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RACING CAREER OVER FOR BIG BROWN

IEAH Stables and Paul Pompa Jr.'s GI Kentucky Derby and GI Preakness S. winner **Big Brown** (Boundary--Mien,



Big Brown in His Final Start
Sarah Andrew

by Nureyev) has been retired after suffering an injury yesterday at Aqueduct. The injury happened during a six-furlong work on turf in company with GI Breeders' Cup Mile winner and fellow Rick Dutrow Jr. trainee **Kip Deville** (Kipling). "It looks like he grabbed a part of his foot and tore off a large chunk," said IEAH Co-President and Co-CEO Michael Iavarone. "We have no choice

but to retire him. There's nothing else we can do." Big Brown had been expected to complete his racing career with a much-anticipated match-up against reigning Horse of the Year **Curlin** (Smart Strike) in the Oct. 25 GI Breeders' Cup Classic before heading to stud next year at Three Chimneys Farm. Iavarone admitted that the timing of the injury, rather than its severity, caused Big Brown's retirement. "It's not a devastating injury, as far as the long-term future of a racehorse," he said. "It's a devastating injury for a horse that's preparing for a race in 12 days. The area where the injury is takes a long time to heal. There is not a lot of blood flow to that area, and it takes a lot of time for that flesh to repair itself. When you're looking at a race that is 12 days out and an injury that will probably require 60-90 days, and with a deal that you have to turn your horse over to Three Chimneys Dec. 31, we didn't have a choice." Asked if he regretted the decision to send the Derby winner to stud next year, Iavarone said, "I'd like to run him as an eight-year-old, but under the terms that we structured with Three Chimneys, unfortunately, I'm not going to get the enjoyment of that. As much as I'm a fan, I also have to look at it as a business. I needed to find the place to stand Big Brown, and the place we were most comfortable with was Three Chimneys. As part of the agreement, they wanted to stand the horse as a four-year-old, and we capitulated using both our racing fan side and our business mentality."

Cont. p2 **Case Clay Weighs In, p3**

ZARKAVA RETIRED

His Highness the Aga Khan yesterday decided to call time on the sparkling career of his G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe heroine **Zarkava (Ire)** (Zamindar--Zarkasha {Ire}, by Kahyasi {Ire}).

Following discussions with trainer Alain de Royer-Dupre and his management team, the owner-breeder ended speculation as to the unbeaten filly's future.

"Whilst no one will regret more than my management team and I not to see Zarkava race again, as she

is such a supreme athlete, we have decided to retire her to the Aga Khan broodmare band, as she will be an invaluable asset to this essential part of our activity," he announced. "The quality and youth of our broodmare band is of the utmost importance to ensure we remain breeders of racehorses capable of performing at the top level. The Aga Khan Studs have produced three exceptional fillies in three consecutive years: Mandesha, Darjina and now Zarkava. Their addition to our broodmare band will enhance the economic value and the potential for success of future generations of Aga Khan bloodstock at a time when competition is becoming increasingly global." Zarkava's comfortable two-length victory in Sunday's Longchamp showcase was a fifth at the highest level, with the Prix Marcel Boussac, Poule d'Essai des Pouliches, Prix de Diane and Prix Vermeille already in her portfolio. The Aga Khan paid tribute to the team which guided her to those successes yesterday. "I would also like to take this opportunity to thank the people employed at my Irish and French studs for their remarkable work," he added. "Without their tireless dedication, we would not be able to breed and race champions like Zarkava, Sinnidar, Azamour and Dalakhani. Furthermore Alain de Royer-Dupre, Christophe Soumillon and the staff at the Aiglemont Training Centre, must be applauded for their admirable work in producing Zarkava at the top of her form for all of her seven wonderful races." Cont. p2



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How It All Began...

Pinhooker Eddie Woods acquired Big Brown as a \$60,000 FTKOCT yearling. He was purchased by Hidden Brook for Paul Pompa Jr. for \$190,000 out of the 2007 Keeneland April sale. Big Brown made only one start as a two-year-old, romping home by 11 1/4 lengths over the Saratoga turf last September. IEAH bought into the colt after that impressive effort, but well-publicized foot issues kept the colt on the sidelines until March. He resurfaced with a 12 3/4-length demolition job in a Mar. 5 Gulfstream allowance and the hype quickly followed.



Sarah K Andrew

He lived up to all the superlatives, taking the Mar. 29 GI Florida Derby in just his third start. Arguably, Big Brown's finest moment on the track came on the first Saturday in May. Making just his fourth start and breaking from the far outside post in the field of 20, Big Brown bounded clear impressively down the storied Churchill stretch to win the GI Kentucky Derby by an authoritative 4 3/4 lengths. His star continued to ascend with an easy 5 1/4-length triumph in the GI Preakness S., and Big Brown was heavily favored to sweep the Triple Crown races in the GI Belmont S. But, on a sweltering day in the Big Apple and battling a quarter crack, the colt was eased in the stretch of the 1 1/2-mile Classic. Big Brown rebounded with a win in the Aug. 3 GI Haskell Invitational S. at Monmouth, and ended his racing career with a win over the Oceanport turf in the Sept. 13 Monmouth S. He retires with seven wins in eight starts and earnings of \$3,614,500.

Big Brown cont.

Michael Iavarone gave much of the credit for Big Brown's success to Dutrow, saying, "This horse came to Rick with well-documented foot problems, and he got more out of this horse than I think any trainer in the world would have." Despite his impressive accomplishments, Iavarone thinks Big Brown was only getting better. "I don't think we've ever gotten to the bottom of Big Brown," he said. "He never had the ultimate conditioning leading up to the Kentucky Derby because he battled these little issues. But he developed a heart as big as his physical ability. I think if we ever got to the point that he could have put the two together, we would have seen something that would have been breathtaking. I think he showed it in the Derby and the Preakness, but he was winning those races on raw ability. I think we were beginning to see him develop as a professional racehorse. And it kills me to get this close and not to see it happen."

Zarkava cont.

Future Plans...

Zarkava, who is a descendant of the great Petite Etoile (GB), will be covered by the resident stallion Dalakhani (Ire) in 2009. He has garnered attention at stud as well as on the track, courtesy of his Classic-winning daughter Moonstone (GB) and son Conduit (Ire) from his first crop. De Royer-Dupre was quick to add his own testimonial to the filly he described as a "pearl" prior to his defeat of the subsequent dual Group 1-winning miler Goldikova (Ire) in the May 11 Pouliches. "As a trainer, it is normal to feel some disappointment at her retirement," he told *PA Sport*. "But I understand that it is important for the valuable continuation of the Aga Khan's breeding operation. I always said her greatest quality was her acceleration. The ability to make up so much space in such a short space of time--like she showed in the Vermeille--was incredible. It is not very often a horse like this comes along--I have been very lucky. She is possibly the best I have trained, but Dalakhani was also a great horse to have. Zarkava has been a beautiful story." Zarkava retires with a perfect seven-for-seven record and earnings of €3,364,620.

BIG BROWN'S CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

Race	Date	Margin
GI Florida Derby	Mar. 29	5 lengths
GI Kentucky Derby	May 3	4 3/4
GI Preakness S.	May 17	5 1/4
GI Haskell Inv. S.	Aug. 3	1 3/4
Monmouth S.	Sept. 13	NK



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TDN Q & A

Case Clay, President, Three Chimneys

How did you hear the news of Big Brown's injury?

My dad and I are in Boston at a global summit at the Harvard Business School. He stepped outside, then came back in and said Michael Iavarone had just called. Big Brown grabbed a quarter, and [Iavarone] said, "We're done." That was the bad news of the day.

When will he arrive at stud?

I think what we're going to do is let the horse decide when the best time for him to come to Three Chimneys is. My guess is they'll soak his feet for a few days and dictate when the best time for him is to travel. Once they tell us that, we'll get him on a plane and he'll come eat grass here.

How will not running in the Breeders' Cup affect his stud fee?

We had three different scenarios in our heads in terms of setting his stud fee. One is: he wins the Classic. Two is: he loses the Classic. Three is: Curlin runs and he's fortunate enough to beat him. Those are three different stud fee levels. We didn't have 'he grabs a quarter two weeks before the race' scenario. We probably should have, because his feet have been an issue. The only encouraging thing is, from the point of view of a stallion career, we have two horses here with problematic feet, Dynaformer and Yes It's True, and they're both good sires. I guess the good thing is quarter cracks aren't hereditary.

He'll retire with the Monmouth S. as his last outing.

What impression does that race leave people with?

The Monmouth S. was run during the Keeneland September sale, and we had a lot of people coming up to us saying that race impressed them as breeders more than his four Grade 1s did--the way he did it, beating older horses, beating graded-stakes winners on the turf, and doing it in a way in which he kind of said, "I'm not going to get passed here." Even though it was not a Grade 1, it was a very important race, I think, in terms of his career because it shed a very positive light on him in the breeders' eyes.

When will you set his stud fee?

That's a good question. We're going back to the office Wednesday, and we'll have some healthy debate, I'm sure. My guess is we'll probably announce his fee with all of the others, but I just don't know when that will be. We're debating the best time to announce it, and it is probably contingent on the financial markets.

The sale that delivered Big Brown.

Entries close Friday, October 17

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DOZEN LEFT IN CHAMPION

Princess Haya of Jordan's **New Approach (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) yesterday headed the 12 remaining entries for Saturday's G1 Emirates Airline Champion S. at Newmarket. Following the news that Khalid Abdullah's **Phoenix Tower** (Chester House) will miss the 10-furlong contest due to a career-ending injury, the Jim Bolger-trained G1 Epsom Derby and G1 Irish Champion S. hero looks set to face a more straightforward task on paper. Phoenix Tower's trainer Henry Cecil is set to be represented by the G3 Craven S. and G2 Prix Eugene Adam winner **Twice Over (GB)** (Observatory), who was partnered by Frankie Dettori in a weekend spin, while the Juddmonte silks could also be sported by the Dermot Weld-trained G1 Prix du Jockey Club runner-up **Famous Name (GB)** (Dansili {GB}). Aidan O'Brien has a sole intended runner in Adrian Nolan's G3 Gallinule S. winner **Hebridean (Ire)** (Bach {Ire}), having removed the Breeders' Cup-bound Duke of Marmalade (Ire) and Soldier of Fortune (Ire) from the list, while Andre Fabre is set to ship in Baron Edouard de Rothschild's G2 Prix Guillaume d'Ornano scorer **Russian Cross (Ire)** (Cape Cross {Ire}). That sophomore is one of two French contenders including Alec Head's 2007 G1 Criterium de Saint-Cloud winner **Full of Gold (Fr)** (Gold Away {Ire}), whose trainer Criquelette Head-Maarek told the *Racing Post*, "He's been fine since his last race [when second in the G3 La Coupe de Maisons-Laffitte], which woke him up. He'll be ridden at Newmarket by Dominique Boeuf." John Gosden has a duo entered including Cheveley Park Stud's G2 York S. scorer **Pipedreamer (GB)** (Selkirk), while Rupert Plersch and Peter Walichnowski's G1 Grosser Dallmayr-Preis winner **Linngari (Ire)** (Indian Ridge {Ire}) is the sole entry remaining from the Sir Michael Stoute barn.

RECENT WINNERS - CHAMPION S.

Year	Winner	Sire	Trainer
2007	Literato (Fr)	Kendor (Fr)	Rouget
2006	Pride (Fr)	Peintre Celebre	Royer-Dupre
2005	David Junior	Pleasant Tap	Meehan
2004	Haafd (GB)	Alhaarth (Ire)	Hills
2003	Rakti (GB)	Polish Precedent	Jarvis
2002	Storming Home (GB)	Machiavellian	Hills
2001	Nayef	Gulch	Tregoning
2000	Kalanisi (Ire)	Doyoun (Ire)	Stoute

TURN-KEY OPPORTUNITIES

- Impressive wire-to-wire Keeneland ALW winner on Oct. 11
- Won or placed in 9 graded stakes races
- Has won on both Polytrack and dirt
- Over \$500,000 in earnings
- Missed three G1 races by a combined margin of less than one length



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☆ RESULTS ☆

Monday, Chantilly, France

PRIX ECLIPSE-G3, €80,000, Chantilly, 10-13, 2yo, 6fT, 1:13.00, gd/sf.

