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WHITE, GRAYS AND GREEN

Barry Weisbord, publisher of the *TDN*, expected to be a passive observer when he meandered out back to watch the dam of pro-tem champion juvenile filly Stardom Bound (Tapit) sell during yesterday's third session of the Keeneland November Sale. But when bidding on the 10-year-old **My White Corvette** (Tarr Road--Wind Chime, by Marfa) got off to a sluggish start, he made a quick phone call to partner and friend Bobby Flay. He told the celebrity chef that the mare wasn't bringing her true value, and jumped into the scrum at around the \$600,000 mark. Weisbord soon locked horns with Becky Thomas, standing just a few yards away, and slugged through



Bobby Flay *Horsephotos*

\$10,000 increments until the \$800,000 mark, when he jumped to \$825,000 and saw the salvo unanswered. He signed the ticket as agent for Flay. My White Corvette was sold by Hunter Valley Farm for Carolyn and Fletcher Gray and partner John Youngblood. She is not currently in foal.

"We had no plans on buying her," Weisbord admitted afterwards. "We thought she'd cost too much money. Actually, I'm a bit surprised. I didn't call him until we were up to about \$500,000. And I just said, 'I don't think she's going to bring what we talked about this morning. I don't think it's going to bring the kind of money we thought.' We saw the filly on the racetrack and we were following the filly. I actually bought some shares in Tapit, they all got picked up a few weeks ago. We've been watching pretty much how the whole thing developed, but so has everyone else. There's not really much to think about. She's the dam of a champion and she's 10 years old."



My White Corvette's daughter, likely juvenile filly champion Stardom Bound
Sarah K Andrew

Regarding the price, he said, "I'm a little bit surprised. By definition, there is nothing that's a bargain. It's only a bargain when everyone doesn't know about it. Everyone in the world knew who she was the dam of. I didn't think we could afford her, but we could. She'll go back to Denali."

Weisbord said that the official ownership of My White Corvette was unsettled and that the mare could be sent to Tapit once again next spring. "Certainly that would be the very logical thing to do," he said, "but that will be decided in the next little bit."

Flay, who had attended the sales earlier in the week, had returned home to New York. At Sunday's Fasig-Tipton November Sale, Flay purchased the five-year-old broodmare Jewel For a King (Storm Cat--Jewel Princess), in foal to Ghostzapper, for \$500,000.

My White Corvette was preceded into the ring by her Tale of the Cat weanling filly, who also was consigned by Hunter Valley. The gray or roan filly was knocked down to Gus Bell, agent, for \$350,000, but it was later revealed that the filly had been bought back. **Cont. p3**

KEENELAND NOVEMBER STATISTICS		
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2008		
KEENELAND.		
SESSION TOTALS	2008	2007
Catalogued	398	394
No. Offered	312	342
No. Sold	224	274
RNAs	88	68
% RNA	28.2%	19.8%
No \$500K+	2	7
High Price	\$825,000	\$800,000
Gross	\$24,698,000	\$42,638,000
Average (% change)	\$110,259 (-33.3%)	\$165,264
Median (% change)	\$82,500 (-36.5%)	\$130,000

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**KEENELAND NOVEMBER
WEDNESDAY - TOP SEVEN MARES**

Hip	Name	Covering Sire	Price (\$)
<u>777</u>	My White Corvette <i>(10, Tarr Road--Wind Chime, by Marfa)</i> Consigned by Hunter Valley Farm, agent Purchased by Barry Weisbord, agent for Bobby Flay	not mated	825,000
<u>992</u>	Capeside Lady <i>(7, Cape Town--Gray Lady Type, by Zen)</i> Consigned by Dapple Stud, agent Purchased by Woodland Farm	Empire Maker	500,000
<u>830</u>	Sacred Feather <i>(6, Carson City--Marianna's Girl, by Dewan)</i> Consigned by Nursery Place, agent Purchased by Woodland Farm	Giant's Causeway	385,000
<u>804</u>	Princess Patricia <i>(5, Aptitude--Constant Companion, by Relaunch)</i> Consigned by Nursery Place, agent Purchased by Woodland Farm	Hard Spun	375,000
<u>1011</u>	Court of Appeal <i>(5, Deputy Minister--Appealing Missy, by Lypheor {GB})</i> Consigned by Bluewater Sales LLC, agent for Dixiana Stables Inc Partnership Dissolution Purchased by Woodland Farm	Corinthian	360,000
<u>622</u>	Delicate Dynamite <i>(5, Old Trieste--Majestic Dy, by Dynaformer)</i> Consigned by John J Greely III (Wintergreen Farm), agent Purchased by Robert B Berger	Tiznow	330,000
<u>914</u>	Union Creek <i>(5, Dixie Union--Battle Creek Girl, by His Majesty)</i> Consigned by Lane's End, agent Purchased by Centennial Farm	Langfuhr	325,000

TOP FIVE WEANLINGS

Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price (\$)
<u>981</u>	c	El Corredor	Boundless Beauty	330,000
B-Budget Stables & *Change Address Only (KY) Consigned by Hill 'n' Dale Sales Agency, agent Purchased by Eldon Farm				
<u>828</u>	c	Langfuhr	Run for Lassie	300,000
(\$75,000 i/u '07 KEENOV) B-Oscar Stud (KY) Consigned by Kingswood Farm, Agent III Purchased by Southern Equine Stables				
<u>725</u>	c	Bluegrass Cat	Lady Melesi	280,000
B-G Watts Humphrey Jr, John P Cline II & Robin P Cline (KY) Consigned by Lane's End, agent Purchased by WinStar Farm LLC, agent				
<u>796</u>	c	Street Cry (Ire)	Plata	270,000
B-Robert T Mantuso, Twin Oaks Stable & Katharine M Voss (KY) Consigned by Nursery Place, agent Purchased by Harvest Landing, agent				
<u>888</u>	c	Henny Hughes	Tacticmove	220,000
B-Hertrich/McCarthy Livestock & River Ridge Ranch (KY) Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent CXI Purchased by Stoney Lane Farm				

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KEENOV Wednesday Topper cont.

Blue Skies for the Grays...

As he signed the ticket for the My White Corvette, Barry Weisbord received a hug from the co-owner of the mare, Carolyn Gray, who also shoved a bag of peppermints into his hand. "She just loves these!" Gray said. It was a feel-good finale to Gray's involvement with My White Corvette. Along with her husband Fletcher and partner John Youngblood, Carolyn had purchased My White Corvette for \$90,000 at this sale in 2002 for \$90,000. At the time, the stakes-winning My White Corvette was carrying her first foal, the Monarchos filly Money Penny.

"We loved her physical appearance," Youngblood explained yesterday when asked what first attracted them to the mare.

"Her temperament, too," added Carolyn Gray. "She was wonderful to be around."

The Grays brought the mare back to their Grayson Farm in Pleasant Hope, Missouri, which is located just outside of Springfield.

"Our program is that we breed everything in Kentucky, then we bring them back home with us," she explained. "They come back to Kentucky to foal. But 'Corvette' has been here all year, since she foaled."

The Grays make their living through the 110-acre Grayson Farm, though they maintain a modest-sized broodmare band of five or six mares. They were previously involved in racing Quarter Horses before buying their first mare at Keeneland in 1991. Youngblood owns automobile dealerships.

With My White Corvette in their band, the trio bred and sold the now five-year-old Money Penny (\$77,000 KEESEP yearling), the four-year-old filly Delta Breeze (Gulch) (\$45,000 KEESEP yearling) and the three-year-old colt Just a Warning (Silver Deputy) (\$80,000 KEESEP yearling). In the spring of 2005, they decided to send the gray My White Corvette to another gray, first-year stallion and Grade I winner Tapit, by Pulpit.

"We go and look at all the sires and try to match physicals with our mares," Gray explained. "We try to increase the strengths of our mares with the strengths of the sire, and we thought Tapit was a very good fit for her. He was a really good racehorse himself."

They sold the resulting foal, a filly later named Stardom Bound, for \$50,000 at the 2007 September Sale. Six months later, Stardom Bound was hammered down to trainer Christopher Paasch and owner Charles Cono for \$375,000, and the rest is history. Stardom Bound won three Grade I's this term, including the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies, and on Sunday sold to IEAH Stables for \$5.7 million. The Grays were on hand at Fasig-Tipton Sunday to watch her sell.

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"She was always a nice filly with a nice temperament, just like the mare," Gray said of Stardom Bound. "We have a very small farm, and we just ran her in the pasture with one other filly growing up. That's what we usually do, run three or four foals together and come back and sell them as yearlings. We just put the weanling in this year because she was such a nice individual and to showcase the mare."

Gray admitted that parting with My White Corvette was tough, but said, "I know she's going to Craig [Bandoroff] at Denali, which I'm very pleased with because I can go visit her. If she'd gone to Japan, it would have been a lot harder. [Still], it was very hard to give her up."

As for the hammer price, Gray said, "I think for this market, it's probably okay. Anytime you can make a profit, you have to be pleased. In a different market in a different year, she could have brought three times that. But we weren't in that position. We're always very reasonable [with our reserves]. I wish them all the luck, because she's a lovely mare. I think they should do very well with her at that price. She doesn't have any problems and you can't erase what's on the page." -LM

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Explosive Start to KEENOV Day 3...

Just six hips into the third session of the Keeneland November sale, Robert B. Berger went to \$330,000 to get the the five-year-old broodmare **Delicate Dynamite** (Old Trieste--Majestic Dy, by Dynaformer). The chestnut, in foal to now-sire Tiznow, was consigned by John J. Greely III's Wintergreen Farm as agent for Combustion Racing.

Combustion is the nom du course of a nine-member group headed by Greely's University of Kentucky buddy Todd Creek.

"They are energy traders--hence the name Delicate Dynamite and Combustion Racing," Greely explained. "This was the first horse they ever bought."

Three years ago, Creek put together the group and got in touch with his college friend.

"Todd gave me a call; he wanted to buy a two-year-old in training," Greely recalled. "He came out when this filly was a yearling, but he didn't buy anything that year. I introduced him to Mike McMahon, and he bought her privately from Mike."



Delicate Dynamite Lou Hodges Jr

McMahon Bloodstock had purchased Delicate Dynamite, who was bred by Dr. and Mrs. R. Smiser West and Mr. and

Mrs. MacKenzie Miller, for just \$25,000 as a KEESEP yearling. After changing hands, she made her debut under the Combustion colors at Ellis Park in August of 2005 and made the game look easy for the newcomers, breaking her maiden in special weight company by 3 3/4 lengths as a 9-1 chance.

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The filly was runner-up in the Kentucky Cup Juvenile Fillies in her second appearance. By the time she was retired this past spring, she had won seven of 27 starts, including the Truly Bound BC H. and Chou Croute BC H. at Fair Grounds and the Goddess S. at Delta Downs, and bankrolled \$368,404.

The Combustion partnership put her in foal to Tiznow, then reaped the rewards at Keeneland November.

"We were happy with the price," Greely said. "I think last year or two years ago, she would have been worth probably 25 percent more than in this market. It was basically live money in there the whole time--we set a reasonable reserve, and I don't think Keeneland even bid on our behalf."

He added, "They are having a lot of fun. Besides actually seeing a mare having a foal, they've been through the whole thing--from the sales to the races back to the sales--so they've run the gamut with her."

Some of the members of the group have now branched out on their own.

"They haven't bought any more horses as Combustion Racing, but a couple of the people in the group have bought horses individually," Greely offered.--AB

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KEENELAND NOVEMBER STATISTICS
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2008

KEENELAND.

<u>CUMULATIVE</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
Catalogued	1013	900
No. Offered	782	798
No. Sold	523	638
RNAs	259	160
% RNA	33.1%	20.1%
No. \$1m+	19	38
High Price	\$3,000,000	\$10,500,000
Gross	\$114,725,000	\$221,137,000
Average (% change)	\$219,359 (-36.7%)	\$346,910
Median (% change)	\$125,000 (-34.2%)	\$190,000

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King for a Day...

Roderick Wachman's Kingswood Farm doesn't boast great numbers, but has been quietly racking up solid scores thus far at November. Kingswood's lone entry in Book 1 was [hip 167](#), a dark bay weanling colt by Street Cry (Ire) who was knocked down to T. Hyde for \$200,000. Bred by Kingswood and David Egan, the colt was produced by the Dahar mare Sainly Speaking, whom Wachman had acquired for \$45,000 in 2004. It was Sainly Speaking's second weanling by Street Cry to sell at Keeneland November. In 2005, Kingswood sold Streets Apart, from Street Cry's second crop, for \$100,000.

Kingswood had four more horses go through the ring yesterday, and again weanlings from the consignment sold well. A colt by first-crop sire Silver Train (Old Trieste), bred by Kingswood Farm, et al., made \$100,000 as [hip 619](#), while another weanling colt, by Langfuhr, realized top dollar for a Kingswood client when Southern Equine representative Eric Guillot purchased the bay for \$300,000. It was the second-highest price for a weanling on the day.

