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THREE CHIMNEYS
The Idea is Excellence.
Dynaformer's TAJAWEED
Notches G3 Win (see page 6)

CHURCHILL CUTS PURSES 20 PERCENT

Churchill Downs yesterday announced a 20-percent purse cut, effective May 14. According to a press release issued by the track, the move was made in response to the horsemen's refusal to approve the distribution of the Churchill simulcast signal to advance-deposit wagering sites. "We have been left with no option but to reduce overnight purses to offset the amount of lost handle because Kentucky horsemen have prevented horse racing fans from wagering through ADW platforms," said Churchill President Steve Sexton. "We are disappointed because the failure to send the signal will negatively impact the product both on and off the racetrack. While we are still hopeful this impasse can be resolved, we have no choice but to act now." The current round of purse reductions will affect overnight purses, and the release went on to say that there was a potential for Fall Meet stakes race purses to be reduced as well. The Kentucky Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association and Kentucky Thoroughbred Association representatives also have informed Churchill that further discussions regarding ADW contracts be conducted with the Thoroughbred Horsemen's Group, an alliance of horsemen's groups from around the country. Commenting on the purse cut, THG President Bob Reeves said, "As far as I'm concerned, this was retaliatory and unnecessary. I believe they should have worked with the KHPBA and the KTA in advance of announcing any purse cuts to make sure they were warranted." Talks with Churchill on the ADW issue have stalled. "Churchill has refused to talk to the THG," Reeves said. "They have been consistent in their position that they want negotiations to be with the local horsemen's groups at their tracks." Reeves added, "I am very proud of the horsemen represented by our members. They understand that, in trying to get more money for purses from ADW companies, we are involved in a very high-stakes game." Churchill, however, believes that the horsemen's demands regarding ADW contracts are not reasonable. "Since Churchill Downs' entry into the ADW business in 2007, we have nearly doubled host fees paid by ADW businesses to our racetracks and horsemen partners through successful negotiations with local horsemen," said Sexton. "Kentucky horsemen and the THG are now demanding even more, but their plan is simply not feasible for ADW companies, including TwinSpires.com."



Steve Sexton
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Calder Cuts Stakes Purses, p7

SHOWING THE WAY

Sean Mulryan's **Thewayyouare** (Kingmambo) has the task of expanding trainer Andre Fabre's tally of four winners in tomorrow's renewal of the G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulainsat Longchamp. He has ideal credentials, having followed a victory in the G3 Prix Thomas Bryon with a half-length defeat of **Hello Morning (Fr)** (Poliglote {GB}) in the G1 Criterium International at Saint-Cloud in the fall. One major complication is his wide draw of 15, as no horse has won from a double-figure stall since Victory Note in 1998. "The horse is fine--he's ready to go--but the only bad news we have had came this morning with the draw," the owner's Racing Manager Herve Barjot told *PA Sport* yesterday. **Cont. p2**



Thewayyouare
APRH Photo

DOZEN TAKE ON ZARKAVA

His Highness The Aga Khan's **Zarkava (Ire)** (Zamindar) puts her unbeaten record on the line in tomorrow's G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches (French 1000 Guineas) at Longchamp, where she will face 12 rivals. With a favorable draw in five, the homebred sensation has an outstanding chance of providing trainer Alain de Royer-Dupre with a fourth renewal since 1984. **Cont. p4**

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POULE D'ESSAI DES POULAINS

Longchamp, May 11

Sunday, Longchamp, France

POULE D'ESSAI DES POULAINS-G1, €400,000, 3yo, c, 1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE
1	17	Tamayuz (GB)	Nayef

O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Shadwell Estate Company Ltd; T-Freddy Head; J-Davy Bonilla.

Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 3 wins, €67,500

Last Start--1st Apr. 13 G3 Prix de Fontainebleau

2	18	Bon Grain (Fr)	Muhtathir (GB)
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O/B-Lucien Bermond; T-Jean-Jacques Napoli; J-Thierry Jarnet. Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 2 wins, 4 places,

€46,400

Last Start--3rd Mar. 24 Listed Prix Omnium II

3	6	Il Warrd (Ire)	Pivotal (GB)
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(240,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT)

O-Godolphin; B-Castleton Group; T-Saeed bin Suroor; J-Kerrin McEvoy. Lifetime Record: 4 starts, 2 wins,

0 places, €27,992

Last Start--1st Apr. 12 Listed Easter S.

4	16	Rio de la Plata	Rahy
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(€65,000 wnlg '05 KEENOV; \$75,000 yrl '06 KEESEP; 170,000gns 2yo '07 TATAPR)

O-Godolphin; B-Jose de Camargo, Robert N Clay, Gainsborough Farm LLC et al; T-Saeed bin Suroor;

J-Frankie Dettori. Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 3 wins, 3 places, €300,854

Last Start--4th Oct. 20 G1 Dewhurst S.

5	13	Maille le Nelois (Fr)	Maille Pistol (Fr)
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O/T-Victor Greco; B-R Duclos; J-Thierry Gillet. Lifetime Record: 14 starts, 1 win, 5 places, €32,530

Last Start--6th Apr. 29 Chantilly handicap

6	2	Hello Morning (Fr)	Poliglote (GB)
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O-Mme Micheline Leurson & Haras du Camp Benard; B-Haras du Camp Benard; T-Criquette Head-Maarek;

J-Alexis Badel. Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 2 wins, 4 places, €106,350

Last Start--3rd Apr. 13 G3 Prix de Fontainebleau

7	5	Yorktown (Fr)	Red Ransom
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(€180,000 yrl '06 DEAAUG)

O-Earle Mack; B-Gilles & Alette Forien; T-Jean-Claude Rouget; J-Christophe-Patrice Lemaire. Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, €40,800

Last Start--1st Mar. 14 Deauville conditions

8	4	Lucifer Sam	Storm Cat
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O-Susan Magnier, Michael Tabor & The Niarchos Family; B-Quay Bloodstock & The Niarchos Family; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-David McCabe. Lifetime Record: 7 starts,

1 win, 3 places, €29,367

Last Start--5th Apr. 13 G3 Prix de Fontainebleau

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9	8	General Elliott (Ire)	Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)
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O-Sir George Meyrick; B-Maddenstown Equine Enterprise; T-Paul Cole; J-Ryan Moore. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 2 wins, €15,599

Last Start--1st Apr. 25 Sandown conditions

10	3	One Great Cat	Storm Cat
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O-Michael Tabor & Susan Magnier; B-Pacelco SA; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Thierry Thulliez. Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 1 win, 3 places, €32,264

Last Start--7th Apr. 13 G3 Prix de Fontainebleau

11	7	Georgebernardshaw (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)
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(300,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT)

O-Susan Magnier, Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith; B-Quay Bloodstock; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Johnny Murtagh. Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 2 wins, 2 places,

€44,755

Last Start--1st Apr. 13 Listed Loughbrown S.

12	1	Bermuda Rye (Ire)	Cape Cross (Ire)
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O/B-Marquise de Moratalla; T-Mikel Delzangles; J-Christophe Soumillon. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 0 places, €10,500

Last Start--6th Apr. 14 Listed Prix Djebel

13	15	Thewayyouare	Kingmambo
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O-Sean Mulryan; B-Barnett Enterprises; T-Andre Fabre; J-Stephane Pasquier. Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 4 wins, 0 places, €219,350

Last Start--1st Nov. 1 G1 Criterium International

Poule d'Essai des Poulains cont. p3

PERENNIALY RANKED ON THE GENERAL SIRE LIST



Poule d'Essai des Poulains cont.

**14 12 Alexander Castle [Lemon Drop Kid](#)
(90,000gns 2yo '07 TATAPR)**

O-Noel O'Callaghan; B-Helen K Groves Revocable Trust; T-Kevin Ryan; T-Neil Callan. Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 1 win, 1 place, €33,996

Last Start--5th Apr. 17 G3 Craven S.

15 19 Blue Chagall (Fr) Testa Rossa (Aus)

O-William J Preston; B-Mme Antoinette Tamagni-Bodmer; T-Henri-Alex Pantall; J-Johan Victoire. Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 2 wins, 2 places, €81,050

Last Start--6th Apr. 13 G3 Prix de Fontainebleau

16 10 Salut l'Africain (Fr) Ski Chief

O-Mme Didier Ricard & Robert Collet; B-SARL Classic Breeding, Edouard Gonfray & Maurice Hassan; T-Robert Collet; J-Ioritz Mendizabal. Lifetime Record: 17 starts, 4 wins, 13 places, €175,900

Last Start--1st Apr. 14 Listed Prix Djebel

**17 14 River Proud [Proud Citizen](#)
(€75,000 yrl '06 FTKJUL)**

O-Mme Michael Spencer; B-Brereton C Jones & B Ned Jones; T-Paul Cole; J-Richard Quinn. Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 2 wins, 2 places, €72,652

Last Start--4th Apr. 17 G3 Craven S.

**18 11 Paco Boy (Ire) Desert Style (Ire)
(€18,000 wnlg '05 GOFNOV; €16,000 yrl '06 TATFLT;
30,000gns 2yo '07 DONAPR)**

O-The Calvera Partnership No 2; B-Joan Browne; T-Richard Hannon; J-Richard Hughes. Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 4 wins, 1 place, €91,513

Last Start--1st Apr. 19 G3 Greenham S.

19 9 Falco Pivotal (GB)

O/B-Wertheimer & Frere; T-Carlos Laffon-Parias; J-Olivier Peslier. Lifetime Record: 4 starts, 1 win, 2 places, €24,500

Last Start--1st Apr. 17 Longchamp conditions

All carry 128 pounds.

Remarking on the post of **Thewayyouare**, Racing Manager Herve Barjot told *PA Sport*, "It is a big field and it is not a good draw for a race like the Guineas." But Barjot added, "He had the perfect season last year and we think he is a very nice colt. Andre Fabre has done a great job getting him ready for Sunday, but it really depends which way the field will go. His breeding suggests he will get further than a mile and the plan is definitely to go for a Derby, but which one we will decide after Sunday." Other leading players done no favors by their post position are Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum's G3 Prix de Fontainebleau winner **Tamayuz** and Godolphin's G1 Prix Jean-Luc Lagardere scorer **Rio de la Plata**, but Micheline Leurson and Haras du Camp Benard's **Hello Morning** has a distinct advantage breaking from the two hole. He has just a half-length to find on Thewayyouare on their Criterium International form and found the testing ground against him when just over a length third in the Fontainebleau over this track and trip Apr. 13.



THREE CHIMNEYS Winners' Circle Report

For the week ending May 2, 2008



Exchange Rate

1ST 2008 STAKES WINNER TAKES THE \$150,000 EDGEWOOD STAKES

Exchange Rate's **1st stakes winner for 2008** is **ZEE ZEE** (05 f. o/o Emblem of Hope, by Dynaformer), winner of the May 2nd \$150,000 Edgewood S., who ran a 1-1/16m on the turf at Churchill Downs. **ZEE ZEE** set the pace from the start and maintained the advantage through the stretch, winning by 1 3/4 lengths. She has now earned \$283,347. Owner: Zayat Stables, LLC. Breeder: Padua Stables. [Chart Video](#)

War Chant

DUAL STAKES SUCCESS AND SALES TOPPER

War Chant's **4TH stakes winner in 2008**, MGSW **EL ROBLAR** (02 c. o/o Screamer, by Roanoke), captured the Inglewood H. (G3) on May 3rd going a 1-1/16m. on the turf. The victory brings his bankroll to \$389,646 with a record of 14-6-1-3. Owner: Stonestreet Stables, LLC. Breeder: Donald and R. Mary Zuckerman, as Tenants by the Entireties. [Chart Video](#)

War Chant's **16th stakes winner** is **FLAWLESS TREASURE** (02 f. o/o Rose Diamond, by Diamond Shoal (GB)), winner of the \$77,000 Sabin S. at Churchill Downs on May 7th. She "made a strong move from the outside" and drew away in the final furlong to win by 3 3/4 lengths, bringing her bankroll to \$151,587. Owner: Hare Forrest Farm, Robert S. Evans, and Richard J. M. Poulson. Breeder: Anne Wrenn Poulson. [Chart Video](#)

War Chant also had the Dundalk sale topper in Hip 23 (06 c. o/o Music Lane, by Miswaki). The 2YO turned in a swift breeze over the Polytrack and sold for €67,000. The colt will be shipped to Hong Kong to continue his training. Consignor: Mocklershill Stables. Buyer: Yuma Bloodstock.

Three Chimneys Grads

Three Chimneys Farm would like to offer our sincerest condolences to the connections of EIGHT BELLES. She ran a stellar race and will be missed by her fans and the industry.

EIGHT BELLES (05 f., o/o Away, by Dixieland Band), a MGSW, displayed a valiant and determined effort in the Kentucky Derby (G1), finishing a game second against the boys. Tragically, the filly suffered multiple injuries while pulling up and had to be euthanized. A winner of three stakes races this year, **EIGHT BELLES** posthumous earnings total \$708,650 lifetime. Owner: Fox Hill Farms Inc. Breeder: Robert N. Clay and Serengeti Stable.

