

EIGHT IS ENOUGH

She had to work for it, but **Eight Belles** (Unbridled's Song) made it four in a row with a game 3/4-length victory over **Alina** (Came Home) in the GII Fantasy S. at Oaklawn yesterday. The gray filly opened the year with an easy allowance score at Fair Grounds Jan. 13, then shipped to Arkansas and took the Feb. 17 Martha Washington S. by 13 lengths. Jockey Ramon Dominguez had her in hand when she beat **Pure Clan** (Pure Prize) by 1 1/4 lengths in the Mar. 16 GIII Honeybee S., and he expected a similar result



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this time, but Alina had other plans. Sent right to the front, she cut out a half in :48.12 and six furlongs in 1:12.46. Dominguez sent Eight Belles after the frontrunner as they raced out of the bend, but he had to go to work with the stick in the final furlong before finally driving to the front in the shadow of the wire. The winner will now join stablemate Proud Spell at Keeneland, and will make her next start in the May 2 GI Kentucky Oaks at Churchill Downs. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#), the [brisnet.com PPs](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

Sunday, Oaklawn Park

FANTASY S.-GII, \$237,500, OPX, 4-6, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:43, ft.

1--**EIGHT BELLES**, 121, f, 3, by [Unbridled's Song](#)
1st Dam: **Away** (SW & MGSP, \$277,550),
by **Dixieland Band**

2nd Dam: **Be a Prospector**, by **Mr. Prospector**

3rd Dam: **Belonging**, by **Exclusive Native**

(\$375,000 yrl '06 KEESEP). O-Fox Hill Farms Inc, et al; B-Robert N Clay & Serengeti Stable (KY); T-J Larry Jones; J-Ramon A Dominguez; \$150,000. Lifetime Record: 9-5-2-1, \$308,650. **Werk Nick Rating: A +**. [Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Alina**, 121, f, 3, **Came Home**--Lady Heroine, by Sea Hero. (\$5,500 yrl '06 KEESEP). O-Savorthetime Stables, LP Philip & Brenda Robertson; B-Glencrest Farm (KY); T-Steven M Asmussen; \$50,000.

3--**Pure Clan**, 121, f, 3, **Pure Prize**--Gather The Clan (Ire), by General Assembly. O-Lewis Lakin, IEAH Stable and Pegasus Holding Group Stables, LLC; B-A Lakin & Sons, Inc (KY); T-R E Holthus; \$25,000. Margins: 3/4, HF, 11. Odds: 0.50, 4.50, 2.00.

Also Ran: French Kiss.

ON TO KENTUCKY DERBY FOR WAR PASS

Eclipse Award winner **War Pass** (Cherokee Run), who gave way grudgingly to be second behind **Tale of Ekati** (Tale of the Cat) as the odds-on choice in Saturday's GI Wood Memorial at Aqueduct, came out of the race in good order and will head to Churchill Downs for the May 3 GI Kentucky Derby. "It was the only big race that I finished second in that I appreciated it as a win," trainer Nick Zito said. "He ran as tough as he could and showed what kind of horse he is, especially the way the race shaped up."



War Pass (left) in Wood
Sarah K Andrew

Zito added, "Obviously this sets him up great for the Derby. He got nothing out of his race in Tampa, so he needed this." Tale of Ekati headed to Keeneland Saturday night and was none the worse for the wear after his busy day, according to trainer Barclay Tagg. "He came with me last night and everything is right," said Tagg. "He's going into the Kentucky Derby the right way." Tagg also has Derby candidates **Elysium Fields** (El Prado {Ire}) and **Big Truck** (Hook and Ladder) in the barn, and added, "I will say this: I wouldn't trade my three for any others going into the Derby." The conditioner is looking at Saturday's GI Toyota Blue Grass S. or GII Arkansas Derby for the pair. **Triple Threats**, p7

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Sunday, Longchamp, France

PRIX D'HARCOURT-G2, €130,000, Longchamp, 4-6, 4yo/up, 1 1/4mT, 2:14.60, vhy.

1--**LOUP BRETON (IRE)**, 123, c, 4, by Anabaa

1st Dam: Louve (GSW-Fr), by Irish River (Fr)

2nd Dam: Louveterie, by Nureyev

3rd Dam: Lupe (GB), by Primera (GB)

O-Ecurie Wildenstein; B-Dayton Investments Ltd; T-Elie Lellouche; J-C-P Lemaire; €74,100. Lifetime Record: 8 starts, 3 wins, 3 places, €194,350. *1/2 to Louve Royale (Ire) (Peintre Celebre), MSW & MGSP-US, \$316,057. **Werk Nick Rating: B.**

Click for the [eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree](#).

2--**Spirit One (Fr)**, 123, c, 4, Anabaa Blue (GB)--

Lavayssiere (Fr), by Sicyos. O-Bouزيد Chehboub;

B-K & B Chehboub; T-Philippe Demercastel; €28,600.

3--**Boris de Deauville (Ire)**, 127, h, 5, Soviet Star--Log-

jam (Ire), by Royal Academy. O-M Bryant & L Haegel;

B-Petra Bloodstock Agency Ltd; T-S Wattel; €13,650.

Margins: HF, HF, 3/4. Odds: 8.40, 0.90, 6.30.

Also Ran: Balius (Ire), Aspectus (Ire), Persian Storm

(Ger), Quest for Honor (GB), Musical Way (Fr).

Loup Breton, winner of the G3 Prix Daphnis last term, had not been out since being promoted to second in the G2 Prix Dollar back here on Arc weekend. He settled a host of old scores to bag a career high in this. Reserved in rear until the straight, Loup Breton began a forward move at the quarter-mile pole, and his unrelenting burst carried him beyond pacesetter Spirit One inside the last 50 meters for a stylish win. The triumph was witnessed by Guy Wildenstein, brother of the late Alec, who passed away in February. Trainer Elie Lellouche reflected, "At this time our thoughts turn to Alec, as we would have liked him to be with us because he'd have enjoyed today. Loup Breton has strengthened a lot since last year, his morning work was very good in preparation for this return and Christophe [Lemaire] gave him a brilliantly patient ride, which is exactly what the horse needs. We can now take him to a Group 1 race again and that will be the Prix Ganay [at Longchamp Apr. 27] or the Prix d'Ispahan [at Longchamp May 18]." Click for the [Racing Post chart](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#).

Sunday, Longchamp, France

PRIX NOAILLES-G2, €130,000, Longchamp, 4-6, 3yo, c/f, 1 5/16mT, 2:22.50, vhy.

1--**FULL OF GOLD (FR)**, 128, c, 3, by Gold Away (Ire)

1st Dam: Funny Feerie (Fr) (SW-Stp), by Sillery

2nd Dam: Funny Pearl, by Irish River (Fr)

3rd Dam: Messenie (Fr), by Lyphard

O-Alec Head; B-Alec & Ghislaine Head; T-Criquette Head-Maarek; J-Thierry Gillet; €74,100. Lifetime Record: G1SW-Fr, 5 starts, 3 wins, 2 places, €133,750. **Werk Nick Rating: A + + .** Click for the [eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree](#).

2--**Court Canibal (GB)**, 128, c, 3, Montjeu (Ire)--Pas

d'Heure (Ire), by Arazi. O-Marquise de Moratalla;

B-Childwick Bury Stud Management; T-Mikel

Delzangles; €28,600.

3--**Blue Bresil (Fr)**, 128, c, 3, Smadoun (Fr)--Miss Recif

(Ire), by Exit to Nowhere. (€35,000 yrl '06 DEAOCT).

O-Freddy Tondelier; B-Jean-Louis Pariente; T-Brigitte

Halley des Fontaines; €13,650.

Margins: HD, 3/4, NK. Odds: 0.80, 7.30, 22.00.

Also Ran: Mount Helicon (GB), Mayweather (GB), Chirango (Fr).

Full of Gold entered winter quarters with ambition directed at the June 1 G1 Prix du Jockey-Club following success in the Nov. 11 G1 Criterium de Saint-Cloud, and he kept the Chantilly dream alive with a determined victory against fitter opponents in the mud here. Allowing Blue Bresil plenty of leeway from the bell, he looked in danger of defeat when laboring to bridge the gap in the straight, but gave one last thrust under continued driving to overhaul that stubborn rival and hold the even later bid of Court Canibal in the bobber. "He is just fantastic and he was far from being 100 percent today, so he will come on a lot for this run," explained trainer Criquette Head-Maarek. "He defeated horses which were fit from already running this year. They tried to make it a proper test, but he has what it takes to make a good horse and that is heart and class. We will bring him back here for the [May 5 G2] Prix Hocquart, with the French Derby in mind after that."

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Sunday, Santa Anita

LAS FLORES H.-GIII, \$150,000, SAX, 4-6, 4yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:14, ft.

1--@**TIZ ELEMENTAL**, 120, f, 4, by Cee's Tizzy

1st Dam: Blending Element (Ire) (GSW, \$449,008), by Great Commotion

2nd Dam: Blue Wedding, by Irish River (Fr)

3rd Dam: Wedding, by *Noholme II

O-Warren B Williamson; B-Williamson Racing LLC (CA); T-Carla Gaines; J-Victor Espinoza; \$90,000. Lifetime Record: 7-5-1-0, \$393,260. *Full to Tiz a Blend, SW, \$172,854. **Werk Nick Rating: A + +.**

Click for the [eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree](#).

2--**Glorified**, 115, f, 4, Honour and Glory--Foxcaller, by Beau Genius. (\$170,000 yrl '05 FTKJUL). O-Jay Em Ess Stable; B-Mike G Rutherford Sr (KY); T-Ronald W Ellis; \$30,000.

3--**Intangaroo**, 116, f, 4, Orientate--Tasso's Magic Roo, by Tasso. (\$37,000 yrl '05 KEESEP). O-Tom Grether Farms, Inc; B-Pollock Farms & Taylor Made Farm, Inc (KY); T-Gary Sherlock; \$18,000.

Margins: NK, NK, 1HF. Odds: 1.60, 1.90, 3.60.

Also Ran: Overly Tempting, Butters, Acinonyx.

Tiz Elemental captured an allowance test sprinting on the Santa Anita main track last Apr. 5, and added a victory in the Melair S. going two turns on the Hollywood Cushion 24 days later, then went to the sidelines. She made her return in the six-furlong Honest Lady S. on the Santa Anita all-weather Feb. 24, getting up to beat Glorified on the line, and was along in time once again here. Rated just off the pace as Overly Tempting (In Excess {Ire}) zipped a half in :43.67, Tiz Elemental was part of the cavalry charge that overtook the leader inside the eight pole, prevailing in a three-way photo. "The filly on the lead was going fast and we were up close, but it felt like she was just galloping along," jockey Victor Espinoza said. "She's unbelievable. She's all about winning." It was the 10th victory in the last 14 starts for trainer Carla Gaines, who made it 11-for-15 in the next race, the Valentine Dancer H. "I can't recall having a run like this, but I'd like to keep it up," quipped Gaines. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or the [brisnet.com PPs](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#).**

Sunday, Leopardstown, Ireland

LEOPARDSTOWN 1000 GUINEAS TRIAL S.-G3,

€70,000, Leopardstown, 4-6, 3yo, f, 7fT, 1:28.94, yl.

1--#@**CARRIBEAN SUNSET (IRE)**, 126, f, 3, by [Danehill Dancer \(Ire\)](#)

1st Dam: Bonheur (Ire), by Royal Academy

2nd Dam: Queen to Conquer, by King's Bishop

3rd Dam: Beat It (Fr), by Silnet (Fr)

(€160,000 yrl '06 GOFORB). O-Dr Ronan Lambe; B-Barronstown Stud; T-Dermot Weld; J-Pat Smullen; €45,570. Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-1, €174,645. **Click for the [eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree](#). [Werk Nick Rating: A.](#)**

2--**Halfway to Heaven (Ire)**, 126, f, 3, Pivotal (GB)--Cassandra Go (Ire), by Indian Ridge (Ire). (€450,000 yrl '06 GOFORB). O-Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith & Susan Magnier; B-Trevor Stewart; T-Aidan O'Brien; €14,000.

3--**Saoirse Abu**, 129, f, 3, Mr. Greeley--Out Too Late, by Future Storm. (\$260,000 yrl '06 KEESEP). O-Ennistown Stud; B-White Cloud Bloodstock, Omar Trevino and N & P Partnership; T-Jim Bolger; €7,000. Margins: HD, 2HF, 1HF. Odds: 12-1, 7-1, 2-1.

Also Ran: Yali (Ire), Dash Back, Queen Jock, Psalm (Ire), Miss Red Eye (Ire), Valentine Hill (Ire).

