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THREE CHIMNEYS
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SKY MESA 2yo Beethoven
composes G2 masterpiece (see p.4)

“FASHIONED” PUTS ON A SHOW IN REMSEN

Fox Hill Farm's **Old Fashioned** (Unbridled's Song)



Adam Coglianesse

made his first splash when bringing \$800,000 as a KEESEP yearling in 2007. He earned more accolades--and **★ "TDN Rising Star" ★** status--when galloping home a 15 1/2-length winner in his second start, a Delaware allowance test Nov. 3, and the grey proved he was worthy

off all the attention with a 7 1/4-length victory in the GII Remsen S. at Aqueduct. **Cont. p2**

SPRINGSIDE INJURED AFTER DEMOISELLE

Woodbine shipper **Springside** (Awesome Again)



Adam Coglianesse

romped to a 9 1/2-length victory in yesterday's GII Demoiselle S. at Aqueduct, but had to be pulled up and vanned off after the race. According to Dr. Anthony Verderosa, chief examining veterinarian for the New York Racing Association, the two-year-old filly suffered a fractured right front pastern. "It is not a simple fracture, but the pastern is intact," Verderosa said.

Springside will ship to New Bolton Equine Medical Center in Pennsylvania for surgery today. **Cont. p3**

ALEXANDRA AS GOOD AS GOLD

Trying two turns for the first time in her brief, but



Reed Palmer

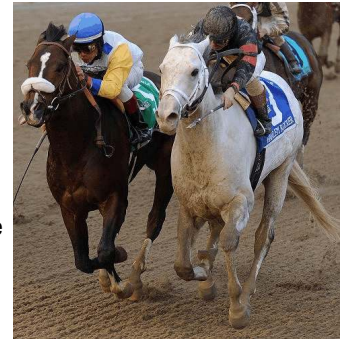
already successful career, **Rachel Alexandra** (Medaglia d'Oro) took it to her rivals early on and repulsed a bid from favored **Sara Louise** (Malibu Moon) leaving the quarter pole to post a convincing 4 3/4-length victory in the GII Golden Rod S. on closing day of the Churchill fall meeting. The final time of 1:43.08 shaved over 3/5 of a

second off the previous stakes record set by Belterra in 2001. **Cont. p3**

HAPPY ENDING FOR TALE OF EKATI

Tale of Ekati (Tale of the Cat) lost the bob to **Harlem Rocker** (Macho Uno) in yesterday's GI Hill 'n' Dale Cigar Mile H. at the Big A, but he came out on top anyway.

Harlem Rocker lugged in as Tale of Ekati rallied along the rail in the stretch, forcing his rival to steady and alter course. Undaunted, the bay moved to the outside and hit the gas again, getting a nose in front a half-stride before the wire. Harlem Rocker was game and battled back to take a narrow photo, but the stewards looked at the tape and demoted him to second. Todd



Adam Coglianesse

Pletcher, trainer of Harlem Rocker, did not agree with the ruling. "[Tale of Ekati] didn't appear to really check, and he had every opportunity to go by our horse," Pletcher said. "And, in my opinion, he was never going by. It's a tough call in a Grade I. I'll talk to [owner Frank Stronach] and see if he wants to appeal the ruling." The connections of Tale of Ekati, however, felt justice was served. "Trainer Barclay Tagg remarked, "I could see it happening; [Harlem Rocker] took the lane away from us." But Tagg was a bit surprised by the disqualification after the prolonged deliberation. "The longer the inquiry goes, they usually don't change it," Tagg said. **Cont. p2**

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VODKA HEADS SUNDAY'S
G1 JAPAN CUP FIELD...p8



Saturday, Aqueduct

HILL 'N' DALE CIGAR MILE H.-GI, \$300,000, AQU, 11-29, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:35, ft.

1--**TALE OF EKATI**, 116, c, 3, by [Tale of the Cat](#)

1st Dam: Silence Beauty (Jpn), by Sunday Silence

2nd Dam: Maplejinsky, by Nijinsky II

3rd Dam: Gold Beauty, by Mr. Prospector

O/B-Charles E Fipke (KY); T-Barclay Tagg; J-Edgar S Prado; \$180,000. Lifetime Record: 12-5-1-0, \$1,172,758. **Werk Nick Rating: B.** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Harlem Rocker**, 116, c, 3, [Macho Uno](#)--Freedom

Come, by Lit de Justice. O-Stronach Stables; B-Adena Springs (ON); T-Todd A Pletcher; \$60,000.

3--**Bribon (Fr)**, 114, g, 5, Mark of Esteem (Ire)--Rowat Arazi (GB), by Arazi. O-Marc Keller; B-Darpat SI (FR); T-Robert Ribaud; \$30,000.

Margins: 3/4, NO, HD. Odds: 8.90, 9.70, 8.20.

Also Ran: Arson Squad, Kodiak Kowboy, Storm Play, Monterey Jazz, Visionaire. DNF: Wanderin Boy.

Tale of Ekati, a ☆ **"TDN Rising Star"** ☆ when he broke his maiden by 8 1/4 lengths in his debut at two, has had erratic form since, but is a force to be reckoned with on his best day. The bay annexed the GII Futurity S. last season, then failed to threaten in his next two tries. Off at 8-1 when he bested champion War Pass (Cherokee Run) by a half-length in the nine-furlong GI Wood Memorial S. this April, the Charles Fipke homebred was off the board in his next four attempts, and Barclay Tagg opted to drop him back in trip for the Oct. 5 GII Jerome H. at a mile. Tale of Ekati responded to win by a length, earning a career-best 104 Beyer, and he fired again yesterday. Rated in fourth off a half in :45.31, he tried to close from the inside in the stretch, then angled off the rail when hampered by Harlem Rocker and just missed before getting the call from the stewards. Seven-year-old Wanderin Boy (Seeking the Gold) broke down at the top of the lane. He fractured the sesamoids in his left front leg and had to be euthanized. (*See News, p13*). [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#), the [brisnet.com PPs](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

Saturday, Aqueduct

REMSEN S.-GII, \$200,000, AQU, 11-29, 2yo, 1 1/8m, 1:50 1/5, ft.

1--**#@OLD FASHIONED**, 116, c, 2, by [Unbridled's Song](#)

1st Dam: Collect Call (MGSW & MGISP, \$434,000), by Meadowlake

2nd Dam: Negative Pledge, by Alleged

3rd Dam: Laredo Lass, by Bold Ruler (\$800,000 yrl '07 KEESEP). O-Fox Hill Farms Inc; B-Rod & Lorraine Rodriguez (KY); T-J Larry Jones; J-Ramon A Dominguez; \$120,000. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, \$173,280. **Werk Nick Rating: A (1 SW).** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Atomic Rain**, 116, c, 2, [Smart Strike](#)--Paradise Pond,

by Cox's Ridge. (\$170,000 yrl '07 KEESEP). O-George & Lori Hall; B-William L S Landes III & Laura & Sarah Landes (KY); T-Kelly J Breen; \$40,000.

3--**American Dance**, 116, c, 2, [A.P. Indy](#)--Quiet Dance,

by Quiet American. O/B-Edward P Evans (VA); T-Todd A Pletcher; \$20,000.

Margins: 7 1/4, 2HF, 3 1/4. Odds: 0.75, 14.80, 6.90.

Also Ran: Idol Maker, Hold Me Back, Rip Rap, Awesome Mich. Scratched: Jazzandthemagician.

Old Fashioned was let go at 12-1 when he made his debut at Delaware Park Oct. 6, but fought his way to a nose victory in that six-furlong affair. His connections stretched him to a mile for his next appearance, a Nov. 5 allowance test, and he responded to the added distance with a tour-de-force score. Heavily favored to make it three-for-three, the grey colt went right to the front and was gifted a clear lead through a half in :49.44. American Dance closed the gap after six panels in 1:14.18, but Old Fashioned had a lot left in reserve and was in hand as he pulled away to an easy win. "Once he made the lead, I took a peek back, hit him one time and he took off," jockey Ramon Dominguez said. "It was pretty impressive. Judging by today, there is no telling how far he can go." Trainer Larry Jones added, "The horse had a perfect trip. They let us run out there pretty easy." [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#), the [brisnet.com PPs](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)



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Saturday, Aqueduct

DEMOISELLE S.-GII, \$200,000, AQU, 11-29, 2yo, f, 1 1/8m, 1:51 3/5, ft.

1--#**@SPRINGSIDE**, 119, f, 2, by [Awesome Again](#)

1st Dam: Folly Dollar (SW & GSP, \$317,523), by Digression

2nd Dam: Real Precious, by Torsion

3rd Dam: Magnificent Dawn, by *Grey Dawn II (\$335,000 yrl '07 KEESEP). O-James & Alice Sapara; B-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC (KY); T-Josie Carroll; J-Garrett K Gomez; \$120,000. Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-0, \$190,163. **Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#). Werk Nick Rating: A+.**

2--**Boleyn**, 116, f, 2, [Proud Citizen](#)--Magnificent Baby, by Northern Baby. (\$115,000 yrl '07 KEESEP). O-Peachtree Stable; B-Al & Joyce Meek (KY); T-Todd A Pletcher; \$40,000.

3--**Sky Diva**, 121, f, 2, [Sky Mesa](#)--Swift Girl, by Unbridled. (\$100,000 yrl '07 KEESEP; \$250,000 2yo '08 FTFEB). O-Puglisi Racing LLC; B-John D Murphy (KY); T-Steve Klesaris; \$20,000.

Margins: 9HF, NO, 3/4. Odds: 5.60, 33.75, 0.35.

Also Ran: Ain't Love Grand, Bluegrass Princess, Stormy's Smile.

Springside finished ninth in her first two outings, but turned it around in a seven-furlong maiden test at Woodbine Oct. 2, scoring at 35-1. The dark bay stretched out to two turns for the first time in an allowance test Nov. 6, cruising to a 10-length triumph as the 7-5 chalk, and she was a solid 5-1 chance while making her stakes bow here. Jockey Garrett Gomez restrained the filly at the back of the pack through six panels in 1:12.65, but dropped her head on the turn. Springside flashed past the field and opened up to win as much the best, but she shortened stride soon after the wire, then took a bad step. "When she was galloping out, she swapped leads and I heard a pop," Gomez said. "She never indicated that anything was wrong." **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#), the [brisnet.com PPs](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#).**

Saturday, Churchill Downs

GOLDEN ROD S.-GII, \$162,900, CDX, 11-29, 2yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:43 (NSR), ft.

1--#**@RACHEL ALEXANDRA**, 119, f, 2, by [Medaglia d'Oro](#)

1st Dam: Lotta Kim (SW & GSP, \$146,485), by Roar

2nd Dam: Kim's Blues, by Cure the Blues

3rd Dam: Early Decision, by Lord Gaylord

O-L & M Partners LLC; B-Dolphus C Morrison (KY); T-Hal R Wiggins; J-Calvin H Borel; \$99,988. Lifetime Record: 6-3-2-0, \$201,440. *4th SW/2nd GSW for freshman sire (by El Prado {Ire}). **Werk Nick Rating: A. Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#).**

2--**Sara Louise**, 119, f, 2, [Malibu Moon](#)--Kings Lynn, by Mt. Livermore. (\$180,000 yrl '07 FTKJUL; \$550,000 2yo '08 FTFEB). O-Eldon Farm LLC; B-Paul F Gardner (KY); T-Dale L Romans; \$32,254.

3--**War Echo**, 119, f, 2, [Tapit](#)--Wild Vision, by Wild Again. O/B-Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC (KY); T-Steven M Asmussen; \$16,127.

Margins: 4 3/4, 7 1/4, 2HF. Odds: 3.10, 1.60, 6.60. Also Ran: Dream Empress, Super Poni, Pearl of Valor. Scratched: Dance With Daddy.

Runner-up in the GIII Debutante S. June 28, Rachel Alexandra was then sidelined, but returned with a sharp allowance success going at Keeneland Oct. 17, covering six panels in 1:09 3/5. Stepped back into graded company in the Nov. 1 GIII Pocahontas S., she was blocked at a crucial point and settled for a clear second, while Sara Louise looped the field and ran on unmo- lested to the line. With Calvin Borel signed on for the first time here, Rachel Alexandra was asked for early speed and took them along at a comfortable clip. Sara Louise came with a marauding run three wide into the stretch, but Rachel Alexandra, whose dam was runner-up in the 2003 Golden Rod, has something left in the tank. "I told Calvin [Borel] in the paddock that you might find yourself on the lead," said trainer Hal Wiggins. "I told him, 'If you're on the lead, don't worry about it. Just sit there and let her relax.' He rode a really, really nice race." **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#), the [brisnet.com PPs](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#).**

Seven Stakes Winners in 23 Days and 25 Individual Stakes Winners in 2008!

