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March 2, 2000

HERE COMES GAVIOLA

After running third in the Jan. 17 GIII Sweetest Chant S. in her first try at stakes company, **Gaviola** (Cozzene) scored by 5 1/2-lengths in a Feb. 10 Gulfstream allowance. The three-year-old filly made a triumphant return to the graded-stakes ranks yesterday with a front-running win in the GIII Herecomesthebride S. at Gulfstream. Gaviola, bumped at the start, recovered to set the pace along the hedge while favored **Solvig** (Caerleon) was rated in fifth. As Gaviola set sail for home in the stretch, Solvig was forced to wait for running room, but the favorite came running late to get up for second. "We looked at the race and it looked like the best fillies came from behind and there wasn't a lot of speed," explained winning trainer Bill Turner. "I told (jockey) Jerry (Bailey) to get her out there and then play it by ear. She can come from behind but they let her set her own pace and it looked like Jerry had horse left at the end."

Wednesday, Gulfstream Park:

HERECOMESTHEBRIDE S.-GIII, \$75,000, GPX, 3-1, 3yo, f, 1 1/8mT, 1:47 1/5, fm.

1--#**@GAVIOLA**, 114, f, 3, by Cozzene

1st Dam: Forest Key, by Green Forest

2nd Dam: Lady Ann's Key, by Key to the Kingdom

3rd Dam: River Guide, by Drone

O-Twilite Farms; B-Carlos Perez (KY); T-William H Turner Jr; J-J D Bailey; \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 6-3-0-2, \$105,010.

2--**Solvig**, 121, f, 3, Caerleon--Incha (GB), by Nashwan.

O-Bentley L Smith Revocable Trust; B-Bentley L Smith (KY); \$15,000.

3--**Are You Up**, 114, f, 3, Eagle Eyed--Cardamine, by Secretariat. (\$23,000 wlng '97 FTMDEC; \$50,000 2yo 1999 OBSFEB). O-Monarch Stables; B-Respice Farm Inc (KY); \$8,250.

Margins: 2 1/4, 1 1/4, NK. Odds: 2.90, 1.50, 5.90.

Also Ran: Living On the Line, Capital Request, Robin in Spring, Queue, Sincerely.

Scratched: Bejoyfulandrejoyce.

GODOLPHIN RUNNERS TO SANTA ANITA Team Godolphin will use Santa Anita Park as their American base for 30 two-year-olds which are to ship over during the middle of April. The group will be managed in the U.S. by Eoin Harty, the former assistant to Bob Baffert who accepted a position with Godolphin late last year. The decision to go to California is based on the quality of juvenile racing and the similarity in climate between California and Dubai, as well as Harty's familiarity with the racing circuit. Godolphin Racing Manager Simon Crisford commented, "For all these reasons, we feel that California is the right place for Godolphin's training base and we look forward to competing in two-year-old races in California and throughout North America." At the end of the season, "selected" American-based horses will return to Dubai to be prepared for North American three-year-old races. Godolphin made headlines in 1998 when they purchased then juveniles **Worldly Manner** (Riverman) and **Comeonmom** (Jolie's Halo) with an eye on the Triple Crown. **Worldly Manner** finished fifth in the Kentucky Derby and 12th in the Preakness while **Comeonmom**, winner of the GII Remsen in 1998, finished last of nine in the GII Peter Pan S. in his only U.S. appearance in 1999.

WEEKEND PEDIGREE PERSPECTIVES by Alan Porter

The GIII Essex H. winner, **Maysville Slew** (g, 4, **Slew City Slew--Shotgun Romance, by Smile**) has a nicely constructed pedigree. He is inbred 4x4 to **Boldnesian**, who appears in the tail-male line and as broodmare sire of **Maysville Slew's** broodmare sire, **Smile**. **Maysville Slew** also has **Grey Flight 6x6** through her daughter **Misty Morn** and her son **What a Pleasure**.

All horses in the International TDN were bred in North America unless otherwise indicated.

