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## BREEDERS' CUP BULLETIN

### IT'S A GO: CURLIN TO BC CLASSIC

Horse of the Year and reigning GI Breeders' Cup Classic hero **Curlin** (Smart Strike) will be given a chance to defend his title in this year's Championships at Santa Anita's Oak Tree meeting Oct. 25, majority owner Jess Jackson announced on a national teleconference Tuesday. "As a native Californian, nothing gives me more pleasure than to announce that Curlin will be entered



*Benoit*

for the 2008 Breeders' Cup Classic," Jackson commented. "It's not about the money, it's about him and his legacy--which I think stamps him as one of the greatest horses of the century. He has the genes, durability and stamina that few horses can match, particularly in talent, heart and determination. The

showcasing of Curlin really is a passion for the sport, and I'm trying to revive and reform the sport of Thoroughbred racing. He's a hero to thousands of fans, but especially to me." Curlin has posted a pair of workouts on the Santa Anita Pro-Ride, including a smart five-furlong move in :59 between races at Santa Anita Monday afternoon. "Everything's a go," Jackson said of Curlin adapting to Santa Anita's synthetic surface. "Curlin showed yesterday that he graces the field. It's a bit faster than any surface we've run, on and I worry a bit about that because that shortens the distance, in effect. It gives more horses with less durability a chance to compete well against him. I worry about the field not having a lot of early speed, unless Well Armed steps up to it. We'll love to see the competition and hope that everybody will come and we'll have a full field." Jackson began Tuesday's teleconference by paying tribute dual Classic winner **Big Brown** (Boundary), who was retired with a foot injury Monday. "My family and I were saddened to learn of Big Brown's career-ending injury," Jackson offered. "I have always said what a great horse Big Brown is--he brought a lot of energy and excitement to the industry. I am disappointed that Big Brown and Curlin will never compete against each other. It was a dream of mine and thousands of fans. I wish Big Brown a speedy recovery. My condolences and best wishes to his connections."

### MARJU COLT TOPS TATTS TUESDAY

Sheikh Hamdan Al Maktoum's racing manager Angus Gold topped yesterday's trade on the middle session of Book 2 of Tattersalls' October Yearling Sale in Newmarket. Gold signed the 170,000gns ticket for lot 1041, a Marju (Ire) colt consigned from Willie Browne's Meadowlands Stud. Agent Larry Stratton was underbidder on the colt. Sheikh Hamdan's Shadwell, Darley's John Ferguson and other Maktoum offshoots accounted for 24.2 percent of yesterday's turnover after a combined spend of 1,507,500gns. Ferguson's dearest purchase was lot 1050, a 160,000gns Refuse to Bend (Ire) half-brother to this season's G2 Norfolk Stakes winner Art Connoisseur (Ire) (Lucky Story). The bay was consigned from Denis McDonnell's Co Cork-based Parkway Farm. Trainer Terry Mills was underbidder. **Cont. p2**



Lot 1041 - Marju colt  
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### "The Works"

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Pure Clan (Pure Prize), F/M Turf	6f, 1:12.60
<b>Santa Anita</b>	
Street Boss (Street Cry {Ire}), Sprint	5f, :57.60
Well Armed (Tiznow), Dirt Mile/Classic	5f, 1:01.00
Believe in Hope (Thunder Gulch), Juvenile	6f, 1:15.60
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**(Tattersalls Tuesday cont. from p1)**

Demi O'Byrne was also in action, going to 160,000gns to outbid agent Stephen Hillen for lot 1040, a pinhooked Compton Place (GB) colt. The bay was offered from Ciaran 'Flash' Conroy's Co Tipperary-based Glenvale Stud, which bought the youngster for €46,000 as a foal.



**Lot 1040 - Compton Place colt**  
tattersalls.com

"He was a very good-looking horse, and you would think he should be a sprinter," said O'Byrne, who was accompanied by Simon and Neville Callaghan while bidding. "He's been bought for Michael Tabor, but I'm not sure where he will be trained."

A U.S.-bred El Corredor filly, whose juvenile half-sister Renda (Medaglia d'Oro) is a dual stakes winner in America this year, caught the eye of several buyers when offered from Barouche Stud. John Warren, acting for St Albans Bloodstock, eventually bought lot 967 for 130,000gns, with Jim Ryan coming off second best. The filly had cost \$65,000 at Keeneland in November. "I'd say she was not just the nicest physical specimen



**Lot 967 - El Corredor filly**  
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I'd seen today, but the best I'd found all week," said Warren. "She was a beautiful filly and just a bit different from everything else." Book 2 concludes today with a session starting at 10 a.m. Book 3 takes place tomorrow and Friday.

Won  
**Breeders' Cup Sprint-G1 at 3**  
1:08 4/5, 114 Beyer

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No. Sold	178	242	
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% RNA	26.1%	14.8%	
Gross	6,218,500gns	11,531,000gns	
Average (% change)	34,935gns (-26.7%)	47,649gns	
Median (% change)	28,000gns (-12.5%)	32,000gns	
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Catalogued	565	633	
No. Offered	481	569	
No. Sold	338	473	
RNAs	143	96	
% RNA	29.7%	16.9%	
Gross	12,258,200gns	23,907,500gns	
Average (% change)	36,267gns (-28.2%)	50,544gns	
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**TATTERSALLS OCTOBER - BOOK TWO  
TUESDAY - TOP FIVE YEARLINGS**

Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price (Gns)
<u>1041</u>	c	<u>Marju (Ire)</u>	<u>What a Picture (Fr)</u>	170,000
(85,000gns wnlg '07 TATDEC)				
B-Kenilworth House Stud				
Consigned by Meadowlands Stud				
Purchased by Shadwell Estate Company Limited				
<u>1040</u>	c	<u>Compton Place (GB)</u>	<u>Westwood (Fr)</u>	160,000
(€46,000 wnlg '07 GOFNOV;				
14,000gns in utero '06 TATDEC)				
B-Camogue Stud Ltd				
Consigned by Glenvale Stud				
Purchased by Demi O'Byrne				
<u>1050</u>	c	<u>Refuse to Bend (Ire)</u>	<u>Withorwithoutyou (Ire)</u>	160,000
B-D McDonnell				
Consigned by Parkway Farm				
Purchased by John Ferguson Bloodstock				
<u>967</u>	f	<u>El Corredor</u>	<u>Ten Carats</u>	130,000
(\$65,000 wnlg '07 KEENOV)				
B-Meadowridge Stable				
Consigned by Barouche Stud (Ireland) Ltd, agent				
Purchased by John Warren Bloodstock				
<u>1116</u>	c	<u>Cape Cross (Ire)</u>	<u>Autumn Wealth (Ire)</u>	115,000
B-Whitley Stud				
Consigned by Whitley Stud				
Purchased by John Ferguson Bloodstock				





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**TATTERSALLS OCTOBER 2**

Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price (gns)
<u>1004</u>	colt	Kyllachy (GB)	Trois Heures Apres (GB)	100,000

*B-Diomed Bloodstock Ltd (Ire)*  
Consigned by Lodge Park Stud

Purchased by C Gordon-Watson Bloodstock

Bidding on behalf of Diomed Bloodstock, Emerald Bloodstock went to 80,000gns to acquire Trois Heures Apres (GB) (Soviet Star) out of the 2006 Tattersalls December sale carrying this foal in utero. This bay colt, a half-brother to a pair of listed stakes-placed performers, took care of that outlay and then some.

<u>1040</u>	colt	Compton Place (GB)	Westwood (Fr)	160,000
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*B-Camouge Stud Ltd (Ire)*  
Consigned by Glenvale Stud  
Purchased by Demi O'Byrne

Hailing from a solid Wertheimer family which includes GSWs Prospect Park (GB) and Prospect Wells (Fr), Westwood (Fr) (Anabaa), with this colt in utero, was knocked down to the bid of the BBA Ireland for just 14,000gns at Tatts December in 2006. The colt, in turn, sold last November at Goffs for €46,000 to the bid of Peter Doyle.

<u>1050</u>	colt	Refuse to Bend (Ire)	Withorwithoutyou (Ire)	160,000
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*B-D McDonnell (Ire)*  
Consigned by Parkway Farm  
Purchased by John Ferguson Bloodstock

Through bloodstock agent Peter Doyle, breeder Denis McDonnell went to 38,000gns for Withorwithoutyou (Ire) (Danehill) carrying a foal from the first crop of Lucky Story, the Kris S. full brother to Dr Fong, at the 2005 Tattersalls December sale. The resulting colt sold here a year ago for 55,000gns and, racing this year as Art Connoisseur (Ire), landed this year's G2 Coventry S. at Royal Ascot and was runner-up in the G1 Phoenix S.

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**HIP HAPPENINGS**

**TATTERSALLS BOOK 2 -- WEDNESDAY**  
Hip 1226, f, Tiger Hill (Ire)--Crystal Star (GB),  
by Mark of Esteem (Ire)

*Consigned by Southcourt Stud*

From the de Rothschild's stud, this is a half-sister to the progressive three-year-old Crystal Capella (GB) (Cape Cross {Ire}), winner of this year's Listed Alice Keppel S. and Listed Princess Royal S. who is due to run in Saturday's G2 Pride S. at Newmarket. The dam, who was a listed scorer herself and was also runner-up in the 2003 G3 Fred Darling S., is related to the 2001 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches (French 1000 Guineas) heroine Rose Gypsy (GB).

Hip 1297, f, Danehill Dancer (Ire)--Evangeline (GB),  
by Sadler's Wells

*Consigned by the Castlebridge Consignment*

This is a may-foaled half-sister to this year's G2 Lowther S. winner Infamous Angel (GB) (Exceed and Excel {Aus}), whose dam is a half to the listed scorer Sgt Pepper (Ire) from the extended family of Fortune's Wheel (Ire) and Harmless Albatross (Ire).

Hip 1328, c, Nayef--Fleeting Rainbow (GB),  
by Rainbow Quest

*Consigned by Kennycourt Stud*

One of the picks of the session on paper, this is a half-brother to the 2002 G1 Tattersalls Gold Cup heroine Rebelline (Ire) (Robellino), who has a smart juvenile in the recent G2 Beresford S. fourth Recharge (Ire) (Cape Cross {Ire}). His other half-sibling is Quws (GB) (Robellino), winner of the 1997 G2 Blandford S. and following year's G3 Gallinule S.

