baule in her most recent start Oct. 10, was quickly into stride and shadowed the pace in second here. Easing to the front passing the two pole, the 73-10 chance was stoked up soon after and ran on strongly under whipless rousting in the closing stages to easily account for Ibazz (GB) (Kyllachy {GB}) by three lengths. Cont. p6

#### 2nd-SCD Cont.

The winner, a €200,000 ARAUG yearling, is a full-sister to G1 Grosser Preis von Baden and G1 Criterium de Saint-Cloud winner Prince Gibraltar (Fr), G1SW-Fr & Ger, GSP-Eng, \$1,006,673; the 2-year-old colt Sofia's Rock (Fr); and an unnamed yearling colt. Their third dam is the GI Hollywood Oaks and GI Santa Margarita Invitational victress Princess Karenda (Gummo). Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, €23,750. Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.

O-Mme Stella Thayer, Leverett S Miller & Mme Linda Miller; B-Jean-Francois Gribomont (FR); T-Nicolas Clement.

**3rd-SCD,** €**24,000, Cond**, 5-18, 3yo, 8fT, 1:41.10, gd. SHOW DAY (IRE) (f, 3, Shamardal--Monday Show {SP-Ger}, by Maria's Mon), who hit the board at Bordeaux-le Bouscat three weeks after breaking through at Morlaix Apr. 3, was steadied off the pace in sixth after breaking on terms with the front rank in this one. Making smooth headway in the straight, the 19-10 pick was angled into clear runway with 300 metres remaining and quickened smartly under urging inside the final furlong to easily best Ellecourt (Fr) (Muhtathir {GB}) by 1 1/2 lengths. Show Day's year-older sister Usherette (Ire) annexed this month's G2 Dahlia S. at Newmarket, and the pair are kin to the 2-year-old colt Powderhouse (Ire) (Raven's Pass) and a yearling colt by Cape Cross (Ire)). Their stakes-placed dam is a full-sister to MGSW, GI Man o' War S. and GI Manhattan H. placegetter Expansion (Maria's Mon). Granddam La Sylphide (Swi) (Barathea {Ire}), winner of the G3 Prix Penelope, is a half to MG1SW Vespone (Ire) (Llandaff) and MG1SP Purple Moon (Ire) (Galileo (Ire)), from the family of G1SWs Vallee Enchantee (Ire), Volga (Ire) and Maid's Causeway (Ire). Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, €20,000. Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.

O-Godolphin SNC; B-Darley (IRE); T-Henri-Alex Pantall.

#### **CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

**5th-CSM**, €**50,000**, 5-17, 3yo, 2150mT, 2:18.46, sf. KIDMENEVER (IRE) (c, 3, Baltic King {GB}--Pepys Tillergirl {Ire}, by Tillerman (GB)) Lifetime Record: GSP-Fr, 14 starts, 4 wins, 6 places, \$110,490. O-Gerard Augustin-Normand, Mme Elisabeth Vidal & Fabrice Vermeulen; B-George S O'Malley (IRE); T-Fabrice Vermeulen. \*€10,000 2yo '15 GBMBR.

**1st-SCD**, **€29,000**, **Cond**, 5-18, 3yo, c/g, 8fT, 1:44.06, gd. MATEY (FR) (c, 3, Slickly {Fr}--Madeleine's Blush, by Rahy) Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-0, €35,786. O-Peter Baumgartner; B-Georges & Mme Sandor (FR); T-Pia Brandt. \*1/2 to Menardais (Fr) (Canyon Creek), MSW & MGSP-Fr, \$207,409.

#### ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Camaypaucha (Fr), f, 2, Spirit One (Fr)--Vassileva (Fr) (MSP-Fr), by Lomitas (GB). CSM, 5-17, 5 1/2fT, 1:07.63. B-Le Haras de la Gousserie (FR).

Whip My Love (Fr), f, 2, Whipper--Arabian Beauty (Fr), by Dubawi (Ire). CSM, 5-17, 5 1/2fT, 1:07.63. B-SARL Jedburgh Stud & Mme I Corbani (FR). \*€15,000 Ylg '15 OSASEP.

# **GERMANY**



#### ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Adelaide Rose (Ger), f, 3, Nayef--At First Sight (Ger) (SP-Ger), by Azamour (Ire). BRE, 5-17, 7fT, 1:28.10. B-Frauke & Hans-Peter von Loh (GER). \*SP-Ger.

# WORLDWIDE NEWS

#### DANDINO TO STAND IN VICTORIA

Dandino (GB) (Dansili {GB}-Generous Diana {GB}, by Generous {Ire}), a stakes winner in three countries and Grade/Group 1placed in Australia and Canada, will stand at Bombora Downs in Victoria, Australia this year for a fee of A\$5,000, according to



Dandino | Derryl Sherer

Racing and Sports. Dandino began his racing career in the UK as a homebred for Elite Racing Club and won Newmarket's G2 Jockey Club S. in 2011 for trainer James Given. He recorded another domestic group victory the following year

when winning the G3 September S., after which he finished second in the GI Canadian International. He won the 2013 American St. Leger for Australian Thoroughbred Bloodstock after finishing second in the Jockey Club S. and Royal Ascot's G2 Hardwicke S., and later that season traveled to Australia for the first time to finish second in the G1 Caulfield Cup. Dandino went winless for much of 2014 and 2015 but capped his career with a win in Flemington's G3 Queen's Cup last November for trainer Darren Weir.











# Saturday, Doomben, Australia, post time: 2:01 a.m. EST HARDY BROTHERS DOOMBEN CUP-G1, A\$650,000

(£322,131/€418,927/US\$470,089), 3yo/up, 2000mT

| PP | HORSE                      | SIRE                    | JOCKEY     | TRAINER     |
|----|----------------------------|-------------------------|------------|-------------|
| 1  | Hauraki                    | Reset                   | McDonald   | O'Shea      |
| 2  | Leebaz (NZ)                | Zabeel (NZ)             | Cahill     | Hawkeses    |
| 3  | Spiritjim (Fr)             | Galileo (Ire)           | Bowman     | Waller      |
| 4  | Messene                    | Lonhro                  | Orman      | Hawkeses    |
| 5  | Volkstok'n'barrell (NZ)    | Tavistock (NZ)          | Shinn      | Logan/Gibbs |
| 6  | Our Ivanhowe (Ger)         | Solider Hollow (GB)     | McEvoy     | Freedmans   |
| 7  | Lady Le Fay (NZ)           | Thorn Park              | Collett    | Waller      |
| 8  | Noble Protector (GB)       | Haafhd (GB)             | Clark      | Smerdon     |
| 9  | It's Somewhat (USA) 🛪      | Dynaformer (USA)        | Browne     | O'Shea      |
| 10 | Maurus (GB)                | Medicean (GB)           | Spriggs    | Vandyke     |
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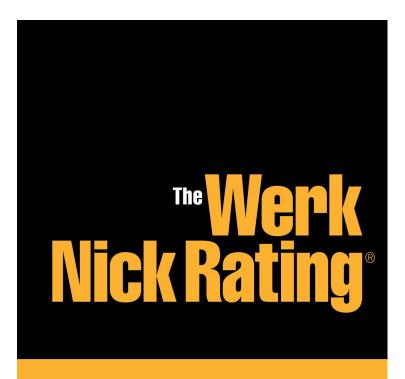
Lucky Year (Aus), g, 4, Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)--Natural Lil (Aus), by Naturalism (NZ). Happy Valley, 5-18, Hcp. (A\$294k), 1200mT, 1:09.36. B-Tara Farm Pty Ltd (Vic). \*Formerly Lil Caesar (Aus). \*A\$22,000 Wlg '12 INGWBM. VIDEO

