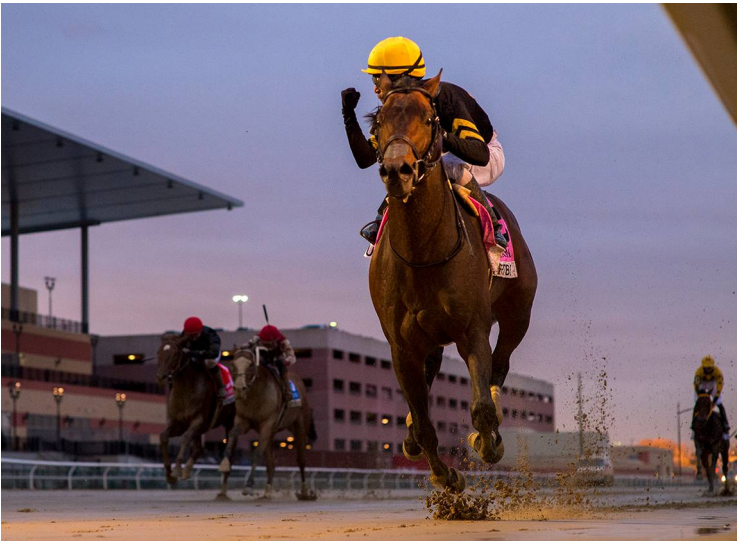


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TRUE TIMBER RELISHES THE SLOP IN CIGAR MILE ROMP



True Timber | Sarah Andrew

True Timber (Mineshaft) has been knocking at the door of a Grade I win throughout his career, including in-the-money finishes in the last two renewals of the GI Cigar Mile H. The Calumet Farm runner broke through at the highest level in a big way at Aqueduct Saturday, romping in the mud to take this year's edition of the prestigious Cigar Mile.

With his last victory coming in a Belmont optional claimer in September of 2018, True Timber was overlooked at 7-1 in this event, which lost three contenders Saturday morning due to track condition, including second-choice **Firenze Fire** (Poseidon's Warrior). Racing two-wide, the bay stalked from third as come-backing sophomore **King Guillermo** (Uncle Mo) and hard-knocking New York-bred **Mr. Buff** (Friend Or Foe) battled through a :22.89 first quarter. Mr. Buff edged ahead of his younger foe through a half in :45.82 with True Timber maintaining his position in third and favored **Performer** (Speightstown) trailing the field.

Ranging up outside the top two approaching the far turn, True Timber turned for home in front and splashed clear of the field in the lane under confident handling from Kendrick Carmouche to pull off the upset by 5 1/2 lengths. **Snapper Sinclair** (City Zip), a 13-1 shot, completed the exacta and Performer got up for third.

"I've got to give credit to True Timber, the farm, the incredible staff I have, and of course Kendrick [Carmouche]," said winning trainer Jack Susterson. "I had all the confidence in the world when Kendrick texted me, 'I got you brother, don't worry', with a little peace sign." **Cont. p3**

VARDA STEALS THE SHOW IN THE STARLET

Bob Baffert was favored to win his fourth straight renewal of the GI Starlet S. at Los Alamitos Saturday...just with a different horse. Grade I-winning 'TDN Rising Star' **Princess Noor** (Not This Time) was favored to rebound off a fifth in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Nov. 6, but instead was pulled up and her stablemate **Varda** (Distorted Humor) took up the baton, springing a 17-1 upset. It was also the fourth consecutive Starlet victory for winning pilot Drayden Van Dyke and the second for Susan and Charlie Chu's Baoma Corporation, which campaigned last year's victress Bast (Uncle Mo).

Purchased by Donato Lanni for \$700,000 at the delayed OBS April Sale after breezing in a sharp :20 4/5, Varda was a decisive debut winner going six panels at Del Mar Aug. 30. She was a well-beaten second behind Princess Noor in the GI Chandelier S. going two turns at Santa Anita last time Sept. 26. **Cont. p5**

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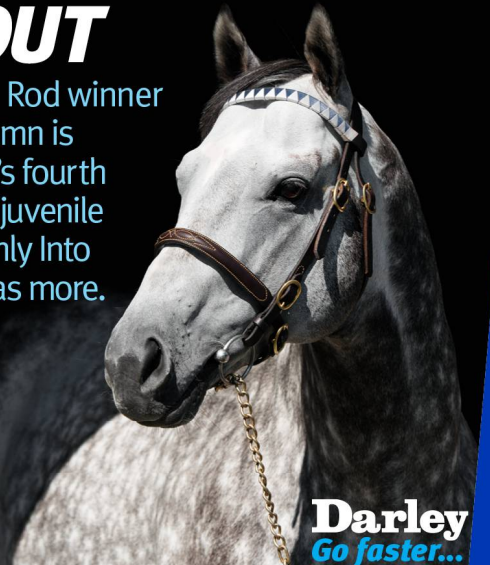
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BROOKLYN STRONG UPSETS THE REMSEN

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Brooklyn Strong (Wicked Strong) kicked off a banner day for New York-breds with a victory in the GII Remsen S. at the Big A.