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International 1 page

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HIALEAH TO RACE AT GULFSTREAM

Hialeah owner John Brunetti held a press conference at Gulfstream Park yesterday to announce that the upcoming Hialeah meet will be held at Gulfstream Park beginning March 17 for a 63 day meeting. "After 23 years, peace has come to Florida (racing). We will run the Hialeah 2000 meeting at Gulfstream Park." Brunetti said it is a one year deal. "There were too many complications to do if for more than one year. There are regulatory matters to be worked out." Brunetti said that Hialeah Vice President and Executive Counsel John Van Lindt had been in touch with the state's Division of Pari-Mutuel Wagering and got permission to move the permit. Personnel from both tracks will be integrated. Gulfstream has about 30 full time employees, Hialeah has about 15 full time personnel. Doug Donn, president of Gulfstream said, "There are obvious challenges to overcome. We (Gulfstream personnel) will be like a landlord. We will run the physical plant and maintain the turf course and main track. Hialeah will run the race meeting." There will be an immediate benefit to horsemen as Brunetti indicated that purse money in the first conditions book would be increased, though he did not say by how much. Under a contract reached previously with the Florida Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association, Hialeah has to pay \$113,500 a day, excluding stakes. Brunetti said the stakes schedule and stakes purse levels would remain the same. A major concern yet to be resolved is the condition of the Gulfstream turf course, which will have hosted 2 1/2 months worth of racing by the time the Hialeah meet begins. Hialeah routinely conducts maiden races on the turf, which Gulfstream does not. "I don't know. I have concerns about the turf course," Brunetti responded when asked about the possibility of running those races. The wagering public will also benefit from the move. "We will reduce the takeout, but as of 2:00 a.m. (Tuesday) night, we weren't able to come up with a figure. We'll announce that shortly." Currently, Hialeah's takeout is one of the highest in the country. Other issues to be addressed are the contracts with the FHBPA, the concession company and the tote company. Lonny Powell, Executive Vice President of Frank Stronach's Magna Entertainment Corporation said, "MEC and Gulfstream Park look forward to working with Hialeah Park in making the new Hialeah at Gulfstream meet a success and a positive step in the right direction for all of Florida racing." Asked if he would bring the flamingos over to Gulfstream, Brunetti said, "The flamingos stay."

☆ FLORIDA ☆

Florida Champions Announced:

The Florida Thoroughbreds Breeders' and Breeders' Association have announced their 1999 Florida-bred champions. They are: two-year-old colt and filly **Kiss a Native** (Kissin Kris) and **Scratch Pad** (Notebook); three-year-olds **Prime Timber** (Sultry Song) and **Three Ring** (Notebook); handicappers **Val's Prince** (Eternal Prince) and **Beautiful Pleasure** (Maudlin) and sprinter **Successful Appeal** (Valid Appeal).

Yesterday's Results:

9th-GPX, \$50,000, Alw, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 3/5, ft.

1--**GATHER THE DAY**, 114, f, 4, Dayjur--Gather the Clan (Ire) (GSW, \$232,748), by General Assembly. O-Kathy Jo Stable; B-A Lakin & Sons, Inc (KY); T-John C Kimmel. Lifetime Record: 6-5-0-0, \$131,700.

2--**Joana Alegre (Chi)**, 114, f, 4, Onward--Tepa (Chi), by Litigator.

3--**Betty's Star**, 114, f, 4, Pentelicus--Grand Betty, by Copelan.

Margins: 5, 4HF, 1. Odds: 0.40, 19.90, 9.40.

Gather the Day swept to victory in the first five races of her career before running fifth in her stakes debut in the July 3 GII Prioress S. Off since then, the dark bay filly jumped out to set the pace here and stormed clear down the lane for an easy comeback win.

STAKES CLOSINGS

TODAY, THURSDAY, MARCH 2:

03-12 \$750,000 Louisiana Derby-II, FG, 3yo, 8.5f, (2500)

TOMORROW, FRIDAY, MARCH 3:

06-18 \$250/100,000a Shoemaker Breeders' Cup Mile-I, Hol, 3yo/up, 8fT, (500)

07-09 \$1,000,000 Hollywood Gold Cup-I, Hol, 3yo/up, 10f, (1000)

07-23 \$500,000 Swaps-I, Hol, 3yo, 9f, (300)



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MINER'S MARK *Mr. Prospector - Personal Ensign*

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Florida Report cont.

10th-GPX, \$42,000, Alw, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:33 2/5, fm.

1--DIVIDE AND CONQUER, 117, h, 6, Danzig--Royal Solution, by Sir Ivor. O/B-Ogden Mills Phipps (KY); T-Claude McGaughey III. Lifetime Record: MGSP, 33-6-7-3, \$310,569. *1/2 to Regal Solution (Mr. Prospector), SP, \$166,790.

2--Keep It Strait, 117, g, 6, Country Pine--Chou Chou, by Premiership.

3--Vision of Night (GB), 117, c, 4, Night Shift--Dreamawhile, by Known Fact.

Margins: NO, HF, 3/4. Odds: 2.50, 52.80, 1.90.