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**Poule d'Essai des Poulains cont.
Heads-Up For Hello Morning...**

Criquette Head-Maarek won this with Green Tune in 1994 and American Post (GB) four years ago and is hopeful of a bold show from Hello Morning. "He worked well on Tuesday and ground conditions should be ideal as he is much better suited to good or faster," she said. "On his last run, he showed improvement and he has improved again since, so we are hopeful of a good run." Paul Cole has yet to capture this prize and saddles a duo in Sir George Meyrick's **General Elliott** and Michael Spencer's **"TDN Rising Star"** **River Proud**.



River Proud
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While the former has an Apr. 25 Sandown conditions success to his name, River Proud boasts some of the best form on offer due to his second in the G2 July S. and success in the G3 Somerville Tattersall S. at Newmarket last term. He has to rebound from a tame fourth in the Apr. 17 G3 Craven S. at that venue, where Noel O'Callaghan's **Alexander Castle** was back in fifth.

"We're very happy with both of them, but River Proud broke a bit too quick first time out and didn't give the best of runs," Cole's son and assistant Oliver told *PA Sport*. "He'll probably need a lead and a typical French pace might not make that easy as they often go slow. General Elliott is very versatile and quite straightforward and we think he's a proper horse."

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**POULE D'ESSAI
DES POULICHES
Longchamp, May 11**

Sunday, Longchamp, France
POULE D'ESSAI DES POULICHES-G1, €400,000, 3yo, f, 1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE
1	12	Nijoom Dubai (GB) (19,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT)	Noverre
O-Jaber Abdullah; B-Bloodhorse International Ltd; T-Mick Channon; J-Richard Hughes. Lifetime Record: 4 starts, 1 win, 2 places, €47,157 <i>Last Start--6th Apr. 16 G3 Nell Gwyn S.</i>			
2	8	Conference Call (GB)	Anabaa
O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms; T-Pascal Bary; J-Thierry Thulliez. Lifetime Record: 4 starts, 2 wins, 2 places, €112,080 <i>Last Start--2nd Apr. 13 G3 Prix de la Grotte</i>			
3	7	Modern Look (GB)	Zamindar
O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms; T-David Smaga; J-Stephane Pasquier. Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 3 wins, 2 places, €77,600 <i>Last Start--2nd Apr. 14 Listed Prix Imprudence</i>			
4	5	Zarkava (Ire)	Zamindar
O-His Highness The Aga Khan; B-H H The Aga Khan's Studs SC; T-Alain de Royer-Dupre; J-Christophe Soumillon. Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 3 wins, €221,920 <i>Last Start--1st Apr. 13 G3 Prix de la Grotte</i>			
5	9	Dream Day (GB)	Oasis Dream (GB)
O-R Barnett; B-W & R Barnett Ltd; T-Richard Hannon; J-Ryan Moore. Lifetime Record: 4 starts, 1 win, 2 places, €23,610 <i>Last Start--2nd Apr. 19 G3 Fred Darling S.</i>			
6	2	Blue Cayenne (Fr)	Anabaa Blue (GB)
O-Haras de Quetieville; B-Haras de Grandcamp; T-Sandrine Tarrou; J-Thierry Jarnet. Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 2 wins, 2 places, €31,450 <i>Last Start--3rd Apr. 14 Listed Prix Imprudence</i>			

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Poule d'Essai des Pouliches cont.

7 6 Halfway to Heaven (Ire) Pivotal (GB)
 (€450,000 yrl '06 GOFORB)

O-Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith & Susan Magnier;
 B-Trevor Stewart; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-David McCabe.
 Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 1 win, 2 places, €31,020
Last Start--2nd Apr. 6 G3 Leopardstown 1000 Guineas Trial S.

8 13 Psalm (Ire) Sadler's Wells

O-Susan Magnier; B-Anne Marie O'Brien; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Johnny Murtagh. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 0 wins, 1 place, €3,230
Last Start--7th Apr. 6 G3 Leopardstown 1000 Guineas Trial S.

9 14 Lessing (Fr) Orpen
 (€28,000 yrl '06 DEAAUG)

O-Javier Martinez Salmean; B-Mlle Françoise Perree; T-Richard Gibson; J-Julien Auge. Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 3 wins, 2 places, €62,100
Last Start--3rd Apr. 13 G3 Prix de la Grotte

10 10 Azabara (GB) Pivotal (GB)
 (€220,000 yrl '06 DEAAUG)

O-Mayfair Stud; B-Sunny Days Ltd; T-Andre Fabre; J-Frankie Dettori. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 1 place, €21,200
Last Start--1st Apr. 3 Longchamp conditions

11 11 Silent Sunday (Ire) Testa Rossa (Aus)

O/B-Erich Schmid; T-Henri-Alex Pantall; J-J Victoire. Lifetime Record: 4 starts, 1 win, 3 places, €30,600
Last Start--4th Apr. 14 Listed Prix Imprudence

12 4 Destare (GB) Desert Prince (Ire)

O/B-George Strawbridge; T-Jonathan Pease; J-Christophe-Patrice Lemaire. Lifetime Record: 4 starts, 2 wins, 2 places, €46,000
Last Start--1st Apr. 22 Saint-Cloud conditions

13 1 Goldikova (Ire) Anabaa

O/B-Wertheimer & Frere; T-Freddy Head; J-O Peslier. Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, €34,300
Last Start--2nd Apr. 3 Longchamp conditions

14 3 Kayaba (GB) Anabaa

O/B-Wertheimer & Frere; T-Carlos Laffon-Parias; J-M Blancpain. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 2 wins, €28,000
Last Start--1st Apr. 11 Saint-Cloud conditions

All carry 126 pounds.

Putting Her Unbeaten Streak on the Line..

Emphatic when the 2 1/2-length conqueror of **Conference Call** in the G1 Prix Marcel Boussac here on Arc day, **Zarkava** looked even better back over track and trip on her return in the Apr. 13 G3 Prix de la Grotte, where she replicated the margin over that rival. "We are looking forward to the race on Sunday," the Aga Khan's Racing Manager Georges Rimaud told *PA Sport* yesterday. "We thought there were going to be less than 14, but it'll be interesting and we just hope she won't get into any traffic problems. I think there will be plenty of pace with that number of horses in the race."



Zarkava APRH Photo

British-trained fillies have a sparse win rate here, with only four having taken off with the spoils since 1980. Mick Channon went close to glory with Nahoodh (Ire) in the Newmarket equivalent last weekend and will be hoping for compensation with Jaber Abdullah's **Nijoom Dubai**. Having won Royal Ascot's G3 Albany S. in June, she was racing for the first time since finishing sixth in the G3 Nell Gwyn S. at Newmarket last time Apr. 16. "She has definitely improved for her run in the Nell Gwyn and her work since has been of a high standard," Racing Manager Bruce Raymond commented. "She went nicely in a piece with Nahoodh, who then ran so well in the 1000 Guineas, so we are hoping that she goes there with a chance. If she can recapture the form that saw her win the Albany, then you'd have to think that she would be very competitive." The Wertheimer silks graced the winner's enclosure courtesy of Ivanjica in 1975 and Dancing Maid (Fr) three years later and will be carried by **Goldikova** and **Kayaba** this time. The former hails from the Freddy Head barn and was far from disgraced when failing by a short head while giving eight pounds to **Azabara** in a course-and-distance conditions event Apr. 3. The Carlos Laffon-Parias-trained Kayaba earned her spot with a Saint-Cloud conditions score Apr. 11.

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Friday, Chester, Britain

ORMONDE S.-G3, £75,000, Chester, 5-9, 4yo/up, 13f 89ydsT, 2:53.20, gd.

1--#**@MACARTHUR (GB)**, 126, c, 4, by [Montjeu \(Ire\)](#)

1st Dam: **Out West (SW-Eng)**, by **Gone West**

2nd Dam: **Chellingoua**, by **Sharpen Up (GB)**

3rd Dam: **Uncommitted**, by **Buckpasser**

O-Derrick Smith, Susan Magnier & Michael Tabor; B-Deerfield Farm; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-J Murtagh; £42,577. Lifetime Record: MGSP-Ire, 7-2-0-3, £81,966. *Full to Motivator (GB), Hwt. 3yo-Eng at 11-14f, MG1SW-Eng & G1SP-Ire, \$2,166,659; 1/2 to Imperial Star (Fantastic Light), SW-Eng & GSP-UAE, \$133,542. **Werk Nick Rating: A + +**. [Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Supersonic Dave**, 126, c, 4, Swain (Ire)--Vickey's Echo, by Clever Trick. (\$55,000 yrl '05 KEESEP; 70,000gns 2yo '06 TATAPR). O-Roldvale Limited; B-Arthur B Hancock III; T-Brian Meehan; £16,140.

3--**Carte Diamond**, 126, g, 7, Theatrical (Ire)--Liteup My Life, by Green Dancer. (\$25,000 yrl '02 KEESEP; 105,000gns HIT '04 DONHIT). O-Ashley Carr; B-The Thoroughbred Corporation; T-Brian Ellison; £8,077. Margins: 4, NK, 1 1/4. Odds: 9-4, 22-1, 14-1.

Also Ran: Red Gala (GB), Numide (Fr), Steppe Dancer (Ire), Tempelstern (Ger), Bauer (Ire), Raincoat (GB), Jadalee (Ire), The Last Drop (Ire).

Three years ago, Johnny Murtagh guided Motivator (GB) around Epsom's contours; it was that luminary's brother MacArthur who helped him stun the Chester crowd with this scintillating display. One of Ballydoyle's most touted sophomores last term, he failed to thrive due to setbacks, but the talent was glimpsed in third-place finishes in Leopardstown's G2 Derby Trial in May and the G2 Great Voltigeur S. at York in August. Luckless when sixth in the G1 St Leger the following month, he was bogged down in the Curragh mud when seventh in the Apr. 13 Listed Alleged S., but looked a different proposition this time. The bay was slotted into mid-division against the rail early. Traveling strongly in a pocket, he opened up impressively when unleashed before the eighth pole and reported home under a hand ride. "He has plenty of gears, traveled round brilliantly on the bridle and quickened up really well," Murtagh said. "He loved the ground today and showed he is a high-class horse. Coming back in trip won't be a problem for him, as he's got speed and might get quicker with his racing." [Click for the Racing Post chart.](#)

Friday, Chester, Britain

DEE S.-G3, £65,000, Chester, 5-9, 3yo, c/g, 10f 75ydsT, 2:11.03, gd.

1--#**@TAJAAWEED**, 124, c, 3, by [Dynaformer](#)

1st Dam: **Uforia**, by **Zilzal**

2nd Dam: **Long Legend**, by **Reviewer**

3rd Dam: **Lianga**, by **Dancer's Image**

(\$400,000 yrl '06 KEESEP). O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Herman Sarkowsky; T-Sir Michael Stoute; J-Richard Hills; £36,900. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, £39,490. **Werk Nick Rating: A +**. [Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Unnefer (Fr)**, 124, c, 3, Danehill Dancer (Ire)--

Mimalia, by Silver Hawk. O/B-The Niarchos Family; T-Henry Cecil; £13,988.

3--**Achill Island (Ire)**, 124, c, 3, Sadler's Wells--Prawn Cocktail, by Artichoke. O-Susan Magnier; B-Quay Bloodstock; T-Aidan O'Brien; £7,000.

Margins: SHD, 5, 2 1/4. Odds: 5-1, 4-1, 2-1.

Also Ran: Alexandros (GB), North Parade (GB), Sligo (GB), Latin Lad (GB), Midnight Muse.

Sir Michael Stoute sent Tajaaweed to Doncaster's G1 Racing Post Trophy just 17 days after his debut win at Nottingham in October and, despite his 10th-place finish there, connections remained unshaken in their faith in the imposing colt. Drawn widest of all here, he was restrained in rear and had most of his rivals in front as the field passed the winning post for the first time. Making his move on the inside of Achill Island as that rival was committed approaching the final furlong, he had Unnefer to deal with wider out and only managed to defeat that rival in the final 50 yards. "He had an awful draw and can pull, so I didn't want to gun him up there, and Sir Michael said to just ride him with confidence and keep him balanced, as he's a tall horse," jockey Richard Hills said. "I didn't really want to go to the inside either, so he has overcome a lot of obstacles and showed a nice turn of foot." Sheikh Hamdan's Racing Manager Angus Gold suggested that a tilt at the June 7 G1 Epsom Derby, which Stoute won with his only previous Dee S. scorer Kris Kin, is in the cards. "It was nice to see him handle the track as well as he did and I like the way he knuckled down for an inexperienced horse," Gold said. "He has gained a lot of useful experience today and, if Sir Michael is happy with him, we'd be wrong not to consider the Derby." Henry Cecil said of the runner-up, "He came to win, but is really a mile-and-a-quarter horse and was emptying out at the finish." [Click for the Racing Post chart.](#)



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Trainer Ted West was dropping the slip for his mom, Mary Ellen, and Juan Quinones, when he claimed **Homemade Brew** (Milwaukee Brew) for \$32,000 last November. The three-year-old filly will attempt to make it a very special Mother's Day for Mary Ellen West when she takes to the track for the GIII Railbird S.