MALATHAAT REMAINS PERFECT IN DEMOISELLE

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Cigar Mile cont. from p1



Kendrick Carmouche celebrates his first Grade I score | Sarah Andrew

He continued, “As soon as I got the horse [this spring], the Cigar Mile was a year-end goal. A lot of emphasis has to be put on how good a trainer Kiaran McLaughlin is. He had this horse before I did and had him sent him to me in such good shape. This really shows how good of a trainer he really is.”

The Cigar Mile was the first Grade I score for the popular Carmouche, who currently sits atop the fall meet standings with one day left in the meet.

“I owe it all to my fans, my wife and kids and how much they stuck with me and kept me pushing and fighting in this game,” said Carmouche. “This means so much to me. This is the biggest win of my career and I hope I have many more blessed ones.”

As for his trip aboard True Timber, Carmouche said. “We got an outside position this time with the horse being inside the last two times that I rode him at Saratoga and Belmont. I was very pleased with the draw we got and we had a couple scratches because of the sloppy track. I had perfect position leaving the gate and all the way around there. Right before we got to the quarter pole, I pulled the trigger and I knew they were going to have to run me down from here.”

Second in the 2018 Cigar Mile and third to champion Maximum Security (New Year’s Day) in last year’s edition, True Timber kicked off 2020 with an eighth-place finish in the GI Pegasus World Cup Invitational S. Jan. 25 and was fourth in the GII Gulfstream Park Mile Feb. 29. Transferred to Sisteon after McLaughlin retired from training to take the book of jockey Luis Saez Apr. 1, the 6-year-old was third behind subsequent MGSW C Z Rocket (City Zip) when cut back to a sprint distance in a Keeneland optional claimer July 12. Completing the trifecta in a sloppy renewal of Saratoga’s GI Forego S. Aug. 29, True Timber was fourth to Firenze Fire in Belmont’s GII Vosburgh Invitational S. Sept. 26 and was second in the Lafayette S. at Keeneland on Breeders’ Cup Saturday Nov. 7.



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True Timber & Carmouche as the sun sets at Aqueduct | Sarah Andrew

Pedigree Notes:

True Timber is the seventh Grade I winner, 22nd graded victor and 52nd black-type scorer for Mineshaft, who, along with Honor Code, looks to carry on the legacy of his legendary late sire A.P. Indy at Lane's End. The winner's dam Queen's Wood (Tiznow) was purchased by Haymarket Farm for \$47,000 in foal to Quality Road at the 2016 Keeneland November Sale as part of the complete dispersal of VinMar Farm LLC. The resulting foal is the now-3-year-old gelding Motown Music, a \$250,000 KEESEP acquisition by China Horse Club and WinStar Farm, who won two of his three starts this year. Her unraced juvenile colt by Into Mischief was purchased by the same connections for \$560,000 at KEESEP and is named Floodgate. Queen's Wood did not have a foal in 2019 and aborted her Malibu Moon foal this year. The 12-year-old mare was bred back to Omaha Beach earlier this term. True Timber hails from the family of MGISW stallion Pleasantly Perfect (Pleasant Colony); European champion Elusive Kate (Elusive Quality); and Group 1-winning sire Distant View (Mr. Prospector).



An emotional victory for Carmouche & True Timber | Sarah Andrew

Saturday, Aqueduct

CIGAR MILE H.-GI, \$250,000, Aqueduct, 12-5, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:36.49, sy.

1--**TRUE TIMBER**, 119, h, 6, by **Mineshaft**

1st Dam: Queen's Wood, by Tiznow

2nd Dam: Salon Prive, by Private Account

3rd Dam: La Trinite (Fr), by Lyphard

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN, 1ST GRADE I WIN. (\$170,000 Wlg '14 KEENOV). O-Calumet Farm; B-Mr. & Mrs. Marc C. Ferrell (KY); T-Jack Sisterson; J-Kendrick Carmouche. \$137,500. Lifetime Record: 29-5-5-9, \$1,215,150.

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2--**Snapper Sinclair**, 117, h, 5, **City Zip**--True Addiction, by Yes It's True. (\$30,000 Ylg '16 KEESEP; \$180,000 2yo '17 OBSAPR). O-Bloom Racing Stable LLC (Jeffrey Bloom); B-K & G Stables (KY); T-Steven M. Asmussen. \$50,000.

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3--**Performer**, 118, c, 4, **Speightstown**--Protesting, by A.P. Indy. O-Phipps Stable & Claiborne Farm; B-Phipps Stable (KY); T-Claude R. McGaughey III. \$30,000.