- Previous SW* • 10/24 **ROSHANI** GII Las Palmas H., \$250,000, Santa Anita
- Previous SW* • 10/25 **DESERT CODE** Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint, \$1,000,000, Santa Anita
- 21st SW* • 11/1 **SARA LOUISE** GIII Pocahontas S., \$150,000, Churchill *stakes debut*
- 22nd SW* • 11/1 **PAMONA BALL** Sharp Cat S., \$100,000, Hollywood *stakes debut*
- 23rd SW* • 11/8 **STRIKE A DEAL** GII Red Smith H., \$150,000, Aqueduct
- 24th SW* • 11/8 **SPRITELY** Honey Bee S., \$60,000, Meadowlands
- 25th SW* • 11/16 **NATIONAL PRIDE** Pass the Tab S., \$65,000, Aqueduct



Saturday, Churchill Downs

KENTUCKY JOCKEY CLUB S.-GII, \$168,000, CDX, 11-29, 2yo, 1 1/16m, 1:44, ft.

1--#**@BEETHOVEN, 122, c, 2, by [Sky Mesa](#)**

1st Dam: **Moonlight Sonata (GSW, \$145,203), by Carson City**

2nd Dam: **Wheatly Way, by Wheatly Hall**

3rd Dam: **Family Way, by Cyane**

(\$235,000 wlng '06 KEENOV; \$300,000 yrl '07 KEESEP). O-John C Oxley; B-Deerbrook Racing Inc (KY); T-John T Ward Jr; J-Calvin H Borel; \$99,994. Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-1, \$149,913. **Werk Nick Rating:**

A+. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#) *Seventh SW and fifth GSW for sophomore sire (by Pulpit).

2--**Giant Oak, 122, c, 2, [Giant's Causeway](#)--Crafty Oak, by Crafty Prospector. O/B-Virginia H Tarra Trust (IL); T-Chris M Block; \$32,256.**

3--**Capt. Candyman Can, 122, g, 2, [Candy Ride \(Arg\)](#)--Stormy Way, by Storm Creek. (\$25,000 yrl '07 KEESEP). O-Joseph Rauch & David Zell; B-Lantern Hill Farm LLC, Rauch & Zell (KY); T-Ian Wilkes; \$16,128.**

Margins: NK, NK, 6. Odds: 6.00, 8.30, 1.10.

Also Ran: Zion, Stormalory, Jazzandthemagician, Coal Baron, Star of David, Big Surf. Scratched: Brother Keith.

Beethoven kicked off his career in a 4 1/2-furlong maiden test at Churchill in July and closed some ground over the abbreviated trip to be fifth. Sidelined after that effort, he returned to break his maiden on the Turfway Polytrack Sept. 13, then missed by a head when third in a Keeneland allowance test Oct. 4. The bay returned to the dirt and tried two turns for the first time in a Churchill allowance test at this trip Nov. 1, getting up to win it by a neck. He was looking to repeat over the track and trip. Settled just off the leaders through the opening half, Beethoven fought his way to the front in the stretch and held on gamely to the wire. "I told racing secretary Ben Huffman before this race one thing they'll have to say about him is that he has had three different races over this race track, and there is no other horse in the country who is going to get another try before the Derby," trainer John Ward said. [Click for the brisnet.com chart, the brisnet.com PPs or the free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

Saturday, Hollywood Park

HOLLYWOOD TURF EXPRESS H.-GIII, \$150,000, HOL, 11-29, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:08 4/5, fm.

1--**CALIFORNIA FLAG, 117, g, 4, by Avenue of Flags**

1st Dam: **Ultrafleet, by Afleet**

2nd Dam: **Social Conduct, by Vigors**

3rd Dam: **Jostling Queen, by Knightly Manner**

O/B-Hi Card Ranch (CA); T-Brian J Koriner; J-Joseph Talamo; \$90,000. Lifetime Record: 13-5-0-1, \$283,216. *1/2 to Shadow Raider (Memo {Chi}), GSP, \$315,517; and full to Cambiocorsa, MGSW, \$522,055. **Werk Nick Rating: A + +.** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

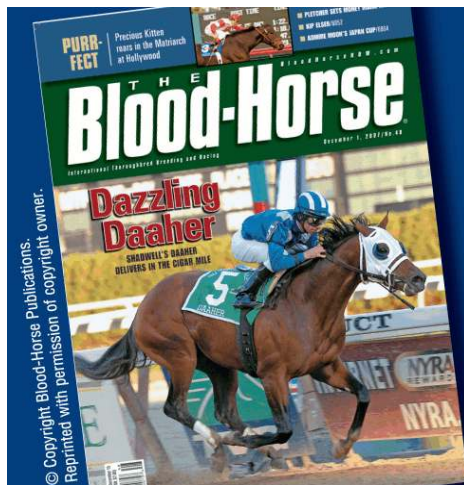
2--**Racketeer, 113, h, 5, [Awesome Again](#)--Noble Robyn, by Skip Trial. O-Barry, David & Dyan Abrams, M Auerbach LLC & Ron McCauley; B-Adena Springs (KY); T-Barry Abrams; \$30,000.**

3--**Delta Storm, 116, g, 7, Storm Boot--Talkin to Delta, by Diesis (GB). O-Michael House; B-Alex G Campbell Jr (KY); T-Mike R Mitchell; \$18,000.**

Margins: 4HF, HF, HD. Odds: 1.70, 14.20, 4.40.

Also Ran: Carrilero (Arg), One Union, Joe Bravo (Brz), Unusual Suspect. Scratched: Hurry Up Austin, Towzee (NZ), Majestic Diamond (NZ).

California Flag got away with easy fractions, gave the field the slip on the turn and powered clear through the lane for his second graded score. The grey gelding broke his maiden in his 2008 bow Feb. 11, but ran off the board in his next three starts and was given a break. He returned to beat state-breds in a turf allowance at Hollywood July 2, but faded to sixth after setting a quick pace versus open company at Del Mar 22 days later. Rebounding with an open allowance tally Aug. 8, he made it two in a row as a 22-1 shot in the Sept. 24 GIII Morvich H. at Oak Tree. California Flag was sent off at 7-1 in the Oct. 25 Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint, but was undone by his opening half in a blistering :41 4/5 and tired to be 10th. Allowed to set a more sensible pace here, he was 2 1/2 lengths clear after a half in :45.83 and opened up late to win impressively. [Click for the brisnet.com chart or the brisnet.com PPs.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)



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Saturday, Hollywood Park

GENEROUS S.-GIII, \$109,300, HOL, 11-29, 2yo, 1mT, 1:35, fm.

1--#**@MR. ROD**, 117, c, 2, by [Scrimshaw](#)

1st Dam: Call Her Clever (MSP), by Caller I. D.

2nd Dam: Touch of Earth, by Broad Brush

3rd Dam: Top Soil, by Verbatim

(\$10,000 yrl '07 KEESEP; \$45,000 2yo '08 BESMAY). O-Cecil N Peacock; B-Gil Masters (KY); T-Dan L Hendricks; J-Chantal Sutherland; \$69,300. Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-2, \$125,755. *First SW for freshman sire (by Gulch). **Werk Nick Rating: C.**

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

2--**Bittel Road**, 122, c, 2, [Stormy Atlantic](#)--Sultry Sal, by Sultry Song. (\$340,000 yrl '07 KEESEP). O-James T Scatuorchio & John Iracane; B-John Iracane (KY); T-Todd A Pletcher; \$20,000.

(DH)-3--**Hype**, 117, c, 2, [More Than Ready](#)--Western Woman, by West by West. (\$150,000 wlng '06 KEENOV; \$300,000 yrl '07 KEESEP). O-Klaravich Stables, Inc & William Lawrence; B-Michael House (KY); T-Todd A Pletcher; \$9,000.

(DH)-3--**Bourbon Bay**, 117, g, 2, [Sligo Bay \(Ire\)](#)--Coral Necklace, by Conquistador Cielo. (\$1,700 yrl '07 KEESEP). O-David & Jill Heerensperger; B-Adena Springs (KY); T-Neil D Drysdale; \$9,000.

Margins: 1HF, 2 1/4, 1. Odds: 6.80, 1.10, 4.80.

Also Ran: Insurgence, Mensa Heat, Battle of Hastings (GB), Liturgical.

Mr. Rod was third against high-priced maiden claimers in two starts at Del Mar in August, then shipped to



Benoit Photo

Fairplex and ran second in the Sept. 14 Barretts Juvenile S. The dark bay was moved to the turf after that outing, and proved the wisdom of the decision as he galloped away to a 4 3/4-length maiden victory going six furlongs Nov. 1. Looking to repeat at 6-1, he broke sharply and cut out a half in :46.71 and six panels in

1:10.88. Even-money chalk Bittel Road, who flipped in the paddock prior to his eighth-place finish in the Oct. 25 Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf, made a run at Mr. Rod down the lane, but had to settle for second. "We just figured he would fall right out on the lead no problem," winning trainer Dan Hendricks said. "It was a matter of if they would pressure him or not, and if they left him alone a little, he might get the mile. It worked out real well, even with the decent fractions. It was a good solid effort; we're very happy with him." Hendricks added, "I'm not sure what's next. We just wanted to take this step first. We wanted to make sure grass was what he really wanted, and see what he would do with two turns. Now this opens up a lot, but makes us wait, too, because there aren't a lot of grass races over the winter." Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or the [brisnet.com PPs](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

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Smart Strike	5.32	139
Awesome Again	5.03	120
Bernardini	4.51	144
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- [GI Hill 'n' Dale Cigar Mile](#) Tale of Ekati (Tale of the Cat) gets the victory via disqualification.
- [GII Demoiselle S.](#) Springside (Awesome Again) draws away, pulls up injured.
- [GII Remsen S.](#) ☆ **"TDN Rising Star"** ☆ Old Fashioned (Unbridled's Song) makes every pole a winning one.
- [GII Golden Rod S.](#) Rachel Alexandra (Medaglia d'Oro) becomes the fourth stakes winner for her freshman sire (by El Prado {Ire}).
- [GII Kentucky Jockey Club S.](#) Beethoven (Sky Mesa) prevails in a three-way thriller.



Saturday, Turffontein, South Africa

STEINHOFF SUMMER CUP-G1, R2,000,000,
 Turffontein, 11-29, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT, 2:02.06, gd.
 1--▲@#**RUDRA (SAF)**, 124, c, 4, by Parade Leader
 1st Dam: Tawny Red (SAf), by Northfields
 2nd Dam: Port Wine (SAf), by Plum Bold
 3rd Dam: Flame (SAf), by Masham (GB)
 O-Tony Moodley, P Bayvel, M F de Kock, M C Gerber
 & F Ladeira; B-Lammerskraal Stud; T-Mike de Kock;
 J-Kevin Shea; R1,250,000. Lifetime Record:
 13 starts, 3 wins, 7 places, R1,683,550.
Werk Nick Rating: D. Click for the
[eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree.](#)
 2--**Smart Banker (SAf)**, 122, g, 4, Strike Smartly--
 Larapinta (SAf), by Al Mufti. O-L J Lindsay, N Isaacs,
 M J Jooste & J C von Sol; B-Ascot Stud; T-Charles
 Laird; R400,000.
 3--**Senor Versace (SAf)**, 119, g, 4, Parade Leader--
 Donatella (SAf), by Fine Edge (GB). O-Messrs J C von
 Solms & M J Jooste; B-Lammerskraal Stud; T-Charles
 Laird; R200,000.
 Margins: 3, 1 1/4, 3/4. Odds: 3.00, 3.30, 19.00.

Rudra was third in the G2 November H. over a mile of
 this circuit before finishing runner-up to Smart Banker
 when attempting to give that rival six pounds in the
 G2 Victory Moon S. back here eight days later. Settled
 in rear early by a confident Kevin Shea, the chestnut
 swept wide to lead passing the quarter pole and was
 clear when eased in the closing stages for an emphatic
 score.

Saturday, Kyoto, Japan

KEIHAN HAI-G3, ¥78,260,000, Kyoto, 11-29, 3yo/up,
 1200mT, 1:08.10, fm.
 1--@#**WESTERN DANCER (JPN)**, 119, f, 4, by [Dehere](#)
 1st Dam: Western Rose (Jpn), by Opera House (GB)
 2nd Dam: Musical Lark (Ire), by Cure the Blues
 3rd Dam: Sparkalark, by Cornish Prince
 O-Ken Nishikawa; B-Hokusei Farm; T-Hiroki
 Sakiyama; J-Yuga Kawada; ¥41,672,000. Lifetime
 Record: 17-6-1-1. **Werk Nick Rating: D. Click for the**
[eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree.](#)
 2--**Faridat**, 121, c, 4, [Kingmambo](#)--Believe (Jpn), by
 Sunday Silence. O-Koji Maeda; B-North Hills
 Management; ¥16,192,000
 3--**Spring Song (Jpn)**, 121, c, 3, Sakura Bakushin-Oh
 (Jpn)--Spring Ticket (Jpn), by Tony Bin (Ire). O-Teruya
 Yoshida; B-Shadai Farm; ¥10,096,000
 Margins : 3/4, NK, NK. Odds: 8.60, 5.00, 3.10.