[Hip 828](#) is by Lane's End's Langfuhr from a family that helped make the farm what it is today. The colt is out of the now 18-year-old mare Run For Lassie (Fappiano), who shares a second dam with A.P. Indy, Summer Squall, etc. Run for Lassie is a half to four stakes horses, including the dam of 2008 all-star Duke of Marmalade (Ire). As a broodmare, Run for Lassie had produced three stakes horses, including GSW Madison's Charm (Capote), by the time that she sold last November to agent Hugo Merry Bloodstock for \$75,000. She was carrying hip 828 at the time. The resulting colt, who was foaled and raised at Kingswood, was bred under the name Oscar Stud.

"He's a Middle Eastern businessman based in Kuwait," Wachman explained of Oscar Stud's chief. "He breeds and keeps them to race if he wants, or he'll sell if they're nice. He keeps a few mares here and a couple in Ireland."

Though he was confident the Langfuhr colt was a very nice animal, Wachman admits that he was pleasantly surprised by the final price.

"We knew he'd bring six figures, but we didn't expect that," he said. "Half of that would have been plenty. It was a nice surprise, and those surprises are rare in this market. It's tricky. But it's been good--we've brought in three colts who have made a total of \$600,000, off stud fees that totaled \$80,000, so I'd say it's been a good week for our weanlings."

From Kildare, Ireland, Wachman is the brother of trainer David Wachman ("We all have our crosses to bear," Roderick quips).

"We've all been involved for a while--not through direct family, but indirectly," Wachman explained. "I've got an uncle who's a bloodstock agent, my grandparents were big into racing, my cousin--Andrew McKeever--trains here at Keeneland."

Wachman first came to the States 14 years ago. "I started working for Fred Seitz and then for John Stuart, and then I set off on my own seven years ago," Wachman said. Kingswood will offer a total of eight horses at November, and sold slightly less than that



Roderick Wachman
Lucas Marquardt photo

number at September, according to Wachman. Kingswood, based in Kentucky, is home to between 50 and 100 mares, depending on the time of year, 10 of which are owned by Wachman personally.

"But I'd like to make that six," he said. "I tried to sell one this morning [[hip 634](#), the stakes-placed More Than Ready mare Double Faced, RNA'd for \$50,000 while selling in foal to Lion Heart]. I've got one more to come [he later sold [hip 965](#), the 14-year-old stakes-producing El Gran Senor mare Cacinella for \$65,000]. These aren't bad mares, but it's tough, and I think it's going to get very, very tough over the next couple of days. I think getting stud fees back is going to be a dream."

Wachman said he'd like to see farms be proactive in reducing service fees.

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King for a Day cont.

"It's very hard to breed a nice horse," he said. "You can get a lot of foals, and not very many of them tick all the boxes. The reality is now, with all the vetting and the inspections, they know everything about a horse before they start. You need a lot of luck. We had Eric Guillot and another big operation on the horse, and without the other, the horse may have made \$150,000. If you get two big players, two end users, it can change the equation. But if you don't..." -LM

KEENELAND NOVEMBER - TOP CONSIGNORS

Session	Head	Total (\$)	Average (\$)
Taylor Made	30	3,920,000	130,667
Lane's End	24	2,962,000	123,417
Hill 'n' Dale	28	2,807,000	100,250
Three Chimneys	26	2,413,000	92,808
Hunter Valley Farm	14	2,273,000	162,357
Cumulative	Head	Total (\$)	Average (\$)
Taylor Made	73	23,597,000	323,247
Lane's End	39	10,017,000	256,846
Eaton Sales	20	9,853,000	492,650
Hill 'n' Dale	40	8,882,000	220,040
Three Chimneys	40	7,093,000	177,325

Andrews Active at Keeneland...

The sale of the 11-year-old **Heavenly Cat** (Tabasco Cat--In Excelcis Deo, by Forty Niner) during Tuesday's session of the November sale capped a string of success for Helen Andrews's Twin Hopes Farm. Andrews purchased the chestnut mare, in foal to Grand Slam, for \$485,000 at the 2003 Keeneland November sale. She sold the Grand Slam colt for \$650,000 at the 2004 November sale. An Unbridled's Song colt out of Heavenly Cat was a \$475,000 2005 November weanling and a Pulpit filly brought \$260,000 at this year's September sale. Andrews's association with Heavenly Cat came to an end Tuesday when the mare, in foal to Bernardini, sold to Mike Ryan for \$750,000. Andrews admitted it was a hard decision to sell the mare. "I decided to sell her for financial reasons," she explained. "She's been very good to me, but I was very happy with where she went and very very happy with the price." Heavenly Cat was followed into the sales ring by her weanling filly by Ghostzapper, but the bay failed to sell at \$150,000. "The weanling will probably sell as a yearling," Andrews said. "I think he just needs more time." A lifelong love of horses led Andrews to buy her own farm in Ohio in 1984. "I loved horses from a young age and I always wanted to breed horses," she recalled. "I eventually got to a place where I could do it." **Cont. p7**

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"I started very small and went on from there. And I've had a lot of help from people like Viking Stud." In 2000, Andrews relocated all her horses to Kentucky and began her longtime association with Viking Stud, which consigned Heavenly Cat Tuesday. While her primary focus is breeding for the sales ring, Andrews does have a few horses in training. She was represented on the track this summer by the two-year-old **Prairie Blues** (Rossini), who is now two-for-two after winning the Iowa Sorority S. in August and by homebred **Forest Whispers** (Forestry), who romped home by 10 lengths in her debut at Prairie Meadows in June. Andrews currently has a broodmare band of eight and, while she admits she'd like to expand, any increase will have to wait. "I'd love to expand, but I can't afford it right now," she explained. "The economy isn't so good right now and I need to sell more. I have two more mares to sell at Keeneland and one in January. And I have two weanlings selling [Thursday]." Through Viking Stud, Twin Hopes will today offer the mare **Jurisprudence** (Seeking the Gold) ([hip 1119](#)), in foal to Discreet Cat, and a pair of weanlings by Bluegrass Cat. [Hip 1046](#) is a filly out of South Bay Cove (Fusaichi Pegasus), who was purchased for \$500,000 out of the 2006 Keeneland November sale, while [hip 1366](#) is a daughter of Killoe (Kris S.) purchased in utero for \$340,000 in January.

Woodland Farm Lands Capeside Lady for \$500,000...

The seven-year-old Grade II-winning **Capeside Lady** (Cape Town--Grey Lady Type, by Zen), selling in foal to Empire Maker on a Mar. 17 cover, elicited the second-highest bid for a broodmare yesterday when knocked down to Woodland Farm for \$500,000. A daughter of a stakes winner and a half to the stakes-placed Your Hour's Up (Freud), Capeside Lady captured the GII Monmouth Breeders' Cup Oaks and was third in the GI Juddmonte Spinster S. before being sent through the 2005 Keeneland November Sale. Purchased for \$700,000 by Dapple Bloodstock, agent, as a racing prospect, Capeside Lady returned to win the following season's \$100,000 Bayakoa S. at Oaklawn racing for Dapple Stable. She was retired for the 2007 breeding season and sent to A.P. Indy. Offered at last year's Fasig-Tipton November Sale, she was bought back for \$1.1 million. Capeside Lady foaled an A.P. Indy colt this spring and was sent to Juddmonte Farms' Empire Maker. Woodland Farm was easily the session's top buyer, acquired nine head for \$2.21 million. Through the sale, Woodland has purchased a total of 16 head for \$4.12 million, second only to John Ferguson's \$9.01 million amount buyers. -LM

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El Corredor Colt to Eldon Farm...

Eldon Farm manager Ronnie Rhodes was forced to \$330,000 to bring home a weanling son of El Corredor late in Wednesday's third session of the Keeneland November sale. "We thought he was a top colt," Rhodes said of the bay who was consigned by Hill 'n' Dale Sales Agency, agent. "He has a good shoulder and great walk. He looked like a runner. That's the reason that we bought him. Everyone is really happy that we got him. We're really high on this colt." The weanling is out of stakes-placed Boundless Beauty (Copelan) and is a half brother to stakes winner Make Mine Minnie (Honour and Glory). Boundless Beauty is a half-sister to graded stakes winner Valid Goddess (Valid Appeal). Ken Luke's Virginia-based farm has been known to reoffer its weanling purchases at yearling auctions, and Rhodes left open that possibility for this weanling. "We'll make a decision on that later," he commented. The El Corredor youngster was Eldon Farm's second acquisition at the November sale. The farm purchased a weanling filly from the first crop of Henny Hughes (Hennessy) Tuesday for \$200,000. Rhodes admitted competition can be tough at November. "The market is like it always is--the good ones are selling," he said. "I've missed out on a couple because of price. But we're happy with what we've got."

NEW KIDS ON THE BLOCK

A snapshot of how first-time in-foal mares* and racing/broodmare prospects are selling at Fasig-Tipton and Keeneland combined, categorized by their best on-track performance.

	Sold	Average	Median
G1 wnrns	13	\$1,910,385	\$1,625,000
G2 wnrns	13	\$751,154	\$515,000
G3 wnrns	22	\$521,591	\$400,000
Listed wnrns	39	\$228,128	\$150,000

*Covering stud fee has been subtracted from the in-foal mares' prices.

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The Cat's Meow...

WinStar Farm's GI Haskell Invitational S. hero **Bluegrass Cat** (Storm Cat) attracted a solid book of mares his first season at stud. A case in point is Lady Melesi (Colonial Affair). From the family of champions Relaxing and Easy Goer, the multiple stakes winner was runner-up in the GI Milady BC H., as well as the GIII Dogwood S. and GIII Sixty Sails H. First or second in nine of her 14 career starts, she earned \$389,190, and was purchased for \$475,000 by G. Watts Humphrey while carrying her first foal at KEENOV in 2002.

The chestnut has done well in her second career as well. Her first foal turned out to be MGSP Doc Cheney (Saint Ballado), and her third was SW Roman Emperor (Empire Maker). She produced a son of Bluegrass Cat in February. Consigned by Lane's End, agent, the colt brought a final bid of \$280,000 at KEENOV yesterday.

WinStar Farm signed the ticket on the chestnut.

"He was bred by Watts Humphrey and [John Cline II and Robin Cline], and we've been on the farm to see him," WinStar's Doug Cauthen said. "We've seen him develop, and he just showed himself so well here. It's a great family and, like a lot of [the Bluegrass Cats], he had a lot of leg and a lot of scope. He looks like a horse that's going to be a great yearling and, hopefully, a great two-year-old and racehorse. "That mare is an example of Bluegrass Cat's book," he added. "He got a great book of mares, and she is good representation of it. And they raise 'em right at Shawnee, so we were happy to support them."

Time will tell if Lady Melesi's latest foal will race in the WinStar colors, or head back to the sales ring.

"Some of the weanlings we've bought might come back in the yearling sales; some we'll take them and break them and put them in our racing stable," Cauthen said. "We'll evaluate it--if that colt looks like he might be a star at the Saratoga sale next year, we'll show him to the market again, but if not, we're happy to race him."



Doug Cauthen
Horsephotos

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Cat's Meow cont.

From 12 Bluegrass Cat weanlings to go through the sales ring to date, 10 have sold for an average of \$164,200 and a median of \$160,000. The early results have Team WinStar smiling.

"We're really pleased--it's great," Cauthen remarked. "Bluegrass Cat had a whole lot of scope and quality, which I think everybody is excited to see.

"Obviously, we think he's a great stallion, but now it's the job of the foals to do it on their own," he continued. "And they have--they've been really well received. All the right players are bidding on them and buying them, trying to get them, and we've supported him; we've bought a couple, which we try to do with all our stallions. We're really excited about him."

Bernardini Weanlings Well-Received...

Weanlings from the first crop of champion **Bernardini** (A.P. Indy) have also been hot commodities at this year's bloodstock sale. Six of the seven Bernardini yearlings to go through the ring sold for an average of \$456,666 and a median of \$275,000.



Bernardini *darleystallions.com*

Bernardini's nearest competitor is his stablemate at Darley, **Henny Hughes** (Hennessy), whose first-crop weanlings have averaged \$172,500, with a median of \$142,500. Bernardini stood his first season for \$100,000; Henny Hughes for \$40,000.

Leading the way for Bernardini's youngsters was the \$1.475-million filly who was purchased by Reiley McDonald on behalf of Chesapeake Partners during Book 1. The filly was produced by the Storm Cat mare Teeming, a daughter of Sunday's \$14-million Better Than Honour and a sister to Rags to Riches, et al. Darley's John Ferguson purchased Bernardini's highest-priced colt, going to \$360,000 for a half to Banshee Breeze (Unbridled) out of the 18-year-old Banshee Winds (Known Fact).

"He just had a tremendous first book of mares," said Darley's stallion nomination manager Charlie Boden when asked about the reception Bernardini's received. "He had 64 individual Grade I winners or producers, and the foals we've seen have lived up to their pedigrees. They don't look they'd necessarily be the 4 1/2-furlong types--they have size, some leg and some stretch and look like Classic-type horses, if you can say that about a foal. They would lend themselves to look like A.P. Indy horses, and the market likes that."