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**(Tattersalls Book 2 Hip Happenings cont.)**

Hip **1334**, c, **Selkirk**--Franglais (Ger), by Lion Cavern  
*Consigned by Highclere Stud*

This pedigree, which already contains the dam's high-class half-sister Fraulein (GB), received a boost when this March-foaled colt's half-brother Flashmans Papers (GB) (Exceed and Excel {Aus}) took the Listed Windsor Castle S. at Royal Ascot in June. This is the family of this week's G3 Prix Eclipse winner Smooth Operator (Ger).

Hip **1422**, c, **Galileo (Ire)**--Jabali (Fr), by Shirley Heights (GB)  
*Consigned by Highclere Stud*

Among the dam's half-siblings are the multiple group winner Dadarissime (Fr) and Floripedes (Fr), who needs no introduction as dam of the great Montjeu (Ire). Another of her progeny is Cumbres (Fr), who is responsible for this year's G1 Moyglare Stud S. and G2 Debutante S. heroine Again (Ire).

**TATTERSALLS OCTOBER 2 OUTS - WEDNESDAY**

1188, 1196, 1221, 1223, 1232, 1242, 1248, 1255, 1256, 1267, 1271, 1276, 1279, 1292, 1301, 1304, 1316, 1320, 1326, 1337, 1340, 1342, 1346, 1347, 1353, 1355, 1355, 1380, 1381, 1383, 1386, 1395, 1401, 1411, 1420, 1438, 1439, 1449

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**PIN OAK VALLEY VIEW S.-GIII**, \$150,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/16mT

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2	Scolara	Quiet American	Desormeaux
3	Tight Precision	Pure Precision	Theriot
4	Grenadia	Thunder Gulch	S Bridgmohan
5	Absolutely Smart	Vindication	Castanon
6	Dreaming of Liz	El Prado (Ire)	Baird
7	Clear Pond	Dynaformer	Douglas
8	Much Obliged	Kingmambo	Albarado
9	Miss Challenge	More Than Ready	Dominguez
10	Acoma	Empire Maker	Leparoux
11	Forest Trail	Forest Wildcat	Velazquez
12	Stealin' Kisses	Sky Mesa	Borel
AE	Absolutely Cindy	Arch	Lanerie

All carry 117, except Dreaming of Liz at 119.

*Additional Stakes Preview p. 10*

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**THE CHAMPION; A BRIEF HISTORY** *By Tom Frary*

Saturday's G1 Emirates Airlines Champion S. falls at the end of an increasingly busy European season, but its role as the crowning moment of the year has been diminished by the influx of the big international prizes. Sitting so close to the Arc is one obstacle that the historic race has adeptly overcome, but the onslaught of the Breeders' Cup and Far Eastern challenges have meant that Champions' Day is just one of a series of targets. But the fact that the G1 Epsom Derby and G1 Irish Champion winner New Approach (Ire) is in this year's line-up suggests it remains high on the wish-list of the heavyweights of the game. As with so many of this country's races, the charm of history is a major draw.

Since the race's inception in 1877, the sole horse to record three wins is the mercurial Tristan (GB), who ruled the roost between 1882 and 1884 before eventually killing himself in violent fashion at stud. Some of the names on the post-WWII honor roll are the world's most famous, with Ormonde (GB), La Fleche (GB), Sceptre (GB), Pretty Polly (GB), Bayardo (GB) and Nasrullah (Ire) gracing the list, while the fifties and sixties saw luminaries such as Petite Etoile (GB) and Sir Ivor add to their already enviable tally of achievements.

Yet the race has also been a graveyard for some lofty figures since Lorenzaccio (GB) defeated Nijinsky II in 1970. On the other side of back-to-back wins in 1971--two for the great Brigadier Gerard (GB)--one of 10 to win two renewals--have been reversals for Allez France (twice), Slip Anchor (GB), Daylami (Ire) and Montjeu (Ire). In the years that the race was known officially as the Dubai Champion S., from 1982 to 2001, notable winners included the outstanding distaffers Time Charter (GB), Pebbles (GB), Triptych, Indian Skimmer--who hardly let the boys have a look-in during the eighties--In the Groove (GB), Bosra Sham and Alborada (GB). Of the colts in that period, Rodrigo de Triano--the last of Lester Piggott's five successes--Pilsudski (Ire), Kalanisi (Ire) and Nayef provided highlights. Since 2002, when Emirates Airlines took up the sponsorship, Rakti (GB), Haafhd (GB) and Pride (Fr) have maintained the tradition of memorable winners of this prestigious prize.

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To pick out a handful would be difficult, but three that are burned on this particular mind are Indian Skimmer's rout of four over-matched rivals in 1988, Bosra Sham's defeat of Halling in 1996 and Pilsudski's European finale the following year. Henry Cecil trained the former for Sheikh Mohammed and, at 8-15, the grey daughter of Storm Bird had to win impressively to justify the confidence of the home crowd. Her four-length dismissal of the St James's Palace winner Persian Heights (GB), with the 2000 Guineas hero Doyoun (Ire) and the International winner Shady Heights (GB) also in her wake, was a classic case of following the script. Eight years later, another Warren Place trainee lit up the Rowley Mile. This time it was brilliant chestnut daughter of Woodman named Bosra Sham. Her 2 1/2-length defeat of the seemingly unbeatable Halling saw Pat Eddery unusually animated afterwards and preceded the famous tongue-in-cheek dagger scene between Cecil and Sheikh Mohammed on the winner's rostrum. Ballymacoll Stud's Pilsudski typified the late-developing type with which Sir Michael Stoute excels, and his easy win 12 months later was one of six such victories at the highest level which took in Germany, Canada, Ireland and Japan. In many ways, he is a sign that this contest still has major relevance on the world scene and can fit comfortably among the overseas bonanzas.

**Leader Gears up for Champion Date...**

Last year's G2 Royal Lodge S. winner **City Leader (Ire)** (Fasliyev) will take his place in the line-up for Saturday's G1 Emirates Airline Champion S. at Newmarket, connections announced yesterday. Owned by Roldvale Limited--whose David Junior was successful three years ago--Tony Collins and the Sangster family associated with the 1992 winner Rodrigo de Triano, the Brian Meehan-trained sophomore will enter the 10-furlong test off a string of placed efforts in France. The grey, runner-up to Twice Over (GB) in the G2 Prix Eugene Adam at Maisons-Laffitte July 27 and third behind Russian Cross (Ire) in the Aug. 23 G2 Prix Guillaume d'Ornano at Deauville, was fourth in the G2 Prix Niel at Longchamp last time Sept. 14. He will be partnered by Jamie Spencer. "The plan is to run, and Jamie went over to Brian's last week to sit on the horse," Eamonn Connolly, Racing Manager to Roldvale's David Sullivan, told *PA Sport* yesterday. "The ground has been far too quick for him a couple of times this season, and he has also had bad luck in running in France. We're also really looking forward to him running as a four-year-old." City Leader may not get the conditions he prefers on Saturday, however, as the track's Director of Racing Michael Prosser revealed that the ground was firming up. "The ground is good, good-to-firm in places," Prosser said. "We experienced a shower at 5 p.m., and there is the possibility of further light precipitation into Tuesday evening. Wednesday and Thursday are expected to bring further showers with an approximate total of three to four millimetres of rainfall anticipated. Friday and Saturday are forecast to be dry."

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**NA SIRES BEGIN TO DOMINATE AW STATS**

In the three years since Turfway Park ran the first meet in North America on an all-weather surface, there have now been more horses to have started on the AW in North America than in the entire time they have been run in England and the rest of Europe, which goes back to 1989 when Lingfield debuted its synthetic surface. Whereas AW racing in North America is at a fairly high level, because whole meets at tracks which could afford to install it are run on it, it has always been run at a much lower level in Britain, where it started as a filler for winter days when the weather halted all other racing. The fact that the only two European sires to, so far, have four or more AW stakes winners are probably Europe's two best sires of recent vintage which aren't by Sadler's Wells--**Pivotal** (first foals 1998) and **Dansili** (first foals 2002)--shows that only since the turn of the century has AW racing in Europe been set up to attract good horses. Pivotal has four AW stakes winners in Europe, from 189 AW starters; Dansili, the leading AW sire in Europe in all three major categories, has five AW stakes winners, from 157 total AW starters. Besides having the most AW stakes winners, Dansili is also the leading European sire in AW average-earnings index (AEI), with a 2.02 rating; and in percentage of AW winners/starters (44.59 percent, 70 of 157, ranking him world number four in that department).

Another group which looks more important now than it will in the future, when there is even more AW racing 'south of the border,' is Canadian sires, particularly from Ontario. Their prominence is really due to the fact that Woodbine has a long meet which is now finishing its third year of AW racing. As other jurisdictions get established (California, Arlington Park) the Canadian sires will become less prominent. Eight of the top 25 sires by combined AW AEI are, or were, Ontario sires. Of the remaining 17, four are dead and one was exported to Australia. That leaves 12 active non-Ontario sires among the top 25: two are in Europe (**Ski Chief** in France and **Dansili** in Britain); two are in California (**In Excess** and **Lit de Justice**); and eight are in Kentucky. In order of their AW average-earnings index, they are: **Point Given** (3.24); **Street Cry** (2.93); **Tiznow** (2.75); **A.P. Indy** (2.35); **Stormy Atlantic** (2.21); **Harlan's Holiday** and **Pleasant Tap** (each 2.11); and **Giant's Causeway** (1.87).

Though it proves to be not as high a standard as average-earnings index or number of AW stakes winners, sires' percentage of AW winners to starters nonetheless is worth knowing. In Europe, the cumulative percentage of AW winners to starters is 23.6 percent (24,840 starters), while in North America it is a considerably higher 29.5 percent (27,715 starters); combined, the figure is 26.7 percent.

TEAM VALOR

**Winner of the  
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*After posting her first U.S. stakes win on Turf at Saratoga, JAZZY won the Gallant Bloom-G2 on Dirt in her next start.*

*Jazzy*

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**November 2**

**Fasig-Tipton**

**Hip 163**





Of the 323 sires which have had 50 or more AW starters (click [here](#) for the list of the 323, or [here](#) for the list of the 3,564 sires who have had any all-weather starters), the leading sire by percentage of winners is **Gold Case**, who now stands in New Mexico (from KY). A son of Forty Niner who stood at Adena Springs in his Kentucky years, Gold Case has almost 48 percent AW winners from starters (35 of 73). Deceased **Chester House** (44.87 percent) was second, just ahead of Ontario's leading sire, **Bold Executive**, and Britain's leading AW sire, **Dansili**. A total of 22 stallions have sired 40 percent or higher AW winners to starters (in other words, 50 percent higher than the norm of 26.7 percent). Besides Chester House, **Maria's Mon** and **Danetime** are dead, and **Distant View** is retired. Three more are from Ontario. **Invincible Spirit** (41.10 percent AW winners/starters) is in Ireland; **Lit de Justice** again and **Montbrook** stand in California and Florida, respectively. This leaves a mostly different eight in Kentucky with 50-plus AW starters and 40 percent or higher AW winners to runners: **Tactical Cat** (43.53 percent); **Slew City Slew**; **Catienus**; **Grand Slam**; **Smart Strike**; **Pleasant Tap**, in a second category; **Orientate**; and **Harlan's Holiday**, again.

