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#### FEE INCREASE FOR AWESOME AGAIN

Just days after being represented by a pair of Breeders' Cup winners, **Awesome Again** (Deputy Minister-Primal Force, by Blushing Groom {Fr})'s stud fee has



**Ghostzapper** Horsephotos

been raised to \$125,000. The
10-year-old stallion, who stands
at Adena Springs in Midway,
Kentucky, sired Saturday's
Breeders' Cup Classic winner
Ghostzapper, as well as Breeders' Cup Juvenile winner Wilko.
He is also the sire of multiple
Grade I winner Toccet and
graded stakes winners Awesome
Time, Snorter, and Pink Champagne. Awesome Again stood

last season for \$75,000. Explaining the increase, Adena Springs' Jack Brothers said, "There has been substantial interest since the Breeders' Cup. Ghostzapper made such a strong statement--he's the only Classic winner by a Classic winner. Plus Awesome Again's had Toccet, a superstar two-year-old, and a possible champion two-year-old in Wilko. He's got all the ingredients and he's a young stallion. And he's a Deputy Minister with a monster pedigree."

#### **BC HANDLE TOPS \$119 MILLION**

According to preliminary figures, the all-sources handle on this year's 12-race Breeders' Cup card at Lone Star Park Saturday was \$119,467,321. That is second only to the 2003 handle of \$120,631,437, but the early numbers do not include betting outside North America. A crowd of 53,717 was on hand, the highest since Churchill hosted 76,043 fans in 2000. The ontrack handle was \$13,326,726. With 28-1 Wilko (Awesome Again) taking the Juvenile, 27-1 Better Talk Now (Talkin Man) winning the Turf and 16-1 Singletary (Sultry Song) scoring in the Mile, there were no winners of the Breeders' Cup Ultra Pick 6, but there were two live tickets going into the final leg, the Classic--and one of the two included runner-up Roses in May (Devil His Due) and third-place finisher Pleasantly Perfect (Pleasant Colony). There were 61 tickets with five out of six, which paid \$56,149. A total of \$4,566,837 was handled on the Pick 6, up from \$4,489,454 last year.

#### ELECTION DAY IS JUVENILE DAY AT BIG A

Aqueduct will offer special Election Day racing today, with a pair of juvenile stakes highlighting the holiday card. Six colts and one gelding will line up for the GIII Nashua S., while five juvenile fillies will go postward in the GIII Tempted S. In the Nashua S., trainer John Servis will saddle 2-1 morning-line favorite **Rockport Harbor** (Unbridled's Song). The gray colt is unbeaten in



Nashua hopeful Favalora Equi-Photo

two starts, winning his 5 1/2-furlong debut by 8 3/4 lengths and following up with a 7 1/2-length victory Oct. 12. Both those victories came in front-running style, but Servis isn't concerned about his charge's ability to settle as he stretches out to a mile today. "He'll rate with no problem,"

Servis said. "The most impressive thing about him is his attitude

and his ability to do things easily. I'm very very happy with how he's training." **Salute** (Unbridled) has been made the 2-1 morning-line favorite for the Tempted S. The Phipps homebred is a daughter of champion Personal Ensign and is coming off a dominant second-out maiden win Oct. 8. That 8 1/4-length victory came at Belmont at the Tempted's one-mile distance.

## Tuesday, Aqueduct, post time: 2:48 p.m. TEMPTED S -GIII \$100,000, 2vo f 1m

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PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT				
1	Winsome	War Chant	H A Jerkens	115				
2	K.D.'s Shady Lady	Maria's Mon	R Dutrow Jr	115				
3	Hide and Chic	Seeking the Gold	Mott	116				
4	Summer Raven	Summer Squall	Pletcher	115				
5	Salute	Unbridled	McGaughey	115				

## Tuesday, Aqueduct, post time: 3:44 p.m. NASHUA S.-GIII, \$100,000, 2yo, 1m

	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
	1	Reverberate	Thunder Gulch	Russo	116
	2	Better Than Bonds	Sweetsouthernsaint	Reinacher	116
	3	Rockport Harbor	Unbridled's Song	John Servis	118
	4	Doctor Voodoo	Petionville	Ryerson	120
	5	Favalora	Untuttable	Allard	118
	6	All Trumps	Grand Slam	Penna Jr	116
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## ☆ NEWSTODAY ☆

#### VELAZQUEZ EARNS SHOEMAKER AWARD

John Velazquez was named the winner of the second annual Bill Shoemaker Award as the outstanding jockey on Breeders' Cup Day. Velazquez won the Distaff with **Ashado** (Saint Ballado) and the Sprint on **Speightstown** (Gone West), and was also second in the Classic, Turf and F/M Turf. His earnings for the day totaled \$3,130,200. The 32-year-old, who rode his first winner at El Commandante in 1990, became the sixth rider to win two Breeders' Cup races on the same day twice, a feat he also accomplished in 2002. "I am grateful to win such a prestigious award on the greatest day of racing," Velazquez said. "I would like to thank my owners and trainers for their outstanding support."

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## ☆ PREVIEWS



Tuesday, Maisons-Laffitte, France, post time: 2:20 p.m. PRIX MIESQUE-G3, €73,000, 2yo, f, 7fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER		
1	6	Cours de la Reine (Ire)	Fasliyev	Chapple-Hyam		
2	4	Mirabilis	Lear Fan	Fabre		
3	2	Arabian Spell (Ire)	Desert Prince (Ire)	Gibson		
4	3	Stella Blue (Fr)	Anabaa	Bary		
5	7	Beirut (Ger)	Turtle Island (Ire)	Schiergen		
6	1	Novarra (Ire)	Second Empire (Ire)	Schutz		
7	5	Princesse Jasmine (Fr)	Gold Away (Ire)	de Nicolay		
All carry 123 pounds, bar Cours de la Reine, 127.						

Cours de la Reine has to overcome a four-pound penalty for her success in the G3 Prix du Calvados on the soft at Deauville Aug. 21. Either side of that careerbest, she failed to handle fast ground when down the field in both the Listed Albany S. and G1 Prix Marcel Boussac last time Oct. 3. Mirabilis also disappointed in the latter event, but gets another chance to confirm the promise of her Sept. 9 Longchamp conditions score.