Charlie Boden

Boden said the traits of Bernardini's foals include, "a pretty head and eye, a nice shape, plenty of leg and a lot of quality."

Bernardini got 123 mares in foal during his first season at stud and again enjoyed a full book this spring, according to Boden. For 2009, Bernardini's fee has been reduced to \$75,000.

"We dropped the fee because of the way the market is, not because we were abandoning him at \$100,000," said Boden. "The first year he stood at \$100,000, a season sold at a charity auction for \$280,000, no guarantee, so we know the \$100,000 was below market value. But we wanted to lead the charge to lower fees a little bit, because we felt the market dictated that. He's going to be very popular at \$75,000. I anticipate there'll be a lot more mares offered than we'll be able to accommodate." -LM

Bolger Gets His Galileo...

When bidding on [hip 263](#) stalled at \$725,000 during Monday's opening session of the November sale, the weanling filly by Galileo (Ire) was led out unsold. But a deal was struck shortly after the bay exited the ring



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that will send the weanling to Europe with trainer Jim Bolger. "Jim was the last live bid and we negotiated after the sale and the price was fair," explained Fergus Galvin, General Manager of Hunter Valley Farm, which consigned the filly. Out of Altana (Mountain Cat), the weanling is a full sister to Irish group winner Galatee (Fr). Winner of the 2006 G3 Blue Wind S., Galatee was trained by Bolger. The conditioner has enjoyed great success with offspring of Coolmore's Galileo. The Irishman trained G1 Epsom Derby winner New Approach (Ire) and G1 Matron S. winner Lush Lashes (GB) and he also bred G1 Juddmonte Coronation Cup winner Soldier of Fortune (Ire).

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The More Things Change...

The figures on day 1 of Book 2 at Keeneland November continued the trend that has plagued the sales market this year. The session average was off 33.3 percent, and the median was down 36.5 percent. Over the first three days of the sale, the average has dropped off 36.7 percent, and the median has fallen 34.2 percent. But Keeneland Director of Sales Goeffrey Russell maintained an upbeat attitude. "I thought it started off very well," Russell said. "In general, given the state of the world, it was very good. Just look at commodities world-wide; we follow the same thing. It's not surprising. But what I think is good is that there's active trade here--active trade with an international feel to it as well, so that's good. Yes, they're trading at a lower level, but there's still active trade there." The results took very few unawares. "Everybody foresaw a correction going into this year's sales," Russell remarked. "The [economic] events of September exasperated us, that's all. The amount of the correction is larger than what we all thought July 1, but that's the result of what happened in the middle of September. This is a global problem; this is a many-industry problem. It's not just restricted to the Thoroughbred market. It's a world-wide economic crisis. When you trade horses at this level, what you need is a positive attitude, and I think the market's done a very good job with that."



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KEENELAND NOVEMBER - WEDNESDAY

<u>Hip</u> <u>662</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Price</u>
	f, Hennessy--Fortyniner Fever	\$185,000

B-Hunter Valley Farm (KY)

Consigned by Hunter Valley Farm, agent

Purchased by Hugo Merry Bloodstock

Hunter Valley picked up Fortyniner Fever (Forty Niner), a 3/4-sister to GI Kentucky Derby hero Fusaichi Pegasus (Mr. Prospector), for just \$55,000 at the 2006 KEENOV sale when the mare was in foal to the ill-fated Saint Liam. Her 2004 filly Bold Angel (Cat Thief) developed into a stakes winner at three, and her 2005 colt Texas Fever (Victory Gallop) captured the GIII Kentucky Cup Juvenile. Fortyniner Fever's Saint Liam filly brought \$135,000 at this venue as a weanling, and this chestnut continued to turn a profit for Hunter Valley.

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Nothin But Net cont.

804 Princess Patricia i/f **Hard Spun** \$375,000
 (5, *Aptitude--Constant Companion, by Relaunch*)

Consigned by Nursery Place, agent
 Purchased by Woodland Farm

805 c, First Samurai--Princess Patricia \$170,000
 B-Nursery Place and Partners (KY)

Consigned by Nursery Place, agent
 Purchased by Back Weston

Nursery Place attempted to sell the MSP Princess Patricia (Aptitude) at this venue last year following the GII Forward Gal S. win by her younger half-sister Forever Together (Belong to Me), but opted to hang on to her after the grey mare RNA'd for \$240,000 in foal to First Samurai (Giant's Causeway). It proved to be the right call. Forever Together rattled off three Grade I victories this year, including the GI Breeders' Cup F/M Turf, and is the front-runner to earn an Eclipse Award for her exploits. Now in foal to Hard Spun (Danzig), Princess Patricia brought \$375,000 yesterday, and was followed into the ring by her First Samurai colt, who went for \$170,000.

828 c, Langfuhr--Run for Lassie \$300,000
 B-Oscar Stud (KY)

Consigned by Kingswood Farm, Agent III
 Purchased by Southern Equine Stables

Run for Lassie, the dam of GIII Comely S. winner Madison's Charm (Capote), was purchased for \$75,000 by Hugo Merry Bloodstock at this sale a year ago from the consignment of Lane's End, agent. The 18-year-old mare produced this handsome bay youngster, who provided his connections a solid return on investment.

903 Touchnow i/f **Lemon Drop Kid** \$195,000
 (7, *Pleasant Tap--Now Dance, by Sovereign Dancer*)

Consigned by Hill 'n' Dale Sales Agency, agent
 Purchased by Dark Hollow & Davidov

904 c, El Corredor--Touchnow \$190,000
 B-Farr Bloodstock (ON)

Consigned by Hill 'n' Dale Sales Agency, agent
 Purchased by Maverick Racing

Touchnow, a \$39,930 purchase by George Farr at the 2002 Ontario September Yearling Sale, captured the Bison City S. and ran second in the Woodbine Oaks at three before retiring with earnings of \$388,237. She aborted her first foal, but was bred back to El Corredor (\$20,000 in 2007) and produced an attractive colt this past spring. Now in foal to Lemon Drop Kid (\$35,000) on the heels of that stallion's solid season, the bay mare and her Ontario-bred colt sold well here.

993 Cape Sunset i/f **Indian Charlie** \$260,000
 (5, *Cape Town--Indian Sunset, by Storm Bird*)

Consigned by Woods Edge Farm (Peter O'Callaghan), agent
 Purchased by Nofa Equestrian Resort

Ben McElroy signed the \$65,000 ticket for Cape Sunset when she went through the ring as a four-year-old at KEEJAN in 2007. The bay went on to win one of six starts last year for McElroy, earning \$30,590. Her solid family--that of Terlingua and Storm Cat, et al--improved further when her half-sister Palanka City (Carson City) developed into a Grade III winner this year.

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KEENELAND NOVEMBER - THURSDAY

**1014, Danceinthesunlight, 3, A.P. Indy--
Dancethruthedawn, by Mr. Prospector**

Consigned by Anderson Farms, Agent for Sam-Son Farm

This unraced mare sells in foal to Forest Wildcat. She is a daughter of Canadian champion Dancethruthedawn and a granddaughter of U.S. champion Dance Smartly.

1101, f, Bernstein--High Heeled Hope, by Salt Lake
Consigned by Paramount Sales, Agent XCIII

This filly's half sister Sweet Hope (Lemon Drop Kid), second in the GI Test S., has added a graded stakes tally to her resume since the catalogue. The three-year-old won the GIII Endine S. at Delaware Park in September.

1349, f, Stormy Atlantic--Ardere, by El Prado (Ire)
Consigned by Frankfort Park Farm, Agent VIII

This filly's two-year-old half brother Stefer (Johannesburg) recently captured the G3 Prix Miesque. Ardere, with this filly in utero, sold for \$60,000 last November.



**FROM THE DESK
OF...**

Bill Oppenheim



FEW ARE CALLED

Without question, an independent assessment of the 'top of the November market' must cover the first three days of selling: Fasig-Tipton's one-day Sunday extravaganza plus Keeneland Book 1. In 2005, the last year before the Fasig sale took flight, there were 793 horses catalogued over those first three days of selling. A total of 536 were listed as sold (68 percent of those catalogued), and Fasig's \$32-million gross accounted for about 17 percent of the three-day total of around \$190-million.



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In 2006, Fasig jumped the number catalogued to 256, which resulted in a \$64-million gross, about 30 percent of the combined three-day market. But for 2007 and for this year, as in 2005, Fasig's catalogue was in the 180's. Last year their \$52-million gross accounted for 23 percent of the combined three-day market of \$230-million, as Keeneland Book 1 grossed \$178.5-million.

Different story this year--in some ways. Fasig's clearance rate from the catalogue was in fact almost exactly the same as for Keeneland Book 1--a dismal 48 percent. Fasig's gross of \$70-million was way up on 2007, and their market share of November's first three days leapt from 23 to 44 percent; though, as usual, it's not all as straightforward as it might look. Almost a third of Fasig's gross was the \$23.5-million Southern Equine principal Mike Moreno spent buying out partner Jay Sikura from six mares, including Better Than Honour, and one foal. You can never accurately factor these things in, but there's a case for saying if you counted all the Southern Equine purchases from the Hill 'n' Dale consignment as being made in 30-cent dollars, the 'real' Fasig gross would be more like \$54-million, compared to last year's \$52-million. But that would assume last year's \$52-million was all made in 100-cent dollars, which I suspect would be a brave assumption.

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Bill Oppenheim cont.

But the bigger story, without doubt, was the collapse of Keeneland Book 1, which lost half its gross, from \$178-million last year to just over \$90-million this week --in other words, nearly half the gross. With actually a few more catalogued in Book 1 this year, the number sold dropped from 380 last year (64 percent of the 2007 Book 1 catalogue) to 299 this year (49 percent of those catalogued)--a 25-percent drop in the clearance rate from the catalogue. If you prefer to calculate from number sent through the ring, it was a 20-percent drop in that clearance rate, from 80 percent of those offered in 2007 to 64 percent this year. However you dissect it, the news for Keeneland wasn't very good. There's no other conclusion to draw except the obvious: even given overall market declines, Fasig's Sunday sale has now seriously impacted Keeneland Book 1. With big plans afoot for Fasig-Tipton under their new, Dubai-based ownership, Keeneland faces the most serious challenge to their traditional market share we have seen in many years.

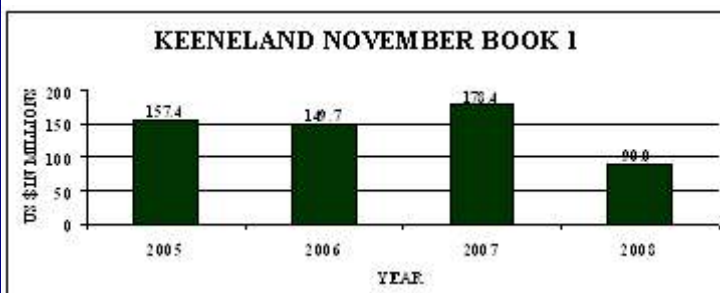
The surge in Dubai-based market share in the Kentucky auction market was also very evident in the statistics on new stallions; in this case it was the dominance of the young Darley stallions, while Coolmore's Ashford operation must be listed among the missing. Of the four leading stallions by weanling average, with three or more sold during the first three days, three stand at Darley: Bernardini (A.P. Indy), of course, was leading first-year weanling sire, with six sold, averaging \$456,666. Henny Hughes (Hennessy; eight averaged \$172,500) and Rockport Harbor (Unbridled's Song; three averaged \$81,666) are also Darley stallions. The fourth was WinStar's Bluegrass Cat (Storm Cat; six averaged \$167,000). There were five first-year covering stallions with three or more sold during the first three days: four stand at Darley, the exception being Gainesway's Corinthian (Pulpit), who had three mares sell in foal (of six offered), for an average of \$345,000. Darley had Hard Spun (Danzig), nine sold (of 19 offered) for an average of \$452,222; Street Sense (Street Cry), five sold (of 11 offered), for an average of \$412,000; Discreet Cat (Forestry), three sold (of five offered) for an average of \$178,333; and Any Given Saturday (Distorted Humor), three sold (of seven offered), for an average of \$156,666 (all statistics per Instatistics, through Tuesday). But the uncomfortable news for everybody was that those five combined had 48 offered through the ring, but only 23--less than half--sold. In tough times, proven sires often become safer options for breeders than the formerly commercially invincible young prospects. Cont. p14

Weekly Sales Ticker

by Bill Oppenheim

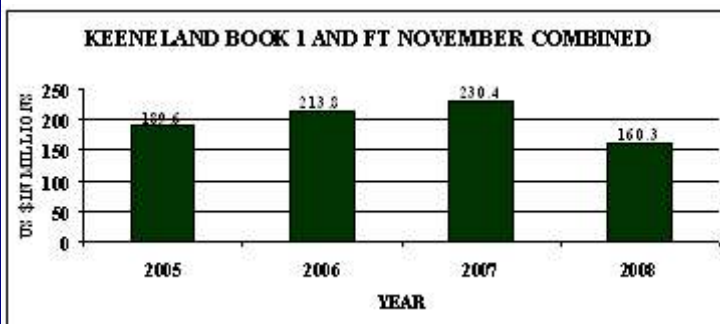
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"Including Southern Equine's buyout of its partner, and the dramatic halving of the Keeneland Book 1 gross, the pivotal first three days of the November market lost \$70-million in gross, or 30 percent. But November catalogues are not necessarily like-to-like, and there's no doubt the catalogue for Keeneland Book 1 was down a lot, and not just because of Fasig. The prices on the super-select lots were plenty strong; but, between withdrawals and RNA's, fewer than half those originally catalogued for the first three days were actually listed as sales."
- Bill Oppenheim



Keeneland Book 1 and FT November Sales

YEAR	CAT	RING	SOLD	% S/C	GROSS	AVG
2008	804	620	390	48.5%	\$160,306,000	\$227,062
2007	778	616	487	62.6%	\$230,436,000	\$329,194
2006	848	690	512	60.4%	\$213,805,000	\$280,584
2005	793	683	536	67.6%	\$189,621,000	\$264,834



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Though there was ample evidence that the 'good stuff' was every bit as expensive as it has been--if not more so, as there were so few that 'cleared the bar'--it was also abundantly clear that there was a serious shortage of the top prospects. No doubt, the Keeneland Book 1 catalogue was way down, not just because of Fasig, but also because the desirable prospects were simply not there in anything like the same numbers as in the past few years. Ultimately, though, it all does have to come back to the chain of supply and demand. Owners of racehorses, collectively, still lose half their money. If racehorse owners had a fighting chance to make money through purse earnings (not through having to sell their horses), the tail could stop wagging the dog, and the market could behave like a market should: demand-driven not by the greed generated by the previously easy money in trading breeding stock, but by the feasibility of creating a viable economic model based on racing horses. That really must be the next attainable medium-term goal for the breeding community. That will be a complex and difficult endeavor, but long-term it is the only way for the breeding industry itself to be viable. And you know what? Yes, we can.