With Ballydoyle's well-backed favorite Psalm (Ire) (Sadler's Wells) being effectively taken out of the action when her saddle slipped before halfway, this Classic trial may have posed more questions than it answered as Caribbean Sunset struck to lose her winless tag. Third in the Goffs Fillies Million and fourth in the G3 C L Weld Park S. at The Curragh in September, she was a beaten odds-on favorite on her sophomore bow in a Cork maiden 13 days ago, tiring late to finish fourth in that 1 1/16-mile contest. Up to lead early, the bay soon surrendered her advantage to race in third before quickening to join Halfway to Heaven approaching the furlong marker. Responding to driving, she continued to dig deep and prevailed in a tooth-and-nail tussle to the line. "She did it very well today and learned from Cork," conditioner Dermot Weld said. "She was fitter today and battled, and the G1 Irish 1000 Guineas [at The Curragh May 25] will be her next race."

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LEOPARDSTOWN 2000 GUINEAS TRIAL S.-G3,
 €70,000, Leopardstown, 4-6, 3yo, c/g, 1mT, 1:43.95,
 yl.

1-#**@FAMOUS NAME (GB), 126, c, 3, by Dansili (GB)**

1st Dam: **Fame at Last, by Quest for Fame (GB)**

2nd Dam: **Ranales, by Majestic Light**

3rd Dam: **Katsura, by Northern Dancer**

O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms Ltd; T-Dermot Weld; J-Pat Smullen; €45,570. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, €77,317. **Werk Nick Rating: A + + . Click for the [eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree](#).**

2--**Moiqen (Ire), 126, c, 3, Red Ransom--Za Aamah, by Mr. Prospector.** O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Shadwell Estate Company Limited; T- Kevin Prendergast; €14,000.

3--**Hebridean (Ire), 126, g, 3, Bach (Ire)--Delphinium (Ire), by Dr Massini (Ire).** O-Anne Marie O'Brien; B-Whisperview Trading Ltd; T-Aidan O'Brien; €7,000. Margins: 4, 1 1/4, 8. Odds: 4-6, 4-1, 16-1.

Also Ran: Greek Mythology. Scratched: Great Rumpuscat.

Famous Name showed he could handle ground with some ease in it when recording a seven-length success on debut in a Naas maiden in July and may have found quicker conditions against him when only sixth in the G1 National S. at The Curragh in September. Despite the official going being described as good-to-firm on his final start in the G3 Killavullan S. at this track in October, the bay went close to beating leading 2000 Guineas contender Jupiter Pluvius there, and met nothing of that caliber on this return to action. Having accepted an early lead from the ultimately disappointing Greek Mythology (Mr. Greeley), the homebred took control at the top of the stretch and needed only to be shaken up to dismiss his only two serious threats. "He's a good colt and has done well over the winter," trainer Dermot Weld commented. "I think Jupiter Pluvius is a very good colt, but he didn't get the run of the race when beaten by him in the Killavullan, and he has matured since. He's grown and strengthened and was 10 to 15 kilos heavier than his optimum today, so at this stage of what I hope will be a long year for him I couldn't be happier. I'll speak with Prince Khalid and Lord Grimthorpe, but I think the G1 Irish 2000 Guineas [May 24] would be a very suitable race for him, but I can see him staying further and being a mile-and-a-quarter horse at least." **Click for the [Racing Post chart](#).**

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 €50,000, Cologne, 4-6, 4yo/up, 1 3/8mT, 2:33.39, hy.

1-#**@ORIENTAL TIGER (GER), 126, h, 5, by Tiger Hill (Ire)**
 1st Dam: **Oriental Flower (Ger) (Hwt. 2yo Filly-Ger), by Big Shuffle**
 2nd Dam: **Orange Bowl (GB), by General Assembly**
 3rd Dam: **Golden Bowl, by Vaguely Noble (Ire)**
 O/B-Gestut Auenquelle; T-Uwe Ostmann; J-T Hellier; €32,000. Lifetime Record: MG1SP-Ger, 12 starts, 2 wins, 9 places, €299,300. **Werk Nick Rating: B + . Click for the [eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree](#).**

2--**Dwilano (Ger), 123, h, 5, Silvano (Ger)--Dwings (Ire), by In the Wings (GB).** O-Stall Piaggio; B-Frau Dr Eleonore Wachtarz; T-Peter Remmert; €10,000.

3--**White Lightning (Ger), 123, h, 6, Sternkoenig (Ire)--Whispering Grass (Ger), by Konigsstuhl (Ger).** O-Peter Hanke; B-Lore Zieger-Dickerhoff; T-U Stech; €5,000. Margins: 2, 3, 5. Odds: 2.90, 16.00, 57.00.

Also Ran: Eiswind (GB), Sereth (Ire), Waldvogel (Ire), Eger-ton (Ger), Poseidon Adventure (Ire), Blushing King (Fr).

Second in the G1 Grosser Preis von Baden in 2006, Oriental Tiger made it to the track only twice last term, finishing third in the G2 Hansa Preis in June and a last-out sixth in the G1 Deutschlandpreis in July. Off the shelf for this lesser spot, he asserted for the lead and was not for catching under gentle encouragement in the straight to register a belated first stakes win.



Sunday, Hanshin, Japan

SANKEI OSAKA HAI-G2, ¥123,180,000, Hanshin, 4-6, 4yo/up, 2000mT, 1:58.70, fm.

1--**DAIWA SCARLET (JPN)**, 123, f, 4, by Agnes Tachyon (Jpn)

1st Dam: **Scarlet Bouquet (Jpn) (MSW-Jpn, \$2,010,675)**, by Northern Taste

2nd Dam: **Scarlet Ink**, by Crimson Satan

3rd Dam: **Consentida**, by Beau Max

O-Keizo Oshiro; B-Shadai Farm; T-Kunihide Matsuda; J-Katsumi Ando; ¥64,826,000. Lifetime Record: G1SW-Jpn, 10-7-3-0, ¥549,437,000. *3/4 to Daiwa Major (Jpn) (Sunday Silence), Ch. Sprinter & Ch. Miler-Jpn, MG1SW-Jpn, G1SP-UAE, \$9,135,78; and Daiwa Rouge (Jpn) (Sunday Silence), SW-Jpn, \$1,097,647; 1/2 to Scarlet Mall (Jpn) (Tony Bin {Ire}), SP-Jpn, \$239,005. **Werk Nick Rating: A + +** .

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2--**Eishin Deputy (Jpn)**, 126, h, 6, French Deputy--

Eishin McAllen, by Woodman. O-Toyomitsu Hirai; B-Eishin Farm; ¥26,236,000.

3--**Asakusa Kings (Jpn)**, 130, c, 4, White Muzzle (GB)--

Croupier Star (Jpn), by Sunday Silence.

(¥71,000,000 fl '04 JPNJUL). O-Keiko Tahara; B-Shadai Farm; ¥16,118,000.

Margins: 3/4, HF, HD. Odds: 1.00, 31.50, 11.40.

Never worse than second in her nine previous trips to the post, Daiwa Scarlet won last year's Shuka Sho (Japanese Oaks) Oct. 14 before tasting Group 1 success in the 11-furlong Queen Elizabeth II S. at Kyoto Nov. 11. She closed her three-year-old campaign with a runner-up effort in the G1 Arima Kinen Dec. 23, finishing 2 1/2 lengths ahead of her 3/4-brother Daiwa Major (Jpn). A trip to Dubai was in the offing, but a minor eye injury caused her to miss an intended February prep and she was rerouted to this spot. The well-backed favorite stalked Eishin Deputy before tugging her way to the front at the end of the backstretch. They tried to get to her turning for home, but she found more on the uphill climb to the line to win comfortably.

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Sunday, Nakayama, Japan

LORD DERBY CHALLENGE TROPHY-G3, ¥78,190,000, Nakayama, 4-6, 4yo/up, 1600mT, 1:34.20, fm.

1--**@SILENT PRIDE (JPN)**, 126, h, 5, by French Deputy

1st Dam: **Silent Prayer (Jpn)**, by Sunday Silence

2nd Dam: **Gentle Spirit**, by Nijinsky II

3rd Dam: **Banderole**, by Hoist the Flag

O-Shadai Race Horse; B-Shadai Farm; T-Sakae Kunieda; J-Yorihiko Yokoyama; ¥41,623,000.

Lifetime Record: 16-7-2-2. *1/2 to Suzuno March (Jpn) (Timber Country), MSW-Jpn, \$1,643,552; full to Tosen March (Jpn), SP-Jpn, \$234,172. Click for the [eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree](#). **Werk Nick Rating: A + +** .

2--**Dragon Welds**, 123, h, 5, Dynaformer--Poolesta (Ire), by Hero's Honor. (\$200,000 yrl '04 KEESEP).

O-Yoshiro Kubota; B-Kilroy Thoroughbred Partnership; ¥16,178,000.

3--**Dance for Win (Jpn)**, 119, h, 5, Dance in the Dark (Jpn)--M. G. Piccoro, by Housebuster. O-Mie Sugiyama; B-Meiji Farm; ¥10,089,000.

Margins: NK, 3/4, HF. Odds: 7.80, 17.60, 79.50.

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Saturday Night, Sam Houston Race Park
JOHN B. CONNALLY TURF H.-GIII, \$168,500, HOU, 4-5, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:51 3/5, fm.
 1--**@SCRAPPY ROO**, 115, g, 5, by Roo Art
 1st Dam: Dance's Lyph, by King Lyph
 2nd Dam: Dance Thru, by Pilgrim
 3rd Dam: See Thru Blouse, by *Giacometti
 O-Tawana Cantrell; B-Dr David S Taylor (TX); T-John G Locke; J-Paul M Nolan; \$90,000. Lifetime Record: 15-8-3-0, \$183,280. *Full to It's Roo, SW, \$161,455. **Werk Nick Rating: A.** [Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree.](#)
 2--**Going Ballistic**, 116, c, 4, Lite the Fuse--Holy Lightning, by Holy Bull. (\$4,000 yrl '05 KEEJAN). O-Kindred Thoroughbreds LLC; B-Adena Springs (FL); T-Donnie K Von Hemel; \$40,000.
 3--**Eighteenthofmarch**, 114, g, 4, Wild Event--Oopsy Daisy, by Evansville Slew. O-Thoroughbred Partners LLC; B-Gabriel Dixon (FL); T-John Good; \$22,000. Margins: HD, NK, HF. Odds: 6.40, 3.30, 12.50. Also Ran: Firerock Base, Embossed (Ire), Wise River, Student Council, Mr. Unstoppable.

Scrappy Roo came into his graded-stakes debut with a four-race win streak, all over this turf course. The bay gelding captured an allowance here last December before ending his 2007 campaign with a six-length win over \$25,000 claimers. He returned this term to take a Feb. 2 optional claimer and was coming off a narrow victory in the Feb. 23 Tomball S. versus state-bred foes over course and trip. Scrappy Roo contested the pace with favored Student Council (Kingmambo) through pedestrian splits and outbattled the late-closing Going Ballistic for the win. Student Council, winner of last year's GI Pacific Classic, tired through the stretch and ran seventh. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or the [brisnet.com PPs](#).



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☆ SOHEM. RESULTS ☆

Sunday, Ascot (Perth), Australia
WATC DERBY-G1, A\$500,000, Ascot (Perth), 4-6, 3yo, 1 1/2mT, 2:28.75, gd.
 1--**▲GRAND JOURNEY (AUS)**, 118, f, 3, by Good Journey
 1st Dam: Grand Prospect (Aus), by Flying Spur (Aus)
 2nd Dam: Merry Life (Aus), by Bletchingly (Aus)
 3rd Dam: Kaneohe (Aus), by Boucher
 O-D R Brideoake, et al; B-L E King; T-David Brideoake; J-William Pike; A\$300,000. **Werk Nick Rating: A+.** [Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree.](#)
 2--**Yuro (Aus)**, 123, g, 3, Fusaichi Pegasus--Hot Spice (Aus), by Old Spice (Aus). O-P M Bartlett, J L Yurovich & B A Morris; B-Charles Roy Bloodstock; T-Bob Turrell Jr; A\$100,000.
 3--**Star Encounter (Aus)**, 118, f, 3, Jeune (GB)--Lady Ashford (Aus), by Royal Academy. O/B-Peters Investments Pty Ltd; T-Adam Durrant; A\$45,000. Margins: LHD, 2HF. Odds: 9-4, 13-8, 19-1.