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Trainer Bobby Frankel has already racked up an unprecedented four straight victories in the GI Matriarch S., and he has a hot hand as he bids to make it five in a row. Frankel saddles Juddmonte homebred **Visit (GB)** (Oasis Dream {GB}) and last year's Matriarch heroine **Precious Kitten** (Catienus). "I don't keep track of those kinds of records, but I think [another Matriarch win] would be great," Frankel said. The Hall of Famer's duo both come off fourth-place finishes in Breeders' Cup company--Visit missed by 1 1/2 lengths after leading at the eighth pole in the Oct. 24 GI BC F/M Turf, and Precious Kitten ended up 3 3/4 lengths adrift of Goldikova (Ire) after also gaining a narrow advantage in the lane in the Oct. 25 GI BC Mile.

Visit was making her U.S. bow on BC day. The three-year-old captured the Aug. 1 G3 Oak Tree S. going seven furlongs at Goodwood in August, and ended her European stint with a solid third behind Halfway to Heaven (GB) in the one-mile Oct. 4 G1 Sun Chariot S. at Newmarket. She drops back in trip after going a mile and a quarter last time out. "I think the shorter distance will help Visit," Frankel said. One-for-five this year after running first or second in eight of her nine outings in 2007, Precious Kitten took the GI Gamely S. at Hollywood in May, and has compiled a record of 3-2-1-0 over the course. She prepped for the Breeders' Cup with a second in the Oct. 3 GI First Lady S. at Keeneland. The two take on the talented **Cocoa Beach (Chi)** (Doneraile Court). The Godolphin four-year-old broke her maiden on the turf in Chile, then captured three straight Group 3 races on the dirt and was purchased by Sheikh Mohammed. She galloped to easy wins in the UAE 1000 Guineas and UAE Oaks before taking on the boys to be third in the G2 UAE Derby. Sent to the U.S. to continue her career, the dark bay won the Aug. 29 Love Sign S. at Saratoga and beat Ginger Punch a half-length to make it two in a row in the Sept. 27 GI Beldame S. She returns to the lawn after an impressive second behind Zenyatta in the Oct. 24 GI BC Ladies Classic, and showed an affinity for the course when dashing off a half in :46 1/5 in a breeze Nov. 20. The filly will race again next year.

Sunday, Hollywood Park, post time: 6:35 p.m. EST
MARIARCH S.-GI, \$500,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT

PP	HORSE	OWNER	BREEDER	TRAINER/JOCKEY	ODDS
1	Black Mamba (NZ) <i>(m, 5, Black Minnaloushe--Sneetch {NZ}, by Grosvenor {NZ})</i>	Doubledown Stables Inc	Keltorn Stud Ltd (NZ)	Sadler Smith	12-1
2	Magical Fantasy <i>(f, 3, Diesis {GB}--Kissing Gate, by Easy Goer)</i>	Bienstock, Mandabach & Winner	Parrish & Beach IV (KY)	Gallagher Solis	20-1
3	Precious Kitten <i>(m, 5, Catienus--Kitten's First, by Lear Fan)</i>	Lael Stables	Kenneth & Sarah Ramsey (KY)	Frankel Bejarano	2-1
4	Criminologist <i>(m, 5, Maria's Mon--Search Party, by Seeking the Gold)</i>	S Janney III & Phipps Stable	S Janney III & Phipps Stable (KY)	McGaughey III Prado	12-1
5	Rosinka (Ire) <i>(m, 5, Soviet Star--Last Drama {Ire}, by Last Tycoon {Ire})</i>	The Lavington Stud	Kilfrush Stud (IRE)	Motion Rose	12-1
6	I Can See <i>(m, 5, Flying Chevron--Precious Queen, by Bold Ruckus)</i>	Michael J Miller	R O'Neill & D Peterson (KY)	Knapp T Baze	30-1
7	Visit (GB) <i>(f, 3, Oasis Dream {GB}--Arrive {GB}, by Kahyasi {Ire})</i>	Juddmonte Farms	Juddmonte Farms (GB)	Frankel Gomez	5-2
8	Roshani <i>(m, 5, Fantastic Light--Sahibah, by Deputy Minister)</i>	Jayeff B Stables	Mill Ridge & Jamm Ltd (KY)	Pletcher Velazquez	8-1
9	Cocoa Beach (Chi) <i>(f, 4, Doneraile Court--Visionera {Chi}, by Edgy Diplomat)</i>	Godolphin	Haras La Obra (CHI)	bin Suroor Dominguez	3-1



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Sunday, Tokyo Racecourse, Japan

JAPAN CUP-G1, ¥481,520,000, 3yo/up, 2400mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Oken Bruce Lee (Jpn)	Jungle Pocket (Jpn)	Otonashi	5-1
2	Meisho Samson (Jpn)	Opera House (GB)	Takahashi	6-1
3	Tosen Captain (Jpn)	Jungle Pocket (Jpn)	Sumii	60-1
4	Vodka (Jpn)	Tanino Gimlet (Jpn)	Sumii	2-1
5	Daiwa Wild Boar (Jpn)	Agnes Tachyon (Jpn)	Uehara	70-1
6	Purple Moon (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	Cumani	40-1
7	Never Bouchon (Jpn)	Marvelous Sunday (Jpn)	Ito	30-1
8	Toho Alan (Jpn)	Dance in the Dark (Jpn)	Fujiwara	18-1
9	Deep Sky (Jpn)	Agnes Tachyon (Jpn)	Kon	3-1
10	Osumi Grass One (Jpn)	Grass Wonder	Arakawa	99-1
11	Sixties Icon (GB)	Galileo (Ire)	Nosedo	15-1
12	Marsh Side	Gone West	Drysdale	SCR
13	Matsurida Gogh (Jpn)	Sunday Silence	Kuneida	10-1
14	Papal Bull (GB)	Montjeu (Ire)	Stoute	20-1
15	Asakusa Kings (Jpn)	White Muzzle (GB)	Okubo	12-1
16	Screen Hero (Jpn)	Grass Wonder	Shikato	25-1
17	Admire Monarch (Jpn)	Dream Well (Fr)	Matsuda	99-1
18	Cosmo Bulk (Jpn)	Zagreb	Tabe	50-1

Vodka failed to hit the board in her first two attempts this season, but did manage to earn a respectable fourth-place finish in the Mar. 29 G1 Dubai Duty Free. Runner-up in the May 18 Victoria Mile at Tokyo, the bay proved the easy winner of the G1 Yasuda Kinen June 8. Only a head behind Super Hornet (Jpn) in the G2 Mainichi Okan Oct. 12, the Japanese-bred came back to best Daiwa Scarlet (Jpn) in her latest, the G1 Tenno Sho (Autumn) Nov. 2. Jockey Yasunari Iwata said, "Everything will come down to rhythm. I'm not thinking about positioning at all; I'll decide that once we're off, but the key is to get through the first two turns without running into any trouble." Iwata added, "It's such a privilege to be riding this horse, and hopefully she can win another title."

Japan Cup cont.

Papal Bull, winner of the 2007 G2 Princess of Wales's S., finished well to be fourth in Epsom's G1 Coronation S. before coming home second while attempting to defend his title in the Princess of Wales's July 10. Only a half-length behind winner Duke of Marmalade (Ire) in the G1 King George VI & Queen Elizabeth S. July 26, the bay crossed the wire third, but was promoted to second, in the G1 Rheinland-Pokal der Sparkasse Koln-Bonn Aug. 17. Sent to contest France's premier contest in the G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe Oct. 5, the five-year-old never factored, finishing 12th, and will try to improve on a seventh-place finish in this race last year. This season's G1 Japanese Derby hero **Deep Sky** was only a half-length back in third behind Vodka and Daiwa Scarlet in the 10-furlong Tenno Sho and should appreciate the return to 12 furlongs. "This is what we've been working for all along," said trainer Mitsugu Kon. "We want him going all out now." Added jockey Hirofumi Shii, "He is without question in better shape since the last race."



Deep Sky Horsephotos

Marsh Side Scratched...

Robert S. Evans's **Marsh Side** (Gone West), the G1 Pattison Canadian International S. hero who would have been a decided longshot today, has been withdrawn from the race after coming down with a fever Saturday. "He looked fine [Friday], but, before going to the track in this morning, something was obviously wrong with him," said trainer Neil Drysdale. "After today's workout, he started to cough. I discovered he had a fever and we decided to scratch him." Trained up to this year by the now-retired Michael Dickinson, Marsh Side was off the board in his first four starts for the Drysdale barn before registering a 1 3/4-length upset at odds 29-1 at Woodbine. He has a current record of 18-5-2-1 and earnings of \$1,439,706.

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HOLLYWOOD DERBY-GI, \$500,000, 3yo, 1 1/4mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Dixie Chatter	Dixie Union	Mandella	12-1
2	Court Vision	Gulch	Mott	4-1
3	Cowboy Cal	Giant's Causeway	Pletcher	6-1
4	Albahri (Fr)	Bahri	Biancone	8-1
5	Madeo	Mizzen Mast	Shirreffs	5-1
6	Midships	Mizzen Mast	Frankel	8-1
7	Gio Ponti	Tale of the Cat	Clement	5-2
8	Sailor's Cap	Distant View	Toner	12-1
9	Muny	Najran	Puype	8-1

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Court Vision leads a contingent of East Coast invaders tackling the West's top three-year-old turfers. Winner of the GIII Iroquois S. and the GII Remsen S. on dirt as a two-year-old, Court Vision was 13th in this year's GI Kentucky Derby before he was moved to the grass. He was fourth in the GIII Colonial Turf Cup June 21 in his turf debut, then was nosed-out by **Gio Ponti** in the GII Virginia Derby July 19. After finishing sixth in the Aug. 23 GI Travers, Court Vision returned to the grass for the Oct. 4 GII Jamaica H., where he closed on the grandstand side to prevail by three-quarters, turning the tables on runner-up Gio Ponti. "His grass races have been huge," trainer Bill Mott told *Daily Racing Form*.

Sailors Cap, winner of the Colonial Turf Cup and third in the Virginia Derby, most recently returned with a third in the John's Gold S. at Belmont Oct. 23. **Madeo**, upset winner over Gio Ponti of the GII Del Mar Derby Aug. 31, returned to finish second to **Muny** in the Oct. 25 GII Oak Tree Derby on Breeders' Cup Day despite lacking room in the stretch. The race also marks the return of trainer Patrick Biancone, who saddles **Albahri**, his first starter since getting reinstated after his one-year suspension. Previously handled by Mikael Delzangles, the colt comes off a Listed win at Croise Laroche Nov. 3. He arrived at Biancone's barn from France Thursday.

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Foal Sale

COOLMORE HEADS TATTS FOAL FINALE Irish veterinarian Demi O'Byrne, buying on behalf of Coolmore, dominated the final day of the Tattersalls December Foal Sale, snagging the top four lots, including the session-topping son of freshman sire Holy Roman Emperor (Ire). Lot 1434 was secured by O'Byrne for 425,000 guineas after attracting some initial interest from BBA Ireland's Adrian Nicoll as well as German International's Rudiger Alles. Consigned by Tom Gaffney's Churchtown House Stud, the Apr. 2 foal is out of G1 Irish 1000 Guineas winner Tarascon (Ire) (Tirol {Ire}), and is closely related to listed-placed Mayano Sophia (Ire) (Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}). **Cont. p10**



Day 5 Topper, Lot 1434

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Seeing Stars at Tattersalls...

Coolmore stallion Galileo (Ire) also brought considerable attention yesterday, with the next three highest offerings on the day. The first to go through the ring was lot 1362, a colt out of the Salse mare Sitara (GB) who was consigned by Robert Pocock's Stringston Farm in Somerset. Sitara is a half-sister to Shouk (Ire), the dam of English and Irish Oaks winner Alexandrova (Ire) and Group 1 winner Magical Romance (Ire). Interest in the colt came initially from bloodstock agents David McGreavy and Charlie Gordon-Watson as well as Tony Nerses, but none were able to better O'Bryne's bid of 380,000 guineas. A little over 30 minutes later O'Bryne saw off the efforts of BBA Ireland's Patrick Cooper, this time signing for lot 1375, a filly out of listed-placed



Demi O'Byrne
Horsephotos

Alessia (Ger) (Warning {GB}) for 210,000 guineas. Consigned by Joe Rogers' Ballintry Stud in Ireland, the filly is a half-sister to listed placed Pinpoint (Ire) (Pivotal {GB}), while her dam Alessia is a half-sister to German group winners Arcadio (Ger) and Assiun (Ger).

The final of the three Galileo foals purchased by O'Byrne was lot 1416, a bay filly out of Doula (Gone West). Offered by Lady Joanna Wellesley's Marston Stud, the half-sister to listed-placed Humungous (Ire) attracted interest from Glidawn Stud's Ger Burke and Lodge Park Stud's Seamus Burns, but it was once again O'Byrne who prevailed at 280,000 guineas. At the conclusion of the fifth day of selling in the foal segment of the December sale, 98 lots sold for 3,732,600 guineas, at an average of 38,088 guineas and a median 16,000 guineas. This took the five day total to 562 foals sold for 14,549,100 guineas at an average of 25,888 guineas and a median of 8,750 guineas. "These are testing times globally and no period of sharp readjustment, in whatever sphere, is easy," said Tattersalls Chairman Edmond Mahony. "We have experienced significant declines this week, in particular at the beginning of the week when the lesser foals struggled to find buyers, but quality foals have continued to attract plenty of competition, albeit at lower levels than we have been used to in recent years. In that respect, this week's foal trade has mirrored our yearling market where the upper echelons held up remarkably well, but the heavily populated lower levels looked very exposed to the harsh realities of the global economy.