Black type means class, and the best illustration of the difference between the standard of AW racing in North America and Europe (up until very recently) is the number and percentage of stakes races which have been run on the AW. In North America, there have been 422 stakes races on the AW, 1.5 percent of all AW races; in Europe, there have been just 82, just 0.3 percent of all AW races. Combined, there have been 504 AW black-type races, a shade under one percent of the 52,361 AW races since counting began.

A total of 25 sires have four or more AW stakes winners, but the leading sire by number of AW stakes winners is **A.P. Indy**, with eight; the leading all-American sire is also the leading sire of stakes winners on the AW. Four sires have six AW stakes winners each: **Street Cry** (from only 56 AW starters); **Tiznow**; **Giant's Causeway**; and top Canadian sire **Bold Executive**. Eight more sires have five AW stakes winners each; a further 12 have four each. These include one more from Ontario, **Trajectory**; four from California – **Unusual Heat**, **Tribal Rule**, **Bertrando**, and **Deputy Commander** (all sired in Kentucky crops); and the top two sires in Britain, **Dansili** and **Pivotal**. The remaining 13 all stand or stood in Kentucky: **Forest Wildcat**, **Tale of the Cat**, **Lemon Drop Kid**, **Pleasant Tap**, **Stephen Got Even**, **Black Minnaloushe**, **Chester House**, **Grand Slam**, **Maria's Mon**, **Seeking the Gold**, **Storm Boot**, **Stormy Atlantic**, and **Stravinsky**. Just in case you were worried about whether the Storm Cat line operates on the AW, seven of the 25 sires with four or more AW stakes winners are sons of Storm Cat.

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**AW Broodmare Sires...**

For the first time, I'm beginning to think the AW statistics we're generating are starting to yield meaningful information. Especially for young North American sires (first foals 2003 and later), AW surfaces have been available for their progeny virtually their whole sire careers. So it's very interesting, for example, that the top three non-Canadian sires by AW average-earnings index are all young Kentucky sires with first foals 2003 or 2004: Point Given (2003), Street Cry (2004), and Tiznow (2003).

So there might be some significance in the fact that the top two AW broodmare sires by damsire average-earnings index have Alydar close up in their pedigrees: number one AW damsire by AW average-earnings index is **Turkoman**, son of Alydar (and, interestingly, himself damsire of Point Given); number two is Canada's top AW damsire, **Alydeed**, who was by Shadeed out of an Alydar mare. So far it looks like you wouldn't be running the other way if you saw Alydar in the pedigree of an AW prospect.

There was plenty of evidence in the sires' statistics that the Storm Cat line is operating very well on the AW surfaces, and there's more evidence of that in the damsire stats. **Storm Cat** himself is the leading damsire of AW stakes winners, with seven (from 238 AW starters as a broodmare sire, which is quite a few). **Tabasco Cat**, who was not a very successful sire himself, nonetheless looks pretty good as an AW damsire: fourth-ranked among 322 damsires with 40+ AW runners by damsire average-earnings index (2.06); and second by percentage of AW winners to starters (24 of 54, 44.44 percent). **Mountain Cat**, who got a one-wat ticket to Turkey, is in the top five (41.79 percent AW winners to starters).

Three relatively younger broodmare sires with impressive figures in one of those two categories include **Smart Strike**, who already has two AW stakes winners as a broodmare sire and ranks number six by damsire AEI (1.86); **Holy Bull**, leading AW damsire by percentage of AW winners to starters with 40+ AW runners (30 of 67, 44.78 percent); and **Unbridled's Song**, third on the same list (42.55 percent AW winners to runners as a broodmare sire).

After Storm Cat, with seven, three sires are tied with six AW stakes winners each as a broodmare sire. The California sire **Beau Genius** has achieved this from just 65 AW runners as a broodmare sire, so that must be a name to look for on the broodmare sire if you're looking for horses who should handle the AW. Also with six AW stakes winners as broodmare sires are **Cure the Blues** and **Dynaformer**.

For the list of 322 broodmare sires with 40 or more all-weather starters, click [here](#); for the entire list of 4,280 broodmare sires with an all-weather starter, click [here](#).

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**Required Reading...**

The respected sports and racing writer Bill Finley, like the rest of us, knows that AW racing in North America is in its infancy, and that any conclusions we reach about it now are subject to considerable revision. Given that disclaimer, Bill's new book, published by DRF Press and titled "Betting Synthetic Surfaces: Conquering Racing's Newest Frontier," is a must-read for anybody heading for next week's Breeders' Cup meeting at Santa Anita, and especially for anybody intending to bet on it. Besides including an interesting and useful history of the evolution of 'synthetic' (aka 'all-weather, and abbreviated AW) racetracks, he ably summarizes some important trends for handicappers to keep in mind in these early days of betting on synthetic surfaces. In this regard, Finley identifies four important trends: that any synthetic track bias does appear to 'slow down' frontrunners and improve the chances of closers; that there "is never a (positive) rail bias" on AW tracks; surprisingly, perhaps, that 'turf-only' runners (those with poor form on dirt) tend not to excel on synthetic surfaces; and that, thus far, from a betting angle, synthetic surfaces tend to be more alike each other than different. That doesn't mean all the races at Santa Anita won't be won wire-to-wire by rail runners; but it's less likely they will be than would have been the case in the past.

Bill also takes a valiant stab at identifying AW sires, including some very interesting statistics from the Thoro-Graph organization about first-time win ratios and ROI's (return on a \$2 investment) for sires on synthetic surfaces, but here he is disadvantaged by the rapidly evolving body of data, which I would say is considerably more meaningful nine months later than when the Thoro-Graph sire statistics were compiled, in December 2007. That's a relatively minor point, though; given what we can possibly know at this point in the AW evolutionary process, Bill's book is an excellent primer for all serious handicappers, and all other followers of important trends in North American racing, for example, breeders. Highly recommended.

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**Friday, The Meadowlands**  
**VIOLET S.-GIII, \$150,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT	
1	American Border	Boundary	Lezcano	117	
2	Marie Rossa (GB)	Testa Rossa (Aus)	Rose	117	
3	All is Vanity (Fr)	Gold Away (Ire)	Garcia	117	
4	Paradise Tonight	Slew Gin Fizz	Elliott	118	
5	Le Cordon Bleu	Royal Academy	Maragh	117	
6	Royalties King of Kings (Ire)	Rocco Jr	117		
7	Cozzi Capital	Cozzene	Marquez Jr	119	
8	Sharp Susan	Touch Gold	Bravo	121	
9	Snow Cone	Cryptoclearance	Castro	117	
10	Seeking an Angel	Seeking the Gold	Lopez	117	
11	Exchange Fire	Jihad	King Jr	117	
12	Shytoe Lafleet	King of Kings (Ire)	Saez	121	
13	Audacious Chloe	More Than Ready	DeCarlo	117	
MT0	Jenny Bean Girl	Sefapiano	Centeno	117	

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### 47 SIREs with 3+ AW Stakes Winners

SIRE	ST	NA Strtrs	NA SW	GB Strtrs	GB SW	Comb Strtrs	Comb SW	AEI
A.P. Indy	KY	107	8	4	0	111	8	2.35
<b>Bold Executive</b>	<b>ON</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3.30</b>
Street Cry (Ire)	KY	56	6	23	0	79	6	2.93
Tiznow	KY	107	6	6	0	113	6	2.75
Giant's Causeway	KY	106	6	57	0	163	6	1.87
<b>Trajectory</b>	<b>ON</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2.38</b>
Pleasant Tap	KY	64	5	8	0	72	5	2.11
Dansili (GB)	GB	4	0	153	5	157	5	2.02
Forest Wildcat	Dead	106	5	24	0	130	5	1.58
<b>Unusual Heat</b>	<b>CA</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1.58</b>
Lemon Drop Kid	KY	83	5	25	0	108	5	1.35
Stephen Got Even	KY	91	5	4	0	95	5	1.22
Tale of the Cat	KY	157	5	18	0	175	5	1.20
Stormy Atlantic	KY	124	4	3	0	127	4	2.21
<b>Tribal Rule</b>	<b>CA</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2.16</b>
Chester House	Dead	61	3	17	1	78	4	1.98
Maria's Mon	Dead	99	4	7	0	106	4	1.86
Stravinsky	Jpn	65	2	82	2	147	4	1.76
Pivotal (GB)	GB	5	0	184	4	189	4	1.48
<b>Bertrando</b>	<b>CA</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1.43</b>
Grand Slam	KY	163	3	26	1	189	4	1.23
Seeking the Gold	KY	58	4	23	0	81	4	1.07
Deputy Commander	CA	106	4	8	0	114	4	1.07
Storm Boot	Dead	99	4	2	0	101	4	1.06
Black Minnaloushe	SAF	56	3	17	1	73	4	0.97
Point Given	KY	67	3	5	0	72	3	3.24
Put It Back	FL	32	3	0	0	32	3	2.59
Harlan's Holiday	KY	47	3	3	0	50	3	2.11
El Corredor	KY	108	3	8	0	116	3	1.67
Smart Strike	KY	117	3	6	0	123	3	1.61
Mutakddim	KY	135	3	5	0	140	3	1.57
Cozzene	KY	41	3	27	0	68	3	1.54
El Prado (Ire)	KY	81	3	16	0	97	3	1.45
<b>Benchmark</b>	<b>CA</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1.35</b>
Carson City	Dead	89	3	6	0	95	3	1.35
Officer	KY	60	3	8	0	68	3	1.33
Catienus	KY	90	3	3	0	93	3	1.33
Petionville	KY	105	3	3	0	108	3	1.25
E Dubai	KY	50	3	2	0	52	3	1.24
Royal Academy	Aust	119	2	44	1	163	3	1.13
Unbridled's Song	KY	95	3	7	0	102	3	1.08
Gone West	KY	68	3	30	0	98	3	1.02
Souvenir Copy	KSA	51	3	2	0	53	3	1.02
Dixie Union	KY	86	3	9	0	95	3	0.99
Out of Place	KY	81	3	1	0	82	3	0.98
Stormin Fever	CA	82	3	8	0	90	3	0.94
Dr Fong	GB	2	0	178	3	180	3	0.88