Ashley's Kitty
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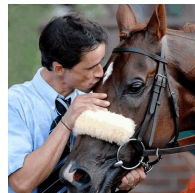
"Before she met dad, my mother had never been to the races," said West, a second-generation horseman. "On their first date, they went to the track and a horse my father saddled won." Two-for-three since changing hands, **Homemade Brew** makes her stakes debut after winning an optional claimer at Santa Anita Apr. 25. West, who saddled 17-1 **Ashley's Kitty** to victory in the 2007 Railbird, bids to become the first conditioner in the race's 45-year history to take it back-to-back. "Both

fillies came into the race the same way," said West. "Ashley's Kitty had won twice, once in a claiming race and once in an allowance race before her first stakes win in the Railbird." Tyler Baze, who picks up the mount, was aboard **Homemade Brew** for the first time Tuesday, guiding her through a five-furlong breeze in 1:00 flat. "Tyler worked her for the first time and loved her," said West, adding, "I've got a filly on the improve, and I've got to be happy with a horse in that zone."

☆ NEWS TODAY ☆

CALDER STAKES PURSES CUT Calder Race Course announced yesterday that the purses for eight upcoming stakes races will be cut. The May 26 GIII Memorial Day H., July 4 Mecke H. and July 12 J J's Dream S. and Frank Gomez Memorial S., which originally had purses of \$100,000, have been reduced to overnight stakes with purses of \$36,000. The remaining four stakes on the July 12 Summit of Speed program have also been cut, with the GI Princess Rooney H. and GII Smile Sprint H. reduced \$100,000 to \$400,000; and the GII Carry Back S. and GIII Azalea S. decreased \$50,000 to \$250,000. Steve Sexton, executive vice president of Churchill Downs Incorporated, Calder's parent company, cited the ongoing dispute with the Florida horsemen over advance-deposit wagering and slots revenue, which has blocked Calder from selling its signal out of state for the cut. "We continue to be disheartened that the Florida horsemen are blocking out-of-state wagering on Calder's races, and although we regret having to implement further purse cuts, it is a move that must be made in light of our current business situation," said Sexton in a press release. "Both the Florida horsemen and Calder continue to lose handle daily, and customers who enjoy wagering on Calder races are being unjustly penalized as a result of this situation. We continue to hope that the Florida horsemen will reconsider their stance of not discussing a purse contract until a slots agreement is reached, despite the fact no slots will be operational in 2008. Unfortunately, if this impasse continues we will have to make some difficult decisions regarding additional reductions to the overnight purses, as well."

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5:15p	Peter Pan S.-GII, BEL	(brisnet.com PPs)	HRTV/G
5:20p	Jim Murray Mem. H.-GII, HOL	(brisnet.com PPs)	TVG
6:47p	Lone Star Derby-GIII, LS	(brisnet.com PPs)	HRTV
7:20p	Senorita S.-GIII, HOL	(brisnet.com PPs)	TVG
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Saturday, Lone Star Park, post time: 6:47 p.m. EDT

LONE STAR DERBY-GIII, \$400,000, 3yo, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Limestone Edge	Cat Thief	Hess Jr	9-5
2	El Gato Malo	El Corredor	C Dollase	2-1
3	Golden Yank	Yankee Gentleman	Thomas	20-1
4	Poni Colada	Volponi	Asmussen	15-1
5	King's Silver Son	Mizzen Mast	Asmussen	15-1
6	Texas Wildcatter	Monarchos	Pletcher	8-1
7	Ide Like a Double	Ide	Gilbert	15-1
8	Isabull	Holy Bull	Hobby	30-1
9	Samba Rooster	Songandaprayer	Baffert	9-5
10	Leonides	Richter Scale	Cerin	10-1
11	My Pal Charlie	Indian Charlie	Stall Jr	12-1
12	Fort Apache	Mineshaft	Calhoun	30-1
13	Real Appeal	Successful Appeal	Amoss	30-1

Lone Star Derby cont.

El Gato Malo, the only graded-stakes winner in the field, faces 11 rivals as he looks to bounce back after finishing fifth as the favorite in the GI Santa Anita Derby. The speedy **Samba Rooster** is the morning-line choice after running second in the Apr. 19 GII Coolmore Lexington S. at Keeneland.



El Gato Malo Benoit Photo

On the board in all six career starts, the \$280,000 OBSMAR purchase was making his stakes and two-turn debut--and his first start for Bob Baffert--in that test. He could have things his own way on the front end here. "He's going to take them as far as he can, and hopefully it will be all the way to the wire," Baffert told *DRF*. **Leonides** was beaten a nose when runner-up in the GIII Hollywood Juvenile Championship S. last July and finished a solid fourth in the GI Del Mar Futurity in September in his seasonal finale. The bay returned to take the Palo Verde S. at Turf Paradise Feb. 25, and stretches out after running second behind Salute The Sarge in the Mar. 29 San Miguel S. going six panels. **Texas Wildcatter** gets another chance after a dismal showing when racing on a dead rail in the Apr. 5 GI Wood Memorial S. The gray colt was eighth, and nearly 34 lengths behind Tale of Ekati, in that event, but he was coming off a nose defeat by Visionaire in the Mar. 8 GIII Gotham S.

Saturday, Hollywood Park, post time: 5:20 p.m. EDT
JIM MURRAY MEMORIAL H.-GII, \$250,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Boule d'Or (Ire)	Croco Rouge (Ire)	Mullins	5-2
2	Champs Elysees (GB)	Danehill	Frankel	3-5
3	Church Service	Pulpit	Mitchell	6-1
4	Sudan (Ire)	Peintre Celebre	Frankel	10-1
5	On the Acorn (GB)	Inchinor (GB)	Mitchell	8-1

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Jim Murray Memorial H. cont.

Champs Elysees returns to the turf after finishing third in the Mar. 1 GI Santa Anita H. A group winner and Group 1 placed in Europe, the five-year-old opened his U.S. account with a second in the 12-panel GI Hollywood Turf Cup last December, then captured the Jan. 19 GII San Marcos S. at 10 furlongs on the grass. He would give trainer Bobby Frankel his eighth win in the Murray, but his first since 2002. **On the Acorn** defends his title in this event. The seven-year-old gelding was sidelined after that score, returning to be third in the Feb. 23 GII San Luis Obispo H. Sixth behind **Boule d'Or** in the Mar. 22 GII San Luis Rey H., he weakened late to be fourth in his latest, the Apr. 20 GII San Juan Capistrano H. going 1 3/4 miles. "On the Acorn is doing super--better than last year," trainer Mike Mitchell said. "But I have a lot of respect for [Champs Elysees]...he's a very good horse."

Saturday, Belmont Park, post time: 5:15 p.m. EDT

PETER PAN S.-GII, \$200,000, 3yo, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1a	Casino Drive	Mineshaft	Fujisawa	2-1
2	Tomcito	Street Cry (Ire)	Zanelli Jr	6-1
3	Mint Lane	Maria's Mon	J Jerkens	8-1
4	Deputyville	Deputy Warlock	Contessa	12-1
5a	Spark Candle	A.P. Indy	Fujisawa	2-1
6	Golden Spikes	Seeking the Gold	Wolfson	3-1
7	Ready's Echo	More Than Ready	Pletcher	6-1
8	Cosmic	El Prado (Ire)	McGaughey III	8-1
9	Fast Talking	Hennessy	Graham	20-1

Can Better Than Honour rewrite the record books as dam of a third consecutive GI Belmont S. winner? Her three-year-old **Casino Drive**, a maiden winner in his only start in Japan, will try to earn a spot in the gate for the third leg of the Triple Crown in his U.S. bow. The half to Jazil and 3/4 to Rags to Riches is not the only royally bred colt making his stakes debut here. Also in the field is Phipps homebred **Cosmic**, who is out of champion Heavenly Prize. A half to MGISW Good Reward and GSW Pure Prize, the gray is looking for his third in a row. He broke his maiden in his fifth start, winning a nine-furlong special weight test at Gulfstream Feb. 24, and made it two straight in an Aqueduct allowance at the same trip Apr. 16. "His last three races have been pretty good," said trainer Shug McGaughey. "We'll see how he sizes up with these. At this point we are not aiming for the Belmont, but it's certainly up for discussion." The lightly raced **Ready's Echo** was second behind Z Humor at Saratoga in his lone start last year. He came back to graduate at Gulfstream Mar. 5, then came up just a neck short when rallying for second in an allowance going 1 1/16 miles at Keeneland Apr. 12.

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Saturday, Hollywood Park, post time: 7:20 p.m. EDT

SENORITA S.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo, f, 1mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Harmony Creator	Yankee Gentleman	O'Neill	115
2	Lovely Isle	Double Honor	Frankel	115
3	Fire N' Brimstone	Pulpit	Hofmans	117
4	Bel Air Sizzle	Unusual Heat	Abrams	123
5	Decorator	Storm Cat	R Mandella	115
6	Sweeter Still (Ire)	Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)	Mullins	121
7	Gorgeous Goose	Mongoose	Puype	119
8	Magical Fantasy	Diesis (GB)	Gallagher	117
9	P.S.U. Grad	Harlan's Holiday	C Dollase	117
10	Divine Legacy	Full Mandate	Currin	117
11	Dawn Before Dawn	High Yield	Sadler	115

Saturday, Hollywood Park, post time: 8:20 p.m. EDT

LOS ANGELES H., \$100,000, 3yo/up, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	High Standards	High Brite	M F Jones	114
2	Peace Chant	War Chant	R Mandella	115
3	Street Boss	Street Cry (Ire)	Headley	115
4	Bonfante	Fruition	McAnally	119
5	Doppio	Gentlemen (Arg)	Gaines	115
6	Sailors Sunset	Petionville	Polanco	115
7	El Manuel (Chi)	Hussonet	Puype	115
8	Bilo	Bertrando	Mitchell	119
9	Barber	Storm Boot	Sherman	114

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Saturday, Belmont Park, post time: 4:43 p.m. EDT

BOLD RULER H.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo/up, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Man Of Danger	Tiger Ridge	Levine	115
2	Callmetony	Runaway Groom	Levine	114
3	Lucky Island (Arg)	Lucky Roberto	McLaughlin	115
4	Forefathers	Gone West	Mott	115
5	Executive Fleet	Northern Afleet	Rice	115
6	Gold And Roses	Gold Token	Bush	114
7	Council Member	Seattle Slew	Hertler	115

Saturday, Lingfield, Britain, post time: 3:10 p.m.

DERBY TRIAL S.-G3, £60,000, 3yo, 11f 106ydsT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	3	Curtain Call (Fr)	Sadler's Wells	Cumani
2	5	Alan Devonshire (GB)	Mtoto (GB)	Tompkins
3	2	Alessandro Volta (GB)	Montjeu (Ire)	A O'Brien
4	1	By Command (GB)	Red Ransom	J Dunlop
5	4	Campanologist	Kingmambo	bin Suroor
6	6	King of Rome (Ire)	Montjeu (Ire)	A O'Brien

All carry 124 pounds bar Curtain Call, 129.

Curtain Call is following the path of Luca Cumani's two previous G1 Epsom Derby heroes, Kahyasi (Ire) and High-Rise (Ire), who conquered this en route in 1988 and 1998, respectively. Last year's G2 Beresford S. winner recorded an easy comeback success in a conditions event at Nottingham Apr. 23, but his trainer is keen to avoid quick ground and will be walking the track before giving the green light. "I think the ground will be okay, but I will walk it [this] morning to make doubly sure," he said yesterday. "My main concern is not whether the horse goes on it or not, it is that he comes back sound and not run any risks so that he is ready to run in the Derby. He's not a heavy horse, he's very nimble and light on his feet, so going on that you would have to say that good to firm should not inconvenience him." Godolphin's Derby plans have yet to take shape, but **Campanologist** could firm things up if he goes on from his defeat of subsequent Listed Newmarket S. scorer Kandahar Run (GB) in the Listed Feilden S. at Newmarket Apr. 16. "Campanologist has been working well and settled in nicely," trainer Saeed bin Suroor said. "He is in good form and is ready to go."

Saturday, Lingfield, Britain, post time: 3:45 p.m.

CHARTWELL FILLIES' S.-G3, £50,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 7fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	3	Sabana Perdida (Ire)	Cape Cross (Ire)	Royer-Dupre	133
2	9	Daniella (GB)	Dansili (GB)	Guest	129
3	4	Fleuret (GB)	Diktat (GB)	J Houghton	129
4	2	Lady Grace (Ire)	Orpen	Haggas	129
5	8	Once Upon a Grace (Ire)	Spinning World	Meehan	129
6	5	Salsa Steps	Giant's Causeway	Morrison	129
7	1	Steam Cuisine (GB)	Mark of Esteem (Ire)	Quinlan	129
8	11	Elizabeth Swann (GB)	Bahamian Bounty (GB)	Hannon	117
9	10	Kylayne (GB)	Kyllachy (GB)	d'Arcy	117
10	7	Tathkaar (GB)	Dr Fong	C Brittain	117
11	6	Verba (Fr)	Anabaa	Gibson	117

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Sunday, Rome, Italy

125TH DERBY ITALIANO-G1, €819,000, 3yo, c/f, 1 3/8mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY
1	12	Bouguereau (GB)	Alhaarth (Ire)	Munro
2	6	Cima de Triomphe (Ity)	Galileo (Ire)	Mulas
3	7	Clelt di San Jore (Ire)	Celtic Swing (GB)	Spencer
4	2	Farel (Ire)	Fruits of Love	Vargiu
5	8	Fathayer	Volponi	R Hills
6	4	Gibraltar Applied (Ire)	Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)	Marcelli
7	13	Lessing (Ire)	Almutawakel (GB)	Esposito
8	14	Libero Mercato (Ity)	Golan (Ire)	Botti
9	15	Lupo Alberto (Ity)	Ekraar	Pinna
10	18	Once More Dubai	E Dubai	Bietolini
11	9	Papetti (Ity)	Shantou	Convertino
12	17	Permesso (GB)	Sakhee	Rispoli
13	5	Rastignano (Ire)	Spartacus (Ire)	Monteriso
14	10	Sant'Antonio (Ity)	Shantou	Landi
15	3	Sartorio (Fr)	Sendawar (Ire)	Helfenbein
16	11	Senlis (Ire)	High Chaparral (Ire)	Sanna
17	16	Silver Arrow (Ity)	Silver Wizard	Fiocchi
18	1	Voila Ici (Ire)	Daylami (Ire)	Demuro

All carry 128 pounds.

