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Good Luck to TAJAAWEED (Dynaformer) and RIO DE LA PLATA (Rahy) in the Epsom Derby (G1)



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#### **FRIDAY, JUNE 6, 2008**

#### **HEAD-TURNER**

Jim and Jackie Bolger's **Lush Lashes (GB)** (Galileo {Ire}) will be the main focus of attention today as she



**Lush Lashes** 

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heads to post for the G1 Juddmonte Oaks at Epsom. She is accustomed to causing a stir, having captured The Curragh's Goffs Fillies' Million on debut and following a fast-finishing sixth in Newmarket's G1 1000 Guineas May 4 with a five-length dismissal of Cape Amber (Ire) (Cape Cross {Ire}) in the G3 Musidora S. at York 10 days later. She bids to become the second filly from Bolger's Coolcullen base to annex this prize after

Jet Ski Lady scored by 10 lengths at 50-1 in 1991, and the first winner of the Musidora to go on to success since Reams of Verse in 1997. Bolger's only concern at present is that the ground will dry too much. "We won't know what the ground is like until we get there tomorrow, but everything has been going well," he told *PA Sport* yesterday. *Oaks Coverage cont. p2-3* 

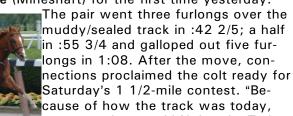
#### **COMING TO CONOUER**

Guessing the eventual line-up for tomorrow's G1 Vodafone Derby has been the main sport in the build-up to the 229th renewal of the Epsom Classic, but now that the 17 runners have been confirmed, the excitement can finally build. Thankfully, the Irish powerhouse combination of Moyglare Stud and Dermot Weld agreed to let Casual Conquest (Ire) (Hernando {Fr}) take his chance after some wavering, and the unbeaten homebred is one of few in the race with impeccable credentials. His debut came over seven furlongs of Leopardstown's circuit in September and, when he reappeared there in the May 11 G2 Derrinstown Stud Derby Trial, he showed he had made giant strides with a six-length defeat of Washington Irving (Ire) (Montjeu {Ire}). He bids to become the third winner of that vital Irish prep to follow up here since 2000. "There is only one Epsom Derby, and it's great to be taking part in it with such a live shot," jockey Pat Smullen said of the horse who will break from the 'lucky' 10 stall, which has been responsible for five winners since 1989. "The horse is in great form and, if he jumps and travels in the first couple of furlongs, we'll hopefully have no problems. You have to respect every horse, as it's a wideopen race and I'd be very foolish to write off anything." Epsom Derby Coverage cont. p4-6



#### PRADO GOES FOR A CASINO DRIVE

Edgar Prado was aboard his GI Belmont S. contender Casino Drive (Mineshaft) for the first time yesterday.



we went slow," said Nobutaka Tada,

Casino Drive in action spokesperson for owner Hidetoshi

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Yamamoto and trainer Kazuo

Fujisawa. "But he is fit enough. He has been doing what we wanted and we only have to keep him happy now." Casino Drive's unusual preparation has attracted a fair share of attention. The Japanese-trained runner, along with two stablemates, walks for about an hour every morning before heading to the track for another hour of walking. The routine caused one trainer to comment, "At first, we thought they brought all of these horses over from Japan, but it turns out it was the same three going all around the place." Retired Hall of Fame jockey Jerry Bailey quipped, "The groom could leave the barn, go to a movie and get back before the horses." *Cont.* 6



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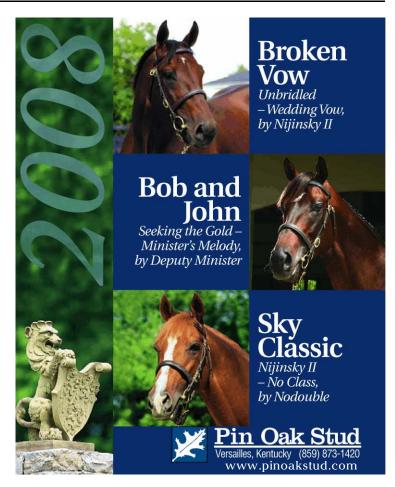
Alongside Lush Lashes, Lady O'Reilly's Chinese White (Ire) (Dalakhani {Ire}) and a clutch of Ballydoyle contenders, His Highness the Aga Khan's Katiyra (Ire) (Peintre Celebre) completes an Irish stranglehold on the Oaks this year. Smooth in success on debut at Leopardstown in August, the John Oxx-trained homebred met with a series of setbacks before her return in the G3 Derrinstown Stud 1000 Guineas Trial back at that track May 11. In the event, her runner-up finish to Carribean Sunset (Ire) was made to look particularly creditable when that rival went on to finish third in last Sunday's G1 Irish 1000 Guineas. "Everything has gone well since her last run at Leopardstown and John could not be happier with her," the owner/breeder's Racing Manager Pat Downes told PA Sport. "She didn't break well that day, so she was never in the right position, but we were pleased to see her finish her race off so well. She is a very straightforward filly, and her dam won over a mile and six furlongs, so she should stay this trip. Her inexperience is the main worry, but she is certainly a very nice filly and we are looking forward to it."

#### Cape Steer...

Peter Chapple-Hyam, who tasted another famous success on the Downs with Authorized (Ire) in the main feature 12 months ago, saddles a leading chance from the home brigade in Cape Amber. Five Horses Ltd's homebred won on debut at Newmarket in August and despite her distance from Lush Lashes in the Musidora, she was ridden with patience that day on her belated return. "I'm really pleased with her," her trainer said. "She took a long time to come together--she had coughed and given a dirty scope, but is improving every day and I couldn't be happier. Lush Lashes will be very hard to beat, but I used that as a trial and she wasn't 100 percent. She will improve a lot, but whether it's enough to beat her, I don't know. She needs to get her toe in and the more rain the better--it is a good race, but I think we'll be in the first three."

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#### Worth a Closer Look...

This Classic can throw up a surprise occasionally and despite nothing matching Jet Ski Lady's inflated odds, Shahtoush (Ire) was 12-1 in 1998 and Casual Look was 10-1 five years later. This renewal sees some lively outsiders in the mix, headed by Julian Richmond-Watson's Look Here (GB) (Hernando {Fr}), who put tomorrow's G1 Epsom Derby hopeful Doctor Fremantle (GB) firmly in his place when opening her account at first asking at Salisbury in October. She was doing her best work at the finish when 3/4-of-a-length second to Miracle Seeker (GB) (Rainbow Quest) in the May 10 Listed Lingfield Oaks Trial, and conditioner Ralph Beckett is hopeful she can outrun her odds. "Things did not fall right for her at Lingfield and I would be hopeful she could beat the winner on this softer ground," he told PA Sport. "It was good to soft when she won her maiden, and the form of that race obviously looks strong. I don't think there were any excuses for Doctor Fremantle. I have trained two of her relatives and they both wanted some cut in the ground. The other thing is she is guaranteed to stay the trip, which can't be said of a few of the Oaks runners. She is in great form and I'm very hopeful she will be in the shake-up." Another who could make an impact is Mike Caddy's Saphira's Fire (Ire) (Cape Cross {Ire}), who bids to follow the path trod by the great Ouija Board (GB) four years ago after winning the Listed Pretty Polly S. at Newmarket May 4.



|     | Friday, Epsom, Britain, post time: 4:05 p.m. |                               |                                |                |  |
|-----|--|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------|--|
|     | J  | UDDMONTE OAKS-G1, £350,00     | 00, 3yo, f, 12f 10ydsT         |                |  |
| sc  |  | OWNER                         | BREEDER                        | TRAINER/JOCKEY |  |
| 1   | 16 Adored (Ire)                              | Susan Magnier/Michael Tabor   | Whisperview Trading Ltd        | O'Brien        |  |
|     | ( <u>Galileo {Ire}</u> Sudden Hop            |                               |                                | Murtagh        |  |
| 2   |  | Five Horses Ltd               | Five Horses Ltd                | P Chapple-Hyam |  |
|     | ( <u>Cape Cross {Ire}</u> Maramb             | oa {GB}, by Rainbow Quest)    |                                | Spencer        |  |
| 3   | 14 Chinese White (Ire)                       | Lady O'Reilly                 | Skymarc Farm/Castlemartin Stud | Weld           |  |
|     | (Dalakhani {Ire}Chiang M                     | lai {Ire}, by Sadler's Wells) |                                | Smullen        |  |
| 4   | 3 Clowance (GB)                              | Seasons Holidays              | B Hurley                       | Charlton       |  |
|     | ( <u>Montjeu {Ire}</u> Freni {Ger}           | , by Sternkoenig {Ire})       |                                | Dettori        |  |
| 5   | 5 Ice Queen (Ire)                            | M Tabor/D Smith/S Magnier     | March Thoroughbreds            | O'Brien        |  |
|     | ( <u>Danehill Dancer {Ire}</u> Wa            | dud {GB}, by Nashwan)         |                                | McCabe         |  |
| 6   | 11 Katiyra (Ire)                             | H H The Aga Khan              | B-H H The Aga Khan's Studs SC  | Охх            |  |
|     | ( <u>Peintre Celebre</u> Katiykha            | {Ire}, by Darshaan {GB})      |                                | Kinane         |  |
| 7   | 13 Look Here (GB)                            | Julian Richmond-Watson        | Lawn Stud                      | Beckett        |  |
|     | ( <u>Hernando {Fr}</u> Last Look             | {GB}, by Rainbow Quest)       |                                | Sanders        |  |
| 8   | 8 Lush Lashes (GB)                           | Mrs J S Bolger                | Mrs A M Jenkins                | Bolger         |  |
|     | ( <u>Galileo {Ire}</u> Dance for Fu          | ın {GB}, by Anabaa)           |                                | Manning        |  |
| 9   | 9 Michita                                    | Stonerside Stable LLC         | Stonerside Stable LLC          | Gosden         |  |
|     | ( <u>Dynaformer</u> Thunder Kitt             | en, by Storm Cat)             |                                | Fortune        |  |
| 10  | 2 Miracle Seeker (GB)                        | D J Burke                     | D J Burke                      | Cox            |  |
|     | (Rainbow QuestMiracle {                      | GB}, by Ezzoud {Ire})         |                                | Kirby          |  |
| 11  | 10 Moonstone (GB)                            | S Magnier/M Tabor/D Smith     | B-Britton House Stud Ltd       | O'Brien        |  |
|     | (Dalakhani {Ire}Solo de L                    | une {Ire}, by Law Society)    |                                | Hughes         |  |
| 12  | 4 Sail (Ire)                                 | M Tabor/D Smith/S Magnier     | B-Tetsu Nakata                 | O'Brien        |  |
|     | ( <u>Sadler's Wells</u> Pieds de F           | lumes {Fr}, by Seattle Slew)  |                                | Moore          |  |
| 13  | 1 Saphira's Fire (Ire)                       | M J Caddy                     | Gainsborough Stud Mgmt Ltd     | Muir           |  |
|     | (Cape Cross {Ire}All Our                     | Hope, by Gulch)               |                                | Dwyer          |  |
| 14  | 15 Savethisdanceforme (Ire)                  | D Smith/S Magnier/M Tabor     | Quay Bloodstock                | O'Brien        |  |
|     | ( <u>Danehill Dancer {Ire}</u> Bex           | , by Explodent)               |                                | O'Donoghue     |  |
| 15  | 12 Sugar Mint (Ire)                          | Rick Barnes                   | Grangecon Stud                 | Hills          |  |
|     | (High Chaparral {Ire}Ann                     | a Karenina, by Atticus)       |                                | M Hills        |  |
| 16  | 7 Tiffany Diamond (Ire)                      | Anne Marie O'Brien            | Whisperview Trading Ltd        | O'Brien        |  |
|     | ( <u>Sadler's Wells</u> Niyla {Ire}          | , by Darshaan {GB})           |                                | Heffernan      |  |
| ΑII | carry 126 pounds.                            |                               |                                |                |  |

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SC PP **HORSE** SIRE 12 Alan Devonshire (GB) Mtoto (GB) (47,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT)

O-Russell Trew Ltd; B-The Lavington Stud; T-Mark Tompkins; J-Paul Mulrennan. Lifetime Record: 7-1-2-2, £15,890.

Last Start: 4th May 10 G3 Lingfield Derby Trial S.

Alessandro Volta (GB) Montjeu (Ire) (300,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT)

O-Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith & Susan Magnier; B-Meon Valley Stud; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Seamus Heffernan. Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-1, £58,466.

Last Start: 1st May 10 G3 Lingfield Derby Trial S.

Bashkirov (GB) Galileo (Ire) (300,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT)

O-Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith & Susan Magnier; B-Chippenham Lodge Stud; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-David McCabe, Lifetime Record: 4-0-0-2, £1,974.

Last Start: 3rd May 11 Leopardstown maiden

2 Bouguereau (GB) Alhaarth (Ire) (25,000gns wnlg '05 TATDEC; 65,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT)

O-Andrew Black; B-Cheveley Park Stud; T-Peter Chapple-Hyam; J-A Munro. Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-1, £15,648.

Last Start: 7th May 11 G1 Derby Italiano

Casual Conquest (Ire) Hernando (Fr) O/B-Moyglare Stud Farm; T-Dermot Weld; J-Pat Smullen. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, £68,540. Last Start: 1st May 11 G2 Derrinstown Stud Derby Trial

Sadler's Wells Curtain Call (Fr) (60,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT)

O-Mrs P K Cooper & Partners; B-Niarchos Family;

T-Luca Cumani; J-Jamie Spencer. Lifetime Record: 6-2-2-0, £90,420.