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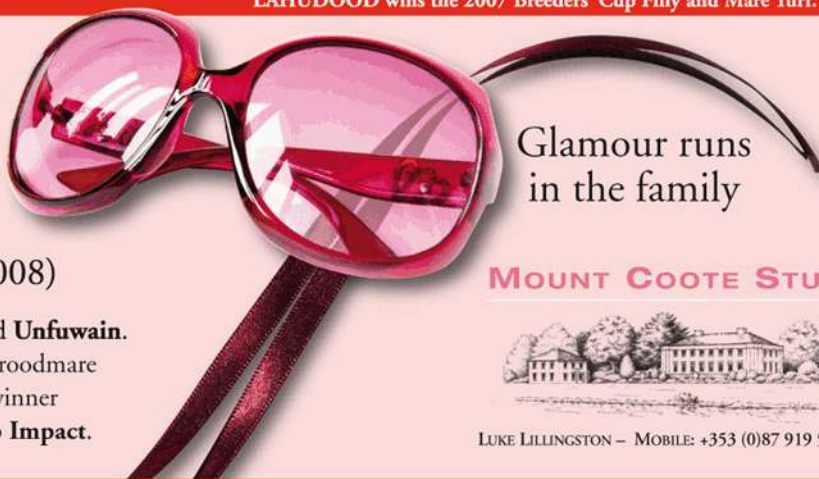
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Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price (Gns)
<u>1434</u>	c	<u>Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)</u>	<u>Tarascon (Ire)</u>	425,000
Consigned by Churchtown House Stud Purchased by Demi O'Byrne				
<u>1362</u>	c	<u>Galileo (Ire)</u>	<u>Sitara (GB)</u>	380,000
Consigned by Strington Farm Purchased by Demi O'Byrne				
<u>1416</u>	f	<u>Galileo (Ire)</u>	<u>Doula</u>	280,000
Consigned by Marston Stud Purchased by Demi O'Byrne				
<u>1375</u>	f	<u>Galileo (Ire)</u>	<u>Alessia (Ger)</u>	210,000
Consigned by Ballintry Stud Purchased by Demi O'Byrne				
<u>1447</u>	c	<u>Green Desert</u>	<u>Miss Anabaa (GB)</u>	160,000
Consigned by Trickle-down Stud Purchased by Shadwell Estate Company Limited				
<u>1435</u>	f	<u>Oasis Dream (GB)</u>	<u>Mixed Blessing (GB)</u>	125,000
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**Tattersalls
December Sale
Mare Sale**

MARES UP AT TATTS DECEMBER Tattersalls shifts gears Monday, ushering in broodmare and racing prospects for its four-day run of the December Sale in Newmarket. A strong cast of ladies will be up for offer once again this year, including a solid draft offered by agent Ronald Rauscher. Rauscher, who worked at Windfields Farm in Canada during its heyday and is now involved with Union Gestut in his homeland, cannot seem to escape the legacy of the 2007 world champion Manduro (Ger) (Monsun {Ger}), but the German agent is certainly not complaining. He enjoyed a breakout year in 2007, having consigned the brilliant horse's dam, Mandellicht (Ire) (Be My Guest), at last year's Tattersalls December Sale and watched as the hammer fell at 3 million guineas.

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**TATTERSALLS DECEMBER FOALS
SATURDAY, NOV. 29, 2008**

SESSION TOTALS	2008	2007
No. Catalogued	214	272
No. Offered	148	223
No. Sold	98	153
RNAs	50	70
% RNA	33.8%	31.4%
Gross	3,732,600gns	6,775,000gns
Average	38,088gns (-14%)	44,281gns
Median	16,000gns (-43.9%)	28,500gns

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**TATTERSALLS DECEMBER FOALS
SATURDAY, NOV. 29, 2008**

CUMULATIVE	2008	2007
No. Catalogued	1,261	1,395
No. Offered	933	1,182
No. Sold	562	785
RNAs	371	397
% RNA	39.8%	33.6%
Gross	14,549,100gns	28,684,600gns
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Return Trip...

Ronald Rauscher returns to Tattersalls in 2008 with a strong group that includes the prolific Group 1 producer Sacarina (GB) (Old Vic {Ire}) ([lot 1924](#)), carrying a



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Manduro foal. The 16-year-old mare, offered on behalf of Gestut Karlshof, is the dam of German champion Samum (Ger), G1 German Oaks heroine Salve Regina (Ger) and the four-time Group 1 winner Schiaparelli (Ger), all by Manduro's sire Monsun. "Sacarina is the old lady

of the party, so in that sense a decision will be made, age-wise, as to whether she is still acceptable in the market place," Rauscher explained. "Mandellicht was not much younger when she sold for three-million guineas last year, and she didn't produce three Group 1 winners, although the one she did get was a world champion." Rauscher added, "The mare is in foal to Manduro, so that is very exciting. I seem to be constantly connected to [Manduro], but he's a good one to be connected with. I also sold his half-sister, Madura (Ger) (Dashing Blade {GB}), who made plenty of money [170,000gns HRA '06 TATDEC]. I have been lucky with Manduro, and hopefully, that can continue." **Lady Marian's (Ger)** (Nayef) victory over Lush Lashes (GB) (Galileo {Ire}) in the G1 Prix de l'Opera at Longchamp on Arc day ensures that the filly heads to Park Paddocks as one of the most coveted offerings in this years Tattersalls December Sale. "I expect Lady Marian is going to be one of the top fillies in the catalogue," Rauscher offered. "She showed improved form throughout the season and ended up with her Group 1 win on her last start. She is still in training and has all of her X-rays, so she is still very much a racing prospect." The three-year-old ([lot 2352](#)) is also part of Rauscher's consignment of 24; it includes high-class producer **Mi Anna (Ger)** (Lake Coniston {Ire}) ([lot 1919](#)) and the three-time winner **Elle Galante (Ger)** (Galileo {Ire}) ([lot 1917](#)), who is out of three-time champion German mare Elle Danzig (Ger) (Roi Danzig) as well.

Mi Anna, the dam of 2007 German 1000 Guineas winner Mi Emma (Ger), is offered in foal to Lomitas (GB), a covering that Rauscher hopes will appeal to buyers. "Mi Anna is being sold by Gestut Idee, and the man behind that is Albert Darboven, in whose colours she raced. The mare is in foal to Lomitas, which is not the most commercial covering, but Mi Emma was by Silvano (Ger), who was by Lomitas, so it is a close match. Lomitas is a stallion I like and I think perhaps the move to England was not the best thing for him." Elle Galante, who won three races and was listed-placed in France, sold for 220,000 guineas as a foal at Tattersalls. "She is a beautiful Galileo mare out of Elle Danzig, who was a wonderful racehorse and a champion in Germany. Elle Galante's half-brother El Comodin (Ire) (Monsun {Ger}) was very unfortunate. He had high potential with Andre Fabre in France, winning a listed race, but he suffered with injuries. Dr. Christoph Berglar of Union Gestut owns the mare and what is exciting is that she is in foal to Dalakhani, which is no bad thing right now." With a nod to the current economic situation, the German agent added, "If you come up with the crown jewels, then you invariably get the results you're hoping for and Lady Marian is a top-class filly. The economic climate is such that I don't want to make any predictions, because they can make you look a fool." Rauscher added, "It's difficult to predict the market, but if you look at the results at Fasig-Tipton, the top end held up, so hopefully that will carry forward to Tattersalls. The two-year-old champion, the Tapit filly who won the Breeders' Cup, Stardom Bound, made loads of money in Kentucky. The high end of the market generally depends on a handful of people, and if they are spending, then good horses make their money."



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Among the top-class offerings expected to set the Park Paddock sales ring abuzz is **Unsung Heroine (Ire)** (High Chaparral {Ire}) (lot 1801), the lightly raced daughter of High Chaparral (Ire) (Sadler's Wells), who chased home subsequent GI Breeders' Cup Turf victor Conduit (Ire) (Dalakhani {Ire}) in the St Leger at Doncaster. The Tommy Stack-trained filly made rapid strides following her winning debut at Fairyhouse in July, landing the 1 1/2-mile G3 Give Thanks S. at Cork the following month prior to her placing in Doncaster's G1 St Leger. **Unsung Heroine**, who ended her four-race campaign when second in Newmarket's G2 Pride S., is being offered by Stack's Thomastown Castle Stables on behalf of Adahessonsplusone. The syndicate consists of Tadhg Collins, his sons Victor, Barry and Jack, plus Andrew Magnier, whose family's Grange Stud bred the filly. "The plan at the minute is for **Unsung Heroine** to go to the sales," said Fozzy Stack, assistant trainer to his father Tommy. "She's fit and healthy, so she'll be an exciting racing prospect for somebody. She's a filly that's going the right way and we had a great year with her. Her St Leger run was fantastic and she came up against a really good horse on the day, too." **Unsung Heroine** was bought back for a mere 5,000 guineas at the 2006 Tattersalls October Yearling Sale after an accident resulted in the filly losing most of her tail hair. "She looked a bit of a mess when she went through the ring as a yearling," recalled Stack. "She didn't race at two, then she stood on herself in the spring when she was due to run at Leopardstown. She punctured her hind joint, but it was nothing--it just held her up for six weeks or so." Stack added, "It's a good tough family that she hails from. Posidonas (GB) (Slip Anchor {GB}) [under the fillies' second dam] is a good solid horse, and Ile De Chypre (GB) (Ile De Bourbon) [under the third dam] won the Juddmonte International; we'll go to Tattersalls and see what happens."

Cautious Optimism...

Looking ahead to the final phase of the marathon sale, Tattersalls Chairman Edmond Mahony commented, "As we have previously stressed, none of us can expect to be immune from the impact of the prevailing conditions, but we have a good breeding stock catalogue to look forward to, starting on Monday, which, as ever, looks set to attract an international cast of buyers. The quality of the catalogue is the key ingredient, but in addition the majority of the overseas buyers will benefit from the dramatic strengthening of almost all currencies against sterling, which is one positive to take from the recent upheavals."

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WANDERIN BOY EUTHANIZED Stone Farm's seven-year-old **Wanderin Boy** (Seeking the Gold--Vid Kid, by Pleasant Colony), who was making his 25th career start in yesterday's GI Hill 'n' Dale Cigar Mile H. at Aqueduct, fractured the sesamoids in his left front leg at the top of the lane and had to be euthanized. The homebred's career was hampered by ailments, but he made the most of his opportunities, with nine wins, six seconds and three thirds. His earnings stood at \$1,213,759. The chestnut captured the GIII Mineshaft S. in 2005, GIII Ben Ali S. and GII Brooklyn BC H. in 2006 and the GIII Alysheba S. in 2007. Still able to compete at the top level this season, he was third in the GI Woodward S. and second, just 3/4 of a length behind reigning Horse of the Year Curlin, in the Sept. 27 GI Jockey Club Gold Cup.



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Yesterday's Results:

9th-AQU, \$46,000, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:52, gd.

FOREVER MY FRIEND (g, 3, [Langfuhr](#)--Crystal Halo, by Halo), winner of a starter allowance at Belmont Oct. 8, came here off a third in a first-level contest on this course on Halloween. After a ground-saving trip, the 8-1 shot saw the rail open up in the stretch and went through to nip Expansion (Maria's Mon) by a head. The winner was a \$20,000 KEESEP yearling. Lifetime Record: 10-3-0-1, \$100,840.


O-Double R Stable & Stephen Weiss. B-12 Gates Racing (KY). T-Richard L Stoklosa.

4th-AQU, \$43,000, Msw, 2yo, 6 1/2f, 1:16, ft. + QUALITY ROAD (c, 2, [Elusive Quality](#)--Kobla, by Strawberry Road {Aus}) went postward as the 7-2 second choice on the strength of a solid worktab over the Belmont training track. The Virginia-bred broke like a shot and held a narrow advantage over Headache (Tapit) after a :23.09 first quarter. He shrugged off that rival turning for home and strode home a 2 3/4-length winner over fellow firster Toulouse Lautrec (More Than Ready) as Headache rounded out the trifecta. Ned Evans acquired this colt's dam--a full sister to champion Ajina and a half to MGSW Rob's Spirit (Theatrical {Ire}) --for \$1.05 million at KEENOV in 1999. Barren to Grand Slam for 2007, Kobla produced a Tale of the Cat filly this year and was bred back to that stallion. **Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#).** Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$25,800.

O/B-Edward P Evans (VA). T-James A Jerkens.

