# GINGER PUNCH, NASHOBA'S KEY RETURN p3-4

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# HEADLINE NEWS



### SHOW MUST GO ON...BUT WILL IT?

Today's Sunshine Millions races will take place as scheduled at Florida's Gulfstream Park, where champion and GI Breeders' Cup Distaff winner **Ginger Punch** (Awesome Again) is the headliner in the \$500,000 Distaff. The situation is a lot more fluid at Santa Anita. For the second time in the month of January, torrential rains have pummeled the Southland area of Southern



The waterlogged Cushion Track at Santa Anita Benoit

California and an additional 3 1/2 inches of rain have fallen on the already deficient Cushion Track. The storm also left about two inches of hail on the surface Thursday morning, forcing the cancellation of that day's live racing program. Officials at the Arcadia track were forced to call of yester-

day's action due to the wet conditions. Nevertheless, there remains optimism that racing will take place today at Santa Anita, where a competitive field of 12 is set to face the starter in the \$1-million Sunshine Millions Classic. "Any decision we make will be in full consultation with trainers, owners, jockeys, officials and track maintenance personnel," said Santa Anita President Ron Charles. "We realize that many people, including our fans and horsemen are being inconvenienced by the uncertainty wrought by the current weather and track conditions. At this point, due to the uncertain weather, we need to maintain the flexibility to be able to take advantage of favorable conditions, should they materialize in the next 24 hours. If we get a break in the weather, we will make every attempt to try and run," he added. According to published reports, the weather was expected to clear enough during the overnight hours to allow maintenance crews to work the track in an attempt to have it ready for today's races.

#### A Wide-Open Classic...

A field of 12, split evenly between Florida- and California-breds, race for the \$550,000 winner's share of the purse in the Classic. Horses from the Golden State have dominated the race over the past years, but



Diamond Stripes Equi-Photo

Four Roses Thoroughbreds'
Diamond Stripes (Notebook) will try to take the
trophy back to the Sunshine State. Off the board
just once in 10 career
starts--he was eighth in last
year's GI Breeders' Cup
Classic--the gray was third
to Lawyer Ron in the GI
Whitney H. and the GI

Woodward S. at Saratoga last summer before taking the GII Meadowlands Cup Oct. 5. He was most recently a troubled third in the GII Clark H. at Churchill Downs Nov. 23 and merits respect from off the pace, though trainer Richard Dutrow Jr. is taking nothing for granted. "We're taking a big chance hoping he likes that track, and he's going to have to like that track to win that race because it's not an easy spot," the conditioner told Daily Racing Form. He added, "He's traveling cross-country, and we're just hoping he handles whatever they call that track. We're not confident, but it seems like [most] horses in the race are in the same hoat."

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**IIDE KENSHIN** won juvenile Grade 1 in Japan **NITE LIGHT** won Gallant Fox Handicap at Aqueduct by 10L.

# THUNDER GULCH

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#### TDN Feature Presentation cont.

McCann's Mojave (Memo {Chi}), who upset last year's Classic at odds of 33-1, will try to continue California's dominance in the race. The eight-year-old entire has taken nicely to racing over synthetic surfaces, having won the GIII All-American S. on the Tapeta at Golden Gate Nov. 17 followed by a runner-up effort to Now Victory (Sharp Victor) in the Dec. 26 Forty Niner S. at the San Francisco-area oval. It would certainly make for an easy post-race interview should he successfully defend his title; McCann's Mojave is campaigned by Mike Willman, director of publicity at Santa Anita. Trainer Eddie Plesa Jr. took the inaugural running of the Sunshine Millions Classic with Best of the Rest and has two bullets to fire if they race this afternoon. Padua Stables' homebred Electrify (Delaware Township) comes into today's test in career-best form, with a victory in the Carl G. Rose Classic for Florida-breds at Calder Nov. 10 and a score in the GIII Fred W. Hooper H. Dec. 15. Plesa's other runner, Gottcha Gold (Coronado's Quest), had a breakout season in 2007. A homebred for Vernon Heath's Centaur Farms, the fiveyear-old upset champion Lawyer Ron in the GIII Salvator Mile H. at Monmouth Park June 23 and took the GIII Iselin Breeders' Cup H. Aug. 18. He makes his first start since filling the runner-up spot behind Corinthian in the Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile back at the Jersey Shore Oct. 26.

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	Saturday, Santa Anita, post time: 2:46 p.m. PST				
		<b>NS CLASSIC</b> , \$1,000,000, (R), 4yo/up, 1 1/			
	HORSE OWNER	BREEDER	TRAINER/JOCKEY		
1	Diamond Stripes Four Roses		Dutrow Jr	7-2	
	(g, 5, NotebookRomantic Summer,	by On to Glory)	Velasquez		
2	Bilo King Edward	Ed Nahem-CA	Jones	8-1	
	(g, 8, BertrandoRaffle's Bag, by De	viľs Bag)	T Baze		
3	Buzzards Bay Gary S Broad		Ellis	8-1	
	(h, 6, Marco BayLifes Lass, by Sen	eca Jones)	Valdivia Jr		
4		rust/Robinson/et al Langbein, Morey, Robinson & Hall-C	A Morey Jr	10-1	
	(h, 5, Chief SeattleHooked on Mus	ic, by Seattle Dancer)	Flores		
5	Celtic Dreamin K K Sangara	Rainbow Meadows Farm-CA	Becerra	8-1	
	(g, 4, Game PlanAstal Dreamer, by		Solis		
6	Now Victory Harris Farms		Pederson	15-1	
	(g, 7, Sharp VictorZoelu, by Dynaf	ormer)	Smith		
7		ennig/Venneri/et al Madera T'breds-CA	Gutierrez	12-1	
	(g, 6, Lil TylerLake Okeechobee, by		M Baze		
8		es Padua Stables-FL	Plesa Jr	5-1	
	(g, 5, Delaware TownshipRaspberr	y Eggcream, by Time for a Change)	Castro		
9	Go Between Peter Vegso		Mott	8-1	
	(h, <u>Point Given</u> Mediation {Ire}, by		Gomez		
10	McCann's Mojave Mike Willma	n A N Hunt & M Willman-CA	Specht	12-1	
	(h, 8, Memo {Chi}Joni U. Bar, by I	Nordic Prince)	Alvarado		
1	Going Ballistic Kindred T'br		Von Hemel	15-1	
	(c, 4, Lite the FuseHoly Lightning,		Talamo		
1:	2 Gottcha Gold Centaur Fari		Plesa Jr	8-1	
	(h, 5, Coronado's QuestGottcha La		Lopez		
A	Joy's Comet Jeffrey Seng		West	30-1	
	(g, 5, Comet ShineJoy's Party, by		T Baze		
A	Better Than Bonds Robert Abbo		Motion	30-1	
	(h, 6, SweetsouthernsaintJabesh,	by Vanlandingham)	Rose		





Saturday, Santa Anita, post time: 1:44 p.m. PST SUNSHINE MILLIONS F/M TURF, \$500,000, (R), 4vo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT

TRAINER ODDS PP HORSE SIRE 8-1 Somethinaboutlaura Dance Floor Hollendorfer 1 2 Placid Lake **Greenwood Lake** Cerin 20-1 3 Snow Cone Cryptoclearance Ma Wolfson 8-1 4 Lady Tropicana Cloud Hopping Benning 30-1 5 Gentle Charmer Bertrando Moger Jr 20-1 Nashoba's Key Silver Hawk Gaines Even Quite a Bride Stormy Atlantic Mott 9-5 8 Bai and Bai Falstaff C Dollase 15-1 All carry 122 pounds, except Snow Cone at 120.