Divide and Conquer has been racing with limited success in graded stakes company. He ran back-to-back seconds in the Aug. 28 GIII Fourstardave H. and Oct. 16 GII Kelso H. last year and returned in 2000 with back-to-back sixth-place finishes in the Jan. 3 GII Appleton H. and Jan. 22 GIII Canadian Turf H. Allowed to settle well back early, the bay angled to the outside for the stretch and just got up in the final strides for a narrow victory.

3rd-GPX, \$34,000, Msw, 4yo, 1 1/16m, 1:46, ft.

HOBAR (c, 4, Strawberry Road {Aus}--Al Balessa, by Rare Performer) debuted with an eighth-place finish over this track and distance Feb. 10. Getting Lasix for the first time, the colt was made the 9-5 favorite. He set the pace, turned back the challenge of runner-up Gore (A.P. Indy) on the far turn and came home 5 1/4 lengths the best. The winner is a full brother to Fowda, MGISW, \$721,634. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$20,700. O/B-Allen E Paulson (KY). T-Simon Bray.

Bailey Picks Up Mount on Champ:

The Anees (Unbridled) Derby has been won by jockey Jerry Bailey, who has picked up the mount on the Eclipse winner for his sophomore debut in the GII San Felipe S. at Santa Anita Mar. 19. Bailey opted to ride the Breeders' Cup Juvenile winner instead of riding Stronach Stable's Red Bullet (Unbridled) in the GIII Gotham the same afternoon at Aqueduct. "With Gary (jockey Stevens) out, we had to find the best jockey to fit Anees," trainer Alex Hassinger told *Daily Racing Form*. "Jerry is who the Prince wanted the most. He has had great luck with Bailey. He was our first choice."

☆ **NEW YORK** ☆

Walter Kelley Passes Away:

Walter A. Kelley, who trained John's Treasure to a second-place finish behind Danzig Connection in the 1986 Belmont S., died yesterday afternoon in Coral Gables, Florida. Mr. Kelley turned 93 just two weeks ago. Kelley, a native New Yorker, became a successful trainer on the New York circuit, conditioning stakes winners Prince John, Belle's Gold, Nickel Boy and Ziggy's Boy and was the co-leading trainer at Saratoga in 1960. Kelley was also the trainer of Blue Swords, who ran second to Triple Crown winner Count Fleet in the 1943 Kentucky Derby and Preakness. Funeral arrangements are pending.

Yesterday's Results:

8th-AQU, \$46,000, Alw, 4yo/up, 1m, 1:37 4/5, ft. BOODLES (c, 4, Forty Niner--Be Your Best {SP}, by Secretariat) was a well-beaten runner-up over this track last time out Feb. 4. The 6-5 favorite moved up four wide turning for home and drew clear to win by 1 3/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 13-3-4-3, 125,960. O-Centennial Farms. B-Gaineway Thoroughbreds Limited (KY). T-William I Mott.

☆ **EAST** ☆

Yesterday's Results:


8th-LRL, \$28,000, Alw, 4/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:45 4/5, ft. UNBRIDLED LADY (f, 4, Unbridled--Assert Lady, by Assert {Ire}) began her career with back-to-back wins at Laurel last fall before running third in the Dec. 26 Squan Song S. Nosed out of the win in her four-year-old bow on Jan. 29, the filly was the 4-5 favorite in her second start of the year. Wide throughout, she took a narrow lead at the top of the stretch and inched clear late for a 1 1/2-length score over Rutledge Affair (Colonial Affair). Lifetime Record: SP, 5-3-1-1, \$56,410. O/B-Alan S Kline (MD). T-Robin L Graham.

☆ **CANADA** ☆

Gandria Back on Track:

Sovereign Award champion Gandria (Green Dancer), working towards her 2000 debut, worked three furlongs over Woodbine's training track yesterday in :38 3/5. "This is her first work of the year and we wanted to make sure everything's okay," explained trainer Jim Cheadle. "She was great over the winter, she's grown a little bit, put on some weight and we're very excited about her this year." Cheadle said the filly would most likely make her comeback in an allowance race in preparation for the June 18 Ontario Matron S. at Woodbine.