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2:48p 6th-AQU, Msw, \$43K, 2yo, f, 6 1/2f

HR/TVG Connections represented by an impressive first-out winner yesterday will have their chances with **GIANT MOVER ([Giant's Causeway](#))**. She is the second foal to make the races produced by Ned Evans's six-time graded winner and three-time Grade I-placed Gold Mover (Gold Fever), and the Virginia-bred must overcome the rail draw on her debut. Lael Stable sends out **Maraschino Red ([Medaglia d'Oro](#))** for her second career start. A \$900K FTFEB graduate, the bay--a wide fifth in her Oct. 30 debut--is a half-sister to MGISW Spun Sugar (Awesome Again) and GISW Daaher (Awesome Again). [brisnet.com pps](#)

3:16p 7th-AQU, Alw/Opt. Clm. (\$75K), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f

HR/TVG Darley Stable's **SEVENTH STREET ([Street Cry {Ire}](#))**, a \$1-million FTFEB purchase for Sheikh Mohammed, was sent off at odds-on in both her career starts, a debut third at Gulfstream Jan. 31 and a four-length maiden victory in her Nov. 6 return at this track. **Shafter ([Mineshaft](#))**, a 1/2 to GISW Yonaguska (Cherokee Run) and GSW Halo Homewrecker (Southern Halo), makes her first start in eight months, having graduated in her most recent start at Aqueduct Mar. 9. [brisnet.com pps](#)

7:05p 8th-HOL, Msw, \$49K, 2yo, 6 1/2f (AWT)

TVG A case can be made for any one of the 12 juveniles signed on for this, arguably the best maiden carded at this meet thus far. Of those that have already faced the starter, **POSITION A ([Aldebaran](#))** sold for \$675K at this year's KEEAPR sale, the third-highest price of the event. The full brother to GISW Grace Anatomy was dismissed at 24-1 in his Nov. 8 bow over course and distance, but outran those odds to finish second. William K. Warren Jr.'s **Moneagle ([A.P. Indy](#))**, a \$700K KEESEP grad, is out of MSW Storm Beauty (Storm Cat), making him a half-brother to SW & GSP Storm Beauty (Gone West) and a full to GSP Renaissance Lady. **Undeniable Truth ([Yes It's True](#))**, a \$190K FTKJUL acquisition, is a full to local Grade III winner Chandtrue and to SW Chandelle No. Five. [brisnet.com pps](#)

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Yesterday's Results:

- GRAND CANYON H.**, \$57,200, CDX, 11-29, 2yo, 1 1/16mT, 1:46 3/5, fm.
 1--**#PROCEED BEE, 115, g, 2, Bernstein--Procession, by Private Terms.** (\$40,000 yrl '07 KEESEP). O-William Stirtz; B-Hunter Valley Farm, H & W Thoroughbreds & Mary Wade (KY); T-Terry Gestes; J-Miguel Mena; \$35,794. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-1, \$75,334.
 2--**Smart Shot, 116, c, 2, Smart Strike--Mountain Bonfire, by Mt. Livermore.** (\$45,000 yrl '07 KEESEP; \$150,000 2yo '08 OBSMAR). O-Three Diamonds Farm. \$11,440.
 3--**Jack Spratt, 117, c, 2, Candy Ride (Arg)--Mayapple, by Miner's Mark.** (\$120,000 yrl '07 KEESEP; \$100,000 2yo '08 FTMMAY). O-Sand Dollar Stable LLC, Skychai Racing LLC, Golden Goose Stable & Conway. \$5,720.

Margins: 3/4, HD, HF. Odds: 21.00, 4.80, 2.50.

Proceed Bee scored at first asking on Arlington's Polytrack Aug. 24 and followed up with a Hawthorne allowance win Oct. 9. Caught six wide in the Meadowlake S. at that track Oct. 25, he was dismissed at boxcar odds in this turf and route debut. The bay was forced to race four wide after breaking from post 11, put his head in front in midstretch and found the wire first. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

CARESSING H., \$57,200, CDX, 11-29, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:38 4/5, fm.

- 1--**#WAR TIGRESS, 119, f, 2, War Chant--Tigresa (SP, \$163,000), by Tejano.** O/B-Ann Lorensen Lynch (KY); T-Jeffrey D Thornbury; J-Julio A Garcia; \$35,794. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, \$80,818.
 2--**Striking Dancer, 118, f, 2, Smart Strike--Dancing Shoes (Ire), by Danehill.** (\$110,000 yrl '07 KEESEP). O-Steve Stan Stables. \$11,440.
 3--**Abbott Hall, 120, f, 2, El Corredor--Miss Abbott, by Cure the Blues.** O-Dolphus Morrison. \$5,720.
 Margins: 3/4, NO, NK. Odds: 11.60, 1.30, 7.70.

Caressing H. cont.

War Tigress rallied to take her career opener in a sprint at Kentucky Downs Sept. 16, but could only manage sixth to Laragh (Tapit) and Habaya (Storm Cat) in Keeneland's Jessamine S. Oct. 9. Though she bounced back to take an allowance over course and distance Nov. 7, the dark bay was allowed to go postward at a generous 11-1.



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Forwardly placed while three wide in the early stages, War Tigress pounced to the lead on the far turn and kept digging in while flanked by challengers to earn her first stakes success. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

1st-CDX, \$44,100, Alw, NW1X, 2yo, f, 1m, 1:38 1/5, ft.

EMMA DARLING (f, 2, Hennessy--Jenna S., by Kris S.), fourth by a length in her career bow on the turf at Saratoga July 28, mirrored that effort in the Bassinet S. on the dirt at River Downs Aug. 30. The dark bay duly earned her diploma on Turfway's Polytrack Sept. 27 and came into this off a third as the favorite on the local lawn Nov. 7. Sent off as the 9-2 second choice, she saved ground in fourth, came off the fence in midstretch and wore down A.P. Elegance (A.P. Indy) to win by a length. The 2-5 chalk Passion du Coeur (Distorted Humor) tired late to be third. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-1, \$54,256. O/B-F Thomas Conway (KY). T-Michael J Maker.

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3rd-CDX, \$44,100, Alw, NW1X, 2yo, 6 1/2f, 1:15 4/5, ft.

SILVER CITY (c, 2, [Unbridled's Song](#)--Proposal {SP, \$115,021}, by Mt. Livermore), a half-brother to Elope (Gone West), SW & GSP, \$122,576; and Initiation (Deputy Minister), SW, \$121,463, was sidelined after finishing third in his June 25 opener under the Twin Spires. The \$700,000 KEESEP yearling returned to graduate with a game performance on the front end at Keeneland Oct. 24, but was let go at 7-1 here. Breaking alertly, the iron grey colt had the lead at every call and, when shaken up in the lane, drew off to score by 4 1/2 lengths. Special Heart (Lion Heart) was second best. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#). Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, \$62,971.

O-Clarence Scharbauer Jr. B-Peter E Blum (KY). T-W Bret Calhoun.

6th-CDX, \$44,100, Alw, NW1X, 2yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:17 2/5, ft.

SHE'S EXTREME (f, 2, [Unbridled's Song](#)--Classic Threat {MSW, \$174,685}, by Regal Classic) came in fourth first out at Presque Isle, but, with Lasix added, got the job done on the Keeneland Poly a month later. The half-sister to Quiet Dare (Quiet American), SW, \$199,103, tired to fourth after vying for the lead in a local allowance Nov. 1 and accorded a 10-1 chance here. Forwardly placed while three wide here, the blaze-faced chestnut collared favored Selective (Tapit) in the stretch and put her away late despite being reluctant to switch leads. Pretty Prolific (Lion Heart) got up to nip Selective for second, finishing a length behind the winner. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#). Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$62,981.

O-Larry Richardson. B-Payson Stud Inc (KY). T-Gregory D Foley.

8th-CDX, \$43,660, Alw, NW1X, 2yo, 1m, 1:38, ft.

GRESHAM (c, 2, Seeking the Gold--Alexi Dancer, by A.P. Indy) broke through in his second try at Arlington Aug. 24 before finishing third in the GIII Kentucky Cup Juvenile at Turfway Sept. 27. Blinkers were added for his latest, the GIII Iroquois S. over track and trip Nov. 1, but the bay could do no better than fourth. Gresham plotted out a stalking trip and, after getting bumped by Flying Private (Fusaichi Pegasus), gritted out a nose victory over that colt. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#). Lifetime Record: GSP, 5-2-1-1, \$66,794. O/B-Courtlandt Farms (KY). T-James E Baker.



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2nd-CDX, \$42,200, Msw, 2yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:46, ft.
SATIN THUNDER (f, 2, [Thunder Gulch](#)--Satin and Lace, by Kissin Kris) debuted with a fourth in a Keeneland sprint Oct. 12. Stretched out over this track and trip Nov. 6, the bay led at the eighth pole, but was tagged late by Pearl of Valor (Medaglia d'Oro) and settled for second. Unhurried early here, the 4-5 favorite came three wide to take over turning for home and went on to post a 2 1/2-length success over Suz Slew (Statement). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#). Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$38,116.

O-Richard Greenberg & Steve Lannert, et al. B-Corner Woods Inc & Needham-BetzThoroughbreds Inc (KY). T-Kenneth G McPeck.

7th-CDX, \$42,200, Msw, 2yo, f, 7f, 1:24 2/5, ft.

HEART ASHLEY (f, 2, [Lion Heart](#)--Pretty 'n Smart {GSP}, by Beau Genius), a 3/4-sister to Ashley's Kitty (Tale of the Cat), GSW, \$237,038, finished a solid second debut over this track and distance Oct. 29 and was bet down to 3-5 here. The chestnut controlled things on the front end and kicked away in the lane to post a 4 1/4-length success over Nala's Pride (Lion Heart). A \$320,000 FTSAUG yearling, Heart Ashley marks the 26th winner for her freshman sire (by Tale of the Cat). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#). Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$35,616.

O-Zayat Stables LLC. B-Gaines-Gentry Thoroughbreds (KY). T-Steven M Asmussen.

4th-CDX, \$41,360, Msw, 2yo, 7f, 1:23 4/5, ft.

+ **PRESSURE POINT** (c, 2, [Point Given](#)--Mandalay Point, by Gilded Time) had a host of solid drills at Trackside Training Center and went postward as the 7-2 second choice for the meet-leading trainer and jockey. The chestnut broke a step slowly from his inside post, but recovered quickly and held a narrow advantage after a :23.18 opening quarter. He kicked clear after switching leads in midstretch and held sway late by a half-length over the rallying Prince Teton (Teton Forest). The winner was a \$47,000 KEENOV weanling, \$82,000 KEESEP yearling and \$200,000 OBSMAR two-year-old. Justin (Speightstown) made a mild run before flattening out to finish fifth. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$26,416.

O-Skychai Racing LLC, Sand Dollar Stable, Thomas Conway & Leemington Stable. B-PHW Equine Investments & The Thoroughbred Corporation (KY). T-Michael J Maker.

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12th-CDX, \$42,200, Msw, 2yo, 1 1/8m, 1:52 2/5, ft. AU MOON (c, 2, [Malibu Moon](#)--[She's Mahogany](#), by [Woodman](#)), a \$130,000 KEESEP yearling, didn't lift a hoof when 10th in his career bow on Keeneland's Polytrack Oct. 15, but had trained well over this track since and went postward as the 4-1 second choice. Close up while three wide, the bay grabbed the lead on the far turn and was under a hand ride while drawing off to a 5 3/4-length triumph. Favored Baryshnikov (Empire Maker) raced a bit greenly before getting up for second. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$26,416. O-Tim Brown & Phil Gahm. B-Patrick Heraty, William Duignan & Rock River Enterprises Limited (KY). T-David M Carroll.

★ EAST ★

Yesterday's Results:

6th-PHA, \$46,360, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11, ft. + AKA ROXIE (f, 3, [Cactus Ridge](#)--[T Storm](#) {MSW, \$210,772}, by [Salt Lake](#)), a 7-1 chance, assumed command at the outset and never looked back en route to an 8 1/4-length triumph. The winner was a \$40,000 KEESEP yearling. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$25,200. O-CJZ Racing Stable. B-La Ciega LLC (KY). T-Robert E Reid Jr.

★ CANADA ★

Yesterday's Results:

1st-WOX, \$53,844, Msw, 2yo, f, 5f (AWT), :58 2/5, ft. + FORCEFULLY (f, 2, [Grand Slam](#)--[Talk Back](#) {SW, \$159,221}, by [Talkin Man](#)) was forced to take the overland trip from post eight, but came on late to get up by 3/4 of a length over Tasty Temptation (Medaglia d'Oro). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$32,044. O/B-Kinghaven Farms Limited (ON). T-Ian Black.