Magical Beauty (Aus), g, 4, Magic Albert (Aus)--Romany Flyer (Aus), by Catbird (Aus). Happy Valley, 5-18, Hcp. (A\$207k), 1650mT, 1:39.67. B-A D Mitchell (NSW). \*A\$140,000 Ylg '13 INGEAS; HK\$4,000,000 HIT '15 HKIS. VIDEO



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# GATE THREE FOR NYQUIST AT OLD HILLTOP



(L to R) Owner Paul Reddam, jockey Mario Gutierrez and trainer Doug
O'Neill at Wednesday's Preakness draw | Horsephotos

by Alan Carasso

Reddam Racing's Nyquist (Uncle Mo), campaigned by the same connections who conquered the 2012 GI Preakness S. with I'll Have Another (Flower Alley), will look to take his record to a perfect nine-for-nine from post position three in Saturday's second leg of the Triple Crown at Pimlico Race Course in Baltimore. The bay colt became just the second horse in history to complete the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile/GI Kentucky Derby double when holding out his rallying arch-rival **Exaggerator** (Curlin) by 1 1/4 lengths at Churchill Downs May 7 and is the first 2-year-old champion to emerge from the Derby unbeaten since Seattle Slew in 1977. Trainer Doug O'Neill knows that he has a horse that puts himself into his races with a quick first step and he's happy to leave the decision making to jockey Mario Gutierrez. "I think with his gate speed, the post position draw wasn't as important. **Uncle Lino** (Uncle Mo), who's a really talented horse with a lot of speed, is right inside of us, so, hopefully we both break good and we'll see what happens. But there's other speed outside, too. It's in Mario's hands and we have a lot of faith in him and he's got a lot of faith in the horse." (Click for the interview with Doug O'Neill).

#### WEDNESDAY'S TRACKSIDE REPORT FROM

**PIMLICO** by Steve Sherack

BALTIMORE, Md. - Trainer Doug O'Neill graciously took time out to chat with a group of fans enjoying a Sunrise at Old Hilltop tour a little after 6 a.m. as the GI Preakness S. contenders continued their preparations on a cloudy and brisk Wednesday morning at Pimlico.

**Fellowship** (Awesome of Course), third in the GI Xpressbet.com Florida Derby, was the first of the Preakness horses to head out to train at 6:20 a.m. Led out of the stakes barn by assistant trainer Norman Casse, the Jacks or Better Farm homebred, sporting black blinkers and a braided mane, got acquainted with the Pimlico main track for the first time, galloping a mile over the surface labeled as "good." Fellowship, accompanied to Baltimore by 10 other Mark Casse-trained horses slated to run in stakes this weekend, was most recently fourth in the GIII Pat Day Mile S. on the Kentucky Derby undercard. **Cont. p5** 

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#### NO DERBY FOR SALES-BOUND VIREN'S ARMY

Listed Dee S. winner **Viren's Army (Ire)** (Twirling Candy) will not be supplemented for the G1 Investec Derby, and has been entered in the Goffs London Sale.

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#### TODAY in the



Thursday, May 19, 2016



Painting the Sky (Yankee Gentleman), a dual-registered Thoroughbred/Paint filly, makes her turf debut at Evangeline Downs on Thursday night. After breaking her maiden in February and an allowance win in March, the Louisiana bred seeks her third consecutive victory in four lifetime starts. | Image courtesy of Evangeline Downs.

#### LANI GETS IN FINAL PREAKNESS WORK

Lani (Tapit), a creditable ninth to Nyquist (Uncle Mo) in the Kentucky Derby, breezed five furlongs Wednesday at Belmont in 1:01 2/5 in advance of Saturday's GI Preakness S.

#### HARLAN'S HOLIDAY COLT FASTEST AT FTMMAY

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A colt from the final crop of Harlan's Holiday breezed an eighth of a mile in :10 flat to top the second under-tack show ahead of next week's Fasig-Tipton Midlantic Sale at Timonium.





#### Preakness Draw cont. from p1

While Nyquist was ridden positively in the Derby and ultimately sat a stalking trip outside of Danzing Candy (Twirling Candy) and Gun Runner (Candy Ride {Arg}) on a faster-than-expected pace, there appears to be even more speed in the Preakness. While it seems more than likely that Gutierrez will elect to get Nyquist to settle behind the speed this time, Exaggerator will be found towards the back of the pace. The Big Chief Racing Runner, who came from 15th and made up most of a 17-length deficit in the Run for the Roses, found a bit of trouble on the turn, but finished full of run. That he has a sixteenth of a mile less real estate cannot be in his favor, but a Saturday forecast that calls for significant precipitation could well slide the needle--and possibly the toteboard--in his direction.

"I guess we have to call it a non-issue for us where most horses have not run on an off or sloppy or a quagmire, like Santa Anita was that day [victory in the GI Santa Anita Derby Apr. 9]," trainer Keith Desormeaux explained. "At least we know we can do it, so if you want to call that an advantage, we'll take it."

But can Exaggerator reverse form?



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"We have to respect Nyquist for what he's done," said Desormeaux, who will give a leg up to former Maryland star jockey, his brother Kent. "The only thing we can do to perhaps turn the tables is that Exaggerator is such a quick-recovering horse. The two-week turnaround is going to play to our advantage instead of to most horses' disadvantage. We're confident we can turn the tables."

While those two are expected to dominate the market, 'TDN Rising Star' Stradivari (Medaglia d'Oro) was somewhat surprisingly installed the 8-1 third choice on the morning line despite being the only one of the 11 entrants with nary a stakes appearance. That being said, talent can overcome inexperience, and if able to reproduce the form that saw him dust a solid Keeneland allowance field by some 14 1/2 lengths Apr. 17, he cannot be ignored, though he will have some work to do from the widest in post 11.

"He's generally a good gate horse and that gives [jockey] Johnny [Velazquez] the ability to break and survey things inside and see where he wants to hopefully position him going into the first turn," said trainer Todd Pletcher. "The good thing is you can kind of dictate things instead of them being dictated to you when you're on the outside like that."

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#### Preakness Draw cont.

Since 2000, only three horses (Red Bullet, 2000; Bernardini, 2006; and Rachel Alexandra, 2009) have won the Preakness absent a start in the Derby. Including Stradivari, fully eight of Saturday's entrants will try to add to that record. Trainer Bob Baffert has hoisted the Woodlawn Vase on six occasions since 1997 and is represented by under-the-radar Collected (City Zip), last-out winner of Keeneland's GIII Lexington S. Another interesting California-based entrant is Uncle Lino, one of four in the race for his sensational young sire whose progressive form includes a distant third to Exaggerator in the Santa Anita Derby and a very tough half-length success in the inaugural California Chrome S. at Los Alamitos Apr. 30.



#### **HEARD AT THE PREAKNESS DRAW**

"It's a good post [gate seven]. If you have a speed horse, it's a good post. The break is going to be so important, especially if it's muddy." -- Bob Baffert, trainer, Collected

"My jockey, Corey Lanerie, loves to come up the fence. It's a good spot with him riding the horse. He never panics; he stays down in there just like I like." -- Dale Romans, trainer TDN Rising Star Cherry Wine, who drew gate one

"I would have rather been outside of Nyquist, but it is what it is. Being inside, he's probably going to go to the front now. If he'd drawn outside we'd have had a few more choices. At least we didn't get the 1." -- Gary Sherlock, trainer and part-owner of Uncle Lino, post two

"I think we drew awesome. I mean all the speed's inside of me except for Pletcher's horse. I couldn't ask for much better. Looks like all the stars aligned and the ones that ain't I'm going to knock them in the head and make them align. Uncle Lino's speed; Nyquist's speed; Awesome Speed's speed; and Collected's speed. I'll be stalking."