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☆ MIDWEST ☆

ABSC Holds Mixed Sale:

The Arkansas Breeders' Sales Company held a mixed sale of weanlings, yearlings and horses of racing age in Little Rock Tuesday. A pair of horses shared top billing, each bringing final bids of \$42,000. Hip 91, a yearling filly by Ide--Moonlight Ridge (Cox's Ridge), was purchased by Pepper Tree Farms from the consignment of Oak Lawn Farm, agent. The filly was purchased by the consignor earlier this year for \$7,200 at the Keeneland January sale. Hip 86, a two-year-old colt by You and I--Mattan (Tentam) was also purchased by Pepper Tree Farms and was consigned to the sale by JH Equine Training Center, agent. The bay was also a successful pinhook, having brought \$12,500 as a yearling at the 1999 Arkansas October Sale. A total of 111 horses sold for an aggregate of \$601,500 for an average of \$5,419.

Yesterday's Results:

9th-OPX, \$35,200, Alw, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:09, ft.
RUN JOHNNY (g, 8, Johnny Blade--Strike It Witch, by Lot o' Gold), winner of last year's Gill Aristides H., had been off since finishing second in the Oct. 31 Gill Ack H. at Churchill Downs. Even-money here, the grey gelding stalked the pace, took charge turning for home and drove to a 2 1/4-length victory. Lifetime Record: GSW, 44-14-13-4, \$477,963.
 O-John Oakley. B-A Smith Paul (NM). T-Morris G Nicks.

8th-OPX, \$35,200, 4yo/up, 1m, 1:36 3/5, ft.
RELIC REWARD (g, 6, Prospector's Halo--Good Looking Girl, by In Reality), winner of the 1998 Gill Essex H., ran fifth in his 2000 debut in the Feb. 6 Crabapple S. The 2-1 favorite moved up to challenge for the lead leaving the backstretch and outgamed Charley Gunn (Track Barron) in a stretch battle for a 1 3/4-length win. He is a full brother to Relic Rhythm, MSW, \$257,872. Lifetime Record: GSW, 33-10-5-2, \$284,118.
 O-D J Grum. B-Centaur Farms Inc (FL). T-Cecil P Borel.

☆ SO. CALIFORNIA ☆

Hollywood Stall Apps Due:

Stall applications for the Spring/Summer meeting at Hollywood Park are due next Wednesday, March 8. Applications are available in racing offices in all California racetracks for the meet which begins Apr. 28 and continues through July 24.



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Yesterday's Results:

7th-SAX, \$63,860, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$100,000), 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:43 1/5, ft.

1--FUTURAL, 120, g, 4, Future Storm--Twigazuri, by Dixieland Band. O-Miller Trust & Weltz; B-Harry T Mangurian Jr (FI); T-Craig Dollase. Lifetime Record: SW, 11-4-2-3, \$175,590.

2--Luftikus, 120, c, 4, Meadowlake--Andora, by Conquistador Cielo.

3--Indiahoma, 118, g, 6, Salt Lake--Ruffetta, by Sharpen Up (GB).

Margins: 1, 1HF, 4HF. Odds: 3.70, 0.40, 8.60.

Futural returned from a five-month hiatus to run fifth in a seven-furlong optional claimer Jan. 15, but moved forward off that effort, stretching back out to two turns to take a one-mile event Jan. 28 by a length over next-out winner Moonlight Charger. Futural puled his way along down the backstretch while stalking the pace, lacked room behind horses once into the lane, but shifted to the outside and ran down Gill Strub S. runner up Luftikus, while lugging in a bit in deep stretch.

4th-SAX, \$61,190, Alw, 4yo/up, f/m, a6 1/2fT, 1:13 4/5, gd.

1--PENNY MARIE, 118, f, 4, Sky Classic--Aspenglo, by Raise a Native. O-Caufield, Eaton, Sigband, et al; B-Albert G Clay (KY); T-R B Hess Jr. Lifetime Record: SW, 6-4-0-0, \$141,400.

2--Sweetcakesanshakes, 118, m, 5, Something Lucky--Tami U Bar, by Kennedy Road.

3--Aviate, 118, f, 4, Lord Avie--Sweet Jen, by Full Out. Margins: 2, 1HF, 1. Odds: 2.90, 11.20, 6.50.

Penny Marie was off six months after winning the Arbor Vitae S. in June and returned to run fifth in the Dec. 27 Gl La Brea S. in her most recent start. Second choice in the field of 10, the filly was never far back, rallied wide into the lane to take over at midstretch and pulled clear to the wire.

1st-SAX, \$47,000, Msw, 4yo/up, f, 1 1/8mT, 1:51, gd.

BIENANDANZA (f, 4, Bien Bien--Fit N Fappy {GSP}, by Fappiano), off nine months after running eighth in her debut last February, returned to run third in November before a pair of runner-up finishes in January. Favored at 2-5, the filly pressed the pace and battled down the stretch for a half-length triumph over Belleau Wood (Alleged). Lifetime Record: 5-1-2-1, \$50,960.