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My Princess Jess, a determined winner of the GII Lake George S. at Saratoga, finished a close fourth in the GI Garden City BC S. over yielding ground at Belmont Sept. 6. The dark bay endured a wide trip in her latest, a third-place effort in the GI Queen Elizabeth II Challenge Cup at Keeneland Oct. 11, and will have to work out a better voyage to give trainer Barclay Tagg a repeat Mrs. Revere score following Bit of Whimsy's tally last season. Owner Kiki Courtelis looks for an immediate return on her investment with **Sky Mom**. The bay, winner of the GIII Arlington Park Oaks on the Polytrack Aug. 2, was purchased for \$480,000 out of the Fasig-Tipton sale last Sunday night. Out of a mare by Sky Classic, she is a candidate to appreciate the turf, which she tries for the first time on Saturday.

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TATTERSALLS RELEASES DECEMBER CATALOGUE A total of 2,728 lots—including Group 1 winners **Natagora (Fr)** (Divine Light {Jpn}, **Lady Marian (Ger)** (Nayef) and **Saoirse Abu** (Mr. Greeley)—have been catalogued for the upcoming Tattersalls December Sale. South African 2006 Horse of the Year **National Colour (SAf)** (National Assembly) will also be offered at the sale, which takes place from Nov. 24 through Dec. 4. “The 2007 Tattersalls December Sale broke all records with an outstanding catalogue headlined by the dispersal of the late Robert Sangster’s Swettenham Stud, and, whilst that will be a hard act to follow, we are delighted to offer three catalogues stacked with quality, including three top class Group 1-winning three-year-old fillies,” Tattersalls Chairman Edmond Mahony said. “The Tattersalls December Sale typically attracts buyers from all corners of the globe looking to upgrade the quality of their broodmare bands and we look forward to welcoming them to what is the World’s most international sale. The Tattersalls December Foal Sale also looks strong on quality with the top 20 active British and Irish based sires, as well as top French, German and North American sires all represented.”

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Q: The Breeders' Cup featured several additional changes this year, including new races, a new format and the first-ever synthetic surface. What did you like and not like about this year's two-day Breeders' Cup, and what was your Breeders' Cup experience like? *(Please specify if you were you participating on-site, at a simulcast outlet, or as a broadcast viewer.)*

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On my report card, the onsite experience was as good as any big-ticket racing experience of my life, and probably better in many areas. Even though the FrontRunner restaurant was completely full on Saturday, which sometimes doesn't make for the best experience, the hospitality in the room was spectacular; great service, great tellers and easy access to betting. Add to that: the best food I've ever experienced on a big day of racing. Access to the paddock was also efficient and easily accomplished.

NICK NICHOLSON, PRESIDENT AND CEO, KEENELAND
Keeneland was racing that day, so I was at Keeneland, watching on it on television along with our fans, who were excited about the Breeders' Cup. I thought Santa Anita looked beautiful. It's a wonderful setting for the Breeders' Cup, and you could tell a lot of hard work had gone into it. I would make the comment that I guess we've gotten spoiled here at Keeneland, but our fans love the computer-chip tracking technology we have where we are able to identify where every horse is in the race. I found the simulcast signal presentation hard to follow, as far as what horse was where. I would hope we never again run a Breeders' Cup without some kind of tracking technology to identify where every horse is every step of the way.



LYN COWAN, PH.D.

I attended both days at Santa Anita as a lifelong racing fan. The racing was superb, which is the most important thing. However:

1. I would much prefer an equalization in the "importance" of races: there is no reason why gender should be the arbitrary deciding factor of who races when. Fourteen races in two days is terrific, but why not mix them up? The Cup will only be a truly international event when America joins the rest of the world and drops gender as a basis for scheduling. The rest of the world finds it quite normal to even have girls and boys race together--what a concept!

2. \$400 for seats an eighth of a mile from the finish line is ridiculously high, and not affordable for next year, particularly when airfare is added. It would have been a nice gesture to at least have given us a free program.

3. A grand opportunity to showcase the sport to Americans on television was wasted by splitting Saturday's card between two different networks. (Since I was at the track, I pre-set my recorder to get the full both days, and not knowing the Saturday card was split, I do not have the last five races.) I can't imagine how many people were literally turned off by having to figure out where to go right in the middle of the card, and to leave the Cup for "regional college football" was inexcusable. (Do major networks leave a presidential election to report on the winner of a junior league ping-pong tournament somewhere in Kansas?)

4. There is no reason to hold the Cup at the same race-track two years running. Nor is there any reason to return to Churchill Downs, which was the worst-managed (for lowly spectators like me) event I've ever attended (of at least eight Cups), except for Lone Star, which was beyond bad. Suggestion: alternate the Cup between Santa Anita and Belmont Park. Both are easily large enough to accommodate crowds, and do not burden either coastal residents nor those in the middle with having to make long trips to attend. Santa Anita has a synthetic surface and a passable turf course; Belmont has a fine dirt surface and a fine turf course.

5. I have been a passionate racing fan for more than 50 years, but I will not be attending any more Breeders' Cups unless seat prices come down and the venue is sensible and attractive to horses coming from all over the world, regardless of their preferred racing surface. Open it up. And get it on network television!

Thank you for hearing me out.

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POST-ELECTION SCORE CARD & UPDATE ON LAME DUCK SESSION

NTRA lobbyists at the Alpine Group in Washington, D.C. have analyzed Tuesday's election results in a "score card" that is available on www.SupportHorseRacing.org. Simply click on [Election Day Score Card](#) from the home page to read their analysis.

With the election now behind us, it appears Congress is set to reconvene for a one-week "lame duck" session starting Monday, November 17. This will be the final session of the 110th Congress. A lame duck session is so named because some of the legislators on hand were either 1) not re-elected or 2) did not run for re-election, which means they will not be in office when the 111th Congress gets sworn in next January.

A lame duck session is likely to focus on a new stimulus bill to jump start the economy.



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Some 500 to 600 of the adoring public gathered Wednesday at Three Chimneys under blue skies and 70-degree temperatures to welcome dual Classic winner Big Brown (Boundary) to his new home. The colt enters stud in 2009 at a fee of \$65,000. Handling Big Brown is Veronica Reed

Christina Morgan-Cornett



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TOP 50 COVERING SIRES THROUGH KEENELAND NOVEMBER DAY 3

Rank by Average		2008 Covering Sire Sales						2008 Yearling Sales			
		Fyr	Loc	Ring	Sold	Average	Median	Top Mare	Sold	Average	Median
1	DISTORTED HUMOR	F00	KY	5	3	\$ 1,833,333	\$ 1,400,000	\$ 3,100,000	33	\$ 416,220	\$ 381,264
2	A.P. INDY	F94	KY	10	7	1,564,285	1,300,000	3,100,000	30	581,333	450,000
3	UNBRIDLED'S SONG	F98	KY	11	6	865,833	592,500	2,500,000	44	356,931	317,500
4	BERNARDINI	F08	KY	9	7	772,142	535,000	2,300,000	0	--	--
5	GIANT'S CAUSEWAY	F02	KY	15	9	587,222	285,000	1,750,000	66	273,130	190,000
6	MR. GREELEY	F97	KY	21	13	576,153	400,000	1,300,000	72	247,731	205,000
7	PULPIT	F99	KY	8	7	570,714	220,000	1,500,000	25	202,427	190,000
8	HALF OURS	F09	KY	1	1	510,000	510,000	510,000	0	--	--
9	SAKHEE	F04	ENG	1	1	413,427	413,427	413,427	12	69,316	49,236
10	STREET CRY (IRE)	F04	KY	4	3	406,666	220,000	800,000	33	146,020	110,000
11	HARD SPUN	F09	KY	24	12	400,416	270,000	1,500,000	0	--	--
12	GRAND SLAM	F00	KY	3	3	393,333	180,000	850,000	50	90,027	65,515
13	EL CORREDOR	F03	KY	6	5	390,000	165,000	1,400,000	73	67,190	32,000
14	EMPIRE MAKER	F05	KY	9	5	386,000	250,000	800,000	33	251,098	170,000
15	DYLAN THOMAS (IRE)	F09	IRE	1	1	372,084	372,084	372,084	0	--	--
16	INDIAN CHARLIE	F90	KY	7	4	358,750	352,500	650,000	51	139,218	102,648
17	SMART STRIKE	F98	KY	13	7	339,285	310,000	475,000	31	219,814	182,059
18	HARLAN'S HOLIDAY	F05	KY	8	6	338,333	205,000	750,000	44	96,745	67,500
19	STREET SENSE	F09	KY	15	8	330,000	225,000	1,200,000	0	--	--
20	OASIS DREAM (GB)	F05	ENG	1	1	310,070	310,070	310,070	39	170,976	109,909
21	UNUSUAL HEAT	F99	CA	1	1	310,000	310,000	310,000	5	27,340	25,000
22	CORINTHIAN	F09	KY	10	6	300,833	315,000	500,000	0	--	--
23	YES IT'S TRUE	F02	KY	2	2	290,000	290,000	525,000	50	77,562	65,000
24	DALAKHANI (IRE)	F05	IRE	3	1	289,398	289,398	289,398	12	184,064	74,337
24	AUTHORIZED (IRE)	F09	IRE	1	1	289,398	289,398	289,398	0	--	--
26	GHOSTZAPPER	F07	KY	26	13	274,230	230,000	750,000	33	283,272	270,000
27	AWESOME AGAIN	F00	KY	8	6	273,333	87,500	750,000	24	104,270	47,500
28	DYNAFORMER	F91	KY	5	2	271,500	271,500	500,000	30	310,187	300,000
29	DANEHILL DANCER (IRE)	F98	IRE	1	1	268,727	268,727	268,727	77	239,582	173,709
30	WILD RUSH	F00	JPN	1	1	250,000	250,000	250,000	0	--	--
31	VINDICATION	F05	KY	3	2	242,500	242,500	375,000	44	83,401	52,500
32	STORMY ATLANTIC	F00	KY	11	8	213,750	135,000	560,000	62	59,866	41,000
33	MORE THAN READY	F02	KY	4	3	200,000	230,000	300,000	60	109,593	92,500
34	BLUEGRASS CAT	F08	KY	9	6	190,000	175,000	290,000	0	--	--
35	TIZNOW	F03	KY	7	5	180,000	160,000	330,000	61	173,223	130,000
36	PIVOTAL (GB)	F98	ENG	1	1	175,706	175,706	175,706	32	314,752	258,639
37	CANDY RIDE (ARG)	F06	KY	1	1	175,000	175,000	175,000	12	16,316	6,700
38	ELUSIVE QUALITY	F00	KY	7	4	167,500	170,000	270,000	43	178,269	130,000
39	MALIBU MOON	F01	KY	7	6	165,833	155,000	350,000	54	88,916	68,500
40	DIXIE UNION	F02	KY	6	4	157,500	97,500	375,000	47	147,282	130,000
41	JOHANNESBURG	F04	KY	8	4	156,250	162,500	180,000	59	97,493	80,000
42	LANGFUHR	F99	KY	6	5	149,000	120,000	325,000	27	49,260	40,000
43	ARCH	F00	KY	7	6	145,833	102,500	400,000	30	75,548	41,000
44	MEDAGLIA D'ORO	F06	KY	6	5	137,000	140,000	205,000	45	144,555	95,000
45	MINESHAFT	F05	KY	4	4	133,750	85,000	300,000	36	104,237	85,000
46	DISCREET CAT	F09	KY	7	5	133,000	100,000	225,000	0	--	--
47	POSSE	F05	KY	3	1	130,000	130,000	130,000	46	37,006	24,500
48	PROUD CITIZEN	F05	KY	2	2	123,500	123,500	220,000	26	86,535	56,000
49	SPEIGHTSTOWN	F06	KY	7	6	122,500	125,000	230,000	46	141,576	112,500
50	EMON DROP KID	F02	KY	9	7	117,000	60,000	250,000	17	50,434	35,000