Beirut has claims on her neck second behind Daring Love (Ger) in the G2 Maurice Lacroix Trophy at Baden-Baden last time Sept. 3.

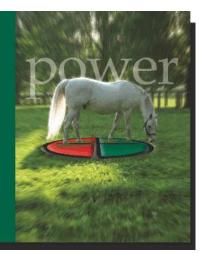


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## RESULTS

Sunday, Tokyo, Japan

THE TENNO SHO (AUTUMN)-G1-JRA, ¥256,420,000,

Tokyo, 10-31, 3yo/up, 2000mT, 1:58.90, gd.

1--ZENNO ROB ROY (JPN), 128, c, 4, by Sunday Silence 1st Dam: Roamin Rachel (GISW, \$528,777), by Mining 2nd Dam: One Smart Lady, by Clever Trick 3rd Dam: Pia's Lady, by Pia Star

O-Shinobu Oosako; B-Shiraoi Farm; T-Kazuo Fujisawa; J-Olivier Peslier; ¥135,654,000. Lifetime Record: 13-5-4-2. \*1/2 to Darling My Darling (Deputy Minister), MSW & MGISP, \$352,359.

- 2--Dance in the Mood (Jpn), 119, f, 3, Sunday Silence--Dancing Key, by Nijinsky II. O-Shadai Race H; B-Shadai Farm; ¥54,044,000.
- 3--Admire Groove (Jpn), 123, f, 4, Sunday Silence--Air Groove (Jpn), by Tony Bin (Ire). O-Riichi Kondo; B-Northern Farm; ¥33,522,000.

Margins: 1 1/4, 1HF, NK. Odds: 3.40, 38.30, 17.00. Also Ran: Tsurumaru Boy (Jpn), Lohengrin (Jpn), Narita Century (Jpn), Vita Rosa (Jpn), Tosen Dandy (Jpn), Balance of Game (Jpn), Silk Famous (Jpn), Telegnosis (Jpn), Lincoln (Jpn), Shell Game (GB), Sakura President (Jpn), My Sole Sound (Jpn), Hishi Miracle (Jpn), Daiwa Major (Jpn).

Providing trainer Kazuo Fujisawa his third successive victory in the Tenno Sho (Autumn), Zenno Rob Roy looked strong fending off the late challenge of the talented three-year-old filly Dance in the Mood. Zenno Rob Roy, who completed the trifecta under Symboli Kris S. in last year's G1 Arima Kinen in December, improved off a fourth-place effort in the G1 Takarazuka Kinen June 27 to be runner-up in the G2 Kyoto Daishoten last time Oct. 10. Reined back in mid-pack under Olivier Peslier here, he made his bid approaching the lane, took over soon after and was under spirited urging to account for Dance in the Mood. Super sire Sunday Silence also was responsible for the third-place horse, Admire Groove. "He's become a more powerful horse since I rode him last year," said Peslier. "I had a lot of confidence in him." According to Fujisawa, Zenno Rob Roy will take aim at the G1 Japan Cup Nov. 28 before a return engagement in the Arima Kinen.

The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the Nashua S.-GIII at Aqueduct. For pps and a complete race analysis, click here. Saturday, Kyoto, Japan SWAN S.-G2-JRA, ¥114,000,000, Kyoto, 10-30, 3yo/up, 1400mT, 1:21.90, fm.

10 starts, 4 wins, ¥122,666,000.

- 1--#TAMAMO HOT PLAY (JPN), 121, c, 3, by Fuji Kiseki (Jpn) 1st Dam: Hot Play (Jpn), by Northern Taste 2nd Dam: Dyna Hot (Jpn), by Dictus (Fr) 3rd Dam: Royal Sash (GB), by Princely Gift (GB) O-Tamamo K.; B-Shinsei Bokujo; T-Katsumi Minai; J-Masaru Honda; ¥61,316,000. Lifetime Record:
- 2--Meiner Solomon (Jpn), 125, c, 4, Tokai Teio (Jpn)--Takai Rodrigo (Jpn), by Rodrigo de Triano. O-K Thoroughbred Club Ruffian; B-Nakamoto Bokujo; ¥24,376,000.
- 3--Meisho Bowler (Jpn), 121, c, 3, Taiki Shuttle--Nice Raise, by Storm Cat. O-Yoshio Matsumoto; B-Hinode Bokujo; ¥15,188,000.

Margins: HD, NK, NK. Odds: 21.10, 7.60, 4.80. Tamamo Hot Play, eighth in the G1 Sprinters S. last time Oct. 3, made amends with a thrilling upset win here. The colt broke from the rail in a crowded 18-horse field, raced in a mid-field position before swinging out for the drive and prevailed in a blanket finish that saw just a length separating the first six horses. Tamamo Hot Play will next start in the Dec. 19 G2-JRA CBC Sho.

Saturday, Tokyo, Japan MUSACHINO S.-G3-JRA, ¥80,500,000, Tokyo, 10-30, 3yo/up, 1600m, 1:35.40, my.

- 1--#PIT FIGHTER (JPN), 123, h, 5, by Pulpit 1st Dam: Daring Danzig, by Danzig 2nd Dam: Impetuous Gal, by Briartic 3rd Dam: Impetuous Lady, by Hasty Road
  - O-Hiroyoshi Usuda; B-Shadai Farm; T-Yukihiro Kato; J-Yoshitomi Shibata; ¥42,602,000. Lifetime Record: 14 starts, 8 wins, ¥154,260,000. \*1/2 to Ecton Park (Forty Niner), GISW, \$1,323,825.
- 2--Silence Boy (Jpn), 123, h, 5, Marvelous Sunday (Jpn)--Fujinotakakotobuki (Jpn), by Horisky (Jpn). O-Turf Sport; B-Akiba Bokujo; ¥17,172,000.
- 3--Belmont Patty (Jpn), 119, f, 4, Brian's Time--Pera Donna, by Woodman. O/B-Belmont Farm; ¥11,086,000. Margins: 3/4, HF, 3/4. Odds: 12.40, 4.50, 51.30.