Last Start: 1st Apr. 23 Nottingham conditions 13 Doctor Fremantle (GB) Sadler's Wells O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms Ltd; T-Sir Michael Stoute; J-Kerrin McEvoy. Lifetime Record: 5-2-3-0, £45,925.

Last Start: 1st May 8 G3 Chester Vase

Frozen Fire (Ger) Montjeu (Ire) (€250,000 yrl '06 GOFFEB)

O-Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith & Susan Magnier; B-Jurgen & Wolfgang Hoyer; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Michael Kinane. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, £40,217.

Last Start: 2nd May 15 G2 Dante S.

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9 8 Kandahar Run (GB) Rock of Gibraltar (Ire) (50,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT)

O-Gestut Ammerland; B-Britton House Stud; T-Henry Cecil; J-Ted Durcan. Lifetime Record: 5-3-2-0, £40,660.

Last Start: 1st May 3 Listed Newmarket S.

10 11 King of Rome (Ire) Montjeu (Ire)
O-Derrick Smith, Susan Magnier & Michael Tabor;
B-The Amizette Partnership; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Johnny
Murtagh. Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-0, £20,849.

Last Start: 2nd May 10 G3 Lingfield Derby Trial S.

11 7 Maidstone Mixture (Fr) Linamix (Fr) (€8,000 yrl '06 DEAOCT)

O-Fergus Wilson; B-Melchior Francois Mathet & H H The Aga Khan's Studs SC; T-Paul Murphy; J-Michael O'Connell. Lifetime Record: 10-1-1-3, £16,806.

Last Start: 1st May 25 Strasbourg hurdle

12 3 New Approach (Ire) Galileo (Ire) (€430,000 yrl '06 GOFORB)

O-H R H Princess Haya of Jordan; B-Lodge Park Stud; T-Jim Bolger; J-Kevin Manning. Lifetime Record: 7-5-2-0, £494,272.

Last Start: 2nd May 24 G1 Irish 2000 Guineas

13 17 Rio de la Plata Rahy

(\$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: 7-3-2-1, £305,716. Last Start: 2nd May 11 G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains

14 4 River Proud Proud Citizen

(\$75,000 yrl '06 FTKJUL)

O-Mrs Michael Spencer; B-Brereton C Jones & B Ned Jones; T-Paul Cole; J-Richard Quinn. Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-1, £91,264.

Last Start: 3rd May 11 G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains
15 5 Tajaaweed Dynaformer

(\$400,000 yrl '06 KEESEP)

O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Herman Sarkowsky; T-Sir Michael Stoute; J-Richard Hills. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, £39,490.

Last Start: 1st May 9 G3 Dee S.

**16 14 Tartan Bearer (Ire)** Spectrum (Ire) O/B-Ballymacoll Stud Farm; T-Sir Michael Stoute; J-Ryan Moore. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, £89,190.

Last Start: 1st May 15 G2 Dante S.

17 16 Washington Irving (Ire) Montjeu (Ire)
O-Derrick Smith, Susan Magnier & Michael Tabor;
B-Quay Bloodstock; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Colm
O'Donoghue. Lifetime Record: 3-0-2-0, £20,701.

Last Start: 2nd May 11 G2 Derrinstown Stud Derby Trial S.

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The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the GIII Hill Prince S. at Belmont Park.

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# Best of luck to the connections of

## **CASINO DRIVE:**

Owner - **Hidetoshi Yamamoto** Trainer - **Kazuo Fujisawa** 



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#### Shadwell Seek Three-Peat...

Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum's colors were carried to glory by Nashwan in 1989 and Erhaab five years later. This time, they will grace Tajaaweed (Dynaformer), one of a formidable trio from the Sir Michael Stoute stable successful four times in the blue riband. His one blip came when off the board in the G1 Racing Post Trophy at Doncaster in October, which is surprisingly also the case with fellow contenders Curtain Call (Fr) (Sadler's Wells), C "TDN Rising Star" Control River Proud (Proud Citizen), Frozen Fire (Ger) (Montjeu {Ire}) and King of Rome (Ire) (Montjeu {Ire}). Like all those, Tajaaweed rebounded this term and showed a telling turn of acceleration from a poor position to win the G3 Dee S. at Chester May 9, a trial which Oath (Ire) and Kris Kin took en route to victory here in recent times. Jockey Richard Hills is hoping he can provide him with a belated first Derby win breaking from the five hole of Motivator (GB) fame three years ago. "He's a tall horse and there were some doubts as to how he would handle Chester, but he did it as well as any horse," Hills explained. "He travels well, which is a big plus at Epsom and, even if he's not handling the ups and downs and turns, if he's traveling that will give him every chance. He feels like he'll stay, as he relaxes and gives himself every opportunity to, and the thing I really like about him is he is really progressing quickly-he's really on an upward curve."

#### Call the Doctor...

Khalid Abdullah, who is looking for a third Derby success after Quest for Fame (GB) and Commander in Chief in 1990 and 1993, has supplemented the G3 Chester Vase scorer Doctor Fremantle (GB) (Sadler's Wells). He bids to become the first winner of that prep to double up here since the mighty Shergar (Ire) in 1981, but experience of Chester's circuit is never a negative entering this test. "He handled Chester very well and, while it does not necessarily follow that he will handle Epsom, it is a tight left-handed track and I think he should be able to handle the hustle and bustle of the Derby," the owner/breeder's Racing Manager Teddy Grimthorpe commented. "We know he will stay-he is more than qualified on both sides of his pedigree--so we are going there very positive. Although he has raced mainly on good or good to firm, he is by Sadler's Wells and they tend to go well with cut in the ground, so he may even be better on that sort of going." Stoute's triumvirate is rounded out by C "TDN Rising Star" Cartan Bearer (Ire) (Spectrum (Ire)), a full brother to Golan (Ire) who failed to add to his G1 2000 Guineas success when only second behind Galileo (Ire) in 2001. The flashy chestnut stepped up off a Leicester maiden win Apr. 26 to beat Frozen Fire by a head in the G2 Dante S. May 15, and that chief trial has delivered no less than seven Derby winners since 1986. Tartan Bearer and Doctor Fremantle have drawn 13 and 14, respectively, the post positions of the 1988 and 1998

heroes Kahyasi (Ire) and High-Rise (Ire).

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#### Ground Drying Fast...

There were no surprises yesterday, as the connections of Bronze Cannon (Lemon Drop Kid) opted to give the gig a miss with Royal Ascot's likely faster conditions in mind. Princess Haya of Jordan's New Approach (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) will exit from stall three after being ponied to the start in customary fashion. Trainer Jim Bolger announced earlier this week that last year's champion juvenile and G1 English and Irish 2000 Guineas runner-up would not run if 'firm' was in the ground description, and that appeared a possibility yesterday as Clerk of the Course and Director of Racing Andrew Cooper brought up the issue of watering. "The ground is continuing to dry out, and I have changed the going description to good from good to soft," he explained. "It is lovely ground and we will see how it rides tomorrow. The forecast is for mainly dry weather between now and the Vodafone Derby on Saturday afternoon. Some light showers could fall overnight Friday into Saturday. The way the ground has dried this week, watering for Saturday may have to be considered. I am not anxious to water and would much prefer nature to do it for me-a couple of millimetres at any time would probably suffice."

#### **TDN TODAY**

Headline News..... 12 pages



#### THURSDAY'S BELMONT REPORT

Another rainy night on Long Island took its toll on the Belmont main oval Thursday, leaving a wet track behind

for the second straight day.

West Point's Macho
Again (Macho Uno) and
Mr. and Mrs. William K.
Warren's Denis of Cork
(Harlan's Holiday), who
arrived together from
Louisville around 4 p.m.
Wednesday, got their
first taste of Big Sandy
yesterday, which was
listed as "muddy."



Macho Again enjoying his bath Thursday Sherackatthetrack

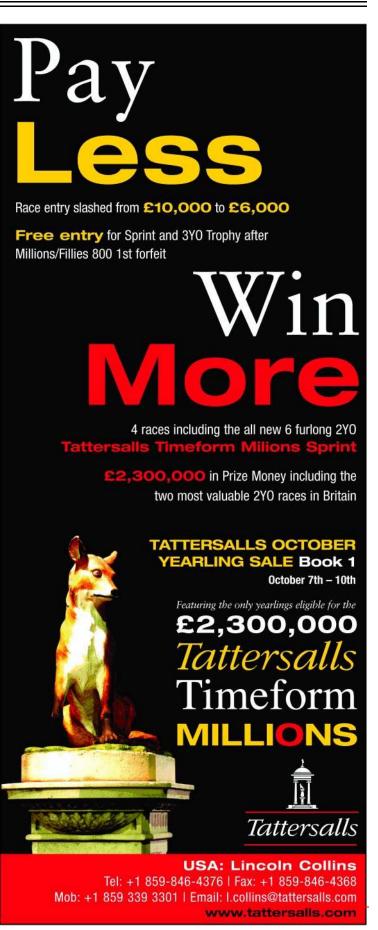
The big gray, last seen finishing second behind

Big Brown in the GI Preakness S., went out to the main track for some light exercise and returned to Barn 11 slightly after 7 a.m. for a quick bath. A group of approximately 20 gathered to get a closer look, including West Point's Executive Vice President of Midwest Operations Jeff Lifson. A very hands-on Dallas Stewart removed all four of Macho Again's wraps, then proceeded to hose off the Derby Trial S. hero. The Floridabred was very playful at times, and Stewart had some fun with his charge, letting Macho Again chew on a towel as he attempted to dry him off.

Denis of Cork, stabled in stall 43 at the Phipps barn, began to get prepped for his day's work shortly after 8 a.m. Buzz Tenney, longtime assistant trainer to Shug McGaughey, caught up with trainer David Carroll and his son Declan as the elder Carroll strapped on his black flak jacket and riding boots. (Ed. note: Carroll was an exercise rider for McGaughey for six years and galloped 1989 GI Belmont S. Easy Goer as well as Seeking the Gold). Cont. p8



Denis of Cork all alone at the wire with trainer David Carroll aboard after galloping through the Belmont stretch Thursday Sherackatthetrack





#### (Belmont Thursday Report cont.)

Meanwhile, as Carroll and Denis of Cork continued their preparation, a large group gathered in the paddock--which included Hall of Fame jockey Jerry Bailey--as the sun tried to sneak out at around 8:30 a.m. Casino Drive and GIII Hill Prince S. entrant **Spark** 

Candle (A.P. Indy) were the two stars of the show, walking at their usual fast pace, with the latter leading the way. Jockey Edgar Prado took over the reins from Casino Drive's regular morning pilot by the saddling area at 8:40 a.m. The quickly expanding group of now nearly 50 rushed toward the track tunnel as NYRA's John Lee warned the bunch that there is no running in the



Trainer Kazuo Fujisawa (left) & Nobutaka Tada in the Belmont paddock yesterday Sherackatthetrack

paddock. After seven additional minutes of walking beneath Prado, Casino Drive and his stablemate made their way to the track as the big crowd followed. Just as the Japanese duo exited, Denis of Cork entered the paddock seemingly unnoticed beneath Carroll, but clearly looking the part with his mane braided.

Casino Drive had the lead on his stablemate as the two galloped down the stretch, with the sound of their thundering hooves echoing through the grandstand over the messy track.

Denis of Cork spent around 10 minutes schooling in the paddock before heading out to the track. The blazefaced colt made a left turn out of the tunnel on to the main oval and walked along the outer rail before turning in a strong gallop.

**Big Brown** (Boundary) took care of business very early yesterday, jogging around the main track at 5:30 a.m. Ian McKinlay is scheduled to apply an acrylic patch to his left front foot Friday afternoon. --S.S.



Friday, Epsom, Britain, post time: 3:25 p.m. JUDDMONTE CORONATION CUP-G1, £200,000,

4yo/up, 12f 10ydsT SC PP HORSE SIRE **TRAINER** Bia Robert (GB) Medicean (GB) Muir 1 5 2 11 Getaway (Ger) Monsun (Ger) Fabre 3 Montjeu (Ire) 10 Macarthur (GB) A O'Brien 4 9 Multidimensional (Ire) Danehill Cecil 5 8 Papal Bull (GB) Montjeu (Ire) Stoute 6 1 Red Rocks (Ire) Galileo (Ire) Meehan 7 7 Soldier of Fortune (Ire) Galileo (Ire) A O'Brien 8 6 Song of Hiawatha (GB) Sadler's Wells A O'Brien 9 3 Youmzain (Ire) Sinndar (Ire) Channon 10 2 Anna Pavlova (GB) Danehill Dancer (Ire) Fahev

11 4 Turbo Linn (GB) Turbo Speed (Ire) Swinbank All carry 126 pounds bar Anna Pavlova & Turbo Linn, 123.