- 1--**@SMOOTH OPERATOR (GER)**, 123, g, 2, by Big Shuffle
 1st Dam: Salzgitter (GB), by Salse
 2nd Dam: Anna of Brunswick (GB), by Rainbow Quest
 3rd Dam: Anna Paola (Ger), by Prince Ippi (Ger)
 O-Stall Jenny; B/T-Mario Hofer; J-Andreas Helfenbein; €40,000. Lifetime Record: 4 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, €62,150. * 1/2 to Sugar Baby Love (Ger) (Second Empire), SW & GSP-Ger. **Werk Nick Rating: A++**. Click for the [eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree](#).
- 2--**Saxford (GB)**, 123, g, 2, **Reset (Aus)**--Bint Makbul (GB), by Makbul (Ire). (2,500gns yrl '07 TATOCT). O-D Arundale; B-Malih L Al Basti; T-Linda Stubbs; €16,000.
- 3--**Bonnie Charlie (GB)**, 123, c, 2, Intikhab--Scottish Exile (Ire), by Ashkalani (Ire). (46,000gns yrl '07 DONAUG). O-Thurloe Thoroughbreds XXII; B-C D S & Mrs M Bryce; T-Richard Hannon; €12,000. Margins: 3/4, NO, SNK. Odds: 26.00, 15.00, 1.60. Also Ran: Treasure (Fr), Doncaster Rover, Queen America (Fr), Damien (Ire), Giordana (Ire), Ladouce (Fr).
Prix Eclipse cont. p5



Prix Eclipse cont.

Smooth Operator came here off the back of a success in the Sept. 2 Listed Kronimus-Rennen at Baden-Baden, having finished out of the frame in the Listed Prix la Fleche at Longchamp June 14 on his previous visit to this country. Tracking the early fractions set by Saxford, the bay swept by that rival before the final furlong and stayed ahead of the rivals who made a blanket finish close behind. Smooth Operator is likely to be aimed at the Nov. 4 G2 Criterium de Maisons-Laffitte, while Saxford has the Oct. 25 G3 Horris Hill S. at Newbury as a possible target. **Click for the [Racing Post chart](#).**

☆ SALES NEWS ☆

MORE OF THE SAME AT TATTS BOOK 2 As was the case with Book 1, Sheikh Mohammed's advisor John Ferguson and Sheikh Hamdan Al Maktoum's



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Shadwell Estate Company dominated the top end trade in Newmarket yesterday for the opening session of Book 2 of Tattersalls' October Yearling Sale. Ferguson, Shadwell and Maktoum offshoot Rabbah Bloodstock spent a total of 2,107,000gns, 34.8 percent of the entire days' turnover, and accounted for seven of the eight six-figure lots. A

190,000gns Oasis Dream (GB) half-brother to G1 Prix Morny runner-up Gallagher (GB) (Bahamian Bounty {GB}) topped the day, as Ferguson outbid locally based agent Grant Pritchard-Gordon. Consigned by Denis and Joan Brosnan's Co Limerick-based Croom House Stud, lot 841 cost 98,000gns as a foal at Tattersalls. Yesterday's 37,748gns average fell 25 percent short of its equivalent at last year's Book 2 sale. Commenting on the trend, Ferguson remarked, "Today has been interesting; inevitably there has been a major correction in the market and that has been for two reasons. There's more supply than demand this week and, secondly, most of the usual domestic investors have other issues to deal with right now. But, as a result, I think that in certain areas of the market there is real value to be had." Sheikh Hamdan Al Maktoum attended the sale, spending 150,000gns on a Forest Camp colt. A \$90,000 Keeneland November foal, he was offered by Gay O'Callaghan's Yeomanstown Stud. Agent Gill Richardson interrupted the Maktoum domination when going to 100,000gns on a Clodovil (Ire) colt. Flash Conroy's Glenvale Stud bought the bay for €50,000 as a foal at Goffs. "He's going to Mick Channon and was my pick of the day," said Richardson. "He was just full of quality with a great walk to him." The sale continues today with a session starting at 10 a.m.

TURN-KEY OPPORTUNITIES



- Won the **House Party Stakes** at Belmont on Oct. 12
- **Multiple stakes winner** and **graded stakes placed**
- 2nd foal of the blue hen mare **Carson Jen** & half-sister to graded stakes winner **EZ Warrior**
- Average winning margin of more than 6 lengths



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TATTS OCTOBER BOOK 2 - DAY ONE TOPPERS

Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price (Gns)
<u>841</u>	c	Oasis Dream (GB)	Roo (GB)	190,000
		(98,000gns wnlg '07 TATDEC)	B-Ptarmigan Bloodstock Limited	
			Consigned by Croom House Stud	
			Purchased by John Ferguson Bloodstock	
<u>653</u>	c	Forest Camp	Look for Good	150,000
		(\$90,000 wnlg '07 KEENOV)	B-Dixiana Stables Inc	
			Consigned by Yeomanstown Stud	
			Purchased by Shadwell Estate Company Limited	
<u>759</u>	c	Acclamation (GB)	Park Approach (Ire)	135,000
			B-Max Ervine	
			Consigned by Mr Max Ervine	
			Purchased by Shadwell Estate Company Limited	
<u>807</u>	c	Dubai Destination	Quiet Storm (Ire)	120,000
		(€88,000 wnlg '07 GOFNOV)	B-Mr H Q Spooner	
			Consigned by Lynn Lodge Stud	
			Purchased by John Ferguson Bloodstock	

TATTS OCTOBER BOOK 2 DAY 2 - OUTS

899, 906, 910, 914, 915, 936, 948, 950, 956, 958, 960, 965, 966, 977, 978, 983, 985, 989, 1017, 1030, 1033, 1034, 1053, 1056, 1060, 1066, 1083, 1101, 1127, 1140, 1145, 1149, 1159, 1165, 1172



☆ HIP HAPPENINGS ☆

Hip 898, f, Oasis Dream (GB)--Shining Prospect (GB), by Lycius
Consigned by Kilbooy Estate

One of the picks of the second session, this is a half-sister to the dual listed scorer and G2 Park S. runner-up Duff (Ire) (Spinning World), out of a half to 1995 G1 Oaks d'Italia heroine Valley of Gold (Fr) and 2002 G3 Vintage S. scorer Dublin (Ire).

Hip 912, f, Medicean (GB)--Singed (GB), by Zamindar
Consigned by Whatton Manor Stud

This is a half-sister to last month's G2 Royal Lodge S. third On Our Way (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}), who is held in high regard at Henry Cecil's Warren Place stables. The dam is closely related to the smart Inhabitant (GB), who took the 2004 Listed Prix Roland de Chambure before finishing runner-up in the G3 Prix de Cabourg.

Hip 1013, f, Chineur (Fr)--Unfortunate (GB), by Komaite
Consigned by Tally-Ho Stud

Despite her modest pedigree, Unfortunate has still managed to produce three winners, including one of this year's most progressive performers in Look Busy (Ire) (Danetime {Ire}). She won two listed contests and the G3 Flying Five at The Curragh before finishing fourth in last month's G3 Dubai World Trophy.

Hip 1050, c, Refuse to Bend (Ire)--Withorwithoutyou (Ire), by Danehill
Consigned by Parkway Farm

This is an April-foaled half-brother to the high-class Art Connoisseur (Ire) (Lucky Story), who followed an authoritative success in the G2 Coventry S. with a second in the G1 Phoenix S. this term. The page includes Balanchine, Romanov (Ire) and last year's G1 Prix de Diane (French Oaks) heroine West Wind (GB), as well as the dual Group 1 winner and Classic-placed Saoirse Abu.



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SESSION TOTALS	2008	2007
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TURN-KEY OPPORTUNITIES



- Impressive ALW winner on opening day at Keeneland
- Breathtaking winner by 4 1/2 lengths in the G2 Demoiselle at Aqueduct
- \$1.6 million sale-topper at Saratoga



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Hip 1071, f, Dubai Destination--Alhufoof, by Dayjur
Consigned by Lavington Stud

This March-foaled offering from John and Alastair Macdonald-Buchanan's operation is a half to Finjaan (GB) (Royal Applause {GB}), who after winning the G3 Molecomb S. was desperately unlucky to not get a run in this month's G1 Middle Park S.

2.5M gns

The world-record price for a yearling filly at auction--the daughter of Sadler's Wells--Brigid (Irish River {Fr}) was purchased by Charlie Gordon-Watson for Craig Bennett from Oaks Farm Stables at Tatts October 2007. Named Liffey Dancer (Ire), she is unraced.

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BREEDERS' CUP BULLETIN

Curlin Sharp at Santa Anita...

There can be little doubt that **Curlin** (Smart Strike) handles Santa Anita's Pro-Ride surface after the four-year-old worked an impressive five furlongs in :59.12 between races Monday afternoon. Looking like a million dollars--make that 10 million--the chestnut was in hand as he broke off on the outside of stablemate Hawaii Calls, and easily drew away from his company in the final furlong before galloping out strongly to get the six panels in 1:12.14. "I'm extremely pleased with the way he worked and galloped out," trainer Steve Asmussen said, adding, "We take a great amount of pride in him, and to see all the people here react like they did to him today...that's how we all feel about him back at the barn."

Casino Drive In Fine Fettle After Classic Prep...

None the worse for the wear, **Casino Drive** (Mineshaft) exited Sunday's Oak Tree allowance victory in good order and is on track for the Oct. 25 GI Breeders' Cup Classic. "My horse is well," said Nobutaka Tada, racing manager for owner Hidetoshi Yamamoto. "Everything is OK with him. Casino Drive will have one more slow work at Hollywood, and I hope Victor [Espinoza] will ride him in the Classic, although I haven't talked to him about it yet." Espinoza, who was aboard the undefeated three-year-old Sunday, added, "At the eighth pole, I wanted to see how much horse I had. I had plenty, believe me. I only tapped him once. It's fun when you ride a good horse like him, and I'm excited about riding him in the Classic."

"The Works"

<u>Aqueduct</u>	<u>Horse (Sire), BC Race</u>	<u>distance, time</u>
	Dynaforce (Dynaformer), F/M Turf	4f, :50.17, 9/28
	Kip Deville (Kipling), Mile	6fT, 1:12.93, 1/3
	Frost Giant (Giant's Causeway), Classic	5f, :59.48, 1/12
<u>Churchill Downs</u>		
	Go Between (Point Given), Classic	7f, 1:23.60, 1/1
<u>Fair Hill</u>		
	Better Talk Now (Talkin Man), Turf	6f, 1:14.00, 1/1
<u>Hollywood Park</u>		
	Intangaroo (Orientate), Ladies' Classic	5f, :59.60, 4/35
<u>Santa Anita</u>		
	Coronet of a Baron (Pure Prize), Juvenile	6f, 1:13.60, 8/16
	Midnight Lute (Real Quiet), Sprint	5f, :56.80, 1/52
	Midshipman (Unbridled's Song), Juvenile	6f, 1:11.40, 1/16
	Pyro (Pulpit), Classic	4f, :53.20, 49/51
	Student Council (Kingmambo), Classic	6f, 1:12.40, 2/16
	Vacare (Lear Fan), F/M Turf	4f, :49.00, 25/51

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Baffert Duo Sharp in Morning Trials...

Trainer Bob Baffert had two of his Breeders' Cup hopefuls out for serious workouts yesterday at Santa Anita. Reigning GI Sprint champion **Midnight Lute** (Real Quiet) was clocked going five-eighths in a bullet :56.80, while GI Juvenile candidate **Midshipman** (Unbridled's Song) went six furlongs in a bullet 1:11.40. Joe Steiner was at the reins for both works. "Midnight Lute actually worked a half," Baffert said. "They got him galloping out, but he actually went :45 or something like that...I got him in :57 (for five furlongs). It was a really strong workout, and that's what I wanted." He continued, "Midshipman went really nice, probably the best he's looked. I like the way he came out of the Norfolk. He's fitter, and he's more relaxed. I really like the way he went." Eclipse winner Midnight Lute has made just two starts since his 2007 Sprint score, running second in the GI Cigar Mile last November and 10th after a rough trip in the Aug. 24 GII Pat O'Brien H. at Del Mar. GI Del Mar Futurity winner Midshipman comes off a second in the Sept. 28 GI Norfolk S.



Midnight Lute Equi-Photo



Breeders' Cup cont.

PRADO TO DONATE SHARE OF BC WINNINGS...

Jockey Edgar Prado announced yesterday that he will donate 5 percent of any Breeders' Cup winnings to Breeders' Cup Charities and to the Permanently Disabled Jockeys Fund. Prado is dedicating the charitable act to his mother, Zenaida, who died of breast cancer in February of 2006. The primary beneficiaries of the Breeders' Cup Charities are Susan G. Komen for the Cure and the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. "My mom was a great inspiration to me throughout my life," Prado said in a statement. "I hope that my participation in Breeders' Cup Charities will bring more attention to help find a cure for breast cancer, and for others in need."