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Sunday, Leopardstown, Ireland

DERRINSTOWN STUD DERBY TRIAL S.-G2, €125,000, 3yo, 1 1/4mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY
1	5	Casual Conquest (Ire)	Hernando (Fr)	Smullen
2	3	Hebridean (Ire)	Bach (Ire)	O'Donoghue
3	2	Hindu Kush (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	Levey
4	4	Matters at Hand (Ire)	Red Ransom	Shanahan
5	1	Moiqen (Ire)	Red Ransom	McDonogh
6	6	Washington Irving (Ire)	Montjeu (Ire)	Heffernan

All carry 126 pounds.



Three Added to Preakness Field...

The connections of **Hey Byrn** (Put It Back), **Icabad Crane** (Jump Start) and **Riley Tucker** (Harlan's Holiday) yesterday announced their intentions of taking on GI Kentucky Derby hero Big Brown in the May 17 GI Preakness S. Earle Mack's Icabad Crane comes off a win in the Apr. 19 Federico Tesio S. at Pimlico, and Hey Byrn captured the Apr. 12 Gill Holy Bull S. at Gulfstream Park. "The decision to run in the Preakness was made by his owner Mrs. [Beatrice] Oxenberg," trainer Eddie Plesa Jr. said of Hey Byrn. "She has family up in Baltimore and there's no reason why we shouldn't come. She said she wants to come and taste the crab cakes. We were going to run in the Derby, but we didn't get in." The colt will head to Maryland Monday. Zayat Stables's Riley Tucker was third in the Apr. 19 GII Coolmore Lexington S. at Keeneland last out. Jockey Edgar Prado will have the mount on the Bill Mott trainee. But there was one defection from what looks to be an overflow Preakness field. Trainer Dallas Stewart said yesterday that **Macho Again** (Macho Uno) will instead point for the May 31 GII Ohio Derby.

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UPS has signed a marketing agreement with IEAH Stables and jockey Kent Desormeaux and is now the exclusive marketing partner of the "Big Brown" team.

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Curragh Date for Khaldun...

Godolphin's **Ibn Khaldun** (Dubai Destination) will bid to restore his reputation in the May 24 G1 Irish 2000 Guineas, connections announced yesterday. Last year's G1 Racing Post Trophy hero was sent off the 7-2 second favorite for the Newmarket Classic, only to trail in 10th. "We examined him from head to toe and can't find anything wrong at all," Godolphin Racing Manager Simon Crisford said. "He is so well and fresh in himself he is rearing up, so it's a complete mystery but we are going to put that behind us now and move forward. We've got the Irish Guineas to look forward to."

☆ LETTERS TO THE EDITOR ☆

(This letter was sent to NTRA President and CEO Alex Waldrop on behalf of the Consignors and Commercial Breeders Association)

In the wake of Eight Belles' public tragedy and the current outcry in the national press as well as from PETA and similar organizations, the members of the Consignors and Commercial Breeders Association urge the NTRA to immediately hire a cutting-edge national public relations firm to help neutralize the misinformation and spiraling hysteria of this situation.

The issues that have been emotively raised in a widespread way need to be addressed specifically, and on a professional level, using well-designed mass-media methods (TV, print, and internet applications such as YouTube, etc.) in order to inform the public about misconceptions, and to candidly point to things that need changing as well as our own plan of action to achieve those changes.

We all know that many things are wrong regarding how we conduct our racing, but many things are right. We don't need leadership that simply says we're going to study it. We need leadership that can pull people together to fix problems and we need leadership that can develop a comprehensive near-term strategy to restore our image.

As a trade organization whose members produce much of the industry's product and account for more than 75 percent of annual Thoroughbred auction revenue in the United States, we implore you to step up and provide the necessary leadership required by today's circumstances.

Sincerely,
Bayne Welker, President
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Thoro-Graph Race of the Week
by Jerry Brown

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Saturday, Lone Star Park, post time: 6:47 p.m. EDT

LONE STAR DERBY, \$400,000, 3yo, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	ODDS
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1	Limestone Edge	Cat Thief	9-5
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Has run only on synthetic tracks, and is coming off a big jump to a new top. A bounce is likely.

2	El Gato Malo	El Corredor	2-1
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Has decent figures, but if he was really forward moving his last would have been better. On the plus side, he gets blinkers, a strong move for Dollase (see trainer profile), and quite a few horses have jumped going from cushion to dirt. But this one isn't that fast, faces traffic coming from far back in a big field, and will take a lot of money. Borderline contender, underlay.

3	Golden Yank	Yankee Gentleman	20-1
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Got down to a good one in his third lifetime start, and returned to that level in his second start this year. This is a good pattern for a new top, and that last one was really concealed--he comes out of a fast Arkansas Derby, where he was wide (3w3w, upper left), and carried high weight. He faces traffic coming from behind, but with decent figures, an inside draw, a good pattern and three local works, Golden Yank is live to get a piece of this at a big price.

4	Poni Colada	Volponi	15-1
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Has developed a lot already, and bounced badly after every good effort. Since he just ran well, he's much more likely to bounce than run the new top he needs.

5	King's Silver Son	Mizzen Mast	15-1
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Tailed off last year after a promising start. After finally breaking through two back he bounced badly last time, at a point where he should have been able to pair up. He'll probably run better now, but the weak pattern makes it unlikely he'll run the new top he needs.

6	Texas Wildcatter	Monarchos	8-1
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Ran the best figure of anyone in this field in the Gotham, then bounced badly in the Wood. The Pletcher horses have started firing again in the last couple of months, and the barn has done well shipping into Lone Star (see profile). The Thoro-Graph Race Shape shows us that this colt has more early speed than the horses inside him, so he should drop in and get a good trip. Strong contender.

7	Ide Like a Double	Ide	15-1
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Has developed a lot, and is unlikely to develop more short term. Which leaves him too slow to contend.

8	Isabull	Holy Bull	30-1
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Moved forward slightly last time and may be ready for a new top, but has many lengths to make up.

9	Samba Rooster	Songandaprayer	9-5
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Jumped to a new top in his last start for Wolfson, and paired up that figure in his first start for Baffert. When Baffert's 3yos get good they stay that way for a while, and the barn has done extremely well shipping into Lone Star (see profile). The Race Shape tells us this colt should easily clear the field and save ground on the turns, worth an extra Thoro-Graph point or two in a big field. Strong contender.

10	Leonides	Richter Scale	10-1
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Is questionable at the distance, and has an ouchy pattern--he's reacted badly to every good effort. It may take a while to get back to that good February figure.

11	My Pal Charlie	Indian Charlie	12-1
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Developed well from two to three while racing a lot in a short of time. The post hurts, but he has two siblings that ran negative numbers at three (far right of page), and could make an impression before the year is over.

12	Fort Apache	Mineshaft	30-1
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Jumped to a new top last time, but would need an even bigger jump now to get involved here.

13	Real Appeal	Successful Appeal	30-1
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Threw in a real stinker last time at Hawthorne, but with a terrible draw even a return to his best won't hit the board.

Bottom Line: Texas Wildcatter and Samba Rooster are clearly the strongest contenders. Golden Yank could be value in the exotics.

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- 1st Kosi Bay (Spinning World)

Frank Packer Plate-Gr.3 (bottom)

- 1st Rockwood (Rock of Gibraltar)
- 2nd Moatize (Danehill Dancer)
- 3rd Invula (Rock of Gibraltar)

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- 1st Miss Independent (Choisir)



Other big winners they sired the same weekend include-

- Merlene de Lago (Gr.2-SAf, by Encosta de Lago)
- Cat d'Antibes (SW at the Gold Coast, by Tale of the Cat)
- Tytus (SW-USA, by Tale of the Cat)
- Contest (SW-Ire, by Danehill Dancer)
- Kandahar Run (SW-Eng, by Rock of Gibraltar)
- Fast Rock (SW-Jpn, by Rock of Gibraltar)

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SPECIAL NTRA BOARD MEETING REVIEWS

EQUINE SAFETY ISSUES The Board of Directors of the National Thoroughbred Racing Association discussed a variety of issues regarding equine health and safety during a special teleconference yesterday. The NTRA Board underlined its intent to continue its coordination and implementation of industry-wide communications on the issues, and urged support of initiatives to further ensure the well-being of Thoroughbreds. "The industry's number one priority is the health and safety of the horse," said NTRA President and CEO Alex Waldrop. "We are coordinating with our member organizations on a number of ongoing safety initiatives to reach actionable findings more quickly and to ensure the broadest possible industry implementation of those findings. It is clear that the status quo is not an option, and we need to bring a renewed sense of urgency to these initiatives. Our fans and industry stakeholders expect nothing less."

★ NEW YORK ★

Yesterday's Results:

- 3rd-BEL, \$61,200, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$100,000), C, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:44, sy.**
1--HUNTING, 118, g, 5, Coronado's Quest--Meghan's Joy (MSP), by A.P. Indy. O/B-Stuart S Janney III (KY); T-Claude R McGaughey III. Lifetime Record: GSW, 14-5-3-2, \$257,208. *1/2 to Minister's Joy (Deputy Minister), MGSP, \$267,220.
2--Angliana, 123, h, 6, Giant's Causeway--Pratella, by Jade Hunter.
3--Digger, 120, g, 4, Yonaguska--Da Choice, by Dehere. Margins: 4 3/4, 4 3/4. Odds: 1.20, 2.05, 1.45.

Hunting turned the corner on Breeders' Cup eve Oct. 26, taking a sloppy Monmouth allowance by a widening 4 1/2 lengths, and he used that effort as a springboard to a 9-1 upset in the Gill Stuyvesant H. at Aqueduct Nov. 17. He left himself too much to do late and was forced to settle for third as the favorite in the Gill Queens County H. at the Big A Dec. 8 and had one start to his credit this season, a third to Gottcha Gold in the Gill Skip Away H. at Gulfstream Park Mar. 15. Favored in this scratched-down field of three, Hunting raced within easy striking distance of the pacesetter Digger, drew alongside that rival turning for home and was never menaced.

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8th-BEL, \$57,820, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$75,000), NW3X, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 1/5, sy.

1--LOOKY YONDER, 118, f, 4, Johannesburg--Victorian Angel (MSW, \$159,199), by Vice Regent. (\$22,000 wlng '04 KEENOV; \$25,000 yrl '05 KEESEP). O-Lansdon B Robbins III; B-James & Janice Millar (KY); T-Richard E Dutrow Jr. Lifetime Record: 10-4-0-2, \$137,835.

2--Solarana (Arg), 118, m, 5, Mutakddim--Sorpresiva (Arg), by Southern Halo.

3--Tight Storm, 123, f, 4, Stormin Fever--Heirtight, by Crafty Prospector.

Margins: 1, 10 3/4, 4HF. Odds: 2.55, 3.80, 7.30.

Seventh in the Gill Dogwood S. in her final start for the Ken McPeck barn, Looky Yonder was third in a Jan. 9 Gulfstream allowance in her initial outing for this barn. A 3 3/4-length winner in South Florida Feb. 27, the dark bay never landed a blow in the Apr. 9 Gill Vinery Madison S. at Keeneland, finishing 10th of 11. Well-backed on the drop into allowance company, Looky Yonder sprinted to the early advantage and responded to a typically enthusiastic ride from Garrett Gomez to hold sway as Solarana came with a stretch-long challenge. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

4th-BEL, \$62,400, Msw, 3yo/up, 6f (off turf), 1:11, sy.
FOREST OF DREAMS (c, 4, Forestry--Desert Angel, by Desert Wine) debuted auspiciously at this track last July 4, finishing second, but stumbled badly at the start of a Saratoga maiden July 28 and weakened to ninth. The bay was most recently third in a Travers Day maiden at the Spa Aug. 25 and was odds-on in his four-year-old bow, rained off the grass. Quickest into stride, the \$475,000 KEESEP yearling and \$600,000 KEEAPR juvenile opened up on the turn and splashed home to win by 10 1/2 lengths. Forest Lightning completed a \$131.50 exacta for his sire. The winner is a half to Sand Saint (Manzotti), SW, \$116,610; Desert Air (Manzotti), GSW, \$452,206; and Desert Demon (Manzotti), SW & MGSP, \$410,700. Baronial (Kingmambo), the son of champion Personal Ensign, never threatened in a sixth-place effort. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, \$54,195. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Centennial Farms. B-Mt Brilliant Farm LLC (KY). T-James A Jerkens.

STAKES CLOSINGS

TODAY, SATURDAY, MAY 10:

05-24 \$150,000 Sheephead Bay H.-II, Bel, 3yo/up, f/m, 11fT (150)

05-25 \$150,000 Vagrancy H.-II, Bel, 3yo/up, f/m, 6.5f (150)

05-26 \$600,000 Metropolitan H.-I, Bel, 3yo/up, 8f (600)

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New York Report cont.