★ CENTRAL ★

Yesterday's Results:

TENACIOUS H., \$58,800, FGX, 11-29, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:45, sy.
1--SECRET GETAWAY, 116, c, 3, [Skip Away](#)--[Chief's Honey](#), by [Chief's Crown](#). (\$20,000 yrl '06 KEESEP). O-Sand and Cee Stables; B-Parrish Hill Farm (KY); T-Michael Stidham; J-James Graham; \$36,000. Lifetime Record: 10-5-2-0, \$299,014.
2--Good and Lucky, 114, g, 5, Wild Rush--Shannon's Innocent, by [Accused](#). (\$32,000 2yo '05 OBSAPR). O-James & Alice Sapara. \$12,000.
3--Mambo in Seattle, 120, c, 3, Kingmambo--Weekend in Seattle, by [Seattle Slew](#). O-William S Farish & Mrs W S Kilroy. \$6,000.
 Margins: 2 3/4, 3, 2 1/4. Odds: 3.50, 9.40, 1.40.

Tenacious H. cont.

Secret Getaway paired up wins at Woodbine in the Victoria Park S. and Toronto Cup S. June 8 and July 12--on Polytrack and turf, respectively--but tired to eighth in the grassy GI Secretariat S. Aug. 9 at Arlington. Second by a neck in the Ontario Derby Sept. 28, the chestnut ran fifth in the GIII Fayette S. Oct. 25 at Keeneland, and was trying a conventional main track here for the first time since last August. Prominently positioned from the start, the three-year-old ranged up three wide, assumed command approaching the eighth pole and skipped through the slop for his third stakes win of the year. "What a monster!" said winning jockey James Graham. "This is a big, happy horse, and you're going to be hearing a lot more from him." [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#).



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10th-FGX, \$44,000, Msw, (S), 2yo, f, 6f, 1:14 1/5, sy. + HEATNPAIN (f, 2, [Dixieland Heat](#)--[Jane the Pain](#), by [Tejano Run](#)), favored at 2-1 in her bow, was outprinted and raced in midpack early on, came wide for the drive and ran down Every Day Counts (Mr. John) to win by 2 1/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$26,400. O-Merrill R Scherer & Dan Lynch. B-Fundament Buck Farm, S Schoenhardt, D Turner & F A Lanning (LA). T-Merrill R Scherer.

5th-HAW, \$25,000, Msw, 2yo, 6f, 1:13 1/5, ft. + KNIGHT SHOT (c, 2, [Red Bullet](#)--[Joustabout](#) {SW & GPS}, by [Apalachee](#)), a half-brother to Jungle Fighter (Wild Rush), MSW & GSP, \$325,256, wasn't accorded much respect here at 12-1. In seventh early, the bay rallied four wide and went on to graduate by 3 3/4 lengths. Knight Shot was a \$40,000 FTKJUL yearling. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$15,000. O-Casa De Caballos. B-St George Farm LLC (KY). T-Frank J Kirby.

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Yesterday's Results:

4th-HOL, \$37,600, Msw, 2yo, f, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:15 1/5, ft.
 + **MISS DOLCE (f, 2, Unbridled's Song--Misty Sixes {MSW & GSP, \$450,548}, by Summer Squall)** breezed an eighth of a mile in :10 1/5 ahead of this year's Barretts March sale ([video](#)) and was knocked down to Tom and Debi Stull's Tommy Town Thoroughbreds for \$475,000, the fourth-highest price of the auction. In steady training since mid-October, the bay put together a formidable worktab and capped her activity with a bullet six furlongs at Santa Anita in 1:11 2/5 Nov. 22. The 5-2 second choice was sent along to lead by jockey Mike Smith and got the opening half-mile in a swift :44.11. She kicked away to a three-length advantage past the eighth pole and was just able to hold off odds-on Lady Lumberjack (Forestry) by a head. The duo had 7 1/4 lengths on Trivia (War Chant) in third. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$21,600. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or the [video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#).

O-Tommy Town Thoroughbreds LLC. B-Gulf Coast Farms LLC (KY). T-John W Sadler.

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8-HOL, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Resplendently, \$140K OBS MAR 2yo
- BOWMAN'S BAND** (Dixieland Band), Lane's End, \$6K, 55/4/1
6-PHA, Msw, 6f, +Marcie Lee, 12-1
- CHAMPALI** (Glitterman), Glencrest, \$8K, 58/6/0
1-WO, Msw, 5f, +Oncearoundthebay, 12-1
- CUVEE** (Carson City), Gainesway, \$10K, 115/17/1
8-HOL, Msw, 6 1/2f, +New Bay, \$310K OBS MAR 2yo
- DURING** (Cherokee Run), Claiborne, \$5K, 69/8/0
5-FG, Msw, 5 1/2fT, +Wine Classic, \$75K FTK JUL yrl, 8-1
- 6-PHA, Msw, 6f, Sheza Justice, \$32K KEE SEP yrl, 6-1**
- EVEN THE SCORE** (Unbridled's Song), Millennium, \$9K, 80/13/1
9-TP, Msw, 5 1/2f, Allittakesisone
- FRIENDS LAKE** (A.P. Indy), Airdrie, \$15K, 85/14/1
9-AQU, Msw, 6f, +N. Y. Friend, \$17K KEE SEP yrl
- LION HEART** (Tale of the Cat), Ashford, \$30K, 181/26/3
6-PHA, Msw, 6f, Darci, \$115K KEE SEP yrl, 5-2
- 6-AQU, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Purrfect Bluff, \$100K ESM AY 2yo**
- MEDAGLIA D'ORO** (El Prado {Ire}), Stonewall, \$35K, 150/17/3
8-WO, Stk, 1 1/16m, Retraceable, \$19K CAN SEP yrl, 9-5
- 6-AQU, Msw, 6 1/2f, Maraschino Red, \$900K FTF FEB 2yo**
- OLMODAVOR** (A.P. Indy), Adena Springs South, \$10K, 65/8/2
6-PHA, Msw, 6f, Ocarson, \$33K OBS APR 2yo, 9-2
- 3-CRC, Msw, 1mT, Sailors Song, \$45K OBS JUN 2yo, 5-1**
- PERFECT SOUL (IRE)** (Sadler's Wells), Darby Dan, \$15K, 86/6/0
9-TP, Msw, 5 1/2f, Irish Blarney, \$95K OBS FEB 2yo
- READ THE FOOTNOTES** (Smoke Glacken), Sequel NY, \$9K, 54/11/1
6-AQU, Msw, 6 1/2f, Pleasant Ballerina, \$30K OBS AUG yrl
- SCRIMSHAW** (Gulch), Millennium, \$7K, 76/14/1
6-MNR, Msw, 5 1/2f, Dealin in Dreams, \$12K OBS JUN 2yo, 7-2
- SIR CHEROKEE** (Cherokee Run), Crestwood, \$8K, 32/3/0
8-HOL, Msw, 6 1/2f, Infernal, \$45K BAR MAR 2yo
- SPANISH STEPS** (Unbridled), Martin Stables So, \$5K, 63/7/0
3-CRC, Msw, 1mT, New York Bobby, 3-1
- 6-MNR, Msw, 5 1/2f, Fifi's Folly, \$10K OBS APR 2yo, 4-1**
- TAPIT** (Pulpit), Gainesway, \$15K, 96/22/2
7-RP, Msw, 6f, +Silver Cadillac, \$8K HER JAN 2yo
- TEN MOST WANTED** (Deputy Commander), Gainesway, \$13K, 81/2/0
7-RP, Msw, 6f, +Tenth Power, \$18K KEE SEP yrl
- 6-WO, Msw, 1 1/16m, Hydro Handshake, \$57K CAN SEP yrl, 20-1**
- 3-CRC, Msw, 1mT, Ray's Honor, 10-1**



First-Crop Sires cont.

TOCCE (Awesome Again), Castleon Lyons, \$15K, 86/12/0
 2-HAW, Msw, 1 1/16m, Toccet Rocket, \$17K KEE SEP yrl, 9-2
TOMAHAWK (Seattle Slew), Park Stud, \$9K, 53/7/1
 10-WO, Msw, 1 1/16m, Costalivin, \$33K CAN SEP yrl, 6-1
 10-WO, Msw, 1 1/16m, Axminster, 20-1
WHERE'S THE RING (Seeking the Gold), Gardiner, \$4K, 65/5/1
 10-WO, Msw, 1 1/16m, We Are Golden, \$14K CAN SEP yrl, 12-1

First/Second-crop starters to watch: Sunday, Nov. 30

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

D'WILDCAT (Forest Wildcat), Vinery, \$10K, 68/32/3
 8-WO, Stk, 1 1/16m, D' Country, \$35K KEE NOV wnl, 8-1
EMPIRE MAKER (Unbridled), Juddmonte, \$100K, 188/36/6
 8-HOL, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Remus, \$145K KEE JAN yrl
FLATTER (A.P. Indy), Claiborne, \$5K, 144/56/3
 3-AQU, Stk, 1m, Tar Heel Mom
HOLD THAT TIGER (Storm Cat), Ashford, \$15K, 251/86/3
 6-AQU, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Datnts Stormy, \$70K FTK JUL yrl
 9-TP, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Trip North, \$8K KEE SEP yrl
INDY KING (A.P. Indy), Adena South, \$2K, 59/12/1
 6-PHA, Msw, 6f, +Peaceinthemeadow, 12-1
LIDO PALACE (CHI) (Rich Man's Gold), Lambholm South, \$9K, 89/22/2
 6-PHA, Msw, 6f, +Palais Princess, \$100K OBS MAR 2yo, 8-1
MAYAKOVSKY (Matty G), Mill Creek, \$3K, 56/16/1
 9-AQU, Msw, 6f, +My Lark
MILWAUKEE BREW (Wild Again), Adena South, \$15K, 163/58/3
 8-WO, Stk, 1 1/16m, Milwaukee Appeal, 4-1
NAJLAN (Runaway Groom), Hopewell, \$8K, 129/40/2
 9-HOL, Stk, 1 1/4mT, Muny, \$18K EAS SEP yrl
OASIS DREAM (GB) (Green Desert), 220/85/9
 7-HOL, Stk, 1mT, Visit (GB)
SKY MESA (Pulpit), Three Chimneys, \$30K, 178/57/7
 3-AQU, Stk, 1m, Sky Copper, \$40K KEE JAN yrl
TRUST N LUCK (Montbrook), Vinery, \$9K, 118/42/3
 9-AQU, Msw, 6f, +Spanish Luck, \$23K ESM AY 2yo

★ **AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS** ★

IN IRELAND:

Quinmaster, g, 6, **Linamix (Fr)**--Sherkiya (Ire), by Goldneyev. Dundalk, Ireland, 11-28, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1m (AWT). B-B-Farish & Farish LLC. *150,000gns yrl '03 TATHOU. **MSW-Ire. ***1/2 to Choc Ice (Ire) (Kahyasi {Ire}), GISW-Can, SW & MG1SP-Fr, GSP-Ity, \$525,196; and Royal Oath (Kingmambo), GSW-Can, GSP-Eng & UAE, \$443,372.

IN ARGENTINA:

Perfumery, f, 3, **Hussonet**--Perversa (Arg) (SW & GSP-Arg), by Fitzcarraldo (Arg). Palermo, 11-28, Mdn, 1600m, 1:36.67. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, P30,000. O-Stud Rubio B; B-Grapestock LLC (KY); T-Juan Javier Etchechoury. *Won by 7 lengths. **\$32,000 yrl '06 KEESEP.

IN PERU:

Shankar, c, 4, **Running Stag**--Victory Flag, by Personal Flag. Hipodromo de Monterrico, 10-27, Hcp, 5f, :59. Lifetime Record: 50 starts, 5 wins, S2,600. O-Stud Cindy; B-Adena Springs; T-Eduardo Pianezzi. *\$2,500 yrl '05 KEESEP.



★ **BRITAIN** ★

Yesterday's Results:

WILD FLOWER S.-Listed, £40,000, Kempton Park, 11-29, 3yo/up, 1 1/2m (AWT), 2:32.95, stn.
 1--**DANSANT (GB)**, 134, c, 4, **Dansili (GB)**--**La Balagna (GB)**, by **Kris (GB)**. (€20,000 wnlg '04 DEADEC; 53,000gns yrl '05 TATOCT). O-Mrs Barbara Keller; B-Mrs Cino del Duca; T-Gerard Butler; J-Eddie Ahern; £22,708. Lifetime Record: 17-6-2-1, £120,618. **Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.** **Werk Nick Rating: A.**
 2--**Les Fazzani (Ire)**, 129, f, 4, **Intikhab**--**Massada (GB)**, by **Most Welcome (GB)**. (€20,000 wnlg '04 GOFNOV; 55,000gns yrl '05 TATOCT). £8,608.
 3--**Tropical Strait (Ire)**, 132, g, 5, **Intikhab** -- **Tropical Dance**, by **Thorn Dance**. £4,308.
 Margins: 1 3/4, HF, 1HF. Odds: 5-1, 5-1, 9-2.
 Successful in this contest 12 months ago, Dansant hammered home his superiority over these rivals to bring up the repeat and a fourth Listed success overall. Failing to build on his return win in the Listed Winter Derby Trial S. at Lingfield Feb. 23, the bay was only sixth last time when defending his crown in the Nov. 5 Listed Floodlit S. over this track and trip. Held up in midpack early, he rolled to the front passing the quarter pole and settled the result in a matter of strides.