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INJURY ENDS PHOENIX CAREER Khalid Abdullah's **Phoenix Tower** (Chester House--Bionic {GB}, by Zafonic) has been retired after sustaining a tendon injury in the lead-up to Saturday's G1 Emirates Airline Champion S. at Newmarket. The owner-breeder's Racing Manager Teddy Grimthorpe delivered the announcement after a scan showed more serious damage than was first believed. "Scans this morning showed a small tear in the tendon which represented an unacceptable risk," he said in a statement. "The colt has now been retired from racing." Trained by Henry Cecil, the lightly raced colt, whose smart dam is a half to the top-class Day Flight (GB), captured the G3 Earl of Sefton S. on his four-year-old bow at Newmarket Apr. 17 before finishing runner-up on four occasions at the highest level. After finding only Creachadoir (Ire) 3/4 lengths too strong when suffering the first defeat of his career in Newbury's G1 Lockinge S. May 17, he chased home Duke of Marmalade (Ire) in both the June 18 G1 Prince of Wales's S. at Royal Ascot and G1 Juddmonte International staged at Newmarket Aug. 23, either side of a short-head loss to Mount Nelson (GB) in the July 5 G1 Eclipse at Sandown. "Obviously, it is disappointing as we were really looking forward to the weekend and he would have had a great chance," Grimthorpe added. "He was in really good form and it is a real shame, as if ever a horse deserved to win a Group 1, it was him. The decision has just been made this morning to retire him, so we haven't got any further than that at this stage. We will have to have a chat about where he will stand at stud, but nothing has been decided on that yet." Phoenix Tower retires as the winner of four of his eight starts and over £334,000 in prize money.

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CAULFIELD GUINEAS IS IN THE "RED" Two well-related Red Ransom fillies carrying Sheikh Mohammed's maroon-and-white silks dominate discussion ahead of Wednesday's G1 Schweppes Thousand Guineas at Caulfield. The first is **Portillo (Aus)**, who was an A\$850,000 Inglis Easter yearling buy in 2007 for Bob Ingham's Woodlands Stud. She showed juvenile brilliance, with wins in the Listed Gimcrack S. and G2 Magic Night S. and a game third in the G1 Golden Slipper. Those efforts prompted Darley advisor John Ferguson to outlay A\$2.7 million for her half-brother by Redoute's Choice (Aus) at Easter this year. Portillo was acquired by Sheikh Mohammed as part of the Woodlands operation earlier this year. Spelled after the Apr. 19 Slipper, Portillo was a last-start second in the G1 Flight S. Oct. 4. The other blueblood in the Guineas field is the Lee Freedman-trained **Romneya (Aus)**. She has been out of the frame only once in seven appearances, and that was when she finished second in the G2 Edward Manifold S. last time out. The filly is a daughter of the Danehill mare Mannington (Aus), who was purchased by Darley for A\$2.05 million when offered as part of the Vinery dispersal at the 2005 Inglis Broodmare Sale. Sent stateside in December 2005, Mannington has since produced two Kingmambo fillies. The early favourite for the race is Edward Manifold heroine **Gallica (Aus)** (Redoute's Choice {Aus}). She is chasing her fourth consecutive win.



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Sunday, Hipodromo de Monterrico, Peru

CLASICO ENRIQUE AYULO PARDO-G1, \$90,493, Hipodromo de Monterrico, 10-12, 3yo, f, 2000m, 2:10.60, ft.

1--▲@LADY SHATZI (PER), 119, f, 3, by Privately Held

1st Dam: Shatzi, by Septieme Ciel
2nd Dam: Trusted Company, by Secretariat
3rd Dam: Star Snoop, by Stage Door Johnny

O-Stud Altamar; B-Haras San Pablo; T-Sabino Arias; J-Ivan Quispe; \$56,532. Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-3.

2--Maitena (Per), 119, f, 3, Apprentice--Nieve Perpetua (Per), by Devil's Moon. O-Stud Pope; B-Haras Gina Santa Rosa; J-B Padilla; \$16,959.

3--Tiza (Per), 119, f, 3, Tibetano (Per)--Cherequita (Per), by Privato. O-Stud Jardin Botanico; B-Haras Los Azahares; T-J Suarez; J-I Nunez; \$11,306.

Margins: HD, 4 3/4, 2 1/2. Odds: 5.20, 2.10, 9.40.

Lady Shatzi, a disappointing eighth in the Sept. 14 G1 Peruvian 1000 Guineas, returned with a vengeance to post an upset here. She closed steadily from off the pace and, after dueling head and head in the stretch, prevailed by a head over Guineas winner Maitena. A listed winner at two, Lady Shatzi will likely renew rivalry with the runner-up when they match their strength against colts in next month's G1 Clasico Derby Nacional over 1 1/2 miles on the dirt.

Sunday, La Plata, Argentina

GRAN PREMIO PROVINCIA DE BUENOS AIRES-G1, P186,000, La Plata, 10-12, 3yo, 2200m, 2:19.59, my.

1--▲GARATERO (ARG), 123, c, 3, by Indygo Shyner

1st Dam: Galerita (Arg), by Southern Halo
2nd Dam: Gant (Arg), by Oak Dancer (GB)
3rd Dam: Go Up (Arg), by Go Forth

O-Stud Matty; B-Haras La Quebrada; T-Juan Carlos Etchehoury Jr; J-Jorge Ricardo; P122,000. Lifetime Record: 6-3-2-0.

2--Great Champion (Arg), 123, c, 3, Luhuk--Festivite (Arg), by Lefty. O-Stud Jota Ele; B-Enrique & Juan Prestifilippo Sociedad de Hecho; T-Rosana San Millan; P33,000.

3--Lord Nov (Arg), 123, c, 3, Romanov (Ire)--Lady Dark (Arg), by Lord Hailey. O-Stud Keyser Soze; B-Haras Los Prados; T-Roberto Cabrera; P17,600.

Margins: 5, 1 1/2, 4. Odds: 2.95, 5.20, 27.15.

Garatero solidified his status at La Plata's leading three-year-old colt as he galloped home to a comfortable victory over second choice Great Champion. Under the world's winningest jockey Jorge Ricardo, Garatero responded to urging in the stretch to draw clear. This marked the third straight win for the talented son of Indygo Shiner, who exited a narrow victory in the G2 Clasico Jockey Club de la Provincia de Buenos Aires Sept. 14. Garatero will target next the G1 Gran Premio Dardo Rocha Nov. 20, La Plata's premier event.

Sunday, Gavea, Brazil

GRANDE PREMIO LINNEO DE PAULA MACHADO-G1, R96,272, Gavea, 10-12, 3yo, 2000mT, 2:00.73, sf.

1--▲@FLYMETOTHEMOON (BRZ), 123, c, 3, by Roi Normand

1st Dam: Onerfortheroad (G1SW-Brz), by Ghadeer (Fr)
2nd Dam: Court Lady, by Locris (Fr)
3rd Dam: Redbrick (Ire), by Crepello (GB)

O/B-Haras Doce Vale; T-Venancio Nahid; J-Elizandro Costa; R41,822. Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 3 wins, R92,729.

2--Hot Six (Brz), 123, c, 3, Burooj (GB)--Babysix, by With Approval. O-Stud Estrela Energia; B-Haras J.B. Barros; T-Cosme Morgado Neto; J-M. Manzini; R12,546.

3--Olympic Rules (Brz), 123, c, 3, Roi Normand--Miss Kin (Brz), by Laramie (Arg). O-Haras Regina; B-Haras Old Friends Ltda; T-R Solanes; J-C Lavor; R8,364. Margins: 3 3/4, 1/4, 1/4. Odds: 9.70, 22.50, 7.10.

Flymetothemoon unleashed an electrifying late rail run and powered his way to the front to score impressively, giving jockey Elizandro Costa his first Group 1 victory. The bay colt extended his win streak to three with the victory, and stamped himself among Rio de Janeiro's top three-year-olds on the turf. Flymetothemoon is a full brother to Brazilian Group 1 winners and South American imports Eissoai (Brz) and Ay Caramba (Brz).

Sunday, Maronas, Uruguay

GRAN PREMIO JOCKEY CLUB-G1, P1,350,000, 10-12, 3yo, c, 2000m, 2:03.33, ft.

1--▲@#ACHILES (URU), 123, c, 3, by Robin Des Pins

1st Dam: Adelantadora (Uru), by Abasto (Uru).
2nd Dam: Valery (Arg), by Halpern Bay
3rd Dam: Vigliana (Arg), by Treviglio (Arg)

O-Stud Aurora; B-Haras Don Alfredo (Uru); T-Elio A Umpierrez; J-Carlos Mendez; P810,000. Lifetime Record: 7 starts, 4 wins, 1 second, P1,286,186.

2--Desconfiado (Uru), 123, c, 3, Demostrado (Arg)--Dille (Arg), by Sonus (Ire). O-Stud Rita; B-Haras Casupa (Uru); T-Ever W Perdomo; P283,500.

3--Patitieso (Uru), 123, c, 3, Public Purse--Garrucha de Prata (Brz), by Choctaw Ridge. O-Stud Cacique; B-Haras Don Martin (Uru); T-Roberto D Saenz; P175,500.

Margins: 1 3/4, 3/4, 3/4. Odds: 4.85, 4.85, 17.80.

Achilles, runner-up in Uruguay's 2000 Guineas, returned Sunday to post a convincing victory in the middle leg of Uruguay's Triple Crown series. The Robin des Pins colt put away longshot Patitieso entering the straight. Desconfiado, third in the Guineas, closed ground late to earn second. Among Uruguay's top juveniles, Achilles proved himself Uruguay's leading colt on the dirt with his victory.

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PEDIGREE INSIGHTS

BY ANDREW CAULFIELD

QUEEN ELIZABETH II CHALLENGE CUP S.-GI,
\$500,000, KEE, 10-11, 3yo, f, 1 1/8mT, 1:48, fm.
1--▲**ALWAJEEHA, 121, f, 3, by Dixieland Band**

1st Dam: **Ridaa, by Seattle Slew**

2nd Dam: **Zakiyya, by Dayjur**

3rd Dam: **Affirmatively, by Affirmed**

O-Shadwell Stable; B-Shadwell Farm LLC (KY);
T-Kiaran P McLaughlin; J-J R Velazquez; \$310,000.
Lifetime Record: 9-3-3-0, \$486,927. **Werk Nick Rating: A+.**
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It's fair to say, I think, that Sheikh Hamdan's Shadwell operation doesn't share the widespread prejudice against stallions of very advanced years--especially if the veteran has shown distinct ability as a sire of broodmares. Take Riverman as an example. This celebrated Gainesway stallion was born way back in 1969, yet Shadwell scheduled five mares for him at the age of 26 in 1995, including the triple Classic winner Salsabil and the exceptional broodmare Height of Fashion. Riverman also received four mares in 1996. The great Mr. Prospector was another veteran given sustained support, with five Shadwell mares heading his way in 1997, when he was 27, and the mighty Danzig received three mares when he was 26 years old in 2003 and another three a year later. Diesis, a noted sire of broodmares, was the recipient of six Shadwell mares at the age of 25 in 2005.

That was also the year Shadwell sent the 25-year-old Dixieland Band a pair of mares inbred to Mr. Prospector, the foundation of much of Dixieland Band's success. Shadwell even paid \$400,000 for a Dixieland Band yearling filly last year, so Sheikh Hamdan is clearly an admirer of Northern Dancer's durable son, who stood his 24th season at the age of 28 earlier this year.

Dixieland Band's prowess as a sire of broodmares was already well established by 2005. Tenth on the list of broodmare sires in 2003, Dixieland Band then achieved the considerable feat of depriving Mr. Prospector of yet another championship. The Lane's End veteran repeated the feat in North America in 2005 and maintained a top-five position in each of the next two years. Shadwell must therefore have been pleased when both the mares sent to Dixieland Band in 2004 produced fillies. One of those fillies, Alwajeaha, justified the continued faith in her sire when she became a Grade I winner in the Queen Elizabeth II Challenge Cup. Dixieland Band hasn't been far off hitting the Grade I target with another of this year's runners, Palacio de Amor, who was conceived when he was 25.

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3	SADLER'S WELLS	(1981)	17
4	MONTJEU	(1996)	15
5	Pivotal	(1993)	14
6	ROCK OF GIBRALTAR	(1999)	12
7	PEINTRE CELEBRE	(1994)	11
-	Dansili	(1996)	11
9	Invincible Spirit	(1997)	10
10	DANEHILL	(1986)	9

* Northern Hemisphere crops only.
Source: Hyperion Promotions, 6th Oct.

YET ANOTHER STAKES WINNER...

DIAMONDRELLA recorded her fourth straight win in the XTRA HEAT HANDICAP (Listed) at Belmont on Sunday.

Mount Nelson adds the **Eclipse Stakes-Gr.1** to his success in the **Criterium International-Gr.1** at 2.

Eagle Mountain won **Joel Stakes-Gr.3** at Newmarket on October 3rd.



Eagle Heads To Santa Anita

“**EAGLE MOUNTAIN** looks set to become Mike de Kock's first runner at the Breeders' Cup after the trainer signalled the colt could have his next start in the Turf at Santa Anita.”

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The Shadwell operation involves more than 220 broodmares and, with Shadwell also regularly renewing their bloodlines at the sales, this means that a filly has to have plenty going for her if she is to earn a place in the broodmare band. At first glance, one might conclude that Alwajeeha's dam Ridaa must have been a borderline case. Her only victory came in a Belmont maiden over a mile on her third start and she failed to reach the first three in three subsequent appearances in allowance company.