The brilliant **Nashoba's Key** had her seven-race streak broken in the GI Breeders' Cup F/M Turf Oct. 27, but was an honorable fourth in that event, finishing just two lengths behind champion Lahudood (GB) over Monmouth's gooey going. Runner-up in both the older female and turf female Eclipse Award balloting, the versatile bay returns to the Santa Anita sod, where she has three victories in three starts. Her most recent outing here was a game victory in the GI Yellow Ribbon S. Sept. 29. Shipping in from Florida is **Quite a Bride**, winner of the GIII Mint Julep H. last season. She tuned up for this test with a front-running tally in the South Beach S. for Florida-breds Jan. 3 at Gulfstream.

# **②** Watch Out for "TDN Rising Stars" **③**

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# THREE CHIMNEYS

Winners' Circle Report

For the week ending January 25, 2008



## <u>Dynaformer</u> 161 STAKES PERFORMERS

The **161st stakes performer** for Dynaformer is **Rocket Legs** (04 c. o/o The Right Pew, by Pulpit), who was second in the \$150,000 San Marcos S. [G2] going 1-1/4 m. on the turf at Santa Anita Jan. 19, beaten just a length and a quarter for the win. He's earned \$138,474 and won or placed in eight of his 10 career starts, including setting a new track record at Hollywood on the all weather track going 1-1/4 m. last year. **chart video**. Owner/Breeder: Alex G. Campbell, Jr.

# $\frac{War\ Chant}{75\%}$ OF HIS WINNERS THIS YEAR ON TURF OR ALL WEATHER TRACKS

SENSATIONAL LOVE (05 f. o/o Love's Sensation, by Lear Fan) won a mile turf allowance at Gulfstream Park Jan. 19 by two and a quarter lengths. She has two wins and one third place finish from four starts and has earned \$38,610. <a href="https://chart.video">chart.video</a>. Owner/ Breeders: Irving Cowan & Marjorie Cowan.

**Gregorian Bay** (04 c. o/o Lochlin Slew, by Seattle Slew & TCF GRAD) won by a length and a half going 1-1/16 m. on the all weather track at Santa Anita Jan. 18. He pressed the pace, took command into the stretch and then was "in hand" late. He's won or placed in seven of his eleven starts and earned \$105,160. <a href="mailto:chart\_video">chart\_video</a>. Owners: Barber & Barber. Breeder: B. Wayne Hughes.

SOUTHERN ISLAND (03 g. o/o Cobrina, by Capote) won by five lengths going 5-1/2 f. on the all weather track at Turfway Park Jan. 18. He's won four of his eleven starts and earned \$61,135. <a href="mailto:chart video">chart video</a>. Owner: Fox Hill Farms, Inc. Breeder: Betty Biszantz.

# Yes It's True 40TH CAREER STAKES PERFORMER IS THIRD STAKES HORSE OF 2008

The 40th career stakes performer and third stakes horse of the year for Yes It's True is **Are We Dreamin** (04 f. o/o Higher Earnings, by Corporate Report), who was third in the \$65,000 Happy Princess S. going 6 f. at Aqueduct on Jan. 24, beaten just three and a half lengths for the win. She's earned \$118,042. <a href="mailto:chart\_char.">chart\_chart\_chart.</a> video. Owner: Anthony Calabrese. Breeders: Francis & Barbara Vanlangendonck.

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#### Sunshine Millions fields cont.

Saturday, Gulfstream Park, post time: 5:03 p.m. EST SUNSHINE MILLIONS DISTAFF, \$500,000, (R), 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Peach Flambe	Flying Chevron	Hennig	8-1
2	Ginger Punch	Awesome Again	Frankel	6-5
3	Leah's Secret	Tiger Ridge	Pletcher	5-1
4	Saffronista	Ecton Park	Pinchin	20-1
5	Swiss Current	Swiss Yodeler	O'Neill	20-1
6	Night Power	Benchmark	Uriza	30-1
7	Exchanging Fire	Exchange Rate	DiMauro	30-1
8	Bayou's Lassie	Outflanker	Clement	4-1
9	Prop Me Up	Reparations	Sacco	20-1
10	Memorette	Memo (Chi)	Currin	15-1
11	Curiously Sweet	Mud Route	Sadler	12-1
12	Lost Etiquette	Lost Soldier	Asmussen	20-1

Uneasy lies the head that wears the crown? Unlikely. **Ginger Punch**, honored with an Eclipse Award last Monday, gets an early start to 2008 here. "She had time to get weight on," trainer Bobby Frankel told *Daily* 



Ginger Punch
Equi-Photo/Sarah K Andrew

Racing Form. "At the end of last year, she was pretty light. She's not a big filly, and doesn't carry a whole lot of weight." Frank Stronach's homebred capped off her championship season with a determined victory in the GI Breeders' Cup Distaff Oct. 27 at Monmouth, and towers

over these rivals on paper. Her main challenger could be **Bayou's Lassie**, a graded-stakes winner on turf and dirt. The Jacks or Better homebred overcame trouble to win the GIII Stage Door Betty H. at Calder Dec. 29 in her most recent trip postward.

# Saturday, Gulfstream Park, post time: 5:32 p.m. EST SUNSHINE MILLIONS TURF, \$500,000, (R), 4yo/up,

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PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	War Monger	War Chant	Mott	4-1
2	Pickapocket	Mecke	Mott	20-1
3	French Vintage	Mecke	Pierce Jr	15-1
4	Add Heat	Unusual Heat	Abrams	15-1
5	Birdbirdistheword	Pure Prize	McPeek	6-1
6	Icy Atlantic	Stormy Atlantic	Pletcher	3-1
7	Soldier's Dancer	Lost Soldier	Vivian	6-1
8	Lucky J.H.	Cee's Tizzy	Gaines	20-1
9	Ruff and Ready	More Than Ready	Pletcher	8-1
10	Epic Power	Epic Honor	Carava	12-1
11	Summer Book	Notebook	Brothers	12-1
12	Presious Passion	Royal Anthem	Hartmann	10-1



Sunshine Millions Turf cont.

Presious Passion lit up the tote board in winning his second graded event of 2007, the GII W.L. McKnight H. Dec. 15 at Calder. The Florida-bred chestnut has won two of five Gulfstream outings, and trainer Mary Hartmann has him ready. "He's going into this race super, and things have worked out well for us so far," she said. "He broke his maiden and won an allowance race here as a three-year-old. People can only see what he did here last year [fourth in two allowance races last March and April], but I didn't have him fully cranked the way he is this year." The likely favorite will be MGSW Icy Atlantic, who hasn't been out since finishing ninth in the GI Breeders' Cup Mile Oct. 27. The seven-yearold has been training steadily at Palm Beach Downs. War Monger steps up in class for his seasonal opener. Fourth in the GII Jamaica H. Oct. 6 in his stakes bow, the Vegso homebred made a nice move to land the Rutgers S. at Monmouth Oct. 24.

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Sunshine Millions fields cont.

Saturday, Santa Anita, post time: 1:14 p.m. PST SUNSHINE MILLIONS F/M SPRINT, \$300,000, (R), 4yo/up, f/m, 6f (AWT)

ΡŔ	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS	
1	More Angels	Slew of Angels	Levine	8-1	
2	Sekira	Holy Bull	Hendricks	20-1	
3	Coli Bear	Formal Dinner	Klesaris	10-1	
4	Tiz Elemental	Cee's Tizzy	Gaines	7-2	
5	Prime Catch	Prime Timber	Baffert	20-1	
6	Cher Ami	Lost Soldier	Bates	8-1	
7	Lady Gamer	Game Plan	Sadler	3-1	
8	Dearest Trickski	Proudest Romeo	Sadler	4-1	
9	Shaggy Mane	Bertrando	Chatlos Jr	8-1	
10	Dixie Dreamer	Mutakddim	Ma Wolfson	20-1	
ΑII	All carry 122 pounds, except Sekira, Tiz Elemental,				
Prir	ne Catch, Cher A	Ami and Dearest Tr	ickski at 1	21.	