HYDE S.-Listed, £40,000, Kempton Park, 11-29, 3yo/up, 1m (AWT), 1:37.52, stn.
 1--**MAC LOVE (GB)**, 128, g, 7, **Cape Cross (Ire)**--**My Lass (GB)**, by **Elmaamul**. (45,000gns yrl '02 TATOCT; 75,000gns HIT '03 TATAUT). O-Vimal Khosla; B-Kingwood Bloodstock; T-Stef Liddiard; J-Micky Fenton; £22,708. Lifetime Record: 57-7-10-9, £257,785. **Werk Nick Rating: A+.** **Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree.**
 2--**Commander Cave**, 126, c, 3, **Tale of the Cat**--**Royal Shyness (GB)**, by **Royal Academy**. (\$95,000 yrl '06 KEESEP; \$50,000 2yo '07 OBSMAR). £8,608.
 3--**Tis Mighty (Ire)**, 123, m, 5, **Fruits of Love**--**Floating Agenda**, by **Twilight Agenda**. £4,308.
 Margins: HD, 3 1/4, 1. Odds: 16-1, 11-2, 25-1.
 It had been over four years since Mac Love's last win, but that came in Goodwood's G3 Supreme S., and the classy performer had followed that with a second to Rakti (GB) in the G1 Lockinge S. at Newbury the following May. Having changed stables three times in the interim, the veteran showed that he retained ability when runner-up to Confuchias (Ire) in a seven-furlong conditions event here 10 days ago and finally delivered where it mattered in this competitive affair. Restrained in rear when rank early, the bay was only unleashed with a quarter mile remaining as Commander Cave stole a seemingly decisive advantage, but had all the answers in a pulsating finish.



Wolverhampton, 18.50, Mdn, £5,000, 2yo, 7f 32yds (AWT), 1:31.88, stn.

PRESSING MATTERS (IRE) (c, 2, Oasis Dream {GB}--Pasishea {Ire} {SP-Eng}, by Celtic Swing {GB}), third on his latest start at Windsor Oct. 13, started as the 7-4 favorite and raced prominently in the heavy fog throughout the early stages. By the time he hit the floodlit straight, the 38,000gns TATOCT yearling and 13,000gns TATAUT horse-in-training purchase was in front and battled to score by a length from the dead-heating homebred newcomers Saptapadi (Ire) (Indian Ridge {Ire}), Ballymacoll's full-brother to the G3 Queen's Vase winner Patkai (Ire); and the Duke of Roxburghe's Racketeer (Ire) (Cape Cross {Ire}), a half-brother to Attraction (GB) (Efisio {GB}). Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, £3,767.

O-Giuliano Manfredini; B-Lady Legard; T-Marco Botti.



AUSTRALASIA



GROUP WINNERS BY EUROPEAN SIRES:

@Temple Hills (NZ), g, 7, Marju (Ire)--Soltanto (NZ) (GSW & G1SP-NZ), by Tights. Eilerslie, 11-29, Eagle Technology S.-G3, 3yo/up, 1mT, NZ\$48,125 to winner. B-R W E Moore; T-Roger James & Paul Mirabelli. *1/2 to Tantamount (Last Tycoon {Ire}), GSP-NZ; and Filey (NZ) (O'Reilly {NZ}), G1SP-NZ.

Takeover Target (Aus), g, 9, Celtic Swing (GB)--Shady Stream (Aus), by Archregent. Ascot, 11-29, Winterbottom S.-G2, 3yo/up, 6fT, A\$245,000 to winner. B-Meringo Stud Farm; T-Joe Janiak.

*Ch. Sprinter-Aus, Co-Hwt. Older Horse-Eng at 5-7f, MG1SW-Aus, GSW & MG1SP-Eng, SW-Jpn & Mal.

**1/2 to Predatory Pricer (Aus) (Street Cry {Ire}), GSW & G1SP-Aus.

UPCOMING MAJOR NORTH AMERICAN STAKES

Date	Race	Track
Dec. 5	GIII Delta Jackpot S.	DED
	GIII Delta Princess S.	DED
Dec. 6	GI Hollywood Turf Cup	HOL
	GIII My Charmer H.	CRC
	GIII Tropical Turf H.	CRC
	GIII Native Diver H.	HOL
Dec. 7	GII Bayakoa H.	HOL
Dec. 13	GI Hollywood Starlet S.	HOL
	GII La Prevoyante H.	CRC
	GII W.L. McKnight H.	CRC
	GIII Fred W. Hooper H.	CRC
	GIII Kenny Noe Jr. H.	CRC
	GIII Queens County H.	AQU
Dec. 20	GI CashCall Futurity	HOL
Dec. 21	GII Dahlia H.	HOL

BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

STAKES RESULTS:

KINGARVIE S., \$103,095, WOX, 11-29, (R), 2yo, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:45 1/5, ft.

1--**#PARABOLA, 117, g, 2, Trajectory--Flying Tabriz, by Turkoman.** O/B-Janet Jeanpierre (ON); T-Barbara J Minshall; J-Justin Stein; \$60,690. Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-1, \$101,672.

2--**Mean Green, 122, c, 2, Trajectory--Emerald Afternoon, by Cabrini Green.** (C\$30,000 yrl '07 CANOCT). \$20,230.

3--**Wildcat Fashion, 117, c, 2, D'wildcat--Fashion File, by Marquetry.** (C\$40,000 yrl '07 CANOCT). \$11,127. Margins: HF, 1, NK. Odds: 17.40, 6.60, 6.05.

LIVE OAK GTOBA DEBUTANTE S., \$75,000, CRC, 11-29, (R), 2yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 1:42 4/5, fm.

1--**#OILGONEWILE, 115, f, 2, Montbrook--Dignified Woman, by World Appeal.** (\$65,000 2yo '08 OBSMAR). O-Bishop, Crichton, Screnci & Ebanks; B-J Michael O'Farrell Jr (FL); T-Joseph G Calascibetta; J-Wesley Henry Sr; \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 8-2-2-0, \$70,306. *Full to Seize the Day, GSP.

2--**Tailbytherail, 116, f, 2, Read the Footnotes--So Social, by Proud Truth.** \$15,000.

3--**Hot Chili Pepper, 115, f, 2, Mecke--Sweet Hot Pepper, by World Appeal.** (\$50,000 2yo '08 OBSAPR). \$8,250.

Margins: 4 3/4, HF, 3/4. Odds: 12.80, 2.00, 4.10.

FORTY NINER S., \$73,500, GGX, 11-28, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:44 1/5, ft.

1--**#DAKOTA PHONE, 120, g, 3, Zavata--World of Gold, by Spinning World.** (\$67,000 2yo '07 BESMAY). O-Halo Farms & Jerry Hollendorfer; B-Cashmark Farms Inc & Dakota Stables (KY); T-Jerry Hollendorfer; J-Frank T Alvarado; \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 12-4-3-2, \$195,280.

2--**Gallon, 120, g, 3, Victory Gallop--Bellehop, by Hennessy.** \$15,000.

3--**Pass the Heat, 123, g, 5, Unusual Heat--She's Got Glass, by Pass the Glass.** \$9,000.

Margins: HF, 3, 9. Odds: 2.10, 3.60, 0.80.

TDN CRITERIA

The races covered in the TDN are as follows:

Stakes - purses of \$50,000/up

Allowance Races - purses of \$20,000/up

Optional Claiming Races - purses of \$20,000/up and a minimum claiming price of \$25,000

Maiden Special Weight Races - purses of \$18,000/up

Maiden Claiming Races - purses of \$18,000/up and a minimum claiming price of \$40,000



ZIA PARK DISTAFF S., \$58,360, ZIA, 11-29, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09 2/5, ft.

1--**SASSY BLEND, 121, f, 3, Richly Blended--Sassy Synner, by Synastry.** O-Double Eagle Ranch & Jerry Nicodemas; B-S Matos, F Matos & Douzos (CA); T-Bennie L Woolley Jr; J-Alfredo J Juarez Jr; \$34,800. Lifetime Record: 12-6-1-1, \$150,967. *1/2 to Winter Warning (Future Storm), SW, \$134,424; Synnin And Grinnin (Beau Genius), SW, \$170,232; and Sassy Blend (Richly Blended), SW, \$116,167.

2--**Five Star Daydream, 119, f, 4, Five Star Day--September Charmer, by Septieme Ciel.** (\$55,000 yrl '05 KEESEP; \$250,000 2yo '06 FTFEB). \$12,760.

3--**Goodbye Norma Jean, 123, f, 4, Tale of the Cat--Norma's Legacy, by Red Ransom.** (\$140,000 yrl '05 KEESEP). \$5,800.

Margins: 1, 1, NO. Odds: 4.50, 20.80, 5.90.

ARIZONA BREEDERS' FUTURITY, \$56,520, TUP, 11-29, (S), 2yo, c/g, 6f, 1:09 4/5, ft.

1--**#CLEAN HIT, 120, c, 2, Top Hit--Luxury Limo, by Sheikh Albadou (GB).** O/B-Triple AAA Ranch (AZ); T-R Kory Owens; J-Glenn W Corbett; \$29,492. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$33,692. *First SW for freshman sire (by Twining).

2--**Hidden Bounty, 120, g, 2, Hidden City--Seafaring, by Pirate's Bounty.** (\$8,000 yrl '07 ARZOCT). \$11,829.

3--**Attleboro, 120, g, 2, Rocky Bar--Waycross, by Conquistador Cielo.** \$5,941.

Margins: 5, NO, 7. Odds: 2.10, 1.20, 15.40.

ARIZONA BREEDERS' FUTURITY, \$52,639, TUP, 11-29, (S), 2yo, f, 6f, 1:09 2/5, ft.

1--**#CARLSBAD, 117, f, 2, Rocky Bar--Kits Peak (MSW, \$167,224), by Pine Bluff.** O/B-Dennis E Weir (AZ); T-Kevin Lewis; J-Daniel P Vergara; \$27,526. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$34,126. *1/2 to Staten Island (In Excess {Ire}), MSW, \$129,887

2--**Keyless, 117, f, 2, Top Hit--O'Hara, by Society Max.** \$11,076.

3--**Towson, 117, f, 2, Benton Creek--Aspen Hill, by Tabasco Cat.** \$5,593.

Margins: 14 1/4, 2, 1 3/4. Odds: 1.00, 12.90, 26.80.

SQUAN SONG S., \$50,000, LRL, 11-29, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:25, ft.

1--**#NOW IT BEGINS, 118, f, 4, Two Punch--Carna, by Dehere.** (\$50,000 yrl '05 FTMOCT). O-R Larry Johnson; B-Cary W Jackson (MD); T-Michael J Trombetta; J-Charles W Forrest; \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 13-4-3-2, \$127,620.

2--**Fascinatin' Rhythm, 117, f, 3, More Than Ready--April Gator, by Green Alligator.** \$10,000.

3--**Vicar's Vixen, 118, f, 4, Vicar--Devil May Try, by Devil's Bag.** \$5,500.

Margins: HD, 2 1/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 8.70, 2.90, 1.60.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

4th-WOX, \$60,406, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:46 3/5, ft.

PARRIS HILL (f, 4, A.P. Indy--Felicita, by Rubiano) Lifetime Record: 9-2-2-2, \$101,981. O-Melnyk Racing Stables Inc. B-Eugene Melynk (ON). T-Mark E Casse. *1/2 to Eventail (Lear Fan), MSW & GSP, \$300,895; Take Charge Lady (Dehere), MGISW, \$2,480,377; and Commendation (Capote), SW & MGSP, \$315,738.

3rd-HAW, \$45,012, Opt. Clm. (\$100,000), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12 3/5, ft.

NICKS (f, 4, Salt Lake--N. C. Goldust, by Gold Stage) Lifetime Record: SW, 12-6-1-3, \$188,676. O-Carson Springs Farm, Arbaway Farm & Ken Meeker. B-Carson Springs Farm (IL). T-Christine K Janks. *1/2 to Something Wicked (Chimes Band), SP, \$256,110.

8th-FGX, \$44,000, NW1X, 2yo, f, 1m (off turf), 1:40 4/5, sy.

TRULY LUCKY (f, 2, Truluck--Holy Miss, by Holy Bull) Lifetime Record: SP, 7-2-1-1, \$54,354. O-Darley Stable. B-Stonerside Stable (TX). T-Michael Stidham. *Full to General Charley, MSW & GSP, \$378,083.

1st-FGX, \$42,680, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:40 3/5, sy.

INDIAN SILVER (h, 5, Cherokee Run--Northern Silver {SW, \$113,183}, by Silver Ghost) Lifetime Record: 12-2-2-0, \$88,491. O-Chrysalis Stables LLC. B-Chrysalis Stable & Stephanie S Clark (KY). T-Dallas Stewart. *1/2 to Silverfoot (With Approval), MGSW & GISP, \$909,615.

9th-HOL, \$40,000, 11-28, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 7f (AWT), 1:20 4/5, ft.