#### JUDDMONTE CORONATION CUP-G1 preview cont.

This is one of the strongest renewals in recent times, with the world's current third top-rated turf performer Getaway up against Ballydoyle's Soldier of Fortune and a strong back-up cast including Red Rocks and Youmzain. Getaway bids to extend Andre Fabre's fine record of six winners in this contest since Saint Estephe (Fr) opened his account in 1986. Since then, some of racing's most famous names In the Wings (GB), Swain (Ire) and Shirocco (Ger) have conquered for the master of Chantilly. Like the latter, Getaway carries the silks of Baron Georg von Ullmann and comes here off the back of a highly impressive success in the G2 Jockey Club S. at Newmarket May 4. Despite his penalty, he had a comfortable 3 3/4-length margin to spare over the topclass Sixties Icon (GB) in that contest, and has already improved off his fourth in the G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe at Longchamp in October. "Mr. Fabre is very pleased with him and his preparation has been good," the owner/breeder's Racing Manager Paul Harley told PA Sport. "He was very impressive at Newmarket. He's stronger this year; he appears to be getting better and the ground won't worry us. It's a competitive field and looks like a mini King George." Soldier of Fortune, who showed a relish for testing conditions when winning the G1 Irish Derby by nine lengths at The Curragh in July, demonstrated his versatility when returning in September to take Longchamp's G2 Prix Niel on fast ground. He was fifth in the Arc after being hampered late on and has sound claims of providing Aidan O'Brien with his third renewal after Yeats (Ire) and Scorpion (Ire) scored in 2005 and 2007. Red Rocks missed out in his tries at the top level last term, but was a respectable third in his attempt at winning back-to-back renewals of the GI Breeders' Cup Turf at a rain-soaked Monmouth in October. Down the field in the G1 Hong Kong Vase at Sha Tin at the end of the year, he returned with a cozy score in a Lingfield conditions event May 10, and connections are hopeful he can return to the top. "He's drawn one and Aidan O'Brien looks to have a pacemaker in there," Paul Reddam's Racing Manager Jamie McCalmont told PA Sport. "It should be a good race with plenty of pace with that many runners, hopefully. Everything is positive about the horse right now." Youmzain warrants respect on his head second to Dylan Thomas (Ire) in the Arc, and was a close-up fifth in the G1 Dubai Sheema Classic on his return at Nad Al Sheba Mar. 29.

| Friday, Belmont Park, post time: 5:12 p.m. EDT   |  |
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| <b>BROOKLYN HGII</b> , \$200,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/2m |  |

| PP | HURSE                 | SIRE                   | IKAINEK    | ODDS |
|----|-----------------------|------------------------|------------|------|
| 1  | <b>Evening Attire</b> | Black Tie Affair (Ire) | Kelly      | 8-1  |
| 2  | Delosvientos          | Siphon (Brz)           | ladesernia | 4-1  |
| 3  | Angliana              | Giant's Causeway       | Contessa   | 5-1  |
| 4  | Sightseeing           | Pulpit                 | McGaughey  | 3-1  |
| 5  | lmawildandcrazyguy    | Wild Event             | Kaplan     | 10-1 |
| 6  | Nite Light            | Thunder Gulch          | Pletcher   | 5-2  |
| 7  | Awfully Smart         | Anees                  | Goldberg   | 6-1  |

Delosvientos, winner of half of his 10 starts, is two-for-two at this distance and is coming off a front-running 2 1/2-length victory over track and trip in the May 15 Fit to Fight S. Phipps homebred Sightseeing is looking for his first win since taking last year's GII Peter Pan H. Third in the GII Dwyer S. and GII Jim Dandy and fourth in the GI Travers S. last year, the dark bay colt was fifth in this race last year when it was run at nine furlongs in September. He is making his third start of the year off a third-place effort in the Apr. 30 GIII Westchester H. Veteran runner Evening Attire closed to be second in the Fit to Fight. The 10-year-old gray gelding has career earnings over \$2.7 million, but has only one win in 18 starts over this track.

## Friday, Belmont Park, post time: 5:44 p.m. EDT HILL PRINCE S.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo, 1mT

| PΡ | HORSE             | SIRE             | TRAINER     | ODDS |
|----|-------------------|------------------|-------------|------|
| 1  | Titan of Industry | Giant's Causeway | Violette Jr | 12-1 |
| 2  | Hatta Fort (GB)   | Cape Cross (Ire) | bin Suroor  | 5-2  |
| 3  | Moral Compass     | Grand Slam       | Tagg        | 4-1  |
| 4  | Spark Candle      | A.P. Indy        | Fujisawa    | 8-1  |
| 5  | Writingonthewall  | E Dubai          | Martin      | 30-1 |
| 6  | Dynhocracy        | Adhocracy        | Kaplan      | 10-1 |
| 7  | Prussian          | Danzig           | Mott        | 7-2  |
| 8  | Gio Ponti         | Tale of the Cat  | Clement     | 4-1  |

## Friday, Epsom, Britain, post time: 1:40 p.m. JUDDMONTE DIOMED S.-G3, £50,000, 3yo/up, 1m 114vdsT

| SC | PP | HORSE                 | SIRE             | TRAINER        | WT  |
|----|----|-----------------------|------------------|----------------|-----|
| 1  | 1  | Majestic Roi          | Street Cry (Ire) | Channon        | 134 |
| 2  | 5  | Blythe Knight (Ire)   | Selkirk          | J Quinn        | 130 |
| 3  | 2  | Don't Panic (Ire)     | Fath             | P Chapple-Hyam | 130 |
| 4  | 6  | Dunelight (Ire)       | Desert Sun (GB)  | Cox            | 130 |
| 5  | 3  | Metropolitan Man (GB) | Dr Fong          | Simcock        | 130 |
| 6  | 7  | Mia's Boy (GB)        | Pivotal (GB)     | Dwyer          | 130 |
| 7  | 4  | Young Pretender (Fr)  | Oasis Dream (GB) | bin Suroor     | 121 |
| 8  | 8  | Alexandros (GB)       | Kingmambo        | bin Suroor     | 118 |



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Saturday, Eagle Farm, Brisbane, Australia, post time: 3:10 p.m.

BMW QUEENSLAND DERBY-G1, A\$500,000, 3yo, 2400mT.

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|-----|-----|-------------------------|------------------------|--------------|
| SC  |     | HORSE                   | SIRE                   | TRAINER      |
|     | 19  | Mission Critical (Aus)  | Fantastic Light        | Moroney      |
| 2   | 5   | My Limit (Aus)          | Show a Heart (Aus)     | Heathcote    |
| 3   | 10  | Bell Academy (Aus)      | Royal Academy          | Heathcote    |
| 4   | 11  | My Sweet Cookie (Aus)   | Hussonet               | Moses        |
| 5   | 13  | Dalzar (Aus)            | Xaar (GB)              | Duryea       |
| 6   | 18  | Formula One Racer (Aus) | Anabaa                 | Forster      |
| 7   | 8   | Moatize (Aus)           | Danehill Dancer (Ire)  | J B Cummings |
| 8   | 17  | Petushki (NZ)           | Golan (Ire)            | Wheeler      |
| 9   | 15  | Mynewbestfriend (NZ)    | Ebony Grosve (NZ)      | Phelan       |
| 10  | 4   | Circle of Fame (Aus)    | Arena (Aus)            | Craig        |
| 11  | 1   | Rainbow Styling (NZ)    | Zabeel (NZ)            | Hawkes       |
| 12  | 20  | Norse Code (NZ)         | Viking Ruler (Aus)     | Forster      |
| 13  | 3   | Havayarn (Aus)          | Lujain                 | Bailey       |
| 14  | 14  | Dont Call Me Bruce (NZ) | Faltaat                | Wallace      |
| 15  | 9   | Fordee (Aus)            | Choisir (Aus)          | Griffiths    |
| 16  | 16  | Innovator (Aus)         | Dehere                 | Heathcote    |
| 17  | 7   | Where's Henry (Aus)     | Red Ransom             | Rogers       |
| 18  | 6   | Riva San (Aus)          | Any Given Sunday (Aus) | Moody        |
| 19  | 12  | Rathsallagh (NZ)        | O'Reilly (NZ)          | Cameron      |
| 20  | 2   | Donor Amoris (Aus)      | Show a Heart (Aus)     | Wells        |
| ΑII | car | ry 125.5 pounds, ex     | kcept Riva San, Ra     | thsallagh,   |
| Do  | nor | Amoris, 119.            |                        |              |
| _   |     |                         |                        |              |

The Bart Cummings-trained **Moatize**, still a maiden, is following the footsteps of the conditioner's 2007 Qld Derby winner Empire's Choice (Aus); both were runner-up in the G3 Packer Plate at Randwick before finishing in the frame in the Rough Habit Plate. In that race, at Doomben on May 24, Moatize joined the fray at the 200-meters only to have **Mission Critical** deny him my a nose. Moatize has been runner-up in four of five career outings, and Cummings says the gelding is on track to graduate in style here. He is A\$3.10 ante-post favourite to turn the tables on Mission Critical. That Mike Moroney-trained colt, rated a A\$4.20 chance, will be suited by a likely dead surface following torrential rain in Queensland this week.

| BIDS FOR THE TRIPLE CROWN<br>SINCE AFFIRMED'S 1978 SUCCESS |                               |                       |  |  |  |
|--|-------------------------------|-----------------------|--|--|--|
| Year   | <b>Derby/Preakness Winner</b> | <b>Belmont Finish</b> |  |  |  |
| 2004   | Smarty Jones                  | 2nd                   |  |  |  |
| 2003   | Funny Cide                    | 3rd                   |  |  |  |
| 2002   | War Emblem                    | 8th                   |  |  |  |
| 1999   | Charismatic                   | 3rd                   |  |  |  |
| 1998   | Real Quiet                    | 2nd                   |  |  |  |
| 1997   | Silver Charm                  | 2nd                   |  |  |  |
| 1989   | Sunday Silence                | 2nd                   |  |  |  |
| 1987   | Alysheba                      | 4th                   |  |  |  |
| 1982   | Pleasant Colony               | 3rd                   |  |  |  |
| 1979   | Spectacular Bid               | 3rd                   |  |  |  |

Saturday, Eagle Farm, Brisbane, Australia, post time: 3:55 p.m.

| AΑ  | MI | STRADBROKE H.          | - <b>G1</b> , A\$1,000,00 | 00, 1400m               | Τ,  |
|-----|----|------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-----|
| SC  | PP | HORSE                  | SIRE                      | TRAINER                 | WT  |
| 1   | 4  | Casino Prince (Aus)    | Flying Spur (Aus)         | A Cummings              | 126 |
| 2   | 16 | Sniper's Bullet (Aus)  | Bite the Bullet (Aus)     | Bartley                 | 125 |
| 3   | 11 | Swick (NZ)             | O'Reilly (NZ)             | $\  \   J  B  Cummings$ | 124 |
| 4   | 2  | Ice Chariot (Aus)      | Semipalatinsk             | Maund                   | 122 |
| 5   | 6  | Black Ink (Aus)        | Snippets (Aus)            | L Kelly                 | 119 |
| 6   | 21 | Atapi (Aus)            | Last Tycoon (Ire)         | Dwyer                   | 119 |
| 7   | 9  | German Chocolate (Aus) | Kenny's Best Pal (Aus)    | Cave                    | 119 |
| 8   | 10 | Hard to Catch (Aus)    | Dodge (Aus)               | Duff                    | 119 |
| 9   | 12 | Omnitrader (Aus)       | Unbridled's Song          | M Thexton               | 119 |
| 10  | 1  | Pinnacles (Aus)        | Fuji Kiseki (Jpn)         | Hore-Lacy               | 119 |
| 11  | 18 | Swiss Ace (Aus)        | Secret Savings            | Mair                    | 119 |
| 12  | 5  | Vormista (Aus)         | Testa Rossa (Aus)         | Minervini               | 119 |
| 13  | 7  | Double Dare (NZ)       | O'Reilly (NZ)             | Waller                  | 118 |
| 14  | 24 | Helideck (Aus)         | Iglesia (Aus)             | Cavanough               | 118 |
| 15  | 8  | Mr Baritone (NZ)       | Stravinsky                | Moroney                 | 118 |
| 16  | 23 | Murtajill (Aus)        | Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)   | Martin                  | 118 |
| 17  | 17 | Diplomatic Force (Aus) | Oamaru Force (Aus)        | Nichols                 | 117 |
| 18  | 19 | El Cambio (Aus)        | Commands (Aus)            | Snowden                 | 117 |
| 19  | 20 | Absolut Glam (Aus)     | Snowland (Aus)            | O'Brien                 | 115 |
| 20  | 15 | Chinchilla Rose (Aus)  | Lion Hunter (Aus)         | Ryan                    | 115 |
| 21e | 22 | Juste Momente (Aus)    | Giant's Causeway          | O'Brien                 | 117 |
| 22e | 13 | Turffontein (Aus)      | Johannesburg              | A Cummings              | 113 |
| 23e | 3  | Fritz's Princess (Aus) | More Than Ready           | Lees                    | 117 |
| 24e | 14 | Easy Rocker (Aus)      | Easy Rocking (Aus)        | Gollan                  | 116 |
| _   |    | 1                      |                           |                         |     |

The marketing campaign for **Casino Prince**, who will stand his debut season at newly established Patinack Farm in the Hunter Valley, has begun in earnest, but the Anthony Cummings-trainee has one more target and has been kept fresh for this assignment. His last outing was when third to Racing to Win (Aus) in the G1 All-Aged S. at Randwick May 3. The winner of the G1 Chipping Norton S. on Mar. 22 at Randwick is A\$4.50 favorite ahead of **Vormista**, who is expected to improve after finishing off the board in the Doomben 10,000 May 24. The Gold Coast-trained **Omnitrader** will retire after the Stradbroke; it will be the 10-year-old's 119th career start.

## Sunday, Hollywood Park HOLLYWOOD OAKS-GII, \$150,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m (AWT)

| PΡ | HORSE               | SIRE             | JOCKEY   | WT  |
|----|---------------------|------------------|----------|-----|
| 1  | Million Dollar Run  | Tejano Run       | Rosario  | 113 |
| 2  | Divine Legacy       | Full Mandate     | Talamo   | 113 |
| 3  | Gambler's Justice   | Lit de Justice   | Migliore | 113 |
| 4  | Smooth Performer    | Benchmark        | M Baze   | 113 |
| 5  | Lethal Heat         | Unusual Heat     | Bejarano | 113 |
| 6  | Fire n' Brimstone   | Pulpit           | Espinoza | 113 |
| 7  | Miss Singhsix (Ire) | Singspiel (Ire)  | Solis    | 113 |
| 8  | Bel Air Sizzle      | Unusual Heat     | Potts    | 119 |
| 9  | Tasha's Miracle     | Harlan's Holiday | Garcia   | 113 |

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# Q&A WITH THE BREEDERS' CUP BOARD CANDIDATES

Why do you want to serve on the Breeders' Cup Board?