Pit Fighter, a half to America's GI Super Derby winner Ecton Park, emerged from a victory in December's Shiwasu S. with an injury and spent the next 11 months on the sidelines. A 12-1 outsider to prevail off the extended break, he rated kindly off the leaders, then forged to the front in midstretch to best Silence Boy. Odds-on favorite Ekolu Place (Grindstone) finished a disappointing 13th.



## Breeders' Cup Success Begins at Keeneland

ASHADO, Distaff winner -Sept. '02 SINGLETARY, Mile winner - Oct. '01 SPEIGHTSTOWN, Sprint winner - July '99 **WILKO**, Juvenile winner - Nov. '02; Sept. '03

BETTER TALK NOW, Turf winner - Nov. '99



## PEDIGREE INSIGHTS BY ANDREW CAULFIELD

BREEDERS' CUP CLASSIC POWERED BY DODGE S.-GI, \$3,668,000, LSX, 10-30, 3/up, 10f, 1:59 (NTR/NSR), ft. 1--GHOSTZAPPER, 126, c, 4, by Awesome Again

1st Dam: Baby Zip (SW), by Relaunch 2nd Dam: Thirty Zip, by Tri Jet

2nd Dam: Thirty Zip, by Tri Jet 3rd Dam: Sailaway, by \*Hawaii

O-Stronach Stables; B-Adena Springs (KY); T-Robert J Frankel; J-J Castellano; \$2,080,000. Lifetime Record: 10-8-0-1, \$2,996,120. \*1/2 to City Zip (Carson City), GISW, \$818,225.

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On a day when <u>Gone West</u> and <u>Storm Cat</u> both enjoyed their fourth Breeders' Cup success, the honors for the best stallion performance at the Breeders' Cup undoubtedly belonged to Awesome Again.

Not only was this comparative youngster represented by two winners, in Wilko and the exhilarating Ghostzapper, but he also became the first winner of the Classic to sire a winner of the Cup's feature event. In the process Awesome Again paid a timely tribute to his sire Deputy Minister, who died in September at the age of 25.

We shouldn't be too surprised that the Adena Springs resident has become the ninth Breeders' Cup winner to sire a Breeders' Cup winner. Awesome Again, after all, is a half brother to Macho Uno, winner of the 2000 Juvenile, and his sire has had more Breeders' Cup representatives--25--than all but a handful of stallions.

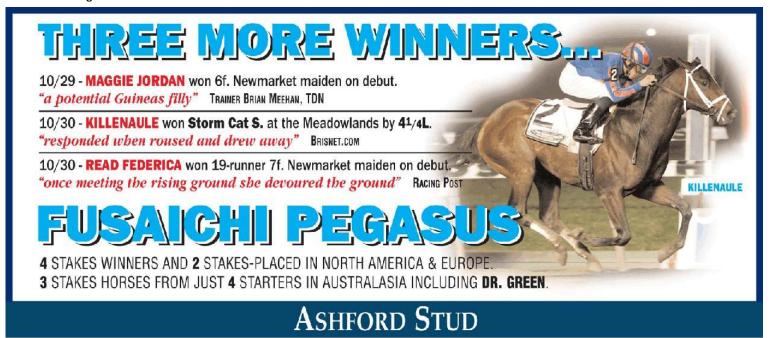
Those 25 featured such high-class sons as Dehere, Deputy Commander, Flag Down, Forest Camp, French Deputy, Mr Purple, Salt Lake and Touch Gold, but the only son of Deputy Minister to win on the big day was Awesome Again.

Despite being up against such stars as Skip Away, Silver Charm, Coronado's Quest, Touch Gold, Swain, Victory Gallop and Gentlemen in the 1998 Classic, Awesome Again managed to maintain his unbeaten record as a four-year-old, his late surge taking him past Silver Charm and Swain. In the process he provided his sire with his third Breeders' Cup triumph, following the Juvenile Fillies' victories of the champions Open Mind and Go For Wand. The Juvenile Fillies also provided the only previous success for one of Deputy Minister's stallion sons, with the 1998 version falling to Silver Deputy's remarkable daughter Silverbulletday.

I have to admit that, as a European, I have never been a fully paid-up member of the Deputy Minister fan club. For a stallion who twice topped the sires' table in North America--and was a grandson of Northern Dancer--Deputy Minister achieved comparatively little with his runners on Europe's turf courses.

For a while I thought Deputy Minister was mainly a victim of a Catch 22 situation which frequently entraps American dirt horses. Europeans are generally unwilling to take a chance with these dirt horses until they have shown they can sire top European turf runners. Yet these stallions are never going to sire those top turf runners unless the Europeans give them that chance.

The likes of Flag Down, Eloquent Minister, Curia Regis and Mongol Warrior weren't enough to change this attitude. Then the sheer scale of Deputy Minister's American achievements forced some powerful European concerns to have a change of heart in the late 1990s. They gained comparatively little from this renewed interest, the main dividend being the Irish group winner Turnberry Isle, who was soon returned to his native land. *Cont. p. 5* 





#### (Pedigree Insights cont. from p. 4)

There is another aspect of Deputy Minister's career which I have struggled to understand. With his climb up the stallion table forcing his fee higher and higher--to \$125,000 in 1998 and then to \$150,000 from 1999 through 2002--one would have expected Deputy Minister's results to remain extremely good. However, his only graded winners from those six-figure crops have been the Grade II scorer Fast Cookie and this year's Grade III scorer Evil Minister.

How do you explain such a turnaround? Is this another example of an elderly stallion losing some of his effectiveness, or was there a significant change in the type of mare sent to the higher-priced Deputy Minister? Perhaps the increased European interest played its part in the downturn.

I have sometimes wondered whether the declining results of an elderly top-class stallion are due partly to breeders opting to use his best sons, often at a much lower fee. When Deputy Minister's fee rose to \$150,000 in 1999, many breeders surely looked to the likes of Awesome Again, who was beginning his career at \$50,000, Touch Gold, who made his debut at \$30,000, and Deputy Commander, who started at \$20,000. Silver Deputy, boosted by Silverbulletday's juvenile championship, was in competition with his sire at Brookdale, at \$40,000.