It had been a somewhat similar story with Ridaa's dam Zakiyya. A daughter of Sheikh Hamdan's outstanding sprinter Dayjur, Zakiyya was bought for \$350,000 as a yearling, but earned less than \$25,000 in winning a maiden over 1 1/16 miles at Belmont. She started her broodmare career with visits to A.P. Indy, Silver Hawk, Seattle Slew, Swain, A.P. Indy again and Red Ransom without producing one black-type earner.

So why was Ridaa retained? It may simply be that her trainer Neil Drysdale believed that she possessed more ability than she showed in her races. More likely, it was the strength of her pedigree that saved her. Ridaa's retirement at the end of 2002 came months after the death of her magnificent sire Seattle Slew. The Shadwell broodmare band included only one other daughter of the 1977 Triple Crown winner, so Ridaa's retention probably became automatic.

She may have been unexceptional, but she was related to two of Seattle Slew's Grade I winners. Desiree, a half-sister to Ridaa's second dam Affirmatively, produced Adored, a winner of two Grade Is and four Grade IIs, and Petiteness, a three-parts sister to Zakiyya, produced the GI Jim Dandy S. winner Scorpion.

As if that weren't enough, Ridaa's third dam was none other than Straight Deal. Not only was this daughter of Hail To Reason a champion older mare, with 21 victories to her credit, but she was also a member of the incomparable La Troienne family, her second dam being Big Hurry.

Priceless Gem, another high-class Hail To Reason mare with Big Hurry as her second dam, found fame as the dam of the brilliant French mare Allez France. Hail To Reason was also responsible for a couple of other top performers from this family in Regal Gleam, the champion juvenile filly of 1966, and Personality, winner of the 1970 Preakness S. No wonder Shadwell was keen to reinforce Hail To Reason's influence by sending Zakiyya to Seattle Slew, producing 4x4 inbreeding to 1970's champion stallion.

Deciding on Dixieland Band as a mate for Ridaa can't have been too difficult. He had already been represented by graded winners out of mares by Seattle Slew and his sons Slew o'Gold and Capote. The winner out of the Capote mare was the high-class Dixie Union, who combined precocious juvenile speed with enough stamina to win the GI Haskell Invitational.

Alwajeeha's trainer Kieran McLaughlin expects his latest Grade I winner to be retired at the end of the year. Sheikh Hamdan must be looking forward to breeding from her, as two other daughters of Dixieland Band have already produced Kentucky Derby winners (Monarchos and Street Sense) and another is the dam of Eight Belles, who acquitted herself so nobly in this year's Derby. The stallion's other notable achievements as a broodmare sire include Dream Supreme, Exotic Wood, Bandini, Society Selection, Southern Image, First Samurai, Cotton Blossom and Dominican.

Dixieland Band is one of only four stallion sons listed under Northern Dancer in the Sires of Sires section of the *Blood-Horse Stallion Register* for 2008. Two of the four, Sadler's Wells and Night Shift, have been retired this year, at the ages of 27 and 28, so we are nearing the end of the line. Dixieland Band, though, had 29 foals born this year, from the 38 mares he covered at the age of 27, so he has done extremely well.

Although he won nothing more important than a pair of Grade II events at Keystone and Suffolk Downs during his racing days, he has proved a worthy member of an extraordinary sire line. In common with numerous sons of Northern Dancer, Dixieland Band is capable of siring a wide variety of winners, ranging from sprinter-milers, such as Dixie Brass, Chimes Band, Igotrhythm and Dixie Flag, to an out-and-out stayer of the caliber of the dual Ascot Gold Cup winner Drum Taps. While the bulk of his earnings have come on dirt, Dixieland Band has also built up an enviable record with his talented turf runners, with Alwajeeha being the latest in a lengthy line which also includes the French Classic winner Egyptband.

ALWAJEEHA, f, 2005

Dixieland Band	Northern Dancer	Nearctic	Nearco (Ity)
			Lady Angela (Ire)
		Natalma	Native Dancer
	Mississippi Mud	Delta Judge	Almahmoud
			Traffic Judge
		Sand Buggy	Beautillion
		Warfare	
Ridaa Wnr 3FIs, 1GSW	Seattle Slew	Bold Reasoning	Egyptian
			Boldnesian
		My Charmer	Reason to Earn
			Poker
	Zakiyya Wnr 11 FIs, 4 Wnrs	Dayjur	Fair Charmer
			Danzig
		Affirmatively	Gold Beauty
			Affirmed
		Straight Deal	



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GIVE IT A CHANCE

With all apologies to John Lennon...all I am saying is GIVE IT A CHANCE! And what is it? Filly Friday Oct. 24 at Santa Anita. There's been a lot of angst about the repackaging of our female division's championship races, but hey, in less than two weeks--it's going to happen. And the sport will be better off for it. That is, if we care about attracting more attention to our Championship event.

At first, I was totally against the move to expanding the Breeders' Cup to two days. Adding to a product that wasn't even close to reaching its potential seemed like a very bad idea. And last year, Friday was not a day that captivated much attention at all, outside of our current fan base and industry media.

But now, I'm actually excited about this year's Friday race day. Why? Because we're borrowing a page from how other sports energized their fan base and reached beyond their core audience. How about Major League Baseball and interleague play? Or hockey going retro--and holding a game outside? Or remember when the NFL finally got around to playing the AFL...in a game that wasn't so super, but became one of the biggest sporting events on the planet? At one time, all of these were considered blasphemy. By presenting our female division in one day, we've now stepped outside the much clichéd box and created a product that has a chance to get noticed instead of ignored.

I understand those that ridicule this move. I was there yelling and screaming when Personal Ensign somehow, someway caught Winning Colors. And I am far more of a traditionalist than not. But I am also a realist, and the reality is that very few people outside our sport care about the Breeders' Cup. And that can be said for most media and for sponsors as well.

"Filly Friday" is not the magic bullet to cure all our sport's ills or catapult the Breeders' Cup into the same stratosphere as the Super Bowl, but it's a step in the right direction.

Another one of those steps is the partnership the Breeders' Cup has built with the Susan G. Komen for the Cure as one of their charity partners for the week-end. Over 1,500,000 people run in Komen events each year. They have 122 chapter/affiliates across America--and three overseas. You ever see those pink bats at MLB games? Or pink NASCAR-sponsored cars? Yes, that is Komen. And Komen can communicate to their grass-roots network of literally millions of women about their affiliation with the Breeders' Cup. Suddenly, women of all ages have a reason to not only care about our Championship Day, but also watch it on TV or attend one of the many "Pink Days" being held at racetracks across America. They are arguably one of the strongest charitable organizations in the country. Putting the Breeders' Cup on the minds of their passionate supporters engages an audience that we sorely need--if we are going to ever see the Breeders' Cup reach it's initial vision of being the bookend to the Kentucky Derby.

The Breeders' Cup is now 25 years old. And it is an unquestioned success--inside our industry and inside the minds (and wallets) of our core fan/wagering base. But if we want it to fulfill its potential, we must try new ways to attract media, sponsors and the everyday sports fans of America. We can't guarantee the best of the best meeting on the track (which is better than any promotional activity) on either Championship Day. That's yet another reason why I applaud the Breeders' Cup marketing move to an all-female Championship Day. And, by the way, other great events, like Wimbledon, have gone to a dedicated showcase day for both sexes.

When the "A" list of celebrities come to this year's event (thanks to our Komen and St. Jude Children's Hospital charitable affiliation), when tracks across America can promote Friday as something different, when millions of women will now at least have heard of the Breeders' Cup--and dare I say, maybe even watch--we'll see that this simple, but understandably controversial move, occurring Oct. 24, will be a positive, bold and innovative idea that will start to move us beyond an insider's event. Give it a chance!

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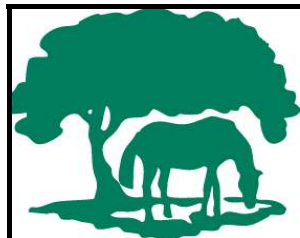
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Numbers Up at New York Breeders' Sale:

The New York Breeders' Sales Company's Fall Mixed Sale, held Sunday in Saratoga Springs, saw an increase in gross and average over last year's auction. A total of 160 hips grossed \$1,787,650, up marginally from \$1,776,900 in 2007. The average of \$11,173 was up eight percent from \$10,331. The median this year was \$5,000. There were, however, 130 lots listed as RNAs. The sales topper was [hip 80](#), a weanling filly by Fusaichi Pegasus out of Honor Lass (Honor Grades). Consigned by Five Oak Farm, the bay was purchased by Destined Farm for \$95,000. She is from the family of GISW Lion Tamer and GSW Vesta. "The sale of mares was quite tough, but we kind of anticipated that," said Todd Venetz, the NYBSC director of sales. "Without a doubt, the sweet spot of our sale is the select weanling session, which has filled a much-needed void." Venetz added, "This sale has developed momentum each year. When Buzz Chace shows up, you know you're on the map." For complete results, go to www.nybreederssales.com.

Evening Attire Day at Belmont Park:

The New York Racing Association will honor recently retired **Evening Attire** (Black Tie Affair {Ire}) during "Evening Attire Day," to be held Saturday, Oct. 25 at Belmont Park. The 10-year-old gelding, a winner of \$2,977,130, will make his final public appearance on track, and will join owners Mary and Joe Grant and trainer Pat Kelly for one last winner's circle ceremony. Fans are being asked to submit 100-250 word essays to eveningattire@nyrainc.com, and the responses will be presented to Evening Attire's connections. His best races will be shown at Belmont between races throughout the day. "Not many horses go out a winner, and certainly not many horses his age go out a winner," Kelly said. "I don't know if we'll ever see another like him. They sure don't make them like him any more."

Free Admission and Parking at Aqueduct:

The New York Racing Association announced yesterday that admission to the Aqueduct clubhouse and the Skyline Club level, as well as general parking, will be free during Aqueduct's 39-day fall meet. There will be an increase in cost of \$0.50 for the programs, however, with the *Post Parade* program selling for \$3.50 and the *Pocket Program* for \$2.50. The meet opens Oct. 29, and first post will be 12:30 p.m.

Yesterday's Results:

PEBBLES S., \$121,000, BEL, 10-13, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:35 3/5, fm.
1--**REMARKABLE REMY**, 119, f, 3, by Hennessy

1st Dam: Most Remarkable, by Marquetry

2nd Dam: Northern Pageant, by Spectacular Bid

3rd Dam: Northern Sea, by Northern Dancer

(\$200,000 yrl '06 FTSAUG). O-Live Oak Plantation; B-Sugar Maple Farm (NY); T-John C Kimmel; J-Ramon A Dominguez; \$72,600. Lifetime Record: 12-5-0-2, \$272,099. **Werk Nick Rating: A + .**

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

2--**Senior Rita Lady**, 117, f, 3, Fusaichi Pegasus--Gloriosa, by Pleasant Colony. (\$155,000 2yo '07 FTMMAY). O-Klaravich Stables Inc & W Lawrence. \$24,200.

3--**Meriwether Jessica**, 119, f, 3, Freud--Chunter's Joy, by Northern Jove. (\$25,000 yrl '06 FTNAUG; \$95,000 2yo '07 OBSFEB). O-P C Symons. \$12,100. Margins: 1, NO, HF. Odds: 10.00, 16.20, 5.60.

Remarkable Remy was fourth behind Ariege in the Madame Jumel S. over a yielding turf course at Saratoga Aug. 9 before scoring in that track's Caveat Competor S. Aug. 31. A close-up third in her latest in the six-furlong Jack Better Be Right S. here Sept. 18, the grey was let go at robust odds to get back into the winner's circle this time. Far back in the early going, Remarkable Remy found herself behind a wall of horses with a furlong left to negotiate. Angled six wide on the turn, she rolled to the front at the sixteenth pole and was kept busy late en route to a cozy win. "Everything set up well," said winning jockey Ramon Dominguez. "The first part of the race I was trying to make sure I got her behind some horses. It took me a while to be able to do that, but once I did, she settled down for me very well. On the turn, when I was able to get out, she really had a great response for me." **[Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)**

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(Vindication) gets first stakes victory.

2nd-BEL (\$52K, Msw) **JUSTWHISTLEDIXIE** (Dixie Union) graduates.



TRAPP MOUNTAIN S., \$74,750, BEL, 10-13, 2yo, 6f, 1:09 3/5, ft.

1--**#ROYAL VINDICATION, 118, c, 2, Vindication--Proper Form, by Deputy Minister.** (\$190,000 yrl '07 KESEEP). O-E Paul Robsham Stables LLC; B-John Perrotta (KY); T-Stanley M Hough; J-Javier Castellano; \$45,750. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-2, \$89,350. *1/2 to Mountain Range (Mountain Cat), SW & GSP, \$428,314. **Werk Nick Rating: A.**

Click for the [eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree](#).
2--**Peace Town, 120, c, 2, Peace Rules--Darnestown,** by Williamstown. (\$37,000 wlng '06 FTMDEC; \$50,000 yrl '07 KESEEP). O-Vinery Stables. \$15,250.

3--**Fellow Crasher, 120, c, 2, Graeme Hall--Inch Marlowe,** by Green Dancer. (\$16,000 yrl '07 OBSAUG). O-Michael Dubb, Stuart Grant, John S Selinger, Samuel, F Bayard. \$7,638.