#### **BOB CROMARTIE**

The Board is charged with the responsibility of governing the Breeders' Cup. Its Board members and direc-



tors each contribute different views with a collective theme of responsibility to our membership/ stakeholders. I see the potential for the Breeders' Cup to unify our sport on a grand level. Over the past three years, we have seen some very positive changes toward making Thoroughbred racing a more accessible sport for television viewers as well as the participants within the sport.

Internal changes have also created a more efficient and productive

Board. The smaller Board of Directors guided by the larger Board of Trustees has proved to be a more efficient in strategic management of the Breeders' Cup. Since individual directors and trustees lend a perspective drawn from personal experience, the revised structure allows for many viewpoints which represent the varied constituency that make the Breeders' Cup the great institution that it is, and the greater institution that it promises to become.

My history as an equine professional has given me an understanding of the effects that the Board's decisions have on a large segment of our breeding community. As a small farm owner and breeder, and as a hands-on manager of racing partnerships and stallion syndications, I am able to keep the pulse of a very important segment of the population of the Breeders' Cup supporters. In the management of stallions, I see the contributions made to the development of the Breeders' Cup by small breeders from regional markets. Recognizing that every single contribution is important to the success of the overall program, I have felt very honored to be a representative of a segment of our industry that contributes to the Breeders' Cup, and I take seriously the responsibilities entrusted to me. Over the last three years, the Breeders' Cup has made strides of progress. I want to be re-elected to another term on the Board so that I can continue to work at improving a sport that I am not only passionate about, but one that supports an industry which has been the basis of my professional career for over 35 years.

#### ALLAN G. LAVIN, JR.

I am 46 years old, a fourth generation horseman, from Goshen, Kentucky, and the General Manager of Longfield Farm and Lavin Bloodstock Services.



In my opinion, our landscape is far too similar to that of years gone by. We are still talking about too many of the same things, year after year, and the list is getting longer not shorter.

Imagine, if you will, that our industry is in a horse race at the classic American distance of 1 ¼ miles, and Tom Durkin bellows "they have gone three quarters in 1:19, oh my." As an industry, we don't act at all like Thoroughbreds. If we

don't pick up the pace, our chart will read, in the distinctive verbiage of the *Daily Racing Form* Charts: "Racing, gave way" and then, "came up empty" while "no factor" and, "lacked the needed response." I can't give you all of the answers. I didn't lobby to be on the ballot. However, I am honored to be a nominee, and I will be happy to serve. If elected, I will help try to move things in the right direction and at a better pace than our current one, so that perhaps we may, "finish willingly to be up in time" or better yet, "draw clear under steady urging."

#### **BILL OPPENHEIM**

The Breeders' Cup was created 25 years ago because breeders recognized that prize money in American rac-



ing needed shoring up; owners were losing too much money. That situation hasn't markedly changed. It is masked in some states by on-track slot-machine money, but longer-term solutions to prize-money and field size issues must still be on the agenda.

Our industry is also faced with serious horse-welfare issues. It is imperative that these be addressed by all national bodies with any power to make changes. The Breed-

ers' Cup needs to be supporting research into determining whether synthetic surfaces really do produce fewer racetrack fatalities than dirt; if the science proves they do, the Breeders' Cup Board should consider whether to mandate holding Breeders' Cup days only at tracks which race on these surfaces.

Moreover, the main two-day event itself faces increasing competition from Asia. Hong Kong runs a series of races in early December with equal if not better prize money, and allows international owners and trainers to compete in a 'drug-free' environment as far as raceday medication is concerned.

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Increasingly our so-called "World Championships" look to the rest of the world like baseball's World Series--irrelevant to almost everybody outside North America. Banning raceday medication on the Breeders' Cup days would be a signal both to welfare activists and the international racing community that the industry is serious about trying to fix our problems.

I'm surprised and honored to be considered for this position, and can promise I would be an activist--and analytical--board member, representing industry workers and professionals, who need to have a greater voice at the industry's policy-making 'top tables.'

#### **BARRY WEISBORD**

It is a common source of frustra-tion among racing industry members that all too frequently, the most



nobly conceived, well-thought-out initiatives are waylaid by our sport's fractionalization. State regulations, disputes between tracks and horsemen, and the lack of a national organization with the authority to affect universal change for the sport are just some of the roadblocks we face. What a refreshing change, then, the Breeders' Cup represents. As a breeder and owner for over 30 years, I am incredibly proud that we

breeders have funded the greatest weekend of racing in the world. Through the nature of our funding, we haven given the event a longevity and created an organization that can be a great catalyst for positive change in the industry. Moreso than any other group in racing, breeders can act in lockstep to effectuate that change. I would like to serve on the Breeders' Cup board to apply my three decades of experience in industry marketing and innovation to help ensure that the \$20-million investment the breeders pour into the program every year delivers the greatest possible payoff to them and to the industry as a whole.

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RECICLADA (CHI), 13, Rictorious--Exing (Chi), by Exceller

Foal born May 10, a colt by Pleasantly Perfect.

Will be bred back to Pleasantly Perfect.

Owned by Diamond A Racing Corp.

Boarded at Diamond A Farm.

Accomplishments: MGSW-US & GSW & G1SP-Chi, \$351,971-US.

DOUBLE WOW, 16, With Approval--Triple Wow, by Coastal

Foal born May 11, a filly by Forest Wildcat.

Owned by Krista Seltzer.

Boarded at Hidden Brook Farm.

Accomplishments: Dam of La Perouse (El Prado {Ire}), SW; Wow Me Free (Menifee), GSW, \$215,739.

MISS LOREN (ARG), 10, Numerous--Luminare (Arg), by Forlitano (Arg)

Foal born May 13, a filly by Bernardini.

Will be bred back to Invasor (Arg).

Owned by Mercedes Stables LLC.

Boarded at Diamond A Farm.

Accomplishments: Ch. Older Mare-Arg, GISW-US & MG1SW-Arg, \$520,892-US.

FIRST VIOLIN, 10, Dixieland Band--Sunrise Symphony, by Secretariat

Foal born May 14, a filly by Biwa Shinseiki (Jpn). Owned by Hill 'n' Dale Equine Holdings, Inc and Heo Young Hee.

Boarded at Hill 'n' Dale Farms.

Accomplishments: SP. Dam of Dominican (El Corredor), GISW, \$630,799.

MISS WINEHOUSE, 11, Wolf Power (SAf)--Miss Mississippi, by Cormorant

Foal born May 14, a colt by Roman Ruler.

Will be bred back to Roman Ruler.

Owned by Mike Pegram.

Boarded at Hill 'n' Dale Farms.

Accomplishments: SW & MGSP, \$189,080.

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**STALLION PROSPECTS - 3YOS** 

**Best** Rank (prev. week) Name 0wner Breeder Trainer Last Race - Video **BRIS STATUS** 1(1)-BIG BROWN (Boundary) IEAH/Pompa Jr Monticule R Dutrow 1st GI Preakness S. 110 6/7 GI Belmont S. ('08: 4-4-0-0, \$2,714,500; '07: 1-1-0-0, \$37,800) **RETIRES TO THREE CHIMNEYS** 

(Added to a powerful Derby score with equally scintillating Preakness performance. Two down, will 'Brown' get the crown Saturday?...Christina Bossinakis)

2(2)-WAR PASS (Cherokee Run) Robert LaPenta Cherry Valley Zito 2nd GI Wood Memorial 114 Sidelined ('08: 3-1-1-0, \$186,000; '07: 4-4-0-0, \$1,387,400) **RETIRES TO LANE'S END** 

(A half to GISW Oath, the juvenile champ emerged from a hard-fought second in the Wood with an ankle injury...Christina Bossinakis)

3(3)-PYRO (Pulpit) Asmussen 8th GI Kentucky Derby 100 6/14 GIII Northern Dancer Winchell Tbreds Homebred

('08: 4-2-0-0, \$540,000; '07: 4-1-2-1, \$516,718) **RETIRES TO DARLEY** 

(Iffy efforts in Blue Grass and Derby aside, this fellow's been a top-class runner who should rebound in second half of year...Lucas Marquardt)

4(4)-TALE OF EKATI (Tale of the Cat) Charles Fipke **Homebred** 4th GI Kentucky Derby 100 6/7 GI Belmont S. Tagg

('08: 3-1-0-0, \$556,000; '07: 4-2-1-0, \$313,200)

(From the family of champion Sky Beauty, GI Wood Memorial winner was a solid fourth in GI Kentucky Derby. Tries BB again Saturday...Jessica Martini)

Fujisawa 1st GII Peter Pan S. 5(5)-CASINO DRIVE (Mineshaft) Yamamoto Hidetoshi Shell Bldstck 109 6/7 GI Belmont S. ('08: 2-2-0-0, \$185,282; '07: 0-0-0-0, \$0)

(Chestnut has the best chance of upsetting the apple cart and creating massive history of his own on Belmont Day...Alan Carasso)

6(6)-MAJESTIC WARRIOR (A.P. Indy) Kinsman Homebred Mott 4th Derby Trial 6/7 GII W. Stephens S.

('08: 3-0-0-0, \$31,529; '07: 3-2-0-0, \$195,200)

**RETIRES TO COOLMORE** (Regally bred and Grade I winner at two, but hasn't been a factor in three 2008 starts. Can he turn it around Saturday?...Lucas Marquardt)

7(7)-COLONEL JOHN (Tiznow) 98 7/12 GII Swaps S. WinStar Farm Homebred 6th GI Kentucky Derby Harty

('08: 3-2-0-0, \$570,000; '07: 4-2-2-0, \$255,300)

(GI Santa Anita Derby winner was not disgraced when sixth in GI Kentucky Derby; could still prove a factor on traditional dirt down the road...Andy Belfiore)

8(8)-COURT VISION (Gulch) WinStar/IEAH **W S Farish** 13th GI Kentucky Derby 98 Undecided Mott

('08: 3-0-0-2, \$110,000; '07: 4-3-1-0, \$257,542)

(MGSW at two had a rough trip in the Derby when 13th; plenty of pedigree appeal from the family of A.P. Indy, Summer Squall, et al... Steve Sherack)

9(9)-ADRIANO (A.P. Indy) 19th GI Kentucky Derby 101 7/19 GII Virginia Derby **Courtlandt Farms** Homebred Motion

('08: 4-2-0-0, \$309,300; '07: 4-1-1-0, \$78,400)

(The GII Lane's End S. winner, who is from the family of MGISW Bet Twice, will return to the grass after a lackluster Derby effort...Christina Bossinakis)

10(10)-COOL COAL MAN (Mineshaft) Robert LaPenta Farish/Hudson Zito 15th GI Kentucky Derby 100 Undecided

('08: 4-2-0-0, \$235,800; '07: 5-2-1-0, \$71,731)

(Grade II winner is much better than his last two...Expect a strong summer and fall...Alan Carasso)

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#### EL GATO MALO INJURED El Gato Malo (El

Corredor) has suffered an undisclosed injury and will be out of action until the fall. Trainer Craig Dollase told



Daily Racing Form the gelding was suffering from "wear and tear" and added, "We'll just give him some time. It's minor, what it is." El Gato Malo has won four of six starts, including a victory in the GIII San Rafael S. He was knocked off the Triple Crown Horsephotos trail by a fifth-place effort in the GI Santa Anita Derby, but re-

bounded with a half-length triumph in the May 10 GIII Lone Star Derby last time out.

#### FASY TO REPLACE GREEN ON NTRA BOARD

During its quarterly Board of Directors meeting at Belmont Park yesterday, the National Thoroughbred Racing Association announced that William Fasy will fill the Eastern Region Independent Board seat. The seat was previously occupied by Robert Green, whose term has expired. Fasy is chairman, president and chief executive officer of Delaware Park.

#### SUFFOLK FLOATS MASSCAP BONUS SCHEME

Suffolk Downs will increase the purse of this year's Massachusetts H. to \$5 million if both Big Brown and Curlin remain unbeaten in 2008 and both go postward in the Sept. 20 event. The \$5 million would include a \$1-million participation bonus for each. The nine-furlong race, currently worth \$500,000, is one of five races in the Breeders' Cup Challenge "Win and You're In" Classic Division. The additional purse money would be funded by Coastal Development, LLC, a company controlled by Richard T. Fields, the largest shareholder of Suffolk Downs in East Boston, Massachusetts.