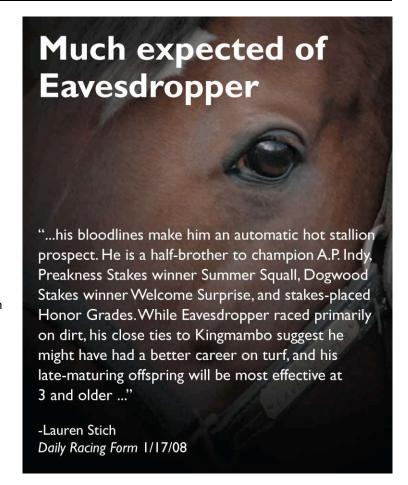
Dearest Trickski, who has been nearly unstoppable on synthetic surfaces, ran her winning skein to four with a wire-to-wire tally in the GI La Brea S. Dec. 29 over this surface. She'll have fellow front-runners Lady Gamer and Cher Ami to contend with this time, however. Second by a nose in last year's Sunshine Millions Oaks, Tiz Elemental looked to have a bright future in winning three of her first five starts, but hasn't raced since winning the Melair S. Apr. 29 at Hollywood.

# Saturday, Gulfstream Park, post time: 4:02 p.m. EST SUNSHINE MILLIONS SPRINT, \$300,000, (R), 4yo/up, 6f

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PΡ	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	High Standards	High Brite	Jones	10-1
2	Mach Ride	Pentelicus	Standridge	4-1
3	Praying for Cash	Songandaprayer	McLaughlin	6-1
4	Finallymadeit	Concerto	Negrete	8-1
5	Storm in May	Tiger Ridge	Kaplan	20-1
6	Benny the Bull	Lucky Lionel	Dutrow Jr	8-5
7	Cobalt Blue	Golden Missile	O'Neill	12-1
8	Mr. Umphrey	Jules	Dutrow Jr	15-1
9	Tropic Storm	Stormy Atlantic	C Dollase	20-1
10	Santana Springs	Wheaton	Asmussen	12-1
11	Bushwacker	Outflanker	Currin	12-1
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Benny the Bull, second to champion Midnight Lute in the GI Forego H., ran fourth to him in the GI Breeders' Cup Sprint Oct. 27. He stepped out of that rival's shadow to post an impressive score in the GI Frank J. DeFrancis Memorial Dash Nov. 24 at Laurel, and has four straight bullet works at Palm Meadows in preparation for this seasonal kickoff. Bred in Florida but based in California, Bushwacker returns to his native state for the first time. The six-year-old toppled In Summation and Greg's Gold last out in the GIII Vernon O. Underwood H. Dec. 2 at Hollywood, and will attempt to make all of the running here.

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Saturday, Gulfstream Park, post time: 4:35 p.m. EST SUNSHINE MILLIONS OAKS, \$250,000, (R), 3yo, f, 6f PP HORSE SIRE TRAINER ODDS

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	<b>American County</b>	Gibson County	Romans	4-1
2	Banga Ridge	Snow Ridge	Pinchin	15-1
3	Sindy Jacobson	More Than Ready	Sadler	6-1
4	Yogi'ssplashofgold	Touch Gold	Ward	12-1
5	Blitzing	Montbrook	Asmussen	5-2
6	Billie Bob	Bring the Heat	Ward	10-1
7	Validain	Kafwain	Maker	8-1
8	Phantom Income	Montbrook	Violette Jr	5-1
9	Lovehi	Swiss Yodeler	Harrington	20-1
10	Cape Cod Lady	Yonaguska	Garcia	12-1
11	Robbie's Gal	Straight Man	DiMauro	20-1
ΑII	carry 120 pounds.			

the NATC Futurity Sept. 29 at the Meadowlands, but was well-beaten in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Oct. 27, finishing 13th over the sloppy track. With several sharp drills under her belt, she cuts back to six panels for her first outing since Monmouth. Blitzing comes in from her Fair Grounds base. The Steve Asmussen trainee posted an impressive score last out in the Letellier Memorial S. Dec. 22 in the Big Easy. American County was no match for Blitzing in an Oct. 28 allowance test at Churchill Downs, but atoned for that effort with a 5 1/2-length victory beneath the Twin Spires Nov. 24.



Saturday, Santa Anita, post time: 2:15 p.m. PST SUNSHINE MILLIONS DASH, \$250,000, (R), 3yo, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Little Nick	Tiger Ridge	Romans	8-1
2	Johns Grooms	Put It Back	Klesaris	20-1
3	Winsome Charm	Silver Charm	Mullins	9-2
4	Afleet Ruler	Northern Afleet	Sadler	6-1
5	Dee Dee's Legacy	Bartok (Ire)	Puype	6-1
6	Georgie Boy	Tribal Rule	Walsh	5-2
7	Bob Black Jack	Stormy Jack	Kasparoff	3-1
8	Italian Rules	Tribal Rule	Glatt	30-1
9	Nevada Worrier	Lord Carson	Wallace	20-1
10	Topper Shopper	Old Topper	O'Neill	30-1
ΑII	carry 120 pounds	<b>.</b> .		

Bob Black Jack needed only 1:20 1/5 to cover the seven panels of the California Breeders' Championship S. last out over this surface Dec. 26. He scored by 6 1/4 lengths that day. "He should be up to the challenge," said trainer Jim Kasparoff. "I see no reason he can't run with those horses." Georgie Boy makes his first start since landing the GI Del Mar Futurity Sept. 5, but has a solid worktab in preparation for his return.

# Saturday, Kenilworth, South Africa, post time: 4:20 p.m. J & B MET S.-G1, R2,000,000, 3yo/up, 2000mT

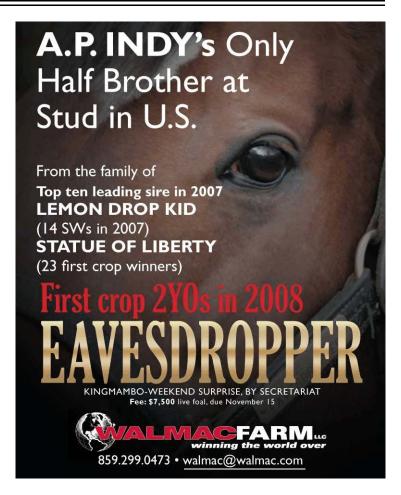
SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	4	Pocket Power (SAf)	Jet Master	Fayd'herbe	128
2	7	Successful Bidder (SAf)	Jallad	Smith	128
3	9	Hunting Tower (SAf)	Fort Wood	Wrogemann	128
4	15	Floatyourboat (SAf)	Jet Master	Neisius	128
5	6	Pick Six (SAf)	Rambo Dancer	Marcus	127
6	2	Buy and Sell (SAf)	National Emblem	Styrdom	127
7	17	Jagged Ice (SAf)	Western Winter	Byleveld	123
8	10	Appelate Court (SAf)	Badger Land	Cheyne	123
9	12	Hilgrove (SAf)	Casey Tibbs (Ire)	Hatt	123
10	5	Likeithot (SAf)	Rakeen	Khan	123
11	13	Silver Mist (SAf)	Western Winter	Spencer	123
12	11	Biarritz (SAf)	Count Dubois (GB)	Lerena	122
13	16	Dynamite Mike (SAf)	Fard (Ire)	Hill	122
14	1	Our Giant (Aus)	Giant's Causeway	Fourie	122
15	14	Wonder Lawn (SAf)	Fort Wood	Schlechter	122
16	3	Bill of Rights (SAf)	Saumarez (GB)	Langdon	122
17	8	Farolito (SAf)	Qui Danzig	Puller	122
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Pocket Power looks to become just the second horse in the history of the South African turf to complete the

Pocket Power winning last year's 'Met' sahorseracing.com

G1 Queens Plate--J & B Met double in consecutive seasons. The five-year-old returned from a four-month absence to be runner-up against some quality sprinters in the 1200-meter G2 Merchants S. Nov. 10, and followed that effort with a facile victory over Jagged Ice in the Nov. 25 G2 Green Point S. Even-money in defense of his

Queens Plate title Dec. 29, the bay quickened up nicely to best **Floatyourboat** by 1 3/4 lengths.