The fact that Awesome Again's fee has now risen to \$125,000 reflects the good start he has made. Toccet's Grade I successes in the Champagne S. and Hollywood Futurity set the ball rolling and Awesome Again's total of graded winners from his 74-strong first crop now stands at four, thanks to Ghostzapper, Awesome Time and Snorter. With Personal Legend, Awesome Charm, Awesome Action and Rock Again all being graded-placed, this amounts to a highly pleasing start.

Strangely, Awesome Again's second crop hasn't made nearly as big an impact, its only stakes winner being Pink Champagne, a Grade III scorer in Canada. Perhaps we should remember that Awesome Again didn't race at two and was a markedly better horse at four than at three.

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His third crop has also been comparatively quiet, with the notable exception of the very hard-working Wilko.

This colt arrived at Lone Star Park as a winner of only two minor races from 10 starts on turf and he provoked the following rather tasteless comment from John McCririck, the outspoken British pundit reporting for the At The Races channel: "This Wilko, if this thing wins, they are going to shoot all the American two-year-olds. They must be absolutely useless. This is a stone [14lbs] behind our best two year olds, so I think it's inconceivable that Wilko will win."

Bearing in mind what I said earlier about the Deputy Ministers' comparative lack of success on European turf, there must be a fair chance that Wilko showed markedly better form on the dirt in Texas, even though the bottom half of his pedigree is European.

His dam Native Roots, who is by Indian Ridge out of a Tap On Wood mare, was conceived in 1996, just months after the 1995 Breeders' Cup Mile had fallen to the excellent Ridgewood Pearl, another Indian Ridge filly out of a Tap On Wood mare.

This cross has worked very well but Native Roots' link to this brilliant miler wasn't of much help in the sales ring, as she was one of the cheapest Indian Ridge yearlings in 1998. However her buyer was Padua Stables, perhaps influenced by the fact that her second dam Contrail was also the third dam of Taiki Shuttle, the Japanese horse who had triumphed in the G1 Prix Jacques le Marois a couple of months earlier.

Contrail was herself a half sister to Blue Wind, who turned the 1981 Oaks into a procession before going on to win the Irish Oaks. It takes an outstanding filly to complete this Oaks double in such style, as has been highlighted by the latest filly to do so--the admirable Ouija Board, who became Britain's other Breeders' Cup winner in Texas.

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Black Mambo (Kingmambo--Lassie's Lady, by Alydar) will begin his stud career next season at Bridlewood Farm in Ocala, Florida. The five-year-old, second in the Oct. 3 Reappeal S. at Calder, was on the board in eight of 21 starts with three wins and earnings of \$100,790. Out of Lassie's Dear, a half-sister to Broodmare of the Year Weekend Surprise, Black Mambo was a \$1.1-million KEESEP yearling. "We are very excited about this new stallion coming to Florida," said George Isaacs, general manager of Bridlewood Farm. "Not only is he bred exceptionally well, but he is a grand-looking individual and a must-see for all breeders." Black Mambo will stand for \$5,000 live foal.

#### Palm Meadows Opens:

The Palm Meadows Training Center in Boynton Beach, Florida opened its gates Monday and among the first arrivals were Todd Pletcher's Breeders' Cup winners **Speightstown** (Gone West) and **Ashado** (Saint Ballado). Also arriving was GI Belmont S. winner **Birdstone** (Grindstone). The 304-acre Palm Meadows, which opened for stabling and training in November 2002, accomodates 1,325 horses in 40 barns.

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#### Saturday Night's Results:

**STORM CAT S.**, \$60,000, MED, 10-30, 2yo, 1 1/16m, 1:45, ft.

1--KILLENAULE, 120, c, 2, by Fusaichi Pegasus

1st Dam: Tipically Irish (GISW, \$231,895), by Metfield

2nd Dam: Irish Izzy, by Full Out 3rd Dam: Suite Sixty, by Blade

O-Michael B Tabor; B-High Creek Farm (KY); T-Todd A Pletcher; J-C P Decarlo; \$36,000. Lifetime Record: 8-4-3-1, \$178,540.

- 2--Elusive Thunder, 120, c, 2, Thunder Gulch--Be Elusive, by With Approval. (\$75,000 yrl '03 KEESEP). \$12,000.
- 3--Diamond Clip, 115, g, 2, Wardrobe Test--Sister Luke, by Castle Guard. \$6,600.

Margins: 4 1/4, 10, 2. Odds: 0.40, 2.50, 13.60.

Killenaule ran his winning streak to three with this decisive score. The dark bay colt started the run with an allowance victory at Delaware Park Sept. 14 and came back to take the Dover S. at that track Oct. 9. The odds-on chalk to keep it going at the Big M, he put the pressure on the frontrunners through six furlongs in 1:11.43, strode to the front in the stretch and pulled clear. Killenaule will try to extend the streak in the Nov. 27 GII Remsen S. at Aqueduct.

#### Yesterday's Results:

8th-DEL, \$39,480, Alw, NW1X, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:12 2/5, ft. GOTTA RUSH (f, 2, Wild Rush--Silver Stockings {MSW, \$162,443}, by Seattle Sleet) was a seven-length winner in her Aug. 2 debut at Delaware, but was beaten seven lengths when third in her second start, an allowance test Sept. 20. Seventh through the opening half of this event, the bay filly found herself six wide at the top of the lane, but finished full of run to get up for a half-length score over Carly'ssilvercharm (Silver Charm) as a 7-2 shot. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, \$50,556. O-Inwood Farm. B-Inwood Farms & Andrew Savas (KY). T-Lloyd L Palmer.

MOTIVATOR (Gr.1 winner), AYAM ZAMAN (L.R. winner by 5 L.), KINGS QUAY (L.R. winner), Walk In The Park (Gr.1 placed), Dash To The Top (Gr.1 placed), Red Peony (Gr.3 placed) etc.

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**4th-CRC**, **\$20,000**, **Alw**, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:44 3/5, fm.