Margins: 5HF, NK, 6HF. Odds: 7.30, 13.40, 0.85. Also Ran: King Guillermo, Mr. Buff, Bon Raison. Scratched: Firenze Fire, Majestic Dunhill, Mind Control. **Click for the Equibase.com chart, the TJCS.com PPs or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

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Starlet S. cont. from p1

Dismissed at the windows in this five-horse affair, Varda raced in tandem with previously unbeaten second-choice Astute at the back of the pack through the opening strides, but bulged out three wide turning for home as that rival cut the corner. The bay trailed the quintet as stablemate **Kalypso** (Brody's Cause) clicked off early fractions of :22.91 and :46.43 with Princess Noor in tow. Princess Noor swept to the front as three-quarters went in 1:10.15 with Varda still at the rear of the field with plenty of work to do. Princess Noor stumbled exiting the bend and was quickly pulled up and taken out into the clear by pilot Victor Espinoza. Kalypso resumed command and continued strongly down the lane, but Varda unleashed a powerful late kick, inhaling her stablemate in the final sixteenth to win by 1 1/2 lengths. **Nasreddine** (Nyquist), the longest shot on the board at 25-1, filled the show spot and



Varda | Benoit

Astute was fourth. Varda was the third New York-bred graded winner of the day, following GII Remsen S. victor Brooklyn Strong (Wicked Strong) and GIII Go For Wand H. heroine Sharp Starr (Munnings) at Aqueduct. "She always tries hard," said Van Dyke. "She broke well and we just waited. She needed every bit of that long stretch." "[Varda] had been working really well and she looked like the kind of filly that the farther the better with her, so that's why we've been waiting and waiting with her," Baffert said. "I'm so upset about [Princess Noor] it's hard to focus." As for that injured favorite, the Hall of Famer said, "Victor [Espinoza] said he pulled her up right away. He said it didn't look

real bad. It was her left front. We're going to take her back to the barn and take X-rays and see what the deal is. I can't believe it. She was running so easy."

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By MIDNIGHT LUTE (2003), \$2,690,600, champion, Breeders' Cup Sprint [G1] twice, etc. Sire of 9 crops, 33 black type wnr's, 3 champions, \$47,040,948, including Midnight Bisou [G1] (\$7,471,520), Midnight Miley [G3] and Shakin It Up [G1] (\$664,982), Midnight Lucky [G1] (\$565,022), Keeper Of the Stars [G1]. Sire of dams of black type winner Street Lute.

1st dam
CURIO, by Bernardini. Placed at 3, \$3,864. Dam of 2 foals of racing age--
Midnitesalright (f. by Midnight Lute). Black type-placed wnr, below.
Targe (f. by Will Take Charge). Winner in 2 starts at 2, 2020, \$26,433.

2nd dam
HATTA DIAMOND, by Street Cry (IRE). 2 wins at 4, \$99,300. Dam of--
Tumminia. 2 wins at 3, \$33,650.

3rd dam
MEGUIJLY, by Court Trial. Winner at 3, \$7,062. Dam of 9 winners, including--
Willow Place. 4 wins, 2 to 4, \$194,623, 2nd Junior Champion S. (MTH, \$8,550), Belair S. (LRL, \$8,680), 3rd Landaura S. [L], etc. Producer.
Sword Chief. 7 wins, 2 to 5, \$133,387, 2nd Roman Brother S.-R.
Free Space. 2 wins at 3, \$43,510. Dam of 7 foals to race, 6 winners, incl--
BALMARAN. 6 wins, 2 to 4, \$84,956, Clasico Dia de la Mujer [L], 2nd Clasico Prensa Hipica [L], 3rd Cl. Eduardo Cautino Insua S. [L], etc.
Into Oblivion. Winner at 2, \$70,238, 2nd Barretts Debutante S.-R.

4th dam
MEPACHE, by Iron Constitution. 5 wins at 3 and 4, \$173,470, Schenectady H.-L.R., etc. Half-sister to **Copache**. Dam of 14 winners, including--
VALID EXPECTATIONS. 12 wins, 2 to 4, \$596,092, Derby Trial S. [G3], Sport Page H. [G3], Bachelor S. [L] (OP, \$45,000), etc. Sire.
LITTLE SISTER. 17 wins, 2 to 5, \$720,568, Azalea Breeders' Cup S. [G3], etc. Dam of **TAKEDOWN** (11 wins, \$257,021), **No Fair** (3 wins, \$101,720), **Spoiled**. Excess Capital (2 wins, \$137,708), etc.
LITTLEEXPECTATIONS. 6 wins, \$205,480, Sugar Bowl H. [L] (FG, \$45,000), Old Hickory S. [L] (FG, \$36,000), 3rd Lafayette S. [G3], Sire.
MISS VALID PACHE. 5 wins, \$166,023, Riviera S. [L] (CRC, \$34,080), etc. Dam of **VALID PULPIT** (4 wins, \$140,385), **Acceptional**. Granddam of **OMNISCIENT** (\$368,671), **Thank You** (to 8, 2020, \$249,301), etc. Great-granddam of **ALBERTS HOPE** [G2] (3 wins, \$169,527).
Black type-placed winners: **Red Apache** [G3] (2 wins, \$95,400), **Copelan's Pache** (7 wins, \$193,507, sire), **Babyexpectations** (dam of **Amen Baby**, 7 wins, \$112,042; granddam of **Truly Ponti**).