7th-BEL, \$56,000, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:44 2/5, sy.

GIANT DEPUTY (c, 4, **Giant's Causeway**--Minister's Mom, by Deputy Minister) was entered for main track only and made the most of the opportunity. Third to C P West in the Wild Again S. at Aqueduct Nov. 17, the dark bay resurfaced with a sixth going Gulfstream's one-turn mile Mar. 17 and was last seen finishing a good third over the Keeneland Polytrack Apr. 18. Eased back to stalk the early pace four wide, the \$675,000 KEESEP yearling raced inside on the turn, came back out for the drive and stayed on for a 2 1/2-length victory as the 6-5 chalk. Slambino (Grand Slam) and Coach Butts (Officer) dead-heated for second. The winner is a half to Cindy's Mom (A.P. Indy), MGSP, \$122,250. Big Wig (A.P. Indy) was scratched when the race came off the turf. Lifetime Record: SP, 8-2-1-3, \$94,240.

O-E Paul Robsham Stables LLC. B-Marjorie & Irving Cowan (KY). T-Stanley M Hough.

Sir Greeley Retired:

GSW **Sir Greeley** (Mr. Greeley--Worry Not, by Concern), winner of the Mar. 8 Gill Toboggan H. at Aqueduct in his last start, has been retired, *DRF* reports. The six-year-old gelding was lame after a gallop, and further examination revealed damage to the cannon bone. "There was a deterioration at the base of his cannon bone," trainer Jimmy Jerkens told *DRF*. "They said it would be dangerous to go on." The Kentucky-bred gelding has been sent to owner Thomas Walsh's New York farm. He retires with a record of 27-9-8-0, including wins in the 2005 Fly So Free S. and 2006 Gill Westchester H. The dark bay was also runner-up in the GI Carter H. in 2006. He earned \$594,251.

Lieutenant Ron Sidelined:

Lieutenant Ron (Graeme Hall), who had been expected to make his next start in today's Gill Peter Pan S., was forced to miss the race after injuring his foot. The chestnut colt, unbeaten in two starts, was favoring the foot after a gallop Wednesday, *DRF* reports. "He galloped great, pulled up great, got to the barn and he was a little funny," trainer Kiaran McLaughlin told *DRF*. X-rays and an ultrasound proved negative, but McLaughlin added, "We have to proceed cautiously and figure it out." Lieutenant Ron broke his maiden by 8 1/4 lengths at Aqueduct last November, and was a 3 1/2-length allowance winner at the Big A in his second start Apr. 6.

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2:03p 3rd-BEL, \$52K, Msw, 3yo/up, 7 1/2f
HRTV/G Scott Guenther's **SWATH (Pulpit)** gets his career underway for trainer Tom Albertrani. The bay colt topped the second session of the 2006 FTKJUL sale on a single bid from Guenther of \$760K, and is the first foal to race from Mayhavebeentheone (Arch), a half-sister to MGSW Wiseman's Ferry. The cross has proved successful in this family, as Pulpit's GI-winning son Sky Mesa is out of Caress, a half-sister to this colt's second dam. **Storm Harbor (Giant's Causeway)**, a \$300K KEESEP yearling, is the first foal to race out of SW & GSP Stellar (Grand Slam), herself a half-sister to GISW Gygistar. brisnet.com pps

3:07p 5th-BEL, \$53K, Msw, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m
HRTV/G Darley's **UNBRIDLED'S HEART (Unbridled's Song)**, purchased for \$1 million as a KEESEP yearling, is a son of Wild Heart Dancing (Farma Way), a three-time graded winner on the grass and a half-sister to Man From Wicklow, a Grade I winner on the turf. **Premium Gold (Mineshaft)** woke up a bit in his last start, finishing a game runner-up to Tiz Now Tiz Then at Keeneland Apr. 5. The latter came back to take an allowance at Churchill this past Thursday. brisnet.com pps

3:27p 7th-DEL, Msw, \$40K, Msw, 3yo, 1m 70yds
----- Helen K. Groves's **MT. ISA (Mineshaft)** is the latest foal to race out of Batique (Storm Cat), winner of a trio of graded stakes on the turf and earner of nearly \$400K. The bay is a half to Tejida (Rahy), most recently runner-up in the Gill Grey Goose Bewitch S. at Keeneland. **Coach Shaw (Victory Gallop)**, a half to MGSW & MGISP Pollard's Vision, has the speed figures from his first two trips to the post to contend here. brisnet.com pps



★ EAST ★

Yesterday's Results:

RED CROSS S., \$70,000, MTH, 5-9, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09, sy.

1--#**CASINO TRANSACTION, 118, f, 4, Carson City--Final Proposal (SP), by Dehere.** O-Red Oak Stable; B-Red Oak Farm (FL); T-G D Sacco; J-H McCauley; \$42,000. Lifetime Record: 11-5-0-1, \$141,330.

*2--**Jenny Bean Girl, 117, m, 6, Sefapiano--That's a Plenty, by Dixieland Band.** O-Ocean View Stables. \$14,000.

3--**Devil House, 121, f, 4, Chester House--Diablo's Bobett, by Diablo.** (\$42,000 yrl '05 KEESEP; \$175,000 HRA '07 KEENOV). O-Glencrest Farm LLC. \$7,700. Margins: 3/4, 3/4, 6HF. Odds: 5.90, 12.40, 5.30.

*Circuit Breaker (Yes It's True) finished second, but was disqualified and placed fourth.

Casino Transaction led throughout to give 51-year-old jockey Herb McCauley his first Monmouth stakes winner in over 10 years. A Fair Grounds allowance winner Dec. 30, the chestnut was fifth in the Feb. 9 Pan Zareta S. in New Orleans and third in the Mademoiselle S. at Delta Feb. 29. She was most recently sixth in the Apr. 5 Primonetta S. at Pimlico. "I didn't really give Herbie any instructions," winning trainer Greg Sacco said. "She was working well for this. I'm not sure who I was happier for, Herbie or me!"

★ SO. CALIFORNIA ★

Cat Dreams' First Winner Breaks H'wood Track Record:

Cat Dreamer, who Wednesday became the first winner for freshman sire **Cat Dreams** (Storm Cat), established a new track record at Hollywood Park when he stopped the clock for 4 1/2 furlongs in :50.84. The two-year-old colt took a \$40,000 maiden claimer in the day's second race. The previous record of :51.34 was set by Atka (Swiss Yodeler) Apr. 30. Cat Dreamer, a \$9,500 BESJAN yearling and \$18,000 BESOCT yearling, is trained by Adam Kitchingman for Shustek, Stanley and Firsthome Thoroughbreds.

★ CENTRAL ★

Thursday Night's Results:

5th-LSX, \$21,000, Msw, (S), 2yo, 4 1/2f, :52 3/5, ft. + **BORDER CUVEE (c, 2, Cuvee--First Stage {SW}, by Relaunch)** became the first winner for his freshman sire (by Carson City) with this front-running victory. Sent off the 11-10 favorite to graduate first time out, the homebred dueled heads apart inside of rivals, shook loose leaving the eighth pole and was three lengths clear under the wire. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$12,300. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O/B-Keith I Asmussen (TX). T-Steven M Asmussen.

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5:21p 9th-CDX, Msw, \$49K, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f

HRTV **FINE LINE (Mineshaft)** kicks off her career for owner and breeder G. Watts Humphrey Jr. A son of MGISW Clear Mandate (Deputy Minister), the chesnut is a 3/4-brother to SW Full Mandate and a half to GSW & MGISP Newfoundland and MGSP The Mighty Tiger. She shows a steady series of works for Rusty Arnold down the road at Keeneland. **Vin Diva (Vindication)** is a daughter of Thorough Fair (Quiet American), making her kin to GISW Whywhywhy (Mr. Greeley) and to MGSW Spellbinder (Tale of the Cat). [brisnet.com pps](#)

6:20p 5th-HOL, Alw, \$57K, 4yo/up, 1mT

TVG **SHAMDINAN (FR) (Dr Fong)** drops into allowance company for the first time since finishing runner-up in a Longchamp conditions event last April. Winner in his U.S. debut of the GI Secretariat S. in August and a distant second in the GI Breeders' Cup Turf, the chestnut looks to regain some confidence here. **Tybalt (Storm Cat)**, a two-time winner from seven European starts for John Gosden, has been repatriated and makes his U.S. debut. The Stonerside homebred is a son of GISW Tuzla (Fr) (Panoramic {GB}). [brisnet.com pps](#)

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3rd-BEL (Alw \$61K) GSW Hunting (Coronado's Quest) gets back in the win column.

8th-BEL (Alw \$57K) Looky Yonder (Johannesburg) scampers home a game winner.

4th-BEL (Msw \$62K) Forest of Dreams (Forestry) keys a \$131 exacta for his sire, winning by 10 1/2.

5th-CD (Msw \$40K) Bandolier (Thunder Gulch) stretches out to a mile to graduate.

5th-LS (Thur) (Msw \$21K) Border Cuvee (Cuvee) is first winner for his freshman sire (by Carson City).



Central Report cont.

9th-CDX, \$46,780, Alw, NW2X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:45 2/5, gd.

MARCHFIELD (c, 4, [A.P. Indy](#)--Pico Teneriffe {MGSW & MGISP, \$583,646}, by Red Ransom) was off the board in the first two legs of Canada's Triple Crown last year when racing on the all-weather and traditional dirt, but captured the final jewel, winning the Aug. 5 Breeders' S. on the Woodbine turf by a length. Sidelined after that effort, the bay returned to be fifth in an allowance test on the Keeneland lawn Apr. 12, and was the 9-10 chalk to prevail in his second start off the layoff. Rated just off the pace in third, he went after pacesetter Brilliant Bid (Glitterman) in the stretch, taking over in the waning yards before drawing off to a 1 1/4-length success. The winner is a 1/2 to Westmoreland (Danzig), SP, \$210,579. Lifetime Record: 11-3-4-0, \$461,989. O-Melnyk Racing Stables Inc. B-Eugene Melnyk (ON). T-Mark E Casse.

5th-CDX, \$40,885, Msw, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:37, gd.

BANDOLIER (c, 3, [Thunder Gulch](#)--Wildly Entertained, by Forestry) made his debut over six furlongs Mar. 21 at the tail end of the Fair Grounds meeting and turned in an even effort in finishing sixth. Stretching out to a mile for this second go, the homebred stalked the pace of favored Glory Creek (Storm Creek) from the outside, put that rival away leaving the midstretch marker and strode home an easy 5 3/4-length winner as the 5-2 second choice. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$24,678.

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O/B-Padua Stables (FL). T-Steven M Asmussen.

First-crop starters to watch: Saturday, May 10

Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2005 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

BOLD TRUTH (Seattle Slew), Buck Pond, \$5K, 15/0/0 6-CRC, Msw, 4 1/2f, Crazi Truth, \$1,000 KEE SEP yrl

OMEGA CODE (Elusive Quality), Hartley, 96/0/0 8-CRC, Msw, 2f, Bea D J Code

1-CD, Msw, 4 1/2f, Cheyenne Code, \$20K FTK JUL yrl, 15-1

STRONG HOPE (Grand Slam), Claiborne, \$30K, 90/0/0 8-CRC, Msw, 2f, +Keep Running, \$47K OBS MAR 2yo

First/Second-crop starters to watch: Saturday, May 10

Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2004 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

AMERICA'S STORM (Storm Cat), Applebite, \$4K, 24/0/0 3-BM, Msw, 5fT, +Storybook Story

AMERICAN SPIRIT (Storm Boot), Double Diamond, \$2K, 21/1/1 9-LS, Stk, 1 1/16m, Ablaze With Spirit, 2-1

8-CRC, Msw, 2f, +Leroy's Spirit

AUTHENTICATE (Gone West), Le Mesa, \$3K, 110/14/0

9-LS, Stk, 1 1/16m, Authentic Jones, \$11K TEX APR 2yo, 20-1 **CACTUS RIDGE** (Hennessy), Walmac, \$7K, 138/23/1

3-LS, Msw, 6f, +Chasin Dreams, 5-1

COMPANY APPROVAL (With Approval), Prairie View, \$2K, 17/1/0 4-PHA, Msw, 1m, +Boojwhacked, 10-1

DYNAMEAUX (Dynaformer), Key to the Hills, \$2K, 16/1/0

7-LS, Stk, 1 1/16m, Dynamic Cowgirl, 10-1

EARLY FLYER (Gilded Time), Valor, 63/11/1

7-LS, Stk, 1 1/16m, Formal Flyer, 7-2

9-LS, Stk, 1 1/16m, Ferdinand's Flyer, \$57K TEX APR 2yo, 5-1



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Rookies cont.