#### **RACING ON TV:**

#### Friday, June 6

GII Brooklyn H., GIII Hill Prince S. (from Belmont Park) - 4 p.m., ESPN2

#### SATURDAY, JUNE 7

Today at the Belmont Stakes (from Belmont Park) - 12 p.m., **ESPN** 

The Belmont Stakes Special (from Belmont Park) - 3 p.m., **ESPN** 

Just a Game S., Manhattan H., Acorn S., True North, Woody Stephens S. (from Belmont Park) - 4 p.m., ESPN Belmont Stakes (from Belmont Park) - 5 p.m., ABC (all in Eastern Time)



2:13p TVG

4th-MTH, Alw, \$40K, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT CATMOSPHERE (Storm

Cat) was an intended runner in last Saturday's Little Silver S. at this track, but was scratched when the race was taken off the turf following early rains. The chestnut, out of a full sister to Kingmambo, makes her first start since finishing fourth in the Sept. 30 Miss Grillo S. at Belmont. brisnet.com pps

3:36p

6th-BEL, Msw, \$53K, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT

HRTV/G Phipps Stable's TOURISM (Seeking the Gold) gets his career started for the Shug McGaughey barn, which tends to bring their horses along slowly. The bay is a yearyounger half-sister to GSW & GISP Sightseeing (Pulpit), who takes his place in the GII Brooklyn H. later in the program. Fox Ridge Farm's Upper Gulch (Gulch) is a daughter of Upper Noosh (Red Ransom), a Grade III winner on the turf on this circuit in the mid-1990s. brisnet.com pps

4:50p HRTV 5th-CDX, Msw, \$41K, 3yo/up, 7f

FOREST COMMAND (Monarchos) combines an all-Oxley pedigree. By the 2001 Kentucky Derby winner, the bay is the first foal to race from Forest Secrets (Forest Wildcat), winner of the GI Acorn S. back in 2001. The bay fired a four-furlong bullet over the Keeneland Polytrack in :45 3/5 from the gate May 22. Perfectus (Maria's Mon), a son of the dual stakes-winning Morelia (Deputy Minister), prepped for this by breezing five-eighths of a mile in a bullet :59 3/5 beneath the Twin Spires May 25. brisnet.com pps

6:54p HRTV 9th-CDX, Msw, \$41K, 3yo/up, 7f

Horton Stable's GROUP DECISION (Empire Maker) is a son of Dream Scheme (Danzig), who upset Sister Act in this track's GII Churchill Downs Distaff H. in 1998. Maite Empire (Empire Maker), second in a pair of starts at two. makes his first appearance since a Keeneland maiden Oct. 13. brisnet.com pps

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#### STAKES CLOSINGS

TOMORROW, SATURDAY, JUNE 7:

06-21 \$150/100,000 New York Breeders' Cup H.-II, Bel, 3yo/up, f/m, 10fT (150)

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Yesterday's Results:

**DYNAMIC LISA S.**, \$80,500, BEL, 6-5, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 7fT, 1:22 3/5, gd.

- 1--REWRITE, 123, m, 5, Editor's Note--Fickle Friends (MGSP, \$254,130), by Demons Begone. O/B-Amherst Stable LLC (NY); T-Christophe Clement; J-Garrett K Gomez; \$48,300. Lifetime Record: 15-8-1-3, \$397,695.
- 2--Mohegan Sky, 123, m, 5, Straight Man--Seattle Moon, by Seattle Dancer. (\$180,000 yrl '04 FTNAUG). O-Larry Enterline. \$16,100.
- 3--Love Cove, 121, f, 4, Not For Love--Sand Pirate, by Desert Wine. (\$75,000 yrl '05 FTNAUG). O-Laue Ranch. \$8,050.

Margins: 2HF, 2, 2. Odds: 1.30, 2.10, 5.00.

Rewrite was second in a fall renewal of this race Sept. 29 and closed a successful year by taking the Oct. 20 Ticonderoga H. on this turf course and Aqueduct's Gaily Gaily S. against open company Nov. 18. In one appearance this season, the chestnut was a decent third in this track's Mount Vernon H. May 18. Allowed to lope along on the outside, Rewrite responded to a vigorous ride from Garrett Gomez and swept by all her rivals to her fifth career stakes success. The winner is out of a half-sister to GI Breeders' Cup Classic hero Volponi. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.

**7th-BEL**, \$**60,000**, **Alw**, Opt. Clm. (\$75,000), NW3X, 4yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:49 4/5, gd.

- 1--OPERATION RED DAWN, 118, g, 6, Miswaki--Afaladja (Ire) (SW & GSP-Fr, SP-US, \$115,215), by Darshaan (GB). O/B-Dion A Recachina (KY); T-Christophe Clement. Lifetime Record: MGSP, 16-4-8-2, \$227,394.
- 2--Sensational Humor, 118, g, 5, Distorted Humor--My Sensation, by Mining. (\$80,000 2yo '05 OBSAPR).
- 3--True Dancer, 118, g, 8, First and Only--Private Dancer, by Seattle Dancer.

Margins: 3/4, HF, 1 1/4. Odds: 2.20, 13.00, 21.10. Third in the nine-furlong GIII Knickerbocker H. at Aqueduct Oct. 28, Operation Red Dawn faltered in the Nov. 10 GII Red Smith H. over 11 panels, but returned to a more comfortable distance and missed by a nose in a one-mile allowance at Gulfstream Jan. 12. Given 3 1/2 months off following that effort, the veteran resurfaced to be runner-up in Aqueduct's GIII Fort Marcy H. Apr. 27 and was a warm item in this softer spot. Slightly worse than centerfield for the opening 3/4 of a mile, Operation Red Dawn came through on the inside and edged away late. Duveen (Horse Chestnut {SAf}) was fifth as the 7-5 chalk.

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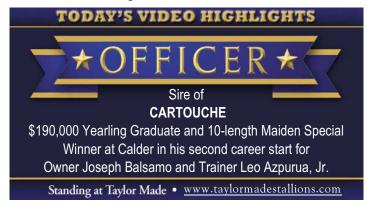
**5th-BEL, \$49,000, Alw**, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11, mv.

UNDER SERVICED (f, 3, Hook and Ladder--Gaye's Blossom, by Thirty Six Red), a \$47,000 OBSAUG yearling and \$325,000 OBSFEB juvenile, debuted in open company in California and got the job done at first asking, taking a Cushion Track maiden at Hollywood Park by a head last June 24. Making her first start in 346 days, the bay filly argued the early pace from the inside, took a short lead in the stretch and fought her way to a one-length victory as the even-money favorite. Oniyome (Gilded Time) was second best. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$57,000. Click for the brisnet.com chart. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.

O-Michael E Pegram, Karl Watson & Weitman Performances. B-Thomas/Lakin (NY). T-Bob Baffert.

4th-BEL, \$53,000, Msw, 3/up, 1 1/4mT, 2:04 1/5, gd. FIND THE WIRE (c, 3, Orientate--Special Appeal {SW, \$117,898}, by Stalwars) ran fourth against \$80,000 maiden claimers over the Gulfstream turf Feb. 24, then nearly took a group of special-weight horses gate to wire Apr. 14 before finishing runner-up. The \$85,000 KEESEP yearling tried the Woodbine Polytrack for his latest, but beat just one home after setting a pressured pace. Settled in third here as favored Champagne Squall (Ire) (Daylami {Ire}) cut out a moderate pace, the dark bay came out at the head of the stretch and drove past the pacesetter for a half-length victory as the 10-1 second-longest shot in the field. Lifetime Record: 8-1-1-1, \$46,167.

O-J & S Hill. B-Margaux Farm LLC (KY). T-Reade Baker.



8th-BEL (Dynamic Lisa S. Rewrite (Editor's Note) posts her fifth career stakes score.

5th-BEL (Alw \$49K) Under Serviced (Hook and Ladder) maintains her perfect record.

7th-CDX (Alw \$43K) Veiled Prophet (Kingmambo) earns her first turf success.

5th-PIM (Alw/Opt. Clm. \$26K) Pissarro (Empire Maker) shines in her turf bow.

2nd-BEL (Msw \$50K) Golden Artemis (Malibu Moon) displays sharp speed in her debut.

<u>6th-MTH (Msw \$37K)</u> Atomic Rain (Smart Strike) proves a popular winner.



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2nd-BEL, \$50,960, Msw, 2yo, f, 5f, :59 2/5, my. + GOLDEN ARTEMIS (f, 2, Malibu Moon--Native Trinket, by Dove Hunt) showed plenty of promise in the mornings and capped a strong worktab with a half-mile breeze in :47 3/5 over the training track May 26. After ducking in just a touch at the break, the attractive dark bay was urged along and was in front as they entered the turn. Traveling willingly and in hand to the quarter pole, she opened up at will and won much easier than the final two-length margin over True Bliss (Yes It's True) might indicate. Sent off as the 5-2 third choice, she is the first-ever homebred winner for her owner. Her second dam is a half-sister to the fleet Kelly Kip. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$31,200. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.

O-Edgewood Farm. B-David S Moore (KY). T-Kiaran P McLaughlin.



#### Yesterday's Results:

**5th-PIM, \$26,000, Alw**, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000-\$45,000), NW1X, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:45, gd.

PISSARRO (f, 3, Empire Maker--Miss Legality {MGSW, \$396,950}, by Skip Trial) took in a pair of six-furlong races to begin her career, finishing second on debut May 4 before graduating by six popular lengths May 23. Getting turf and two turns for her first try versus winners, the homebred steadied into the first turn and raced towards the back of the back through the opening furlongs. Wide into the lane, she lugged in at the eighth pole and bobbled inside the final furlong, but still managed to run down Whitepark Bay (Giant's Causeway) to score by a neck at odds of 5-2. She is a half to Hair Spray (Pentelicus), GSW, \$202,027; and Legal Control (Thunder Gulch), MSW, \$247,502. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$36,660. Click for the brisnet.com chart. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made. O/B-Fitzhugh LLC (MD). T-Richard W Small.

6th-MTH, \$37,000, Msw, 2yo, 5f, :57 3/5, ft.

ATOMIC RAIN (c, 2, Smart Strike--Paradise Pond, by Cox's Ridge), adding Lasix off a runner-up effort in a 4 1/2-furlong maiden at this track May 18, was sent off at 9-10 to get it done in this slightly longer affair. Settled just off the early pace, the \$170,000 KEESEP yearling poked a head in front at the eighth pole and went on to score by 2 1/2 lengths. Rapid Redux (Pleasantly Perfect) was scratched. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$29,600. Click for the brisnet.com chart. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.

O-George & Lori Hall. B-William L S Landes III & Laura & Sarah Landes (KY). T-Kelly J Breen.

1st-CRC, \$16,100, Msw, 3,4,5yo, 6f, 1:11 3/5, ft. CARTOUCHE (c, 3, Officer-Paris Gem, by Rubiano) turned in a promising debut effort at Gulfstream Park Apr. 12, finishing third in a highly rated seven-furlong maiden. Drawn inside here as the 19-10 second choice, the dark bay dueled for the lead inside favored Starship Destroyer (Northern Afleet), put that one away turning for home and streaked under the line a 10-length winner. A \$60,000 KEENOV weanling, the half-brother to Roll Your Own (Smoke Glacken), SP, \$165,929, matured into a \$190,000 FTMOCT yearling. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$13,660.

O-Joseph J Balsamo. B-Epona LLC (KY). T-Leo J Azpurua Jr.

#### Register Named NJSEA Senior VP of Racing:

The New Jersey Sports and Exposition Authority has named Lennon Register Senior Vice President of Racing, effective in August. Dennis Down, who previously served in that position, has been named Senior Vice President of Legal and Governmental Affairs. Register has served nine years as Chief Financial Officer for Pennwood Racing and worked for the NJSEA from 1985-1998, concluding that time as Assistant Vice President of Financial Operations.

#### \* CANADA \*

#### Yesterday's Results:

**2nd-WOX**, **\$69,681**, **Msw**, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:44 1/5, ft.

SKIPPING QUEEN (f, 3, Touch Gold--American Skipper, by Quiet American) debuted with a third-place effort in a six-furlong Gulfstream maiden Mar. 24 and improved one spot in her latest, a seven-furlong test over this Polytrack Apr. 25. Favored at 9-10 in her inaugural two-turn voyage, the homebred bided her time from second behind a long leader, advanced on the turn and opened up down the lane to take it by 4 1/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, \$59,790.

O-Stronach Stables. B-Adena Springs (ON). T-Brian A Lynch.

8th-WOX, \$67,386, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2fT, 1:16 2/5, fm.

+ HILLBURY (f, 3, Deputy Commander--Reeds Hill, by Gulch), a 5-1 shot in her debut, showed good speed to track the pacesetter, took control in upper stretch and went on to a 2 3/4-length victory. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$38,887.

O-Melnyk Racing Stables Inc. B-Eugene Melnyk (ON). T-Malcolm Pierce.

Due to the ongoing dispute involving Florida horsemen, video replays from Calder Race Course are currently unavailable.



#### ★ CENTRAL ★

Yesterday's Results:

8th-CDX, \$45,200, Alw, NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:16 3/5, ft.

BE GOLDEN (f, 4, Touch Gold--Could Be {GSW, \$262,922}, by Geiger Counter), last of nine in Gulfstream allowance company Feb. 4, bounced back to complete the trifecta in a similar event Mar. 6 before getting a breather. The homebred resurfaced at this venue Apr. 30 and gave a good account of herself, setting the early pace before holding on for second. The dark bay gave their connections a second win on the program here, leading throughout en route to a 5 1/4-length win over Lenawee (Albert the Great) as the 9-5 chalk. Lifetime Record: 9-3-1-3, \$98,088.
O-Richard, Bertram & Elaine Klein. B-Reklein Stables (KY). T-Steve Margolis.

7th-CDX, \$43,100, Alw, N1X, 3vo, 1mT, 1:36 3/5, fm. VEILED PROPHET (c, 3, Kingmambo--Costume Party, by Storm Cat) returned from a seven-month absence to win his maiden at Turfway Park Mar. 22, but tried to jump the rail and lost his rider coming out of the chute of a Keeneland Polytrack allowance Apr. 24. An even fifth in his one-mile turf bow May 17, he was given a 7-2 chance to improve off that effort. The homebred caboosed the field through the opening half-mile, accelerated on the turn, came wide for the drive and finished with good energy to post a three-length victory. Teeberry (Black Minnaloushe) was a pacesetting second, while Route (Dynaformer) finished a non-threatening fifth at 4-1. Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-1, \$48,985. \$31,200. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made. O/B-G Watts Humphrey Jr & Louise I Humphrey (KY). T-George R Arnold II.