--Eric Guillot, trainer, Laoban, stall eight

"We've already come in with the idea that we're just going to let the horse fall out of the gate and let him settle wherever he is. So it really didn't matter what the post position was. I actually like being drawn outside a little bit. But there's plenty of time to get over. He'll be in the second or third flight, and it really didn't matter."

--Norman Casse, assistant trainer, Fellowship



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Saturday, Pimlico, post time: 6:45 p.m. EDT PREAKNESS-GI, \$1,500,000, 3yo, 1 3/16m

PP HORSE SIRE ML

1 Cherry Wine Paddy O'Prado 20-1

O-William Pacella & Frank L. Jones, Jr.; B-Pacella Racing, Frank L. Jones, Jr. & Frank Shoop (KY); T-Dale L. Romans; J-Corey Lanerie. Lifetime Record: 8-2-1-2, \$218,878.

2 Uncle Lino 🛪 Uncle Mo 20-1

#### (\$52,000 yrl '14 KEESEP)

Nyquist (\$180,000 wnlg '13 KEENOV; \$230,000 yrl '14 KEESEP; \$400,000 2yo '15 FTFMAR)

O-Reddam Racing LLC; B-Summerhill Farm (KY); T-Doug O'Neill; J-Mario Gutierrez. Lifetime Record: 8-8-0-0, \$4,954,200.

4 Awesome Speed Awesome Again 30-1 (\$80,000 yrl '14 KEESEP; \$335,000 2yo '15 FTFMAR)

O-Colts Neck Stables LLC; B-Allen Poindexter & Adena Springs (KY); T-Alan Goldberg; J-Jevian Toledo. Lifetime Record: 6-4-0-0; \$223,660.

5 Exaggerator Curlin 3-1

(\$110,000 yrl '14 KEESEP)

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O-Big Chief Racing, LLC, Head of Plains Partners, Rocker O Ranch LLC, et al; B-Joseph B. Murphy (KY); T-J Keith Desormeaux; J-Kent Desormeaux. Lifetime Record: 10-3-2-1, \$2,071,120.

6 Lani Tapit 30-1
O-Yoko Maeda; B-North Hills Co. Ltd (KY); T-Mikio Matsunaga; J-Yutaka
Take. Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-0, \$1,366,618.

Collected **City Zip** 10-1 (\$150,000 yrl '14 KEESEP; \$170,000 2yo '15 OBSMAR)

O-Speedway Stable LLC; B-Runnymeade Farm Inc. & Peter J. Callahan (KY); T-Bob Baffert; Javier Castellano. Lifetime Record: 6-4-1-0, \$433,700.

Laoban 🛪 <u>Uncle Mo</u> 30-1

(\$40,000 wnlg '13 KEENOV; \$260,000 yrl '14 KEESEP)

O-McCormick Racing LLC & Southern Equine Stable LLC; B-Respite Farm (Ky); T-Eric Guillot; J-Florent Geroux. Lifetime Record: 5-0-2-1, \$151,250.

9 Abiding Star Uncle Mo 30-1
O-Stonehedge LLC; B-Gilbert Campbell (FL); T-Edward Allard; J-J.D. Acosta. Lifetime Record: 11-5-1-1, \$202,385.

10 Fellowship Awesome of Course 30-1 O/B-Jacks or Better Farm Inc. (FL); T-Mark Casse; J-Jose Lezcano. Lifetime Record: 12-2-3-3, \$574,715.

11 Stradivari Medaglia d'Oro 8-1

(\$335,000 RNA yrl '14 KEESEP)

O-John D. Gunther, Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith & Mrs. John Magnier; B-John D. Gunther (KY); T-Todd Pletcher; J-John Velazquez. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$64,200.

#### Steve Sherack at the Preakness cont. from p1

After a very quiet hour or so on the backside, things quickly began to pick up once **Nyquist** (Uncle Mo) headed out to train at 7:35 a.m. With the maiden of five career starts **Laoban** (Uncle Mo) already on the track jogging with a pony, the Derby winner began his two-mile jog alongside popular O'Neill stable pony Satire. Equipped with his customary red shadow roll, Nyquist



Nyquist & Satire | Sherackatthetrack

displayed his usual even-keel demeanor and was on his toes nicely with his ears up as fans lined the rail to get a closer look at the champ.

Laoban, sporting a blue bridle and matching Southern

Equine saddle pad, was fourth after setting a hot pace in the GI Toyota Blue Grass S. at Keeneland last time Apr. 9.

The energetic Derby runner-up **Exaggerator** (Curlin), meanwhile, was also out on the track and proved to be a bit of a handful for his exercise rider during his first circuit around the track--even playfully bucking a couple of times in the stretch-before settling down and jogging nicely for the duration.

"He was feeling good," trainer Keith Desormeaux said during his presser later in the morning. "The kids were running around on the grandstand, and that usually gets him stirred up, any horse stirred up. He handled it well. It's not a dangerous energy. Some horses, their energy can be used in dangerous ways. His is just a happy energy."

The top two from the Derby are both looking and feeling quite possibly better than ever as they prepare to lock horns for the fifth time Saturday.

The always entertaining Eric Guillot held court with reporters while Laoban was getting cleaned up back at the barn. The native of Louisiana clearly didn't mind the cool weather, sporting his usual racetrack attire of shorts and sneakers.

O'Neill met with the media by the nearby podium while Speedway Stable's **Collected** (City Zip) quietly made his way back from galloping following the break. **Cont. p6** 





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#### Sherack at the Preakness cont.

The handsome chestnut, trained by Hall of Famer Bob Baffert, heads to the second jewel of the Triple Crown riding a two-race winning streak headed by a powerful win in Keeneland's GIII Lexington S. Apr. 16.

"He went great," O'Neill said of Nyquist's trip to the track. "As planned, we jogged him two miles. I know I sound like a broken record--[he showed] great energy and he looked great. We're just looking for him to continue what he's been doing since he's been here in Baltimore and just keep his appetite up and stay injury free and stay loose. I'm very happy. It was a really good morning."

Continuing his training schedule of alternating days of jogging and galloping, Nyquist is scheduled to gallop at 8:30 a.m. Thursday. -@SteveSherackTDN











#### LANI TUNES UP FOR PREAKNESS

Prepping for Saturday's race, Japanese raider Lani (Tapit) worked five-eighths of a mile in 1:01 2/5 over the Belmont main track, galloping out six furlongs in 1:15, according to track clockers.

Ninth to Nyquist (Uncle Mo) in the GI Kentucky Derby May 7, the Koji Maeda homebred walked once around the 1 1/2-mile



**Lani** | *Coady photography* 

circumference of the track, then jogged up to the fivefurlong pole to begin his work in earnest. He clocked his opening quarter-mile in a leisurely: 26 flat and, although he failed to switch his leads in the lane. finished his final three panels in :35 2/5.

"He's not the best switching leads, but in the

straight, it was ok," said trainer Mikio Matsunaga, who arrived in New York Tuesday to oversee the drill. "We don't have a breeze partner. If he had one here, it would be best, but in this situation, I understand it's difficult to do that. Going by himself, this is the best we could have wanted."

Lani, who is scheduled to travel by van to Pimlico Thursday, has reportedly settled down since the Derby and has not displayed the same cantankerous behavior he did in the days leading up to the Derby.

"He likes the barn and the track since arriving here, so the training is on plan," said Matsunaga. "He's been better behaved since he's been here."