Curlin arrives at Keeneland Sunday

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A GRACE FILLED WEEKEND AT KEENELAND

- **BOSS LAFITTE**, bred, raised and sold by Gracefield and Haymarket, won the **Transylvania S. (G3)** on Friday. Boss Lafitte was purchased for \$200,000 by Headley Bell's Nicoma's Bloodstock at KEESEP.
- **KEEP LAUGHING**, winner of Sunday's **Lafayette S.**, was purchased by Ben Walden, Jr. and David Hanley for \$45,000 from breeder Winstar Farm at KEEJAN. Keep Laughing was sold at KEESEP to Vision Sales for \$85,000.

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Kentucky Bear Preps for Blue Grass...

Jockey Jamie Theriot had his first ride aboard **Kentucky Bear** (Mr. Greeley) at Keeneland yesterday morning, breezing the chestnut colt five furlongs in 1:01.80. The two will team up again in Saturday's GI Toyota Blue Grass S. "I never dropped his head," Theriot said. "He did it well within himself. I was very pleased with the way he worked." He added, "He handled the track fine. [Trainer Reade Baker] told me he had worked before in Canada on the Polytrack and said he seemed like he handled it just fine. He's a big, long comfortable-striding horse...he was happy the whole way and galloped out super. You couldn't ask for a better work." A decisive maiden winner in his debut at Gulfstream in January, Kentucky Bear looks to rebound after running seventh in the Feb. 24 GII Fountain of Youth S. Also prepping for the Blue Grass, **Cowboy Cal** (Giant's Causeway) went a half in :47.40 at Keeneland; fellow Todd Pletcher trainee **Monba** (Maria's Mon) went the same distance in :47.20. Jockey John Velazquez has the mount aboard Cowboy Cal Saturday.



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Bob Black Jack's Derby Status: Undecided...

Bob Black Jack (Stormy Jack), beaten just a half-length by **Colonel John** (Tiznow) in Saturday's GI Santa Anita Derby, could have enough earnings to get into the field for the May 3 GI Kentucky Derby, but his connections have not yet decided if that's the direction they will take. "He looks good this morning, and I'd say we have no plans right now, but the Kentucky Derby is an option," trainer Jim Kasparoff said. "Over the next week and a half, we'll discuss everything, but he's got to be doing well and show me he deserves to go." With his second-place effort, the Cal-bred colt upped his graded earnings to \$178,800, good for 18th on the current standings.

Change of Plans for Little Belle...

Darley homebred **Little Belle** (A.P. Indy), who upset Saturday's GI Ashland S. at 16-1, had been scheduled to return to New York after the race, but is now likely to remain in Kentucky for the May 2 GI Kentucky Oaks, and could be changing barns. "I think she will stay here," said Neal McLaughlin, trainer Kiaran McLaughlin's brother and assistant. "She may go to Godolphin. She has proved to be a Grade I filly. We will stay here...and we will point to the next race and see what [Sheikh Mohammed] decides. Usually they move up to the elite team at the end of their two-year-old year, but she had not proven herself and did not really blossom until over the winter." Little Belle broke her maiden Feb. 1 in her fourth career start and made it two in a row in the Feb. 24 Busher S. at Aqueduct. Ashland runner-up **Bsharpsonata** (Pulpit) and third-place finisher **Proud Spell** (Proud Citizen) will also head to the Oaks, and trainer Bobby Frankel said yesterday that **Country Star** (Empire Maker) will likely join them in the gate on the first Friday in May. "She came back fine; we scoped her and everything looked good," Frankel said. "I don't know; she didn't put in any effort in [Saturday's] race. I think I probably trained her too much. But she's in good shape this morning."

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#	Horse	Sire	ML Odds
1	Adriano*	A.P. Indy	38-1
2	Atoned*	Repent	59-1
3	Big Brown*	Boundary	3-1
4	Big Truck*	Hook and Ladder	32-1
5	Blackberry Road	Gone West	46-1
6	Bob Black Jack	Stormy Jack	42-1
7	Colonel John	Tiznow	6-1
8	Cool Coal Man	Mineshaft	20-1
9	Court Vision	Gulch	19-1
10	Denis of Cork	Harlan's Holiday	26-1
11	El Gato Malo	El Corredor	21-1
12	Gayego	Gilded Time	57-1
13	Liberty Bull*	Holy Bull	74-1
14	My Pal Charlie*	Indian Charlie	73-1
15	Pyro	Pulpit	5-1
16	Salute the Sarge*	Forest Wildcat	95-1
17	Smooth Air	Smooth Jazz	30-1
18	Tale of Ekati	Tale of the Cat	18-1
19	Tomcito*	Street Cry (Ire)	32-1
20	Visionaire	Grand Slam	19-1
21	War Pass	Cherokee Run	14-1
22	Yankee Bravo	Yankee Gentleman	61-1
23	Z Fortune	Siphon (Brz)	54-1
24	Mutuel Field	"All Others"	14-1

*New wagering interest.

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POOL 3 - FINAL ODDS**

#	Horse	Sire	ML Odds
1	A to the Croft	Menifee	37-1
2	Absolute Cindy	Arch	33-1
3	Africal Violet*	Lemon Drop Kid	47-1
4	Ariege*	Doneraile Court	21-1
5	Armonk*	Mizzen Mast	80-1
6	Awesome Chic	Awesome Again	26-1
7	Bsharpsonata	Pulpit	8-1
8	Country Star	Empire Maker	7-1
9	Eight Belles	Unbridled's Song	5-1
10	Elusive Lady*	Van Nistelrooy	78-1
11	French Kiss*	Hussonet	78-1
12	Gentle Audrey*	Elusive Quality	99-1
13	Golden Doc A	Unusual Heat	15-1
14	Grace and Power	More Than Ready	59-1
15	Highest Class	Mineshaft	33-1
16	Kadira	Kafwain	99-1
17	Little Belle*	A.P. Indy	11-1
18	My Baby Baby	Bernstein	84-1
19	Proud Spell	Proud Citizen	6-1
20	Pure Clan	Pure Prize	8-1
21	Robbie's Gal*	Straight Man	67-1
22	Shes All Eltish	Eltish	12-1
23	Valentine Fever*	Stormin Fever	99-1
24	Mutuel Field	"All Others"	11-1

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04-26 300 Mairzy Doates H., **Crc**, 11fT (300), **04-16**
05-03 150 Churchill Distaff Turf Mile-III, **CD**, 8fT (150), **04-09**
05-17 100 Gallorette H.-III, **Pim**, 8.5fT (100), **05-05**
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April grad Panty Raid (center) in her '07 GI Spinster win Horsephotos



NEW-LOOK APRIL SALE BEGINS TOMORROW

The two-year-old in training season has been a mixed bag in 2008. The OBS February Sale got things off to a strong start, while the Fasig-Tipton Calder Sale maintained an even keel. Barretts March suffered double-digit declines, but things rebounded with a robust two days of trading at OBS March that established new records for gross, average and median.

Now Keeneland gets its chance, with a reformatted April Two-Year-Olds in Training Sale. Previously a single-session event held during the day, the April Sale is split over two nights this year. The first session, comprised of hips 1 through 95, commences tomorrow at 7 p.m. The second session begins at the same time Wednesday and concludes the 191-horse catalog. Sale officials hope the change will enhance the boutique feeling of the sale and allow buyers more time to inspect prospects.

"We thought moving to two nights would add more flavor," explained Keeneland Director of Sales Geoffrey Russell. "Plus, we really wanted to give buyers plenty of time to look at *all* the horses, not just the top 10 percent."

That speaks to another major change to April: the breeze-up portion of the sale has been scaled back from two days to one. The under-tack preview will be held over Keeneland's Polytrack this morning beginning at 10:30 a.m.

"Earlier in the year, we talked to the NATC [National Association of Two-Year-Old Consignors], and they broached the subject of having just one preview," said Russell, who added that the initial feedback from consignors was positive.

"They like it because there is less stress on the horses," he said. "It worked well in Florida [at Fasig-Tipton Calder], and so far everybody is happy with the change."

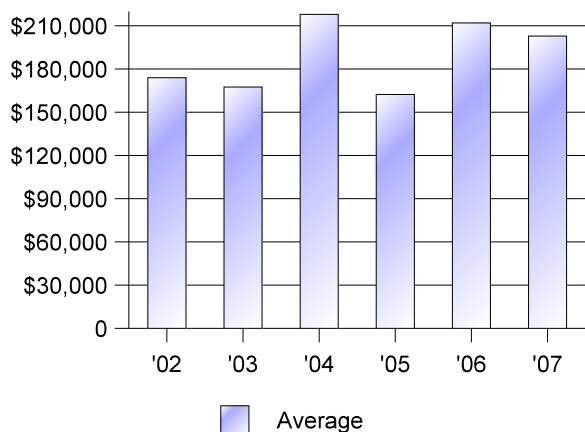
This will be the second year that the April sale preview will be held over the Polytrack at Keeneland. Since Keeneland became the first sale company to conduct an under-tack show on a synthetic surface in 2007, another auction house, OBS, has also made the switch from dirt.

"I think last year was a bit testing because of the surface," Russell offered. "But buyers are becoming more comfortable [with synthetic surfaces] and learning how to separate the horses."

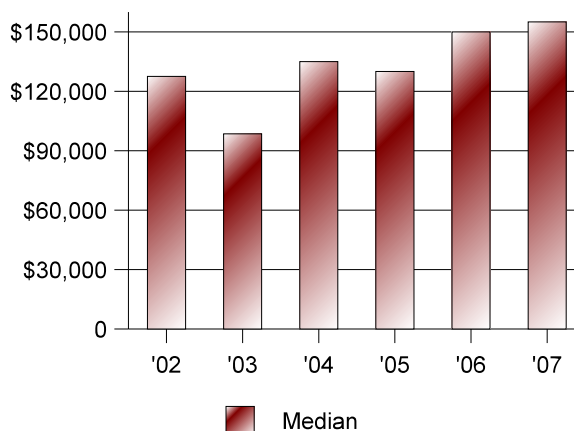
The 2007 renewal of the April Sale saw a modest downturn in average from a year prior, but the median set a new record for the second year in a row. The median was \$155,000, up 3.3 percent from 2006. And while the average of \$202,890 represented a 4.3-percent downturn, it was the third time in four years the average was above \$200,000. The record average of \$217,941 was established back in 2004.

Last year, B. Wayne Hughes was the leading buyer based on his sole purchase, consignor Hartley/De Renzo's Mineshaft--Stylish Talent (Forty Niner) filly, acquired for \$1.75 million. Second on the list was Southern Equine, which picked up five horses for \$1.11 million, an average of \$222,000. Bloodstock agent Dennis O'Neill, third, also bought five, spending \$972,000 for an average of \$194,000. -L Marquardt

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'Big' Stars From the April Sale...

There's nothing quite like having the most talked about horse in the country as an advertisement for your sale. That's what Keeneland officials got Saturday, Mar. 29, when April graduate **Big Brown** (Boundary), who sold from Eddie Woods's consignment last year, unleashed a wire-to-wire tour de force in the GI Florida Derby at Gulfstream Park. Hidden Brook, agent for Paul Pompa, Jr., purchased Big Brown from Woods for \$190,000 before selling a majority interest in the colt to IEAH Stables after the bay's maiden victory on the grass at Saratoga in August. That juvenile price tag now looks like the bargain of the year as Big Brown heads to Louisville as one of the favorites for the GI Kentucky Derby.

Woods, for one, is confident the big colt can pull it off on the first Saturday in May despite his lack of seasoning.

"He just has to repeat one of his three efforts prior to this and he'll be tough in any spot you put him," Woods said Friday as he waited at the airport in Orlando for a flight to take him to Lexington. "I think the 10 furlongs [of the Derby] is the least of his worries."

Asked if he was surprised at Big Brown's meteoric ascension in the three-year-old division, Woods replied, "I think for any horse to do what he has done, it would have to be a surprise. I knew he could run; that wasn't a surprise, but who knows after that? So far, he's really been too good to be true."

Another to sell from Woods's draft last year at Keeneland April was **Danon Go Go** (Aldebaran), who currently has won three of six in Japan for \$632,431 in earnings. The colt, a \$170,000 RNA as a yearling, was acquired by Yoshida Katsumi for \$400,000 and most recently captured the Chunichi Sports Sho Falcon S.

Other stars to emerge from recent editions of the Keeneland April Sale include **Passion** (Came Home), who like Big Brown and Danon Go Go was a graduate of last year's sale. A \$45,000 RNA as a yearling, Passion was sold by consignor Leprechaun Racing to Coolmore rep Demi O'Byrne for \$260,000. She ran third in the GII Adirondack S. on the dirt at two and is thus far undefeated in two turf starts in 2008, including a victory in the GIII La Habra S. Feb. 2.