WITH ESSENCE (f, 3, Shuailaan--Majestic Wand, by War) started her career against open claimers, beating \$25,000 company on the Calder lawn Sept. 24. The chestnut stepped up to the allowance ranks off that victory, but weakened after pressing the pace and had to settle for third Oct. 24. The 5-2 favorite to make it back to the winner's circle this time, the 3/4 to What A Price (Repriced), GSP, \$156,369, shadowed the pace-setter to the stretch and took over at the eighth pole. Inlet (Mud Route) came after her in the final yards, but the winner had enough left in the tank to hold on for a one-length tally. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, \$25,200. O-Kay Hale. B-Hargus S & Sandra Sexton (KY). T-Robert A Hale.

3rd-DEL, \$34,000, Msw, 3/up, 1 1/16m, 1:45 1/5, ft. CODE CRACKER (g, 3, Cryptoclearance--Wild 'n' Nasty, by Wild Again) was a lackluster sixth while going six furlongs in his first start three weeks ago, but came to life in his two-turn bow. Sent off the even-money chalk, the \$61,000 FTMDEC weanling and \$180,000 FTKJUL yearling broke on top, set a moderate pace and kicked eight lengths clear at the wire. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$20,700.

O-Lazy Lane Farms Inc. B-E & D Enterprises (PA). T-H Graham Motion.

10th-PHA, \$23,600, Msw, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 3/5, ft. + CAROMON (c, 3, Maria's Mon--Tekoa, by Tejano), a 6-1 chance at first asking, was close to the pace early, powered to the front in the stretch and proved much the best, winning by nine lengths. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$15,600.

O/T-Todd M Beattie. B-Will Run Farm (PA).

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Leading Trainer: Steve Asmussen (11 wins)
Leading Jockey: Rafael Bejarano (26 wins)

Website: www.keeneland.com

## \* CENTRAL \*

**Churchill Downs Distaff Hopefuls Work:** 

Lady Tak (Mutakddim) and My Trusty Cat (Tale of the Cat), major contenders for Sunday's GII Churchill Downs Distaff, worked yesterday at the Louisville oval. Lady Tak, most recently winner of the GII Gallant Bloom S., went five furlongs in 1:01.80 over a sloppy track. Although the filly has had much of her success sprinting, trainer Steve Asmussen feels confident his filly will handle the one-mile Distaff. "She ran a great race when she was second in the [GI] Acorn last year at a one-turn mile at Belmont," Asmussen explained. "She's getting her confidence back so that she can be a little bit more patient." My Trusty Cat, second behind Lady Tak in the GI Ballerina S., blitzed five furlongs yesterday at Churchill in a bullet :59.80.

## \* WEST \*

Sunday Night's Results:

**PACIFICA H.**, \$69,475, BMX, 10-31, 3yo/up,

1 1/16mT, 1:44 1/5, yl.

- 1--NINEBANKS, 119, h, 6, Smokester--Nataka, by With Approval. O-Hollendorfer & Jamgotchian; B-Trudy McCaffery & John Toffan (CA); T-Jerry Hollendorfer; J-R J Warren; \$40,225. Lifetime Record: MGSW, 39-12-8-2, \$755,243.
- \*2--Motel Staff, 117, h, 7, Falstaff--Crafty Missy, by Bates Motel. \$14,300.
- 3--Gold Ruckus, 116, g, 6, Gold Alert--Majestic Ruckus, by Bold Ruckus. (\$2,000 yrl '99 FTMOCT). \$8,250. Margins: 3/4, NK, 1. Odds: 1.40, 13.50, 5.80.
- \*True Dancer (First and Only) finished second, but was disqualified and placed seventh.

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#### Pacifica H. cont.

Second in this race last year, Ninebanks went one better as the crowd's 7-5 chalk here. The dark bay opened the year with a fourth behind subsequent GI Breeders' Cup Mile hero Singletary in the Apr. 24 GII San Francisco Breeders' Cup H. at Bay Meadows, then picked up a win in the June 20 Foster City H. Given a break after that effort, he returned to be second in the California Turf Championship H. Sept. 6. Last time out, the Cal-bred came home fourth in the Oct. 2 GIII Bay Meadows Breeders' Cup H. The six-year-old enjoyed a perfect trip this time, cruising along while saving ground in midpack early before finding running room on the inside. He caught pacesetter Motel Staff just past the eighth pole and held off the late bid of True Dancer. The runner-up was disqualified and placed seventh for causing interference on the final turn.

#### ★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

#### IN JAPAN:

Bhagavadgita, c, 2, Pulpit--Firey Affair, by Explodent. Tokyo, 10-31, Maiden Race, 7f. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$66,037. O-Seiichi Iketani; B-Arthur B Hancock; T-Kiyoshi Hagiwara. \*\$100,000 yrl '03 KEESEP. \*\*1/2 to Swearingen (Deposit Ticket), MSW & MGSP, \$673,203. \*\*\*Held up in the early stages, he dug deep late to prevail by a neck. "He got more relaxed as the race progressed," said jockey Olivier Peslier. "He has really good speed."

Double Brother, c, 3, Marquetry--Crafty Tenderoni (SW, \$228,377), by Crafty Prospector. Tokyo, 10-30, Plate Race, 8f. Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-0, \$196,132. O-Yoshio Fujita; B-Jim Hawkins & Lois Hawkins; T-Takaki Iwato. \*\$50,000 yrl '02 FTKJUL. \*\*Full to Eishin Cleburne, SP-Jpn, \$943,482. \*\*\*Drew off to win by 2 1/2 lengths.

World Don, c, 3, West by West--Forty Five Tricks, by Phone Trick. Kyoto, 10-30, Plate Race, 7f. Lifetime Record: 9-2-0-2, \$210,283. O-Toyoji Ikeda; B-Harold J Plumley; T-Ippo Sameshima. \*\$18,000 yrl '02 OBSJAN; \$40,000 2yo '03 BESMAR.

Position One, c, 4, Carson City-Delagating (GSP), by Deputy Minister. Fukushima, 10-31, Fruit Line Cup, 6fT. Lifetime Record: 18-4-3-1, \$666,321.

O-Nobuyuki Oyagi; B-Needham/Betz, Hess, Elia & Werner; T-Yoshihito Dazai. \*\$200,000 yrl '01 FTSAUG; \$460,000 2yo '02 FTFFEB. \*\*1/2 to Just Ruler (Cox's Ridge), MSW, \$239,995. \*\*\*Stalking the pacesetter, he wore than one down and edged clear by 2 1/2 lengths on the line.