EMPIRE MAKER (Unbridled), Juddmonte, \$100K, 185/14/3
9-PIM, Msw, 6f, +Plane Image, 6-1
FLATTER (A.P. Indy), Claiborne, \$5K, 145/24/1
5-AP, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Eathon Sea, \$10K KEE SEP yrl, 30-1
FULL MANDATE (A.P. Indy), Hartley, 174/24/1
7-HOL, Stk, 1mT, Divine Legacy, \$170K KEE NOV wnl
HARLAN'S HOLIDAY (Harlan), Airdrie, \$18K, 170/38/5
7-HOL, Stk, 1mT, P. S. U. Grad, \$375K BAR MAY 2yo
MACHO UNO (Holy Bull), Adena South, \$15K, 137/22/4
11-CRC, Msw, 7f, +Macho McGrath
MAYAKOVSKY (Matty G), Mill Creek, \$3K, 56/4/0
5-FL, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Vee El Tee, \$1,000 FTK OCT yrl, 10-1
MINESHAFT (A.P. Indy), Lane's End, \$100K, 151/14/2
9-BEL, Stk, 1 1/8m, Casino Drive, \$950K KEE SEP yrl
10-LS, Stk, 1 1/16m, Fort Apache, \$67K EAS MAY 2yo, 30-1
7-DEL, Msw, 1m, +Mt. Isa, 8-1
9-CD, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Fine Line, 8-1
PROUD CITIZEN (Gone West), Airdrie, \$13K, 210/26/3
3-AP, Stk, 6f, Golden Citizen E K, \$15K OBS FEB 2yo, 12-1
REPENT (Louis Quatorze), Vinery Florida, \$5K, 159/32/5
7-PID, Stk, 6f, Repenting, \$14K OBS AUG yrl, 7-2
SKY MESA (Pulpit), Three Chimneys, \$30K, 177/25/1
3-AP, Stk, 6f, Processor's Turf, \$425K FTF FEB 2yo, 5-2
VAN NISTELROOY (Storm Cat), Ashford, \$8K, 199/39/6
6-CD, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Runaway Justice, 15-1
VINDICATION (Seattle Slew), Hill 'n' Dale, \$50K, 229/32/2
6-HOL, Msw, 6f, +Wicker Park, \$300K KEE SEP yrl
9-CD, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Vin Diva, 10-1
5-AP, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Eagles Roar, \$100K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1
1-CD, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Treat Her Right, \$100K KEE SEP yrl, 3-1
VOLPONI (Cryptoclearance), Hopewell, 92/14/3
10-LS, Stk, 1 1/16m, Poni Colada, \$20K KEE SEP yrl, 15-1
WISEMAN'S FERRY (Hennessy), Castleton Lyons, \$5K, 126/19/1
5-FL, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Wisemensue, 10-1
YANKEE GENTLEMAN (Storm Cat), Airdrie, \$10K, 114/25/2
7-HOL, Stk, 1mT, Harmony Creator
10-LS, Stk, 1 1/16m, Golden Yank, 20-1
ZAVATA (Phone Trick), Walmac, \$8K, 122/21/0
2-PEN, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Be On Say, \$30K KEE SEP yrl, 10-1

★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN BRITAIN:

+ **Mythical Border**, f, 2, **Johannesburg**. See "Britain."
Art Princess, f, 2, **Officer**. See "Britain."
Portodora, f, 3, **Kingmambo**. See "Britain."
Tawaash, c, 3, **Storm Cat**. See "Britain."

IN FRANCE:


Ticoz, c, 3, **Cozzene**. See "France."
+ **Tall Perfection**, f, 3, **Distorted Humor**. See "Breeders' Edition Europe."
Am Brose, g, 9, **Nureyev**--Madame Premier (SW & GSP-US), by Raja Baba. Marseille-Borely, 5-9, Hcp, 4yo/up, 6fT. B-Orpendale & John T L Jones Jr. *FF3,000,000 yrl '00 DEAAUG. **1/2 to Northern Premier (Northern Baby), MGSW-Fr; full to Baba Thong, SP-Fr.



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2.10 Lingfield, Cond, £20,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/4mT
RED ROCKS (IRE) (Galileo {Ire}), who needs no introduction after winning the 2006 GI Breeders' Cup Turf, makes his five-year-old bow for Paul Reddam and Brian Meehan. If he repeats the form of his first start in 2007 when defying a seven-pound penalty to take Sandown's G3 Gordon Richards S., he will be near impossible to beat here despite the presence of Godolphin's acquisition **Al Shemali (GB) (Medicean {GB})**, who finished third in York's G2 Dante S. at this time last year.

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Yesterday's Results:

Hamilton Park, 6.35, Cond, £14,000, 3yo, 6f 5ydsT, 1:10.69, gd/fm.
PERFECT POLLY (GB) (f, 3, Efisio {GB})--Nashira {GB}, by Prince Sabo {GB}, fourth in the G1 Cheveley Park S. at Newmarket in October, was having her first start for Jeremy Nosedo following an eighth-place finish in the G2 Criterium de Maisons-Laffitte the following month. Breaking well, the 6,500gns TATDEC yearling led from the outset and proved game in denying Burnwynd Boy (GB) (Tobougg {Ire}) by a head at odds of 7-4. Lifetime Record: GSP-Ire, 6-2-1-0, £37,548. O-Red Man B'stock; B-Old Peartree Stud; T-J Nosedo.

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British Report cont.

Chester, 3.15, Hcp, £21,000, 3yo, 5f 16ydsT, 1:01.63, gd.

LOOK BUSY (IRE) (f, 3, Danetime {Ire}--Unfortunate {GB}, by Komaite {GB}), fourth behind Borderlescott (GB) in a conditions event at Musselburgh, was held up halfway down the field early before finding room on the final turn. Grabbing the long-time leader Chartist (GB) (Choisir {Aus}) inside the final 100 yards, the €7,500 GOFORB yearling asserted to record a 1 3/4-length success. Lifetime Record: MSP-Eng, 15-3-4-3, £40,928. O-A Underwood; B-Tom and Hazel Russell; T-A Berry.

Chester, 4.00, Mdn, £11,000, 3yo, f, 7f 2ydsT, 1:29.39, gd.

PORTODORA (f, 3, Kingmambo--High Walden {SW & GSP-US, GSP-Eng, \$250,674}, by El Gran Senor), fifth behind Danae (GB) in a hot Newmarket maiden at the Craven meeting last time Apr. 17, was ignored at 14-1 and raced in rear throughout the early stages. Allowing Lindelaan (Rahy) first run in the straight, the homebred showed determination to wear that rival down in the final stride and win the bobber by a nose. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, £7,749. O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms Inc; T-H Cecil.

Nottingham, 2.00, Mdn, £5,500, 2yo, f, 5f 13ydsT, 1:00.59, gd.

ART PRINCESS (f, 2, Officer--Rhumb Line, by Mr. Greeley), a \$60,000 FTKNOV foal and 62,000gns TATOCT yearling, enjoyed crowd confidence returning from a first-up second at Newmarket Apr. 17. Racing at the head of the peloton behind the clear leader, the even-money selection exhibited a neat turn of foot to challenge inside the final furlong and asserted superiority in the closing stages--despite drifting left--to best Amosite (GB) (Central Park {Ire}) by a half length. Sea of Leaves (Stormy Atlantic) also raced at the head of the peloton, but was unable to figure in the latter stages, despite looking dangerous at the quarter pole, and ran fifth. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, £4,910. O-Matthew Green; B-Michael Narlinger & Michael Herson; T-Barry Hills.

★ **"TDN Rising Star"** ★

Lingfield, 2.40, Mdn, £5,500, 2yo, 5fT, :57.65, gd.

+ MYTHICAL BORDER, f, 2, by Johannesburg

1st Dam: Border Dispute, by Boundary

2nd Dam: Scads, by Forty Niner

3rd Dam: Slew and Easy, by Slew O' Gold

Mythical Border, a \$145,000 KEENOV foal, a \$150,000 FTKJUL yearling and a \$500,000 OBSFEB juvenile, was let go at 5-1 for this opening performance and gave supporters little cause for concern with a noteworthy display which entitles her to point at the G2 Queen Mary S. at Royal Ascot June 18. Swiftly into stride to chase the front rank in fifth, she made smooth headway beyond rivals to lead approaching the final furlong. The chestnut accelerated clear soon after and, despite running green, was afforded the luxury of gearing down late to record an impressive four-length victory from Souter's Sister (Ire) (Desert Style {Ire}). Promising apprentice William Buick was in the saddle for the win and commented, "She impressed me with the way she did that as she was very green early on, but she quickened up nicely and did it in a fast time as well." Confirming Royal Ascot was very much on the agenda, trainer Jeremy Nosedo told *Racing Post*, "She was bought by John McCormack at the Ocala breeze-up specifically with Royal Ascot in mind and she's the owner's first runner in this country in his own colors. This was her first step, we'll take her home before we decide if she runs again ahead of the Queen Mary, but she's already very professional." [Click for the Racing Post chart](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £3,562.

O-Sheikh Mohammed bin Khalifa Al-Thani; B-Crown Bloodstock; T-Jeremy Nosedo.

Ripon, 5.55, Mdn, £5,000, 2yo, 5fT, 1:00.80, gd.

+ ABLE MASTER (IRE) (c, 2, Elusive City--Foresta Verde, by Green Forest), sent off at 14-1, raced behind the early leaders before launching his challenge inside the final quarter. Gaining the upper hand passing the eighth pole, the €15,000 GOFNOV weanling and 10,000gns DONSEP yearling ground out a 1 1/4-length success from Mullglen (GB) (Mull of Kintyre). Able Master marks the third winner for his freshman sire (by Elusive Quality). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £3,238. O-Ron Hull; B-Scuderia Miami; T-Bryan Smart.

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Lingfield, 3.45, Mdn, £4,000, 3yo, 7fT, 1:21.89, gd.
TAWAASH (c, 3, [Storm Cat](#)--[Victory Ride {GISW, \\$390,391}](#), by [Seeking the Gold](#)), a \$1.55 million KEESEP yearling purchase, ran second in his only other go at Newmarket Oct. 19. In this one, he raced on the front end from the outset. Shaken up inside the final quarter mile, the 4-5 pick assumed outright control at the distance and ran on strongly under whipless encouragement to assert by 1 1/4 lengths from the tenderly handled [Espresso Star](#) ([War Chant](#)). The winner is a full to [Magical Ride](#), GSP-US, \$102,738. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, £4,517. [Click for the Racing Post chart.](#)
 O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-G Watts Humphrey Jr & Louise I Humphrey; T-Michael Jarvis.

Nottingham, 3.35, Mdn, £3,750, 3yo, f, 1m 75ydsT, 1:45.41, gd.
SCUFFLE (GB) (f, 3, [Daylami {Ire}](#)--[Tantina {MSW & GSP-Eng}](#), by [Distant View](#)), a once-out third at Newbury Oct. 27, raced in second for much of this sophomore bow. Coaxed to the fore approaching the final quarter mile, the 7-4 favorite was punched clear from the eighth pole to score by 2 1/2 lengths from [Crystal Capella](#) (GB) ([Cape Cross {Ire}](#)). [Calakanga](#) (GB) ([Dalakhani {Ire}](#)) was nibbled at in the betting, but was unable to land a telling blow and finished ninth. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, £3,342.
 O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms; T-Roger Charlton.

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Nottingham, 4.10, Mdn, £3,750, 3yo, f, 1m 75ydsT, 1:44.41, gd.
MELODRAMATIC (IRE), f, 3, by [Sadler's Wells](#)
 1st Dam: [My Branch](#) (GB) (MSW & G1SP-Eng, G1SP-Ire, \$206,524), by [Distant Relative](#) (Ire)
 2nd Dam: [Pay the Bank](#) (GB), by [High Top](#) (Ire)
 3rd Dam: [Zebra Grass](#) (GB), by [Run the Gantlet](#)
 Melodramatic, 3/4 to [Tante Rose](#) (Ire) ([Barathea {Ire}](#)), Hwt. Older Mare-Eng at 5-7f, G1SW-Eng, \$394,512, was considered worthy enough to contest the Listed Washington Singer S. on debut last August and emerged with credit from that Newbury contest when claiming fourth prize. Sent off as the even-money favorite for her sophomore return at Newmarket's Craven meeting Apr. 17, the bay homebred failed by a head to break maiden status. She enjoyed crowd confidence once again in this third go and rewarded 4-9 backers by trouncing her 10 rivals by daylight. Breaking swiftly to race in a prominent second, she moved smoothly to the fore with a quarter mile remaining and bounded clear of her strung-out rivals thereafter to score by an impressive seven lengths from [Desert Chill](#) ([Red Ransom](#)). The victress is also a half to [Bay Tree](#) (Ire) ([Daylami {Ire}](#)), SW & GSP-Eng. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, £5,124. [Click for the Racing Post chart](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree.](#)
 O/B-Bjorn Nielsen; T-Roger Charlton.

Saturday, Lingfield, post time: 2:40 p.m.
OAKS TRIAL S.-Listed, £45,000, 3yo, f, 11f 106ydsT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	6	Jazz Jam (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	Cole
2	5	Amanjena (GB)	Beat Hollow (GB)	Balding
3	7	Classic Remark (Ire)	Dr Fong	H Dunlop
4	4	Ever Rigg (GB)	Dubai Destination	E Dunlop
5	1	Ice Queen (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	A O'Brien
6	8	Look Here (GB)	Hernando (Fr)	Beckett
7	9	Miracle Seeker (GB)	Rainbow Quest	Cox
8	2	Mischief Making	Lemon Drop Kid	E Dunlop
9	3	Presbyterian Nun (Ire)	Daylami (Ire)	J Dunlop

 All carry 124 pounds bar [Jazz Jam](#), 127.