Gracing the cover of the April catalog is Glencrest Farm's **Panty Raid** (Include). One of the better three-year-old fillies in 2007 and certainly one of the most versatile, Panty Raid collected wins in the GI American Oaks on the turf and the GI Spinster S. here on the Polytrack at Keeneland, and won the GII Black Eyed Susan on dirt. Panty Raid, initially a \$110,000 yearling buy for Mike Ryan, was resold as a juvenile by partner Niall Brennan for \$275,000. -L. Marquardt

KEENELAND APRIL OUTS

Apr. 8, Day 1

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Big Brown turning for home in the Florida Derby *Horsephotos*

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Speightstown Leads Freshman Sires at 2yo Sales...

Though he finished last of 13 in his lone start at two (as the favorite), and made a name for himself as a six-year-old in 2004 when he earned the Eclipse Award



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after winning the GI Breeders' Cup Sprint, **Speightstown** was meant to be early. He had the breeding, being by the speedy Gone West out of the Storm Cat mare Silken Cat, champion juvenile filly in Canada in 1995. He certainly looked the

part, having sold to Eugene Melnyk for \$2 million as a KEEJUL yearling.

So it probably isn't surprising that his youngsters have impressed buyers at the two-year-old sales this year. Entering the April Sale, 13 of the 15 Speightstowns offered at the marketplace have sold for an average of \$383,837, tops among freshman sires. At Fasig-Tipton Calder, a son was the second highest-priced horse of the sale, selling to Demi O'Byrne for \$1.7 million.

WinStar Farm will stand Speightstown for \$40,000 in 2008, and for the operation's president, Doug Cauthen, the chestnut's success at the two-year-old sales is simply a continuation of the way the marketplace also accepted his weanlings and yearlings.

"The Speightstown babies have been good from the start," Cauthen said. "He's been in the top ranks at every weanling and yearling sale and, obviously, his two-year olds have been a hot item. The Speightstowns have excellent conformation like their sire, and great muscle definition. But what I have been particularly impressed with is the fact that many of his progeny have grown a lot between their yearling and two-year-old year, and really show some scope, which suggests that they will go two turns. We all want to win the early races going six furlongs, and eventually stretch out for two turn races, and these Speightstown progeny let you dream like that." -L. Marquardt

Fitz and Starts...

He's only had two to sell this spring, but freshman sire **Seattle Fitz (Arg)** (Fitzcarraldo {Arg}) has belied his modest \$6,500 stud fee and ranks second on the freshman sires' list by average.

Boosted by a \$600,000 colt at the Barretts March Sale, Seattle Fitz sports an average of \$380,000; his only other juvenile to go through the ring this year, a filly, made \$160,000 at OBS February. Last year, 13 yearlings by Seattle Fitz sold for an average of \$29,807 and a median of \$20,000.



\$600,000 Seattle Fitz colt

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"I'd say his juveniles are making a pretty good impression," said Doug Arnold, whose Buck Pond Farm stands the Grade II winner. "I've heard nothing but great things about his two-year-olds, which is somewhat surprising, given that he's getting big horses that stand over a lot of ground, so you really wouldn't expect them to be early. But Seattle Fitz had speed, too--he went six furlongs in 1:08 2/5, a mile in 1:33 2/5 and a mile and an eighth in 1:46 1/5 [in his win in the GI Brooklyn H. in 2004]."

Despite a solid race record--he was a three-time graded winner in the U.S. for West Point Thoroughbreds and was second to Medaglia d'Oro in the 2004 GI Donn H.--Seattle Fitz has a tail-male line steeped in South American names, which Arnold admits has limited his opportunities.

"People may not be too familiar with Fitzcarraldo (Arg) and [grandsire] Cipayo (Arg) and [great-grandsire] Lacydon (GB), but they may be real soon," said Arnold. "He's a great outcross for Mr. Prospector and Northern Dancer, and he's from the family of Mr. Prospector and Seattle Slew. And since he's out of a Seattle Slew mare, anytime you breed a Mr. Prospector-line mare to him, you automatically get at least three crosses of [bluehen mare] Myrtlewood. Seattle Fitz has a lot of Slew in him; he really looks a lot like him." Cont. p4

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Seattle Fitz cont.

Seattle Fitz has one horse, a colt, entered at Keeneland April. The horse, incidently, is indeed out of a Mr. Prospector-line mare, being a son of the stakes-placed Cometuseibella, by Pentelicus. Cataloged as hip 101, the bay sells Wednesday from the draft of Scanlon Training Center, Agent IV. Buzz Chace purchased the colt as a Fasig-Tipton July yearling for \$155,000.



Seattle Fitz *buckpond.com*

“He’s a nice horse,” said Arnold. “We went to see him the other day when they

were doing a little breeze just to wake him up. They wanted him to go in :11, but he did it in :10 2/5.”

It’s early reports like these which have helped Seattle Fitz’s 2008 book, according to Arnold.

“He bred around 55 mares in his first year, but this year he’s set to breed about 100,” said Arnold. “This is the best book he’s had. You know, his horses were great as weanlings, better as yearlings, and even better as two-year-olds. They’re later-maturing; not necessarily the high school sweetheart, but the college star.”

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<u>Canadian Frontier (Gone West)</u>	<u>10, 18</u>
<u>Cat Dreams (Storm Cat)</u>	<u>163</u>
<u>Cuvee (Carson City)</u>	<u>55</u>
<u>Domestic Dispute (Unbridled’s Song)</u>	<u>95</u>
<u>Johar (Gone West)</u>	<u>173</u>
<u>Lion Heart (Tale of the Cat)</u>	<u>20, 42, 57, 116</u>
	<u>132</u>
<u>Medaglia d’Oro (El Prado {Ire})</u>	<u>19, 74, 77, 125,</u>
	<u>130, 156, 175</u>
<u>PleasantlyPerfect (Pleasant Colony)</u>	<u>15</u>
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<u>Saarland (Unbridled)</u>	<u>44, 53, 129</u>
<u>Scrimshaw (Gulch)</u>	<u>99</u>
<u>Seattle Fitz (Arg) (Fitzcarraldo {Arg})</u>	<u>101</u>
<u>SmartyJones (Elusive Quality)</u>	<u>82, 85, 105, 166</u>
<u>Speightstown (Gone West)</u>	<u>28, 32, 40, 48,</u>
	<u>49, 107, 142,</u>
	<u>168, 184</u>
<u>Strong Hope (Grand Slam)</u>	<u>26, 78, 124, 134</u>
<u>Tapit (Pulpit)</u>	<u>17, 50, 112</u>
<u>Toccet (Awesome Again)</u>	<u>69, 103, 189</u>

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Centennial Farm	1	1
Chaiken Family/Baja Racing	1	0
Chovanes/Brocklebank, agents	1	0
James D. Conway, agent	0	1
Darley Stables	0	2
Jerry Frankel	1	0
David E. Hager II, agent	1	0
B. Wayne Hughes	1	1
Kinsman Farm	0	1
Allan & Sandra Kirkwood	1	0
Patrice Miller/EQB, Inc.	0	1
Dennis O’Neill	1	0
RBTS, agent	1	1
Stockplace	0	1
Stonestreet Stables, LLC	0	2
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the first saturday in may



April 7, 2008

Dear Racing Fan:

With the Triple Crown races fast approaching, we wanted to make sure you know about a unique documentary film that will be shown in more than 20 theaters over the next few weeks.

The award-winning film is called "The First Saturday in May," and it features a captivating, behind-the-scenes glimpse of six trainers and their horses as they take aim on the 2006 Kentucky Derby. Barbaro is one of those horses.

The film, produced by John and Brad Hennegan, has won numerous awards and rave reviews at film festivals throughout the country. It will open in 20 theaters Friday, April 18.

In a generous gesture to "give something back to the industry," the Hennegan Brothers have decided to donate 25 percent of box office revenues to Grayson-Jockey Club Research Foundation, the worldwide leader in equine research.

To see a short preview of the film or to get additional information, including an up-to-date list of theaters and starting dates, visit www.thefirstsaturdayinmay.com or <http://www.grayson-jockeyclub.org/tfsim.asp>.

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BACK TO BASICS

Terrie and Dale Baze are no strangers to the Thoroughbred racing game. Having spent most of their lives working around Thoroughbred race horses, the couple decided to go out on their own and try their hand at selling horses, beginning with this year's Keeneland April sale. Named Old School Thoroughbreds, the operation was so christened by the Bazes in hopes of clearly defining their greatest resource and their driving philosophy.

"We're from the old school, that's where the name came from, when you didn't breeze horses until their knees were fully closed," explained Terrie Baze. "We believe in a lot of slow miles, and lots of foundation. We just wanted to do right by the horse. We want to produce athletes that won't need to be turned out and freshened up after the sale. We want products that people can take and go on and that will last down the road."

A member of a long line of jockeys--including brother Russell and cousin Michael--Dale Baze kicked off his racing career out west, and plied his trade for many years on a variety of circuits, including tracks in Arizona, Nebraska, Washington State, Oklahoma and Iowa. It was during his early years as a jockey that he met Terrie, the daughter of longtime family friends, and the two would later be married. Terrie wanted to work with horses at a young age, and soon after graduating from high school, got a job at the track. After gaining a solid foundation working on the backstretch for the first few years, Terrie decided to take it to the next level and took out a trainer's licence in 1991. She continued to train horses through 2003.

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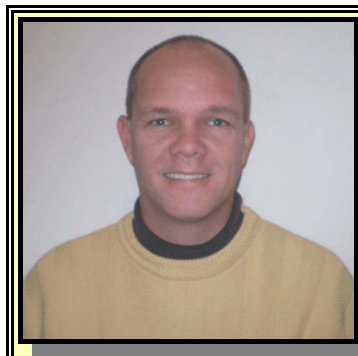
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The couple then decided it was time for a change, moving east to Kentucky, where Dale continued to gallop horses while Terrie spent the first year managing Rockwell Farm.

After a year-and-a-half stint as an assistant farm manager at John Oxley's Fawn Leap Farm in Midway, Terrie turned most of her attention to sales preparation, helping others with the intricacies of the selling game. While productive and informative, Terrie felt that some of the basic operating principals could be improved upon, and the pair decided that it was time to take a run at it on their own.

Among the first to give the Bazes support for the fledgling business was longtime client Epona Stud, a California breeding and racing operation headed by Jake and Kate Lantaff, who also own Tahoma Stud in Kentucky. The members of the initial Old School consignment include a pair of juveniles offered on behalf of Epona: Hip 2, a chestnut filly by Proud Citizen; and Hip 167, an April-foaled colt by Quiet American. The former, named Toss the Ring, is from the family of MGSW Gala Spinaway, and among the owners is Joe Baze, father of Dale, who owns a 25-percent interest in the horse. The latter is out of Storminthewoods (Woodman), a daughter of Storm Teal, a full sister to group winner Stonehatch and a half to GISW Danger's Hour.

"I am so pleased with my overall group," said Terrie. "For our first-year consignment, we have gotten so lucky because everybody came together the right way and they are quality enough for Keeneland--not only on pedigree, but physically."

Undaunted by the desire for fast times and full-throttle works at the two-year-old sales in recent years, the Bazes opted to employ a different approach with their pupils. Up until last Wednesday, none of their horses had breezed, however, the Bazes couldn't have been happier with the results of the initial workouts.

"Our horses have not been drilled or pushed, but they have an incredible foundation," Terrie offered. "When my horses came back to the barn after [Wednesday's] breeze, they had already recovered and were back to normal. They exceeded our expectations. They have a solid foundation and that showed in the breeze."

According to Terrie, all of the horses will breeze again today, with the exception of Hip 37, a bay colt by Stormy Atlantic, who joined the program recently and needed a little more preparatory work for this type of move.

"He's a beautiful mover, so we will just two-minute gallop him down the lane, and he's going to look real good doing it," said Terrie.

Looking down the road, the Bazes hope that their faith in their beliefs and their style of developing future winners will take hold in the industry and give Old School Thoroughbreds all the ingredients it needs to succeed in a very competitive industry.

"We're going to ride it out here and see how it goes," Terrie said. "We've given ourselves a five-year trial period, but bottom line is that we are going to maintain quality control because that's we've always believed in. We have no intention of becoming a big consignment. We want the focus of our program to be quality."