Race Record: At2, twice 2nd, once 3rd (Lynbrook S.-R, BEL, \$10,000); at3, three wins, once 2nd. Totals: 3 wins, 3 times 2nd, once 3rd, earned \$94,274.
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Varda | Benoit

Later in the day, TVG's Britney Eurtion tweeted an update on Princess Noor, saying, "I just spoke with Bob Baffert regarding Princess Noor who was pulled up in the GI Starlet. He said she X-rayed clean, but has some inflammation in her left front tendon and stated, 'she was much better when she got back to the barn.'"

Pedigree Notes:

Varda is the 17th Grade I winner, 68th graded scorer and 159th black-type victor for WinStar stalwart Distorted Humor. Her dam She'll Be Right (Sky Mesa) is also responsible for GSP Big Family (Any Given Saturday) and MSP Geouttamyway (Cross Traffic). The 14-year-old mare's recent produce uncludes a yearling colt by Lookin At Lucky and a weanling colt by Maclean's Music. She was bred back to Accelerate. This is also the family of Grade I winner Abscond (Blame).

Saturday, Los Alamitos

STARLET S.-GI, \$300,500, Los Alamitos, 12-5, 2yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:44.53, ft.

1--**VARDA**, 120, f, 2, by **Distorted Humor**



- 1st Dam: She'll Be Right, by Sky Mesa
- 2nd Dam: Boogie Beach Blues, by Cure the Blues
- 3rd Dam: Lonely Beach, by Kennedy Road

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN, 1ST GRADE I WIN. (\$100,000 Ylg '19 SARAUG; \$700,000 2yo '20 OBSAPR). O-Baoma Corporation; B-Masters 2013 LLC & Distorted Humor Syndicate (NY); T-Bob Baffert; J-Drayden Van Dyke. \$181,500. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$254,500. *1/2 to Getouttamyway (Cross Traffic), MSP, \$174,830; and Big Family (Any Given Saturday), GSP, \$148,433. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++ *Triple Plus***. Click for the **eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree**.



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- 2nd Dam: Hello Barbara Sue, by Dehere
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BROOKLYN STRONG UPSETS THE REMSEN



Brooklyn Strong | Sarah Andrew

Native New Yorker **Brooklyn Strong** (Wicked Strong) earned his black-type badge against fellow Empire-breds last out in the Oct. 24 Sleepy Hollow S. and took his career to the next level Saturday with a gritty victory in the GII Remsen S. at Aqueduct.

Away alertly under Joel Rosario, the 7-1 shot raced two wide near the back of the quintet as favored **Ten for Ten** (Frosted) clicked off early splits of :23.67 and :47.86. Inching up into third alongside GIII Nashua S. victor **Pickin' Time** (Stay Thirsty) on the backstretch run, they bay overtook that rival approaching the bend and set his sights on the pacesetter. Pulling away from the rest of the field in the lane, the pair slugged it out in the slop with Brooklyn Strong forging clear of a determined Ten for Ten in the final strides to win by a neck.

"I was very confident going in," said trainer Daniel Velazquez, who registered his first graded win in the Remsen. "I knew the distance was key and I was confident about the off track. I was happy with his performance. He really dug in. Today was a big showcase for him against tougher competition and I couldn't be happier."

"I broke well and it looked like they were running away from me a little bit, so I had to ride him to get position," said Rosario. "I didn't want to let him fall back, so I rode him to stay within a couple of lengths. I was happy with how he was progressing and I was confident he was going to have something left for the end."

Purchased for just \$5,000 at the delayed OBS April Sale after breezing in :10 2/5, Brooklyn Strong was dangled for a \$40,000 tag in his career bow at Delaware Sept. 12, which he won by three lengths. Third next out in the state-bred Bertram F. Bongard S. at Belmont Oct. 2, the gelding scored a decisive victory in the one-mile Sleepy Hollow at Belmont last out.

Pedigree Notes:

Brooklyn Strong is the first graded winner and one of three black-type victors for second-crop sire Wicked Strong, who scored a career high at the Big A when winning the 2014 GI Wood Memorial S. His SP dam Riviera Chic produced a Keen Ice colt last year and a Practical Joke colt May 4 of this year.



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REMSEN S.-GII, \$145,500, Aqueduct, 12-5, 2yo, 1 1/8m, 1:50.60, sy.