Gaily Jupiter, c, 4, Louis Quatorze--Vital Laser, by Seeking the Gold. Fukushima, 10-31, Plate Race, 8.5f. Lifetime Record: 10-3-1-0, \$276,321. O/B-Tokyo Thoroughbred Bureau Inc; T-Masakazu Akiyama.

Ichiro Swan, h, 5, Miswaki--Halo My Baby, by Halo. Tokyo, 10-31, Kinshu Tokubetsu, 7fT. Lifetime Record: 14-4-2-2, \$622,358. O-Toyomitsu Hirai; B-Silverleaf Farms, Inc; T-Masanori Sakaguchi. \*\$220,000 wnlg '99 KEENOV. \*\*1/2 to Art Work (Czaravich), SW & MGSP, \$113,750; and Minister's Baby (Deputy Minister), GSW, \$440,270.

Daiwa Boundary, h, 7, Boundary--Chilly Lilly, by Foolish Pleasure. Tokyo, 10-31, Hakushu Stakes, 7fT. Lifetime Record: 24-6-5-3, \$1,073,491. O-Daiwa Shoji Inc; B-Michael I Yovankin; T-Hiroyuki Uehara. \*\$70,000 yrl '98 KEESEP; \$150,000 2yo '99 FTFFEB.



## SOPHOMORE SPOTLIGHT

#### First-time starters/stakes runners: Tuesday, Nov. 2

Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2000 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

BUCK STRIDER (Easy Goer), Sarival, \$1000, 22/4/0

8-TUP, Stk, 6f, Sharp Strider

CHARISMATIC (Summer Squall), Japan, 156/40/2

4-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, +Raja Brown

EXPLOIT (Storm Cat), Taylor Made, \$25K, 159/46/4

4-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, +Dugald, \$30K OBS APR 2yo

REALITY ROAD (Believe It), Meadowbrook, \$3K, 16/5/0

8-TUP, Stk, 6f, Joe On the Aisle, \$4K OBS AUG yrl



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First-crop progeny to watch: Tuesday, Nov. 2 Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2001 Fee, #2yos/Winners/SW Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available) BEST OF LUCK (Broad Brush), Dell Ridge, \$5K, 54/0/0 2-CD, Msw, 1 1/16m, +Lucky One, \$77K FTK OCT yrl, 10-1 HIGH YIELD (Storm Cat), Ashford, \$25K, 84/7/0 10-CD, Msw, 6f, +Tetrahedron, \$125K FTK JUL yrl, 5-1 **LEM ON DROP KID** (Kingmambo), Lane's End, \$50K, 57/7/0 2-CD, Msw, 1 1/16m, Winning Season, \$500K KEE SEP yrl, 8-5 **ROYAL ANTHEM** (Theatrical {Ire}), Hopewell, \$10K, 79/1/0 10-CD, Msw, 6f, Royal Snooze, 12-1 STEPHEN GOT EVEN (A.P. Indy), Lane's End, \$13K, 59/4/0 4-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Datsyuk, \$110K KEE SEP yrl 10-CD, Msw, 6f, Don't Get Mad, \$350K OBS MAR 2yo, 12-1 4-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Quiet Retaliation, \$110K OBS MAR 2yo 10-CD, Msw, 6f, Kandinsky, \$98K OBS MAR 2yo, 20-1 SWEETSOUTHERNSAINT (Saint Ballado), Ocala, \$3K, 52/10/0 8-AQU, Stk, 1m, Better Than Bonds, \$67K OBS APR 2yo UNTUTTABLE (Unbridled), Stonehedge, \$3K, 24/4/1 8-AQU, Stk, 1m, Favalora WAR CHANT (Danzig), Three Chimneys, \$60K, 53/10/2 6-AQU, Stk, 1m, Winsome, \$350K FTF FEB 2yo



## AUSTRALASIA



#### **DANEHILL COLT DOMINATES INGLIS**

A colt from one of the last crops of leading sire Danehill topped the inaugural Inglis Spring Carnival Ready to Run Sale at Moonee Valley Sunday. Lot 82, out of the Sir Tristram (Ire) mare Torrential Storm (NZ), lived up to the pre-sale hype by attracting a bid of A\$300,000 from Worldwide Bloodstock Services. The Shipton Lodge, agent, consignee is a full brother to a pair of stakes winners in Hurricane Storm (Aus) and Danish Storm (Aus). A total of 55 horses were sold for gross receipts of A\$2,383,000 and an average of A\$43,327. "It was a most encouraging result for a sale of this type and we anticipate that it will be bigger and better next year," said Managing Director Reg Inlis. For complete results, visit <a href="www.inglis.com.au">www.inglis.com.au</a>.

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#### **STAKES RESULTS:**

**BLUEBONNET S.**, \$100,000, LSX, 10-31, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:45, gd.

- 1--#MY MISTY PRINCESS, 119, f, 4, Acceptable--My Princess, by Seattle Dancer. O/B-Melva Lou Strehler (KY); T-Dallas E Keen; J-J Theriot; \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 23-4-4-4, \$128,986.
- 2--Queena Corrina, 119, m, 5, Here We Come--No No Danielle, by Agitate. \$20,000.
- 3--Bonnie J., 119, f, 4, Arab Speaker--Dona's Slipper, by Prospector's Joy. \$11,000.

Margins: NO, 3/4, 2. Odds: 7.60, 6.30, 54.50.

#### **ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**6th-DEL, \$40,300,** Opt. Clm. (\$35,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11 2/5, ft.

DENNIS' DEMONS (g, 5, Diablo--My Heathers Chance, by Conte Grande {Fr}) Lifetime Record: 16-4-4-1, \$141,940. O/B-Joanna Reisler (FL). T-Timothy F Ritchey. \*1/2 to Key Chance (Key To The Kingdom), GSP, \$199,131.