2007 Leading Consignors by Gross - KEEAPR

<u>Consignor</u>	<u>Sold</u>	<u>Average (\$)</u>	<u>Gross (\$)</u>
Kirkwood Stables	16	152,750	2,444,000
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Eddie Woods	10	159,200	1,592,000
Wavertree Stables	6	223,333	1,340,000
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Scanlon Training	5	179,000	895,000
Randy Miles	5	177,400	887,000
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New Post for Keeneland:

Post time for the first race at Keeneland will move to 1:10 p.m. beginning Wednesday, it was announced yesterday. The decision to move the time ahead five minutes was made "to minimize post time conflicts with other major racetracks throughout the country," according to Director of Racing Rogers Beasley.

Yesterday's Results:

LAFAYETTE S., \$110,300, KEE, 4-6, 3yo, 7f (AWT), 1:22 1/5, ft.

1--#**KEEP LAUGHING**, 117, c, 3, by [Distorted Humor](#)
1st Dam: It's Personal (MGSW, \$232,836),
by Personal Flag

2nd Dam: Dance Hall Girl, by Guerrero
3rd Dam: Hindu Dancer, by Hindu Star

(\$45,000 yrl '06 KEEJAN; \$85,000 yrl '06 KEESEP).
O-Vision Racing LLC & Brandon Perry; B-WinStar Farm LLC (KY); T-Kiaran P McLaughlin; J-John R Velazquez; \$68,386. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$100,386. **Werk Nick Rating: A + + .** [Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree.](#)

*Full to It's No Joke, MGSW, \$685,612.

2--**Hatta Fort (GB)**, 119, c, 3, Cape Cross (Ire)--Oshiponga (GB), by Baratheia (Ire). (135,000gns wlng '05 TATDEC). O-Godolphin Racing LLC. \$22,060.

3--**Eaton's Gift**, 119, c, 3, Johannesburg--Kit's Girl, by Carson City. (\$150,000 yrl '06 KEESEP). O-Zayat Stables, LLC. \$11,030.

Margins: NO, 2 3/4, 4HF. Odds: 5.20, 6.30, 2.60.

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LAFAYETTE S. results cont.

The lightly raced Keep Laughing, who debuted with a runner-up effort at Gulfstream Feb. 7, romped home by 6 1/4 lengths in



Keep Laughing (right)
Horsephotos

Hallandale last time out Mar. 5. He shadowed the pacesetters from third while racing four wide, gained command at the sixteenth pole and was all out to hold off the late rush of Hatta Fort in a thrilling finish. "We always liked him and, with his pedigree and his

looks, he's just an outstanding horse," Neal McLaughlin, assistant trainer to his brother Kiaran, said of the winner. "Keeneland's really been a proving ground for a lot of three-year-olds. We wanted to bring ours here and just see how good they are. We're finding out they're pretty good." Keep Laughing's performance also impressed jockey John Velazquez. "Every time I asked him, he just gave it to me," said Velazquez. "I was a little bit cautious with him coming down the stretch because I knew if he took the lead it would be a little too early; he's going to start to wait for other horses." Eaton's Gift, coming off an impressive win in the Feb. 2 GII Swale S., looked home free when he opened up on the field turning into the lane, but tired to third. Favored Kodiak Kowboy (Posse) never looked comfortable in his first start over Keeneland's Polytrack and finished a non-threatening fourth. [Click for the brisnet.com chart. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

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5th-KEE, \$66,425, Alw, NW2\$RT6MX, 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:38 4/5, yl.

1--SHARP SUSAN, 118, f, 4, [Touch Gold](#)--Winter's Gone, by Dynaformer. (\$340,000 yrl '05 KEESEP). O-IEAH Stables & WinStar Farm; B-WinStar Farm, LLC (KY); T-William I Mott. Lifetime Record: MGSW & GISP, 14-5-2-2, \$327,728. * 1/2 to Sharp Lisa (Dixieland Band), GISW, \$658,100; Spring at Last (Silver Deputy), GISW-US & GSW-UAE, \$1,139,150.

2--Criminologist, 120, m, 5, Maria's Mon--Search Party, by Seeking the Gold.

3--Sweet Belle, 118, m, 5, Deputy Commander--Sanibel Sole, by Miswaki. (\$62,000 yrl '04 KEESEP; \$100,000 2yo '05 FTFEB).

Margins: HF, 1 3/4, HF. Odds: 2.40, 1.00, 11.60.

Sharp Susan, winner of last year's Gill Herecomesthebride S. and Gill Lake Placid H., was third behind Alexander Tango in the Sept. 8 GI Garden City H. before ending her campaign with a seventh-place effort over this course in the Oct. 13 GI Queen Elizabeth II Cup. Making her first start since, the dark bay filly stalked the pace from third. She moved to the front at midstretch and held off favored Criminologist to the line. Criminologist, making her first start since the Nov. 17 Gill Cardinal H., had her four-race win streak snapped with this runner-up effort. The gray mare was forced to wait for running room, angled out six wide for the stretch run, but couldn't catch the winner. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

9th-KEE, \$53,540, Alw, NW1X, 3yo, 8.5fT, 1:43 1/5, yl. SAILOR'S CAP (c, 3, [Distant View](#)--Wave On, by Caveat) debuted with a fourth-place effort sprinting over the Belmont turf course Oct. 4, but graduated in his first try around two turns, taking an Aqueduct maiden by 3 1/4 lengths Nov. 8. He was favored in his Jan. 11 return to action at Gulfstream Park, but was forced to duel through a fast opening three-quarters of a mile and faltered to eighth behind subsequent GSW Adriano. Let go at a juicy 7-1, the bay tracked the pace four wide, came calling for the lead in upper stretch and drove clear to a three-length victory over favored Storming Off (Theatrical {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$68,561.

O-Team Valor International. B-Wave On LLC (KY). T-James J Toner.

7th-KEE, \$52,160, Alw, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f (AWT), 1:10 3/5, ft.

BELLICOSE (f, 4, [War Chant](#)--Brush Over {MSW, \$120,631}, by Broad Brush), a maiden winner over Turfway's all-weather track in January, was passed late when second at Turfway last time out Mar. 5. Dismissed at 15-1, the bay filly angled out seven wide for the drive and closed gamely to overtake favored South Atlantic (Stormy Atlantic) late to win by a neck. Lifetime Record: 9-2-3-1, \$67,033.

O-Robert Clay and Mark Ackerman. B-Robert N Clay & Fair Way Equine, LLC (KY). T-Andrew McKeever.

6th-KEE, \$50,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 6f (AWT), 1:10 3/5, ft.

LENAWEE (f, 3, Albert the Great--Butterfield, by Unbridled's Song), trying the Polytrack for the first time, was coming off a well-beaten sixth-place effort at Gulfstream Mar. 7. Let go at 9-1, the gray filly trailed the field after a slow start. She swept to the outside for the drive, took over in upper stretch and pulled clear to win by 2 1/2 lengths over favored Happy Point (Point Given). The winner is a half sister to Kettle Hill (Pleasant Tap, SW, \$151,986). Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0, \$34,443.

O-Randall Bloch, Phil Milner, Keith Basso and John Seiler. B-Phil Milner & Randy Bloch (KY). T-Ian R Wilkes.

4th-KEE, \$49,575, Msw, 3yo, f, 6f (AWT), 1:10, ft.

+ SLY STORM (f, 3, [Storm Cat](#)--Brushed Halory {MGSW, \$496,860}, by Broad Brush), a \$500,000 KEESEP yearling, was favored at 9-5 in her bow. The bay filly raced with the pace along the rail down the backstretch, lost some ground on the turn, but forged to the front in upper stretch and kicked clear to win by 4 3/4 lengths. Ghoul (Stormy Atlantic) was second.

[Video, sponsored by Taylor Made. Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$31,255. O-Glen Hill Farm. B-Racehorse Management, LLC (KY). T-Thomas F Proctor.

2nd-KEE, \$43,625, Msw, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:45 3/5, ft.

+ JADE DREAMER (f, 4, Jade Hunter--Sky Ninski {GSP-Ire}, by Nijinsky II) spotted the field several lengths after hopping at the break and settled into stride at the back of the 11-horse field. She stormed into contention with a seven-wide move into the lane and finished strongly to overtake Light Showers (Point Given) by a neck on the line. The winner is a full sister to Vinista (SW & MGSP, \$381,118). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$25,730.

O/B-Allen E Paulson Living Trust (KY). T-K G McPeck.

5:34p 4th-SAX, \$48k, Msw, 4yo/up, 7f

HRTV Darley's POSITIVE FORCE ([Storm Cat](#)), a \$2.2-million FTFEB juvenile, has not been seen since running a green third at Belmont in September 2006. The bay colt is out of MGSW Brushed Halory (Broad Brush), making him a full to yesterday's debut KEE winner Sly Storm. **Camel Point ([Tale of the Cat](#))** dueled through fast fractions before tiring to third sprinting six furlongs at this track Mar. 14. **Just Julian ([Gone West](#)),** a \$1.6-million KEESEP yearling, will try to graduate in his seventh outing. The colt worked a bullet five furlongs Mar. 31 in :57 2/5. [brisnet.com pps](#)



★ NEW YORK ★

Yesterday's Results:

PERSONAL GIRL S., \$68,400, AQU, 4-6, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:24 4/5, ft.

1--**KARAKORUM STARLET, 123, m, 5, Skip Away--Amaryllis, by Cormorant.** (\$13,000 yrl '04 FTKOCT). O-Karakorum Farm; B-Jim Jam Thoroughbreds & Marvin Little Jr (NY); T-Jeff Odintz; J-Stewart Elliott; \$41,040. Lifetime Record: 27-9-8-1, \$481,801.

2--**Starship Cruiser, 120, m, 5, Golden Missile--Wakonda, by Fappiano.** (\$110,000 yrl '04 KEESEP). O-Sanford Goldfarb and Michael Dubb. \$13,680.

3--**Margies Smile, 120, f, 4, Wheelaway--Milliondollarsmile, by Smile.** O-Gabrielle Farm. \$6,840.

Margins: HF, 6HF, NO. Odds: 2.60, 2.60, 5.00.

Karakorum Starlet bested state-bred foes to take the Jan. 11 Ruby Rubles S., but was a well-beaten fifth in the Feb. 16 GII Barbara Fritchie H. Back in against state-bred company last time out, the chestnut mare returned to the winner's circle after the Mar. 2 Broadway H. Steadied after the break, Karakorum Starlet moved to challenge for the lead after a half, came into the lane with a 3 1/2-length advantage and determinedly held off favored Starship Cruiser.

3rd-AQU, \$58,800, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$75,000), NW1X, 3yo, 7f, 1:22, ft.

LIEUTENANT RON (c, 3, Graeme Hall--Spell Again, by Seattle Battle) romped home to an 8 1/4-length debut win over a muddy Aqueduct strip last November. Sent off the 4-5 favorite in his first start since, the chestnut colt was pressed on the lead through fractions of :22.84 and :45.97. He kicked clear on the turn and reported home a 3 1/2-length winner over Run With Me (Delaware Township). Lieutenant Ron was a \$60,000 FTMMAY juvenile. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$67,200.

O-Gilman Hallenbeck & West Point Thoroughbreds. B-Mary F Wisniewski-Johnson (FL). T-Kiaran P McLaughlin.

2nd-AQU, \$58,000, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:17 3/5, ft.

+ **NEVER RETREAT (f, 3, Smart Strike--Lisieux {SP, \$111,474}, by Steady Growth),** a \$410,000 FTKJUL yearling, was sent off at 7-2 in her debut. The dark bay filly was ridden into contention, rallied three wide into the stretch and powered clear to win by 3 1/2 lengths. Favored Anachronism (Yonaguska) rallied from last to be second. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$34,800. O-Jeff Singer. B-Gerry O'Meara & Stanley Inman (KY). T-Kiaran P McLaughlin.

6th-AQU, \$48,000, Msw, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:17, ft.
TRUE QUALITY (c, 3, Elusive Quality--Louve Mysterieuse {SW-Fr, \$123,906}, by Seeking the Gold), seventh over a sloppy Aqueduct oval Mar. 8, set the pace before tiring to third last time Mar. 22. The \$280,000 FTKOCT yearling jumped out to a clear lead, carried an eight-length advantage into the stretch and sailed under the wire 6 3/4 lengths in front of Saint Martin (Ire) (Grand Slam) at 5-1. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$34,080. O-Paraneck Stable. B-Seasongs Farms, LLC (KY). T-Joseph DeMola.