# Sunday, Santa Anita

**SANTA MONICA H.-GI**, \$250,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f (AWT)

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Dearest Trickski	Proudest Romeo	Smith	118
2	Pussycat Doll	Real Quiet	Gomez	119
3	Overly Tempting	In Excess (Ire)	Flores	112
4	Silky Smooth	Mr. Greeley	Gryder	115
5	Kalookan Year	Event of the Year	Rosario	113
6	Hystericalady	Distorted Humor	Bejarano	122
7	Missvinski	Stravinsky	T Baze	116
8	Intangaroo	Orientate	Quinonez	112

#### Sunday, Gulfstream Park

**APPLETON H.-GIII**, \$125,000, 4yo/up, 1mT

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PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT	
1	Buffalo Man	El Prado (Ire)	Prado	117	
2	Fearless Eagle	Invisible Ink	Castro	118	
3	Host (Chi)	Hussonet	Coa	120	
4	Croton Road	Mr. Greeley	Aguilar	116	
5	Terrific Storm	Storm Cat	Velazquez	117	
6	Mysterious Peintre (Fr)	Peintre Celebre	Desormeaux	116	
7	Brooklyn Boy	Gone West	Lezcano	115	
8	Elusive Fort (SAf)	Fort Wood	Douglas	116	
9	Magic Mecke	Mecke	Trujillo	117	
10	Jet Propulsion	Double Honor	Chavez	115	
11	British Blue	Storm Cat	Castellano	115	



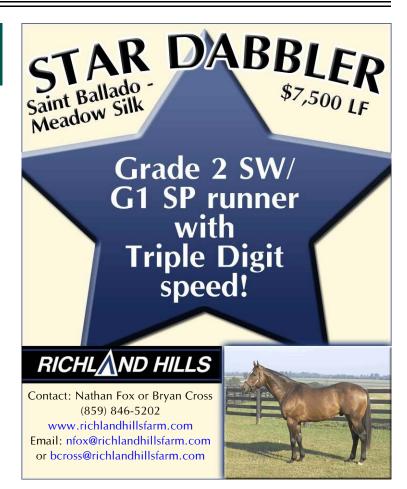
# Thoro-Graph Race of the Week by Jerry Brown

Saturday, Gulfstream Park, post time: 5:03 p.m. EST SUNSHINE MILLIONS DISTAFF S., \$500,000, (S),

4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m

**PP HORSE** JOCKEY **ODDS** SIRE 1 Peach Flambe Flying Chevron Coa 8-1 Is solid, but not fast enough to compete here, even with the rail.

- 2 Ginger Punch Awesome Again Bejarano 6-5 Eclipse Award winner was able to win the BC Distaff despite not running as well as she did in her previous five races. In fact, she didn't even run the best figure in that race--she saved ground while Hystericalady did not (Hystericalady ran almost two points better in a losing effort). Frankel found a pretty soft spot for the champ's return, and since his runners perform well fresh and she drew inside, Ginger Punch is obviously the one to beat.
- 3 Leah's Secret Tiger Ridge Velazquez 5-1 Was good at three and a little better early at four before tailing off over the summer. She comes into this a couple of points slower than Ginger Punch, but the big story here is the switch to the Pletcher barn, which should move her up a couple of points, as they have heated up considerably. Definitely a contender.
- 20-1 4 Saffronista Garcia **Ecton Park** Would need a very big jump just to hit the board.
- **5** Swiss Current **Swiss Yodeler** Gryder 20-1 Comes from the O'Neill barn, which has been cold for quite a while, but in the last week or so he's had a few horses wake up at Santa Anita. Best guess is that this one will run a new top, but she has too many lengths to make up.
- Hernandez 30-1 6 Night Power Benchmark Is even slower than the others that are too slow.
- 7 Exchanging Fire Exchange Rate Developed quite a bit to get to a couple of good figures over the summer. Her last came shortly after she shipped south to Florida, which means there's a chance she will jump forward this time. She's not a candidate for the win, but she could sneak into the exotics.
- 8 Bayou's Lassie Outflanker Truiillo Ran well in her debut, and has been able to win several stakes since despite not improving at all. She has gotten great ground saving trips in her last three, making mediocre figures look better than they were. She'll take money, but she's not fast enough to contend.



9 Prop Me Up Reparations Lezcano Got significantly better when she went to the Sacco

barn last fall, and two of her last four put her within a length or two of Ginger Punch. Her last was on the grass, which she does not prefer, and came after the ship to Fair Grounds, so there is a good chance she will fire now. Drawing outside doesn't help, but this one is a contender, and value.

- 10 Memorette Memo (Chi) Desormeaux 15-1 Isn't fast enough, and drew poorly.
- 11 Curiously Sweet Mud Route Castellano 12-1 Has never gone back, pairing her old top or running a new one in every start. The overall pattern here is good, she may be ready for a new top, but she's not that fast, and drew poorly.
- 12 Lost Etiquette Lost Soldier Bridgmohan 30-1 Ran three very good figures before bouncing in her

last, then was bought on our recommendation. Part of our thinking had to do with her pattern and figures, but we also noted some good dam-side relatives that got better with age. She's now with Asmussen, who is on fire, but with the short run to the turn the post is a killer. Probably not today, but watch out down the line.

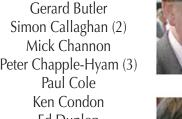
Bottom Line: Prop Me Up looks like the value, with Ginger Punch and Leah's Secret the ones to protect with in the exotics.

# Top trainers that are getting excited about One Cool Cat's first crop of 2-y-o's include...













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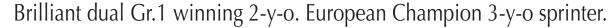












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## **ORC ESTABLISHES 90-DAY BAN FOR**

**POSITIVE-TEST HORSES** The Ontario Racing Commission Wednesday announced it is adopting a series of measures in 2008 designed to protect the health of the

horses and ensure the safety of racing's participants. The most dramatic of the new regulations is a rule making any horse that tests positive immediately ineligible to race for 90 days. It was introduced "in an aggressive move to improve the welfare of the horse and communicate that the ORC is serious about owner responsibility and eliminating the use of illegal medications," according to a press release. In a statement, Rod Seiling, chair



Rod Seiling ORC Photo

of the ORC said, "These measures have resulted from the community's expressed desire for regulation that is fair, consistent and which holds all to the highest standards of accountability." In addition to the ban on positive-test horses, the new regulations reinforce a trainer's liability when it comes to positive drug tests, and revise the penalties for equine drug, TCO2, and non-therapeutic drug offenses. These rules go into effect Jan. 31. Under the new guidelines, there will also be a withdrawal time of 96 hours for the use of shock wave--or pulse wave--therapy (effective Jan. 31); and only ORC licensed vets will be authorized to treat racehorses, unless it is an emergency or an area under serviced by vets (effective June 1).

For more on the ORC initiatives, go to www.ontarioracingcommission.ca.

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# THREE CHIMNEYS INSIGHTS The Idea is Excellence.