CAPE HATCHET (c, 3, Cape Canaveral--Hatchet Band, by Dixieland Band) Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-0, \$54,600. O-Gorman, Sterling Stables & Ron Ward II. B-Joe Parker (CA). T-Doug F O'Neill. *\$20,000 yrl '06 BESOCT.

7th-GGX, \$37,380, 11-28, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:43 4/5, gd.

STARCAST (g, 4, Bertrando--Casting Call, by Dynaformer) Lifetime Record: 26-5-5-2, \$124,032. O-Robert & Ronald Maus. B-George Krikorian (CA). T-Frank Lucarelli.

2nd-DED, \$35,000, 11-28, NW1X, (S), 2yo, f, 5f, :59 3/5, ft.

STEAM THAT KETTLE (f, 2, American Tribute--Lively Aunt, by Lively One) Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-0, \$55,550. O-Tbd Owners LLC. B-John E Pomier (LA). T-John G Locke. *\$800 yrl '07 LOUOCT.

8th-PHA, \$34,000, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11, ft.

CRAZY LUKE (g, 3, Salt Lake--Miss Tilghman, by Crafty Prospector) Lifetime Record: 9-2-2-1, \$57,468. O-Pewter Stable & Michael Monichetti. B-Joseph Nunan (PA). T-Kathleen A Demasi.



6th-LRL, \$34,000, Opt. Clm. (\$32,000-\$28,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:04 1/5, ft.
BASHA'S MOON (g, 3, [Malibu Moon](#)--Foxfire Lass, by Premiership) Lifetime Record: 8-4-0-1, \$80,880. O-Basha's Barn. B-Richard S Kaster (KY). T-Michael J Trombetta. *\$60,000 yrl '06 KEEJAN. **1/2 to Nice Boots Baby (Storm Boot), SW, \$126,627.

4th-LRL, \$30,000, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000-\$45,000), NW1X, 2yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:05 4/5, ft.
BLIND DATE (f, 2, Not For Love--Snit {GSW, \$454,547}, by Fit to Fight) Lifetime Record: SP, 3-2-0-1, \$48,060. O/B-William M Backer (MD). T-Hamilton A Smith. *1/2 to Sales Tax (High Yield), MSW, \$142,256.

1st-HAW, \$29,120, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:48, ft.
HURTA (g, 5, [Silver Deputy](#)--Ms. Mostly {GSW, \$276,525}, by Copelan) Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-2, \$38,640. O-Louis Clarizio III. B-Craig L Wheeler (FL). T-Thomas F Tomillo. *\$350,000 wlng '03 KEENOV.

8th-HAW, \$28,000, 11-28, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:49 2/5, ft.
RACING BRAN (g, 3, [Awesome Again](#)--Believe Big Bran {MSP}, by I Can't Believe) Lifetime Record: 10-2-1-3, \$55,765. O/B-William Stiritz (IL). T-Terry Gestes.

11th-CRC, \$28,000, NW3\$3M, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12 2/5, ft.
OFFICER IN PURSUIT (f, 4, [Officer](#)--Ms Versatility {SW}, by Opening Verse) Lifetime Record: MSW, 18-5-1-1, \$192,666. O-Edward Lipton. B-Budget Stable (KY). T-David Fawkes. *\$45,000 wlng '04 KEENOV; \$25,000 2yo '06 FTMMAY.

8th-DED, \$24,480, 11-28, NW1X, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:21 4/5, ft.
SILVER WIND (g, 5, [Smoke Glacken](#)--Saratoga Sparkle, by Saratoga Six) Lifetime Record: 22-5-6-3, \$78,410. O-Frank W Collins. B-Mt Joy Stables Inc (KY). T-Jackie W Thacker. *\$37,000 yrl '04 KEESEP. **1/2 to Sexy Boots (Storm Boot), MSW, \$124,845.

3rd-PEN, \$22,900, 11-28, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:39 4/5, ft.
CALM AND COLLECTED (g, 5, Concerto--Henry Henry, by Friendly Lover) Lifetime Record: 43-7-5-10, \$157,937. O-Michael J Gill. B-H C Lindh (FL). T-Timothy Hooper.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Fast Approach, c, 2, **A. P Jet**--Lady Commando, by Distinctive Pro. FLX, 11-29, 6f, 1:14 3/5. B-Sugar Maple Farm (NY). *\$5,000 yrl '07 FTMOCT.
 + **Chalula One**, f, 2, **Bertrando**--Call Mama, by Phone Trick. HOL, 11-29, (S), 6f (AWT), 1:09 2/5. B-Ralph E & Aury Todd (CA).

D'wild Man, c, 2, **D'wildcat**--Gleaming Field, by Metfield. WOX, 11-29, (S), 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:05 1/5. B-Norman & Mark Casse (ON). *C\$7,000 yrl '07 CANOCT.

Giant Ryan, c, 2, **Freud**--Kheyrah, by Dayjur. AQU, 11-29, (S), 6f, 1:11 4/5. B-Thomas/Lakin (NY). *\$14,000 wlng '06 OBSOCT; \$27,000 2yo '08 OBSJUN.

Hazel Grove, f, 2, **Gold Tribute**--Dyna Flo, by Dynaformer. FGX, 11-29, (S), 6f, 1:12 3/5. B-Hal Wiggins Stables LLC (LA). *\$17,000 yrl '07 TEXAUG. **SP.

+ **Royal Cookin**, f, 2, **Royal Empire**--Cookin Jen, by Polish Numbers. DED, 11-28, 7f, 1:29 4/5. B-Bobby G Pruitt (AL).

Great Debater, c, 2, **Trippi**--Double Bling, by Double Honor. AQU, 11-29, (C), 6f, 1:11 2/5. B-Oliver B Brooks Jr (FL). *\$17,000 wlng '06 OBSOCT; \$25,000 yrl '07 FTMOCT; \$42,000 2yo '08 OBSAPR.

Goodness Greatness, f, 3, **Albert the Great**--How 'bout Chris, by Unbridled. LRL, 11-29, 1m, 1:41 4/5. B-Bowman & Higgins Stable (MD).

Sprint Master, g, 3, **Bold Executive**--Refreshing Too, by Spectacular Bid. WOX, 11-29, (S), 6f (AWT), 1:11. B-Mervyn Kirby (ON). *C\$65,000 yrl '06 ONTSEP. **1/2 to Comtesse Cristol (Swamp King), SW, \$140,763; and full to Fantom Executive, SP, \$187,839.

Concerto's Thunder, c, 3, **Concerto**--Miss Thunder, by Thunder Gulch. HOL, 11-29, (C), 6f (AWT), 1:09 3/5. B-Joseph LaCombe Stable Inc (FL).

Runningatem, f, 3, **Kafwain**--Ka Idah, by Dayjur. HAW, 11-29, (S), 6f, 1:12 4/5. B-G-Bone Racing (IL).

Fortissi More, g, 4, **More Than Ready**--Bappychew, by Affirmed. AQU, 11-29, (S), 1 1/16mT, 1:45 2/5. B-Pillar Property Services Inc (NY). *\$47,000 yrl '05 KEEJAN; \$60,000 yrl '05 FTNAUG. **Won by 6 lengths.

Evan's Emerald, g, 4, **Service Stripe**--Eccentric Lady (MSP, \$129,963), by Earn Your Stripes. MNR, 11-28, 1m, 1:45 2/5. B-Ed Few (TX). *\$5,700 yrl '05 TEXAUG.



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IN ARGENTINA:

- Circle Road (Arg)**, f, 3, **American Chance**--Cindy Road (Arg), by Roar. Palermo, 11-28, Hcp, 5f, :54.80. Lifetime Record: 12-5-3-2. O-Stud Grazia's; B-Bullines SA; T-Jorge Mayanski Neer.
- Barbara Cat (Arg)**, f, 3, **Easing Along**--Barbarina (Arg), by Northern Trend. La Plata, 11-25, Cond, 5f, :58.81. Lifetime Record: 10-3-2-0. O/B-Haras El Alfalfar; T-Jorge R Dulom.
- Fonda Alegre (Arg)**, f, 3, **Thunder Gulch**--Ghost Princess, by Silver Ghost. Palermo, 11-28, Cond, 6f, 1:11.46. Lifetime Record: 8-2-2-1. O/B-Stud/Haras Futuro; T-Alfredo Gaitan Dassie.
- Twins Gulch (Arg)**, c, 3, **Thunder Gulch**--Twins Parade (Arg), by Parade Marshal. San Isidro, 11-26, Mdn, 8f, 1:36.93. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0. O-Stud Garabo; B-Haras Firmamento; T-Juan Carlos Maldotti.

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CONDITIONS RESULTS:

- FRANCE**, **Bordeaux-le-Bouscat, 13.30**, 11-29, €27,000, 3yo/up, 1 3/16mT, 2:11.69, hy.
- TARDROU (FR)** (g, 5, **Tot ou Tard {Ire}**--**Tadrou {Fr}**, by **Kadrou {Fr}**) Lifetime Record: SP-Fr, 26 starts, 7 wins, 10 places, €103,300. O/B-Haras de Preaux; T-J L Dubord.
- IRELAND**, **Dundalk, 21.40**, 11-28, €21,000, 3yo/up, 10f 150yds (AWT), 2:13.91, stn.
- ALHABEEB (IRE)** (g, 3, **Alhaarth {Ire}**--**Elfaslah {Ire}**, by **Green Desert**) Lifetime Record: 13-3-1-3, €43,390. O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Shadwell Estate Company Limited; T-Kevin Prendergast. *1/2 to Almutawakel (GB) (Machiavellian), G1SW-Fr & UAE, MGISP-US, \$3,643,268; Inaaq (GB) (Lammtarra), GSP-Eng; Muwakleh (GB) (Machiavellian), G1SP-Eng; and Elmustanser (GB) (Machiavellian), MGSP-UAE, \$199,852.
- ITALY**, **Naples, 17.30**, 11-28, €12,600, 2yo, 1 1/8mT, time: n/a, hy.
- FERMI (IRE)** (c, 2, **Falbrav {Ire}**--**Captivating {Ire}**, by **Wolfhound**) Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, €15,980. O-Al LSL Sas; B-Azienda Agricola Luciani Loreto; T-Luigi Polito. *1/2 Im Spartacus (GB) (Namaqualand), GSW-Ire, GSP-Eng, \$185,957.

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ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

- Faucon Pelerin (Fr)**, c, 2, **Domedriver (Ire)**--Fleur en Fleur (Fr), by Hernando (Fr). Lyon-Parilly, France, 11-28, Mdn, 2yo, 1 1/4mT. B-Elevage Haras de Bourgeauville.
- Capricia (Fr)**, f, 2, **Noverre**--Sort (GB), by Halling. Lyon-Parilly, France, 11-28, Cond, 2yo, 1mT. B-Almagro de Actividades Comerc.
- Rockawango (Fr)**, c, 2, **Okawango**--Janou la Belle (Fr), by Shining Steel (GB). Lyon-Parilly, France, 11-28, Mdn, 2yo, 1 1/4mT. B-Earl Haras du Camp Benard. *1/2 to Rock of Cashel (Fr) (Mujadil), MSW-Fr, \$129,727.
- Capstan (GB)**, c, 3, **Lomitas (GB)**--Reamur (GB), by Top Ville (Ire). Kempton Park, Britain, 11-29, Mdn, 3-5yo, 1 1/2m (AWT). B-Aston House Stud. *40,000gns HIT '08 TATHIT. **1/2 to Boreas (GB) (In the Wings {GB}), MGSW-Eng, GSP-Ire, \$423,972.
- Portos Marzio (Fr)**, g, 3, **Nayef**--Porta Marzia (Chi), by Roy. Lyon-Parilly, France, 11-28, Cond, 3yo, 1 1/2mT. B-Elevage Haras de Bourgeauville.

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IN AUSTRALASIA:

- Assertive Princess (Aus)**, f, 4, **Desert Prince (Ire)**--Nadeshiko (NZ), by Carnegie (Ire). Hastings (New Zealand), 11-22, Hcp, 3yo/up, 6fT. B-D Guihot.
- Beowolf (Aus)**, g, 4, **Encosta de Lago (Aus)**--Apple Danish (Aus), by Danehill. Canterbury (Sydney), 11-20, Hcp, 3yo/up, 6f 55ydsT. B-Nardoo Valley Stud.
- Arlington (Aus)**, c, 4, **Red Ransom**--Savannah Success (Aus), by Success Express. Randwick (Sydney), 11-22, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT. B-Mr G Harvey.
- Cape Fear (NZ)**, g, 5, **Cape Cross (Ire)**--Vie Indienne (GB), by Indian Ridge (Ire). Hastings (New Zealand), 11-22, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1mT. B-Toby Enterprises Ltd.
- Forestreno (Aus)**, g, 7, **Shinko Forest (Ire)**--Santreno Lass (Aus), by Pride of Karioi (Aus). Eagle Farm (Brisbane), 11-22, Hcp, 3yo/up, 6fT. B-Mr P B McLeod.

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Track	All-Weather Surface
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