Margins: HF, 4, 1 1/4. Odds: 1.25, 6.00, 2.20.

Royal Vindication was in the frame in a pair of starts at the Spa, including a third going seven panels Aug. 25. The dark bay came from just off the pace in his latest to graduate by 3 1/4 lengths over this track Sept. 13 and was well-supported to collect his first at this level. Settled in a stalking fourth early, the Kentucky-bred took on Peace Town at the head of the stretch and inched past that foe to make it two straight.

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2nd-BEL, \$52,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:16 3/5, ft. **JUSTWHISTLEDIXIE (f, 2, Dixie Union--General Jeanne, by Honour and Glory)** hit the board at Saratoga in both prior starts, including a third behind Be Smart Aug. 28. Sent off the 4-5 choice while trying a furlong longer, the dark bay was in front through opening splits of :22.85, :46.27 and 1:10.39. Well ahead of J.J. Cuvee (Cuvee) a sixteenth out, the filly continued to dominate late, winning by seven lengths. The \$425,000 KESEEP yearling is a half to Chace City (Carson City), GSW, \$219,783. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-2, \$43,600.

O-West Point Tbreeds, Lakland Farm & R D Hubbard. B-Hermitage Farm LLC (KY). T-Kiaran P McLaughlin.

• ON THE WORKTAB •

AQUEDUCT

Big Brown (Boundary), 6fT, 1:12.93, 1/3
Salute the Count (Count the Time), 6fT, 1:13.27, 3/3

BELMONT PARK

Cowtown Cat (Distorted Humor), 4f (tr), :50.09, 18/41
English Colony (GB) (Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}), 5f, 1:03.01, 7/15
Etched (Forestry), 4f (tr), :49.66, 9/41
Interpatation (Langfuhr), 4f (tr), :49.92, 14/41
Sir Whimsey (Jump Start), 5f, 1:00.47, 1/15
Steppenwolfer (Aptitude), 4f (tr), :49.68, 11/41

SARATOGA

Wanderin Boy (Seeking the Gold), 4f (tr), :50.92, 9/24
Drum Major (Dynaformer), 5f (tr), 1:03.96, 5/6

★ EAST ★

Yesterday's Results:

8th-PHA, \$68,450, Alw, NW3\$6MX, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09 2/5, ft.

1--**CONTROL SYSTEM, 116, f, 4, Lion Hearted--Risk Aversion, by Grindstone.** O-Thomas McClay & Harry Nye; B-Horse Shoe Valley Equine (PA); T-Michael J Trombetta. Lifetime Record: GSW, 11-6-1-3, \$343,300.

2--**Miss Blue Tye Dye, 119, f, 4, Tekken (Ire)--Blue Moon Ninety,** by Allen's Prospect.

3--**S W Aly'svalentine, 115, m, 6, Malibu Moon--S W Phoebe,** by Allen's Prospect.

Margins: 2, 2HF, 1. Odds: 1.30, 2.40, 14.10.

Control System reeled off three straight wins last year, including the GIII Cicada S. at Aqueduct Mar. 24. Third in a pair of stakes last fall, she clinched her seasonal finale, the Garland O Roses H. at that oval Dec. 1. A winner in the mud in the Interborough H. Jan. 1, she was second in Laurel's GII Barbara Fritchie H. and fourth in the GII Distaff H. at the Big A before tiring late to be third in her latest start in the Ambassador of Luck H. over this track Aug. 23. Scratched out of an allowance at the Meadowlands Oct. 11, the bay was well supported here. In front from the start, the four-year-old proved best to score by two lengths.

STAKES CLOSINGS



TODAY, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14:

BREEDERS' CUP PRE-ENTRIES (FREE)

- 10-24 \$2,000,000 **Breeders' Cup Ladies' Classic-I, SA, 3yo/up, f/m, 9f (AWT)**
- 10-24 \$2,000,000 **Emirates Airline BC Filly/Mare Turf-I, SA, 3yo/up, f/m, 10fT**
- 10-24 \$2,000,000 **Bessemer Trust BC Juvenile Fillies-I, SA, 2yo, f, 8.5f (AWT)**
- 10-24 \$1,000,000 **Sentient BC Filly/Mare Sprint, SA, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f (AWT)**
- 10-24 \$1,000,000 **Grey Goose BC Juvenile Fillies Turf, SA, 2yo, f, 8fT**
- 10-25 \$5,000,000 **Breeders' Cup Classic-I, SA, 3yo/up, 10f (AWT)**
- 10-25 \$3,000,000 **Emirates Airline BC Turf-I, SA, 3yo/up, 12fT**
- 10-25 \$2,000,000 **TVG Breeders' Cup Mile-I, SA, 3yo/up, 8f (AWT)**
- 10-25 \$2,000,000 **Sentient BC Sprint-I, SA, 3yo/up, 6f (AWT)**
- 10-25 \$2,000,000 **Bessemer Trust BC Juvenile-I, SA, 2yo, 8.5f (AWT)**
- 10-25 \$1,000,000 **Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile, SA, 3yo/up, 8f (AWT)**
- 10-25 \$1,000,000 **Grey Goose BC Juvenile Turf, SA, 2yo, 8fT**
- 10-25 \$1,000,000 **Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint, SA, 3yo/up, a6.5fT**
- 10-25 \$500,000 **Breeders' Cup Marathon, SA, 3yo/up, 12f (AWT)**

TOMORROW, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 15:

- 10-25 \$150,000 **Fayette-III, Kee, 3yo/up, 9f (AWT) (100)**
- 11-01 \$100,000 **Iroquois-III, CD, 2yo, 8f (100)**
- 11-01 \$100,000 **Pocahontas-III, CD, 2yo, f, 8f (100)**
- 11-02 \$150,000 **Chilukki-II, CD, 3yo/up, f/m, 8f (150)**

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Eastern report cont.

2nd-MED, \$34,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 1m70yT, 1:42 3/5, fm.
RIVER FANCY (f, 2, Congaree--Go Baby Go {Ire}, by Lion Cavern) was fourth in both prior starts, including her latest going 5 1/2 furlongs on the turf at Saratoga Aug. 31. On the engine from the start, the 3-5 choice held a comfortable advantage throughout and had enough left to fend off Paradise Bound (Pulpit) by a head. Formerly campaigned by Stonerside, which sold most of its racing stock to Sheikh Mohammed's Darley last month, the winner was a \$90,000 KEENOV weanling purchase. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$26,650. O-Darley Stud Management LLC. B-Morgan's Ford Farm (VA). T-Todd A Pletcher.

★ CENTRAL ★

Yesterday's Results:

1st-HAW, \$28,000, Alw, NW1X, (S), 2yo, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.

PETRUCHIO (g, 2, Snuck In--Bye Bye Katie Pie, by Robyn Dancer), a winner against \$40,000 claimers on the Poly at Arlington Aug. 30, was backed down to 6-5 favoritism in this move to the dirt. Close up early, the gelding poked his head in front at the head of the stretch and drew clear to post a 1 1/4-length victory over Last Wompus (Dance Master). Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$31,080.

O-Feel the Thunder Stables & Tom Pearson. B-Amy Dianne Bondon-Peltz (IL). T-Michael Stidham.

★ WEST ★

Yesterday's Results:

6th-ZIA, \$26,280, Msw, (S), 2yo, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.
+ SPRING TO TERAS (c, 2, To Teras--Ocean Springs, by Golden Act), sent off at 6-1, jumped out to take an early advantage, was in front the whole way around and cruised home an easy 10 1/4-length victor. The winner was a \$13,000 RUIAUG yearling purchase. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$15,540.

O-Mike Akers & Steven M Asmussen. B-Michael Weatherly (NM). T-Steven M Asmussen.

• ON THE WORKTAB •

HOLLYWOOD

P. S. U. Grad (Harlan's Holiday), 6f, 1:11.60, 3/9

SANTA ANITA

First Defence (Unbridled's Song), 4f, :48.00, 12/51
 Get Funky (Straight Man), 5f, 1:01.60, 34/52

SAN LUIS REY

Backbackbackgone (Put it Back), 5f, :59.80, 1/2

★ SO. CALIFORNIA ★

Memorial Set for Bob Benoit:

A memorial for racing executive and publicist Bob Benoit, who passed away Aug. 15 at the age of 81, will be held in Santa Anita's Turf Club Chandelier Room after the races on Thursday, Oct. 16. "Bob Benoit was a dear friend and an incredibly talented guy," said Oak Tree Director and Executive Vice President Sherwood Chillingworth. "His mission was to promote our sport, and nobody ever did it better than Bob. He loved the game and the people in it. Here at Oak Tree, we had a wonderful relationship with Bob, and we're going to miss him. He was truly one of a kind." For additional information regarding the memorial, contact the Oak Tree Racing Association at (626) 574-6345.

Yesterday's Results:

KANGAROO COURT S., \$68,300, OSA, 10-13, (R), 3yo/up, a6 1/2fT, 1:11 3/5, fm.

1--#HURRY UP AUSTIN, 121, c, 4, Lake Austin--Hurry Up Marya, by Who's for Dinner. (\$10,000 2yo '06 BESJUN). O-Raymond & Janet Glaze & Annabelle Stute; B-Sunrise Stable South (FL); T-Melvin F Stute; J-Michael Martinez; \$40,740. Lifetime Record: 28-4-7-2, \$280,030.

2--Delta Storm, 124, g, 7, Storm Boot--Talkin to Delta, by Diesis (GB). \$13,580.

3--Railroad, 119, g, 6, Double Honor--Railroad Lady, by Forsythe Boy. (\$67,000 2yo '04 OBSAPR). \$8,148. Margins: 3/4, HF, 3/4. Odds: 5.90, 1.10, 5.50.

Hurry Up Austin captured an optional claimer at Del Mar Aug. 2, but had been off the board in four subsequent starts. The bay was coming off a seventh-place showing behind Hyperbaric (Sky Classic) in the Sept. 28 GII Oak Tree Mile. Content to trail the field through a rapid opening half in :43.54 here, he capitalized on that hot pace in the stretch, rallying on the outside to get up for the narrow score.

4th-OSA, \$51,294, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:34 2/5, fm.

RUMBA ALONG (g, 3, King Cugat--St. Poly Carp, by Dynaformer) needed six tries to graduate, but finally got the job done going nine panels at Del Mar Aug. 24. A flat seventh most recently over that distance Sept. 24, the \$3,500 KEENOV weanling was let go at 11-1 for this drop back in trip. Content to track the pace in fifth through opening splits of :23 and :47.14 for a half, the dark bay rallied to take command at midstretch and got up in time to nose out Parc des Princes (Brz) (Vettori {Ire}) in the dying strides. Lifetime Record: 8-2-1-2, \$96,120.

O-Visionary Racing LLC & Mark Holden. B-Rosemont Farm LLC (KY). T-Kristin Mulhall.



★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN BRITAIN:

Damanyat Girl, f, 2, [Elusive Quality](#). See "Britain."

It's a Game, f, 2, [Forestry](#). See "Britain."

Lease of Life, c, 3, [Cozzene](#). See "Britain."

Without Prejudice, c, 3, [Johannesburg](#)--Awesome Strike, by Theatrical (Ire). Kempton Park, Britain, 10-13, Hcp, 3yo/up, 7f (AWT). B-Skymarc Farm & Castlemartin Stud. *€130,000 yrl '06 GOFORB; 310,000gns 2yo '07 TATAPR.

Intabih, c, 3, [More Than Ready](#)--Lookaway Dixieland, by Dixieland Band. Wolverhampton, Britain, 10-13, Hcp, 3yo, 9f 103yds (AWT). B-Dr G S Stefanis. *\$140,000 wnlg '05 KEENOV; \$40,000 yrl '06 KEESEP.

Dvinsky, g, 7, [Stravinsky](#)--Festive Season, by Lypheor (GB). Kempton Park, Britain, 10-13, Hcp, 3yo/up, 6f (AWT). B-Eclipse Bloodstock & Tipperary Bloodstock. *\$72,000 wnlg '01 KEENOV; €200,000 yrl '02 GOFORB.

IN FRANCE:

Tale of Two Cats, f, 2, [Tale of the Cat](#). See "Breeders' Edition, Europe."

Songsong, c, 3, [Rahy](#). See "Breeders' Edition, Europe."

IN JAPAN:

+ **Suni**, c, 2, [Soto](#)--Enabru, by Roanoke. Kyoto, 10-12, Mdn, 6f. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$69,307. O-Kazumi Yoshida; B-Highclere Inc; T-Naohiro Yoshida. *Sixth winner for freshman sire (by Dehere). *\$90,000 yrl '07 FTKJUL; \$120,000 2yo '08 BESMAR.

Respect Cat, c, 2, [Storm Cat](#)--Princess Atoosa, by Gone West. Tokyo, 10-12, Novice Race, 7f. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$77,228. O-Katsumi Yoshizawa; B-Brushwood Stable; T-Ikuo Aizawa. *\$200,000 yrl '07 KEESEP.