# Saturday, Pimlico, post time: 5:39 p.m. EDT

| LO | NGINES DIXIE SGII,   | \$250,000, 3yo/up, | I 1/16M1   |           |     |
|----|----------------------|--------------------|------------|-----------|-----|
| PP | HORSE                | SIRE               | JOCKEY     | TRAINER   | WT  |
| 1  | Long On Value        | Value Plus         | Geroux     | Mott      | 118 |
| 2  | Za Approval          | Ghostzapper        | Leparoux   | Casse     | 118 |
| 3  | Captain Dixie 🛪      | Henrythenavigator  | Juarez     | Ness      | 118 |
| 4  | Takeover Target 🖛    | Harlan's Holiday   | I. Ortiz   | Brown     | 118 |
| 5  | Conquest Typhoon 🛪   | Stormy Atlantic    | Lezcano    | Casse     | 118 |
| 6  | Golden Sabre         | Medaglia d'Oro     | N/A        | Motion    | 118 |
| 7  | Grand Arch 🖛         | Arch               | Saez       | Lynch     | 118 |
| 8  | Prince Gagarin (Ire) | Dubawi (Ire)       | Castellano | Matz      | 118 |
| 9  | Ring Weekend 🖛       | Tapit              | Velazquez  | Motion    | 118 |
| 10 | El Kabeir            | Scat Daddy         | Pedroza    | Terranova | 118 |
| 11 | Force the Pass       | Speightstown       | Rosario    | Goldberg  | 118 |
| 12 | Take the Stand (Arg) | Not For Sale (Arg) | Prado      | Mott      | 124 |
| 13 | Cage Fighter         | Closing Argument   | Navarro    | Lawrence  | 118 |
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# Saturday, Pimlico, post time: 12:51 p.m. EDT MARYLAND SPRINT H.-GIII, \$150,000, 3yo/up, 6f

| PP | HORSE           | SIRE             | JOCKEY     | TRAINER    | WT  |
|----|-----------------|------------------|------------|------------|-----|
| 1  | All Star Red    | Five Star Day    | Saez       | Rodriguez  | 118 |
| 2  | Sonny Inspired  | Artie Schiller   | Toledo     | Schoenthal | 118 |
| 3  | Always Sunshine | West Acre        | Pennington | Allard     | 118 |
| 4  | Cinco Charlie   | Indian Charlie   | Geroux     | Asmussen   | 118 |
| 5  | Rockinn On Bye  | Rock Hard Ten    | Hole       | Casey      | 118 |
| 6  | Negrito         | Wildcat Heir     | Karamanos  | Schoenthal | 118 |
| 7  | Salutos Amigos  | Salute the Sarge | Velazquez  | Jacobson   | 124 |
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#### Saturday, Pimlico, post time: 4:02 p.m. EDT

GALLORETTE H.-GIII, \$150,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT

| PP | HORSE             | SIRE                  | JOCKEY     | TRAINER  | WT  |
|----|-------------------|-----------------------|------------|----------|-----|
| 1  | Monster Sleeping  | Oratory               | McCarthy   | Capuano  | 118 |
| 2  | Peace Prize (Ire) | Alfred Nobel (Ire)    | Francois   | Delozier | 118 |
| 3  | Tiger Ride        | Candy Ride (Arg)      | Prado      | Motion   | 118 |
| 4  | Camille Claudel   | Broken Vow            | N/A        | Abbott   | 118 |
| 5  | Ol' Fashion Gal 🖛 | Sky Mesa              | Leparoux   | Casse    | 118 |
| 6  | Nisharora (Ire)   | Excellent Art (GB)    | Karamanos  | Rubley   | 118 |
| 7  | Flying Tipat      | Tapit                 | Lanerie    | Romans   | 118 |
| 8  | Josdesanimaux     | Leroidesanimaux (Brz) | Lezcano    | Casse    | 118 |
| 9  | Mizz Money        | Mizzen Mast           | Castellano | Flint    | 118 |
| 10 | Ginger N Rye      | More Than Ready       | Carrasco   | DePaz    | 118 |
| 11 | Vielsalm          | Fairbanks             | Boyce      | Ashby    | 118 |
| 12 | Heath             | Pulpit                | Geroux     | Mott     | 118 |

Owners: 1-Charles J. Reed, 2-Flying Pheasant Farm LLC, 3-Dixiana Farms LLC, 4-Sycamore Racing II, 5-Bill & Vicki Poston Racing, Inc., 6-Valor Ladies, LLC, 7-Frank L. Jones, Jr., 8-Palm Beach Racing, 9-L. T. B., Inc & Hillerich Racing Inc., 10-Sagamore Farm, 11-Brooke Bowman, 12-Claiborne Farm & Adele B. Dilschneider. Breeders: 1-Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth C. Holt & Mr. & Mrs.Mark Vogel, 2-Glashare House Stud, 3-Dixiana Farms LLC, 4-Gail Cullen & Jeanne Owens, 5-John C. Oxley, 6-Angelo Robiati, 7-Frank Jones, 8-Palm Beach Racing II, LLC, 9-Bernie Flint, Ron Hillerich & LTB Inc., 10-Sagamore Farm, LLC, 11-Dr. & Mrs. Thomas Bowman &Brooke Bowman, 12-Claiborne Farm & Adele B. Dilschneider.

#### Black-Type Previews cont.

# Saturday, Santa Anita Park, post time: 7:00 p.m. EDT KONA GOLD S.-GII, \$200,000, 4yo/up, 6 1/2f

| PP | HORSE            | SIRE               | JOCKEY    | TRAINER      | WT  |
|----|------------------|--------------------|-----------|--------------|-----|
| 1  | Wild Dude        | Wildcat Heir       | Bejarano  | Hollendorfer | 122 |
| 2  | Souper Knight    | Midnight Lute      | Lezcano   | Sadler       | 120 |
| 3  | Cautious Giant 🛪 | Giant's Causeway   | Gonzalez  | Mulhall      | 120 |
| 4  | Coastline 🛪      | Speightstown       | Baze      | D'Amato      | 120 |
| 5  | Cherubim 🕋       | Henny Hughes       | Pereira   | D'Amato      | 120 |
| 6  | Dream Saturday 🛪 | Any Given Saturday | Smith     | Hollendorfer | 120 |
| 7  | Subtle Indian    | Indian Charlie     | Vazquez   | Diodoro      | 120 |
| 8  | Kafister 🛪       | Kafwain            | Prat      | Bernstein    | 120 |
| 9  | Sahara Sky       | Pleasant Tap       | Garcia    | Hollendorfer | 120 |
| 10 | San Onofre       | Surf Cat           | Maldonado | Headley      | 122 |
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Owners: 1-Hollendorfer or Smith, Jr., 2-Hronis Racing, LLC, 3-Tachycardia Stables or Twilight Racing, LLC, 4-Agave Racing Stable or Jaam Racing, Inc., 5-Jerry Frankel, 6-Top Racing LLC, 7-Mercedes Stable, LLC, 8-Aidekman or Ailshie, 9-Hollendorfer or Sweetwater Stable, 10-Matson Racing; **Breeders:** 1-Versatile Thoroughbreds LLC, 2-Desperado Stables, Inc., 3-Grousemont Farm, 4-DATTT Farm, LLC, 5-Ward Williford & Rick Strauss, 6-Equine Equity Partners & DuncanAlexander, 7-Mercedes Stables LLC, 8-Hurstland Farm, Inc., 9-Martin Stables Inc., 10-Bruce Headley