3:00p 5th-GPX, \$40K, Msw, 3yo, (S), 6f HRTV ANANSI (Put It Back). a full to the

ANANSI (Put It Back), a full to the very solid sprinter Smokey Stover, MGSW, \$568,725, gets his career started for trainer Ken McPeek. The M S Stables colorbearer worked four furlongs in :48 2/5 at Gulfstream Jan. 21. Stronach homebred Barreling Home (Awesome Again) also makes his debut. The half to Super Fuse (Lite the Fuse), MSW & GSP, \$479,458, is trained by Brian Lynch. brisnet.com pps

3:30p 6th-GPX, \$43K, Alw, NW2X, 3yo, 1 1/8m HRTV READY SET (Touch Gold), tabbed as a

READY SET (Touch Gold), tabbed as a □ "TDN Rising Star" □ following a 10-length maiden win at Delaware last September, makes his sophomore debut. Ninth in the GI Lane's End Breeders' Futurity S. at Keeneland, the bay was last seen annexing a Calder allowance Dec. 28. Cool Coal Man (Mineshaft), from the same connections as juvenile champ War Pass, attracted plenty of attention last term following a Delaware maiden win and Churchill allowance tally. The bay closed out his campaign with a disappointing seventh in the GII Kentucky Jockey Club S. Nov. 24. Legacy Thief (Cat Thief) enters off a pair of convincing victories, including a sharp score in the Gulfstream slop Jan. 5. brisnet.com pps

12:02a 8th-HOU, Maxxam Gold Cup H., \$100,000, 4yo/up, HRTV 1 1/8m

HONEST MAN (Unbridled's Song), perfect in three attempts since stretching out to routes, ships in from the Fair Grounds for trainer Larry Jones. Last seen annexing a \$35,000 optional claimer Jan. 5, he makes his stakes debut here. The dark bay's dam is a half to juvenile champion War Pass. brisnet.com pps

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# ★ GULFSTREAM ★

### Yesterday's Results:

8th-GPX, \$52,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$75,000-\$70,000), NW3X, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:23 4/5, ft.

- 1--CHANGE UP, 120, f, 4, <u>Distorted Humor</u>--Round Robin (SW), by Mt. Livermore. O-Richard, Bertram & Elaine Klein; B-Bertram W Klein & Reklein Stables (KY); T-Steve Margolis. Lifetime Record: GSW, 12-4-4-2, \$307,160.
- 2--Sangrita, 120, m, 5, Mr. Greeley--Alvear, by Seattle Slew. 3--Wellofaprize, 120, f, 4, Pure Prize--Wellford, by Fit to Fight. Margins: 1, 4 1/4, 2. Odds: 1.50, 3.10, 2.60.

Change Up, heroine of the 2006 GIII Pocahontas S. at Churchill, failed to get her picture taken in six subsequent attempts. Third in the GIII Safely Kept Breeders' Cup S. Oct. 6, the chestnut closed out her sophomore season with second-place finishes in the Dream Supreme H. beneath the Twin Spires Nov. 23 and the Chaposa Springs H. at Calder Dec. 29. Favored to get off the schneid here, Change Up broke on top, set fractions of :22.82 and :46.17 and held off Sangrita by a measured length. The latter, off since the 2006 GII Falls City H., ran on gamely while racing on her left lead down the lane. Click for the brisnet.com chart or the Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.

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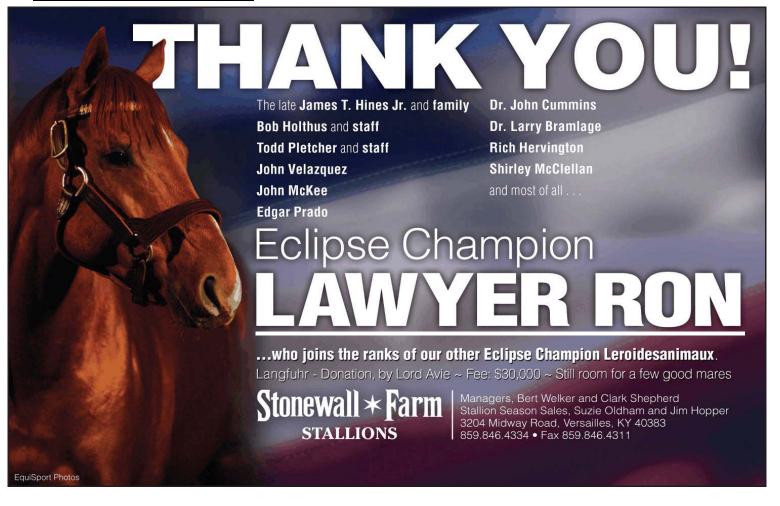
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8th-GPX (Alw Opt Clm) Change Up (Distorted Humor) holds off Sangrita (Mr. Greeley) by a length.

3rd-AQU (Alw Opt Clm) Armonk (Mizzen Mast) wins her second straight.

7th-AQU (Alw) Runway Rosie (Include) wins impressively beneath a rail-skimming ride.

A + will first-time starters, an (S) will be used for state-bred races, a (C) will be used for maiden-claiming races and an (R) will be used for other restricted races.





# **★** NEW YORK ★

Yesterday's Results:

**7th-AQU, \$53,000, Alw**, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000), NW2X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:39, ft.

RUNWAY ROSIE (f, 4, Include--Kids Today, by Siphon {Brz}), a \$30,000 KEESEP yearling purchase, annexed the Sharp Cat S. as a two-year-old and finished third in last term's GI Las Virgenes S. while trained by David Hofmans on the West Coast. The gray made her final start for Hofmans last October, finishing third in the Harold C. Ramser Sr. H. at Oak Tree Oct. 14. Purchased privately and transferred to Gary Contessa, she finished sixth in the grassy Scoot S. at the Big A Nov. 9, then placed second, beaten a nose, in the Flat Fleet Feet S. Dec. 14. Runway Rosie was last seen finishing a decent sixth in the Affectionately H. Jan. 12. Hammered down to 3-5, she stayed close to the early leaders beneath Ramon Dominguez. Awaiting racing room in the stretch, she shot through an opening toward the rail and quickened smartly to post a 2 1/4length decision. Home and Away (Skip Away) was second. Belleplaine (A. P. Indy) finished a well-beaten sixth following a stumbling start. Lifetime: SW & GISP, 15-3-2-2, \$207,264. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made. O-Winning Move Stable, et al. B-Equus Farm (KY). T-G Contessa.

Saturday, Aqueduct, post time: 3:49 p.m. EST PAUMONOK H., \$75,000, 3yo/up, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT	
1	Adore the Gold	Formal Gold	Gorham	116	
2	Man of Danger	Tiger Ridge	Levine	115	
3	Lord Snowdon	Seeking the Gold	A Dutrow	115	
4	Like Now	Jules	Badgett	115	
5	Leo (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	McLaughlin	114	
6	City Attraction	Vicar	R Dutrow	118	
7	Debussy	Concerto	Contessa	114	
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## STAKES CLOSINGS

TODAY, SATURDAY, JANUARY 26:



02-09 \$300,000 **Risen Star-III, FG**, 3yo, 8.5f (300)

02-09 \$200,000 Silverbulletday-III, FG, 3yo, f, 8.5f (200) 02-09 \$150,000 Mineshaft H.-III, FG, 4yo/up, 8.5f (150) 02-09 \$100/50,000 Fair Grounds H.-III, FG, 4yo/up, a9fT (100)

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3rd-AQU, \$50,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$75,000), NW1X, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:12 2/5, ft.

ARMONK (f, 3, Mizzen Mast--Flaming Satan, by Java Gold) placed second as a maiden behind Proud Spell in the GII Matron S. Sept. 15 before finishing a wellbeaten fourth to recently crowned champion Indian Blessing in the GI Frizette S. Oct. 6. Freshened following that effort, she resurfaced with a third-place finish in a Big A maiden--a heat won by subsequent GII Old Hat S. victress Game Face. Making her inner track debut last time Dec. 30, the \$45,000 OBSAUG yearling and \$400,000 KEEAPR two-year-old broke out with a 6 1/4-length maiden win. Looking to make it two straight, the 6-5 favorite battled for the lead for the opening half mile, drew clear to a two-length advantage in the stretch and held off Atash (Smoke Glacken) to take it by 3/4 of a length. Daguerreotype (Silver Deputy) completed the trifecta. Lifetime Record: GSP, 6-2-1-2, \$142,600. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made. O-Jeff Singer. B-George M Stryker (KY). T-Kiaran P McLaughlin.

# \* EAST \*

#### Yesterday's Results:

9th-TAM, \$20,000, Msw, 3yo, 6f, 1:11 4/5, ft. + WYNN A TOUR (c, 3, Northern Afleet--Donna's Tour, by Tour d'Or), backed at 8-5 to win at first asking, was kept within striking distance, gained a short lead in deep stretch and held on by a neck over the rallying Monteleone (Dixieland Band). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0,

O-Wynn T Jolley, Jeffrey Gorman, Troy Glendenning & Jake Scott. B-T Wynn & Mary Jolley & Harry Hoglander (FL). T-Timothy F Ritchey.