**6th-CDX**, **\$41,400**, **Msw**, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:16 3/5, ft.

PUMP UP (f, 3, Smart Strike--Round Robin {SW}, by Mt. Livermore) had displayed steady improvement through her three previous starts, finishing fifth at Gulfstream Feb. 20, fourth in Hallandale Mar. 24 and second in a seven-furlong test at this venue Apr. 29. The 5-2 second choice to graduate here, the half to this owners' Change Up (Distorted Humor), GSW, \$343,812, ranged up three deep on the turn, struck the front in upper stretch and pulled away to take it by 3 3/4 lengths. Coy Cat (Hold That Tiger) completed the exacta. The debuting Pleasant Song (Unbridled's Song) was fourth. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-0, \$37,825. O-Richard, Bertram & Elaine Klein. B-Reklein Stables (KY). T-Steve Margolis.

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4th-CDX, \$34,965, Msw, 2yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:03 4/5, ft. CORLETT (f, 2, Outofthebox--Hold Your Hush, by Alwuhush) attracted the services of Garrett Gomez for her 4 1/2-furlong bow at Keeneland Apr. 19, but raced in midpack for most of the trip and checked in sixth. Adding Lasix for this second appearance, the dark bay showed much-improved speed to dispute the pace from the inside, brushed with Nolana (El Corredor) in upper stretch and outfought that one to the wire to score by a neck at odds of 4-1. A \$7,500 OBSOCT weanling purchase, the Florida-bred was resold for \$50,000 as a KEESEP yearling. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$19,530. O-Silverton Hill LLC. B-Carlos Rafael & Briggs & Cromartie (FL). T-Darrin Miller.

#### ★ SO. CALIFORNIA ★

Yesterday's Results:

**2nd-HOL**, **\$67,158**, **Alw**, Opt. Clm. (\$150,000), NW1\$R6M, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:35 2/5, fm.

- \*1--HELLO SUNDAY (FR), 118, h, 5, Poliglote (GB)--Hello Molly (Fr), by Sillery. O-Gary A Tanaka; B-EARL Haras Du Camp Benard (FR); T-Robert J Frankel. Lifetime Record: GSW-Fr, GISP-US, 23-5-0-5, \$372,581. \*Full to Hello Morning (Fr), G1SP-Fr, \$171,790.
- 2--**Unusual Suspect**, 124, c, 4, Unusual Heat--Penpont (NZ), by Crested Wave.
- 3--Decado (Ire), 124, h, 5, Danehill Dancer (Ire)--Pirie, by Green Dancer. (€110,000 yrl '04 GOFORB). Margins: 1HF, HF, 1 3/4. Odds: 1.30, 2.50, 7.60. \*Epic Power (Epic Honor) finished first, but was DQd to fifth.

Hello Sunday earned this victory via the stewards, who demoted Epic Power (Epic Honor) from first to fifth. A Group 3 winner in France and third in last year's GI Pacific Classic, Hello Sunday came into this event off back-to-back fifth-place efforts, first in the Mar. 8 Santana Mile H. over the Santa Anita Cushion Track and the GIII Inglewood H. over the local turf course May 3. Held up in midpack, the bay attempted to knife his way between horses in the stretch, but was forced to steady when Epic Power drifted in. He came through gamely to miss by a nose and was ultimately awarded the victory.

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**7th-HOL**, **\$62,524**, **Alw**, Opt. Clm. (\$80,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, 6f (AWT), 1:08 3/5, ft.

- 1--SILVER STETSON MAN, 120, c, 4, Silver Charm--Ribbons, by Beau Genius. (\$3,500 wlng '04 KEENOV; \$45,000 yrl '05 FTKJUL). O-Michael E Pegram; B-Douglas & Mary Ann Strayer & Silver Charm Partners (KY); T-Bob Baffert. Lifetime Record: 7-4-0-1, \$138,780. \*1/2 to Sparkling Pink (Marquetry), SW, \$205,980.
- 2--Bro Lo, 120, g, 5, In Excess (Ire)--Farr Bettor Miss, by Sir Harry Lewis.
- 3--Sea of Pleasure, 117, c, 3, Sea of Secrets-Doubleyourpleasure, by Double Negative. (\$23,000 yrl '06 FTKOCT).

Margins: 1, 1HF, HF. Odds: 1.20, 8.10, 2.60.
Silver Stetson Man opened his career with three straight victories before ending 2007 with a third-place finish in a Nov. 10 optional claimer and a solid eighth-place effort in the Dec. 26 GI Malibu S. In his only previous outing this term, the bay colt was fourth in a strong optional claimer field Apr. 14. Silver Stetson Man shadowed the pacesetter from third, forged to the lead in deep stretch and inched clear.

8th-HOL, \$50,000, Msw, 2yo, 5f (AWT), :57 3/5, ft. + KELLY LEAK (c, 2, Runaway Groom--Hasty Appeal, by World Appeal) prepared for his debut with a best-of-96 four-furlong move at Santa Anita May 28 in :46 4/5. Sent off at 5-1, the bay colt settled off the pace in fourth, rallied widest into the stretch and reeled in the leaders down the lane to win going away by 1 1/4 lengths over 34-1 longshot Massone (Menifee). Favored Let'spickupthepace (Pure Precision) was a nose back in third. A \$29,000 OBSAUG yearling and \$110,000 OBSMAR juvenile, Kelly Leak is a half brother to Dr. Park (Honor Grades, GSW, \$231,559). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$28,800.

O-Blahut Racing, LLC, Avila, Johnson, et al. B-Luis de Hechavarria (FL). T-Michael Machowsky.

#### Solis Cousin Joins California Riding Colony:

Michael Martinez, a cousin of jockey Alex Solis, arrived in the U.S. from Panama Thursday and will begin riding in Southern California. The 21-year-old has won 40 races at Panama City's Hippodromo since December. "When he was 15, he told me he wanted to be a jockey," said Solis, who emigrated to the U.S. when he was 16. "I told him, 'No, go to school.' He followed my advice, but after that attended the Jockey School for two years. I told him to watch the races in California and watch the good riders in America. He's got very natural talent and is very good at switching whips. He's very advanced for the short time he's been riding. He was born in Panama City, but grew up in the country. My uncle is a farmer. Michael is very humble and learns quickly."



First-crop starters to watch: Friday, June 6
Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2005 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW
Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)
CUVEE (Carson City), Gainesway, \$10K, 115/1/0
3-PRM, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Rare Vintage, 9-2
DOMESTIC DISPUTE (Unbridled's Song), Northview, \$5K, 70/0/0
3-LS, Msw, 5f, +Deer Lassie, 3-1
NEWFOUNDLAND (Storm Cat), Brookdale, \$15K, 59/2/0
3-PRM, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Birget, 8-1

First/Second-crop starters to watch: Friday, June 6 Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2004 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available) **AUTHENTICATE** (Gone West), Le Mesa, \$3K, 110/15/0 6-LS, Msw, 5f, +Lakeway West, \$24K TEX APR 2yo, 20-1 BALLADO CHIEFTAN (Saint Ballado), Cleary Lake, \$1K, 17/2/0 1-CBY, Msw, 3 1/2f, +Infinite Chief, 6-1 **DARING BID** (Unbridled), Authors, \$1000, 13/0/0 3-EVD, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Chosen Bid, \$1,000 EVA MAR yrl, 12-1 EMPIRE MAKER (Unbridled), Juddmonte, \$100K, 185/17/5 9-CD, Msw, 7f, +Group Decision, \$150K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1 HOLD THAT TIGER (Storm Cat), Ashford, \$15K, 250/46/2 6-AP, Msw, 6f, +Just the Facts, \$37K OBS JUN 2yo, 20-1 MILWAUKEE BREW (Wild Again), Adena South, \$15K, 163/33/2 2-BEL, Msw, 6f, +Intoxicatingbeauty, \$14K FTN OPN yrl ZAVATA (Phone Trick), Walmac, \$8K, 122/22/0 3-PRM, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Ziemak, 20-1

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#### NYRA Announces Sponsorship Partnerships:

The New York Racing Association announced a trio of sponsorship partnerships yesterday. NYRA and UPS have entered into an agreement for the Belmont Park Spring Meeting, including the 2008 Belmont S. The deal is being made in association with ABC Regional Sports Sales. Every race for the remainder of the current Belmont meet will be stamped with the UPS logo and the starting gate and stretch drive will include UPS signage. In another deal made in association with ABC Regional Sports Sales, NYRA and glaceau vitaminwater have reached a partnership agreement which includes naming rights to the GI Acorn S. In yet another partnership, Woodford Reserve has become the official bourbon of the Belmont S. and of Belmont Park. With the partnership, Woodford Reserve becomes the presenting sponsor of Saturday's GI Woodford Reserve Manhattan H. The company has created 5,000 souvenir glasses that will be sold with a featured Belmont S. drink, "Big Brown Chases the Triple Crown." For every glass sold, Woodford Reserve, in association with IEAH, will donate \$3 to Anna's House, a day care center on Belmont Park property.

#### ★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

#### IN BRITAIN:

Aaroness, f, 2, Distorted Humor. See "Ireland."

Asaint Needs Brass, c, 2, Lion Hearted. See "European Breeders' Edition."

Smarterthanuthink, c, 3, <a href="Smart Strike">Smart Strike</a>--Dance Gaily, by Nureyev. Hamilton Park, 6-5, Hcp, 3yo, 11f 16ydsT. B-Chelsea Virginia LLC. \*\$72,000 yrl '06 KEESEP.

Cat by the Tale, f, 3, Tale of the Cat. See "Ireland."

#### IN FRANCE:

- + Enchanting Muse, f, 2, Tale of the Cat. See "France."
- + Randonneur, c, 2, Tale of the Cat. See "France."

#### IN ARGENTINA:

Tatoo You, f, 4, E Dubai--Cherokee Miss (SW, \$108,782), by Cherokee Colony. La Plata, 6-3, Cond, 1400m, 1:25.09. Lifetime Record: 7-3-0-1, P18,000. O-Arroyo de Luna; B-Dell Ridge Farm LLC; T-Horacio Torres. \*Won by five lengths. \*\$50,000 yrl '05 KEESEP.

#### TDN TODAY



2.20 Maisons-Laffitte, Cond, €34,000, 3yo, f, 1mT CHASING STARS (GB) (Observatory), who is out of a half-sister to Elmaamul and Reams of Verse, looked up to stakes standard when bagging a seven-furlong conditions event in impressive fashion at Longchamp last month, but the Juddmonte homebred is kept at this level for one more go. Among her six rivals is the Niarchos family's interesting newcomer Gamma (Fr) (Sadler's Wells), whose relations include Listen (Ire), Sequoyah (Ire), Henrythenavigator and Queen Cleopatra (Ire).

**6.25 Bath, Mdn, £4,600, 2yo, 5f 161ydsT HAWKSPUR (IRE) (<u>Hawk Wing</u>)** is from the Richard Hannon stable and debuts here in the silks of The Royal Ascot Racing Club. The January-foaled son of former stable speedball Lyric Fantasy (Ire) will face 11 other contenders in this sharp test.

6.45 Goodwood, Mdn, £5,500, 2yo, 6fT

**CUSTODY (IRE) (Fusaichi Pegasus)** is a son of G1 Epsom Oaks winner Shahtoush (Ire) and, appropriately, makes his debut on the day of this year's renewal of that Classic. The Highclere Thoroughbred Racing colorbearer is opposed by **Gyr (Ire) (Pivotal {GB})** who also boasts a Classic-winning dam, the G1 Prix de Diane victress Rafha (GB), and is therefore a half-brother to leading sire Invincible Spirit (Ire), among others.

8.55 Goodwood, Cond, £5,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT RED DUNE (IRE) (Red Ransom) achieved the third-highest price when selling for €1.05million at Goffs' 2006 Millions Sale and the Michael Jarvis trainee bids to improve on a maiden-race second at Windsor last month. Sheikh Ahmed bin Rashid Al Maktoum's granddaughter of Hellenic (Ire) tackles a cast of 10 opponents which includes Sterope (Fr) (Hernando {Fr}), a half-sister to G2 Prix Guillaume d'Ornano hero Multidimensional (Ire), from the Henry Cecil yard.

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#### **★** BRITAIN★

#### **PURSUIT OF LOVE EUTHANIZED**

Pursuit of Love (GB) (Groom Dancer--Dance Quest {Fr}, by Green Dancer) has been euthanized after fracturing a fetlock at Throckmorton Court Stud, Racing Post reported yesterday. The sire of the 1998 G1 Yorkshire Oaks winner Catchascatchcan (GB)--who later produced Antonius Pius--the 19-year-old had stood at Peter Balding's Worcestershire base since 2005. Among his other progeny included the 1996 G1 Dewhurst S. runner-up Musical Pursuit (GB). Pursuit of Love is also the broodmare sire of dual Guineas winner Attraction (GB). Bred at Plantation Stud and owned by Lord Howard de Walden, he was third in the G1 2000 Guineas in 1992 before going on to take that year's G2 Prix Maurice de Gheest and G3 Park S. for the Henry Cecil stable. From 13 crops of 429 named foals, Pursuit of Love sired 14 stakes winners, and had career progeny earnings of \$9,246,551.