1--**BROOKLYN STRONG**, 120, g, 2, by **Wicked Strong**



1st Dam: Riviera Chic (SP), by **Medaglia d'Oro**

2nd Dam: Hurricane Warning, by **Thunder Gulch**

3rd Dam: Dewan's Flag, by **Dewan**

1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. (\$30,000 Wlg '18 FTNMIX; \$42,000 RNA Ylg '19 SARAUG; \$6,000 RNA Ylg '19 OBSOCT; \$5,000 2yo '20 OBSAPR). O-Mark Schwartz; B-Cheryl Prudhomme & Dr. Michael Gallivan (NY); T-Daniel Velazquez; J-Joel Rosario. \$82,500. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-1, \$195,000. **Werk Nick Rating: C.** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

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2--**Ten for Ten**, 118, c, 2, **Frosted**--Summer Vacation, by Eskendereya. (\$410,000 Ylg '19 KESEEP). O-Courtlandt Farms (Donald & Donna Adam); B-George Krikorian (KY); T-Claude R. McGaughey III. \$30,000.

Consigned by **Hill 'n' Dale Sales Agency**

3--**Known Agenda**, 118, c, 2, **Curlin**--Byrama (GB), by Byron (GB). (\$135,000 RNA Ylg '19 FTSAUG). O/B-St. Elias Stable (KY); T-Todd A. Pletcher. \$18,000.

Margins: NK, 8 3/4, 8 1/4. Odds: 7.10, 1.25, 1.95.

Also Ran: Pickin' Time, Erawan. [Click for the Equibase.com chart, the TJCIS.com PPs or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.](#) [VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.](#)

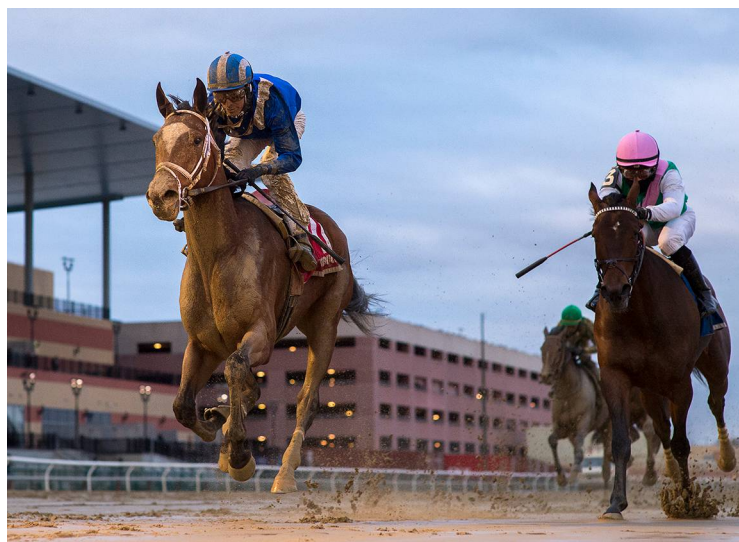
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MALATHAAT LEADS HOME CURLIN

TRIFECTA IN DEMOISELLE

'**TDN Rising Star**' **Malathaat** (Curlin) did not look like a winner through the first mile of Aqueduct's GII Demoiselle S., but turned things around late with a surprisingly strong rally to keep her perfect record intact.

Away well from her rail draw, the 2-5 favorite settled in a ground-saving third as an eager Traffic Lane took control, clicking off a :23.69 first quarter with Juddmonte homebred **Millefeuille** (Curlin) pressing from second. Losing some traction as the half went in :48.50, the \$1.05-million KESEEP buy was passed by **Malibu Curl** (Curlin) and looked like she was not taking to the muddy surface as another foe went by her on the backstretch. Splitting horses at the hope of the lane, Malathaat came alive in the lane, swallowing up ground late to nail Millefeuille just before the wire for a 3/4-length score. Malibu Curl completed a trifecta for leading sire Curlin.



Malathaat | Sarah Andrew

A debut winner going seven panels at Belmont Oct. 9, Malathaat romped by 7 3/4 lengths next out in the one-mile Tempted S. at Aqueduct Nov. 6.

"In her first two wins, she was pretty straightforward and didn't get a lot of dirt in her face or anything like that," conditioner Todd Pletcher said. "She was on-and-off the bridle and a little bit green, still, and there was a little bit of traffic, but in the end, she found more and showed the quality filly that she is. Some lesser quality horses might have thrown in the towel at some stage, but when she got rolling, she was impressive."

He continued, "She wasn't comfortable inside. I think she was unsure of the footing early on. Sometimes drawing the rail is great and this time it seemed to have backfired on us a couple of times. In the final eighth of a mile, she was able to get into her comfort zone and rhythm and that's when she showed what she's all about."

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Todd Pletcher & John Velazquez | Sarah Andrew



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TRUE TIMBER WINS THE CIGAR MILE (G1)

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Demoiselle cont.

“Her class was what kept her going and got her there on time,” said Hall of Fame rider John Velazquez. “She was never comfortable and not running into a spot I wanted. She never really put that much effort into keeping a spot. Finally, when I tipped her out heading to the quarter-pole, she started running.”