5th-AQU, \$45,000, Msw, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:39, ft.
+ **RAFFIE'S TREASURE (f, 3, Raffie's Majesty--Treasure Always, by Summer Squall),** who prepped for her debut with a bullet four-furlong move in :47 3/5 Mar. 29 over Belmont's training track, was sent off the 8-5 second choice. The dark bay filly took the lead with a four-wide move into the lane and outbattled Vladimira (Mayakovsky) to win by a nose. The winner is a full sister to Organizer (SW, \$433,221) and to Dr. V's Magic (MSW & GSP, \$284,510). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$27,000. O/B-Majesty Stud LLC (NY). T-Dominic G Galluscio.

★ CANADA ★

Yesterday's Results:

3rd-WOX, \$63,971, Alw, NW1X, 3yo, f, 5f (AWT), :57 2/5, ft.

NORTHERN NETTI (f, 3, City Zip--Run With Netti {MSW, \$243,024}, by Star Gallant), a \$90,000 OBSMAR juvenile, debuted with a 4 1/4-length victory over this track and trip last October. The 6-5 favorite pressed pacesetting Bedarra (Came Home) through the early fractions and finished sharply to best that rival by a half-length. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$74,323.

O-Jim and Susan Hill. B-Prentiss Hallenbeck (NY). T-Reade Baker.

4th-WOX, \$65,788, Msw, 3yo, 5f (AWT), :57 3/5, ft.
+ **BATTLE ZONE (c, 3, Forest Camp--Power Gem, by Mutakddim),** the 5-2 favorite, pressed the pace, took charge at midstretch and inched clear to a one-length victory. The winner was a \$50,000 KEENOV weanling. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$39,236. O-Woodford Racing LLC. B-Ron Clarkson (ON). T-Mark E Casse.

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★ CENTRAL ★

Yesterday's Results:

BACHELOR S., \$49,000, OPX, 4-6, 3yo, 6f, 1:09 2/5, ft.

- 1--**LANTANA MOB, 122, c, 3, [Posse](#)--Lantana, by Copelan.** O-Vinery Stables; B-Thomas/Burleson/Visagie (KY); T-Steven M Asmussen; J-Luis S Quinonez; \$30,000. Lifetime Record: GSW, 8-4-1-1, \$249,048.
- 2--**Force Freeze, 117, g, 3, Forest Camp--Antifreeze, by It's Freezing.** O-Poindexter Thoroughbreds, LLC and Ronald Ellerbee. \$10,000.
- 3--**Maya's Storm, 122, c, 3, Stormy Atlantic--Whisperifyou dare, by Red Ransom.** O-Roll Reroll Stables, Inc. \$5,000.

Margins: 1, 3 1/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 1.50, 1.50, 7.80.

Lantana Mob captured the Tyro S. and the GIII Sapling S. at Monmouth last summer before running fourth behind War Pass in the GI Champagne S. The bay colt was making his first start since closing to be third over a sloppy Monmouth track in the Oct. 26 Favorite Trick Breeders' Cup S. Allowed to settle into stride, Lantana Mob rallied three wide into the stretch, moved to the front with a furlong to run and forged clear to the wire.

11th-OPX, \$34,500, Msw, 3,4,5yo, f/m, 6f, 1:10 3/5, ft. + LINDSEY'S WISH (f, 3, [Trippi--Rahy's Wish, by Rahy](#)), favored at 8-5 in her career opener, rallied along the inside turning for home, angled to the outside for the stretch run and powered clear to a five-length victory over Ms Good Cat (Tale of the Cat). The winner was a \$62,000 OBSAUG yearling and \$82,000 OBSJUN juvenile. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$20,700. O-Roll Reroll Stables, Inc. B-Bayer, Cantrell & Cantrell (FL). T-Kelly R Von Hemel.

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IN BRITAIN:

Commander Cave, c, 3, [Tale of the Cat](#)--Royal Shyness (GB) (SW-US, G1SP-Eng, \$191,543), by Royal Academy. Kempton Park, 4-5, Hcp, 3yo, 1m (AWT). B-R D Hubbard. *\$95,000 yrl '06 KEESEP; \$50,000 2yo '07 OBSMAR.

IN FRANCE:

Satan's Circus, f, 3, [Gone West](#). See "Breeders' Edition Europe."
Gradiva, f, 3, [Grand Slam](#). See "Breeders' Edition Europe."

IN HONG KONG:

Shangdong General, c, 4, [Came Home](#)--Naughty Notions (SW, \$109,439), by Relaunch. Sha Tin, 4-6, Hcp., 1200m (AWT), 1:09.20. B-Twin Creeks Farm. *\$170,000 yrl '05 KEESEP.

★ SO. CALIFORNIA ★

Yesterday's Results:

VALENTINE DANCER H., \$110,300, SAX, 4-6, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:33 4/5, fm.

- 1--**#TIZ A BLEND, 114, m, 5, [Cee's Tizzy--Blending Element \(Ire\) \(GSW, \\$449,008\), by Great Commotion.](#)** O-Warren B Williamson; B-Williamson Racing, LLC (CA); T-Carla Gaines; J-Victor Espinoza; \$66,180. Lifetime Record: 10-3-3-0, \$172,854. *Full to Tiz Elemental, GSW, \$393,260.
- 2--**Lightmyfirebaby, 119, m, 5, Unusual Heat--True Melody, by Valid Appeal.** O-Richard J O'Neill Trust. \$22,060.
- 3--**Rockella, 116, f, 4, Tribal Rule--Monterey Gold, by Strike Gold.** (\$5,000 yrl '05 BESOCT). O-Hollendorfer, Todaro, Watson & Yee. \$13,236. Margins: 2HF, 2HF, 1. Odds: 5.70, 3.40, 2.90.

Tiz a Blend, looking to follow up on her younger full sister Tiz Elemental's victory a race earlier in the GIII Las Flores H., was making her third start off a six-month layoff. The gray mare captured a Feb. 1 optional claimer against fellow Cal-breds in her return over course and trip and was coming off a fourth-place effort against open company in a nine-furlong allowance Mar. 1. Settled into a stalking fourth early, Tiz a Blend swept to the outside to take charge at midstretch and drew off to the wire for her first stakes win.

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4th-SAX, \$53,200, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$80,000), NW1X, 3yo, f, a6 1/2fT, 1:13 1/5, fm.

DECORATOR (f, 3, [Storm Cat](#)--Words of War {MSW & MGSP, \$683,828}, by Lord At War {Arg}) has been campaigned exclusively at this trip in her brief career, finishing third by a neck in her Dec. 29 bow before overcoming a high draw to break her maiden by two lengths Feb. 9. Odds-on to put them back-to-back, the half to No Matter What (Nureyev), GISW-US, SW-Fr, \$185,538; and E Dubai (Mr. Prospector), MGSW & MGISP, \$800,800, was a handy third as they raced down the hill, came out for the drive and lugged in at midstretch, but drew off to a 1 1/2-length score. Sailor's Sister (Petionville) completed the exacta. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, \$65,760. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O/B-Malibu Farm LLC (KY). T-Richard E Mandella.

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6th-SAX, \$52,800, Msw, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:35 3/5, fm. **GENERAL CONSENSUS** (f, 3, [Giant's Causeway](#)--[Shootforthestars](#), by [Seattle Slew](#)) ended 2007 with runner-up efforts sprinting at Keeneland and stretching out over the Churchill lawn last fall for trainer Jim Corrigan. Switched to the barn of Paddy Gallagher, the dark bay filly had her previous best finish of the year when third going a furlong longer over this course Mar. 16. Let go at 13-1, General Consensus tarried near the back of the pack early. She was forced to wait for racing room turning for home, split rivals at midstretch and pulled clear to a 1 3/4-length victory over 78-1 longshot Dixieland Classic (Hold That Tiger). The winner, a \$400,000 KEESEP yearling, is a half sister to Golden Rainbow (Seeking the Gold, SP, \$241,210). Lifetime Record: 7-1-2-1, \$59,714. O-Edmond and Sharon Hudon. B-Swettenham Stud (KY). T-Patrick Gallagher.



★ FRANCE ★

Yesterday's Results:

PRIX FINLANDE-Listed, €55,000, Longchamp, 4-6, 3yo, f, 9f 55ydsT, 2:03.20, vhy.

1--#[ALBISOLA \(IRE\)](#), 123, f, 3, by [Montjeu \(Ire\)](#)

1st Dam: [Mahalia \(Ire\)](#) (SW-Fr), by [Danehill](#)

2nd Dam: [Maresca \(Ire\)](#), by [Mill Reef](#)

3rd Dam: [Caprera \(GB\)](#), by [Abernant \(GB\)](#)

O-G A Oldham; B-Citadel Stud Establishment; T-Robert Collet; J-Christophe Soumillon; €27,500.

Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 2 wins, 0 places, €44,500.

Click for the [eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree](#).

Werk Nick Rating: **A +**.

2--[Seal Bay \(Ire\)](#), 123, f, 3, [Hernando \(Fr\)](#)--[Torrealta \(GB\)](#), by [In the Wings \(GB\)](#). (€50,000 yrl '06 DEAOCT). €11,000.

3--[Step Softly \(GB\)](#), 123, f, 3, [Golan \(Ire\)](#)--[Step Aloft \(GB\)](#), by [Shirley Heights \(GB\)](#). €8,250.

Margins: 2HF, 3/4, 1HF. Odds: 3.30, 4.00, 6.90.

Also Ran: [Velenzuela \(Fr\)](#), [Grenadia](#), [Zania \(Fr\)](#), [Steel Woman \(Ire\)](#), [Orion Queen \(Fr\)](#).

Improving off a debut seventh at this track Oct. 21, [Albisola](#) was an easy winner at Fontainebleau in her only other out Nov. 20 and moved up the ladder with a hugely impressive success here. Settled off the pace in sixth, she made smooth headway in the straight to lead at the eighth pole and cruised clear thereafter for a landmark score. "I've always liked this filly and I'm not surprised she won so well," revealed winning trainer Robert Collet. "[Owner] Mr. Oldham came over from England for the race and he's very happy. I think he will leave it up to me as to what to do next. My thoughts are to bypass the [Apr. 27 G3] Prix Vanteaux and bring her back here in the [May 18 G1] Prix Saint-Alary, but that plan is not definite yet."

Longchamp, 2.10, Mdn, €22,000, unraced 3yo, c/g, 1 1/4mT, 2:16.20, vhy.

+ [MAGADAN \(IRE\)](#) (c, 3, [High Chaparral {Ire}](#)--[Molasses {Fr}](#), by [Machiavellian](#)), a €120,000 GOFNOV foal, was restrained in the rear from the outset of this first go.

Gaining momentum in early stretch, the 43-10 chance challenged at the distance and was pushed in the closing stages to deny [Montmartre \(Fr\)](#) ([Montjeu {Ire}](#)) by a head in the shades of the post. Crowd choice [Ideal World \(Kingmambo\)](#) raced in midfield and ran on well in the straight to claim third. Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, €11,000.

O-Ecurie Wildenstein; B-Kilcarn Stud; T-Elie Lellouche.

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[5th-KEE \(Alw\)](#) [Sharp Susan](#) (Touch Gold) holds off [Criminologist](#) (Maria's Mon).

[Lafayette S.](#) [Keep Laughing](#) (Distorted Humor) holds on in a thriller.

[3rd-WOX \(NW1X\)](#) [Northern Netti](#) (City Zip) zips to second straight.

[4th-SAX \(Alw\)](#) The well-related [Decorator](#) (Storm Cat) wins her second straight.

[Valentine Dancer H.](#) [Tiz a Blend](#) (Cee's Tizzy) follows up on her full sister's win a race earlier in the [GIII Las Flores S.](#)



★ "TDN Rising Star" ★

Longchamp, 3.50, Mdn, €22,000, unraced 3yo, f, 1 1/4mT, 2:15.70, vhy.

+ **ANTIQUITIES (GB), f, 3, by Kaldounevees (Fr)**

1st Dam: **Historian (Ire) (SW-Fr), by Pennekamp**

2nd Dam: **Helen Street (GB), by Troy (GB)**

3rd Dam: **Waterway (Fr), by Riverman**

Antiquities faced 15 opponents in this newcomers' event and treated those rivals with disdain as she tore the field apart with a stunning debut performance. Positioned close to the pace in second after the initial exchanges, the 37-10 chance made her bid upon turning for home and surged ever clear from the quarter-mile marker to defeat Moonlight Danceuse (Ire) (Bering {GB}) by an impressive six lengths. The winner is out of a half-sister to Street Cry (Ire) and to Helsinki (GB), the dam of champion Shamardal. [Click for the Racing Post chart](#). Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, €11,000.

O-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum;
B-Darley; T-Andre Fabre.