## Friday, Goodwood, post time: 7:20 p.m. TAPSTER S.-Listed, £30,000, 4vo/up, 1 1/2mT

| SC  | PP | HORSE                 | SIRE                 | TRAINER    |
|-----|----|-----------------------|----------------------|------------|
| 1   | 4  | Al Shemali (GB)       | Medicean (GB)        | bin Suroor |
| 2   | 7  | Dragon Dancer (GB)    | Sadler's Wells       | Wragg      |
| 3   | 5  | Eastern Anthem (Ire)  | Singspiel (Ire)      | bin Suroor |
| 4   | 6  | Peppertree Lane (Ire) | Peintre Celebre      | Johnston   |
| 5   | 3  | Raincoat (GB)         | Barathea (Ire)       | Gosden     |
| 6   | 2  | Sagara                | Sadler's Wells       | bin Suroor |
| 7   | 9  | Shahin                | Kingmambo            | Tregoning  |
| 8   | 1  | Speed Gifted (GB)     | Montjeu (Ire)        | Cumani     |
| 9   | 10 | Young Mick (GB)       | King's Theatre (Ire) | Margarson  |
| 10  | 8  | Maid to Believe (GB)  | Galileo (Ire)        | J Dunlop   |
| ΑII | ca | arry 126 pounds bar N | laid to Believe, 12  | 21.        |

#### Tapster S. cont.

This race sees a low-key return for last year's G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe third **Sagara**, whom Godolphin subsequently purchased from the Niarchos Family. Still without a stakes success despite his high-profile placings in Longchamp's fall feature and G1 Grand Prix de Paris, he should be able to put that right here. "Sagara was third in the Arc last year, and this trip will suit him, but it will be his first start of the season and he will need the race," trainer Saeed bin Suroor said. **Dragon Dancer**, who has yet to recapture the form of his short-head second to Sir Percy (GB) in the 2006 G1 Epsom Derby, needs to improve off his unplaced effort in the G2 Jockey Club S. at Newmarket May 4.

## Friday, Epsom, post time: 4:50 p.m. SURREY S.-Listed, £26,000, 3yo, 7fT

| SC | PP | HORSE               | SIRE                     | TRAINER    | WT  |
|----|----|---------------------|--------------------------|------------|-----|
| 1  | 6  | Croi Mo Ri (Ire)    | Monashee Mountain        | Deegan     | 125 |
| 2  | 9  | Fathsta (Ire)       | Fath                     | Kirk       | 125 |
| 3  | 8  | Film Maker (Ire)    | Danetime (Ire)           | Meehan     | 125 |
| 4  | 3  | Iguazu Falls        | Pivotal (GB)             | bin Suroor | 125 |
| 5  | 2  | Nacho Libre (GB)    | Kyllachy (GB)            | B Hills    | 125 |
| 6  | 1  | Dream Day (GB)      | Oasis Dream (GB)         | Hannon     | 120 |
| 7  | 5  | Holly Hawk (Ire)    | <b>Dubai Destination</b> | O'Donnell  | 120 |
| 8  | 7  | Irish Pearl (Ire)   | Statue of Liberty        | Burke      | 120 |
| 9  | 4  | Nice Wee Girl (Ire) | Clodovil (Ire)           | Kirk       | 120 |

#### \* IRELAND \*

#### Yesterday's Results:

**Tipperary, 6.40, Cond**, €20,000, 2yo, 5fT, :58.05, gd/fm.

+ BUSHRANGER (IRE) (c, 2, Danetime {Ire}--Danz Danz {GB}, by Efisio {GB}), sent off at 10-3, broke well and raced prominently throughout the early stages. Tackling Nubar Lady (Ire) (Danetime {Ire}) with a furlong remaining, the €15,000 GOFNOV weanling and 100,000gns DONAUG yearling gained the edge in the final 50 yards and had a neck call at the line. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €13,020.

O-Derrick Smith, Susan Magnier & Michael Tabor; B-Tally-Ho Stud; T-Davdi Wachman.





Irish Report cont.

**Tipperary, 5.10, Mdn**, €17,000, 2yo, 7f 100ydsT, 1:39.00, gd/fm.

AARONESS (f, 2, Distorted Humor--Diamonds for Lil, by Summer Squall), third in the Leopardstown maiden won by UTDN Rising Star" Arazan (Ire) eight days ago, broke well and soon led. Sent clear in the straight, the \$290,000 KEENOV and \$550,000 KEESEP yearling was impressive thereafter and recorded a five-length verdict over Glisten (GB) (Oasis Dream) at the line. Ballydoyle's Grand Admiral (Giant's Causeway), the half to Johannesburg, failed to land a blow on the impressive winner after chasing the early pace and faded into fourth as the 3-1 second favorite. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, €13,747.

O-June Judd; B-Brilliant Stables Inc; T-Jim Bolger.

**Tipperary, 5.40, Mdn**,  $\in$ 13,000, 3-4yo, 7f 100ydsT, 1:37.49, gd/fm.

CAT BY THE TALE (f, 3, Tale of the Cat--St Clair Ridge {Ire} {GSW-Ire, SW & GSP-US, \$243,592}, by Indian Ridge {Ire}), unplaced on debut at The Curragh May 5, started at 14-1 and raced wide in mid-division early. Challenging the 9-4 pick Luminaire (Ire) (Green Desert) inside the final quarter, the \$75,000 KEESEP weanling and \$52,000 KEEJAN horse-in-training purchase got on top close home to win the bobber by a short head. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, €8,983.

O-R A Keogh; B-T F VanMeter, Doug Hendrickson & Michael Lowenbaum; T-David Wachman.

#### \* FRANCE \*

Friday, Maisons-Laffitte, post time: 2:50 p.m. PRIX MATCHEM-Listed,  $\in$ 55,000, 3yo, c/g, 1 1/8mT SC PP HORSE SIRE TRAINER 1 4 In Chambers (GB) Dasis Dream (GB) Delzangles 2 5 Blue Exit Pulpit Rouget

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3 3 Birbone (Fr) Sendawar (Ire) Beguigne
4 2 Lotharios (Fr) Hawk Wing Chotard
5 1 Celebrissime (Ire) Peintre Celebre F Head

All carry 123 pounds, bar In Chambers, 128.

#### Yesterday's Results:

Chantilly, 5.30, Cond, €23,000, 3yo, c/g, 1 1/2mT, 2:35.50, sf.

SOUM (GER) (c, 3, Monsun {Ger}--Suivi {Ger} {GSW & GISP-US, \$244,750}, by Darshaan {GB}), a last-out second at Saint-Cloud May 6, stalked the front rank in fifth until inching into fourth just before halfway. Making headway in the straight to challenge wide at the quarter-mile marker, the 9-10 pick was urged clear approaching the final eighth and ran on strongly to score by five lengths from Touch of Pep (Ire) (Lando {Ger}). Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 1 win, 2 places, €19,400.

O/B-Baron Georg von Ullmann; T-Andre Fabre.

Chantilly, 3.20, Mdn, €22,000, unraced 2yo, f, 5 1/2fT, 1:07.00, sf.

+ ENCHANTING MUSE (f, 2, Fusaichi Pegasus--Moon Flower {Ire}, by Sadler's Wells), a \$110,000 KEESEP yearling, was swiftly into stride and assumed control from the outset. Accelerating clear of toiling rivals approaching the final eighth, the 22-5 chance was pushed out to score by an easy five lengths from Denomination (Smart Strike). The victress is a half to Fantastic Love (Peintre Celebre), GSW-Aus. Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, €11,000.

O-R C Strauss; B-Barnett Enterprises; T-Robert Collet.

**Chantilly, 2.50, Mdn**, €22,000, unraced 2yo, c/g, 5 1/2fT, 1:06.80, sf.

+ RANDONNEUR (c, 2, Tale of the Cat--Rolly Polly {Ire} {Hwt. 2yo Filly-Ity, MGSW-US, GSW-Fr & Eng, SW-Ity}, by Mukaddamah) knew his job from the gate and broke well to lead after a couple of strides. Pushed along when pressed by Cafe Racer (Ire) (Royal Applause {GB}) at the two pole, the 27-10 second choice quickened smartly in the closing stages to comfortably account for that rival by three lengths. Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, €11,000.

O-Ecurie Wildenstein; B-Dayton Investments Ltd; T-Elie Lellouche.

#### \* ITALY \*

#### Wednesday's Results:

**Milan, 3.40, Mdn**, €16,200, unraced 2yo, c/g, 7fT, 1:30.70, sf.

+ ABATON (GB) (c, 2, Dansili {GB}--Guntakal {Ire} {SP-Ity}, by Night Shift) took a keen hold in third after the opening exchanges of this first go and eased into second at halfway. Sent to the front with 400 meters remaining, the 19-10 pick was not threatened thereafter and cruised to the line in hand to easily account for Autre Gemme (Ire) (Masterful) by 4 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €7,650.

O-Scuderia Incolinx; B-Azienda Agricola Rosati Colarieti; T-Vittorio Caruso.

**Milan, 3.05, Mdn**, €16,200, unraced 2yo, f, 7fT, 1:32.90, sf.

+ QUEEN SENSAZIONE (IRE) (f, 2, King Charlemagne-Sensazione {GB} {MSW & GSP-Ity}, by Cadeaux Genereux {GB}) broke sharply to seize an immediate lead and maintained control throughout. Shaken up approaching the final furlong, the 11-20 chalk required minimal encouragement in the closing stages to comfortably best Desert Love (Ire) (Desert Prince {Ire}) by 3 1/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €7,650. O/B-Scuderia Blueberry SRL; T-Bruno Grizzetti.





## **AUSTRALASIA**



#### ROYAL ACADEMY MARE TOPS MM NATIONAL

A lightly raced mare by Royal Academy topped the fourth session of the Magic Millions National Broodmare Sale on the Gold Coast yesterday. Selling as Lot 1520, Cat Royale (Aus) was knocked down to Magic Millions, acting as agent for a Korean client, for A\$38,000. Vinery Stud, agent, consigned Cat Royale, who sold in foal to Vinery's Success Express stallion Mossman (Aus). Cat Royale was produced by the Secretariat mare Sakiyah, who was stakes-placed in the U.S. and herself a daughter of Grade I winner Scoot (Mr. Prospector). Value-hunting buyers were out in numbers looking to buy bargain mares after the recently completed record-breaking select component to the National Broodmare Sale. In all, 155 lots changed hands yesterday for a session aggregate of A\$637,100 and average price of A\$4,110. The clearance rate was a healthy 82.5 percent. Magic Millions Managing Director David Chester said he was pleased with the amount of interest from international buyers this afternoon. "Our Korean buying bench was very active, and we're expecting the same for horses that suit their criteria tomorrow," Chester reported. "And the smart local buyers are here, as well as some well known interstate agents such as Michael Flannery and Darrell Ible and locally based John Foote. The value is outstanding and there will be plenty more to be had tomorrow." The finale of the broodmare portion of the National Sale gets underway at 11:00 a.m. The three-session yearling portion runs next Tuesday through Thursday. For more information, visit www.magicmillions.com.au.

#### AWBS SALE BOOSTED BY UNRESERVED RIS-

DON DISPERSAL This month's William Inglis Australian Weanling and Breeding Stock Sale will now feature a dispersal of more than 30 mares from Sue Suduk's Risdon broodmare band. The mares will be offered for unreserved sale on Sunday June 29, and will be lotted as a separate supplementary catalogue. "This is one of the best private bands of mares in Australia," consignor Philippa Duncan said. Highlights include Group 1 winner and Group 1 producer Shindig (Aus), who is in foal to leading first-season stallion Exceed and Excel (Aus), and her stakes-placed daughter Fiammarosa (Aus), in foal to Fusaichi Pegasus. The group also boasts a number of mares descending from the blue-hen Eight Carat (GB). These include the multiple group-winning sprinter Peruzzi (Aus), who is in foal to Fusaichi Pegasus, and her two daughters by Danehill, triple Group 1-placed Flora Danica (Aus) and Nivison S. winner Lucida (Aus). "The Eight Carat family is known the world over and ranks as arguably the greatest family in the Southern Hemisphere.

This represents a rare opportunity to tap into it," Duncan said. The AWBS sale now features a pair of dispersals, following the earlier announcement of Tyreel's reduction, which will be held immediately prior to the Risdon mares. The Australian Weanling and Breeding Stock Sale will be held at Newmarket in Sydney on June 26, 27 and 29.



#### **GROUP WINNER BY EUROPEAN SIRE:**

@Soviet Filly (Arg), f, 2, Orpen--Slew Briosa (Arg), by Slewsville. Clasico Clemente Benavidez.-G3, La Plata, Argentina, 6-3, 1500m, 1:30.77. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0. O/B-Haras Carampangue; T-Roberto Bullrich.

## BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

#### **ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**5th-HOL**, **\$68,060**, NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:41 4/5, fm.

RUSHEN HEAT (m, 5, Unusual Heat--Penpont {NZ}, by Crested Wave) Lifetime Record: 17-3-0-2, \$128,088.

O-Barry Abrams, M Auerbach LLC, Chris Perez et al.

B-D Abrams (CA). T-B Abrams. \*Full to Unusual Suspect,
GSW, \$473,825; and Golden Doc A, GISW, \$483,689.

**3rd-WOX**, **\$62,456**, NW2L, (S), 3yo, f, 6f (AWT), 1:10 4/5, ft.

JOVIAL JILL (f, 3, Bold Executive--Jovial Blast {SP}, by Lite the Fuse) Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, \$82,985. O-P Dewit & B Cowan. B-Display Farm (ON). T-lan Black.

**7th-PID**, **\$54,600**, NW2X, (S), 3yo/up, 1m (AWT), 1:37 3/5, ft.

DISCO T (c, 4, Disco Rico--Little Daisy Brown {SP, \$108,848}, by Norquestor) Lifetime Record: SP, 9-3-3-1, \$123,758. O-William J Hartwell. B-Frances M Hartwell (PA). T-Ramon Preciado.

8th-MTH, \$51,000, NW2X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09 4/5, ft.