Pedigree Notes:

Malathaat is the 35th graded winner for leading sire Curlin and one of 72 black-type scorers by the Hill ‘n’ Dale kingpin. She is also one of two graded winners at Aqueduct Saturday out of an A.P. Indy mare, following GIII Go For Wand H. heroine Sharp Starr. Malathaat is a daughter of Grade I winner and fellow ‘TDN Rising Star’ Dreaming of Julia (A.P. Indy), who was campaigned by Barbara Banke’s Stonestreet Stables with Pletcher and Velazquez. Out of dual Grade I victress Dream Rush (Wild Rush), Dreaming of Julia is a half-sister to ‘TDN Rising Stars’ Dream Pauline (Tapit), a two-time Grade III winner, and Atreides (Medaglia d’Oro), a stakes-winning young stallion. Malathaat is the third foal out of Dreaming of Julia, but the first to make the races. The 10-year-old mare has since produced a yearling colt by Medaglia d’Oro and a weanling Curlin filly. She was bred back to Medaglia d’Oro.

Saturday, Aqueduct

DEMOISELLE S.-GII, \$150,000, Aqueduct, 12-5, 2yo, f, 1 1/8m, 1:52.36, sy.

1--**MALATHAAT, 120, f, 2, by Curlin**

1st Dam: Dreaming of Julia (GISW, \$874,500), by A.P. Indy

2nd Dam: Dream Rush, by Wild Rush

3rd Dam: Turbo Dream, by Unbridled

‘TDN Rising Star’ 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. (\$1,050,000 Ylg ‘19 KEESEP). O-Shadwell Stable; B-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC (KY); T-Todd A. Pletcher; J-John R. Velazquez. \$82,500. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, \$172,150. **Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.** Werk Nick Rating: **A+++ *Triple Plus***.

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2--**Millefeuille, 118, f, 2, Curlin--Bandana, by War Front.**

O/B-Juddmonte Farms Inc (KY); T-William I. Mott. \$30,000.

3--**Malibu Curl, 118, f, 2, Curlin--Prospector’s Moon, by Malibu**

Moon. O/B-Woodslane Farm (KY); T-Thomas Albertrani. \$18,000.

Webster Training Center Broken & Trained
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Margins: 3/4, 4HF, 1. Odds: 0.45, 3.15, 8.00.

Also Ran: Cafe Society, Traffic Lane, Celestial Cheetah.

Scratched: Caramocha, Dollar Mountain.

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ANOTHER NY-BRED ‘STARRS’ AT AQUEDUCT IN GO FOR WAND



Sharp Starr | Sarah Andrew

Sharp Starr (Munnings) became the second New York-bred to defeat open company in a graded event at Aqueduct Saturday, defeating her elders in the GIII Go For Wand H. Co-favored at 6-5, the Barry Schwartz homebred pressed from second, glued to the outside hip of leader **Portal Creek** (Shanghai Bobby) through opening splits of :23.26 and :46.72. Scrubbed on by Jose Ortiz turning for home, the bay was the only one chasing after Portal Creek in the stretch as they pulled well clear of the others. Sharp Starr dug deep to collar the pacesetter late for a neck success. It was the first graded victory for her trainer Horacio DePaz.

“She definitely likes the track, but I think she likes the one-turn mile a little bit better,” said DePaz. “It set up for her. I was happy she could repeat that last effort. Even in her two-turn races, she wants to put herself there, but she has those bad starts and afterwards she can’t get up there. She’s breaking so much better and getting herself into the race. The way she breaks and gets herself close, she’s able to finish up nicely.”

“They were running her two turns and she was breaking a little slow,” said winning pilot Jose Ortiz. “Last time, when we brought her back to a one-turn mile, she broke well and that suited her better. They stuck with that racing style today. She broke sharp. She was there for me every time I asked her.” **Cont. p10**



The uniquely blazed Sharp Starr and Jose Ortiz entering the Aqueduct winner's circle | Sarah Andrew

Breaking her maiden at fourth asking in a state-bred event at Belmont July 2, Sharp Starr was second in an NY-bred allowance at Saratoga 20 days later and was third next out in the Empire-bred Fleet Indian S. at the Spa Sept. 4. Seventh in the GII Black-Eyed Susan S. at Pimlico Oct. 3, she demolished a New York-bred allowance over track and trip Nov. 7, winning by 15 3/4 lengths.

Pedigree Notes:

Sharp Starr is the 43rd black-type winner and 18th graded stakes winner for her sire Munnings. The victor is a half-sibling to MSP Papa Shot (Distorted Humor). Their dam Mindy Gold (A.P. Indy)--a half-sister to GISP Noble Causeway (Giant's Causeway)--is also responsible for the 2-year-old colt V Pattern (Street Sense); a yearling filly by Twirling Candy; and a weanling colt by Cairo Prince. The 13-year-old mare was bred back to Cairo Prince this spring. Sharp Starr's third dam is MGISW Classy Cathy (Private Account). This is also the family of Grade I-winning New York-bred Audible (Into Mischief).