★ ITALY ★

Yesterday's Results:

PREMIO GARDONE-Listed, €50,400, Milan, 4-6, 3yo, c/g, 1mT, 1:39.90, gd.

1--**FARREL (IRE), 131, c, 3, by Fruits of Love**

1st Dam: **Folcungi (Ire), by Mukaddamah**

2nd Dam: **Forest Frolic, by Spruce Needles**

3rd Dam: **Joyous Duet, by Double Jay**

(€23,000 yrl '06 ITYSEP). O-Scuderia Zenor; B-Al Dei Sei SRL; T-Bruno Grizzetti; J-Dario Vargiu; €28,000. Lifetime Record: G1SP-Ity, 8-7-0-1, €136,732. [Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree](#). **Werk Nick Rating: A.**

2--**Senlis (Ire), 123, c, 3, High Chaparral (Ire)--Senebrova (GB), by Warning (GB). €12,320.**

3--**Dimmi di Su (Ire), 123, c, 3, Desert Prince (Ire)--Gin Rosa (GB), by Lion Cavern. €6,720.**

Margins: 2HF, NO, 2. Odds: 0.40, 3.70, 6.80.

Also Ran: **Silver Arrow (Ity), Fontelmo (Ity), Marziano (GB), Dematil (Ire).**

Farrel stamped his class on this Classic trial despite being burdened with a penalty for his two-year-old excesses and will head to Longchamp for the May 11 G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains (French 2000 Guineas). Successful in this venue's Listed Premio Giuseppe de Montel and Listed Premio del Dado in July and September, he was third in the G1 Gran Criterium back here in October before his winter break. Returning with a conditions win over this track and trip Mar. 26, the bay was in front early before taking a lead and striding back to the head of affairs at the three-furlong pole. Never in any danger thereafter, he was allowed to cruise to the line for a convincing success.

PREMIO DAUMIER-Listed, €50,400, Rome, 4-6, 3yo, c, 7 1/2fT, 1:33.00, gd.

1--**#MASTROIANNI (IRE), 123, c, 3, by Selkirk**

1st Dam: **Love Roi (Ity) (SW & GSP-Ity, \$122,878), by Roi Danzig**

2nd Dam: **Law Tudor (Ire), by Law Society**

3rd Dam: **Dame Tudor (GB), by Tudor Melody (Ire)**

O/T-Bruno Grizzetti; B-Azienda Agricola Rosati Colarieti; J-Sergio Urru; €28,000. Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-2, €40,750. *1/2 to Walharer (GB) (Cadeaux Genereux {GB}), SW-Ity, \$129,081. [Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree](#). **Werk Nick Rating: A.**

2--**Remarque (Ire), 123, c, 3, Marju (Ire)--Run for Me (Ire), by Danehill. (€30,000 yrl '06 ITYSEP). €12,320.**

3--**Tenson (Ire), 123, c, 3, Intikhab--Strategic Tactics (Ire), by Bigstone (Ire). €6,720.**

Margins: 2HF, 1HF, 1. Odds: 8.70, 7.90, 1.60.

Also Ran: **Diskussion (Ire), Flower of City (Ity), Green Wilde (Ity), Tihamah (Ire), Sintonia di Su (Ire), Fascinant (Ire), Alca Driver (Ire).**

Winless in four maiden starts at two, Mastroianni graduated at the San Siro last time Mar. 15 and stepped up on that narrow success to book his ticket to the G3 Premio Parioli (Italian 2000 Guineas) back here in a fortnight. Held up in mid-division throughout the early stages, the imposing bay made his move at the quarter pole and rolled by Remarque before the furlong marker en route to an impressive score.

★ GERMANY ★

Yesterday's Results:

ILSE & HEINZ RAMM-FRUHJAHRS MEILE-Listed, €20,000, Cologne, 4-6, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:48.71, hy.

1--**MHARADONO (GER), 130, h, 5, Sharp Prod--Monalind (Ger), by Park Romeo (Ire). O-Stall**

Sonnenschein; B-Ralf Paulick; T-Peter Hirschberger; J-Wladimir Panov; €13,000. Lifetime Record: MGSW-Ger, 25 starts, 5 wins, 10 places, €123,350.

[Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree](#).

Werk Nick Rating: A + .

2--**Antonym, 117, f, 4, Bahri--Annaba (Ire), by In the Wings (GB). (13,000gns HIT '06 TATJUL). €4,000.**

3--**Beltanus (Ger), 128, c, 4, Tertullian--Brighella (Ger), by Lomitas (GB). €2,000.**

Margins: 3/4, 3/4, 4HF. Odds: 1.80, 5.50, 3.60.

Also Ran: **Owentuo (Ger), Orange Blue (Ger), Welttraumer (Ger), Fortec (Ger), Eurako (Ger).**

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★ IRELAND ★

Yesterday's Results:


Leopardstown, 4.45, Cond, €20,000, 3yo, 1 1/4mT, 2:11.98, yl.

UNWRITTEN RULE (IRE) (c, 3, Dalakhani {Ire}--Triple Try {Ire}, by Sadler's Wells), off the mark at the Galway festival on his last start in August, was reserved in fourth throughout the early stages before closing at the top of the straight. In front approaching the final furlong, the 9-2 second choice was joined by the tenderly handled Washington Irving (Ire) (Montjeu {Ire}) and prevailed in the bobber by a short head. "He's a tough colt and the [May 11] G2 Derrinstown Stud Derby Trial is a logical step for him," trainer Dermot Weld said of the winner. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, €26,040. O/B-Moyglare Stud Farm; T-Dermot Weld.

Leopardstown, 2.45, Mdn, €20,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/4mT, 2:10.91, yl.

BEACH BUNNY (IRE) (f, 3, High Chaparral {Ire}--Miss Hawai {Fr}, by Peintre Celebre) was seventh behind the promising Kingdom of Naples on her final start at Navan in October and punters were unwilling to forgive as she drifted to 25-1. Settled towards the rear early, the 25,000gns TATOCT yearling was delivered with her rally down the outside to lead at the furlong marker and hold Sail (Ire) (Sadler's Wells) by a length. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-1, €14,340. O-Lady O'Reilly; B-D G Hardisty Bloodstock & Marston Stud; T-Kevin Prendergast.

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 EMPEROR'S PALACE NATIONAL YEARLING SALE Sunday, April 6, 2008	
SESSION	
No. Catalogued	260
No. Offered	240
No. Sold	222
RNA	18
RNA%	7.5%
Gross Receipts	R67,630,000 (\$8,584,121)
Average	R304,640 (\$38,667)
CUMULATIVE	
No. Catalogued	350
No. Offered	327
No. Sold	298
RNA	29
RNA%	8.9%
Gross Receipts	R140,630,000 (\$17,849,845)
Average	R471,913 (\$59,899)

★ AFRICA ★

★ SOUTH AFRICA ★

SPECTRUM COLT TOPS DAY TWO The Emperor's National Yearling Sale resumed yesterday following a one-day pause, with the momentum created during a record-setting select session carrying straight over into day two. A colt by Spectrum (Ire) consigned by Highland Farm Stud topped the Sunday proceedings, realizing a final bid of R1.6 million (\$203,954) from trainer Alban De Mieulle. Produced by the stakes-placed Scent of Pine (SAf) (Badger Land), the bay colt hails from the extended female family of Missy's Mirage and Country Pine. After signing the ticket for a R1-million filly by popular sire Western Winter during Friday's select session, Team Valor International's Barry Irwin was back at work Sunday, going to R1.5 million (\$190,980) for a daughter of Fort Wood--Toujours Elle (Lyphard). Consigned by Klawervlei Stud, the chestnut is out of a half-sister to champion European sprinter Elnadim (Danzig) and to Mehthaaf (Nureyev), champion European three-year-old filly in 1994. The session saw a sensational clearance rate of 92.5 percent, while the overall turnover has topped R140 million and is within R21 million of breaking the record of R161.2 million set a year ago. The two-session average stands at R471,913. The sale concludes today with a session of 250 yearlings beginning at 11 a.m. local time. Full results of the sale can be found at www.tba.co.za.

EMPEROR'S NATIONAL YEARLING SALE SUNDAY'S TOP FOUR LOTS

Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price (R)
<u>179</u>	c	Spectrum (Ire)	Scent of Pine (SAf)	1,600,000
Consigned by Highlands Farm Stud Pty Ltd Purchased by Alban De Mieulle				
<u>254</u>	f	Fort Wood	Toujours Elle	1,500,000
Consigned by Klawervlei Stud Purchased by Team Valor International				
<u>122</u>	c	Alphabet Soup	Perfect Valley (Brz)	1,200,000
Consigned by Wilgerbosdrift Purchased by Form Bloodstock				
<u>212</u>	c	Giant's Causeway	Spinnin Cannon	1,100,000
Consigned by Maine Chance Farms Purchased by Dr J Hay				

★ AUSTRALASIA ★

GROUP WINNER BY EUROPEAN SIRE:

#@Brava Fortune (Aus), f, 2, Falbrav (Ire)--Fortune Streak (Aus) (SW & GSP-Aus), by Pricelessly. Ascot (Perth), 4-6, Karrakatta Plate-G2, 2yo, 6fT, A\$300,000 to winner. B-Yarradale Stud, Paul Cooke & Neville Parnham; T-Neville Parnham.



BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

STAKES RESULTS:

JERSEY LILLY S., \$50,000, HOU, 4-5, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:45 2/5, fm.

1--**#BARBETTE, 118, m, 5, High Yield--Barbara Sue (MSW, \$257,721), by Big Spruce.** O/B-James P Gallagher (KY); T-Danny Pish; J-Quincy Hamilton; \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 19-4-7-0, \$144,286. * 1/2 to Diamond on the Run (Kris S.), GSW & MGISP, \$237,400.

2--**Pleasantly Blessed, 118, f, 4, Pleasant Tap--Benedicida, by Silver Ghost.** \$10,000.

3--**New Edition, 118, f, 4, Stormy Atlantic--Sashay Away, by Farma Way.** (\$440,000 HRA '07 KEENOV). \$5,500.

Margins: NK, 2HF, NK. Odds: 8.50, 5.10, 1.50.

SAM HOUSTON TURF SPRINT CUP S., \$50,000, HOU, 4-5, 4yo/up, 5fT, :58, fm.

1--**SMITTY'S SUNSHINE, 118, m, 5, Seeking a Home--Dandy's Sunshine, by Premiership.** O-Roger G Smith; B-J Adcock & Neal McFadden (LA); T-Morris G Nicks; J-Eddie M Martin, Jr; \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 17-9-1-3, \$500,865. * 1/2 to Fuse It (Lite the Fuse), MSW, \$509,475.

2--**Golden Hare, 118, g, 9, Gilded Time--Bugs Rabbit, by Storm Cat.** (\$145,000 yrl '00 KEESEP). \$10,000.

3--**Super Struggler, 118, h, 5, Struggler (GB)--Noaccount D, by Septieme Ciel.** \$5,500.

Margins: HF, 2, NO. Odds: 2.30, 3.70, 26.40.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

7th-WOX, \$84,757, 4yo/up, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:02 3/5 (NTR), ft.

LEGAL MOVE (c, 4, Bold Executive--Charity Country {MSP}, by Country Store) Lifetime Record: MSW, 15-6-3-2, \$469,859. O-Woodford Racing LLC. B-Gardiner Farms Limited (ON). T-Mark E Casse. *C\$45,000 yrl '05 ONTSEP.

9th-WOX, \$69,653, NW1X, 3yo/up, 5f (AWT), :57 1/5, ft.

NORTHERN REPORT (c, 4, Snow Ridge--Annasan, by Corporate Report) Lifetime Record: 10-2-0-1, \$87,066. O-Steven R Diorio. B-Beclawat Stable (ON). T-Michael Keogh. *\$160,000 yrl '05 FTKJUL. **1/2 to Adjalah (Gold Fever), SP, \$387,665; Arco's Gold (Gold Fever), SW & GSP, \$388,678; and A Bit O'Gold (Gold Fever), Horse of the Year, Ch. 3yo Colt, Ch. Older Horse, Ch. Turf Horse-Can, MGSW, \$1,788,255.

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9th-PHA, \$42,000, NW1X, 3yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:17, ft. RISING GLORY (f, 3, Honour and Glory--Ascent, by Capote) Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-0, \$57,787.

O-Marchfore Thoroughbreds. B-Stillmeadow Farm LLC & Michael Conrad (KY). T-John C Servis. *\$15,000 yrl '06 KEESEP; \$135,000 2yo '07 OBSMAR.

9th-GPX, \$41,500, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000-\$20,000), NW1X, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:37 1/5, gd.