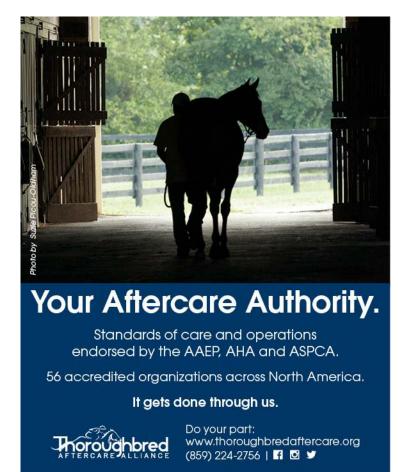
# Saturday, Arlington, post time: 5:44 p.m. EDT HANSHIN CUP S.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo/up, 1m (AWT)

| PP     | HORSE             | SIRE             | JOCKEY      | TRAINER   | WT  |
|--------|-------------------|------------------|-------------|-----------|-----|
| 1      | Trace Creek       | Harperstown      | Felix       | Van Meter | 117 |
| 2      | Crewman 🛪         | Candy Ride (Arg) | Montalvo    | Poulos    | 117 |
| 3      | Mister Marti Gras | Belong to Me     | Marquez Jr  | Block     | 117 |
| 4      | Blarp             | War Front        | Perez       | Sharp     | 117 |
| 5      | Recount           | Limehouse        | De La Cruz  | DiVito    | 117 |
| 6      | Francois 🛪        | Smarty Jones     | Murrill     | Winebaugh | 117 |
| 7      | One Go All Go     | Fairbanks        | Hisby       | Matejka   | 117 |
| 8      | Woodland Walk     | Orientate        | Radosevich  | Shanyfelt | 117 |
| 9      | Dimension (GB)    | Medicean (GB)    | Baird       | Murphy    | 117 |
| 10     | Midnight Cello    | Midnight Lute    | Valdivia Jr | Tomlinson | 117 |
| 11     | Valiant City      | City Zip         | Emigh       | Becker    | 117 |
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Owners: 1-Shortleaf Stable, Inc. (John E. Anthony), 2-Dundalk 5, LLC (Tim Kindlon), 3-Lothenbach Stables, Inc. (Robert Lothenbach), 4-Earl Conrad Sanderson, Jr., 5-Doubledown Stables, Inc. (Richard Templer), 6-Kenneth E. Fishbein, 7-Preston Stables LLC and Prestonwood Racing LLC, 8-Dawghouse Stable (Eric Pudles), 9-Riverside Bloodstock, LLC (Conor Murphy), 10-Patricia's Hope, LLC (Vince Foglia), 11-William Stiritz; Breeders: 1-Shortleaf Stable, 2-Emory A. Hamilton, 3-Lothenbach Stables, 4-James S. Karp, 5-Barney Gallagher & Anne Gallagher, 6-Cloverleaf Farms II, Inc., 7-Albert P. Coppola, 8-Juddmonte Farms Inc, 9-Cheveley Park Stud Ltd, 10-Carolyn Vogel, 11-Ed Fisher & Linda Fisher

# Saturday, Churchill Downs, post time: 3:16 p.m. EDT LOUISVILLE H.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT

| PP | HORSE    | SIRE   | JOCKEY       | TRAINER | WT  |
|----|----------|--------|--------------|---------|-----|
| 1  | Tiz Town | Tiznow | Hernandez Jr | Wilkes  | 112 |



| 2 | Roman Approval 🖛  | Roman Ruler      | Albarado   | Maker   | 117 |
|---|-------------------|------------------|------------|---------|-----|
| 3 | Bullards Alley    | Flower Alley     | Torres     | Glyshaw | 114 |
| 4 | Johns Kitten      | Kitten's Joy     | Graham     | Maker   | 114 |
| 5 | Aldous Snow       | Theatrical (Ire) | Rocco Jr   | Pierce  | 115 |
| 6 | Wireless Future 🖛 | Scat Daddy       | Bridgmohan | Amoss   | 115 |
| 7 | Dynamic Sky       | Sky Mesa         | Hill       | Casse   | 116 |

Owners: 1-Marylou Whitney Stables, LLC (Marylou Whitney), 2-Three Diamonds Farm (Kirk Wycoff), 3-Wayne Spalding and Faron McCubbins, 4-Kenneth L. and Sarah K. Ramsey, 5-Sam-Son Farm (Mark Samuel), 6-Klaravich Stables, Inc. (Seth Klarman) and William H. Lawrence, 7-John C. Oxley; Breeders: 1-Marylou Whitney Stables LLC, 2-Glencrest Farm LLC & Fox-Straus, 3-Eugene Melnyk, 4-Magalen O. Bryant, 5-Sam-Son Farm, 6-Serendipity Farm, 7-Arosa Farms

# Saturday, Belmont Park, post time: 7:06 p.m. EDT VAGRANCY H -GIII \$150,000, 4vo/up f/m 6 1/2f

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| PP   | HORSE  | SIRE          | JOCKEY   | TRAINER  | WT  |  |
| 1    | Paulassilverlining                                     | Ghostzapper   | J. Ortiz | Nevin    | 120 |  |
| 2    | West Coast Chick 🛪                                     | Malibu Moon   | Franco   | Zito     | 114 |  |
| 3    | Stormy Sky   | Sky Mesa      | Cancel   | Weaver   | 114 |  |
| 4    | Momameamaria   | Quality Road  | I. Ortiz | Cannizzo | 115 |  |
| 5    | Blithely   | Exchange Rate | Alvarado | Hennig   | 114 |  |
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**Owners:** 1-Scuderi, Vincent, S., 2-Hurricane Boys and Pell, Richard C., 3-Schera, Matthew, 4-Two Tone Farms, 5-Parsons, Jr., William and Howe, David S. **Breeders:** 1-Vince Scuderi, 2-Kiki Courtelis, 3-Y-Lo Racing Stables, LLC, 4-White Fox Farm, 5-David Howe & William Parsons.

#### HARLAN'S HOLIDAY COLT FASTEST AT

#### F-T MIDLANTIC SHOW by Jessica Martini

TIMONIUM, Md - A colt by Harlan's Holiday was the fastest furlong worker of Wednesday's second session of the under-tack preview for next week's Fasig-Tipton Midlantic 2-Year-Olds in Training Sale when he tied the mark of :10 flat set by two workers in Timonium during Tuesday's first session.

Hip 371 is out of the unraced Awesome Maneuver (Awesome



Hip 85 | Tibor Szlavik

Again), a half-sister to graded stakes winners Cat Fighter (Storm Cat) and Ishiguru (Danzig), and recorded his :10 flat work during the day's first set.

The dark bay colt is consigned to the sale by Justin Casse's Casse Sales on behalf of

Fletcher Mauk's Small Batch Thoroughbreds. Small Batch purchased the youngster for \$100,000 out of last year's Fasig-Tipton October sale.

It was the second bullet breeze of the under-tack show for Casse, who sent out <a href="https://doi.org/10.10">hip 6</a>, a colt by Shackleford, to work in <a href="https://doi.org/10.10">10 flat</a> Tuesday on behalf of Kinsman Farm. While obviously enjoying the double bullet, Casse was quick to give credit to his clients.

"Fletcher bought the Harlan's Holiday and the horse has been training with Jimbo and Torie Gladwell in Ocala," Casse said of the Wednesday's bullet worker. "The horse prepped well before he left the farm and he prepped well here the other day. So after the horse yesterday, who was trained at Kinsman Farm, I thought this horse had a good chance of going equally fast."

Casse added, "I can't take credit for what these horses did here because they have only been under my care for seven days. It's just a blessing to work with very good horsemen."

Also working early in Wednesday's session of the under-tack show, <a href="https://nic.nlm.nic

"I expected he would work good because he's shown me a lot of talent at the farm," the Florida-based Centeno said of the \$20,000 OBS August yearling.

Centeno has been consigning under the name Blue River for about 10 years, but this year's sale will mark his Midlantic debut.

"This is the first time I'm selling in Maryland," Centeno, who pinhooks some 35-40 juveniles a year both for himself and for clients, said.

"I've got some New York-breds and this is the right place to sell New York-breds. I'm just trying something different. I've been selling in Ocala and I thought I would go out of town and try my luck."

Blue River consigned subsequent stakes winner Conquest Whiplash (Hear No Evil) to the 2013 OBS April sale, where she sold for \$370,000 to Conquest Stables.