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TOP 30 FIRST-YEAR COVERING SIRES THROUGH KEENELAND NOVEMBER DAY 3

		2008 Covering Sires, Freshman Only					
Rankby Average		Loc	Ring	Sold	Average	Median	Top Mare
1	HALF OURS	KY	1	1	\$ 510,000	\$ 510,000	\$ 510,000
2	HARD SPUN	KY	24	12	400,416	270,000	1,500,000
3	DYLAN THOMAS (IRE)	IRE	1	1	372,084	372,084	372,084
4	STREET SENSE	KY	15	8	330,000	225,000	1,200,000
5	CORINTHIAN	KY	10	6	300,833	315,000	500,000
6	AUTHORIZED (IRE)	IRE	1	1	289,398	289,398	289,398
7	DISCREET CAT	KY	7	5	133,000	100,000	225,000
8	ANY GIVEN SATURDAY	KY	11	6	113,333	105,000	200,000
9	INVASOR (ARG)	KY	2	2	112,500	112,500	160,000
10	MANDURO (GER)	EN	1	1	107,491	107,491	107,491
11	AFTER MARKET	KY	8	5	84,000	95,000	135,000
12	SCAT DADDY	KY	2	1	65,000	65,000	65,000
13	TEOFILO (IRE)	IRE	3	2	59,946	59,946	78,551
14	EXCELLENT ART (GB)	IRE	4	2	42,375	42,375	43,409
15	STRATEGIC PRINCE (GB)	IRE	1	1	41,342	41,342	41,342
16	LAWYER RON	KY	3	2	35,000	35,000	45,000
17	STEVIE WONDERBOY	KY	1	1	30,000	30,000	30,000
18	DUTCH ART (GB)	EN	3	2	28,423	28,423	31,007
19	THREE VALLEYS	EN	5	3	27,216	16,537	57,879
20	POLITICAL FORCE	KY	2	1	27,000	27,000	27,000
21	ECHO OF LIGHT (GB)	EN	1	1	20,671	20,671	20,671
22	COCKNEY REBEL (IRE)	EN	3	2	9,301	9,301	16,123
23	NOBLE CAUSEWAY	KY	2	1	8,500	8,500	8,500
24	HIGH COTTON	FL	5	3	6,233	3,700	13,000
25	SUN KING	KY	4	3	6,000	6,500	6,500
26	SAINT ANDDAN	FL	9	4	5,425	6,100	7,500
27	SIMON PURE	FL	3	2	5,350	5,350	5,500
28	WILKO	FL	2	1	5,200	5,200	5,200
29	SEEKING THE BEST (IRE)	KY	1	1	4,000	4,000	4,000
30	PAVAROTTI	FL	4	2	2,850	2,850	4,700

Includes: 2008 Arizona Tba At Phoenix - Mixed; 2008 Barretts Equine Sales - Breeding Stock; 2008 BBAG Autumn Sale; 2008 Brdrs Sales Co Of Louisiana At Fg-Yrlgs & Mixed; 2008 Canadian T.H.S. At Ft. Langley - Yearlings; 2008 Cths October At Calgary - Mixed; 2008 Fasig-Tipton Kentucky November - Mixed; 2008 Iowa Tb Brdr's & Owner's Assoc-Yrlgs; 2008 Keeneland November Breeding Stock Sale Through Day 3; 2008 Mountain Springs Pennsylvania Spring Mixed Sale; 2008 New York Breeders Sales Company Saratoga Fall Mixed Sale; 2008 Ocala Breeders Sales Co. - Mixed; 2008 Tattersalls July Sale

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TOP SIRES OF WEANLINGS THROUGH KEENELAND NOVEMBER DAY 3

Rank by Average	Fyr	Loc	2008 Weanling Sales						2008 Yearling Sales			
			Ring	Sold	Average	Median	Top Colt	Top Filly	Sold	Average	Median	
1	BERNARDINI	F08	KY	7	6	\$ 456,666	\$ 275,000	\$ 360,000	\$ 1,475,000	0	--	--
2	DYNAFORMER	F91	KY	1	1	440,000	440,000	0	440,000	30	310,187	300,000
3	DISTORTED HUMOR	F00	KY	7	5	326,000	275,000	185,000	520,000	33	416,220	381,264
4	EL CORREDOR	F03	KY	3	2	260,000	260,000	330,000	0	73	67,190	32,000
5	UNBRIDLED'S SONG	F98	KY	6	3	230,000	200,000	200,000	370,000	44	356,931	317,500
6	STREET CRY (IRE)	F04	KY	10	7	227,142	260,000	300,000	260,000	33	146,020	110,000
7	MARIA'S MON	F98	KY	2	2	200,000	200,000	350,000	0	58	93,068	52,500
8	MR. GREELEY	F97	KY	12	9	191,666	170,000	250,000	350,000	72	247,731	205,000
9	KINGMAMBO	F95	KY	1	1	180,000	180,000	0	180,000	8	443,750	312,500
10	MORE THAN READY	F02	KY	6	4	177,500	175,000	290,000	200,000	60	109,593	92,500
11	A.P. INDY	F94	KY	1	1	175,000	175,000	0	175,000	30	581,333	450,000
12	MALIBU MOON	F01	KY	3	3	173,333	110,000	350,000	60,000	54	88,916	68,500
13	SPEIGHTSTOWN	F06	KY	8	6	171,666	180,000	280,000	190,000	46	141,576	112,500
14	AFLEET ALEX	F07	KY	1	1	170,000	170,000	170,000	0	67	120,379	73,475
15	BLUEGRASS CAT	F08	KY	12	10	164,200	160,000	320,000	165,000	0	--	--
16	HENNY HUGHES	F08	KY	14	11	156,545	130,000	325,000	260,000	0	--	--
17	LANGFUHR	F99	KY	2	2	156,000	156,000	300,000	12,000	27	49,260	40,000
18	DANSILI (GB)	F02	EN	1	1	150,000	150,000	0	150,000	21	230,396	192,263
19	GIANT'S CAUSEWAY	F02	KY	13	11	145,000	130,000	265,000	350,000	66	273,130	190,000
20	TIZNOW	F03	KY	6	5	133,000	125,000	150,000	240,000	61	173,223	130,000
21	GHOSTZAPPER	F07	KY	13	6	125,833	107,500	160,000	200,000	33	283,272	270,000
22	WAR FRONT	F08	KY	1	1	125,000	125,000	125,000	0	0	--	--
22	HENNESSY	F98	KY	6	4	125,000	107,500	110,000	185,000	38	110,732	87,500
22	LION HEART	F06	KY	7	6	125,000	67,500	55,000	350,000	55	80,333	55,000
25	INDIAN CHARLIE	F90	KY	6	6	118,333	150,000	170,000	150,000	51	139,218	102,648
26	EMPIRE MAKER	F05	KY	4	2	105,500	105,500	200,000	0	33	251,098	170,000
27	AWESOME AGAIN	F00	KY	6	5	102,000	75,000	175,000	75,000	24	104,270	47,500
28	ELUSIVE QUALITY	F00	KY	7	6	100,000	77,500	175,000	75,000	43	178,269	130,000
28	STAR DABBLER	F08	KY	1	1	100,000	100,000	0	100,000	0	--	--
30	EL PRADO (IRE)	F94	KY	4	3	98,333	80,000	60,000	155,000	20	148,625	42,500
31	FIRST SAMURAI	F08	KY	7	5	98,000	100,000	170,000	60,000	0	--	--
32	SUCCESSFUL APPEAL	F01	KY	2	2	95,000	95,000	0	160,000	35	61,591	50,000
32	QUIET AMERICAN	F93	KY	3	2	95,000	95,000	130,000	0	27	69,391	28,000
34	ARCH	F00	KY	3	3	93,333	90,000	130,000	90,000	30	75,548	41,000
35	ROMAN RULER	F07	KY	1	1	90,000	90,000	90,000	0	82	61,741	41,000
36	ANABAA	F98	FR	2	2	88,500	88,500	135,000	0	17	139,362	87,984
37	SILVER TRAIN	F08	KY	6	3	85,000	100,000	130,000	25,000	0	--	--
38	MEDAGLIA D'ORO	F06	KY	8	6	76,833	76,000	87,000	125,000	45	144,555	95,000
39	YES IT'S TRUE	F02	KY	2	1	75,000	75,000	0	75,000	50	77,562	65,000
39	TAPIT	F06	KY	4	3	75,000	65,000	65,000	100,000	36	52,250	37,000
41	ROCKPORT HARBOR	F08	KY	7	5	71,000	70,000	95,000	80,000	0	--	--
42	MINESHAFT	F05	KY	4	4	68,000	51,000	150,000	52,000	36	104,237	85,000
43	HARLAN'S HOLIDAY	F05	KY	6	5	67,400	35,000	150,000	115,000	44	96,745	67,500
44	OFFICER	F04	KY	2	2	66,000	66,000	95,000	37,000	27	43,895	28,000
45	TALE OF THE CAT	F00	KY	10	7	63,142	47,000	100,000	170,000	49	132,845	110,000
46	JOHANNESBURG	F04	KY	9	4	61,000	63,500	85,000	65,000	59	97,493	80,000
47	FUSAICHI PEGASUS	F02	KY	8	3	60,000	80,000	5,000	95,000	45	93,098	70,000
47	DIXIE UNION	F02	KY	1	1	60,000	60,000	0	60,000	47	147,282	130,000
49	VINDICATION	F05	KY	4	3	59,000	50,000	50,000	80,000	44	83,401	52,500
49	CHEROKEE RUN	F97	KY	4	3	59,000	40,000	37,000	100,000	41	75,097	60,000
51	EDDINGTON	F07	KY	6	5	56,000	45,000	120,000	70,000	48	64,114	41,000
52	FORESTRY	F01	KY	5	4	55,500	45,000	120,000	70,000	30	155,034	105,000
53	STORMY ATLANTIC	F00	KY	9	9	55,333	50,000	85,000	105,000	62	59,866	41,000
54	ROCK HARD TEN	F07	KY	5	1	55,000	55,000	55,000	0	45	151,111	100,000
55	SKY MESA	F05	KY	2	2	52,500	52,500	0	90,000	45	42,976	25,250



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1	BERNARDINI	KY	7	6	\$ 456,666	\$ 275,000	\$ 360,000	\$ 1,475,000
2	BLUEGRASS CAT	KY	12	10	164,200	160,000	320,000	165,000
3	HENNY HUGHES	KY	14	11	156,545	130,000	325,000	260,000
4	WAR FRONT	KY	1	1	125,000	125,000	125,000	0
5	STAR DABBLER	KY	1	1	100,000	100,000	0	100,000
6	FIRST SAMURAI	KY	7	5	98,000	100,000	170,000	60,000
7	SILVER TRAIN	KY	6	3	85,000	100,000	130,000	25,000
8	ROCKPORT HARBOR	KY	7	5	71,000	70,000	95,000	80,000
9	BORREGO	KY	2	1	50,000	50,000	50,000	0
10	ARAGORN (IRE)	KY	5	2	37,500	37,500	45,000	0
11	BADGE OF SILVER	KY	3	2	36,500	36,500	68,000	5,000
12	WITH DISTINCTION	FL	22	10	25,900	20,500	50,000	61,000
13	TALE OF THE HILLS	CA	2	1	25,000	25,000	0	25,000
13	SHARP HUMOR	KY	1	1	25,000	25,000	0	25,000
15	FIRE SLAM	FL	3	2	21,500	21,500	30,000	0
16	BANDINI	KY	3	3	19,500	15,000	13,500	30,000
17	SUAVE	KY	2	2	19,000	19,000	8,000	30,000
18	CONGRATS	FL	15	5	17,200	17,000	27,000	30,000
19	GREELEY'S GALAXY	NY	4	4	15,500	7,500	15,000	47,000
20	POMEROY	FL	11	4	15,025	15,500	28,000	1,100
21	GIACOMO	KY	2	1	13,000	13,000	13,000	0
22	BELLAMY ROAD	KY	4	2	12,500	12,500	0	25,000
23	THE DADDY	FL	6	3	9,833	6,500	20,000	0
24	LEADING THE PARAD	FL	1	1	9,000	9,000	9,000	0
25	DA STOOPS	KY	5	5	7,540	6,000	17,000	3,700
26	FOREST GROVE	KY	5	4	7,500	0	0	30,000
27	LION TAMER	LA	3	2	7,250	7,250	10,000	0
28	SIR SHACKLETON	KY	2	1	7,000	7,000	0	7,000
29	MASS MEDIA	FL	5	4	4,375	4,500	8,500	2,000
30	UNBRIDLED ENERGY	KY	2	2	4,000	4,000	0	5,000