#### Hold Order Lifted At Bowie:

The Maryland Department of Agriculture yesterday lifted the "Investigational Animal Hold Order" on a barn at Bowie Training Center after follow-up tests on a suspect horse, trained by Robbie Bailes, proved negative for equine herpesvirus. An MDA field veterinarian inspected the barn that had been the subject of the Hold Order yesterday morning and found all 18 horses stabled there free from symptoms of the virus.

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# CENTRAL

Yesterday's Results:

8th-FGX, \$39,500, Msw, 3yo, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:48,

PALMERS (c, 3, Grand Slam--Edey's Village, by Silver Deputy) posted a pair of third-place finishes over the Woodbine Polytrack last term before finishing fourth in the Fair Grounds slop last time Jan. 10. Favored at 9-5, he sat a stalking third through easy early fractions of :25.15 and :50.27 and kicked it into top gear in the stretch to score by 3 1/2 lengths. Radius (Arch) crossed the wire second. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-2, \$35,189. O-Melnyk Racing Stables Inc. B-Eugene Melnyk (ON). T-Mark E Casse.

Saturday, Oaklawn Park, post time: 4:39 p.m. CST **DIXIE BELLE S.**, \$50,000, 3yo, f, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Palanka City	Carson City	Gestes	117
2	Rated Fiesty	Exchange Rate	Asmussen	122
3	O.K. Krystal	Pikepass	K Smith	117
4	Judy Faye	Sharkey	Ashauer	119
5	Maren's Meadow	Meadowlake	L Jones	117
6	Gone Dixie	Macabe	Hewitt	115
7	Satellite Phone	Stark Ridge	Hobby	115
8	Carts Italian Rose	Cartwright	Delong	119
9	Kadira	Kafwain	Vance	122

Rated Fiesty finally resurfaces following a brilliant

juvenile season. The gray was an impressive winner at Keeneland in her debut, then defeated the boys in the GIII Kentucky Breeders' Cup S. in May. She was last seen annexing Churchill's GIII Debutante S. July 7. "She's not real assuming, she's just really fast," trainer Steve Asmussen told Daily Racing Form. "She broke her maiden easy at Keeneland, beat the boys, then went in the Debutante and ran fast Horsephotos again." Kadira, winner of Turfway's



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# ★ SO. CALIFORNIA ★

### Mullins Gets 90 Days for Positive Test:

The California Horse Racing Board yesterday suspended trainer Jeff Mullins for 90 days after one of his horses tested above the threshhold level for the substance mepivacaine. The conditioner will be forced to serve 20 days of the suspension, while the balance of the penalty will be stayed, assuming that Mullins obeys all racing laws and CHRB regulations for the one-year probationary period. Rob's Coin, who finished second in the seventh race at Hollywood Park on July 8, 2006, was found to have excess levels of mepivacaine.

# \* WEST \*

Thursday Night's Results:

**7th-GGX**, \$**40,720**, **Alw**, 4yo/up, f/m, 1m (AWT), 1:37 2/5, ft.

WILD PROMISES (f, 4, Wild Event--Frosty Promise, by Frosty the Snowman) rattled off three straight victories on the lawn last term, including an \$80,000 optional claimer at Hollywood Nov. 8. She finished a good second behind Somethinaboutlaura in the Campanile S. over the Golden Gate Tapeta Jan. 1 and was evenmoney to go one better here. Settled in a stalking third through fractions of :23.85 and :47.90, the \$75,000 FTMMAY juvenile vied for the lead on the turn for home and fought her way clear to post a 3/4 of a length victory. The victress is a half to Icy Atlantic (Stormy Atlantic), MGSW, \$839,940. Lifetime Record: SP, 10-5-4-1, \$144,750.

O-Harry J Aleo. B-A I Appleton (FL). T-Greg Gilchrist.

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# **★ INDUSTRY INFO**★

#### Second Welfare and Safety Summit Set for March:

The second "Welfare and Safety of the Racehorse Summit" is set for Monday, Mar. 17 and Tuesday, Mar. 18, at the Keeneland Sales Pavilion in Lexington. The Summit will explain equine health- and safety-related issues, and will offer progress reports from the working committees established at the first such conference in October 2006. "The original Welfare and Safety of the Racehorse Summit was a landmark step toward identifying and addressing the multitude of reasons behind the apparent decline in racehorse soundness and durability," said Ed Bowen, president of the Grayson-Jockey Club Research Foundation, which is underwriting and coordinating the event with The Jockey Club. It is being hosted by the Keeneland Association. "We look forward to gathering a cross-section of industry representatives together again to share the progress achieved since the original summit, examine our next steps, and explore whether there are other areas and factors we need to be looking at as well," Bowen added. The Monday session is free and open to the public and will include a panel discussion on racing surfaces as well as updates from the Racing Medication and Testing Consortium, the Equine Drug Research Institute and the Sales Integrity Task Force. Go to www.grayson-jockeyclub.org/summit for additional information.

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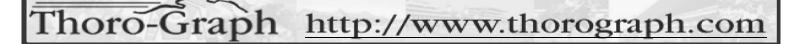
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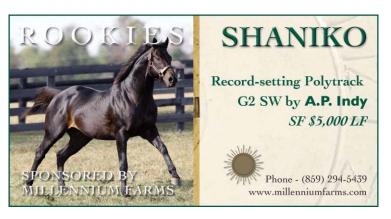
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CACTUS RIDGE (Hennessy), Walmac, \$7K, 138/13/0

3-FG, Msw, 7 1/2fT, Cactus Kitty, \$13K FTK OCT yrl, 10-1

EARLY FLYER (Gilded Time), Valor, 63/9/1

3-AQU, Aoc, 6f, Api Mohkat, \$30K EAS SEP yrl

FASCIO (ARG) (Fitzcarraldo (ARG)), 2/0/0

3-FG, Msw, 7 1/2fT, High Class Honey, \$12K ILL HRA 2yo, 20-1

HARLAN'S HOLIDAY (Harlan), Airdrie, \$18K, 169/24/4

8-TP, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Christmasinabottle, \$100K EAS MAY 2yo