#### **Wicked Rich Proving Wicked Fast**

One of the surprising stars of the Fasig-Tipton Midlantic undertack show so far is the little-known stallion Wicked Rich (Yes It's True). South Carolina-based consignor Wes Carter brought six juveniles by the sire to Timonium and, of the five to breeze so far, three have gone in :21 4/5 and one (hip 85) shared Tuesday's bullet time of :21 3/5. All were bred by Carter in New Jersey.

Carter purchased Wicked Rich, on behalf of Carolyn Vogel's Crossed Sabres Farm, for \$120,000 at the 2007 Keeneland September Yearling Sale. The bay RNA'd for \$150,000 at the 2008 Fasig-Tipton Midlantic Sale before winning two of nine starts under the Crossed Sabres colors.

"I bought him for Carolyn Vogel's Crossed Sabres Farm," Carter confirmed Wednesday. "He raced four or five times with Seth Benzel in New York to start with and then we sent him to Kenny McPeek and he won two races at Churchill Downs. Then he came back to New York to run and in his second work, he had a bullet work and after the wire he fractured his cannon bone, got a condylar fracture. We put screws in it and Ms. Vogel just wanted someplace for him to go and she gave him to me." Cont. p10





Wicked Rich was originally scheduled to begin his stud career in New York, but after that deal fell through, Carter went to Plan B.

"I've been looking to get a few of them out there racing before I stood him," Carter explained. "Being that he only made \$70 grand, I didn't figure anyone would be wanting to pay much of stud fee."

By Yes It's True out of an Affirmed mare, Carter thinks Wicked Rich has an ideal pedigree for a stallion prospect.

"What I like about him as a stallion is that he doesn't have any Mr. Prospector in him," Carter said. "And he has Northern Dancer, but it's like his fourth dam's sire. He's Bold Ruler and he crosses really well with all the popular breeding."

Carter admitted he "backed into" the mares he bred to Wicked Rich. The dam of hip 85, Mom's Honor (Hold That Tiger), was given to him by a friend. Hip 269 is out of Swimmer (Rock Slide). "I raised Swimmer and she didn't get to do anything at the races and her momma had two foals and they're just kind of farm pets," Carter admitted. And of Waiting to Connect (Black Tie Affair {Ire}), the dam of hip 312, Carter said, "The guy couldn't pay the training bills, so we ended up with her."

"I just bred him to the kind of cross that I needed," Carter said. "So Mr. Prospector or some Storm Cat that is popular, but is too concentrated in horses today. The biggest soundness issues with horses today is that they are inbred so badly. And Richie, he's an outcross. He's Bold Ruler line on top a couple of times. And he's Bold Ruler on the bottom. He's got Raise a Native on the bottom, but it's far enough back that he gets a little bit of inbreeding to Mr. Prospector, but not overly so. And Northern Dancer on his very bottom side where it's not overloading on Northern Dancer."

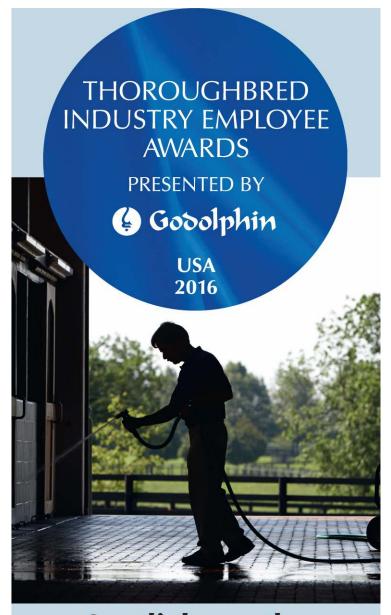
Wicked Rich had 10 foals in his first crop, now three, led by Asheepoo, a maiden winner out of Waiting to Connect. Carter's Midlantic draft is the stallion's entire current crop of juveniles. Carter sees some similarities between the sire and his progeny.

"They are quite like him," he said. "He had a lot of speed, but he won at a mile and a mile and a sixteenth on the turf. These babies have his intelligence and they are showing all kinds of speed. And they are doing it handily. They're just fast and they stay sound. They have a lot of heart—they'll run their guts out and I like that about a horse."

Carter is hoping his consignment will lead to bigger and better things for Wicked Rich.

"Once I get these guys out there and people can see how they run, then I can send him to New York and stand him for \$5,000 or \$6,000," Carter said. "I figure if people see how these babies perform with not much momma, they're going to really want to send the good mares to him. If he can get some good mares, then he'll really set the woods on fire."





# Spotlight on the unsung heroes

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AUBURN H., \$50,000, EMD, 5-15, 3yo, c/g, 6 1/2f, 1:14.21, ft. BARKLEY, c, 3, Munnings

1st Dam: Numero d'Oro, by Medaglia d'Oro

2nd Dam: Numero Uno, by Afleet 3rd Dam: Une Pavane (Fr), by Caro (Ire)

Click for the <u>Equibase.com chart</u>, or the <u>Equineline.com</u> catalogue-style pedigree.

Rising Star Stable III and Howard Belvoir's **Barkley** (Munnings) took his record to a perfect four-for-four with a narrow score in Sunday's Auburn H. at Emerald Downs. The blaze-faced chestnut, who is also trained by Belvoir, has been campaigned exclusively at the Auburn oval and exited Sunday's contest in good form.

"He came out great," a pleased Belvoir told the *TDN* Wednesday morning. "Everything's good. He will stay here probably the rest of the meet. There's only about three more races for him here. Then I'll have to decide [where he goes next]."

One possibility is the one-mile Coca-Cola S. June 5 that has the potential to renew the fledgling rivalry between Barkley and the previously undefeated 2015 Washington champion 2-year-old male **Mach One Rules** (Harbor the Gold), who was making his sophomore bow in the Auburn.

Despite the temptation to look farther afield after the Emerald Downs meet wraps up Sept. 11, Belvoir is determined to take a patient approach, adding he will look at "Just one race at a time," for his stable star.

Belvoir caught the racing bug early, as by the time he was a teenager, he was already a backstretch regular as a groom.

"I have been here since I was 13 years old," the Kansas native and Washington Racing Hall of Fame member continued. "[I was a] groom at 13, that was back when you could groom early, you know. My dad [R. H. Belvoir] was in [the game]. So I've been in it a long time, 54-58 years."

Belvoir first hung his shingle in 1963 at Exhibition Park in Vancouver and, 53 years later, has reached the 2,000-win milestone, with 2,020 victories from 15,547 starters through Tuesday. The R. H. Belvoir-bred Fairlyonest (Recur) was Belvoir's first winner and raced in the silks of R. H. Belvoir and sons. Two of Belvoir's three sons (Heath, Vann and Clay) with first wife

Mary Taylor, followed their father into horse racing. Heath works as a chart caller at Saratoga Race Course, Fair Grounds and Lone Star Park; while Vann, a former jockey, followed in his father's footsteps and trains on the Southern California circuit. Vann recently celebrated his first graded stakes win when Rocket Heat (Latent Heat) captured the GIII Twin Spires Turf Sprint S. (video) on the GI Longines Kentucky Oaks undercard May 6. The speedster wheels back in Friday's Jim McKay Turf Sprint S. at Pimlico.

The first foal from Numero d'Oro (Medaglia d'Oro), who is a half-sister to the SP Ice Lady (Cat Thief), Barkley's second dam is the MSW Numero Uno (Afleet), who was runner-up in the GII Chula Vista H. and the GII Bayakoa H. during her racing days. French champion juvenile filly Silver Cloud (Dan Cupid) is his fourth dam. Barkley's year-younger half-brother Class Won (Caleb's Posse) (hip 84) sold for \$110,000 at the Fasig-Tipton

July Sale in 2015. Numero d'Oro was covered by Bodemeister later that year.

The elder Belvoir credits Vann with acquiring Barkley (hip 3240) for \$21,000 out of Book Five of the 2014 Keeneland September Yearling Sale.
Auburn-based Rising Star Stable III syndicate principle Vicki Potter signed the ticket for the January foal from the Denali Stud consignment.