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STALLION PROSPECTS - OLDER HORSES

Rank (Prev. Rank) Name	Owner	Breeder	Trainer	Last Race - Video	Best BRIS	NEXT START/ STATUS
1(1)- CURLIN (Smart Strike) ('08: 7-5-1-0, \$5,399,000; '07: 9-6-1-2, \$5,102,800) <i>(2007 HOTY broke Cigar's earnings record in '08, but failed to show the same fire on Pro-Ride in Classic as on the dirt...C Bossinakis)</i>	Stonestreet, et al	Fares Farm	Asmussen	4th BC Classic	121	Undecided
2(2)- STREET BOSS (Street Cry {Ire}) ('08: 8-6-2-0, \$787,900; '07: 4-1-1-0, \$43,900) <i>(Dual Grade I winner closed out his racing career with a gallant third behind sprint champ and will stand for \$25,000 in 2009...Lucas Marquardt)</i>	Bluegate/Headley/Naify Brilliant Stable	Headley	Headley	3rd BC Sprint	105	RETIRED TO DARLEY
3(8)- MIDNIGHT LUTE (Real Quiet) ('08: 2-1-0-0, \$1,080,000; '07: 6-2-2-0, \$1,368,000) <i>(The champ, 10th after a series of problems in GII Pat O'Brien, fired his best shot at Oak Tree and will stand for \$20,000 next year...Andy Belfiore)</i>	Watson & Weitman	Evans/Macon	Baffert	1st BC Sprint	118	Retired to Hill 'n' Dale
4(3)- DIVINE PARK (Chester House) ('08: 5-3-0-0, \$463,460; '07: 4-3-0-0, \$149,475) <i>(GI Met Mile hero couldn't keep pace with Curlin in the Woodward..Stands for \$17,500 in his first season at stud....Alan Carasso)</i>	James Barry	Runnymede	McLaughlin	6th GI Woodward S.	110	RETIRED TO AIRDRIE
5(4)- CHAMPS ELYSEES (GB) (Danehill) ('08: 8-2-1-2, \$894,114; '07: 6-1-3-1, \$235,630) <i>(Out of the blue hen mare Hasili--dam of four other Grade I winners & leading sire Dansili--the GISW failed to fire on the Pro-Ride...Marie Kizenko)</i>	Juddmonte	Homebred	Frankel	8th BC Classic	111	Undecided
6(5)- FIRST DEFENCE (Unbridled's Song) ('08: 6-3-1-0, \$364,339; '07: 4-2-1-0, \$175,000) <i>(Son of GISW Honest Lady retires with a Grade I victory in his pocket and will stand for \$20,000 in 2009...C Bossinakis)</i>	Juddmonte	Homebred	Frankel	8th BC Sprint	110	Retired to JUDDMONTE
7(6)- TIAGO (Pleasant Tap) ('08: 7-1-3-2, \$1,094,000, '07: 8-4-0-1, \$1,234,750) <i>(Half to Derby winner Giacomo ran his customarily solid race in the Classic; Goes to Adena Springs at the conclusion of his career...Steve Sherack)</i>	Moss	Homebred	Shirreffs	3rd GI BC Classic	106	Stays in Training in '09
8(7)- STUDENT COUNCIL (Kingmambo) ('08: 8-1-1-1, \$415,000; '07 9-4-2-1, \$1,041,755) <i>(Grade I winner on dirt and synthetic couldn't reproduce earlier form in Classic. Will stand the 2009 season for \$17,500...Lucas Marquardt)</i>	Millennium Farms	W S Farish	Asmussen	11th BC Classic	106	Retired to MILLENNIUM

RETIRED IN 2008:

				Lifetime Record	BRIS	Status (2009 Stud Fee)
HEATSEEKER (IRE) (Giant's Causeway)	W De Burgh	R Barnes	Hollendorfer	17-7-5-2, \$1,181,172	106	Retired to Hill 'n' Dale (20K)
SPRING AT LAST (Silver Deputy)	J Reddam/WinStar	WinStar LLC	O'Neill	13-5-2-2, \$1,139,150	109	Retired to WinStar (\$15K)

AT THE GAP: Artiste Royale (Ire) (Danehill), Fairbanks (Giant's Causeway), Giant Gizmo (Giant's Causeway), Go Between (Point Given), Idiot Proof (Benchmark), In Summation (Put It Back), Kip Deville (Kipling), Lewis Michael (Rahy), Mast Track (Mizzen Mast), Red Giant (Giant's Causeway), Thorn Song (Unbridled's Song).

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 **NORTH AMERICA** 

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INITIATIVE Maryland voters approved Tuesday the proposed state constitutional amendment authorizing the State to issue up to five video lottery licenses for the installation and operation of up to 15,000 video lottery terminals for the purpose of raising revenue for education, according to a Magna Entertainment Corp. release. The Maryland Jockey Club, an MEC subsidiary, expects to pursue a VLT license for Laurel Park as soon as practicable after the administrative aspects of the license application process are finalized by applicable regulators. The Maryland Jockey Club also expects that both Laurel Park and Pimlico Race Course will be entitled to share of Maryland VLT revenues through purse contributions. "Today is a very important day for horse racing in Maryland," said Tom Chuckas, President and Chief Operating Officer of the Maryland Jockey Club. "The voters of Maryland have approved a measure that we at the Maryland Jockey Club are confident will help save an industry that we love and that employs thousands of Maryland residents. We expect that introducing VLTs in our State will put Maryland racing back on a more even playing field with its neighboring states." Delaware and Pennsylvania currently have slots already in place.

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7th-AQU (Rare Blend S.) Never Retreat (Smart Strike) becomes trainer Seth Benzel's first stakes winner.

3rd-AQU (Msw \$44K) American Dance (A.P. Indy), a half-brother to ill-fated Horse of the Year Saint Liam, earns his diploma.

6th-AQU (Msw \$43K) Noble Sound (Vindication), a \$2.8 million KEESEP yearling, becomes a

★ **"TDN Rising Star"** ★

 **TODAY'S INSIGHTS**

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3:16p 7th-AQU, \$43K, Msw, 3yo/up, 6f
HR/TVG Darley's **SEVENTH STREET (Street Cry {Ire})** showed speed in the early going of her debut going six panels at Gulfstream Jan. 31, but tired in the final sixteenth to be third. Off since that effort, the \$1,000,000 FTFEB juvenile purchase returns for trainer Kieran McLaughlin, who gets 17 percent winners off the extended layoff. The juvenile, out of multiple stakes winner and graded stakes-placed Holiday Runner, is a half to GSP Reynaldothewizard (Speightstown). brisnet.com pps

3:44p 8th-AQU, \$56K, \$100K Opt. Clm, 3yo/up, 6f
HR/TVG **SONGSTER (Songandaprayer)** makes his first start since a victory in his only start under the Godolphin banner in the 2007 GIII Bold Ruler H. A winner for trainer Tom Albertrani in the GIII Hirsch Jacobs S. and GII Woody Stephens BC in 2006, the five-year-old also finished runner up in the GII Amsterdam S. and GIII Bay Shore S. that season. brisnet.com pps

4:01p 2nd-HOL, \$37K, Msw, 3yo, 6 1/2f
HR/TVG **EXOTIC DESIGN (A.P. Indy)** gets her start for the team John Shirreffs and Pam and Marty Wygod, who also campaigned this filly's dam, GSW Exotic Wood (Rahy). Also in the mix is **Royal Fortune (Giant's Causeway)**, who makes her second start for Irving and Marjorie Cowan. An even third after a wide trip in her debut at Oak Tree Oct. 10, the bay gets Lasix for her second start. brisnet.com pps

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★ NEW YORK ★

Jackie Davis Gets First Career Win:

Apprentice jockey Jackie Davis, the daughter of retired reinsman Robbie Davis, celebrated the first victory of her career, guiding 64-1 outside Blue Hill Bay to a wire-to-wire 3/4-length success in Wednesday's fifth race at Aqueduct. "I was looking around wondering, 'Where is everybody?'" said Davis, 21, a graduate of Chris McCarron's North American Riding Academy. "The feeling was awesome. It was even better than I imagined." Davis, who has been



Adam Coglianesse

exercising horses for Hall of Fame trainer Allen Jerkens, called on dad for some advice before yesterday's race. "He told me the horse would want to be in front," she said." Afterwards, the 4-foot-10, 104-pound Davis was given a round of applause by New York racing fans then was subjected to the traditional shower of water by her fellow jockeys.

Yesterday's Results:

RARE BLEND S., \$69,150, AQU, 11-5, 3yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 1:43, fm.

1--**#NEVER RETREAT**, 118, f, 3, **Smart Strike**--Lisieux {SP, \$111,474}, by **Steady Growth**. (\$410,000 yrl '06 FTKJUL). O-Jeff Singer; B-Gerry O'Meara & Stanley Inman (KY); T-Seth Benzel; J-Alan Garcia; \$41,490. Lifetime Record: GISP, 7-3-1-2, \$195,200.

2--**Remarkable Remy**, 122, f, 3, Hennessy--Most Remarkable, by Marquetry. (\$200,000 yrl '06 FTSAUG). O-Live Oak Plantation. \$13,830.

3--**Blitzen Too**, 118, f, 3, Thunder Gulch--Lady She Is Too, by Two's a Plenty. O-Delehanty Stable. \$6,915. Margins: 1HF, HD, 1 3/4. Odds: 5.50, 1.65, 5.80.

Never Retreat marched through her conditions with aplomb before finishing third in the June 14 Susan's Girl at Delaware. Third across the wire, but moved up to second via the disqualification of runner-up finisher Proud Spell in the GI Mother Goose S. at Belmont June 28, the dark bay failed to handle the 10-furlong distance of the GI CCA Oaks July 18 and settled for fifth in her final start for Kieran McLaughlin. Third in her debut for former Todd Pletcher assistant Seth Benzel in the restricted Quick Mischief S. at Belmont Oct. 20, the dark bay was given moderate backing for her turf bow. Content to track the early pace in third, the sophomore shifted out for the drive, split rivals in the stretch and edged away under strong handling to collect her first stakes victory. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

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3rd-AQU, \$44,000, Msw, 2yo, 1m, 1:39 1/5, ft. **AMERICAN DANCE** (c, 2, **A.P. Indy**--Quiet Dance {SP, \$224,240}, by Quiet American), a good second in his debut going seven panels at Belmont Oct. 4, was backed down to 4-5 favoritism to go one better here. Narrowly ahead in the early going, the half to Saint Liam (Saint Ballado), Horse of the Year, MGISW, \$4,456,995, was taken back into a stalking position after an opening half mile in :48.56 and three quarters in 1:13.39. Asked for more turning for home, the grey poked his head in front at the top of the stretch and, despite lugging in slightly in the lane, inched clear to graduate by a half length over Speight of Hand (Speightstown). Mesa Sunrise (Sky Mesa) was fifth. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#). Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$36,800. O/B-Edward P Evans (VA). T-Todd A Pletcher.

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New York Report cont.

★ **NEW "TDN Rising Star"** ★

6th-AQU, \$43,000, Msw, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 4/5, ft.

+ **NOBLE SOUND**, c, 3, [Vindication](#)

1st Dam: **Serena's Tune** (MSW, \$337,260), by Mr. Prospector

2nd Dam: **Serena's Song**, by Rahy

3rd Dam: **Imagining**, by Northfields

Noble Sound, backed down to 8-5 favoritism with stablemate Noble Lad (Officer), was content to track the early leaders through early splits of :22.34 and :46.10. Ready to launch turning for home, the dark bay proved best late to score by 4 3/4 lengths over Excess Capital (Distorted Humor), while Bet the Limit (Storm Cat-Educated Risk) was a neck back in third. Noble Lad tired to fifth. A grandson of MGISW and top broodmare Serena's Song (Rahy), the \$2,800,000 KEESEP yearling is a half to Serena's Cat (Storm Cat), SW, \$131,391.

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O-Darley Stable. B-Hill 'n' Dale Farm & Edward McGhee (KY). T-Thomas Albertrani.

9th-AQU, \$42,000, Msw, (S), 2yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 1:46 2/5, fm.

+ **SMART ENGAGEMENT** (f, 2, [Smart Strike](#)--All Engaged, by **Sky Classic**), sent off at 10-1, broke slowly and was allowed to linger near the back early. Ready to roll nearing the stretch, the \$30,000 KEESEP yearling closed on front-runner Paraiba (Freud) late and got past that foe in the final strides to eke out a neck victory.

[Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$25,200.

O-Mandaclair Stable and Tina Marie Bond. B-Berkshire Stud (NY). T-H James Bond.

★ **EAST** ★

Yesterday's Results:

4th-MED, \$37,000, Msw, 2yo, 1m70y, 1:43 2/5, ft.