Apollo Da Vinci, c, 4, [El Corredor](#)--Cat Out, by Forest Wildcat. Tokyo, 10-12, Plate Race, 6 1/2f. Lifetime Record: 18-3-3-4, \$394,950. O-Apollo Thoroughbred Club; B-Robert D Nash; T-Masahiro Horii. *\$225,000 yrl '05 KEESEP; \$160,000 2yo '07 BESMAR.

Big Popeye, h, 5, [Forest Wildcat](#)--It's Personal (MGSW, \$232,836), by Personal Flag. Tokyo, 10-12, Plate Race, 7f. Lifetime Record: 28-4-6-0, \$540,396. O-Masanobu Habata; B-WinStar Farm LLC; T-Toshiaki Shirai. *1/2 to It's No Joke (Distorted Humor), MGSW, \$685,612; and Keep Laughing (Distorted Humor), SW, \$100,386.

Antique Coin, h, 7, [Theatrical \(Ire\)](#)--Antique Auction (MSW, \$202,284), by Geiger Counter. Tokyo, 10-12, Steeplechase Novice Race, 15f. Lifetime Record: 46-6-2-4, \$1,035,050. O-Shadai Race Horse; B-Fontainebleau Farm Inc; T-Ken Kozaki.



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

BURNING ROMA (Rubiano), Jubilee, \$7K, 24/3/0

1-MNR, Msw, 1m, Roma's Soldier, 3-1

[CHAMPALI](#) (Glitterman), Glencrest, \$8K, 58/4/0

1-MNR, Msw, 1m, Future Champ, \$14K ESM AY 2yo, 6-1

GIMMEAWINK (Elusive Quality), Hidden Point, \$5K, 60/4/0

1-MNR, Msw, 1m, Hot Wink, 20-1

SARAVA (Wild Again), Martin Stables So, \$5K, 24/0/0

1-MNR, Msw, 1m, Sarava Java, \$4K OBS APR 2yo, 20-1

STORM OF GOSHEN (Storm Cat), Callaway, \$2K, 11/1/0

10-ZIA, Alw, 6f, Magnificent Storm, \$1K RUI YRL yrl, 12-1

[TENPINS](#) (Smart Strike), Walmac, \$7K, 72/6/2

6-PHA, Msw, 6 1/2f, Moonlite Ride, \$50K OBS APR 2yo, 9-2

[TETON FOREST](#) (Forestry), Spendthrift, \$5K, 41/3/0

1-MNR, Msw, 1m, Fonda Ronda Won, 15-1

First/Second-crop starters to watch: Tuesday, Oct. 14

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

[HARLAN'S HOLIDAY](#) (Harlan), Airdrie, \$18K, 170/70/6

6-PHA, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Hehasnosay, \$20K KEE NOV wnl, 10-1

SAY FLORIDA SANDY (Personal Flag), Buckridge, \$5K, 84/9/1

3-FL, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Sandy's Dream, 5-2

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• ON THE WORKTAB •

CHURCHILL DOWNS

Acacia (Cherokee Run), 5f, 1:02.00, 17/43

Magna Graduate (Honor Grades), 5f, 1:01.80, 15/43

Mushka (Empire Maker), 4f, :47.60, 2/38

Ocean Colors (Orientate), 5f, 1:03.00, 25/43

Rated Feisty (Exchange Rate), 4f, :51.00, 29/38

KEENELAND

Dreaming of Liz (El Prado {Ire}), 4f, :47.80, 3/21

Forest Command (Monarchos), 5f, :59.20, 1/21

Spring Awakening (In Excess {Ire}), 4fT, :48.20, 1/4



★ BRITAIN ★

WINKLE HEADS BUMPER DEWHURST FIELD

Susan Magnier, Michael Tabor and Derrick Smith's G3 Tyros S. winner **Rip van Winkle (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) looks set to spearhead Ballydoyle's challenge in Saturday's G1 Darley Dewhurst S. after 24 were left in at yesterday's five-day stage. Aidan O'Brien has eight remaining in the seven-furlong Newmarket contest, including the G2 Champagne S. scorer **Westphalia (Ire)** (Daneshill Dancer {Ire}), while the Coolmore connection is boosted by the inclusion of the David Wachman-trained G1 Prix Morny and G1 Middle Park S. hero **Bushranger (Ire)** (Danetime {Ire}). His trainer told *Sportinglife.com* yesterday, "He was confirmed this morning, but we'll leave all options open. He's also a possible for the Breeders' Cup, so we'll see what the owners want to do later in the week." Other notables are Mountgrange Stud's impressive G3 Somerville Tattersall S. winner **Ashram (Ire)** (Indian Haven {GB}) from the John Hills stable; Sheikh Ahmed bin Rashid Al Maktoum's G2 Gimcrack S. scorer and G1 Phoenix S. runner-up **Shaweel (GB)** (Dansili {GB}); and Princess Haya of Jordan's ☆ **"TDN Rising Star"** ☆ **Huntdown (Elusive Quality)**, who was supplemented at a fee of £20,000 by trainer John Gosden yesterday after his latest third in the Middle Park. Those who were scratched yesterday following last-minute setbacks include fellow ☆ **"TDN Rising Star"** ☆ **The Cheka (Ire)** (Xaar {GB}) and **Arazan (Ire)** (Anabaa). The Cheka's trainer Eve Johnson Houghton said of the G3 Solaris S. runner-up, "He's had a small training setback and has developed a slight infection in his hind leg. It's nothing too serious, but we've decided to pull the plug this season." Arazan's conditioner John Oxx has also called a time out on His Highness The Aga Khan's G2 Futurity S. winner following a foot injury. "Arazan missed three bits of work because of the nasty foot bruise he picked up last weekend and won't be going to Newmarket," Oxx told *PA Sport*. "He won't be running again this year."

Yesterday's Results:

Windsor, 15.00, Mdn, £5,500, 2yo, 6fT, 1:13.60, gd.
BOLD TIE (GB) (c, 2, **Bold Edge {GB}**--**Level Pegging {Ire}**, by **Common Grounds {GB}**), hampered when eighth in a maiden over track and trip on debut Sept. 29, showed early speed to grab the rail and the lead. Headed at halfway, the 8-1 shot fought back gamely to regain the advantage 50 yards from home and win by a head from Standpoint (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, £3,562.
 O-Lady Whent; B-Raffin Bloodstock; T-Richard Hannon.

Kempton Park, 15.10, Mdn, £5,500, 2yo, f, 6f (AWT), 1:13.55, stn.

DAMANIYAT GIRL (f, 2, **Elusive Quality**--**Dabaweyaa {Ire}** {**SW & G1SP-Eng, \$120,918**), by **Shareef Dancer**), who took the silver medal in a Haydock maiden on debut Sept. 26, stalked the pace in second from the outset. Asked for her effort two furlongs from home, the well-backed 8-11 chalk was ridden to the front 150 yards out and ran on well to prevail by 1 1/4 lengths from Fen Spirit (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}). The winner is half to Alanees (GB) (Cadeaux Genereux {GB}), MGSP-Eng; Magellan (Hansel) GSW-US, GSP-Eng \$462,681; Golden Arrow (Rahy), MGSP-US, \$459,718; and Western Diplomat (Gone West), GSP-UAE. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, £4,429.
 O-Mohamed Obaida; B-Gainborough Farm LLC; T-William Haggas.

Kempton Park, 16.10, Mdn, £5,500, 2yo, f, 6f (AWT), 1:14.64, stn.

IT'S A GAME (f, 2, **Forestry**--**Gotablush {GB}** {**SP-Fr**}, by **Nashwan**), off the board in a seven-furlong Newmarket maiden last time Aug. 2, raced in the second rank throughout the opening exchanges. Eased to the front with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining, the 10-1 shot was ridden out to repel Minute Limit (Ire) (Pivotal {GB}) and win by 3/4 of a length. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, £3,562.
 O-George Strawbridge; B-Augustin Stable; T-J Gosden.

Windsor, 15.30, Mdn, £5,500, 2yo, 6fT, 1:13.30, gd.

ALL ABOUT YOU (IRE) (c, 2, **Mind Games {GB}**--**Expectation {Ire}**, by **Night Shift**), seven-lengths runner-up to the ☆ **"TDN Rising Star"** ☆ **Huntdown** in a Newbury maiden on his racecourse bow Sept. 19, was hammered into 10-11 and raced in a close-up third initially. Nudged to the front at the quarter pole, the 120,000gns TATOCT yearling was driven clear soon after and was eased down to beat Desert Creek (Ire) (Refuse To Bend {Ire}) by 1 1/4 lengths. The winner is full to Always Hopeful (GB), GSW & G1SP-Eng, G1SP-Fr, \$167,506. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, £5,200.
 O-Mountgrange Stud; B-Ballylinch Stud; T-Roger Charlton.

Windsor, 17.00, Mdn, £4,000, 3yo/up, 1m 67ydsT, 1:45.11, gd.

LEASE OF LIFE (c, 3, **Cozzene**--**Kinema**, by **Graustark**), fourth in a hot Nottingham maiden last time Oct. 1, led after the first quarter having been settled in midfield initially. Pushed clear inside the quarter pole, the 5-2 second choice strolled home unchallenged by seven lengths from Desert Kiss (GB) (Cape Cross {Ire}). The victor is full to Mizzen Mast, GISW-US, GSW & G1SP-Fr, \$553,621; and half to Red Earth (Diesis {GB}), GSP-US, \$242,392. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, £2,971.
 O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms Inc; T-B Hills.

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2.10 Leicester, Mdn, £7,500, 2yo, c/g, 7fT
KING'S SONG (IRE) (Indian Ridge {Ire}) makes his debut in the Saeed Suhail silks for the Sir Michael Stoute stable, which was successful in this race with Papal Bull (GB) three years ago. His half-sister is the current stable starlet Allegretto (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), who captured last year's G1 Prix Royal-Oak. He faces Godolphin's **Al Marmoom (Medaglia d'Oro)**, a half-brother to the 2006 GI Santa Margarita Invitational H. scorer Healthy Addiction (Boston Harbor), who was sixth on debut at Newbury last month.

★ GERMANY ★

WEEKEND REVIEW
 by Christa Riebel

Gestut Fahrhof's three-year-old **Goathemala (Ger)** (Black Sam Bellamy {Ire}) provided her sire with a second group win in the space of a week when taking Sunday's G3 RaceBets.com-Stutenpreis at Dusseldorf (see Monday's TDN). Following the success of Valdino (Ger) in the G3 Deutsches St Leger, the Peter Schiergen-trained filly could be kept on the go according to the owner-breeder's racing manager Simon Stokes. "She still has an entry for a group race in Italy and after that, we will decide about her future," he said.

Also on the card was the G3 Grosser Preis der Landeshauptstadt Dusseldorf, which fell to the Czech-owned six-year-old gelding **Apollo Star (Ger)** (Devil River Peek), winner of last year's G2 Berlin Brandenburg-Trophy and G2 Premio Emilio Turati (see Monday's TDN). "He could now run in Rome, before moving on to Dubai which is the main target for him," his trainer Lenka Horakova said.

This weekend also saw two promising juveniles make impressive winning debuts. First up was **Caerleon Wind (Ger)** (Ransom o' War), who scored by seven lengths for the Andreas Wohler stable at Leipzig Saturday (see Monday's TDN). From his sire's first crop, he is out of half-sister to listed winner Brave Kris (Ire) from the family of the 1985 G2 Lowther S. heroine Kingscote (Ire). The other two-year-old to make a splash was Gestut Bona's homebred filly **Norderney (Ger)** (Dai Jin {GB}), who is a Peter Schiergen-trained daughter of the smart Nouvelle Princesse (Ger) (Bluebird) from the immediate family of listed winner Nobilissima (Ger). She registered an eight-length success at Dusseldorf (see Tuesday's TDN).

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★ EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN JAPAN:

Admire Golgo (Ire), c, 4, **Fasliyev--Cinnamon Rose**, by Trempolino. Kyoto, 10-12, Plate Race, 7f, Lifetime Record: 17-3-2-3, \$375,545. O-Riichi Kondo; B-Airlie Stud; T-Mitsuru Hashida *1/2 to European (Ire) (Great Commotion), SW-Ire, GSP-US, \$142,339; and Chelsea Rose (Ire) (Desert King {Ire}), G1SW-Ire, G1SP-Ity, \$527,260.



AUSTRALASIA



STAKES WINNER BY U.S. SIRE:

#**Belong to Many (Aus)**, m, 5, **Belong to Me--Foil (Aus)**, by Snippets (Aus). Caulfield (Melbourne), 10-11, Le Tan S.-Listed, 4yo/up, f/m, 6fT, A\$60,000 to winner. B-Widden Stud Australia Pty Ltd.

STAKES WINNERS BY EUROPEAN SIRE:

Dual Hemisphere (Aus), c, 3, **Danehill Dancer (Ire)--Clever Zoe (NZ)**, by Pompeii Court. Cheltenham (Adelaide), 10-11, Hill Smith S.-Listed, 3yo, 1 1/8mT, A\$46,900 to winner. B-Delamere Stud Farm. *G1SP-Aus.