Red = California/Ontario sire



**TOP 50 SIREs by COMBINED AW AEI, 50+ AW Starters**

SIRE	ST	NA Pct W/S	NA SW	NA AEI	EU Pct W/S	EU SW	EU AEI	Comb Pct W/S	Comb SW	Comb AEI
<b>Bold Executive</b>	ON	44.74%	6	3.30	0.00%	0	0.00	44.74%	6	3.30
Point Given	KY	31.34%	3	3.47	0.00%	0	0.13	29.17%	3	3.24
Street Cry (Ire)	KY	39.29%	6	3.89	26.09%	0	0.61	35.44%	6	2.93
Tiznow	KY	36.45%	6	2.88	33.33%	0	0.50	36.28%	6	2.75
<b>Whiskey Wisdom</b>	ON	39.06%	2	2.71	0.00%	0	0.00	39.06%	2	2.71
<b>Trajectory</b>	ON	42.86%	5	2.38	0.00%	0	0.00	42.86%	5	2.38
A.P. Indy	KY	33.64%	8	2.39	25.00%	0	1.15	33.33%	8	2.35
Stormy Atlantic	KY	33.87%	4	2.06	33.33%	0	8.36	33.86%	4	2.21
Harlan's Holiday	KY	38.30%	3	2.19	66.67%	0	0.98	40.00%	3	2.11
Pleasant Tap	KY	39.06%	5	2.12	50.00%	0	2.05	40.28%	5	2.11
Ski Chief	FR	0.00%	0	0.00	16.67%	0	2.10	16.67%	0	2.10
<b>Compadre</b>	ON	38.71%	1	2.09	0.00%	0	0.00	38.71%	1	2.09
Dansili (GB)	GB	50.00%	0	1.82	44.44%	5	2.02	44.59%	5	2.02
<b>Bold n' Flashy</b>	ON	41.30%	0	2.01	0.00%	0	0.00	40.86%	0	1.98
Chester House	Dead	40.98%	3	1.43	58.82%	1	3.94	44.87%	4	1.98
<b>Ascot Knight</b>	Dead	32.89%	0	1.94	0.00%	0	0.00	32.89%	0	1.94
Zafonic	Dead	0.00%	0	1.67	37.00%	1	1.91	36.27%	1	1.90
<b>Tethra</b>	ON	34.67%	2	1.90	0.00%	0	0.00	34.67%	2	1.90
<b>In Excess (Ire)</b>	CA	38.00%	2	1.89	0.00%	0	0.00	38.00%	2	1.89
Giant's Causeway	KY	33.02%	6	2.37	24.56%	0	0.94	30.06%	6	1.87
Maria's Mon	Dead	43.43%	4	1.91	42.86%	0	1.20	43.40%	4	1.86
Danehill	Dead	36.36%	0	1.20	32.97%	2	1.93	33.33%	2	1.85
<b>One Way Love</b>	ON	37.21%	2	1.82	0.00%	0	0.00	37.21%	2	1.82
<b>Lit de Justice</b>	CA	37.50%	2	1.56	66.67%	0	4.33	40.00%	2	1.80
Desert Sun (GB)	Aust	50.00%	0	2.18	32.86%	1	1.78	33.33%	1	1.80
Slew City Slew	KY	41.43%	1	1.79	0.00%	0	0.00	41.43%	1	1.79
Rahy	KY	30.19%	2	1.88	36.54%	0	1.67	33.33%	2	1.77
Stravinsky	JPN	32.31%	2	1.18	28.05%	2	2.23	29.93%	4	1.76
Wild Rush	JPN	32.73%	1	1.74	0.00%	0	0.00	32.73%	1	1.74
Sri Pekan	TUR	100.00%	0	4.64	26.87%	1	1.68	27.94%	1	1.72
Mizzen Mast	KY	28.77%	2	1.81	30.77%	0	1.06	29.07%	2	1.69
El Corredor	KY	36.11%	3	1.75	12.50%	0	0.50	34.48%	3	1.67
Komaite	Dead	0.00%	0	0.00	36.67%	0	1.63	36.67%	0	1.63
Cadeaux Genereux (GB)	GB	33.33%	0	1.16	36.08%	1	1.63	36.02%	1	1.62
Danetime (Ire)	Dead	50.00%	0	1.94	42.19%	1	1.60	42.42%	1	1.61
Smart Strike	KY	42.74%	3	1.63	0.00%	0	1.20	40.65%	3	1.61
Docksider	ITY	0.00%	0	0.00	34.33%	1	1.62	33.82%	1	1.59
Forest Wildcat	Dead	29.25%	5	1.69	25.00%	0	1.10	28.46%	5	1.58
<b>Unusual Heat</b>	CA	31.30%	5	1.58	0.00%	0	0.00	31.30%	5	1.58
Invincible Spirit (Ire)	IR	0.00%	0	0.31	42.25%	1	1.61	41.10%	1	1.57
Mutakddim	KY	37.78%	3	1.61	20.00%	0	0.52	37.14%	3	1.57
Cape Cross (Ire)	IR	0.00%	0	0.45	33.72%	0	1.58	32.95%	0	1.55
Mazel Trick	AB	36.54%	2	1.55	0.00%	0	0.00	36.54%	2	1.55
Cozzene	KY	39.02%	3	1.79	18.52%	0	1.15	30.88%	3	1.54
Sir Cat	CHI	33.96%	1	1.30	75.00%	0	4.38	36.84%	1	1.51
Tagula (Ire)	IR	0.00%	0	0.00	26.98%	1	1.51	26.98%	1	1.51
Trans Island (GB)	IR	100.00%	0	1.49	33.82%	0	1.48	34.78%	0	1.48
Kingsalsa	FR	0.00%	0	2.07	15.09%	0	1.47	14.81%	0	1.48
Pivotal (GB)	GB	20.00%	0	0.39	31.52%	4	1.51	31.22%	4	1.48
Efisis (GB)	Dead	0.00%	0	0.47	39.22%	0	1.49	38.46%	0	1.47
Include	KY	31.48%	2	1.47	100.00%	0	1.28	32.73%	2	1.47
Verglas (Ire)	IR	50.00%	0	1.08	20.62%	0	1.47	21.21%	0	1.47

Red - Stands/stood in California/Ontario





### TOP 50 SIREs by PCT of AW WINNERS/STARTERS, 50+ AW Starters

SIRE	ST	NA Strtrs	NA Wnrs	NA Pct W/S	EU Strtrs	EU Wnrs	EU Pct W/S	Comb Pct W/S	Comb SW	Comb AEI
Gold Case	NM	73	35	47.95%	0	0	0.00%	47.95%	1	0.90
Chester House	Dead	61	25	40.98%	17	10	58.82%	44.87%	4	1.98
<b>Bold Executive</b>	<b>ON</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>44.74%</b>	0	0	0.00%	<b>44.74%</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3.30</b>
Dansili (GB)	GB	4	2	50.00%	153	68	44.44%	44.59%	5	2.02
Tactical Cat	KY	80	36	45.00%	5	1	20.00%	43.53%	2	1.11
Maria's Mon	Dead	99	43	43.43%	7	3	42.86%	43.40%	4	1.86
<b>Trajectory</b>	<b>ON</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>42.86%</b>	0	0	0.00%	<b>42.86%</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2.38</b>
Danetime (Ire)	Dead	4	2	50.00%	128	54	42.19%	42.42%	1	1.61
Slew City Slew	KY	70	29	41.43%	0	0	0.00%	41.43%	1	1.79
Invincible Spirit (Ire)	IR	2	0	0.00%	71	30	42.25%	41.10%	1	1.57
Distant View	Ret	28	12	42.86%	38	15	39.47%	40.91%	0	1.26
<b>Bold n' Flashy</b>	<b>ON</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>41.30%</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	<b>40.86%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1.98</b>
Catienus	KY	90	38	42.22%	3	0	0.00%	40.86%	3	1.33
Grand Slam	KY	163	66	40.49%	26	11	42.31%	40.74%	4	1.23
Smart Strike	KY	117	50	42.74%	6	0	0.00%	40.65%	3	1.61
Pleasant Tap	KY	64	25	39.06%	8	4	50.00%	40.28%	5	2.11
Orientate	KY	78	31	39.74%	4	2	50.00%	40.24%	1	1.30
Menifee	Korea	74	30	40.54%	1	0	0.00%	40.00%	2	1.40
<b>Lit de Justice</b>	<b>CA</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>37.50%</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>66.67%</b>	<b>40.00%</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1.80</b>
Exploit	Korea	56	24	42.86%	4	0	0.00%	40.00%	0	0.89
Montbrook	FL	55	22	40.00%	0	0	0.00%	40.00%	1	1.33
Harlan's Holiday	KY	47	18	38.30%	3	2	66.67%	40.00%	3	2.11
Souvenir Copy	Saudi	51	21	41.18%	2	0	0.00%	39.62%	3	1.02
Yankee Victor	Korea	52	21	40.38%	1	0	0.00%	39.62%	0	1.06
<b>Whiskey Wisdom</b>	<b>ON</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>39.06%</b>	0	0	0.00%	<b>39.06%</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2.71</b>
Gilded Time	AB	87	36	41.38%	8	1	12.50%	38.95%	2	1.47
Running Stag	LA	64	25	39.06%	3	1	33.33%	38.81%	1	1.46
<b>Compadre</b>	<b>ON</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>38.71%</b>	0	0	0.00%	<b>38.71%</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2.09</b>
Efio (GB)	Dead	2	0	0.00%	102	40	39.22%	38.46%	0	1.47
Mujahid	Aust	1	1	100.00%	111	42	37.84%	38.39%	0	0.94
Lear Fan	Dead	36	12	33.33%	24	11	45.83%	38.33%	0	1.01
Indian Charlie	KY	91	35	38.46%	1	0	0.00%	38.04%	1	1.21
<b>In Excess (Ire)</b>	<b>CA</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>38.00%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	<b>38.00%</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1.89</b>
Bernstein	KY	69	25	36.23%	3	2	66.67%	37.50%	1	1.08
Northern Afleet	KY	71	27	38.03%	1	0	0.00%	37.50%	0	1.25
Sky Classic	KY	66	26	39.39%	6	1	16.67%	37.50%	0	1.18
Shinko Forest (Ire)	Dead	1	0	0.00%	63	24	38.10%	37.50%	1	1.26
<b>Bertrando</b>	<b>CA</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>37.30%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	<b>37.30%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1.43</b>
<b>One Way Love</b>	<b>ON</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>37.21%</b>	0	0	0.00%	<b>37.21%</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1.82</b>
Mutakddim	KY	135	51	37.78%	5	1	20.00%	37.14%	3	1.57
Chief Seattle	NY	89	33	37.08%	0	0	0.00%	37.08%	2	0.94
<b>Old Topper</b>	<b>CA</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>37.04%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	<b>37.04%</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1.03</b>
Soviet Star	IR	1	1	100.00%	91	33	36.26%	36.96%	0	1.26
Langfuhr	KY	145	53	36.55%	7	3	42.86%	36.84%	2	1.15
Deputy Commander	CA	106	40	37.74%	8	2	25.00%	36.84%	4	1.07
Sir Cat	Chile	53	18	33.96%	4	3	75.00%	36.84%	1	1.51
Richter Scale		85	30	35.29%	2	2	100.00%	36.78%	1	1.05
<b>Peaks and Valleys</b>	<b>ON</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>35.82%</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>36.76%</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0.89</b>
Komaite	Dead	0	0	0.00%	60	22	36.67%	36.67%	0	1.63
Mazel Trick	AB	52	19	36.54%	0	0	0.00%	36.54%	2	1.55