Saturday, Aqueduct

GO FOR WAND H.-GIII, \$100,000, Aqueduct, 12-5, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:36.75, sy.

1--**SHARP STARR, 117, f, 3, by Munnings**

1st Dam: Mindy Gold, by A.P. Indy

2nd Dam: Mimi's Golden Girl, by Seeking the Gold

3rd Dam: Classy Cathy, by Private Account

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. O-Barry K.

Schwartz; B-Stonewall Farm (NY); T-Horacio DePaz; J-Jose L.

Ortiz. \$55,000. Lifetime Record: 9-3-2-2, \$174,015. *1/2 to

Papa Shot (Distorted Humor), MSP, \$510,668. **Werk Nick**

Rating: A+. Click for the **eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

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2--**Portal Creek, 119, f, 4, Shanghai Bobby--Silent Stream, by Tricky Creek.** (\$22,000 Ylg '17 KEESEP). O-Ten Strike Racing; B-White Fox Farm (KY); T-Juan Carlos Guerrero. \$20,000.

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3--**Nonna Madeline, 123, f, 4, Candy Ride (Arg)--Cool Storm, by Storm Cat.** (\$130,000 Ylg '17 KEESEP). O-Teresa Viola Racing Stables & St. Elias Stable; B-WinStar Farm, LLC (KY); T-Todd A. Pletcher. \$12,000.

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Margins: NK, 12, HF. Odds: 1.25, 7.60, 1.25.

Also Ran: Stand for the Flag, Graceful Princess, Overheated.

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NYRA ANNOUNCES JOCKEY PROTOCOLS FOR AQUEDUCT WINTER MEET

The New York Racing Association released their COVID-19 health and safety protocols for jockeys during the 2020/21 Aqueduct winter meet, which will open Thursday, Dec. 10 and run through Sunday, Mar. 28.

In order to mitigate risk and reduce the spread of COVID-19, Aqueduct will be closed to riders that are not regular members of the NYRA jockey colony as of Dec. 31. To account for NYRA's 10-day holiday break from Dec. 21 through Dec. 30, jockeys interested in being included in the regular NYRA jockey colony must contact NYRA for consideration by Dec. 31.

Members of the regular NYRA jockey colony who travel to ride at any other racetrack during the Aqueduct winter meet will be required to provide two negative COVID-19 tests taken within a five-day window in order to return to ride at Aqueduct. Jockeys traveling out of state who have completed the required testing will then be physically isolated in the jockey quarters for three additional calendar days. All COVID-19 testing must be performed in New York state.

In addition to race day safety protocols which include standard health screening and temperature checks, the jockey quarters at Aqueduct have been substantially altered to provide maximum social distancing and reduce density. All areas accessed by jockeys during the regular course of a race day are closed to outside personnel, including credentialed media, and are cleaned and disinfected throughout the day.

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Aqueduct Jockey Protocols cont.

Jockeys are not permitted access to the barn area at Belmont Park. Jockey agents must produce a negative COVID-19 test in order to gain access to the barn area. Races will continue to be drawn via Zoom. Valets working in the jockey quarters are not permitted in the barn area.

Live racing during the Aqueduct winter meet will generally be conducted Thursday through Sunday until the end of February with the addition of special Monday cards Jan. 18 for Martin Luther King, Jr. Day and Feb. 15 for Presidents' Day. Live racing will be held Friday through Sunday through the month of March.

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VETERAN TRAINER BOB HESS, SR. DIES OF COVID-19



Bob Hess, Sr. (right), 1934-2020 | *Vassar Photography*

Bob Hess, Sr., who began training in the late 1950s and saddled his last horses in November, passed away Saturday due to the effects of COVID-19. He was 86.

Golden Gate Fields, where Hess was based, was **closed in mid-November** and is **not set to reopen until after Christmas** due to a rash of COVID positives. Hess was hospitalized with the virus around the same time the track was closed, eventually released, and then readmitted when his symptoms returned.

According to The Stronach Group, owner of Golden Gate, Hess was born Oct. 10, 1934, and began training in Washington State in the 1950s after serving in the U.S. Army. He was part of the Agua Caliente training ranks in the 1960s and finally moved to Golden Gate in 1971, where he remained based for the past five decades. He was consistently among the Northern California leaders. Hess saddled 1,592 winners from 10,448 starters, with his runners earning more than \$17.2 million. His final winner was in an Oct. 29 claimer with 3-year-old Just Like Fred (Ultimate Eagle).

“Our hearts and prayers are with the entire Hess family at this time,” said David Duggan, General Manager at Golden Gate. “To lose a longtime trainer and friend is simply heartbreaking to our entire horse racing family.”