ROCKLAND (c, 2, [Smarty Jones](#)--Wiscasset, by **Kris S.**), sent off at even-money, was bumped at the start, but recovered well to take command early. He held a narrow advantage throughout and dug in to best Coltraider (Thunder Gulch) by a nose. Third in his debut going six furlongs over the Keeneland Polytrack Oct. 9, the half to Coal Play (Mineshaft), SW & GISP, \$326,482, is the seventh winner for his freshman sire (by Elusive Quality). Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$27,200.

O/B-Emory A Hamilton (KY). T-Michael R Matz.

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Triple SW won 3 of first 4
at two, including
Sanford-G2 in **1:09 4/5**



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9th-LRL, \$28,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 1m (off turf), 1:41 4/5, ft.

+ **SOUTHERN COLONY** (f, 2, [Dixie Union](#)--Colony Bay, by **Pleasant Colony**), given a 4-1 chance, was on the engine from the start and remained in command late, scoring by 3 1/2 lengths over Enjoy the Win (Canadian Frontier). The winner is a half to Lindsay Jean (Saint Ballado), GSW, \$388,159; Crozet (Charismatic), SW, \$113,175; and Honour Colony (Honour And Glory), SW, \$209,268. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#).

Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$15,960.

O/B-Paragon Farms LLC (KY). T-Christophe Clement.

SYNTHETIC SURFACES IN NORTH AMERICA

<u>Track</u>	<u>All-Weather Surface</u>
Arlington Park	Polytrack
Del Mar	Polytrack
Keeneland	Polytrack
Turfway Park	Polytrack
Woodbine	Polytrack
Hollywood	Cushion Track
Santa Anita	Pro-Ride
Golden Gate	Tapeta Footings
Presque Isle Downs	Tapeta Footings
OBS Training Center	Safetrack



★ CENTRAL ★

Romans Breeders' Cup Runners Could Resurface:

A pair of Dale Romans trainees who posted off-the-board efforts at the Breeders' Cup meeting at Santa Anita could face the starter before meet's end at Churchill. Zayat Stable's **Thorn Song** (Unbridled's Song), who took the GI Shadwell Turf Mile at Keeneland prior to a ninth in the GI Breeders' Cup Mile Oct. 25, is a "good possibility" to defend his title in the GIII River City H. Nov. 22.



C. S. Silk *Four Footed Fotos*

Thorn Song sports an impressive record over the Churchill turf course, with four wins from five starts, including this year's GII

Firecracker H. July 4. **C. S. Silk** (Medaglia d'Oro), won the GIII Arlington-Washington Lassie for Romans Sept. 6, was most recently seventh in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Oct. 24. The conditioner is willing to forgive that effort. "She ran too fast early. She ran the first three-quarters in 1:09 and 4 and still only got beat a little more than six lengths." C. S. Silk could try to make amends in the GII Golden Rod S. Nov. 29, a race which could also feature the Romans-trained Sara Louise (Malibu Moon), impressive winner of the GIII Pocahontas S. Nov. 1.

Options Open for Rachel Alexandra:

Rachel Alexandra (Medaglia d'Oro) came out of her troubled runner-up effort in the GIII Pocahontas S. in good order and could take in the Golden Rod or await the GIII Delta Princess S. at Delta Downs Dec. 5, though trainer Hal Wiggins seems to be leaning towards the latter. "We brought her back a little quick [in the Pocahontas] and the Delta race would give us a full week more between starts," Wiggins said. A homebred for the trainer's longtime client Dolph Morrison, Rachel Alexandra was runner-up in the June 28 GIII Debutante S. at Churchill, but was sidelined thereafter. She returned with a visually impressive three-length allowance win at Keeneland Oct. 17 and was back on 15 days' rest in the Pocahontas.

Juddmonte Farms--2009 Stud Fees

Horse (Sire)	2009 Fee
Empire Maker (Unbridled)	\$100,000
Mizzen Mast (Cozzene)	\$25,000
First Defence (Unbridled's Song)	\$20,000
Aptitude (A.P. Indy)	\$10,000

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Yesterday's Results:

8th-CDX, \$48,000, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:44 1/5, ft.

FINE FLYER (c, 4, **Fusaichi Pegasus--Fineza {SP, \$128,239}**, by **Lypheor {GB}**) got off the mark in his third start on the dirt at Santa Anita in March of 2007, and could only finish third in his final two starts of that season when taking a stab at synthetic surfaces. In his first start of the year, the colt finished third against allowance foes at Del Mar July 26 before finishing fifth--in his final race for trainer Richard Mandella--against \$40,000 optional claimers over that oceanside oval Aug. 24. An honest third going nine panels over the Keeneland Polytrack Oct. 5, the dark bay was sent off the 6-5 choice in this return to the dirt. Keeping front-runner Hapitano (Hap) well within his sights early, the four-year-old reeled in the leader on the second turn and drew off late to score by 2 3/4. The \$900,000 KEESep yearling is a three quarters brother to Golden Gear (Gulch), MGSW, \$634,009; and Chasm (Gulch), GSP; and a half to Keeper Hill (Deputy Minister), MGISW, \$1,661,281. Lifetime Record: 9-2-0-4, \$89,964.

O-WinStar Farm LLC. B-Arthur B Hancock III & Stonerside Ltd (KY). T-Dale L Romans.



Central Report cont.

7th-CDX, \$46,000, Msw, 2yo, 1 1/16m, 1:46, ft. **COAL BARON** (c, 2, [Mineshaft](#)--Miss Grindstone {GSW, \$608,179}, by Grindstone) ran sixth in his career bow sprinting at the Spa Aug. 23 before finishing an even seventh most recently going six panels on the Polytrack at Turfway Sept. 27. Let go at generous 25-1 odds for his first attempt at a route, the \$100,000 KEESEP yearling stalked the early pace four wide, drew even with the front rank at the quarter pole and pulled clear late to score by 3 1/4 lengths over Fiji Boy (Devil His Due). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#). Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$29,242.

O-Dogwood Stable. B-Calumet Farm (KY). T-David M Carroll.

★ SO. CALIFORNIA ★

Bob Black Jack to Return in Underwood:

Jeff Harmon and Tim Kasparoff's **Bob Black Jack** (Stormy Jack), unraced since a 17th-place finish in the GI Kentucky Derby May 3, is scheduled to make his return to the races in the six-furlong Gill Vernon O.



Bob Black Jack Benoit

Underwood S. at Hollywood Park Nov. 22. The California-bred colt, trained by Jim Kasparoff, won the Sunshine Millions Dash at Santa Anita this past January, establishing a new world-record time for six furlongs of 1:06.53.

"He worked five furlongs in :58 3/5 last week," Jim

Kasparoff commented. "He will work six furlongs Saturday and another six furlongs the following Saturday. Assuming he comes out of the Underwood good, he will come back in the [Grade I] Malibu S. [at Santa Anita Dec. 26]. It would be nice to get a Grade I win with him."

Two Step Salsa Sold:

Three-year-old **Two Step Salsa** (Petionville), who set a searching pace in the Oct. 25 Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile before holding on for a third-place effort to Albertus Maximus, has been sold by owner and breeder Jeffrey Nielsen and has joined the barn of trainer A.C. Avila. However, the conditioner indicated the colt may not be there for long. "My plan is to sell the horse," Avila told *Daily Racing Form*. "If I don't, I'll run him in the Malibu." Previously trained by Marcelo Polanco for Nielsen's Everest Stables, Two Step Salsa never missed the exacta in his first six starts, including wins in the Gill Laz Barrera Memorial S. May 18 and the Gill Affirmed H. June 15. Runner-up in the Gill Swaps S. July 12, he posted his lone off-the-board finish when sixth in the Gill Pennsylvania Derby Sept. 1.

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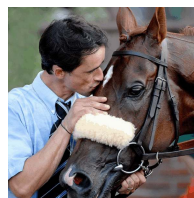
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Idiot Proof Sent East:

Idiot Proof (Benchmark), who turned in several good efforts over California's synthetic surfaces, but has many superlative starts over conventional dirt, has been shipped to the New York barn of trainer Bruce Levine by owner Marty Wygod. The four-year-old was previously conditioned by Cliff Sise Jr. "He's a much better horse on dirt," Sise told *Daily Racing Form*. "Marty wanted to try him on the inner dirt at Aqueduct and I expect him to rebound." Victorious in the 2007 GI Ancient Title S. at Santa Anita, the homebred was runner-up to Midnight Lute in last year's GI Breeders' Cup Sprint. The bay is winless in five trips to the post this term, but was runner-up to Benny the Bull in the G1 Dubai Golden Shaheen in March. He was 13th in the Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint in his most recent appearance.



Idiot Proof Benoit photo



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★ WEST ★

Tuesday Night's Results:

10th-ZIA, \$22,160, Msw, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:12 2/5, ft.
 + **CHERRY ONE** (f, 2, Sir Cherokee--One Accord {MSW, \$153,169}, by El Gran Senor), sent off at 9-2, settled off the early pace, swung eight wide turning for home and got up in time to score by a half length over Ima Sweet Street (City Street). Cherry One is the third winner for her freshman sire (by Cherokee Run). Life-time Record: 1-1-0-0, \$13,140.
 O/B-Cleber J Massey (KY). T-Joel H Marr.

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IN BRITAIN:

Spanish Moon, c, 4, [El Prado \(Ire\)](#). See "Britain."

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First-crop starters to watch: Thursday, Nov. 6

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

- [ALKE](#) (Grand Slam), Vinery FL, \$4K, 64/14/0
 5-CRC, Msw, 1 1/16mT, +Nevernotaday, 12-1
- ANASHEED** (A.P. Indy), Questroyal at Liberty, \$5K, 28/1/0
 9-LRL, Msw, 5 1/2fT, Miss Taba, \$11K OBS JUN 2yo, 20-1
- BLACK MAMBO** (Kingmambo), Bridlewood, \$5K, 73/7/0
 5-CRC, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Viva Summer, \$12K OBS AUG yrl, 4-1
- BURNING ROMA** (Rubiano), Jubilee, \$7K, 24/4/0
 5-CRC, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Perf, 4-1
- [CANDY RIDE \(ARG\)](#) (Ride the Rails), Hill 'n' Dale, \$10K, 123/15/2
 1-HOO, Msw, 6f, Youlikemenow, 15-1
- DOMESTIC DISPUTE** (Unbridled's Song), Northview, \$5K, 71/5/0
 9-LRL, Msw, 5 1/2fT, Undisputed Legend, \$42K EAS SEP yrl, 15-1
- [EVEN THE SCORE](#) (Unbridled's Song), Millennium, \$9K, 79/8/1
 7-CD, Msw, 1 1/16m, Dance With Daddy, 50-1
- [LION HEART](#) (Tale of the Cat), Ashford, \$30K, 181/23/3
 7-CD, Msw, 1 1/16m, Nala's Pride, \$95K KEE SEP yrl, 6-1

- MARINO MARINI** (Storm Cat), Rancho San Miguel, \$10K, 34/3/0
 5-HOL, Aoc, 1mT, Miguel's Mascot
- [MEDAGLIA D'ORO](#) (El Prado {Ire}), Stonewall, \$35K, 150/16/3
 7-CD, Msw, 1 1/16m, Pearl of Valor, \$385K KEE SEP yrl, 10-1
- [PEACE RULES](#) (Jules), Vinery, \$15K, 103/22/1
 5-CRC, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Noble Rule, \$47K KEE SEP yrl, 3-1
- [PLEASANTLY PERFECT](#) (Pleasant Colony), Lane's End, \$40K, 78/8/1
 7-CD, Msw, 1 1/16m, Verdant, 15-1
- ROARING FEVER** (Storm Cat), Questroyal, \$5K, 46/2/0
 4-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, +Miss P J
- [SAARLAND](#) (Unbridled), Darby Dan, \$10K, 90/6/0
 4-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Exclusive Scheme
- SIR CHEROKEE** (Cherokee Run), Crestwood, \$8K, 32/3/0
 7-CD, Msw, 1 1/16m, Pay by Phone, \$6K KEE JAN yrl, 6-1
- STROLL** (Pulpit), Claiborne, \$8K, 37/8/3
 8-PEN, Stk, 6f, Fast Eddie, 20-1
- STRONG HOPE** (Grand Slam), Claiborne, \$30K, 90/7/0
 9-LRL, Msw, 5 1/2fT, +Trophy Collector, 3-1
- [TENPINS](#) (Smart Strike), Walmac, \$7K, 72/7/2
 8-PEN, Stk, 6f, Moonlite Ride, \$50K OBS APR 2yo, 6-1
- [TETON FOREST](#) (Forestry), Spendthrift, \$5K, 41/4/0
 5-CRC, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Galacia Forest, OBS AUG yrl, 12-1
- [THE CLIFF'S EDGE](#) (Gulch), Vinery, \$20K, 73/10/0
 1-HOO, Msw, 6f, Attentive, \$37K KEE SEP yrl, 4-1
- WHERE'S THE RING** (Seeking the Gold), Gardiner, \$4K, 65/4/1
 7-WO, Msw, 1m, Whers the Juice, \$43K CAN SEP yrl, 6-1
 7-WO, Msw, 1m, Phor Philippe, \$8K FTK OCT yrl, 10-1

First/Second-crop starters to watch: Thursday, Nov. 6

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

- DUCKHORN** (Not For Love), Xanthus, \$3K, 62/6/0
 3-PEN, Msw, 6f, +I'm Just Ducky, 12-1
- [GREATNESS](#) (Mr. Prospector), Adena South, \$5K, 83/27/1
 8-PEN, Stk, 6f, How Far Heaven Is, 20-1
- [SKY MESA](#) (Pulpit), Three Chimneys, \$30K, 178/56/6
 7-PEN, Stk, 6f, Sky Haven, \$150K KEE APR 2yo, 2-1
- [ZAVATA](#) (Phone Trick), Walmac, \$8K, 122/33/0
 6-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, +Streaking Tiger



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★ BRITAIN ★

Yesterday's Result:

DIGIBET FLOODLIT S.-Listed, £40,000, Kempton Park, 11-5, 3yo/up, 1 1/2m (AWT), 2:32.61, stn.