### ALL WEATHER BROODMARE SIRES WITH 3 OR MORE AW SWs

SIRE	NA Pct W/S	EU Pct W/S	Comb Strtrs	Comb Wnrs	Comb Pct W/S	Comb SW	Comb AEI
Storm Cat	34.50%	28.95%	238	80	33.61%	7	1.30
Beau Genius	45.76%	0.00%	65	27	41.54%	6	1.81
Cure the Blues	29.91%	33.33%	135	41	30.37%	6	1.42
Dynaformer	33.33%	34.78%	158	53	33.54%	6	1.32
Forty Niner	22.86%	50.00%	123	33	26.83%	5	1.29
Seeking the Gold	33.60%	25.58%	168	53	31.55%	5	1.29
Rahy	29.69%	41.07%	184	61	33.15%	5	1.24
Deputy Minister	28.90%	22.22%	236	67	28.39%	5	1.02
Mr. Prospector	30.77%	26.83%	266	77	28.95%	5	1.24
Caerleon	38.10%	29.01%	283	84	29.68%	5	1.78
Pirate's Bounty	36.84%	0.00%	78	28	35.90%	4	1.19
With Approval	36.78%	53.85%	100	39	39.00%	4	1.62
Regal Classic	33.94%	0.00%	109	37	33.94%	4	1.90
Lord At War (Arg)	35.09%	25.00%	118	41	34.75%	4	1.07
Conquistador Cielo	29.50%	30.77%	152	45	29.61%	4	1.06
Theatrical (Ire)	31.09%	17.78%	164	45	27.44%	4	1.06
Danzig	27.12%	26.32%	194	52	26.80%	4	1.11
Seattle Slew	30.63%	25.53%	207	61	29.47%	4	1.06
Royal Academy	31.43%	25.79%	225	60	26.67%	4	1.41
Woodman	27.08%	26.92%	326	88	26.99%	4	1.09
Metfield	36.67%	0.00%	30	11	36.67%	3	2.54
Great Above	42.86%	0.00%	35	15	42.86%	3	2.06
Statoblast	0.00%	25.00%	48	12	25.00%	3	1.02
Bold Executive	29.51%	0.00%	61	18	29.51%	3	1.57
Alydeed	31.34%	40.00%	77	25	32.47%	3	2.37
Bertrando	32.18%	0.00%	88	28	31.82%	3	1.33
Strawberry Road (Aus)	27.78%	0.00%	95	25	26.32%	3	0.90
Valid Appeal	37.39%	50.00%	119	45	37.82%	3	1.52
Runaway Groom	30.00%	22.22%	119	35	29.41%	3	0.93
Silver Hawk	24.64%	28.85%	121	32	26.45%	3	1.21
A.P. Indy	30.97%	28.57%	134	41	30.60%	3	1.33
Capote	33.61%	29.41%	136	45	33.09%	3	1.28
Unbridled	31.25%	33.33%	137	43	31.39%	3	1.13
Bold Ruckus	30.00%	0.00%	141	42	29.79%	3	1.54
Nashwan	20.00%	20.63%	141	29	20.57%	3	1.04
Wild Again	31.40%	14.29%	142	41	28.87%	3	1.10
Shareef Dancer	0.00%	22.45%	147	33	22.45%	3	1.34
Machiavellian	41.67%	26.09%	150	41	27.33%	3	1.11
Silver Deputy	31.03%	0.00%	150	45	30.00%	3	1.11
Devil's Bag	26.52%	28.57%	160	43	26.88%	3	1.29
Kris S.	27.52%	44.44%	167	49	29.34%	3	1.55
Crafty Prospector	32.70%	33.33%	177	58	32.77%	3	1.03
Dixieland Band	31.82%	26.00%	226	69	30.53%	3	1.29







## TOP 40 ALL-WEATHER BROODMARE SIRES BY AVERAGE EARNINGS INDEX

SIRE	NA SW	NA AEI	EU SW	EU AEI	Comb Strtrs	Comb Wnrs	Comb Pct W/S	Comb SW	Comb AEI
Turkoman	2	2.58	0	1.08	53	13	24.53%	2	2.44
Alydeed	3	2.56	0	1.10	77	25	32.47%	3	2.37
Magic Ring (Ire)	0	0.00	0	2.09	44	18	40.91%	0	2.09
Tabasco Cat	1	2.05	0	2.09	54	24	44.44%	1	2.06
Regal Classic	4	1.90	0	0.00	109	37	33.94%	4	1.90
Smart Strike	2	1.86	0	0.00	43	17	39.53%	2	1.86
In Excess (Ire)	2	1.82	0	0.00	60	25	41.67%	2	1.82
Beau Genius	6	1.98	0	0.20	65	27	41.54%	6	1.81
Caerleon	4	9.58	1	1.16	283	84	29.68%	5	1.78
Great Gladiator	1	1.74	0	0.00	46	18	39.13%	1	1.74
Notebook	2	1.74	0	0.71	54	17	31.48%	2	1.69
Formidable	0	0.00	1	1.68	61	20	32.79%	1	1.68
Prized	1	1.73	0	0.09	55	21	38.18%	1	1.67
Lyphard	1	1.80	0	1.57	114	44	38.60%	1	1.65
With Approval	4	1.66	0	1.35	100	39	39.00%	4	1.62
French Deputy	1	1.58	0	2.34	41	15	36.59%	1	1.62
Ahonoora (GB)	0	0.10	0	1.62	46	13	28.26%	0	1.59
Fortunate Prospect	2	1.61	0	0.00	72	25	34.72%	2	1.59
Bold Executive	3	1.57	0	0.00	61	18	29.51%	3	1.57
Kris S.	3	1.60	0	1.12	167	49	29.34%	3	1.55
Bold Ruckus	3	1.56	0	0.00	141	42	29.79%	3	1.54
Farma Way	1	1.55	0	0.98	53	22	41.51%	1	1.54
Ascot Knight	2	1.53	0	1.49	79	26	32.91%	2	1.53
Valid Appeal	3	1.53	0	1.16	119	45	37.82%	3	1.52
Habitat	0	1.37	2	1.51	48	16	33.33%	2	1.51
Lahib	1	5.06	0	0.96	62	17	27.42%	1	1.49
Linamix (Fr)	0	0.56	1	1.53	125	27	21.60%	1	1.49
Sheikh Albadou (GB)	1	1.29	0	1.81	47	16	34.04%	1	1.48
Last Tycoon (Ire)	0	1.27	1	1.49	171	55	32.16%	1	1.47
Geiger Counter	0	1.65	0	0.45	63	26	41.27%	0	1.46
Pentelicus	1	1.49	0	0.94	44	12	27.27%	1	1.46
Unbridled's Song	2	1.45	0	1.65	47	20	42.55%	2	1.46
El Prado (Ire)	1	1.43	0	1.68	51	19	37.25%	1	1.46
Tirol (Ire)	0	0.64	1	1.46	57	17	29.82%	1	1.45
Distant Relative (Ire)	0	1.49	0	1.44	95	30	31.58%	0	1.44
Cure the Blues	6	1.40	0	1.51	135	41	30.37%	6	1.42
Royal Academy	2	1.52	2	1.39	225	60	26.67%	4	1.41
Ogygian	1	1.39	0	1.66	64	21	32.81%	1	1.41
Mountain Cat	2	1.29	0	2.32	67	28	41.79%	2	1.41
Groom Dancer	0	0.12	2	1.42	88	20	22.73%	2	1.41