Ramruma was the last winner of the Oaks Trial S. to go on to victory in the G1 Epsom Oaks and this year's running plays host to a bunch of unexposed types bidding to book their tickets to Surrey. One is **Ice Queen**, who represents the Ballydoyle stable successful with [Baraka](#) (Ire) four years ago and although it took her four starts to get off the mark, there was a convincing air to her Cork success just eight days ago. [Ralph Beckett](#) scored 12 months ago with [Kayah](#) (GB) and puts forward **Look Here**, who denied Thursday's G3 Chester Vase winner [Doctor Fremantle](#) (GB) on her sole start at Salisbury in October. "She has had a good long break and thus far we have had a trouble free trip this spring," her conditioner commented. "She's quite a tall, angular, long-backed filly and by running her at Lingfield, that will hopefully tell us whether she will handle Epsom, with the switchback and the undulations."

★ FRANCE ★

Yesterday's Results:
PRIX GEORGES TRABAUD-Listed, €55,000, Marseille-Borely, 5-9, 3yo, 1 1/4mT, 2:01.90, gd/sf.
 1--[#TICOZ, 123, c, 3, by Cozzene](#)
 1st Dam: [Transition Time](#) (SW-US), by [Dynaformer](#)
 2nd Dam: [Sharp Tradition](#), by [Sharpen Up](#) (GB)
 3rd Dam: [Nice Tradition](#) (Arg), by [Search Tradition](#) (\$75,000 yrl '06 KEESEP). O-Robert Bousquet; B-Woods Edge Farm; T-Jean-Claude Rouget; J-Ioritz Mendizabal; €27,500. Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 4 wins, 1 place, €69,300. **Werk Nick Rating: B+**. [Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree.](#)
 2--[Grenadia, 120, f, 3, Thunder Gulch--Great Lady Slew, by Seattle Slew. \(\\$100,000 yrl '06 KEESEP\). €11,000.](#)
 3--[Yarastar](#) (GB), 120, f, 3, [Cape Cross](#) (Ire)--[Yara](#) (Ire), by [Sri Pekan](#). €8,250.
 Margins: HD, NK, 8. Odds: 0.50, 8.60, 6.00.
 Also Ran: [Maroni](#) (Ire), [Volverta](#) (Fr), [Brazilian Star](#) (Ire), [Riobamba d'Ho](#) (Fr).



French Report cont.

Prix Georges Tribaud cont.

Successful over track and trip last time Apr. 9, Ticoz claimed a career high in this stakes bow and led home the exacta for trainer Jean-Claude Rouget while denying jockey Franck Blondel--aboard the runner-up--a fourth straight renewal. Improving from rear to race second down the backstraight, he was asked for an effort off the home turn and kept on well under a final-furlong drive to oust his tenacious stablemate Grenadia in the shades of the post.

Maisons-Laffitte, 3.20, Cond, €29,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/8mT, 1:52.40, gd.

PERFECT HAND (GB) (f, 3, Barathea {Ire}--Tarocchi, by Affirmed), a half to Price Tag (GB) (Dansili {GB}), GSW & G1SP-Fr, GISW-US, \$689,749, finished third at Saint-Cloud last time Apr. 22. In this one, she stalked the leading pair from the outset. Cajoled to the front with 450 meters to go, the 6-5 chalk was pushed out in the closing stages to register a comfortable three-length triumph from Ninka (Fr) (Linamix {Fr}). Fairybook (El Prado {Ire}) raced at the back of the pack, but failed to negotiate a path across the track when making her move approaching the final furlong and finished fifth. Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 1 win, 2 places, €20,400. O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms; T-Pascal Bary.

Maisons-Laffitte, 2.50, Cond, €29,000, 3yo, c/g, 1 1/8mT, 1:53.50, gd.

PALLODIO (IRE) (c, 3, Medecis {GB}--Bent Al Fala {Ire}, by Green Desert) went postward as the 19-10 favorite returning off a Mar. 11 fourth at Saint-Cloud and broke well to lead from the outset of this. Strongly pressed from the quarter-mile marker, she refused to buckle under a continued drive and rallied bravely to deny Inestimable (GB) (Mark of Esteem {Ire}) by a short head. The winner was a €26,000 GOFNOV foal, 14,500gns DONSEP yearling and a €72,000 GOFFRA breezer. Lifetime Record: SP-Fr, 5 starts, 2 wins, 3 places, €41,600. O-Mme Anne-Marie Springer; B-Millinium Partnership; T-John Hammond.

Marseille-Borely, 2.05, Cond, €27,000, 3yo, 7f 165ydsT, 1:32.70, gd/sf.

KITAJ (GB) (c, 3, Sakhee--Jumairah Sunset {GB}, by Be My Guest) was sent off as the 3-5 pick bidding to repeat a course-and-distance win last time Apr. 1. Rated in fourth from the break, the 10,000gns TATDEC foal and 12,000gns TATOCT yearling eased to a slight lead at the eighth pole and coasted to the wire in hand to defeat Raja (Ire) (Pivotal {GB}) by an easy two lengths. Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 3 wins, 2 places, €35,150. O-Daniel-Yves Treves; B-Bishop's Down Farm; T-Jean-Claude Rouget.

Maisons-Laffitte, 2.20, Mdn, €22,000, 2yo, 5 1/2fT, 1:04.60, gd.

PINK CANDIE (f, 2, Fath--Lyphard's Dream {Ire}, by Lyphard), a €35,000 DEAAUG yearling, lined up coming off a brace of second-place finishes at this track Apr. 7 and at Chantilly Apr. 24. Racing in the second rank, the 9-10 choice was pushed to the front approaching the final furlong and drew off late to score by 2 1/2 lengths from Cardounas (Fr) (Kaldou Star {Fr}). Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 1 win, 2 places, €19,800. O-Ricky Ma Ching Fat; B-Haras Du Ma; T-Yves de Nicolay.

★ IRELAND ★

Yesterday's Results:

Wexford, 6.45, Mdn, €11,000, 3yo, 1 5/8mT, 2:48.51, gd.

AATHER (IRE) (c, 3, Key of Luck--Alkaffeyeh {Ire}, by Sadler's Wells), sixth behind the promising Winchester on debut at Leopardstown Apr. 20, stalked the early pace before challenging approaching the final furlong. Wearing down Almolahek (Ire) (Red Ransom) inside the final 150 yards, the home-bred asserted to score by a neck. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, €7,601. O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Shadwell Estate Company Limited; T-Kevin Prendergast.

★ ITALY ★

Saturday, Milan, post time: 5:25 p.m.

PREMIO ALBERTO ZANOLETTI-Listed, €50,400, 3yo, f, 1 1/8mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	1	Ambrosia (Ger)	Bertolini	Giannotti
2	8	Ananiashvili (GB)	Linamix (Fr)	Borromeo
3	10	Balilla (Ity)	Northern Flagship	L Grizzetti
4	9	Belle Isnarde (Ity)	Desert Prince (Ire)	Caruso
5	12	Cutter (GB)	Singspiel (Ire)	Gasparini
6	13	Fastgoldengoschi (Ger)	Monos (Ger)	Giannotti
7	11	Fuente Apache (Ire)	Hawk Wing	Feligioni
8	4	Gerika (Fr)	Galileo (Ire)	A & G Botti
9	5	Kokkola (Ire)	Daylami (Ire)	Valiani
10	3	Mystic Lipstick (Ire)	Kalanisi (Ire)	Heloury
11	7	Ragiam (Ity)	Martino Alonso (Ire)	A & G Botti
12	6	Renee Dubois (Ire)	Sinndar (Ire)	Dolfi
13	2	Rosa Del Dubai (Ire)	Dubai Destination	B Grizzetti

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AUSTRALASIA



HONOR IN WAR RETIRED Nine-year-old **Honor In War** (Lord At War {Arg}--Catumbella, by Diesis {GB}), who spent the last two seasons racing in Australia, has been retired. The chestnut captured the GI Woodford Reserve Turf Classic and Gill Arlington H. in 2003, and headed Down Under after a six-start campaign in 2006 that included a win in the Ft. Lauderdale S. He added a victory in the 2008 G2 AJC Villiers H. while racing in Australia, and retires with 11 wins from 47 starts and earnings of \$1,264,705. Stud plans have not yet been announced. Trainer Paul McGee, who handled Honor In War for 3rd Turn Stables in the U.S., recalled one of his more inauspicious outings in the 2003 GI Arlington Million. "He was the horse that stepped on Gary Stevens after he fell from Storming Home (GB)," McGee said. Honor In War finished ninth in that race.



SOUTH AMERICA



WINNERS BY U.S. SIRE:

Hypnotic (Arg), c, 2, **Housebuster**--Ipacarai (G1W-Arg), by Interpretate (Arg). La Plata, Argentina, 5-8, Mdn, 1400m, 1:26.17. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, P25,000. O-Stud Triple Alliance; B-Haras El Paraiso; T-Edmundo Rodriguez.

Whaling (Arg), f, 2, **Millennium Wind**--Brazoom, by Belong To Me. La Plata, Argentina, 5-8, Mdn, 1200m, 1:14.30. Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-1, P20,000. O/B-Haras Don Arcangel; T-Edmundo Rodriguez.

My Speech (Arg), h, 6, **Victory Speech**--Macy's (Arg), by Lefty. La Plata, Argentina, 5-8, Cond, 1600m, 1:41.71. Lifetime Record: 13-4-1-2, P16,000. O-Stud D' Artagnan; B-Haras La Quebrada; T-Carlos Mezabruniel. *1/2 to Luis Noveno (Arg) (Louis Quatorze), GSW-Chi.

BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

STAKES RESULTS:

WONDERS DELIGHT S., \$75,000, PEN, 5-8, (S), 3yo, f, 6f, 1:09 3/5, ft.

1--**#REATA'S QUIK PUNCH, 122, f, 3, Two Punch--Beautiful Stranger (SW, \$105,518), by Foxhound.** (\$34,000 yrl '06 FTMOCT; \$230,000 2yo '07 FTMMAY). O-Reata Thoroughbred Racing Farm & SJB Stable; B-Peter T Welling (PA); T-Joseph F Orseno; J-Joe Bravo; \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-1, \$107,600.

2--**Extra Sexy Psychic**, 122, f, 3, Freud--She's Pretty Too, by Housebuster. \$15,000.

3--**Lesly's Back**, 122, f, 3, Rock Slide--Theheartofdixie, by Crafty Prospector. (\$7,000 wnlg '05 FTMDEC). \$8,250.

Margins: 4HF, 4HF, NK. Odds: 1.10, 3.00, 7.00.

DANZIG S., \$75,000, PEN, 5-8, (S), 3yo, 6f, 1:09 3/5, ft.

1--**#BALIAN, 122, g, 3, Hennessy--Jezebella, by Wild Again.** (\$80,000 wnlg '05 KEENOV). O-Clover IV Stables, Ed Seltzer & Steven Thurn; B-Mer-Lyn Farms (PA); T-Steve Klesaris; J-A R Napravnik; \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 9-3-1-1, \$132,488.

2--**Double Down Vinman**, 122, c, 3, Out of Place--Christmas Strike, by Smart Strike. (\$9,000 yrl '06 FTMFEB; \$42,000 yrl '06 FTMOCT). \$15,000.

3--**Allotrope**, 119, c, 3, Polish Miner--Kristalicia, by Bates Motel. \$8,250.

Margins: 1HF, 2 3/4, 4 1/4. Odds: 9.20, 0.30, 47.90.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

4th-WOX, \$88,036, NW1R6M, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:44, ft.

CALLWOOD DANCER (IRE) (f, 4, Danehill Dancer {Ire}--Ahdaab, by Rahy) Lifetime Record: 13-4-1-5, \$205,685. O-Harlequin Ranches. B-Quay Bloodstock (IRE). T-Roger L Attfield. *€100,000 yrl '05 GOFORB. **3/4 to Walklikeanegyptian (Ire) (Danehill), GSP.

8th-WOX, \$67,650, NW3L, (S), 3yo/up, 6f (AWT), 1:10 1/5, ft.

BOLD NURSE (g, 5, Bold n' Flashy--Dancing Nurse, by Dr. Adagio) Lifetime Record: 11-3-2-1, \$114,618. O-C Scott Abbott Racing Stable Ltd. B-Scott Abbott (ON). T-Michael J Doyle.

6th-PID, \$51,110, NW2L, 3yo/up, 1m70y (AWT), 1:42 2/5, ft.

STREETOFCHAMPIONS (c, 4, Street Cry {Ire}--Becky's Ransom, by Red Ransom) Lifetime Record: 9-2-2-0, \$68,869. O-Earle I Mack. B-Brushwood Stable (PA). T-Richard A Violette Jr. *30,000gns 2yo '06 DONAPR; \$7,000 yrl '05 KEESEP.

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1/8-mile works				
Time	Hip#	Sex	Sire	Dam
:09 4/5	<u>28</u>	colt	Gimmeawink	Countrywishingwell
	<u>73</u>	colt	Not For Love	Gallelujah
1/4-mile works				
Time	Hip#	Sex	Sire	Dam
:20 4/5	<u>121</u>	filly	<u>Harlan's Holiday</u>	Leading the Way
3/8-mile works				
Time	Hip#	Sex	Sire	Dam
:33 3/5	<u>66</u>	colt	<u>Cherokee Run</u>	Flirty Frosty

For the complete results, click [here](#).