KAFWAIN (Cherokee Run), Darley, \$10K, 179/15/4

8-OP, Stk, 6f, Kadira, \$250K KEE SEP yrl

8-GP, Stk, 6f, Validain, \$135K OBS MAR 2yo, 8-1

3-FG, Msw, 7 1/2fT, Reappearance, 5-1

LAKE WILLIAM (Salt Lake), 41/4/0

9-SA, Msw, 6f, Sailboat Sam, \$65K BAR MAY 2yo

MACABE (Gone West), Landlock, \$1K, 54/3/0

8-OP, Stk, 6f, Gone Dixie, \$20K TEX AUG yrl

MILWAUKEE BREW (Wild Again), Adena South, \$15K,

9-OP, Msw, 6f, +Hangover, \$115K OBS APR 2vo

MINESHAFT (A.P. Indy), Lane's End, \$100K, 151/9/1

8-FG, Msw, 6f, +Fort Apache, \$67K EAS MAY 2yo, 6-1

6-GP, Alw, 1 1/8m, Cool Coal Man, \$850K FTF FEB 2yo, 9-5

MORLUC (Housebuster), Buck Pond, \$5K, 34/1/0

8-TP, Msw, 5 1/2f, Lucky Sass

POSSE (Silver Deputy), Vinery, \$10K, 154/26/7

8-GG, Aoc, 6f, Vadheim, \$34K KEE NOV wnl

PREMEDITATION (Afternoon Deelites), A & A Ranch, \$2K,

10-SUN, Stk, 6f, Run Like Fire, 5-2

PROUD CITIZEN (Gone West), Airdrie, \$13K, 210/21/3

4-AQU, Msw, 6f, Proud Yankee, \$27K OBS MAR 2yo

8-FG, Msw, 6f, Proud Kentuckian, \$14K KEE SEP yrl, 6-1

**REPENT** (Louis Quatorze), Vinery Florida, \$5K, 156/20/3

5-GP, Msw, 6f, I've Repented, \$32K OBS MAR 2yo, 8-1

5-GP, Msw, 6f, +Famous Patriot, \$67K OBS APR 2yo, 12-1

SLIGO BAY (IRE) (Sadler's Wells), Adena South, \$10K, 126/9/1

3-FG, Msw, 7 1/2fT, South Beach Luv, 6-1

SMOOTH JAZZ (Storm Boot), Cloverleaf ll, \$3K, 70/12/1

5-GP, Msw, 6f, +Mean Sax, 12-1

STORMY JACK (Bertrando), Hideaway, \$3K, 47/5/1

6-SA, Stk, 6f, Bob Black Jack, \$5K BAR JAN yrl, 3-1

SUNDAY BREAK (JPN) (Forty Niner), Walmac, \$9K, 155/24/0

12-TP, Msw, 1 1/16m, Gandolph Finch, \$22K KEE SEP yrl 8-TP, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Cucurbit, \$40K KEE JAN yrl

SWING LORD (A.P. Indy), Ascot Stud, \$4K, 9/1/0

8-CT, Msw, 1 1/8m, Afleet Swinger, 15-1

# BRIS Speed Ratings : Top Weekly Stakes Races

Horse	Sire	Race	BRIS Speed
Ah Day	Malibu Moon	Fire Plug S.	112
Champs Elysees (GB)	Danehill	San Marcos SG2	103
Wait a While	Maria's Mon	San Gorgonio HG2	102
Gayego	Gilded Time	San Pedro S.	99
Spirited Away	Awesome Again	Truly Bound H.	99
Angliana	Giant's Causeway	Aqueduct H.	98
Carson's Legacy	Carson City	Dixieland S.	96
Prince Cortez	Repent	Triple Sec S.	96
Trick's Pic	Favorite Trick	Tuzla HG3	96
Honey Honey Honey	Awesome of Course	Pasco S.	94
Ez Dreamer	In Excess (Ire)	Rattlesnake S.	93
Miss Missile	Golden Missile	Genesis S.	91
Monashee	Wolf Power (SAf)	Paseana H.	91
Mr Charlypotatoes	Daviur	Screaming Don S.	90
Valentine Fever	Stormin Fever	Cincinnati Trophy S.	90
Doyouwanttodance	Disco Rico	American Beauty S.	87
Askmetodance	Ghostly Moves	LaSenora H.	86
Awesome Chic	Awesome Again	Gasparilla S.	85
Pure and Simple	Trippi	Sun Devil S.	85

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### Rookies cont.

TRUST N LUCK (Montbrook), Vinery, \$9K, 117/11/1 6-GP, Alw, 1 1/8m, Trust N Dustan, 12-1 VALET MAN (Carson City), 16/1/1 10-SUN, Stk, 6f, Bravo Sapello, 10-1 VOLPONI (Cryptoclearance), Hopewell, 92/12/3 8-CT, Msw, 1 1/8m, Valadour, \$5K FTK FEB yrl, 5-1 WHYWHYWHY (Mr. Greeley), Gainesway, \$8K, 100/14/2 8-FG, Msw, 6f, Whywhy Cat, 9-2 3-AQU, Aoc, 6f, Laysh Laysh Laysh

## ON THE WORKTAB \*

#### PALM MEADOWS

DIVINE PARK (Chester House), 4f, :47.80, 6/43 **COSMONAUT** (Lemon Drop Kid), 4fT, :53.80, 14/17

#### **GULFSTREAM**

FIVE STAR DAYDREAM (Five Star Day), 4f, :51.40, 34/36 **HOLY CANYON** (Holy Bull), 4f, :48.60, 9/36 SUCCESSFUL OUTLOOK (Orientate), 4f, :50.80, 29/36 **DANCE AWAY CAPOTE** (Capote), 5f, 1:01.40, 5/25 **HALO NAJIB** (Halo's Image), 6f, 1:14.60, 3/5

#### FAIR GROUNDS

GRASSHOPPER (Dixie Union), 6f, 1:13.40, 1/1



### ★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

#### IN ARGENTINA:

Showtime AI, h, 5, Woodman—Royal Bloomer (SPW, \$95,188), by Fred Astaire. San Isidro, 1-23, Hcp., 7f, 1:24.03. O-Stud Haras Loma Linda; B-Evergreen Farm; T-D R Cima. \*Won by five lengths.

#### IN BRITAIN:

Baharah, f, 4, Elusive Quality. See "Breeders' Edition Europe."







FALLON HANDED 18-MONTH BAN Champion jockey Kieren Fallon has been handed an 18-month ban--which is expected to be reciprocated worldwide-by France Galop following a disciplinary hearing at the French racing authority's Paris headquarters Wednesday. Fallon failed a drug test after partnering Myboycharlie (Ire) (Danetime {Ire}) to victory in the G1 Prix Morny at Deauville last August, and results on a secondary sample confirmed those findings. It is the second time Fallon, who was cleared of race-fixing charges at London's Old Bailey in December, has tested positive for a banned substance in France. He incurred a six-month ban for a similar offence at Chantilly in 2006. His ban begins Feb. 3, but the 42-year-old intends to appeal the decision.



# AUSTRALASIA



CAPTIVATE RETIRED Captivate (NZ) (Stravinsky--Cappie {NZ}, by Kaapstaad {NZ}), who captured the G1 New Zealand Bloodstock Thoroughbred Breeders' S. at Te Aroha last April in what turned out to be her penultimate start, has been retired. The five-year-old had been sidelined since running ninth in the Apr. 28 G2 Travis S. with a hamstring injury sustained in the paddock over the winter. It was determined Wednesday that the injury had still not healed, and the decision was made to send her to the breeding shed. Bred and raced by R W E Moore and trained by Stephen McKee, Captivate is from the family of MG1SW Solveig (NZ) and G1SW Gallic (NZ). She won seven of her 17 career starts and earned NZ\$172,125.

# BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

#### **ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**2nd-AQU**, **\$48,000**, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000), NW2X, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.

WISHING WISHES (f, 4, Graeme Hall--

Arunforyourmoney, by Runaway Groom) Lifetime Record: 7-4-0-0, \$99,489. O-Edward Lipton. B-Sez Who Thoroughbreds (NY). T-Anthony W Dutrow.

**9th-FGX**, **\$41,250**, Opt. Clm. (\$35,000), NW2X, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:47, sy.

**RECTOR (c, 4, Vicar--Saratogan, by Unbridled)** Lifetime Record: 19-3-1-3, \$84,518. O/B-Jim Tafel LLC (KY). T-Greg Geier.

6th-LRL, \$30,000, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 2/5, ft

COME FLY AWAY (f, 4, El Prado {Ire}--Almost Paradise, by Allen's Prospect) Lifetime Record: 11-3-1-2, \$100,491. O-Bill & Vicki Poston. B-Mr & Mrs Charles McGinnes (MD). T-Michael E Hushion. \*\$105,000 yrl '05 FTMOCT.

9th-SUN, \$27,200, NW2L, 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:38 4/5, ft

VICTORIOUS VEE (f, 4, Victory Gallop--All the Vees {MSW, \$194,732}, by Vigors) Lifetime Record: 12-2-0-2, \$38,424. O-Jerry JT Thomason. B-Ted B Bates (KY). T-M Dooley Guinn. \*\$22,000 yrl '05 FTKOCT; \$29,000 2yo '06 BESMAY.

**5th-CTX**, **\$27,000**, 1-24, NW3LX, 4yo/up, 4 1/2f, :53, ft

MISTER JON (c, 4, Cat Thief--Hushlu {SP, \$207,809}, by Tsunami Slew) Lifetime Record: 9-3-3-0, \$80,394. O/B-Jack M Queen (KY). T-Jeff C Runco. \*1/2 to Bingobear (Polish Numbers), MSP, \$219,319.