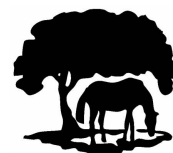


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**TOP 40 ALL-WEATHER BROODMARE SIREs BY PERCENTAGE OF WINNERS**

<b>SIRE</b>	<b>NA Pct W/S</b>	<b>NA SW</b>	<b>NA AEI</b>	<b>GB Pct W/S</b>	<b>GB SW</b>	<b>GB AEI</b>	<b>Comb Pct W/S</b>	<b>Comb AEI</b>
Holy Bull	45.16%	1	1.17	40.00%	0	2.51	44.78%	1.27
Tabasco Cat	46.67%	1	2.05	33.33%	0	2.09	44.44%	2.06
Unbridled's Song	42.22%	2	1.45	50.00%	0	1.65	42.55%	1.46
Hansel	40.00%	1	1.19	50.00%	0	1.89	42.50%	1.36
Mountain Cat	38.98%	2	1.29	62.50%	0	2.32	41.79%	1.41
In Excess (Ire)	41.67%	2	1.82	0.00%	0	0.00	41.67%	1.82
Beau Genius	45.76%	6	1.98	0.00%	0	0.20	41.54%	1.81
Farma Way	40.38%	1	1.55	100.00%	0	0.98	41.51%	1.54
Geiger Counter	45.28%	0	1.65	20.00%	0	0.45	41.27%	1.46
Housebuster	41.43%	2	1.27	38.46%	0	1.41	40.96%	1.29
Magic Ring (Ire)	0.00%	0	0.00	40.91%	0	2.09	40.91%	2.09
El Gran Senor	50.00%	0	1.04	31.91%	0	1.21	40.66%	1.13
Boundary	42.86%	1	1.47	20.00%	0	0.29	40.43%	1.35
Wavering Monarch	41.51%	2	1.34	0.00%	0	0.12	40.00%	1.29
Smart Strike	39.53%	2	1.86	0.00%	0	0.00	39.53%	1.86
Great Gladiator	39.13%	1	1.74	0.00%	0	0.00	39.13%	1.74
With Approval	36.78%	4	1.66	53.85%	0	1.35	39.00%	1.62
Lyphard	41.03%	1	1.80	37.33%	0	1.57	38.60%	1.65
Prized	39.62%	1	1.73	0.00%	0	0.09	38.18%	1.67
Buckaroo	38.10%	0	0.79	0.00%	0	0.00	38.10%	0.79
Saratoga Six	37.33%	1	1.06	41.67%	0	2.04	37.93%	1.20
Valid Appeal	37.39%	3	1.53	50.00%	0	1.16	37.82%	1.52
Premiership	36.96%	0	0.73	50.00%	0	6.73	37.50%	0.98
Eastern Echo	38.46%	1	0.96	0.00%	0	0.36	37.50%	0.94
El Prado (Ire)	40.00%	1	1.43	16.67%	0	1.68	37.25%	1.46
Caller I. D.	37.50%	0	1.27	33.33%	0	0.94	37.21%	1.24
Spend a Buck	38.89%	1	1.45	30.00%	0	0.38	36.96%	1.22
Personal Flag	39.34%	1	1.02	14.29%	0	0.86	36.76%	1.01
Explodent	40.54%	0	0.90	0.00%	0	0.14	36.59%	0.83
French Deputy	35.90%	1	1.58	50.00%	0	2.34	36.59%	1.62
Cozzene	38.10%	2	1.09	31.03%	0	1.24	36.28%	1.13
Saint Ballado	35.71%	1	0.95	40.00%	0	0.78	35.96%	0.94
Pirate's Bounty	36.84%	4	1.21	0.00%	0	0.63	35.90%	1.19
Seattle Dancer	45.95%	2	1.48	23.33%	0	0.84	35.82%	1.19
Zafonic	40.00%	0	0.54	35.23%	0	1.22	35.71%	1.15
Colonial Affair	37.14%	1	0.98	28.57%	0	0.62	35.71%	0.92
Unreal Zeal	35.71%	0	0.66	0.00%	0	0.00	35.71%	0.66
Mining	37.21%	0	1.10	20.00%	0	3.39	35.42%	1.34
Lost Code	34.48%	2	1.25	100.00%	0	3.25	35.23%	1.27
Allen's Prospect	35.00%	1	0.72	0.00%	0	0.00	35.00%	0.72
Gate Dancer	37.14%	1	1.16	20.00%	0	0.92	35.00%	1.13



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 **NORTH AMERICA** 

★ **NEW YORK** ★

**CAPTAIN'S LOVER TO RACE IN U.S.** Team Valor International's **Captain's Lover (SAf)** (Captain Al {SAf}), the reigning South African champion three-year-old filly, will make her next start in the G1 Matriarch S. at Hollywood Park Nov. 30 before continuing her career in the U.S. with Todd Pletcher. Winner of the G1 Cape Fillies Guineas in her native country last December, the bay made a successful foray into European racing, taking the G3 Prix du Pin at Longchamp Sept. 7. In her most recent appearance, she was a respectable fourth behind Paco Boy (Ire) in the G1 Prix de la Foret in Paris Oct. 4. "We think her next race will be her best in this form cycle," Team Valor principle Barry Irwin told *SAHorseracing.com*. "[Current trainer] Andre [Fabre] likes the timing between races. The filly showed last time that seven furlongs is too short for her best. She actually can get nine furlongs. A mile may be her best trip however. We like the fact that this race is run under weight-for-age conditions."

**Arroyo Expected Back Friday:**

Norberto Arroyo Jr, who fell from his mount after losing his irons during the running of Monday's fifth race at Belmont Park, was released from the hospital Monday evening and could return to the saddle Friday. Arroyo's agent Michael Monroe reported x-rays had revealed no fractures, but that the jockey was experiencing pain in his right foot. "He'll be icing that foot and he should be back in action real soon," Monroe said. "He'll probably take off his mounts on Thursday as a precaution, but hopefully, he'll be back in action by Friday."

★ **EAST** ★


**Yesterday's Results:**

**6th-PHA, \$42,750, Msw, 2yo, 6 1/2f, 1:15 2/5, ft. IT HAPPENED AGAIN (c, 2, Proud Citizen--Quiet Lucky, by Quiet American)** closed to be second in his bow Sept. 6 and was sent off the 8-5 choice to get the job done here. Up to press the early pace through the opening quarter, the chestnut took over after a half mile and drew off late to score by 3 1/2 lengths over Petch (Petionville). The winner is a half to Lucky Sam (Pembroke), SW, \$205,115; and Murch (Mr. Greeley), GSP, \$161,611. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$37,200. O-Brereton C Jones. B-Dede McGehee DVM (KY). T-J Larry Jones.

★ **KEENELAND** ★

**Best Colts Return to Action at Keeneland:**

English trainer John Best, whose **Square Eddie** (Smart Strike) won the G1 Lane's End Breeders' Futurity before being transferred to the Southern California barn of Doug O'Neill, will be represented at Keeneland this week by Futurity also-rans **Deposer (Ire)** (Kheleyf) and **Flashmans Papers (GB)** (Exceed and Excel {Aus}). The David Gorton-owned Deposer, fifth in the Futurity, is entered in Thursday's sixth race, a one-mile turf allowance. Flashmans Papers, owned by Kent Bloodstock and eighth in the Futurity, returns to action Saturday. The pair, working in company, breezed six furlongs in 1:14 last Saturday at Keeneland. "They went steady for about two furlongs and really worked about four," said Donna Brincat, Best's assistant at Keeneland. "They were ready to do something and they went great." Saturday will also mark the second Keeneland outing for Best trainees **Elegant Cad** (Chapel Royal) and **Acting Lady** (Theatrical {Ire}). Elegant Cad was a well-beaten 10th over the main track in an Oct. 4 allowance, while Acting Lady was 10th over the Polytrack in an Oct. 8 maiden special weight.

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**7th-KEE, \$50K, Msw, 2yo, 7f INDYGO MOUNTAIN (A.P. Indy)**, secured for \$600,000 at last year's KEESEP yearling sale, was among purchases that marked the return of horseman Clarence Scharbauer Jr. to the top end of Thoroughbred racing. Trained by Bret Calhoun, the chestnut has been training forwardly of late, including a four-furlong move in :48 flat Oct. 8. [brisnet.com pps](http://brisnet.com pps)

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★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

**IN FRANCE:**

Code of War, c, 2, [Mutakddim](#). See "Britain."

Peachmelba, f, 3, [Theatrical \(Ire\)](#). See "Breeders' Edition, Europe."

**IN BRITAIN:**

Trumpstoo, c, 2, [Perfect Soul \(Ire\)](#). See "Breeders' Edition, Europe."

Bavarian Nordic, c, 3, [Barathea \(Ire\)](#)--Dubai Diamond (GB), by Octagonal (NZ). Newcastle, Britain, 10-14, Hcp, 3yo/up, 10f 32ydsT. B-Gainsborough Farm LLC. \*23,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT; 65,000gns HIT '07 TATHIT.



★ CENTRAL ★

**First-crop starters to watch: Wednesday, Oct. 15**

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

[CANADIAN FRONTIER](#) (Gone West), Airdrie, \$10K, 41/4/0 8-KEE, Alw, 1mT, Banker's Choice, \$100K KEE SEP yrl, 6-1

[CONGAREE](#) (Arazi), Adena Springs KY, \$15K, 93/13/3 2-LRL, Msw, 6f, Congar Light, \$40K ESM AY 2yo, 20-1

[FRIENDS LAKE](#) (A.P. Indy), Airdrie, \$15K, 85/5/1 6-PHA, Msw, 1m, +Sunday Worship, \$19K KEE SEP yrl, 6-1

[JOHAR](#) (Gone West), Mill Ridge, \$20K, 75/8/0 8-KEE, Alw, 1mT, Majestic Feline, \$15K KEE SEP yrl, 8-1

8-KEE, Alw, 1mT, Keertana, 6-1

[LION HEART](#) (Tale of the Cat), Ashford, \$30K, 181/17/3 2-LRL, Msw, 6f, Darci, \$115K KEE SEP yrl, 5-2

[OMEGA CODE](#) (Elusive Quality), Hartley, 96/12/1 4-LRL, Msw, 5 1/2fT, Saint Omega, \$17K OBS JUN 2yo, 30-1

[STRONG HOPE](#) (Grand Slam), Claiborne, \$30K, 90/5/0 7-KEE, Msw, 7f, +Cold Feet, \$80K FTK JUL yrl, 15-1

[TOCCEI](#) (Awesome Again), Castleton Lyons, \$15K, 86/11/0 4-LRL, Msw, 5 1/2fT, +Sudden Shift, \$50K KEE SEP yrl, 5-1

**First/Second-crop starters to watch: Wed., Oct. 15**

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

[ALDEBARAN](#) (Mr. Prospector), Darby Dan, \$50K, 151/39/2 4-LRL, Msw, 5 1/2fT, +Cosmic Warning, \$100K KEE SEP yrl, 7-2

[D'WILDCAT](#) (Forest Wildcat), Vinery, \$10K, 68/28/3 6-WO, Stk, 1 1/16m, Lady d'Wildcat, \$27K EAS MAY 2yo, 8-1

[REPENT](#) (Louis Quatorze), Vinery Florida, \$5K, 159/49/6 6-PHA, Msw, 1m, +Charles Pridgen, \$10K OBS AUG yrl, 12-1

**Toe Grabs Banned at Churchill Tracks:**

Churchill Downs Incorporated will ban the use of toe grabs greater than two millimeters at its four race-tracks, effective immediately. The new policy applies to all horses racing and training at Churchill Downs, Arlington Park, Calder Race Course and Fair Grounds. "Our change in policy is another positive step toward improving the welfare and safety of our equine and human athletes, and it's consistent with the recommendations of The Jockey Club Thoroughbred Safety Committee, TOBA's Thoroughbred Action Committee and the Kentucky Horse Racing Commission to address safety in horse racing," said Donnie Richardson, senior vice president of racing for Churchill Downs Inc.