O/B-John Toffan & Trudy McCaffery (KY). T-J Paco Gonzalez.

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BREEDERS' EDITION

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

7th-AQU, \$44,000, (S), 3yo, f, a1m70yd, 1:44 2/5, ft. HERE'S YA MAMA (f, 3, Wavering Monarch--S. S. Sparkle, by Victorian Prince) Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, \$56,220. O-Heatherwood Farm. B-Edna P Bensen (NY). T-Richard Schosberg.

9th-AQU, \$44,000, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:46 3/5, ft. KISS ME KRIS (f, 4, St. Jovite--Stars Knockout {SW, \$255,824}, by Two Punch) Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-0, \$59,200. O/B-B K Schwartz, E E Hauman & E Dahlman (NY). T-Michael E Hushion.

7th-BMX, \$35,275, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), 3yo, 6f, 1:10 3/5, gd. ROCACO (c, 3, Geiger Counter--Storm's Honor, by Storm Bird) Lifetime Record: 6-3-0-0, \$48,600. O-Jeff Bonde, Roselma Bonde & Ron Nalley. B-Ferguson Thoroughbreds Inc. (Ky). T-Jeff Bonde. *1/2 to India Brava (Fast Gold), Ch. Older Mare-Per G1SW-Per.

7th-LRL, \$32,000, Opt. Clm. (\$35-30,000), 4yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:16 1/5, ft. NIGHT CALLER (c, 4, Phone Trick--Sleepy Time, by Turkoman) Lifetime Record: SP, 21-4-5-6, \$129,485. O/B-Robert Masterson. T-Alan Goldberg. *1/2 to Pleasant Breeze (Pleasant Tap), GSW, \$526,540.

MAIDEN WINNERS:

Chocolate Overdose, f, 3, Blue Ensign--Put Up, by Hawaii. AQU, 3-1, (C), 1 1/16m, 1:47 4/5. B-Morten Mo (Fl).

Splendid Devin, c, 3, Fortunate Prospect--Topkapi Jewel, by Turkoman. GPX, 3-1, (C), 1 1/16m, 1:47 4/5. B-Farnsworth Farms (Fl).

Chapskick, f, 3, Hansel--Toots La Mae (SP), by Danzig Connection. LRL, 3-1, 1 1/16m, 1:45 4/5. B-Mrs Roy V Chapman (Pa). *1/2 to Toots's Tonya (Mining), SW, \$121,780; Mo Hotta Mo Betta (Unbridled), SW, \$129,462.

La Carol's Star, f, 3, Lac Ouimet--Retsina Star, by Pia Star. AQU, 3-1, (C), 1 1/16m, 1:50. B-George Arnold Sr (Ky). *1/2 to Retsina Run (Windy Sands), MSW, \$344,975.

Firey Ridge, c, 3, Many a Wish--Fire Valley, by Gone West. OPX, 3-1, (S), 6f, 1:11 2/5. B-Dr K K Jayaraman (Ar).

Miquely, c, 3, Marquetry--Gordy's Dancer (MSP, \$105,488), by Northern Baby. OPX, 3-1, (C), 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-Robert & Bea Roberts (Ky). *\$40,000 2yo 1999 KEENOV.

+ Out of the Buggy, f, 3, Miswaki--Embracing (SW, \$207,863), by Regal Embrace. AQU, 3-1, (C), 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-Barry Weisbord (Ky).

Pensglitter, c, 3, Pentelicus--Glitteringkeepsake, by Glitterman. GPX, 3-1, (C), 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-Anita R Hicken (Fl).

+ Classic Romeo, c, 3, Zafarrancho (Arg)--Shahtakee (SP), by Villamor. GPX, 3-1, (C), 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-E R & Cecilia Dixon (Fl).

Rainy Sunday, f, 4, Belong to Me--Seven Rogues (MSP, \$124,204), by What a Rogue. LRL, 3-1, 6f, 1:12 1/5. B-Mary E Eppler (Ny). *1/2 to P. J. Higgins (Oh Say), MSW, \$209,821.

Bienandanza, f, 4, Bien Bien--Fit N Fappy (GSP), by Fappiano. SAX, 3-1, 1 1/8mT, 1:51. B-John Toffan & Trudy McCaffery (Ky).

Sulton's Glass, c, 4, Dehere--Dona Bianca (GB), by Night Shift. SAX, 3-1, (C), 6f, 1:11 2/5. B-Malcolm Parrish (Ky). *\$40,000 wlng '96 KEENOV; \$38,000 yrl '97 KEESEP.