FEARLESS LEADER (f, 4, Suave Prospect--Truly Romantic, by Robyn Dancer) Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-0, \$61,435. O-Rayzin the Bar Stables. B-Farnsworth Farms (FL). T-Michael Lerman. *\$1,000 yrl '05 OBSJAN; \$21,000 2yo 2006 OBSJUN. **Full to Prospect of Love, SW, \$159,960.

11th-SUN, \$37,500, 4-5, NW26MX, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09 1/5, ft.

FEARLESS ANTHONY (g, 7, Bold Anthony--Fearless Ace {SP}, by Havanace) Lifetime Record: 56-18-10-4, \$203,378. O-Black Hawk Stable. B-John H Williams (AR). T-Chris A Hartman. * 1/2 to Hava Peer (Overpeer), MSW, \$197,297.

7th-OPX, \$36,500, Opt. Clm. (\$30,000), NW3L, 4yo/up, 1m, 1:37 3/5, ft.

SHIM'S PRIDE (g, 5, Awesome Again--Shiroyama, by Seattle Slew) Lifetime Record: 21-3-7-4, \$116,590. O-Shim Racing LLC. B-Gregory Hawkins (KY). T-Steve Hobby. *\$55,000 yrl '04 KEESEP.

2nd-OPX, \$35,500, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.

SPLASH OF BOLD (g, 4, Bold Anthony--Splashappy, by Williamstown) Lifetime Record: 4-2-2-0, \$55,100. O-Joe Benight. B-Five Star Racing Stable (AR). T-John Henry Prather, Jr.

8th-OPX, \$35,500, Opt. Clm. (\$20,000), NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10, ft.

PRINCESS BIANCONI (f, 4, Bianconi--Princesa Del Cielo, by Conquistador Cielo) Lifetime Record: 13-2-1-3, \$58,824. O/B-Clyde and Bobbye Stipe (KY). T-Lynn Chleborad.

4th-CTX, \$33,000, 4-5, 4yo/up, 4 1/2f, :51 2/5, ft.

BETTIN ON M J (g, 6, Quaker Ridge--Betchabucks, by Buckaroo) Lifetime Record: SW, 35-15-3-2, \$307,566. O/T-Julio R Cartagena. B-Dr Lawrence D Shaffer (FL).

10th-PHA, \$31,000, C, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.

SALTISH (m, 7, Salt Lake--Stop the Song {SW, \$199,599}, by Hatchet Man) Lifetime Record: 37-6-12-7, \$187,430. O-Joseph E Asbell. B-Eugene Weymouth (PA). T-Philip T Aristone.



8th-LRL, \$30,000, NW1X, 3yo, 6f, 1:13 1/5, sy.
PRINCE KISSES (c, 3, B L's Appeal--Princess Kisses, by Light of Morn) Lifetime Record: 5-3-1-0, \$47,460. O-F and J Stables. B-Sherry Mora & Jose Fernando Mora (FL). T-John Rigattieri.

9th-LRL, \$30,000, NW1X, 4yo/up, 5 1/2f (off turf), 1:05 4/5, sy.
ROUSE THE CAT (g, 4, Sir Cat--Crouse Mill, by Strike Gold) Lifetime Record: 8-4-0-2, \$61,350. O-Ray M Pennington, III. B-Marathon Farm Inc (FL). T-Ollie L Figgins, III.

9th-MNR, \$28,400, 4-5, NW3L, 3yo/up, 5f, :58 2/5, ft.
DANNY SEZ (g, 4, King Cugat--Wise Number, by Polish Numbers) Lifetime Record: 10-3-1-0, \$51,600. O-EH, DH and LS, LLC & Emile Hawkins. B-Emile C Hawkins (KY). T-Donn A Rowe.

5th-HAW, \$28,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:46 2/5, ft.
GO DAWG (f, 4, Include--Lady Biscayne, by French Deputy) Lifetime Record: 8-2-1-0, \$56,485. O-T Van Meter. B-Sybon Racing Stable (KY). T-Shannon Ritter. *\$95,000 yrl '05 FTKJUL; \$250,000 2yo '06 FTFEB.

7th-HAW, \$28,000, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000-\$40,000), NW1X, 3yo, f, 1m70y, 1:44 2/5, ft.
SWEET APTITUDE (f, 3, Aptitude--Lib, by Unbridled) Lifetime Record: 7-2-0-1, \$40,760. O-Gale Springer. B-Alan S Kline Revocable Trust (MD). T-Frank R Springer. *\$32,000 yrl '06 KEESep.

8th-CTX, \$27,000, NW3LX, 4yo/up, 7f, 1:28 2/5, gd.
THE VIN MAN (g, 4, Louis Quatorze--Pink Cadillac, by Man From Eldorado) Lifetime Record: 10-3-3-0, \$63,670. O-Vincent A Arcieri, Jr. B-E & D Enterprises (FL). T-Peter Bazeos. *\$20,000 wlng '04 OBSOCT.

7th-CTX, \$27,000, NW3LX, 3yo, 4 1/2f, :53, gd.
TRICKY START (c, 3, Jump Start--Golden Trick, by Phone Trick) Lifetime Record: 9-3-2-2, \$73,740. O-Abel Trejo-Patino. B-Dr J K & Linda Griggs (KY). T-Timothy Hooper.

8th-CTX, \$27,000, 4-5, NW3LX, 4yo/up, f/m, 4 1/2f, :52 3/5, ft.
WARRIOR BELLE (m, 5, War Deputy--Bebopper, by Prosperous) Lifetime Record: 18-3-4-0, \$83,655. O-Webb Stable. B-Brian Wallace (ON). T-Lucy B Webb.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Silver Glade, f, 3, Belong to Me--Silver Wire (SP), by Distinctive Pro. PHA, 4-6, (C), 1m, 1:41 2/5.
 B-George Strawbridge (PA).

Dixie Bandjo, c, 3, Chimes Band--Souvenir Kiss, by Souvenir Copy. SUN, 4-6, (S), 6f, 1:10 1/5.
 B-Pierre Amestoy (NM).

Mema's Baby, c, 3, Concorde's Tune--Hurdy Gurdy, by In Reality. CTX, 4-6, 4 1/2f, :54 2/5.
 B-Ocala Stud Farm (FL). *1/2 to Poolman (Notebook), MSW, \$300,480.

Smokin Rosell, f, 3, Smoke Glacken--Greene Road, by Green Dancer. GPX, 4-6, (C), 1m (off turf), 1:39.
 B-Charles H. Deters (KY).

Maui Mark, g, 3, Unusual Heat--Dalymount, by Man From Eldorado. SAX, 4-6, (S), 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:02 1/5.
 B-Fast Lane Farms (CA).

Ztrava Ganza, f, 4, L'Africain Bleu (Fr)--Deerifle, by Elk's Uz. SUN, 4-5, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:05 1/5.
 B-Estate of Veva Grace Cunningham (NM).

Have Faith, f, 4, Royal Academy--St. Chapelle, by St. Jovite. HAW, 4-6, (S), 1m70y, 1:45.
 B-Mr. & Mrs. Harvey L. Vanier (IL).

Liscarroll, h, 5, El Prado (Ire)--Lizzie R, by Cozzene. GPX, 4-6, 1 1/8m (off turf), 1:52 3/5.
 B-T J Rooney (MD).

SO. HEMISPHERE WINNERS BY U.S. SIRES:

Great King (Arg), h, 5, Louis Quatorze--Gondwana (Arg) (G1SP-Arg), by Southern Halo. Palermo, 4-5, Mdn, 1000m, :55.52.
 O/B-Tape Viejo; T-J A Paez.

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AQUEDUCT

Dill or No Dill (Evansville Slew), 4f, :47.74, 1/22

BELMONT PARK

Joey P. (Close Up), 4f, :49.03, 15/80
 Meriwether Jessica (Freud), 4f, :48.08, 4/80
 Santana Strings (Wheaton), 4f, :50.42, 52/80
 Zaftig (Gone West), 6f (tr), 1:13.21, 1/12

CHURCHILL DOWNS

Brass Hat (Prized), 5f, 1:00.60, 9/12
 My Pal Charlie (Indian Charlie), 4f, :49.40, 22/37

FAIR HILL

Miraculous Miss (Mr. Greeley), 4f, :46.80, 1/7

HOLLYWOOD

First Defence (Unbridled's Song), 5f, 1:00.60, 17/58

KEENELAND

Cannonball (Catiemus), 4f, :47.40, 6/54
 Cowboy Cal (Giant's Causeway), 4f, :47.40, 6/54
 Golden Doc A (Unusual Heat), 3f, :33.40, 1/11
 Kelly's Landing (Patton), 4f, :48.40, 25/54
 Kentucky Bear (Mr. Greeley), 5f, 1:01.80, 31/49
 Monba (Maria's Mon), 4f, :47.20, 4/54
 Panty Raid (Include), 5f, 1:01.80, 31/49
 Precious Kitten (Catiemus), 5f, 1:00.20, 8/49
 Ready's Image (More Than Ready), 4f, :47.20, 4/54
 Sealy Hill (Point Given), 4f, :47.40, 6/54
 Wicked Style (Macho Uno), 4f, :50.00, 47/54

OAKLAWN

Jonesboro (Sefapiano), 4f, :47.60, 4/49



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7-MNR, Msw, 6f, Empiricism, 4-1

INDY KING (A.P. Indy), Adena South, \$2K, 58/4/0

8-PHA, Alw, 6 1/2f, Indy O., \$3K OBS WIN yrl, 9-5

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KRESGEVILLE, 6, Bertrando--Seed Case, by Never Tabled

Foal born Feb. 16, a filly by Mr. Greeley.

Will be bred back to Scat Daddy.

Owned by James Scatuorchio.

Boarded at Taylor Made.

Accomplishments: MSW of \$142,110.

OUTSOURCE, 10, Storm Bird--True Grit, by Woodman

Foal born Feb. 16, a filly by Distorted Humor.

Will be bred back to Proud Citizen.

Mare Owned by Brereton C Jones.

Foal Owned by Brereton C Jones and WinStar Farm.

Boarded at Airdrie Stud.

Accomplishments: Dam of Commentator (Distorted

Humor), GISW, \$851,936.

CATIVA, 8, Sir Cat--Sinister Victory, by Vice Regent

Foal born Feb. 17, a filly by Smarty Jones.

Will be bred back to Smarty Jones.

Owned by Fontainebleau Farm.

Boarded at Stone Farm.

Accomplishments: GSW of \$377,832.

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CONDITIONS RESULTS:

FRANCE, Bordeaux-le-Bouscat, 3.50, 4-5, €32,000, 3yo, c/g, 1mT, 1:40.55, vsf.

MEGA BACK (GB) (c, 3, Zamindar--Gitane {Fr}, by Grand Lodge) Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 3 wins, 2 places, €41,950. O-Jean-Claude & Claude Gour; B-The National Stud; T-Jean-Claude Rouget.

* 16,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT.

FRANCE, Bordeaux-le-Bouscat, 2.50, 4-5, €24,000, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:39.16, vsf.

SATAN'S CIRCUS (f, 3, Gone West--Delmonico Cat {GSW-US, \$273,804}, by Storm Cat) Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 3 wins, 2 places, €37,000. O-Edmund Gann; Mr & Mrs Martin J Wygod; T-Jean-Claude Rouget.

* €180,000 HIT '07 GOFARC.

FRANCE, Cavaillon, 5.30, 4-5, €15,000, 3yo, 1 3/8mT, 2:20.69, sf.

BEAUJEU (FR) (c, 3, Sendawar {Ire}--Cocooning {Fr} {SP-Fr}, by Galetto {Fr}) Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 2 wins, 2 places, €16,550. O-Growthwork SARL;

B-Jean-Claude Bouret; T-Jean-Marc Capitte. * 1/2 to Comete (Fr) (Jeune Homme), GSW-Fr, \$207,184.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Gradiva, f, 3, **Grand Slam**--Ascension (Ire) (MGSW-Fr, SW-Eng, \$106,485), by Night Shift. Cavaillon, France, 4-5, Mdn, 3yo, 1mT. B-Norman Cheng.

+ **Sand du Lys (Fr)**, f, 3, **Marchand De Sable**--Sikay (Fr), by Le Balafre (Fr). Paray-le-Monial, France, 4-5, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/8mT. B-Mme Carinne Babin Guillochon.

The Lemonpie (Ger), c, 3, **Next Desert (Ire)**--Terra Novalis (Ger), by Astylos (Ger). Dortmund, Germany, 4-5, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/8mT. B-Rolf Reutershan.

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