**STAKES CLOSINGS**

**TODAY, 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)

**TOMORROW, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16:**

10-25 \$150,000 [Oak Tree Derby-II, SA](#), 3yo/up, 9fT (150)

10-25 \$100,000a [Damascus, SA](#), 3yo, 7f (AWT) (100)

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★ FRANCE ★

**Yesterday's Results:**

**Longchamp, 2.50, Cond, €34,000, 2yo, c/g, 1mT, 1:38.90, gd.**

**TYNEDALE (FR) (c, 2, Muhtathir {GB}--Brisby {Fr} {SW & GSP-Fr, \$103,161}, by Courtroom {Fr}),** let go at 11-2 coming off a Sept. 5 win at Vichy, soon led in this one. Shoved along approaching the two pole, the €55,000 DEAOCT yearling was pushed out to the line to score by six lengths from Wajir (Fr) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}). The winner is a half-brother to Riche Americaine (Fr) (Loup Solitaire), SW-Fr, \$105,744. Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 2 wins, 0 places, €27,000.

O-Abdullah Al Maddah; B-Mme D de la Heronniere & Mme A Negre de Watrigant; T-Richard Gibson.

★ **NEW "TDN Rising Star"** ★

**Longchamp, 2.20, Cond, €34,000, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:38.90, gd.**

+ **RUSSIANA (IRE), f, 2, Red Ransom**

**1st Dam: Trumbaka (Ire) (MGSW-Fr, \$192,277), by In the Wings (GB)**

**2nd Dam: Questina (Fr), by Rainbow Quest**

**3rd Dam: Soviet Squaw, by Nureyev**

Each of Russiana's eight rivals had enjoyed at least one prior start, but they could not match the bay newcomer, who routed her opposition in this first go. Reserved off the pace through the early fractions, the 4-1 chance eased wide once into the stretch run. Challenging inside the final quarter-mile, she settled the issue in a matter of strides when quickening to the front with 150 meters to go and was on cruise control from there to register an impressive 2 1/2-length score from Entre Deux Eaux (Fr) (Ange Gabriel {Fr}). [Click for the Racing Post chart](#) or the [brisnet.com pedigree](#). Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, €17,000.

O/B-Wertheimer & Frere; T-Andre Fabre.

**Longchamp, 4.20, Cond, €33,000, 4yo/up, 1 5/16mT, 2:10.50, gd.**

**BALIUS (IRE) (h, 5, Mujahid--Akhla, by Nashwan),** third in the May 18 G1 Singapore Airlines International Cup last time, went postward as the 3-5 chalk for this lesser task. Stalking the leaders until coming under pressure at the quarter-mile marker, he found room approaching the closing panel and was pushed out to assert by a length from El Comodin (Ire) (Monsun {Ger}). Balius is a half-brother to Delfos (Ire) (Green Tune), MGSW-Fr, \$311,024. Lifetime Record: MSW & GSP-Fr, G1SP-HK & Mal, 22 starts, 8 wins, 11 places, €649,823.

O-Leonidas Marinopoulos; B-Stilvi Compania Financiera SA; T-Carlos Laffon-Parias.

**Marseille-Borely, 14.05, Cond, €26,000, 2yo, 6fT, 1:10.91, sf.**

**CODE OF WAR (c, 2, Mutakddim--Code Nine Six, by Cure the Blues),** off the mark at the first attempt at Le Croise-Laroche Sept. 27, was sent off the 17-10 joint-favorite. The \$27,000 FTKJUL yearling and \$140,000 OBSMAR juvenile raced in fifth throughout the early stages. Taking time to find top gear, the dark bay got going in the stretch and hit the front with a furlong remaining before asserting to best Broken in Light (Fr) (Divine Light {Jpn} by a comfortable 1 1/2-length margin. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 2 wins, €20,500. O-Hubert Guy & Peter R Bradley III; B-Don & Carol Brown; T-Alain de Royer-Dupre.

★ BRITAIN ★

**Yesterday's Results:**

**Leicester, 16.40, Mdn, £8,000, 2yo, 1m 60ydsT, 1:46.96, gd.**

**OPINION POLL (IRE) (c, 2, Halling--Ahead {GB} {GSP-US & GB}, by Shirley Heights {GB}),** a 3/4-brother to Smart Alec (GB) (Diesis {GB}), GSP-GB & MSP-Fr, \$100,262, was down the field on debut at Newmarket Sept. 19. Let go at 16-1 here, the bay and stalked the early pace before taking over before the quarter pole. Asserting thereafter, the homebred had a length to spare over Three Moons (Ire) (Montjeu {Ire}) at the line. Opinion Poll is also a half to Horatia (Ire) (Machiavellian), GSW-US & SP-GB, \$150,755; and Capitano Corelli (Ire) (Sadler's Wells), GSP-Ity. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, £5,181.

O-Sheikh Ahmed bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Darley; T-Michael Jarvis.

**Leicester, 1.40, Mdn, £7,500, 2yo, 7f 9ydsT, 1:24.95, gd.**

**BRAVO ECHO (GB) (c, 2, Oasis Dream {GB}--Bold Empress, by Diesis {GB})** debuted with a seventh at Newmarket Sept. 19 and enjoyed a forward role from the outset here. Pushed along with 2 1/2 furlongs to go, the 2-1 pick kept on strongly under a final-furlong drive to deny Emirates Roadshow (Distorted Humor) by 3/4 of a length. The winner's dam is a half to Juddmonte's champion Zafonic (Gone West), et al. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, £4,857.

O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms; T-John Gosden.

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**British results cont.**

**Leicester, 2.10, Mdn, £7,500, 2yo, 7f 9ydsT, 1:25.21, gd.**

**BOX OFFICE (GB) (c, 2, Storming Home {GB}--Dream Ticket, by Danzig),** third at Ayr last time Oct. 2, raced on the front end from the break in this one. Ridden to the outright lead approaching the final furlong, the 7-1 joint-second favorite kept on well under urging in the closing stages to defeat Al Marmoom (Medaglia d'Oro) by 2 1/4 lengths. King's Song (Ire) (Indian Ridge {Ire}) tracked the leaders throughout, but was unable to land a telling blow at the business end and finished fifth.

The winner is a 3/4-brother to Magic Mission (GB) (Machiavellian), GSW & GISP-US, GSP-Fr, \$397,856. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, £6,446.

O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Mohammed Al Maktoum; B-Gainsborough Stud Management Ltd; T-Mark Johnston.

★ EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS ★

**IN HONG KONG:**

**Viva Macau (Fr), h, 5, Sendawar (Ire)--Diyawara (Ire),** by Doyoun (Ire). Sha Tin, 10-12, Hcp., 1800mT. B-HH The Aga Khan's Studs SC. \*Formerly Dilek (Fr). \*\*GSW & G1SP-Fr. \*\*\*1/2 to Diyakalanie (Fr) (Ashkalani {Ire}), G1SP-Fr, \$221,032.

**BREEDERS' EDITION  
AMERICA**

**STAKES RESULTS:**

**DIA DE LA RAZA S.-Listed, \$52,671, CMR, 10-13, 2yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:17 3/5, sy.**

1--**DANA MY LOVE, 117, f, 2, by City Zip**

1st Dam: **Dixie Daylight (SW, \$110,165), by Dixieland Band**

2nd Dam: **Exclusive Love, by Exclusive Native**

3rd Dam: **Loved, by Jaipur**

(\$23,000 wlng '06 KEENOV; \$21,000 yrl '07 OBSAUG). O-Wanda Iris Inc; B-Catherine Parke, Buzz Chace & Taylor Brothers Properties (KY); T-Samuel Diaz; J-Carlos A Pizarro; \$32,919. Lifetime Record: 7-7-0-0, \$117,708.

2--**Highly Motivated, 117, f, 2, B L's Appeal--Miss Linny, by Lord Carson.** (\$6,200 yrl '07 OBSAUG); \$10,973.

3--**Master Lady, 117, f, 2, Graeme Hall--Irish Flower, by Irish Tower.** (\$2,500 yrl '07 OBSAUG; \$9,000 2yo '08 OBSAPR); \$5,487.

Margins: 3, 2 1/4, 8 3/4. Odds: 0.35, 1.90, 3.10.

**ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**3rd-MED, \$48,380, Opt. Clm. (\$32,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m70y, 1:42, ft.**

**CAT MISTRESS (f, 4, Tale of the Cat--Greeley's Mistress, by Mr. Greeley)** Lifetime Record: SP, 14-4-1-4, \$158,820. O/B-Richard Malouf (NJ). T-Edwin T Broome.

**9th-PHA, \$46,750, NW2X, 3yo/up, 5fT, :56 2/5, fm.**

**AMERICAN CRUISER (g, 4, Trippi--Southern Summer, by Storm Cat)** Lifetime Record: 11-3-2-2, \$95,809. O-Joscelyn Dubb, Sanford H Robbins LLC, P & D Kaplan Racing, Orchard Kids Stable. B-Harold J Plumley (FL). T-Anthony W Dutrow. \*\$80,000 yrl '05 FTKJUL.

**7th-MED, \$43,460, Opt. Clm. (\$32,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, 1 3/8mT, 2:20 2/5, fm.**

**GRAN ESTRENO (ARG) (h, 5, Lucky Roberto--Great Stampa {Arg}, by Senor Pete)** Lifetime Record: G1SW-Arg, 3-1-0-1, \$30,632. O-IEAH Stables & Steven & Andrew I Cohen. B-Eduardo Carlos Luther (ARG). T-Richard E Dutrow Jr.

**8th-DEL, \$40,600, NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11, ft.**

**VICAR'S VIXEN (f, 4, Vicar--Devil May Try, by Devil's Bag)** Lifetime Record: SP, 25-6-5-6, \$154,940. O-Winners Circle Partners VI. B-Mr & Mrs G J Stautberg (MD). T-Scott A Lake.

**10th-ZIA, \$38,250, (S), 3yo, 5 1/2f, 1:05, ft.**

**COMFY LEAD (g, 3, Istintaj--Contentment {MSP}, by Somethingfabulous)** Lifetime Record: SP, 16-4-5-2, \$110,082. O-Edna A Montano & J R Malouf. B-Jeffrey B & Mary W Keckley (NM). T-Fred I Danley. \*\$13,000 yrl '06 RUIAUG.

**8th-MNR, \$31,800, 10-14, NW4L, 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:03 2/5, ft.**

**SO SO (g, 3, Yankee Gentleman--So Re So, by Re-launch)** Lifetime Record: SW, 8-4-1-2, \$128,044. O/T-John D McKee. B-Brereton C Jones (KY). \*1/2 to Triano (Pioneering), Co-Ch. Horse of the Year-PR at 3, Ch. Imp. 2yo Colt-PR, Ch. Imp. 3yo Colt-PR, Ch. Sprinter-PR at 3, MSW-PR.

**7th-MNR, \$24,900, 10-14, NW2L, 3yo, f, 1m, 1:41, ft.**

**PYRITE HALO (f, 3, Formal Dinner--Personal Halo, by Southern Halo)** Lifetime Record: 10-2-1-2, \$34,891. O-Pyrite Stables. B-Dr D W Frazier (OH). T-Miguel A Feliciano.