Lucky in America, c, 4, Quiet American--Lucky Lydia (SW, \$155,738), by Lydian (Fr). SUF, 3-1, 6f, 1:14 1/5. B-Reggie Bushell & Harold Miller (Ky). *\$40,000 wlng '96 KEENOV; \$22,000 yrl '97 KEESEP; \$55,000 2yo 1998 OBSFEB.

Hobar, c, 4, Strawberry Road (Aus)--Al Balessa, by Rare Performer. GPX, 3-1, 1 1/16m, 1:46. B-Allen E Paulson (Ky). *Full to Fowda (Strawberry Road {Aus}), MGISW, \$721,634.



FOALING NEWS

SMILES WITH A FIST, 10, Buckley Boy--Spanish Ghost (*Forli)

Foal born 1-16-00, a filly by Editor's Note.

Will be bred back to Tactical Cat.

Owned by John Brincat.

Boarded at Jonabell Farm, Ky.

Accomplishments: MSW, \$250,361.

DELTA LOVE, 7, Mr. Prospector--Love's Exchange (Key to the Mint)

Foal born 1-21-00, a filly by Cherokee Run.

Will be bred back to Old Trieste.

Owned by J. Mack Robinson.

Boarded at Jonabell Farm, Ky.

Accomplishments: MSW, \$138,187.

BREEDERS' CUP NATIONAL STAKES CLOSINGS



CLOSES	TRACK	RACE	CONDITIONS	PURSE	RUNS
3-4	TAM	Tampa Bay Breeders' Cup S.	3yo/up, 1 1/16mT	\$50,000	3-11
3-9	OP	Oaklawn Breeders' Cup H. (GIII)	3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m	\$200,000	3-19
3-9	FG	Pelleteri Breeders' Cup H.	3yo/up, 6f	\$150,000	3-19

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★ PREVIEW ★

Today, Nad Al Sheba, 21:15 (local time)
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CHALLENGE ROUND III-Listed, £60,097, 4yo/up,
1 1/4m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY
1	Dubai Millennium (GB)	Seeking the Gold {USA}	bin Suroor	O'Donohoe
2	Goombayland (Ire)	Common Grounds (GB)	bin Suroor	J Carroll
3	Lear Spear (USA)	Lear Fan (USA)	Elsworth	N Pollard
4	Comeonmom (USA)	Jolie's Halo (USA)	bin Suroor	Dettori
5	Eclair (USA)	Storm Bird (USA)	Rudkin	Ahern
6	Makaruka (USA)	Tremolino (USA)	Mather	Brette

All starters will carry 123 pounds.

★ FRANCE ★

Farina, Gillet Steal Show at Paris Opening:

The first meeting of the Parisien racing season was staged yesterday amid intermittent sunshine and showers, with the rain turning the official going to heavy. It was jockeys Tony Farina and Thierry Gillet who stole the honours by each securing doubles, while champion jockey Olivier Peslier got off to an inauspicious start with no winners from his four rides. He could manage only fifth place on his first ride aboard 7-10 favourite **Grail (USA)** (Quest For Fame {GB}) in the opening event, the Prix Gazala. The Prix Vollandry, a mile conditions event for older horses, was the most eagerly anticipated race of the day with four stakes winners and the well-related **Loudeac (USA)** (Riverman {USA}) in attendance. Peslier's day of frustration was compounded as the favoured Loudeac could manage only seventh to the Takashi Watanabe-owned **Bartex (Fr)** (Groom Dancer {USA}). The race itself produced an exciting three-way photo finish, but it was Vincent Vion aboard third-placed **Dionello (Fr)** (Le Glorieux {GB}) who controversially caught the eye. Dionello was afforded the tenderest of rides by Vion and would likely have won had his jockey decided to ride any sort of finish. The jockey incurred the wrath of the local stewards, who did not accept the rider's explanations and referred him to answer disciplinary charges at France-Galop's headquarters in Paris at a later date. The question will not be if Vion receives a ban or fine, but how severe each will be.