**7th-DEL**, **\$38,300**, NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, a1m70yd, 1:45 2/5, ft.

SUMMER RAINBOW (f, 3, Summer Squall--Plucky Maid, by Housebuster) Lifetime Record: 7-3-2-1, \$88,980. O-Dogwood Stable. B-Eddie Kane & Todd Claunch (KY). T-H Graham Motion. \*\$10,000 yrl '02 KEESEP; \$45,000 2yo 2003 KEEAPR.

8th-HST, \$32,886, 10-31, NW1\$9M, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:44 3/5, gd.

FUTURE FLASH (c, 3, Katahaula County--Future Equity, by Steady Growth) Lifetime Record: MSP, 13-3-4-1, \$111,053. O-Daryl Snow & Robert & Jason Spevakow. B-Terry Black (BC). T-Daryl Snow. \*Full to Cruising Kat, GSW, \$234,061.

**8th-MNR**, **\$28,700**, 10-31, NW2L, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:46 3/5, ft.

BINGOBEAR (g, 3, Polish Numbers--Hushlu {SP, \$207,809}, by Tsunami Slew) Lifetime Record: 14-2-3-1, \$47,764. O/B-Jack M Queen (MD). T-Joseph P Shuman.



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8th-CRC, \$28,000, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000-\$35,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:18 1/5, ft.

LAWBOOK (c, 4, Notebook--Gold Parody, by Java Gold) Lifetime Record: MSW, 28-4-9-6, \$232,711. O/T-T H Heard Jr. B-Beverley & Steve Tortora (FL).

9th-HST, \$27,243, 10-31, NW1\$9M, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:44 2/5, gd.

STEADY SMILER (c, 4, Repletion-Song and a Smile, by Steady Growth) Lifetime Record: GSP, 27-4-5-5, \$226,290. O-Rob Maybin. B-DNA Stables (BC). T-Robert Maybin.

8th-PHA, \$25,473, NW1X, 3/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12 2/5, ft. SAUCEYRUBIN (f, 3, Larrupin'--Saucey Missy {MSP, \$178,563}, by Sauce Boat) Lifetime Record: 15-2-2-3, \$44,693. O/T-Raphael B Kissoon. B-Howard C Schaeffer Jr Holdings Inc (PA). \*\$4,000 wlng '01 FTMDEC; \$8,500 2yo 2003 FTMJUL.

9th-PHA, \$24,046, NW2X, 3/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:17, ft. COZY GLOW (f, 4, Cozzene--Sarabi, by Lost Code) Lifetime Record: 15-3-4-2, \$73,590. O-Arthur E Vickers. B-Leslie R Grimm & Flint S Schulhofer (KY). T-Todd M Beattie. \*1/2 to Coconut Girl (Cryptoclearance), GSW, \$277,166.

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

This Is It, f, 3, Is It True--Sell the Market, by Marquetry. MNR, 10-31, 5 1/2f, 1:07. B-David E Ahearn (FI).

## BREEDERS' EDITION **EUROPE**

#### **CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

ITALY, Milan, 5.20, Cond, 10-31, €30,600, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:45.80, hy.

PALINURO (IRE) (c, 4, Night Shift--Puppy {Ire}, by Common Grounds (GB)) Lifetime Record: 26 starts, 10 wins, 11 places, €125,757. O-Scuderia Effevi; B-Ecologica Toscana SRL; T-Alduino & Giuseppe Botti. \*L57,000,000 yrl '01 ITYSEP.

**ITALY, Rome, 1.30, Cond**, 10-31, €26,775, 2yo, 7½fT, 1:35.80, hy.

BOD ROCKET (IRE) (c, 2, Rossini--Sylviani {GB}, by Ashkalani (Ire) Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 3 wins, 2 places, €32,810. O-Scuderia Bod Horse; B-R C Dollar and F J Reeder; T-R Biondi. \*€4,500 yrl '03 TATIRE.

ITALY, Rome, 2.00, Cond, 10-31, €26,775, 3yo, 7T, 1:28.20, hy.

TEBAGE DELLE VIGNE (ITY) (c, 3, Earl of Barking {Ire}--Tillycias (Ire), by Lycius) Lifetime Record: 15 starts, 6 wins, 8 places, €96,492. O-Scuderia Andy Capp; B-Al Podere Vignalunga di Elektra Sas; T-P Paciello.

FRANCE, Lyon-Parilly, 2.00, 11-1, €14,000, 2yo, f, 1mT, time: n/a, sf.

AZUCAR (FR) (f, 2, Marathon-Alabala (Fr), by Neverneyev) Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 2 wins, €11,500. O/B-Cte Luis de Quintanilla: T-Jean-Claude Rouget.

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

Kangrina (GB), f, 2, Acatenango (Ger)--Kirona (GB) (MSW-Ger, \$172,336), by Robellino. Wolverhampton, Britain, 10-30, Mdn, 2yo, 1m 141yds (AWT). B-Gestut Fahrhof. \*€34,000 yrl '03 BBASEP.

Gioell (Ire), c, 2, In the Wings (GB)--Cannikin (Ire), by Lahib. Milan, Italy, 10-31, Mdn, 2yo, 1 1/8mT. B-Piercetown Stud.

+ Le King (Ire), c, 2, King's Theatre (Ire)--La Luganese (Ire), by Surumu (Ger). Mulheim, Germany, 10-31, Mdn, 2yo, 1mT. B-Gestut Wittekindshof. \*1/2 to La Blue (Ger) (Bluebird), Hwt. 3yo-Ger at 9.5-11f, Hwt. Older Mare-Ger at 7-9.5f, MGSW & G1SP-Ger, MGSP-Fr, \$369,249; Lomita (Ger) (Niniski), Hwt. Older Mare-Ity at 9.5-11f, GSW-Ity & Ger, \$165,950.

Incentive (Fr), c, 2, Machiavellian--Seductrice, by Kingmambo, Lyon-Parilly, France, 11-1, Cond, 2yo, c/g, 1mT. B-Greenhill Farm.

lalcarno (Ity), c, 2, Merzouk--Ideale di Vita (Ire), by Law Society. Pisa, Italy, 10-31, Mdn, 2yo, 1 1/4mT. B-E Felici.