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2nd-DED, \$23,670, 1-24, NW1X, 4/up, 1m, 1:42, my. SLEEPY HOLLOW (c, 4, Wagon Limit--Immortal {Ire}, by Common Grounds {GB}) Lifetime Record: 10-3-2-1, \$37,380. O-Michael J Annechino. B-Arthur B Hancock III & James H Stone (KY). T-Troy Constantine.

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

Cactus Tom, g, 3, Cactus Ridge-Stubborn Star, by Star Choice. FGX, 1-25, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:48 2/5. B-John R Penn (KY). \*\$20,000 yrl '06 KEESEP. \*\*1/2 to Winning Agenda (Twilight Agenda), MSW, \$123,500; Canta Ke Brave (River Special), MSW-Stp, \$191,522; Anyplace Anytime (Langfuhr), SP, \$164,955.

Super Ride, g, 3, Gold Tribute--Ski Trail (SW & GSP, \$137,950), by Nalees Man. DED, 1-24, (S), 5f, :59 3/5. B-J. Adcock (LA). \*\$10,500 yrl '06 LOUOCT. \*\*SP.

**Senseny Road**, g, 3, **Luftikus**--Very Posh, by Oh Say. CTX, 1-24, (S), 4 1/2f, :53 4/5. B-James W Casey (WV).

Two Thirds Victory, f, 3, Peteski's Charm--Delay, by Flying Continental. GGX, 1-25, 1m (AWT), 1:40 3/5. B-George Kypros MD (CA).

Tempered Storm, f, 3, Pulling Punches--Catch a Spy, by Timeless Native. FGX, 1-25, (S), 6f, 1:13 4/5. B-J Adcock (LA). \*\$5,000 yrl '06 LOUOCT.

Inca River, c, 3, Smooth Jazz--Willie Brook, byMontbrook. DED, 1-24, 5f, 1:00 2/5. B-Carlos Rafael& Briggs & Cromartie Bloodstock (FL).

Corage, f, 4, Five Star Day-Renfro Valley Star, by Dayjur. GGX, 1-24, 6f (AWT), 1:10 1/5. B-John J Greely III (KY). \*\$38,000 yrl '05 FTKJUL; \$75,000 2yo '06 FTMMAY. \*\*1/2 to Blairs Roarin Star (Roar), GSP, \$181,771.

### SO. HEMISPHERE WINNERS BY U.S. SIRES:

Absent Friends (Aus), c, 3, <u>Dehere</u>--Lady Mulan (NZ), by Bigstone (Ire). Randwick (Sydney), 1-23, Mdn, 3yo/up, c/g, 6 1/2fT. B-Jynnbrook Pty Ltd.

Cat Burglar (Aus), f, 3, Tale of the Cat--Jacomo (NZ), by Three Legs (GB). Randwick (Sydney), 1-23, Mdn, 3yo, f, 6 1/2fT. B-Dr D J O'Brien.

Kauri Cliffs (Aus), f, 4, More Than Ready--Springtime Romance (Aus), by Last Tycoon (Ire). Trentham (Wellington), 1-21, Mdn, 3yo/up, 1 5/16mT. B-Gooree Park Stud Pty Ltd.

# BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

#### **CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

BRITAIN, Wolverhampton, 4.00, 1-25, £16,000, 4yo/up, 1m 141yds (AWT), 1:50.42, stn.
BAHARAH (f, 4, Elusive Quality--Bahr {GB} {MGSW-GB, G1SP-GB & Ire, GISP-US, \$363,272}, by Generous {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-1, £17,516. O-Erik Penser; B-Darley; T-Gerard Butler. \*30,000gns HIT '07 TATJUL.

### **ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

Caribana (GB), f, 3, Hernando (Fr)--Carenage (Ire), by Alzao. Wolverhampton, Britain, 1-25, Mdn, 3yo, 9f 103yds (AWT). B-Kirsten Rausing.

Tamura (Ity), f, 3, Orpen-Blu Wish, by Manila. Naples, Italy, 1-24, Mdn, 3yo, 1mT. B-Azienda Agricola Loreto Luciani.

Barons Court (GB), c, 3, Pivotal (GB)--Grafin (GSW-Fr, MSW & MGSP-US, \$320,511), by Miswaki. Kempton Park, Britain, 1-23, Mdn, 3yo/up, 7f (AWT). B-Darley. \*1/2 to Zosima (Capote), GSW-US, SP-Eng, \$179,920.

Rose Grise (Fr), f, 3, Verglas (Ire)--Tempete Tropicale (Fr), by Kaldoun (Fr). Cagnes-sur-Mer, France, 1-24, Mdn, 3yo, f, 1 1/4m (AWT). B-Elevage de Bois Carrouges. \*€45,000 yrl '06 DEAAUG.

El Fontan (Fr), c, 3, Verglas (Ire)--Valeriane (Fr), by Hamas (Ire). Cagnes-sur-Mer, France, 1-24, Mdn, 3yo, c/g, 1 1/4m (AWT). B-J C Ollivier. \*€9,500 wnlg '05 DEADEC.

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#### SO. HEMISPHERE WINNERS BY EUROPEAN SIRES:

- All In Brawl (NZ), g, 2, Bertolini--All In Grace (NZ), by Prized. Trentham (Wellington), 1-21, Mdn, 2yo, 5fT. B-P J & Mrs M O McDonald.
- Testamarriage (Aus), f, 2, Testa Rossa (Aus)--Lemon Soda (Aus), by Noalcoholic (Fr). Launceston (Tasmania), 1-20, Mdn, 2yo, 5 1/2fT. B-J Wakeling.
- Crown's Master (NZ), g, 3, Cape Cross (Ire)--Eledence (Fr), by Dancing Spree. Trentham (Wellington), 1-21, Mdn, 3yo/up, 6fT. B-G S Tay & C W Tsang.
- Sircross (NZ), g, 3, Cape Cross (Ire)--Contra Aid, by Hostage. Te Rapa (New Zealand), 1-23, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1mT. B-F Lee.
- Tease Me (Aus), f, 3, Encosta de Lago (Aus)--Flashed (Aus), by Fuju Kiseki (Jpn). Sandown (Melbourne), 1-23, Hcp, 3yo, f, 5fT. B-R S & R W Dufficy.
- Sazonar (NZ), g, 4, Bertolini--On l'Etage (NZ), by Dance Floor. Sandown (Melbourne), 1-23, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT. B-Keri Hill Stud Ltd & Rich Hill Thoroughbreds Ltd.
- Italic (GB), m, 5, Medicean (GB)--Ink Pot, by Green Dancer. Te Rapa (New Zealand), 1-23, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT. B-Cheveley Park Stud Ltd.
- Paris Chic (Aus), m, 5, Xaar (GB)--What Price Glory (Aus), by New Regent. Randwick (Sydney), 1-23, Hcp, 3yo/up, f/m, 7fT. B-G J Cobcroft & Parraweena Past Co.
- Melinite (NZ), g, 6, Bahhare--Melsie (NZ), by Masterclass. Trentham (Wellington), 1-21, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1 3/8mT. B-J V & Mrs F McSheffrey.

### THIS DATE IN HISTORY...

January 26, 1950...Citation's 16-race win streak came to an end in the La Sorpresa Handicap at Santa Anita. Despite giving 16 pounds to the winner, Miche, Citation, carrying 130 pounds, lost only by a neck.

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## ✓ APPOINTMENTS

### **ARON WELLMAN**

- Appointed to the position of Racehorse Administrator for Team Valor International.
- A 30-year-old California native, Wellman will be "involved in every facet of our operation," according to TVI President Barry Irwin.
- An attorney, Wellman created the LGL Stable partnership three years ago and managed the career of top fillies such as MGSW & GISP Valbenny (Ire).

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