**8th-HST, \$23,869, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000-\$45,000), NW1X, 3yo, 6 1/2f, 1:17, sy.**

**ROAD RISK (g, 3, Cahill Road--Gracious Legacy, by Ascot Knight)** Lifetime Record: 7-2-0-1, \$32,572. O-Canyon Farms & Carlton Stable. B-Canyon Farms (BC). T-Robert VanOverschot.







**Allowance Results cont.**

**7th-FLX, \$21,000, NW1BX, (S), 3yo/up, 1m70y, 1:45 2/5, ft.**

**FIFTY SENSE (g, 5, Gold Token--Forty'n Fabulous, by Inherent Star)** Lifetime Record: 38-7-7-6, \$79,003. O/T-Jeremiah C Englehart. B-Michael Spielman (NY).

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Star of Taurus, f, 2, Aldebaran--Uncontrollable (SP), by Wild Again. DEL, 10-14, (C), 6f, 1:13. B-Robert N Clay & Tracy Farmer (KY). \*\$40,000 wing '06 KEENOV.**

**+ Heistingthejackpot, g, 2, Jackpot--Saratoga Heist, by Belong to Me. OSA, 10-13, (S), (C), 6f (AWT), 1:10 1/5. B-Vessels Stallion Farm LLC (CA). \*Fourth winner for freshman sire (by Seeking the Gold).**

**Royal Orchard, c, 2, Robyn Dancer--Royal Decor, by Well Decorated. ZIA, 10-13, (S), 6f, 1:15. B-Eli Diamant (NM).**

**Skeptic, f, 2, Yes It's True--Snowy Apparition (SW & GSP, \$149,627), by Devil's Bag. MNR, 10-13, 1m70y, 1:47 3/5. B-Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd. (KY). \*\$15,000 yrl '07 KEESEP.**

**You'll Remember Me, f, 3, Catienus--Allneedtoremember, by El Prado (Ire). FLX, 10-14, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:06 4/5. B-Robert Cotran (NY).**

**Copenhagen, c, 3, Lemon Drop Kid--Erin Moor (GSP, \$130,566), by Holy Bull. HST, 10-13, 6 1/2f, 1:18 2/5. B-Dell Ridge Farm (KY). \*\$75,000 yrl '06 KEESEP.**

**Victory Trail, g, 3, Trail City--Windy Intention, by Regal Intention. GGX, 10-13, 6f (AWT), 1:09 4/5. B-Don Niles (CA).**

**Storms Past, c, 4, Pulpit--Magic Storm (GSW & GISP, \$249,135), by Storm Cat. PHA, 10-14, (C), 6 1/2f, 1:16 4/5. B-William A Marquard & Overbrook Farm (KY). \*\$250,000 yrl '05 KEESEP.**

• ON THE WORKTAB •

AQUEDUCT

Urban Flight (Castle Gandolfo), 3f, :37.24, 2/2

BELMONT PARK

Altesse (A.P. Indy), 4f, :51.72, 53/55

CHURCHILL DOWNS

Be Smart (Smarty Jones), 6f, 1:14.40, 2/3

FAIR HILL

Grace and Power (More Than Ready), 3f, :37.00, 1/1

HOLLYWOOD

Siren Lure (Joyeux Danseur), 5f, 1:02.40, 10/15

KEENELAND

Golden Doc A (Unusual Heat), 4f, :47.00, 1/26

Tiz Now Tiz Then (Tiznow), 5f, 1:02.80, 16/22

Euroears (Langfuhr), 6f, 1:11.00, 1/1

SARATOGA

Commentator (Distorted Humor), 3f, :36.11, 1/6

★ WINNERS BY U.S. SIRE ★

**IN ARGENTINA:**

**Native Texano (Arg), c, 3, Bernstein--National Pride (Arg), by Lode. Palermo, 10-11, Mdn, 1000m, :56.62. Lifetime Record: 6-1-0-0. O-Stud El Milagro; B-Haras Santa Maria de Araras; T-Vilmar Sanguinetti.**

**Surprise Attack (Arg), c, 3, Mutakddim--Sorprendida (Arg), by Luhuk. Palermo, 10-13, Cond, 1000m, :56.46. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0. O-Stud JCG; B-Haras La Quebrada; T-Arnaldo Vigil.**

**Tannery (Arg), f, 3, Mutakddim--Tough Golda (Arg), by Tough Critic. Palermo, 10-13, Mdn, 1400m, 1:24.86. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-2. O/B-Haras Vacacion; T-Carlos D Etchechoury.**

**BREEDERS' EDITION  
EUROPE**

**CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

**FRANCE, Longchamp, 3.20, 10-14, €23,000, 3yo, c/g, 1 1/4mT, 2:04.90, gd.**

**THANATOS (GB) (c, 3, Fantastic Light--Tryphosa {Ire} {Hwt. 3yo-Ger at 9.5-11f, GSW & G1SP-Ger, G1SP-Fr, \$219,789}, by Be My Guest) Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 2 wins, 3 places, €26,300. O-Gestut Burg Eberstein; B-H Volz; T-Miroslav Rulc. \*1/2 to Tertullus (Fr) (Monsun {Ger}), SW & GSP-Nor, SP-Swe & Den.**

**FRANCE, Marseille-Borely, 15.35, 10-14, €20,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/4mT, 1:59.73, sf.**

**MENESTROL (FR) (h, 6, Dyhim Diamond {Ire}--Magaletta {Fr}, by Galetto {Fr}) Lifetime Record: 43 starts, 8 wins, 26 places, €239,935. O-Jean-Claude Seroul; B-M Rohaut-Leger; T-Didier Prod'homme. \*€120,000 HIT '05 GOFARC.**

**BRITAIN, Leicester, 15.40, 10-14, £12,000, 3yo, f, 1m 60ydsT, 1:44.59, gd.**

**BORN TOBOUGGIE (GER) (f, 3, Tobougg {Ire}--Braissim {GB}, by Dancing Brave) Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-1, £19,292. O-The Sticky Wicket Syndicate; B-Graf & Grafen Von Stauffenberg; T-Henry Cecil. \*5,000gns wnlg '05 TATDEC.**

**BRITAIN, Leicester, 15.10, 10-14, £11,000, 2yo, 7f 9ydsT, 1:24.75, gd.**

**HIGH ALERT (GB) (c, 2, Kyllachy {GB}--Haste {GB}, by Halling) Lifetime Record: 6-2-2-0, £12,712. O-Susan Roy & Mountgrange Stud; B-Cyril Humphris; T-Jeremy Nosedo. \*72,000gns wnlg '06 TATDEC; 120,000gns yrl '07 TATOCT.**

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European Breeders' Edition cont.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Bocamix (Fr)**, c, 2, **Linamix (Fr)**--Bocanegra (Fr), by Night Shift. Marseille-Borely, France, 10-14, Mdn, 2yo, c/g, 1 1/8mT. B-De Rothschild Family.

**Glittering Star (Fr)**, f, 2, **Lomitas (GB)**--Lady Glitters (Fr) (MSP-Fr), by Homme de Loi (Ire). Marseille-Borely, France, 10-14, Mdn, 2yo, f, 1 1/8mT. B-SCA Elevage de Tourgeville & Mme H Erculiani. \*€27,000 yrl '07 DEAAUG.

**Allformary (GB)**, f, 2, **Tobougg (Ire)**--Bollin Rita (Ire), by Rambo Dancer. Newcastle, Britain, 10-14, Mdn, 2yo, f, 7fT. B-R A Myatt.

**Trumpstoo**, c, 2, **Perfect Soul (Ire)**--Cozy Love, by Cozzene. Newcastle, Britain, 10-14, Mdn, 2yo, c/g, 7fT. B-Matthews Stables. \*\$42,000 wnlg '06 KEENOV; \$60,000 yrl '07 KEESEP. \*\*Third winner for

freshman sire (by Sadler's Wells).

**Zina Blue (Fr)**, f, 3, **Anabaa Blue (GB)**--Vezina (Fr), by Bering (GB). Longchamp, France, 10-14, Cond, 3yo, f, 1 1/4mT. B-Eric Puerari & Oceanic Bloodstock. \*€105,000 yrl '06 DEAAUG.

**Ice Bellini (GB)**, f, 3, **Erhaab**--Peach Sorbet (Ire), by Spectrum (Ire). Newcastle, Britain, 10-14, Mdn, 3-4yo, 12f 93ydsT. B-Boyce Bloodstock. \*6,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT.

**Peachmelba**, f, 3, **Theatrical (Ire)**--Peachtree City, by Carson City. Hyeres, France, 10-13, Cond, 3yo, 1850mT. B-Robert Keck, Pope McLean, Pope McLean Jr. & Marc McLean. \*\$160,000 yrl '06 KEESEP. \*\*1/2 to Princess Pelona (El Prado {Ire}), MSW-US, \$356,205.

★ WINNERS BY EURO SIRE ★

**IN CHILE:**

**Bella Mare (Chi)**, f, 3, **Dushyantor**--Bella Villa (Chi), by Barkerville. Club Hipico de Santiago, 10-13, Mdn, 1600mT, 1:36.55. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0. O-Las Araucarias; B-Haras Santa Clara; T-Alfredo Bagu.



**CORRECTION:** Yesterday's TDN incorrectly listed the number of winners for freshman sire **Soto** (Dehere). The Walmac stallion's son Suni, who captured a six-furlong maiden race in Kyoto in Japan on Sunday, became Soto's seventh winner. We regret the error.



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**THIS WEEK IN HISTORY...**

**October 17, 1970...**Nijinsky II ended his career finishing second in the Champion S. at Newmarket. In 13 starts, he won 11 races and finished second twice.

**October 17, 1991...**Hall of Fame jockey **Angel Cordero Jr.** rode his 7,000th career winner, Dont Cross the Law, at Belmont Park.

**October 18, 1956...**Nashua, ridden by Eddie Arcaro, was paraded at Keeneland in his final racetrack appearance.

**October 18, 1978...**Jockey **David Gall** became the first rider to win eight races during a single program, scoring with eight of his 10 mounts at Cahokia Downs.

**October 20, 1923...**Zev, winner of the 1923 Kentucky Derby, defeated English hero **Papyrus**, winner of the 1923 Epsom Derby, in a \$100,000 match race at Belmont Park. The race, called the International Special, marked the first time an English champion was sent to the U.S. to race. Public interest was so great the race was broadcast on the radio--a first.