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Yesterday's Results:

2.05 Saint-Cloud, Prix Gazala (Class B) (Cond.), FF180,000, 3yo, f, 1 5/16mT, 2:31.00, hy.
MEILLEURE LOI (FR) (f, 3, **Homme De Loi {Ire}**--**Ti Bout De Zan {Fr}**), by **Ti King {Fr}**) raced in fifth as **Fille a Papa (Fr)** (**Rahotep {Fr}**) led at a steady pace, but made good progress onto the heels of the leaders at the top of the straight. She was ridden from the quarter mile marker, grabbed the lead from **Korocchi (Ire)** (**Brief Truce {USA}**) inside the last half furlong and kept on well to hold **Divine Du Rheu (Fr)** (**Signe Divin {USA}**) by three-parts of a length at odds of 19-5. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 1 place, FF104,000.
O-Mme Jean-Francois Dupont; B-Serge Boucheron; T-Jean-Claude Rouget; J-Jean-Rene Dubosc.

2.35 Saint-Cloud, Prix Aqua Tinte II (Class B) (Cond.), FF180,000, 3yo, c/g, 1 5/16mT, 2:29.00, hy.
SNOW (FR) (c, 3, **Snurge {Ire}**--**Rain Follow {Fr}**), by **Baillamont {USA}**), a 13-1 chance, headed the main body of the field in fourth as **In The Flow (USA)** (**Irish River {Fr}**) held a clear lead at a decent pace. He moved into a menacing second entering the straight, challenged at the distance and ran on well to lead inside the last 100 yards, drawing away for a comfortable three-length win. Lifetime Record: 8 starts, 2 wins, 4 places, FF163,600.
O/T-Bruno Montzey; B-Jacques Leclerc; J-Delphine Santiago.

4.05 Saint-Cloud, Prix Vollandry (Cond.), FF160,000, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:56.00, hy.
BARTEX (FR) (g, 6, **Groom Dancer {USA}**--**Belisonde {Fr}**), by **Gay Mecene {USA}**), a 47-10 chance, raced at the rear as **Plan de Paix (Fr)** (**Panoramic {GB}**) led from **Pinmix (Fr)** (**Linamix {Fr}**) and was still many lengths off the pace as **Pinmix** took the lead into the straight. He was at least ten lengths behind the leader with a quarter mile to run, but found another gear to wear down the leaders and finished strongly to snatch a short-head victory from **Le Roi Chic (Fr)** (**Balleroy {USA}**) on the line. Lifetime Record: 37 starts, 5 wins, 22 places, FF1,125,400.
O-Takashi Watanabe; B-San Gabriel Inv Inc; T-Tony Clout; J-Thierry Gillet.

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★ AUSTRALASIA ★

Marju Heading Down Under:

Marju (Ire) (Last Tycoon {Ire}--Flame of Tara {Ire}, by Artaius {USA}) will shuttle to Ra Ora Stud in New Zealand this Southern Hemisphere season for NZ\$17,500. He currently stands at Derrinstown Stud in Kildare, Ireland. Winner of the G1 St. James's Palace S., he has sired Group 1 winners My Emma (GB) and Sil Sila (Ire) through five crops of racing age.

WINNERS BY SHUTTLE STALLIONS:

- Queen (Aus)**, f, 2, **Fairy King (USA)**--Rose Of Portland (USA) (GSW-Aus), by Seattle Slew (USA). Kilmore (Victoria), 3-1, Carlton & United H., 2yo, f, 5 1/2fT, A\$6,500 to winner. B-Kingston Park Stud; T-Lee Freedman. *MSP-Aus.
- Play Station (Aus)**, g, 3, **Brief Truce (USA)**--Station Mistress (Aus) (SW-Aus), by Imperial Baron (Aus). Eagle Farm (Brisbane), 3-1, Kitchener H., 3yo/up, 7 1/2fT, A\$6,800 to winner. B-Mr J Ryan; T-Gerald Ryan.
- College Boy (NZ)**, g, 3, **College Chapel (GB)**--Norma Rae (NZ), by Sucaryl (GB). Te Awamutu (New Zealand), 3-1, Commercial Hotel Maiden, 3yo/up, 5f 165ydsT, NZ\$2,600 to winner. B-Ngaire Fraser; T-Graeme Rogerson & Keith Hawtin.
- Spectator (Aus)**, f, 3, **Danehill (USA)**--Iwan (NZ) (GSP-Aus), by Sir Tristram (Ire). Kilmore (Victoria), 3-1, Agar Chemicals H., 3yo, 5 1/2fT, A\$7,800 to winner. B-Mr J M Ryan; T-Lee Freedman.
- Wind Squall (Aus)**, c, 3, **Mukaddamah (USA)**--Dame Fashion (Aus) (GSP-Aus), by Bold Aussie (USA). Queanbeyan (New South Wales), 2-28, Greenchoice H., 3yo/up, 6fT, A\$5,000 to winner. B-Mr C T H Cropper; T-Barbara Joseph.
- Tradesman (Aus)**, g, 3, **Night Shift (USA)**--Damzelle (NZ) (G1SP-Aus), by Zamazaan (Fr). Strathalbyn (South Australia), 3-1, R V Jordan Maiden, 3yo/up, 1m 2f 55ydsT, A\$4,140 to winner. B-Woodlands Stud; T-John Hawkes. *1/2 to Tenor (Aus) (Star Watch {Aus}), G1SW-Aus; Dodge (Aus), (Canny Lad {Aus}) MG1SW-Aus.
- Network News (Aus)**, g, 3, **Roi Danzig (USA)**--Belle Camille (Aus) (GSP-NZ), by Rancher (Aus). Swan Hill (Victoria), 2-28, Mercedes-Benz Maiden, 3yo, 6fT, A\$4,500 to winner. B-Mr G Ellis; T-Bob Church.