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## WRITERS UP

#### A HELPING HAND

by Bill Finley

When Becky Petri moved to the Virgin Islands 12 years ago she was appalled to find that horses, many of them castoffs from the local racetrack, were literally being abandoned on the streets, roads and fields of St. Thomas. Worse yet, no one seemed to care.

"I saw a horse on the side of the road," she said.
"His skin was peeling off him, he was starving, he was in horrible condition."

In this case, Petri got the local humane society to step in, but that hardly stopped a problem in country where suitable land and space for horses is scarce, animal cruelty laws are only now being written into the books and some thoroughbred owners simply don't care about the welfare of their horses. In the Virgin Islands, a retired race horse could just as easily wind up abandoned as it to find a good home. Over the years, Petri saw dozens of cases of such neglect and abuse. She always did what she could, but with little money and few suitable places on the island to put horses that needed rescuing, there was only so much she could do.

There are still ex-racehorses that wind up being tossed away onto the streets of the Virgin Islands. But an abandoned or unwanted horse now has a good chance of making it to safety thanks to Petri and two horse-loving friends, Kate Johnson and Lynn Utech, who have started an organization called The Virgin Islands Community Cooperative Thoroughbred Retirement Effort or VICCTRE (pronounced "victory") for short.

 Less than a month ago, VICCTRE's latest success story arrived safely in Florida and is now on his way to a full recovery at the Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation's farm at the Marion Correctional Center in Ocala. His name is Vintime, a 7-year-old gelding by Alydeed.

Vintime was found loose running down a road in St. John by Johnson, after she was alerted by a friend. Apparently, the horse had been running loose for days.

"The horse was starved and hurt," Johnson wrote in a journal. "All his ribs, both hips and back bone were visible. In addition, he was bleeding from wounds on his right front shoulder and a gaping wound on his right pastern; living flesh still hanging from the latter. I couldn't believe the horrific condition of this animal.

"How horrified was I to see this amazing horse had been forced into survival mode. He was in search of any grass, weed or plant that he could eat, but barely able to navigate a path due to his pain-filled legs and aching body. His skin was stiff, his membranes without a drop of water and each rib protruding from his sides told the story of neglect. But his eyes, they had a sparkle that said, "I'm not ready to give up yet."

Vintime's only crime was that he was too beaten up and too slow to remain competitive at the local racetrack.

Once Vintime has been rescued, there was still the problem of transporting him to Florida, which costs about \$2,700. To help raise the money, Johnson took Vintime bar hopping.

"I took him to town one Sunday, between three and six," she said. "I had a little donation bucket tied around his neck and took him to the happy hours at three different bars. We raised almost \$2,000 from that. I had to explain to people what I was doing and what the situation was. But once they understood, they were thrilled to participate."

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By mid-August, Vintime and a horse named Agassi, who was not neglected but needed a home after being retired from the track, were on their way to Florida via Puerto Rico. It was the sort of heroic feat Petri probably never could have pulled off before VICCTRE was formed.

The group is now organized, is raising awareness of the problem, has helped convince government to formulate some basic animal cruelty laws and is trying to raise money. It has also made a vital connection with the TRF. For the first time, Petri and her friends have a viable place to send the abandoned horses of the Virgin Islands.

"I wanted to have an organization like this for years," Petri said. "My problem was I didn't know what to do with the horses. If it weren't for the TRF's willingness to take some of these horses, I still don't know what I'd do with them. The TRF gave us hope."

Two more horses saved by VICCTRE will depart the Virgin Islands on their way to the TRF and Florida Oct. 1. There are still the issues of coming up with the money to ship the horses to the U.S. and finding other alternatives for them besides the TRF, like local adoptions. But don't underestimate Johnson, Petri and Utech and their will to solve a terrible problem.

"Vinnie is the lucky horse in this story," Johnson wrote. "...'Tonto' died two days after Vinnie's rescue of extreme starvation, neglect and abuse. He was found surrounded by garbage in a small valley on the side of the road...People passed Tonto every day and assumed that somebody else would take care of him."

The three are determined there will never be another story like Tonto's again. Don't bet against them.

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Additional Maiden Winners cont.

Game Lad (GB), c, 2, Mind Games (GB)--Catch Me (GB), by Rudimentary. Redcar, Britain, 11-1, Mdn, 2yo, 7fT. B-M H Easterby.

Pamir (Ire), g, 2, Namid (GB)--Mijouter (Ire), by Coquelin. Wolverhampton, Britain, 10-30, Mdn, 2yo, 6f (AWT). B-James Kavanagh. \*19th winner for freshman sire (by Linamix {Fr}). \*€30,000 wnlg '02 GOFNOV; 50,000gns yrl '03 TATOCT.

Nievo (Ire), c, 2, Polar Falcon--Nota Azzurra (GB) (SP-Ity), by Primo Dominie (GB). Rome, Italy, 10-31, Mdn, 2yo, 1mT. B-Bartolomeo Trabassi.

+ A Beautiful Mind (Ger), f, 2, Winged Love (Ire)--Allure (Ger) (GSP-Ger), by Konigsstuhl (Ger). Bremen, Germany, 10-31, Mdn, 2yo, 7fT. B-Gestut Karlshof. \*€80,000 yrl '03 BBASEP.

Whirly Bird (GB), f, 3, Nashwan--Inchyre (GB), by Shirley Heights (GB). Wolverhampton, Britain, 10-30, Mdn, 3yo/up, 9f 103yds (AWT). B-Woodcote Stud Ltd.

Simone Boccanegra (Ire), c, 3, Perugino--Semiramide (Ire), by Persian Bold (Ire). Munich, Germany, 11-1, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/4mT. B-Alexandra Pereira.

Safirah (GB), f, 3, Singspiel (Ire)--Princess Haifa, by Mr. Prospector. Redcar, Britain, 11-1, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/4mT. B-Darley.

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Kris S.

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(Action This Day, Brocco, Hollywood Wildcat, Prized, Soaring Softly)

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(Da Hoss {twice}, Johar, Speightstown)

**Nureyev** 

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(Miesque {twice}, Spinning World, Theatrical {Ire})

**Storm Cat** 

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(Cat Thief, Desert Stormer, Storm Flag Flying, Sweet Catomine)