"Vann bought him for us back there [in Lexington]," continued Belvoir. "I read the [Keeneland Sales guide] and it was meant to

Barkley (r) bests Mach One Rules in the Auburn H.

Emerald Downs/Reed Palmer

be. I was here [at Emerald] training and he was back there and somebody was looking on the computer at the sale and I was talking to him and Vann happened to call back. This one on the computer was a cute little thing. He vetted out good and so, I said 'Well, just go 21 [thousand] for him and see if you get him.' I give more credit to Vann [for picking him out]."

Barkley came to hand rapidly for Belvoir, airing by 3 1/4 lengths going 4 1/2 furlongs last June and doubled up with a half-length tally in the Emerald Express S. going three-quarters of a mile a month later. When asked why he stopped on Barkley after his July start, Belvoir was realistic.

"[I gave him] time to mature, he was a smaller colt and he had little 2-year-old shin problems," explained Belvoir. "I just gave him the whole winter. We have a short meet up here. We go from April to September. They have to have a rest sometime. He'd run twice and I said that's enough for him. I have good owners that listened to me." Cont. p2

#### In Sharper Focus cont.

Shelved until a two-length allowance tally Apr. 17, Barkley was primed for a big effort Sunday. Only \$379 separated 6-5 favorite Mach One Rules and Barkley at post time for the Auburn. In the end, Barkley prevailed by a head over his foe in a sharp 1:14.21 for the 6 1/2 furlongs, good for a career-high 84 Beyer-Speed Figure.

"He's great," said Belvoir. "He's a great smart horse. Good to be around. Little bitey still, but he's a stud. He's a great little guy."

Belvoir, who has tasted graded-stakes glory in the 2008 and 2009 editions of the GIII Longacres Mile--first with homebred and Washington champion Wasserman (Cahill Road) followed by Assessment (Jump Start)--was justifiably proud of his charge. The veteran is keeping it all in perspective, however, and refused to compare Barkley with any of his past stars.

"I can't answer that, it's too tough," Belvoir concluded. "He's an awful good colt. I mean for around this area anyway. He's a nice horse." --Heather Anderson









# **NEW YORK**

#### Saturday's Results:

**8th-BEL, \$80,000, Alw** (NW2\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$62,500), 5-18, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/4mT, 2:00.63, fm.

HAPPYNESS (GB) (f, 4, Verglas {Ire}--Camaret {Ire}, by Danehill) broke her maiden second up for trainer William Walton at La Teste de Buch last March, and followed up with a runner-up finish at Longchamp the following month. She made her Stateside unveiling a successful one with a clear-cut score over good Aqueduct ground Apr. 9, and was 4-5 while trying the longest distance of her career. Settling into an easy beat in midpack of a five-horse field early, the grey drafted from the pocket around the far turn, but risked getting stuck behind rivals when the real running began. She bumped twice with Queen's Parade (Giant's Causeway) as she forced her way out into the clear in upper stretch, and kicked away with bounding strides to best that rival by 1 1/2 lengths. An inquiry and objection were lodged into the contact between the top two at the head of the lane, but the stewards let the result stand. Sales history: 16,000gns Wlg '12 TATFOA; €18,000 Ylg '13 AR13. Lifetime Record: 5-3-1-1, \$117,317. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.

O-Michael Dubb, Great Point Stables LLC & Bethlehem Stables LLC; B-London Thoroughbred Services, Ltd. (GB); T-Chad C. Brown.



**2nd-BEL, \$100,000, Msw**, 5-18, 2yo, f, 5f, :58.10, ft. **+OLIVE BRANCH (f, 2, Speightstown**--**Venetian Sonata, by Bernardini)**, given a 4-1 chance for an outfit that typically excels with juvenile newcomers at this meet, broke alertly and settled

in a perfect spot stalking a pair on the lead. Asserting three deep turning for home, the bay wore down longshot Dixie Kicks (Exclusive Quality) to take it by two lengths. A green Special Risk (Eskendereya) got up for third. A \$130,000 KEESEP yearling, the winner was acquired for \$185,000 at OBS



Olive Branch | Chelsea Durand

March after a :10 1/5 breeze. Her dam is out of GSW juvenile Moonlight Sonata (Carson City), who also produced GSW Wilburn (Bernardini); Grade II-winning

2-year-old Beethoven (Sky Mesa); and stakes-winning and GSP baby La Appassionata (Bernardini). Venetian Sonata has a yearling filly by Midnight Lute. This is the same female family as Grade I-winning juvenile Bevo. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$50,000. Click for the <a href="Equibase.com chart">Equibase.com chart</a> or <a href="VIDEO">VIDEO</a>, sponsored by <a href="Fasig-Tipton">Fasig-Tipton</a>.

O-Ralph M. Evans; B-Stonehaven Steadings (KY); T-Richard A. Violette, Jr.



# CENTRAL U.S.

#### Team 'Chrome' to Feature at ITBOF Champions' Dinner:

Perry Martin and Duncan Taylor of Taylor Made Farm, part of the ownership group that campaigns 2014 Horse of the Year and recent G1 Dubai World Cup hero California Chrome (Lucky Pulpit), will be special speakers at this year's Illinois Champions' Dinner at Arlington International Racecourse Saturday, May 28.

Martin, who co-bred and raced California Chrome through 2015 with Steven Coburn, and Taylor, who put together a deal and a partnership to race the chestnut and stand him at stud following his racing career, will entertain guests with stories from the Triple Crown trail to their experiences in Dubai. A live auction will also take place, featuring one of California Chrome's halters.

Tickets are available for \$60 in advance or \$70 at the door. A cocktail hour will begin at 6:30 p.m. followed by dinner at 7:30. Guest are asked to RSVP with the ITBOF at (847) 253-3670.

# CANADA

#### Wednesday's Results:

**1st-WO, C\$46,075, Alw,** (S), 5-18, (NW1X), 3yo, f, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:46.55, ft.

NESHAMA (f, 3, Sligo Bay {Ire}--Catch a Fire, by Indian Groom) broke through when stretched out to this distance second out here last October, and was beaten just a nose as the favorite in the restricted South Ocean S. Nov. 14. Stymied in traffic before finishing fifth in the Lady Angela S. going seven panels here May 1, she was the 6-5 favorite in this four-horse affair. Drafting behind a loose leader in second early, the bay came off the inside for clear sailing along the home bend. She struck the front despite some awkward strides in the final sixteenth, and held sway by a neck over paternal sibling Garavogue Colleen. Sales history: C\$60,000 Ylg '14 CANSEP. Lifetime Record: SP, 5-2-1-0, \$65,359. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.

O-Carnegie Hill Stable, Kingfield Racing Stable, Ltd. et al.; B-Kingview Farms (ON); T-Catherine Day Phillips.

**2nd-WO, C\$59,316, Msw**, 5-18, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:47.56, ft.

AWESOME MARCHESA (f, 4, Awesome Again--My Marchesa {SW, \$132,996}, by Stately Don) finished fourth for trainer Jose Corrales sprinting at Laurel Jan. 9, and improved one spot when transferred to this barn and stretched to a mile at Gulfstream Apr. 7. Saving all the ground after breaking from the rail, the 5-2 shot sat in midpack among four rivals. Hugging the fence turning for home, she squeezed through a tight opening and out-kicked odds-on La Canela (Congrats) by two lengths. The winner is a half to Golden Corona (Gulch), MGSP, \$280,908; Mark One (Alphabet Soup), MGSW, \$744,916; and Rookie Sensation (Unbridled's Song), GSW, \$232,900; as well as the dams of graded winners Pleasant Prince and Holy Boss. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$32,703. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.