Agamemnon (NZ), g, 5, **Generous (Ire)--Oratorio (NZ)**, by Oregon. Matamata (New Zealand), 10-11, Matamata Cup-Listed, 3yo/up, 1mT, NZ\$40,625 to winner. B-R W E Moore.

Majestical (NZ), g, 5, **Montjeu (Ire)--Grosvenor's Pride (NZ)**, by Grosvenor (NZ). Cranbourne (Victoria), 10-12, Cranbourne Cup-Listed, 3yo/up, 10f 25ydsT, A\$90,000 to winner. B-P A Smithies. *1/2 to Pride of the Class (NZ) (Volksraad {GB}), GSW-NZ; and full to Fulmonti (NZ), GSW-Aus.

BREEDERS' EDITION
AMERICA

STAKES RESULTS:

BULL PAGE S., \$106,906, WOX, 10-13, (S), 2yo, c/g, 6f (AWT), 1:10, ft.

1--**MEAN GREEN, 122, c, 2, Trajectory--Emerald Afternoon, by Cabrini Green.** (C\$30,000 yrl '07 CANOCT). O-Norseman Racing Stable; B-Gardiner Farms Limited (ON); T-Sid C Attard; J-Jono C Jones; \$63,533. Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-0, \$187,915.

2--**Wildcat Fashion, 119, c, 2, D'wildcat--Fashion File,** by Marquetry. (C\$40,000 yrl '07 CANOCT). \$21,178.

3--**Me the Sea and G T, 119, g, 2, Dance to Destiny--G T' S Miss Gretch,** by Accelerator. \$11,648. Margins: HD, 1 1/4, HD. Odds: 1.55, 6.00, 5.40.



U.S. Breeders' Edition cont.

BULL DOG S., \$64,000, FNO, 10-12, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:35 3/5, ft.

1--#**TOP EMBLEM, 120, g, 4, Old Topper--Bankroll Babe, by Corwyn Bay (Ire)**. O/B-William Ehmcke (CA); T-Ron Sticka; J-Osman A Cedeno; \$40,100. Lifetime Record: 21-4-3-5, \$165,004.

2--**Saratoga's Magic, 125, g, 5, Tactical Cat--Saratoga Rhythm, by Saratoga Six**. (\$42,000 yrl '04 KEEJAN; \$145,000 yrl '04 KEESEP). \$10,100.

3--**Summer Survivor, 118, g, 5, Siberian Summer--Breech, by Relaunch**. (\$18,000 yrl '04 BESOCT; \$42,000 2yo 2005 BESMAY). \$7,900.

Margins: 1 1/4, 4 1/4, HD. Odds: 4.60, 0.80, 4.10.

DON CICCIO S., \$53,250, HAW, 10-13, 3yo/up, 5 1/2fT, 1:04 3/5, fm.

1--#**YANKEE INJUNUITY, 120, c, 4, Yankee Victor--Honestly Honey (SP, \$121,070), by Irish Open**. O-Encore Racing Stable; B-Valerie B Dailey & Kelli Charles (FL); T-James R McMullen; J-Jose C Ferrer; \$31,950. Lifetime Record: 23-6-5-5, \$164,105.

2--**Chihulykee, 118, g, 4, Mr. Greeley--Nakiska Wind, by Lyphard**. (\$75,000 yrl '05 KEESEP). \$10,650.

3--**Rock Gold, 120, g, 4, El Prado (Ire)--Nice Change, by Gulch**. (\$115,000 2yo '06 ADNMAR). \$5,857.

Margins: HF, NK, HF. Odds: 33.00, 9.20, 3.00.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

3rd-WOX, \$73,104, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f (AWT), 1:09 3/5, ft.

LUCAS STREET (f, 4, Silver Deputy--Ruby Park {SW & GSP, \$286,984}, by Bold Ruckus. Lifetime Record: 11-5-2-1, \$260,797. O-Melnyk Racing Stables Inc. B-Eugene Melnyk (ON). T-Malcolm Pierce.

5th-WOX, \$64,929, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:42 2/5, fm.

STROKE THE TIGER (f, 4, Smart Strike--Quiet Cheer {MSW, \$242,031}, by No Louder) Lifetime Record: 8-2-1-0, \$100,339. O/B-Sam Son Farm (ON). T-Mark R Frostad. *1/2 to Mountain Beacon (Mt. Livermore), SP, \$153,267; full to Burst Of Fire, GSP, \$299,642.

7th-WOX, \$63,279, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500-\$60,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT, 2:02 3/5, fm.

SAFETY ZONE (g, 4, King Cugat--Open View, by Southern Halo) Lifetime Record: 10-3-2-1, \$152,285. O/B-WS Farish (KY). T-Mark E Casse.

9th-BEL, \$56,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:43 2/5, fm.

LOGIC WAY (g, 4, Freud--Just a Ginny, by Go for Gin) Lifetime Record: SP, 18-4-3-3, \$203,497. O-Louis J Marino, Ralph DePalma & Anthony Bertucci. B-A Lakin & Sons (NY). T-Richard E Dutrow Jr. *1/2 to Big Truck (Hook And Ladder), GSW, \$367,270.

10th-BEL, \$50,000, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 8.5fT, 1:43 3/5, fm.

CORDILLERAN ICE (f, 4, Silver Ghost--Classy Con, by Fast Play) Lifetime Record: SP, 17-2-3-4, \$124,596. O/B-Camelia J Casby (NY). T-Mark A Hennig.

7th-MED, \$47,000, Opt. Clm. (\$75,000), NW4X, 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :56 3/5, fm.

AHVEE'S DESTINY (f, 4, Rizzi--Love Destiny, by Silver Deputy) Lifetime Record: 18-7-2-2, \$264,990. O-Everything's Cricket Racing. B-Sez Who Thoroughbreds (NY). T-Linda Rice. *1/2 to Accurate (Precise End), MSW, \$184,788. **\$130,000 2yo 2006 OBSMAR.

9th-DEL, \$40,300, NW2X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:47 1/5, ft.

CRITICAL ACCLAIM (g, 5, Acceptable--Privileged Speech, by General Assembly) Lifetime Record: SP, 44-7-4-8, \$178,440. O/T-Gary R Katz. B-Wind Hill Farm (KY). *1/2 to Brusque (Canaveral), Ch. 2yo Filly-Can, GSW, \$265,464.

9th-MNR, \$31,800, 10-12, NW4L, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:04 3/5, ft.

BIG LOU (f, 3, Malibu Moon--Vermilion Sea {SP}, by Boundary) Lifetime Record: MSP, 12-4-3-1, \$114,278. O-T C Stable LLC. B-T C Stable (IL). T-Thomas M Amoss.

8th-LRL, \$30,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, a8.5f, 1:43 3/5, ft.

C STREET (g, 3, Street Cry {Ire}--Harvest the Gold, by Spend a Buck) Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, \$44,436. O-Harry C and Tom O Meyerhoff. B-Swifty Farms Inc (KY). T-Michael J Trombetta. *\$85,000 yrl '06 KEESEP. **1/2 to Love Lock (Silver Ghost), GISW, \$483,122.

7th-HST, \$28,366, 10-12, NW1S9M, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:46, ft.

SURPRISAL (g, 3, Storm Victory--Boundless Colony, by Pleasant Colony) Lifetime Record: MSP, 15-2-0-5, \$69,258. O-Tempe Stable. B-Marg Leight & Helen Klimes (BC). T-Joseph Gallo. *C\$19,000 yrl '06 BRCEP.

4th-HAW, \$28,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:17 3/5, ft.

ROSE PRINCESS (f, 4, Adcat--J 'n J's Lil Beau, by Beau Genius) Lifetime Record: 15-2-6-4, \$74,630. O-Henry J Krauth, Jr. B-Daniel Carmona (FL). T-Paul Lewellyn. *1/2 to Podgy (Defrere), SP, \$179,555.

7th-LRL, \$28,000, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000-\$20,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:47 1/5, fm.

UP TO NO GOOD (c, 3, Ecton Park--Chantelle Lace, by Cahill Road) Lifetime Record: 5-3-1-1, \$60,060. O/B-Brenda K Jones (FL). T-Marc J Sharp.



9th-ZIA, \$28,575, NW2L, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:39 1/5, ft.
AWESOME LAUNCH (c, 3, [Awesome Again](#)--**Sunny Laugh**, by **Relaunch**) Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-1, \$39,780. O-Pierre Jean & Leslie A Amestoy. B-F E Dixon Jr (KY). T-Andres Gonzalez. * \$27,000 2yo 2007 KEEJAN.

7th-FLX, \$20,500, NW1BX, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11, ft.
FINAL PEAK (g, 5, **Pyramid Peak**--**Golden Hen**, by **Native Prospector**) Lifetime Record: 25-4-7-3, \$71,419. O/T-Jason Giliforte. B-AI Shiyou (NY). * 1/2 to Insinger (Phone Trick), MSP, \$199,405.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

- + **Atticus Jack**, g, 2, [Atticus](#)--Cremedelacramer, by Avenue of Flags. OSA, 10-13, (S), (C), 6f (AWT), 1:09 4/5. B-Greg & Valorie Scherr (CA).
- Meatmeatthechapel**, c, 2, [Chapel Royal](#)--Run Kate Run, by Cherokee Run. MED, 10-13, (C), 1m, 1:39 4/5. B-Dell Ridge Farm (KY). * \$50,000 wlng '06 KEENOV. **19th winner for freshman sire (by Montbrook).
- Willsgrey**, c, 2, [El Corredor](#)--Doughty, by Strike the Gold. WOX, 10-13, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:03 3/5. B-Byrne, Cantillon & Craig (KY). * \$85,000 yrl '07 FTKJUL.
- Karakorum Legend**, c, 2, [Mutakddim](#)--Sommerfest, by El Prado (Ire). BEL, 10-13, (S), 7fT, 1:23 1/5. B-Tri-County Stables (NY). * \$47,000 yrl '07 FTMOCT. **1/2 to Beautiful Bets (Alphabet Soup), GSW, \$398,010.
- Vegas Weekend**, g, 2, **Orchid's Devil**--Whererairainbowsmeet, by Oka Revolt. WOX, 10-13, (C), 5f (AWT), :58 3/5. B-Les Maisey (BC).
- Philly Bound**, g, 2, **Werblin**--Candid Lady, by Real Quiet. PHA, 10-13, (C), 6f, 1:10 4/5. B-Gilbert G Campbell (PA). *Third winner for freshman sire (by Unbridled's Song).
- Forestelle**, f, 3, **Forestry**--Unbridled Lady (SW, \$196,400), by Unbridled. MNR, 10-12, 1m, 1:40 1/5. B-Alan S. Kline Revocable Trust (MD). * \$170,000 yrl '06 KEESEP.
- Digital Age**, g, 3, **Hook and Ladder**--Gillingham (MSP, \$124,311), by Hatchet Man. FLX, 10-13, (S), 6f, 1:11 2/5. B-Chester & Mary R Broman (NY). * \$42,000 2yo 2007 OBSAPR. **1/2 to City Fire (Carson City), MSW, \$377,717; Creador De Suenos (Party Manners), MSP-PR, \$211,803.
- Grey Lassie**, f, 3, **Siberian Summer**--Escapade Lass, by Ice Age. OSA, 10-13, (S), (C), 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:03 2/5. B-William L & Judy Hedrick (CA). * \$29,000 yrl '06 NCASEP. **Full to Summer Lass, SP, \$261,333.
- Princess Haya**, f, 3, [Street Cry \(Ire\)](#)--Sally Slew, by Slew City Slew. LRL, 10-13, 1 1/16mT, 1:42 4/5. B-Eileen H Hartis (TX).
- Denny**, g, 3, **Two Punch**--Cervante (Aus), by King's Theatre (Ire). DEL, 10-13, (C), 6f, 1:12 4/5. B-Tim Ritchey & Charles J Zacney (PA). * 1/2 to Afleet Aussie (Northern Afleet), SW, \$107,400.

Metulla, c, 3, [Yonaguska](#)--Dormant Account, by Miner's Mark. MNR, 10-12, 1m70y, 1:44. B-Marcus & Hortense Vogel (KY).