★ MAIDEN WINNERS ★

- F-Zero (GB)**, g, 3, **Bin Ajwaad (Ire)**--Saluti Tutti (GB), by Trojan Fen (GB). Lingfield, England, Bet Direct From Littlewoods Maiden S. (Class D), 3-1, 3yo/up, 1m(AWT), £2,717 to winner. B-Deerfield Farm.
- Meilleure Loi (Fr)**, f, 3, **Homme de Loi (Ire)**--Ti Bout de Zan (Fr), by Ti King (Fr). Saint-Cloud, France, 3-1, Prix Gazala (Class B) (Cond.), 3yo, f, 1 5/16mT, FF90,000 to winner. B-Serge Boucheron. *8,176gns yrl '98 AFOCT.

★ U.S. PREMIERES ★

Today's Debuts:

4th-Aqueduct, \$43,000, Alw, 4yo/up, 6f.
RIVER GORGE (GB) (c, 4, Magic Ring {Ire}--Zinzi {GB}, by Song {GB}) won at first asking, but failed to make an impact in 14 subsequent starts for trainer Dermot Weld, and bid farewell to Ireland following a 14th in a Naas handicap. Lifetime Record: 15-1-3-0, \$11,781. O-Robert Rossi. B-Sexton Enterprises. T-John Pagano.

11th-Gulfstream Park, \$37,000, Alw, 4yo/up, f/m,
 a1 1/16mT.

SILKEN (GB) (f, 4, Danehill {USA}--Our Reverie {USA}, by J. O. Tobin {USA}) broke her maiden at Epsom in July for trainer Amanda Perrett and closed out her English campaign with a sixth in a Goodwood handicap in August. She will run with Lasix for her stateside debut. Lifetime Record: 9-1-1-3, \$11,868. O-Winstar Farm. B-Mr & Mrs K J Buchanan. T-W Elliott Walden.

11th-Gulfstream Park, \$37,000, Alw, 4yo/up, f/m,
 a1 1/16mT.

CHOIRGIRL (GB) (f, 4, Unfuwain {USA}--Choir Mistress {GB}, by Chief Singer {Ire}) failed to win in 12 starts for trainer John Gosden, but showed her quality with a second in the G3 Prestige S. at two and a sixth to Balisada (GB) in the G1 Coronation S. Second in the listed Upavon S. in August, she finished up with a fourth in the listed John Musker S. at Yarmouth in September. The bay filly will race on Lasix in her first start for new trainer Christophe Clement. Lifetime Record: 12-0-3-0. O-Cheveley Park Farm. B-Cheveley Park Stud Ltd. T-Christophe Clement.

How They Fared:

10th-Gulfstream Park, \$42,000, Alw, 4yo/up, 1mT,
 1:33 2/5, fm.

VISION OF NIGHT (GB) (c, 4, Night Shift {USA}--Dreamawhile {GB}, by Known Fact {USA}), sent off as the 9-5 chalk, skimmed the hedge and launched a furious rally in the straight, but came up a half-length short, finishing third in a blanket finish behind Divide and Conquer (USA) (Danzig {USA}) and Keep It Strait (Country Pine {USA}). O-Green Hills Farm Inc. B-Hesmonds Stud Ltd. T-Christophe Clement.

1st-Santa Anita, \$47,000, Msw, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT,
 1:51, gd.

ENGLAND'S ROSE (IRE) (f, 4, Alzao {USA}--Gold Tear {USA}, by Tejano {USA}) saved ground in the early stages, but lacked a rally in the stretch and came home fifth at odds of 10-1. O-The Thoroughbred Corporation. B-Forenaghts Stud. T-Alex Hassinger.