O-Stronach Stables; B-Adena Springs (KY); T-Daniel J. Vella.

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#### Longines, The Jockey Club Announce Partnership:

Longines and The Jockey Club have entered into a partnership agreement which will make Longines the official partner and watch of the breed registry and title sponsor of America's Best Racing (ABR), the company's fan-development initiative, it was announced Wednesday.

The partnership adds to a growing number of agreements between Longines and equine-related sports and will feature the company's branding on The Jockey Club and ABR websites, emails and newsletters as well as content specifically designed to promote interest in the GI Breeders' Cup Turf and GI Breeders' Cup Distaff, both sponsored by Longines. That content is set to include pre- and post-race video coverage, stories, photos and promotion of the races via social media channels.

Longines currently sponsors races on four continents, including the GI Kentucky Derby and GI Kentucky Oaks, the G1 Qatar Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe, the G1 Dubai World Cup, the GI Melbourne Cup, the Hong Kong International Races and the G1 Gran Premio Latinoamericano in South America. Longines is also the official timekeeper for the Triple Crown.

"Longines has built one of the most prominent brands in the world and The Jockey Club is honored to enter a partnership with such a prestigious entity," said James L. Gagliano, president and chief operating officer of The Jockey Club.

Juan-Carlos Capelli, vice president of Longines and head of International Marketing, declared, "Being strongly committed to equestrian sports all over the world, as well as having a long-lasting passion for them for more than a century, we are proud to be associated with The Jockey Club. Horse racing perfectly illustrates elegance, which is one of our brand's key values."

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Sire (Sire's Sire), current farm, 2012 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/
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ASTROLOGY (A.P. Indy), Taylor Made Stallions, \$7.5K, 84/2/0

4-CD, Msw 4 1/2f, Troubled Charlie, \$4K KEE SEP yrl, 30-1

CALIMONCO (Storm Cat), Ballena Vista Farm, Pvt., 28/0/0

1-SA, Msw 4 1/2f, +My California, 10-1

CREATIVE CAUSE (Giant's Causeway), Airdrie Stud, \$15K, 86/1/0

1-SA, Msw 4 1/2f, Lofty Cause, 6-1 **FOXWEDGE (AUS)** (Fastnet Rock {Aus}), Whitsbury Manor Stud, \$7K,

83/1/0

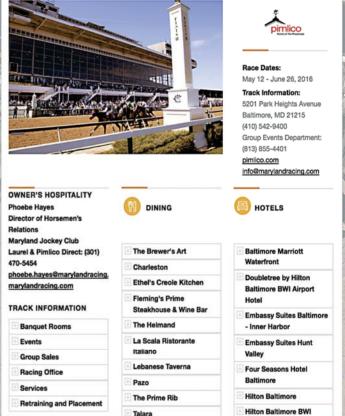
1-BEL, Msw 5f, +Star Empire (GB), \$66K TAT FOA wnl, 5-2 Cont. p4



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#### MACEDONIAN (Pulpit), 3/0/0

2-LS, Msw 4 1/2f, +Eyesonthepreacher, 10-1

TO HONOR AND SERVE (Bernardini), Gainesway Farm, \$30K, 97/1/0

1-BEL, Msw 5f, +Honor River, \$195K KEE SEP yrl, 3-1

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ARCHARCHARCH (Arch), Spendthrift Farm, \$10K, 251/36/3

4-CD, Msw 4 1/2f, +Lawton, \$95K FTK JUL yrl, 7-2

GONE ASTRAY (Dixie Union), Northwest Stud, \$4.5K, 146/22/2

4-CD, Msw 4 1/2f, +Pretty Boy Flash, \$375K OBS MAR 2yo, 5-1

# **BREEDERS' EDITION**

#### **ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**1st-BEL, \$75,460,** 5-18, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:15.81, ft. **HEY BRO (c, 4, Congrats--Exotic Wager, by Saint Ballado)** Lifetime Record: 17-3-4-3, \$164,146. O-Richard & Bertram Klein; B-ReKlein Stable (KY); T-Danny Gargan.



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**6th-BEL, \$65,000**, (S), (NW2\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$40,000), 5-18, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:34.21, fm.

JC'S SHOOTING STAR (f, 4, Miracle Man--American Passage, by Quiet American) Lifetime Record: SW, 16-3-5-4, \$317,640.
O-Shooting Star Stable; B-Miracle Man Racing Partners LLC (NY); T-David G. Donk.

**7th-GP, \$41,200**, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$16,000), 5-18, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:37.70, sy.

**PILOTING (g, 5, <u>Tapit</u>--Silver Clipper, by Silver Deputy)** Lifetime Record: 19-3-1-5, \$118,953. O-Westbury Stables LLC; B-Alfonso Figliolia (FL); T-Mark E. Casse. \*1/2 to Silver Cloud (Rahy), SW, \$281,822.

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**5th-IND,** \$38,080, 5-18, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 5fT, :59.01, fm. **DIVINE THUNDER (g, 6, Divine Park--Chris's Thunder {MSW,** \$309,401}, by Rubiano) Lifetime Record: 26-8-2-1, \$136,148. O-Ten Strike Racing; B-Westwind Farms (KY); T-Randy Matthews. \*\$13,000 RNA Ylg '11 KEESEP.

**2nd-IND, \$38,000**, (S), (NW2X)/Opt. Clm (\$16,000), 5-18, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:10.61, ft.

CHANGINGTIDE (g, 4, Lightnin N Thunder--Salient Tsunami, by Northern Afleet) Lifetime Record: 14-5-1-1, \$80,461. O/T-Dawn A. Fontenot; B-Stephanie Rickly (IN).

8th-IND, \$36,000, (S), 5-18, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11.27, ft. DARING GREATLY (f, 4, Even the Score--Catmaker, by Magic Cat) Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$56,740. O/B/T-Tanya Lobsiger (IN).

**7th-TDN, \$23,000**, 5-18, (NW2L), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:41.22, ft. **VAN DAMME (c, 3, Langfuhr--Pacific Jewel, by Seeking the Gold)** Lifetime Record: GSP, 12-2-3-1, \$76,041. O-Mast Thoroughbreds LLC; B-William B. Harrigan (KY); T-Robert M. Gorham. \*\$19,000 RNA Ylg '14 KEESEP.

#### **ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

Chasing Sunsets, f, 3, Pass Rush--Devilish Amour, by Devil His Due. IND, 5-18, (S), 6f, 1:12.66. B-Swifty Farms Inc. (IN).

Three Fifteen, c, 3, <u>Proud Citizen</u>--Paris Sky, by Skywalker. TDN, 5-18, 5 1/2f, 1:06.06. B-Meg T. & Mike Buckley (KY). \*\$15,000 Ylg '14 FTKOCT. \*\*Full to Proud Kentuckian, MSP, \$251,190.

**Testarossa Red**, f, 3, **Zavata**--Mercedees Red (SW), by Board Member. IND, 5-18, (S), 6f, 1:12.58. B-Andrea L Laney (IN).

**Broken Border**, f, 4, <u>Broken Vow</u>--American Border (GSW, \$337,440), by Boundary. BEL, 5-18, (S), (C), 7fT, 1:21.25. B-Mr. Amore Stable (NY).

Just Watch Me, g, 4, Eurosilver--Doyourthing, by Known Fact. FL, 5-18, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:06.63. B-Brendan Mullery (NY). \*\$11,000 Wlg '12 EASDEC. \*\*1/2 to Distinctive Trick (Distinctive Pro), MSW, \$197,191.

**Foxy Posse**, f, 4, <u>Posse</u>--Just Parker, by Forest Camp. BEL, 5-18, (S), (C), 6fT, 1:09.78. B-Michael A. Samotowka (NY). \*\$52,000 Ylg '13 FTKOCT; \$72,000 3yo '15 OBSWIN.





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