7th-MTH, \$50,000, NW1X, (S), 3/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10, sy.
HECKUVA GOOD TIME (f, 4, [Afternoon Deelites](#)--
Heckuva Time, by Gilded Time) Lifetime Record:
 6-2-1-1, \$76,400. O/B-Golden Dome Stable (NJ).
 T-Mark Shuman.

8th-MTH, \$41,000, NW2X, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:08 1/5, sy.
HE'S SO CHIC (c, 4, [Jump Start](#)--So Chic, by Private
Terms) Lifetime Record: SP, 10-3-3-2, \$104,840.
 O-Char-Mari Stable. B-Paragon Farms LLC (KY). T-Jason
 Servis. *\$110,000 wIng '04 KEENOV; \$75,000 yrl '05
 KEESEP.

9th-EVD, \$31,750, 5-8, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 1m,
1:39 4/5, ft.
BUCKETS 'N' PANS (g, 4, Ide--Entire Order {SP}, by
Broad Brush) Lifetime Record: 11-2-6-0, \$86,390.
 O-Steve D & Patricia L Roe. B-Allen C Peltier (LA).
 T-Patrick Mouton. *\$16,000 yrl '05 LOUOCT. **1/2 to
 Thick as Thieves (Sea Hero), MSW, \$241,715.

8th-APX, \$30,500, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, a1 1/16mT,
1:51 3/5, sf.
THE ALCOVA KID (g, 4, Labeeb {GB}--Conch Cruiser,
by D'Accord) Lifetime Record: 10-2-2-2, \$57,435.
 O-Hussar Racing Stable LLC. B-77 Double Lucky Ltd
 (IL). T-Chris M Block. *\$1,800 yrl '05 FTKFEB; \$5,000
 yrl '05 OBSAUG.

9th-APX, \$30,500, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f (AWT),
1:09 4/5, ft.
MY FAVORITE TUNE (m, 5, [Maria's Mon](#)--Cryptic Tune,
by Cryptoclearance) Lifetime Record: 8-3-0-1, \$41,992.
 O/B-William D & Dave Fishback (KY). T-Christopher
 Speckert. *1/2 to Tails Of The Crypt (Regal Classic),
 MSW & MGSP, \$382,724.

8th-PIM, \$29,400, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000-\$45,000),
NW1X, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:11 4/5, sy.
AND A CHERRY TREE (f, 3, Chief Seattle--What It Is
{SW, \$137,040}, by Parfaitement) Lifetime Record:
 5-2-0-1, \$33,400. O/B-R Larry Johnson (VA). T-H Gra-
 ham Motion.

7th-PIM, \$27,440, NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 5f (off turf),
:57 4/5, sy.
RODEO DRIVE (f, 4, [Yes it's True](#)--Feisty Step {GSP},
by Coronado's Quest) Lifetime Record: 12-4-1-2,
 \$88,920. O-Robert L Cole Jr. B-Padua Stables (FL).
 T-Howard E Wolfendale.

1st-EVD, \$25,422, 5-8, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW1X,
3yo, 5 1/2f, 1:04, ft.
MR BUBBA (c, 3, B L's Appeal--Legacy's Silver, by
Robyn Dancer) Lifetime Record: MSP, 10-2-6-1,
 \$96,054. O-Marie Troncone. B-Kelly Warhurst & Bettina
 Gates (FL). T-Jorge Lara. *\$2,000 yrl '06 KEESEP;
 \$15,000 2yo '07 TEXMAR.

8th-PEN, \$24,606, 5-8, NW1X, 3/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11, ft.
CLEAR THE AISLE (f, 4, Aisle--Tinandrose, by Allen's
Prospect) Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, \$50,124.
 O-Wildcard Stable. B-Wild Card Stables (PA). T-Flint W
 Stites.

9th-SRP, \$22,500, 5-8, NW16MX, (S), 3yo/up, 4 1/2f,
:50 4/5, ft.
CHACO LATTE (g, 4, Parentheses--Askance, by Irish
Tower) Lifetime Record: 15-4-1-0, \$52,152. O/T-Henry
 Dominguez. B-Geraldine Shipler (NM). *1/2 to
 Askmetodance (Ghostly Moves), SW, \$103,460.

6th-LSX, \$22,000, 5-8, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT,
1:37 1/5, fm.
CRIB KICKER (f, 4, Arch--Stolen Chad, by Cozzene)
 Lifetime Record: 10-5-1-1, \$43,350. O-Tbd Owners
 LLC. B-Hargus & Sandra Sexton (KY). T-John G Locke.
 *\$10,000 yrl '05 KEESEP.

7th-FLX, \$20,500, NW1BX, (S), 3yo/up, 5 1/2f,
1:05 2/5, ft.
CURED (g, 5, Take Me Out--Linking, by Saint Ballado)
 Lifetime Record: 28-7-7-6, \$118,650. O/T-Joseph E
 Marino. B-Chester & Mary R Broman (NY).

8th-SRP, \$20,300, 5-8, NW2L, (S), 3yo/up, 6 1/2f,
1:18 2/5, ft.
I'M A GONE GUY (g, 4, Gone Hollywood--I'm a Happy
Gal, by Brave Lad) Lifetime Record: 9-2-2-2, \$42,652.
 O-Susan A Moreno. B-Rita J Danley (NM). T-Alberto
 Amparan.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Yo Joe, g, 2, Wertaloona--Yoshi Go, by Rivergo. WOX,
5-9, 2f (AWT), :21 1/5. B-Don S. Nutt (OK).
Sing My A. P. C.'s, f, 3, A. P. Delta--Cigar Charlie (SW,
\$236,203), by Tour d'Or. EVD, 5-8, 1m, 1:40 4/5.
B-Ernie Wells (LA).
Kitty Kitty Punch, f, 3, [Cat Thief](#)--Calipha (MGSW,
\$378,988), by Two Punch. PID, 5-9, (S), 6f (AWT),
1:12. B-Russell B Jones Jr (PA). *\$20,000 yrl '06
FTMOCT.

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HOLLYWOOD

Black Seventeen (Is It True), 5f, 1:01.20, 20/33
 Gentle Gale (Storm Cat), 4f, :49.60, 31/44
 Niagara Causeway (Giant's Causeway), 4f, :50.20, 36/44
 Sky Cape (Najran), 4f, :49.20, 24/44

SANTA ANITA

Dixie Chatter (Dixie Union), 7f, 1:25.60, 1/1
 La Cocasse (Arg) (Mutakddim), 5f, 1:04.40, 35/35

SARATOGA (TRAINING)

Commentator (Distorted Humor), 4f, •:48.75, 1/14
 Dancing Forever (Rahy), 4f, :51.23, 11/14



Additional Maiden Winners cont.

- + **Dozen Dancer**, c, 3, **Chief Seattle**--Prairie Dancer, by Dumaani. WOX, 5-9, (C), 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:15 2/5. B-J LaCombe Stables (FL). *\$4,500 yrl '06 OBSAUG.
- Persistent Destiny**, f, 3, **Creative Act**--Super Destiny, by Allen's Prospect. CTX, 5-9, (S), 4 1/2f, :54 3/5. B-Lenworth Kirlew (WV).
- Salmon Run**, c, 3, **Deputy Warlock**--Dance Up Stream, by Slew o' Gold. MTH, 5-9, (S), 6f, 1:10 1/5. B-Tee N Jay Farm (NJ). *\$20,000 yrl '06 FTMOCT. **1/2 to Upturn (Distorted Humor), MSW, \$480,050.
- Berlioz**, c, 3, **Flatter**--Promised Trial, by Bailjumper. CDX, 5-9, (C), 6 1/2f, 1:18 1/5. B-Moises Alou & Tony Holmes (KY). *\$25,000 yrl '06 KEESEP.
- Two Point Maker**, f, 3, **Two Point Two Mill**--Makes Sense, by Quiet American. FLX, 5-9, 5 1/2f, 1:06 1/5. B-William C Jacobs (KY).
- True Rebel**, g, 3, **Yes It's True**--Dixie Deb, by Dixie-land Band. BEL, 5-9, (C), 6f (off turf), 1:12 1/5. B-T F VanMeter (FL). *Full to You Asked, MGSP, \$177,249.
- Bonne Bay**, f, 4, **Cape Town**--Blondeinthemeadow, by Meadowlake. WOX, 5-9, (C), 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:18 2/5. B-William D Graham & William Werner (ON).
- Defrere Princes**, f, 4, **Defrere**--I'm So Sensational, by Defensive Play. CTX, 5-8, 4 1/2f, :54 1/5. B-Chris Bouroudis (NJ).
- Smart Teenager**, c, 4, **Smart Strike**--Teenage Queen, by Regal Classic. MTH, 5-9, 1m, 1:37 4/5. B-John Bowers Jr (NJ).
- Dixiette**, f, 4, **Swear by Dixie**--Endette, by Thirty Eight Paces. PIM, 5-9, 5f (off turf), :58 3/5. B-K T Leatherbury Assoc Inc (MD). *1/2 to Due (Rinka Das), MSW, \$359,160; and Ah Day (Malibu Moon), MSW & MGSP, \$697,154.
- Forty Nine Alpha**, f, 4, **Tirade**--Shine On Texas, by Wayne's Crane. EVD, 5-8, (S), 6f, 1:11 1/5. B-Sandra Montgomery & Joanne E Schapiro (LA). *1/2 to Shine My Boots (Idabel), Ch. 2yo-Hun, MSW-Ata.
- Cabazon**, g, 5, **Chester House**--Iddy Bidy Dollar, by Spend a Buck. CDX, 5-9, 1 1/16mT, 1:45 4/5. B-Edward Hudon (KY). *1/2 to Price Of Honour (Honour and Glory), MSP, \$215,115.

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CONDITIONS RESULTS:

FRANCE, Toulouse, 10.30, €15,000, 3yo, 1 1/4mT, 2:05.68, gd/sf.

BLIND SHAFT (FR) (c, 3, Linamix {Fr}--Mysterious Guest {Fr}, by Baratheia {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, €18,900. O-Ecurie Noel Forgeard, Ecurie Jean-Louis Tepper & Jean-Pierre-Joseph Dubois; B-Jean-Pierre-Joseph Dubois; T-Jean-Claude Rouget. *€160,000 yrl '06 DEAAUG. **Full to Mysterious Lina (Fr), SW & GSP-Fr, \$115,895; 1/2 to Mysterious Peintre (Fr) (Peintre Celebre), SP-Fr, SW-US, \$209,596.

HANDICAP RESULTS:

BRITAIN, Chester, 1.45, £21,000, 4yo/up, 7f 122ydsT, 1:34.51, gd.

CELTIC SULTAN (IRE) (c, 4, Celtic Swing {GB}--Farjah {Ire}, by Charnwood Forest {Ire}) Lifetime Record: SP-Eng, 13-3-1-3, £44,810. O-Sylvia Clegg & Louise Worthington; B-Miss C Lyons; T-Tom Tate. *€48,000 wnlg '04 GOFNOV; €62,000 yrl '05 GOFORB.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ **Alta Luna (Fr)**, f, 2, **Fasliyev**--Lunatoria (Ire), by Vettori (Ire). Toulouse, France, 5-9, Mdn, 2yo, 5 1/2fT. B-Francois Bayrou & Peter McNulty.

+ **Fathey (Ire)**, c, 2, **Fath**--Christoph's Girl (GB) (SW-Belg), by Efisio (GB). Hamilton Park, Britain, 5-9, Mdn, 2yo, 5f 4ydsT. B-Rathasker Stud. *25,000gns yrl '07 TATOCT.

Tawzee (Ire), c, 3, **Cadeaux Genereux (GB)**--Kismah (GB), by Machiavellian. Hamilton Park, Britain, 5-9, Mdn, 3-5yo, 6f 5ydsT. B-Shadwell Est Co Ltd.

Fabreze (GB), c, 3, **Choisir (Aus)**--Impulsive Decision (Ire), by Nomination (GB). Nottingham, Britain, 5-9, Mdn, 3yo, 6f 15ydsT. B-D Brocklehurst. *36,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT.

+ **Tall Perfection**, f, 3, **Distorted Humor**--Above Perfection (GSW & GISP-US, \$380,737), by In Excess (Ire). Toulouse, France, 5-9, Mdn, unraced 3yo, 1 5/16mT. B-Sioux Breeders LLC. *\$250,000 yrl '06 KEESEP.

Ramita (GB), f, 3, **Fasliyev**--Reine Zao (Fr) (GSP-Fr), by Alzao. Evreux, France, 5-8, Cond, 3yo, 6 1/2fT. B-Haras de la Perelle.

Chevalier Pepin (Fr), c, 3, **King Charlemagne**--Alerte (Fr), by Alleged. Oraison, France, 5-8, Cond, 3yo, c/g, 1 3/8mT. B-Paul Nataf & Enrico Ciampi. *€6,000 yrl '06 DEAOCT.

Will Hunting (Fr), c, 3, **Nikos (GB)**--L'Eternite (Fr), by Cariellor (Fr). Evreux, France, 5-8, Mdn, 3yo, 1 9/16mT. B-Mme Ursula Wittmer.

Justified Applause (Ire), c, 3, **Royal Applause (GB)**--Jezebel (GB) (SW-Ity, MSP-Eng & GSP-Fr), by Owington (GB). Pisa, Italy, 5-9, Mdn, 3yo, 7 1/2fT. B-Landi Bloodstock.