OPEN SKIES (f, 3, Defrere--Raspberry Ice, by Stop the Music) Lifetime Record: 8-3-0-1, \$94,325. O-E L R Corp. B-Rising Sun Farm Inc (NJ). T-Timothy A Hills. \*\$44,000 yrl '06 FTMOCT.

**7th-MTH, \$41,000**, Opt. Clm. (\$32,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m70y, 1:42 1/5, ft.

LADY BYAR (m, 6, Byars--Lady's Gone, by All Gone) Lifetime Record: SP, 47-15-10-9, \$343,484. O-Reata Thoroughbred Racing Farms. B-J Franks (FL). T-J Orseno. \*\$10,000 2yo '04 OBSJUN;\$6,200 2yo '04 LOUAUG.



6th-PID, \$37,050, NW2L, 3/up, 8.5f (AWT), 1:44 1/5, ft. GRAPELLI (c, 4, Thunder Gulch--Bella Bellucci {MGSW & MGISP, \$511,820}, by French Deputy) Lifetime Record: GSP, 13-2-3-2, \$106,230. O-Frontier Stables LLC. B-Chelston Ireland, Ltd (KY). T-S Asmussen.

8th-APX, \$32,500, NW2X, (S), 3yo/up, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:04 2/5, ft.

COCKADOODLE (c, 4, Sahm--Shuttlecock, by Cox's Ridge) Lifetime Record: 17-4-1-5, \$77,608. O-N Vanier. B-Mr & Mrs Harvey L Vanier (IL). T-Brian Williamson. \*1/2 to Journey Fever (Gold Fever), SW, \$271,299.

8th-LAD, \$31,000, NW3L, (S), 3/up, f/m, 6.5f, 1:18, ft. BIDUADEAU (f, 3, A. P. Delta--Tensas Bon Adeau, by American Chance) Lifetime Record: MSP, 8-3-0-3, \$79,450. O-Valene Farms. B-Ryder River Ridge Farm Inc (LA). T-S Ducoing. \*\$14,000 yrl '06 LOUOCT.

7th-APX, \$30,500, NW1X, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:16 2/5, ft.

MOUNTAIN STAG (g, 4, Running Stag--My Valley Girl {MSP}, by Friendly Lover) Lifetime Record: 18-3-6-4, \$83,200. O-Maggi Moss. B-Adena Springs (ON). T-Thomas M Amoss. \*\$40,000 2yo '06 ADNMAR.

8th-PIM, \$30,400, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000-\$20,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:44, ft.

YANKEE PRIDE (g, 4, Tactical Cat--A Touch of Larceny, by Iron) Lifetime Record: 11-3-2-1, \$70,345. O/B-Mrs Arturo Peralta-Ramos (KY). T-Hamilton A Smith.

9th-LAD, \$30,000, NW2L, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, a7 1/2fT, 1:32, fm.

CAROL'S LUCKY MYTH (f, 3, Best of Luck--Shy Myth, by Dixieland Brass) Lifetime Record: 7-2-0-1, \$42,090. O/T-W Byron Crook. B-Adam Jannik (LA). \*\$3,000 wlng '05 LOUOCT.

7th-PIM, \$26,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:44 2/5, gd. SO AMAZING (IRE) (g, 4, Galileo {Ire}--Uliana, by Darshaan (GB)) Lifetime Record: 10-2-2-1, \$46,500. O-Randleston Farm. B-Mr & Mrs Bertram R Firestone (IRE). T-James M Day.

#### ON THE WORKTAB

CHURCHILL DOWNS

Pure Clan (Pure Prize), 5f (T), 1:02.20, 2/5 HOLLYWOOD

Black Mamba (NZ) (Black Minnaloushe), 6f, 1:12.20, 3/11 Dawn After Dawn (Successful Appeal), 5f, 1:01.00, 16/38 Declan's Moon (Malibu Moon), 5f, :59.60, 2/38 Intangaroo (Orientate), 5f, •:59.20, 1/38 Salute the Sarge (Forest Wildcat), 4f, :50.20, 35/40 Tres Borrachos (Ecton Park), 5f, 1:03.00, 33/38

SARATOGA

High Finance (Talk is Money), 4f (tr), :49.05, 3/16 Silver Knockers (Silver Deputy), 4f (tr), :51.98, 15/16 6th-CRC, \$18,900, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:42 2/5, gd. DANCING BAND (m, 5, Dixieland Band--Miss Ra He Ra (GSW, \$302,833), by Rahy) Lifetime Record: 18-4-2-3, \$147,211. O-Howard Roberts Farm. B-River Bend Farm & Robert N Clay (KY). T-Martin D Wolfson. \*\$60,000 wlng '03 KEENOV; \$250,000 HRA '07 FTKFEB.

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

- Streamin Heat, f, 2, Bring the Heat--Newport Nikki, by Lit de Justice. HOL, 6-5, (S), 5f (AWT), :58. B-Wesley A Ward (CA). \*Full to Excessive Heat, MSW, \$149,800.
- Fuzzy Kokanut, c, 2, Kokand--Fuzzie Girl, by Tong Po. PEN, 6-5, 2f, :22 2/5. B-Alan Parker & Janet W Hoke DVM (WV). \*\$17,000 yrl '07 FTMOCT.
- + Hellava Cowboy, c, 2, Magic Cat--Pure Mischief (MSW, \$140,237), by Wayne's Crane. LAD, 6-5, 4 1/2f, :53 2/5. B-Diamond D Ranch (TX).
- Drumbo, g, 3, Bold Executive--Willowy Miss, by Dust Commander. WOX, 6-4, (S), 6f (AWT), 1:11 3/5. B-Paul & Frank O'Brien (ON). \*1/2 to Angel's Tearlet (Silver Deputy), MSW, \$280,051.
- Flashy Wise Cat, c, 3, Catastrophe--Satin Shoes, by Six Speed. EVD, 6-5, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:04 1/5. B-William C Thomas (LA). \*\$100,000 yrl '06 TEXAUG. \*\*1/2 to Intractable (Sandpit {Brz}), MSP, \$271,058.
- Bewitching Gem, f, 3, David Copperfield--Mesmerize (SW, \$111,662), by Beau Genius. HOL, 6-5, (C), 6f (AWT), 1:09 2/5. B-Hopewell Investments LLC (KY). \*\$4,000 yrl '06 FTKOCT.
- A Bee C, g, 3, Full Mandate--Samantha's Squaw, by Exuberant. MTH, 6-5, (C), 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:46 4/5. B-Brenda Jones (FL). \$67,000 yrl '06 OBSJAN; \$100,000 yrl '06 FTKJUL.
- Third Time Lucky, f, 3, Gilded Time--Devaluation, by Conquistador Cielo. WOX, 6-5, (C), 6f (AWT), 1:11 1/5. B-Kingview Farms (ON). \*C\$60,000 yrl '06 ONTSEP. \*\*1/2 to Simply Precious (Ascot Knight), SP, \$211,450.
- Defiant Darling, f, 3, Gold Case--Ashley Darling, by Storm Creek. APX, 6-5, (S), 6f (AWT), 1:11 1/5. B-Tommy Ligon (IL).
- Saumon Fume, c, 3, Holy Bull--Imagination, by Kris S. BEL, 6-5, (C), 6f (off turf), 1:12 1/5. B-Haras Santa Maria de Araras SA (FL). \* \$85,000 yrl '06 OBSAUG.
- Flurtini, f, 3, Northern Afleet -- Sharp Country (SP), by Country Pine. APX, 6-5, (S), 6f (AWT), 1:11 1/5. B-Gordon W & Sharon Bredeson & Pete Mattson (IL).
- Victorious Trip, g, 3, Victory Gallop--Mon Drapeau, by Personal Flag. WOX, 6-4, (C), 7f (AWT), 1:25 1/5. B-Fred Hertrich III (KY). \*\$12,000 yrl '06 FTKOCT; \$14,000 yrl '06 KEEJAN.
- Jody Is Danzig, f, 4, In a Walk--Bonita Lupita, by Timebank. EVD, 6-4, (S), 1m, 1:42. B-Hans Zollinger (LA).



#### ★ WINNERS BY U.S. SIRES ★

#### IN ARGENTINA:

Estrombotico (Arg), c, 3, Salt Lake--Escola Linda (Arg), by Confidential Talk. San Isidro, 6-4, Mdn, 1200mT. 1:10.41. Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-0, P22,500. O-Rubio B; B-Haras Vacacion; T-Omar Labanca. \*Won by five lengths.

## BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

#### **CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

FRANCE, Chantilly, 3.50 (Amateurs), €33,000, 4yo/up, 6fT, 1:13.90, sf.

ZIZANY (IRE) (h, 5, Zafonic--Zelda {Ire}, by Caerleon) Lifetime Record: 37 starts, 5 wins, 13 places, €132,640. O-Mme Alain Koropoulis; B-Kilfrush Stud Farm; T-Robert Collet. \*Full to Zipping (Ire), Hwt. 3yo Colt at 5-7f-Fr, MGSW & G1SP-Fr, G1SP-Eng, \$323,340; 1/2 to Zelding (Ire) (Warning {GB}), GSW-Fr, \$122,949; Aso Rock (Ire) (King's Theatre {Ire}), SP-Fr, \$233,541; Nipping (Ire) (Night Shift), GSW-Fr, \$167,243.

**FRANCE**, Chantilly, 2.20, €22,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/2mT, 2:33.50, sf.

FAR FROM OLD (IRE) (h, 5, Vettori {Ire}--Jabali {Fr}, by Shirley Heights {GB}) Lifetime Record: 13 starts, 4 wins, 5 places, €78,500. O/B-Tsega Ltd; T-John Hammond.

**ITALY, Milan, 4.50**, 6-4, €19,800, 3yo, 7fT, 1:54.70, sf.

LUPO ALBERTO (ITY) (c, 3, Ekraar--La Candelora {Ire}, by Be My Guest) Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-0, €27,081. O-Mija Oblak; B-Societa Al Besnate SRL; T-Mario Marcialis.

**BRITAIN, Kempton Park, 8.10**, 6-4, £6,500, 2yo, 6f (AWT), 1:15.88, stn.

ASAINT NEEDS BRASS (c, 2, Lion Hearted--British Columbia {GB}, by Selkirk) Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, £9,714. O-Tony Perkins, J Cameron & Wendy Smith; B-Fred Seitz; T-Ralph Beckett. \*\$17,000 wnlg '06 KEENOV; 24,000gns yrl '07 DONAUG.

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

Calley Ho (GB), g, 2, Kyllachy (GB)--Lucayan Belle (GB), by Cadeaux Genereux (GB). Hamilton Park, Britain, 6-5, Mdn, 2yo, 6f 5ydsT. B-Whitsbury Manor Stud & Pigeon House Stud. \*9,000gns yrl '07 TATOCT.

Love You Louis (GB), c, 2, Mark of Esteem (Ire)--Maddie's a Jem (GB), by Emperor Jones. Sandown Park, Britain, 6-5, Mdn, 2yo, 5f 6ydsT. B-Wendy Jenkins. Seul Blue (Ity), c, 2, Tout Seul (Ire)--Bluebold (Ire), by Bluebird. Rome, Italy, 6-4, Mdn, 2yo, 6fT. B-Razza Dell'Olmo SRL. \*First SW for freshman sire (by Ali-Royal {Ire}).

Daddy's Gift (Ire), f, 2, Trans Island (GB)--Lady Corduff (Ire), by Titus Livius (Fr). Lingfield, Britain, 6-5, Mdn, 2yo, 6f (AWT). B-Vincent Dunne. \*10,000gns yrl '07 TATDEC.

Krisheen (Ire), f, 3, Kris Kin--Tarsheeh, by Mr. Prospector. Milan, Italy, 6-4, Mdn, 3yo, f, 7fT. B-Azienda Agricola Antezzate SRL.

Noguchi (Ire), c, 3, Pivotal (GB)--Tuscania (MSW, \$163,309), by Woodman. Milan, Italy, 6-4, Mdn, 3yo, c/g, 7fT. B-Cora SRL. \*€160,000 yrl '06 ITYSEP; 130,000gns 2yo '07 TATAPR.

Wood Chorus (GB), f, 3, Singspiel (Ire)--Woodbeck (GB), by Terimon (GB). Ripon, Britain, 6-4, Mdn, 3yo/up, 9f 170ydsT. B-Worksop Manor Stud. \*1/2 to Polar Ben (GB) (Polar Falcon), MGSW-Eng, \$245,996; Franklins Gardens (GB) (Halling), MGSW-Eng, \$361,394.

**Transfer (GB)**, g, 3, **Trans Island (GB)**--Sankaty Light, by Summer Squall. Lingfield, Britain, 6-5, Mdn, 3yo, 7f (AWT). B-Kingsclere Stud.



SCATTER BUY, 13, Relaunch--Good Picker, by Damas-

Foal born May 14, a colt by Alphabet Soup Will be bred back to Awesome Again.
Owned by/boarded at Adena Springs, KY.
Accomplishments: SW, \$130,732. Dam of Amazing Buy (High Yield), MSW, \$271,267.

**HOUR OF JUSTICE**, 8, Lit de Justice--Dark Hours, by Dynaformer

Foal born May 19, a filly by Smart Strike. Will be bred back to Street Cry (Ire). Owned by/boarded at Adena Springs, KY. Accomplishments: GSW, \$484,608.

#### TDN CRITERIA

The races covered in the TDN are as follows:

Stakes - purses of \$50,000/up
Allowance Races - purses of \$20,000/up
Optional Claiming Races - purses of \$20,000/up and
a minimum claiming price of \$25,000
Maiden Special Weight Races - purses of \$18,000/up
Maiden Claiming Races - purses of \$18,000/up and
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