1--**SPANISH MOON, 134, c, 4, El Prado (Ire)--Shining Bright (GB)**, by **Rainbow Quest**. O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms; T-Sir Michael Stoute; J-Ryan Moore; £22,708. Lifetime Record: MGSP-Eng, 9-4-1-1, £90,071. *Full to Spanish Sun, GSW-Eng, \$151,769. **Werk Nick Rating: A + . Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Re Barolo (Ire)**, 129, h, 5, Cape Cross (Ire)--Dalaiya, by Irish River (Fr). £8,608.

3--**Scintillo (GB)**, 123, c, 3, Fantastic Light--Danseuse du Soir (Ire), by Thatching (Ire). (30,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT). £4,308.

Margins: 2 1/4, HD, 3/4. Odds: 7-4, 12-1, 16-1.

Also Ran: Ajhar, Illustrious Blue (GB), Dansant (GB), Gravitas (GB), Emirates Skyline, Arthur's Girl (GB).

Spanish Moon registered a second stakes win with a victory in the Listed August S. at Windsor Aug. 23 and just failed to add a pattern-race score when second in Newbury's Sept. 19 G3 Arc Trial last time. Alert from the gate to establish immediate control here, he was stoked up approaching the final quarter mile and refused to relinquish his advantage under a continued drive in the closing stages for a third black-type success.

★ FRANCE ★

Yesterday's Results:

PRIX ISOLA BELLA-Listed, €55,000, Saint-Cloud, 11-5, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:48.30, hy.

1--**#CHASING STARS (GB), 123, f, 3, by Observatory**
 1st Dam: **Post Modern, by Nureyev**
 2nd Dam: **Modena, by Roberto**
 3rd Dam: **Mofida (GB), by Right Tack (GB)**
 O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms; T-Criquette Head-Maarek; J-Stephane Pasquier; €27,500.
 Lifetime Record: 8 starts, 4 wins, 3 places, €88,350.
Werk Nick Rating: A + . Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree.

2--**Trip to Glory (Fr)**, 128, f, 3, Where or When (Ire)--Trip to Fame (Fr), by Lordmare (Fr). €11,000.

3--**Sea Sex Sun (GB)**, 128, f, 3, Desert Prince (Ire)--Asmita (GB), by Efisio (GB). €8,250.

Margins: 3/4, 3/4, HF. Odds: 2.10, 1.70, 10.00.

Also Ran: Time to Beat (Ger), Rockette (Fr), Valenzuela (Fr), Roscoff (Ire), Leni Riefenstahl (Ire).

Prix Isola Bella cont.

After bagging a third win from four starts at Maisons-Laffitte June 6, Chasing Stars finished ninth in the July 12 Listed Prix Amandine at Deauville, but improved to run fourth in the July 27 Listed Prix de Bagatelle back at Maisons-Laffitte. Lining up for this fourth stakes go off a third in the Listed Prix Coronation over course and distance Sept. 26, she was ridden with patience in sixth and came under a forceful stretch drive to assert superiority for a career high.

Saint-Cloud, 13.30, Cond, €34,000, 2yo, 6 1/2fT, 1:26.10, hy.

+ **CHAUSSON DORE (IRE)** (f, 2, **Hawk Wing--Don't Worry Me {Ire}** {Hwt. **Older Mare-Ger at 5-7f, GSW-Fr, Ger & Eng, GSP-Ity, \$402,703**}, by **Dancing Dissident**), a €230,000 DEAAUG yearling, raced in fifth until coaxed into third at the top of the stretch run. Seizing control approaching the final eighth, the 11-10 chance was pushed out in the closing stages to comfortably best Antinea (GB) (Royal Applause {GB}) by two lengths. Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, €17,000. O-Peter Maher & Gerard Thomas Ryan; B-Jean-Francois Gribomont; T-Andre Fabre.

Saint-Cloud, 14.05, Cond, €29,000, 3yo, 1 5/16mT, 2:24.50, hy.

EYE OF THE TIGER (GER) (c, 3, **Tiger Hill {Ire}**--**Evening Breeze {Ger}** {SW-Ger & SP-Ity}, by **Surumu {Ger}**), a once-out winner at Longchamp June 19, stalked the front rank in fifth through the early fractions of this second go. Shaken up rounding the home turn, the 7-5 chalk was urged to the front with 300 meters remaining and kept on resolutely from there to safely hold Gunslinger (Fr) (High Chaparral {Ire}) by two lengths. The winner is a 3/4-brother to Eagle Rise (Ire) (Danehill), Hwt. 2yo Colt-Ger, Co-Hwt Older Horse-Ger at 7-9.5f, MGSW-Ger, GSW-Ity, \$363,995; and a full to Echoes Rock (Ger), SW & GSP-Fr, \$159,098. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 2 wins, €25,500. O/B-Baron Georg von Ullmann; T-Andre Fabre.

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ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

7th-MED, \$50,000, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 1m70y, 1:43 2/5, ft.

UNDIGNIFIED (g, 3, Defrere--Mysterious Ways, by Hay Halo) Lifetime Record: 12-3-3-2, \$99,890. O-Phillip J Torsney. B-Rising Sun Farm Inc (NJ). T-Edward T Allard. *1/2 to Hobbitontherocks (Lion Hearted), MGSP, \$143,219.

9th-CDX, \$43,880, Opt. Clm. (\$80,000), NW3\$X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:36 1/5, fm.

LOVE HANDLES (m, 5, Sahm--Hip Huggers {SP}, by Magloire) Lifetime Record: SW, 26-6-10-3, \$259,901. O-Nancy A Vanier & Cartwright Thoroughbreds LLC. B-Mr & Mrs Harvey L Vanier (IL). T-Brian Williamson.

9th-MNR, \$41,600, 11-4, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:12 1/5, gd.

ROYAL NEMESIS (g, 5, General Royal--Nemisia, by Rubiano) Lifetime Record: SP, 18-9-3-3, \$146,332. O/B-Robert Guciardo & Shamrock Partners LLC (OH). T-Robert Guciardo.

8th-ZIA, \$32,425, 11-4, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 3/5, ft.

H. E.'S FAST (c, 4, H. E. Miller--Condition Fast, by Roy) Lifetime Record: 5-2-2-0, \$46,648. O-Dan L Carter. B-J-D Stables & Dan Carter (NM). T-H Ray Ashford Jr.

1st-HAW, \$30,000, NW2X, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:43, fm.

NIC THE QUICK (g, 4, Nicholas--Perfectlywonderful, by Mister Frisky) Lifetime Record: 14-3-5-1, \$78,907. O-Bradley Bedell. B-Barr Three LLC (IL). T-Michele Boyce. *1/2 to Best Of Buddies (Best Of Luck), GSW, \$260,871.

8th-LRL, \$30,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, a1 1/16m, 1:48, ft.

CAPE GIRL (f, 4, Concerto--Robinfleir, by Robyn Dancer) Lifetime Record: 26-8-3-3, \$86,435. O-Aventura Stable and Tom Flynn. B-Raynell Poppell (FL). T-Peter R Walder. *\$13,500 2yo '06 OBSJUN.

8th-MNR, \$28,400, 11-4, NW2X, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:42 2/5, gd.

C J'S MISSILE (g, 4, Golden Missile--Naughty Mambo, by Kingmambo) Lifetime Record: 22-4-1-3, \$54,557. O-Chris & John Harris. B-Adena Springs (FL). T-Brian Michael.

7th-HAW, \$28,000, NW2X, 3yo/up, 1m70y, 1:41 4/5, ft.

IT'S NEVER TO LATE (g, 3, Repent--Binndiana, by Jose Binn) Lifetime Record: 11-3-2-1, \$69,955. O-Frank Carl Calabrese. B-Carol & Marty Hershe (FL). T-Danny L Miller.

7th-PEN, \$22,900, 11-4, NW1X, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:12 1/5, ft.

MAGICAL FORTUNE (g, 4, Fortunate Prospect--Merlin's Gold, by Crafty Prospector) Lifetime Record: SP, 17-4-5-3, \$151,473. O-Ralph J Biamonte. B-Farnsworth Farms (FL). T-Anthony Adamo. *\$7,000 yrl '05 OBSAUG.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Wanda's Double, c, 2, Double Honor--T. G. for Wanda, by Fortunate Prospect. AQU, 11-5, (C), 6f, 1:12 3/5. B-Herman Heinlein (FL). *1/2 to Wise Diplomat (Line In The Sand), SP, \$175,766; and a full to Double Or Nothing, SW & GSP, \$149,482.

+ **Janou, f, 2, Mutakddim--Firm Affair,** by Colonial Affair. CDX, 11-5, (C), 6 1/2f, 1:19. B-Nelson Clemmens (KY).

Clash of Arms, c, 2, Speightstown--Distinctive Code (MSW, \$262,460), by Lost Code. LRL, 11-5, 5 1/2f (off turf), 1:05 1/5. B-Clover Leaf Farms II Inc. (FL). *12th winner for freshman sire (by Gone West).

+ **Yo Karakorum, f, 2, Yonaguska--Deputy Dear,** by Deputy Minister. AQU, 11-5, (S), (C), 6f, 1:13. B-Mrs Gerald A Nielsen (NY). *\$35,000 yrl '07 FTNAUG.

Catastaire, g, 3, Hold That Tiger--Zagora, by Kingmambo. HOL, 11-5, 1 1/16mT, 1:42 1/5. B-Anderson Inc. (KY). *\$130,000 2yo '07 KEEAPR. **1/2 to Indy Wind (A.P. Indy), MSW & MGSP, \$392,900.

Infinite Resource, c, 4, Distorted Humor--Ali's Way, by Mining. ZIA, 11-4, 6f, 1:09 2/5. B-Grade I, Tony Holmes & Walter Zent (KY). *\$225,000 yrl '05 KEESEP.

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IN CHILE:

Espejo Traidor (Chi), c, 3, **Muqtarib**--Playa del Sol, by Sam M. 11-4, Club Hipico de Concepcion, Hcp, 1000m. O-Stud Guillermon. B-Haras Porta Pia.

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CONDITIONS RESULTS:

FRANCE, Saint-Cloud, 16.05, 11-5, €33,000, 4yo/up, 1 7/8mT, 3:33.60, hy.

LATIN MOOD (FR) (h, 5, **Acatenango {Ger}**--**Baranciaga**, by **Bering {GB}**) Lifetime Record: SW-Fr, 27 starts, 6 wins, 15 places, €196,557. O/B-Naji Pharaon; T-Philippe Demercastel. *Full to Barancella (Fr), SW & MGISP-NA, GSP-Fr, \$757,118.

BRITAIN, Nottingham, 15.40, 11-5, £20,000, 3yo/up, 1m 75ydsT, 1:50.72, hy.

LITTLE WHITE LIE (IRE) (g, 4, **Orpen**--**Miss Informed {Ire}**, by **Danehill**) Lifetime Record: SP-Ire, 21-5-4-4, £156,722. O-The Three Honest Men; B-J L Hassett; T-John Jenkins. *€3,000 wnlg '04 GOFNOV; €5,000 yrl '05 TATIRE

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Sunniva Duke (Ire), c, 2, **Bachelor Duke**--**Amandian (Ire)**, by **Indian Ridge (Ire)**. Kempton Park, Britain, 11-5, Mdn, 2yo, 6f (AWT). B-Ballylinch Stud. *€110,000 wnlg '06 GOFNOV; 35,000gns yrl '07 TATOCT. **9th winner for freshman sire (by Miswaki).

Prohibition (Ire), c, 2, **Danehill Dancer (Ire)**--**Crumpetsfortea (Ire)**, by **Henbit**. Nottingham, Britain, 11-5, Mdn, 2yo, 1m 75ydsT. B-Kevin Buckley. *215,000gns yrl '07 TATOCT. **1/2 to **Contemporary (Ire)** (Alzao), GSW-Fr.

Rare Art (GB), c, 2, **Kyllachy (GB)**--**Succumb (GB)**, by **Pursuit of Love (GB)**. Nottingham, Britain, 11-5, Mdn, 2yo, 5f 13ydsT. B-Cheveley Park Stud Ltd. *92,000gns yrl '07 TATOCT.

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