★ WINNERS BY U.S. SIRE ★

IN AUSTRALASIA:

- Ready to Venture (Aus)**, c, 2, [More than Ready](#)--Flying Venture (Aus), by Flight Bijou (NZ). Eagle Farm (Brisbane), 10-11, Cond, 2yo, c/g, 5fT. B-Epsom Lodge. * 1/2 to Fiery Venture (Aus), MGSW-Aus.
- Fist of Fury (Aus)**, c, 3, **Hussonet**--Venticello (Aus) (MSP-Aus), by Chimes Square (Aus). Rosehill (Sydney), 10-11, Hcp, 3yo/up, 6fT. B-M F & L M Van Gestel.
- Mylitta (Aus)**, f, 3, **King Cugat**--Best of Babylon (Aus), by Best Western (Aus). Canterbury (Sydney), 10-8, Mdn, 3yo, f, 6f 55ydsT. B-G Harvey. * 1/2 to Best French (Aus) (Air De France), SW-Aus; and Best Northern (Aus) (Distinctly North).
- County Tale (Aus)**, f, 3, [Tale of the Cat](#)--Day County (Aus), by County (Aus). Doomben (Brisbane), 10-8, Mdn, 3yo, f, 5f 120ydsT. B-I K Smith. * 1/2 to Magic Marvo (Aus) (Bite the Bullet), SW & MGSP-Aus.
- Stacked (Aus)**, m, 5, [Belong to Me](#)--Western Invasion (Aus), by Best Western (Aus). Rosehill (Sydney), 10-11, Hcp, 3yo/up, f/m, 7fT. B-G Harvey.
- Blessus (Aus)**, g, 6, [Fusaichi Pegasus](#)--Blessed Be (Aus), by Brief Truce. Rosehill (Sydney), 10-11, Hcp, 3yo/up, 7fT. B-J B Cummings.

IN URUGUAY:

Unbridled Star (Arg), c, 3, [Honour and Glory](#)--Reaching Up by Unbridled's Song. Maronas, 10-12, Cond, 1200m, 1:10.93. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0. O-Stud Haras Bellevue; B-Unicorn S A; T-Yolanda Davila.

**BREEDERS' EDITION
EUROPE**

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

- FRANCE, Chantilly, 14.35**, 10-13, €33,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:52.10, gd/sf.
- CLASS ATTRACTION (IRE) (f, 4, Act One {GB})--She's All Class, by Rahy** Lifetime Record: 7 starts, 2 wins, 5 places, €51,270. O/B-P D Savill; T-John Hammond.
- FRANCE, Chantilly, 15.35**, 10-13, €29,000, 3yo, 6fT, 1:12.40, gd/sf.
- DUNKERQUE (FR) (c, 3, Highest Honor {Fr})--Dissertation {Fr} {MGSP-Fr}, by Sillery** Lifetime Record: 8 starts, 2 wins, 5 places, €52,500. O-Alec Head; B-Alec & Ghislaine Head; T-Criquette Head-Maarek. *Full to Dedication (Fr), GSW & GISP-US, G1SW-Fr, \$456,565.



FRANCE, Chantilly, 16.35, 10-13, €23,000, 3yo, 1mT, 1:37.10, gd/sf.

ROCKETTE (FR) (f, 3, **Ange Gabriel {Fr}**--**Racoon {Fr}**, by **Be My Guest**) Lifetime Record: 11 starts, 2 wins, 6 places, €38,300. O/B-Mme Henri Devin; T-Yves de Nicolay.

FRANCE, Nort-sur-Erdre, 14.00, 10-12, €15,000, 2yo, 1 1/8mT, time: n/a, gd/sf.

FARABA (GB) (f, 2, **Daylami {Ire}**--**Fairly Grey {Fr}** {**MGSP-Fr**}, by **Linamix {Fr}**) Lifetime Record: 4 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, €16,000. O-His Highness The Aga Khan; B-H Highness The Aga Khan's Studs S C; T-Guy Henrot. *1/2 to Fairly Ransom (Red Ransom), GSW & G1SP-US, SW & GSP-Fr, \$418,509.

FRANCE, Mont-de-Marsan, 14.20, 10-12, €15,000, 2yo, 7fT, 1:32.00, sf.

TALE OF TWO CATS (f, 2, **Tale of the Cat**--**Belle Turquoise {Fr}**, by **Tel Quel {Fr}**) Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, €16,700. O-Ecurie I M Fares; B-D. Milch; T-Jean-Claude Rouget. *\$125,000 yrl '07 KEESEP.

GERMANY, Bremen, 14.15, 10-12, €10,000, 2yo, 6 1/2fT, 1:18.65, gd.

PALERMO (GER) (c, 2, **Kalatos {Ger}**--**Palma {Ger}**, by **Goofalik**) Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, €19,630. O/T-Christian Zschache; B-Irmgard Munten & Ines Raabe.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ **Norderney (Ger)**, f, 2, **Dai Jin (GB)**--**Nouvelle Princesse (Ger)**, by Bluebird. Dusseldorf, Germany, 10-12, Mdn, 2yo, 7fT. B-Gestut Bona.

Palermo Viejo (Ire), c, 2, **Dansili (GB)**--**Pot Pourri (GB)**, by Sadler's Wells. Cholet, France, 10-12, Mdn, 2yo, c/g, 1 3/16mT. B-Mrs A Fabre.

Gold and Grace (Fr), f, 2, **Gold Away (Ire)**--**Calling Grace (Fr)**, by General Assembly. Lyon-Parilly, France, 10-12, Mdn, 2yo, 1mT. B-R M Giraud, F A Giraud, P & V Giraud.

Blue Bay Doloise (Fr), f, 2, **Marchand de Sable**--**Kirova**, by Nijinsky. Compiègne, France, 10-12, Mdn, 2yo, f, 1mT. B- Haras de Bernesq. *€30,000 yrl '07 DEAAUG. *1/2 to Kirdoun (Fr) (Kaldoun {Fr}), MGSP-Fr; Parnac (Ire) (Grand Lodge), SW-Fr.

Numerologue (Fr), c, 2, **Numerous**--**Charmgoer**, by Nureyev. Compiègne, France, 10-12, Mdn, 2yo, c/g, 1mT. B-Wertheimer et Frere.

Border Bloom (GB), f, 2, **Selkirk**--**Hanami (GB)**, by Hernando (Fr). Cholet, France, 10-12, Mdn, 2yo, f, 1 3/16mT. B-GB Bloodstock Ltd.*1/2 to Beringoer (Fr) (Bering), SW-Fr.

+ **Star du Vallon (Fr)**, f, 2, **Victorieux (Fr)**--**Eneide de Bellouet (Fr)**, by Sky Lawyer (Fr). Landivisiau, France, 10-12, Mdn, 2yo, 7 1/2fT. B-Mrs C Garnier. *First winner for freshman sire (by Anabaa).

Roatan (GB), g, 3, **Daylami (Ire)**--**Celestial Lagoon (Jpn)** (SP-Fr), by Sunday Silence. Chantilly, France, 10-13, Cond, 3yo, 1 9/16mT. B-Niarchos Family. *€60,000 yrl '06 DEAAUG. **1/2 to Maria Gabriella (Ire) (Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}), SW & GSP-Fr.

Grey Soldier (Ire), c, 3, **Galileo (Ire)**--**Crusch Alva (Fr)**, by Unfuwain. Mont-de-Marsan, France, 10-12, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/4mT. B-Bering S A. *160,000gns 2yo '07 TATAPR.

Promesse de l'Aube (Fr), f, 3, **Galileo (Ire)**--**White Rose (Ger)** (Co-Hwt. 2yo Filly-Ger, GSW-Fr, G1SP-Ger, \$181,398), by Platini (Ger). Compiègne, France, 10-12, Mdn, 3yo, f, 1 1/4mT. B-Sunny Days Ltd. *€550,000 yrl '06 DEAAUG.

Sterope (Fr), f, 3, **Hernando (Fr)**--**Sacred Song (MGSW & G1SP-Eng)**, \$167,446), by Diesis (GB). Le Pin au Haras, France, 10-12, Mdn, 3yo, f, 1 3/8mT. B-Niarchos Family. *1/2 Multidimensional (Ire) (Danehill), GSW-Fr & Eng.

Boludo (Fr), g, 3, **Kutub (Ire)**--**Belua (Ger)**, by Lomitas (GB). Le Pin au Haras, France, 10-12, Mdn, 3yo, c/g, 1 3/8mT. B-Ecurie des Roches Noires and T Schweizer. *€42,000 yrl '06 DEAAUG.

Tangerine Trees (GB), g, 3, **Mind Games (GB)**--**Easy to Imagine**, by Cozzene. Wolverhampton, Britain, 10-13, Mdn, 3yo, 5f 216yds (AWT). B-Mrs B A Matthews.

Songsong, c, 3, **Rahy**--**Moiava (Fr)** (Hwt. 2yo Filly-Fr, GSW-Fr), by Bering (GB). Chateauroux, France, 10-12, Cond, 3yo, 1 3/16mT. B-Wertheimer et Frere.

★ WINNERS BY EURO SIRE ★

IN AUSTRALASIA:

Bear Heart (NZ), c, 2, **Bertolini**--**Heartache (NZ)**, by Casual Lies. Otaki (New Zealand), 10-9, Hcp, 2yo, 5fT. B-C R, Mrs G D & Mrs M L Dando.

Baby Corn (Aus), f, 2, **Exceed and Excel (Aus)**--**Sweet Corn (Aus)** (GSW-Aus), by Scenic (Ire). Moonee Valley (Melbourne), 10-10, Cond, 2yo, 5fT. B-Sperling Enterprises Pty Ltd.

Movie (Aus), f, 2, **Red Ransom**--**Strawberry Storm (Aus)**, by Thunder Gulch. Rosehill (Sydney), 10-11, Hcp, 2yo, 5 1/2fT. B-Torryburn Stud.

Northern Meteor (Aus), c, 3, **Encosta de Lago (Aus)**--**Explosive (SP)**, by Fappiano. Canterbury (Sydney), 10-8, Mdn, 3yo/up, c/g, 6f 55ydsT. B-Gooree Park Stud Pty Ltd. *1/2 Justlikedawg (Unaccounted For), SP, \$186,885; and Queen of the Hill (Aus) (Danehill), GSW-Aus.

The Astronomer (Aus), c, 3, **Galileo (Ire)**--**Foxy (Aus)**, by Canny Lad (Aus). Rosehill (Sydney), 10-11, Hcp, 3yo, 7fT. B-R L Moses.

Greenhide (Aus), c, 3, **Monashee Mountain**--**Argi (Aus)**, by Innamorato. Doomben (Brisbane), 10-8, Mdn, 3yo/up, c/g, 6f 165ydsT. B-R Pearson.

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Old Jock (NZ), g, 3, **Montjeu (Ire)**--Ma Danseuse (NZ) (SW-NZ), by Dance Floor. Otaki (New Zealand), 10-9, Mdn, 3yo/up, c/g, 7fT. B-P G Gillespie & W J Gleeson.

Portland (Aus), c, 3, **Red Ransom**--Unison (Aus) (MSW & MGSP-Aus), by Marauding (NZ). Eagle Farm (Brisbane), 10-11, Hcp, 3yo, 7fT. B-Newhaven Park Stud & Mr C Tidy. *1/2 to Kidman (Aus) (Quest for Fame {GB}), MGSP-Aus.

Geared Up (Aus), g, 3, **Testa Rossa (Aus)**--Certain (Aus), by Rory's Jester (Aus). Warwick Farm (Sydney), 10-6, Hcp, 3yo, 6fT. B-Heran Racing Pty Ltd.

Testa Monte (Aus), f, 3, **Testa Rossa (Aus)**--El Amonte (Aus), by El Qahira (NZ). Moonee Valley (Melbourne), 10-10, Hcp, 3yo, f, 1mT. B-N David & M Oltran.

Friday Nights (Aus), g, 4, **Anabaa**--Kylemore (Aus), by Star Watch (Aus). Canterbury (Sydney), 10-8, Hcp, 3yo/up, 7f 165ydsT. B-D Guihot. *1/2 to Power of Pegasus (Aus) (Palace Music), SW & GSP-Aus; and Johnny Reb(Aus) (Naturalism {NZ}), SW-Aus.

Agnus Dei (Aus), f, 4, **Desert Prince (Ire)**--Hosannah (Aus) (MGSW & MG1SP-Aus), by Octagonal (NZ). Warwick Farm (Sydney), 10-6, Hcp, 3yo/up, 5fT. B-Woodlands Stud.

Falconbridge (Aus), g, 4, **Peintre Celebre**--Bringing Joy (Aus), by Danehill. Rosehill (Sydney), 10-11, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT. B-G Kelly.

Stella Livia (GB), m, 4, **Titus Livius (Fr)**--Sombrefe (GB), by Polish Precedent. Waipa (New Zealand), 10-10, Mdn, 3yo/up, 5f 165ydsT. B-J Fielding. *1/2 to Ransom O'War (Red Ransom), Hwt. 3yo Colt-Ger at 9.5-11f, G1SW-Ger.

Prospect (Aus), g, 5, **Mujahid**--Pitch (Aus), by At Talaq. Moonee Valley (Melbourne), 10-10, Hcp, 3yo/up, 6fT. B-Dr W H Benson.

IN CHILE:

Don Gabino (Chi), c, 4, **Dushyantor**--Grida (Chi), by Native Prospector. Hipodromo Chile, 10-11, Stk-Clasico Cuerpo Consular de Santiago, 1600m, 1:35.91. Lifetime Record: 26-5-8-2. O-Stud Don Theo; B-Haras Matancilla; T-Juan Pablo Baeza.

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