Golden Gate’s Director of Racing, Patrick Mackey, added: “Bob was a wonderful horseman who was always there for his fellow race tracker. His stories were legendary. He was a wealth of knowledge and imparted that knowledge to many over the years. He was a great man and his presence here at Golden Gate Fields will be sorely missed.”

Hess is survived by his wife Maria, to whom he was married for 56 years, and four children: Bob, Jr. (who is also a trainer), Howie, Erica, and Anna. Services are pending.

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AMOSS NAMED BIG SPORT OF TURFDOM WINNER



Tom Amoss | *Hodges Photography*

Trainer and racing analyst Tom Amoss will be recognized by the Turf Publicists of America (TPA) with the 2020 Big Sport of Turfdom award, presented annually at the University of Arizona Race Track Industry Program’s annual awards luncheon during the Symposium on Racing & Gaming. With this year’s symposium cancelled due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Amoss will be jointly recognized next year with the 2021 winner.

The Big Sport of Turfdom award honors a person or team who enhances coverage of Thoroughbred racing through cooperation with media and racing publicists.

“Tom Amoss’ passion for racing, and his generously sharing his knowledge with fans through his broadcast work, is the embodiment of the Big Sport of Turfdom award,” TPA President Amy Gregory said. “He understands the importance of educating fans and conveying why they should love this sport. We congratulate Tom on his racing success and on winning this year’s award.” **Cont. p12**

Big Sport of Turfdom cont.

Amoss, who has accrued more than 3,800 victories and \$107 million in career earnings since taking out his trainer's license in 1987, has been represented this year by GI Ballerina S. winner Serengeti Empress (Alternation), who also won the 2019 GI Kentucky Oaks, and GI Woody Stephens S. winner No Parole (Violence). He has also provided racing analysis for TVG, ESPN, NYRA TV, and FOX Sports.

Presented annually since 1966, the Big Sport of Turfdom award went to Mark Casse last year, with previous winners including such luminaries as John Asher, Bill Shoemaker, Eddie Arcaro, Jack Van Berg, Penny Chenery, Jim McKay, and Joe Hirsch. For a complete list of winners, visit turfpublicists.com/awards.html.

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SOLID CAST OF OVERACHIEVERS SHINES IN CLAIMING CROWN

by T.D. Thornton



2020 success story Fiya, one of the Claiming Crown winners Saturday
Derbe Glass

Short-money favorites getting class relief while dropping out of graded stakes company set the tone in the nine-race Claiming Crown (CC) series Saturday at Gulfstream Park.

Luis Saez won six races overall (five in CC stakes), and trainer Mike Maker was one of nine separate trainers to hit the winner's circle in the CC races, posting his 18th career CC win to lead the series that began back in 1999 as a blue-collar version of the Breeders' Cup.

Conducted under starter-allowance conditions pegged to previous-race claiming prices, the CC is designed to honor and reward horses who compete in the types of races that form the backbone of day-to-day American racing. The annual event is a partnership between the National Horsemen's Benevolent and

Protective Association (NHBP) and the Thoroughbred Owners and Breeders Association (TOBA), and Gulfstream has evolved into the host track over the past nine years while slotting the series as the opening-weekend focal point of its championship winter meet.

As usual, many of Saturday's CC winners could have been had at the claim box earlier in their careers for relatively low asking prices prior to rounding into higher-profile overachievers.

Jesus' Team (Tapiture), the grind-it-out 2-5 winner of the featured \$150,000 CC Jewel S. over nine furlongs, is the prime example. The 3-year-old colt broke his maiden for \$32,000 at Gulfstream last March and was then dangled for a \$25,000 tag with no takers when airing at the NWL2 level. He consistently punched above his weight during 2020 while earning top-four placings in Grade I and II stakes, including a 40-1 third in GI Preakness S. and second at 62-1 in the GI Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile.

Saez kept Jesus' Team parked at the rail behind legitimate splits, tipping out at the head of the lane for a length-of-stretch reeling in of the pacemaker and a three-quarters of a length score.

Trainer Jose D'Angelo said post-win that the Grupo 7C Racing Stable color bearer will now target the Jan. 23 GI Pegasus World Cup over the same Gulfstream surface that has accounted for all three career wins for Jesus' Team.

Jakarta (Bustin Stones), the 4-5 victress of the \$90,000 CC Distaff Dash S. over five furlongs on the turf, is another admirable rise-through-the-ranks tale. She toiled at the \$16,000 claiming ranks at Penn National as recently as 15 months ago, then improved enough to take a crack at tougher graded company in New York, Kentucky, and Canada during most of 2020.

Jakarta customarily heads straight to the front (on top at first call in 13 of 17 lifetime races), but she came away tardily on Saturday before rallying behind a 23-1 sacrificial speedster to open up late and win by 2 1/4 lengths for owner Three Diamonds Farm, trainer Maker, and jockey Saez.

Krsto Skye (City Zip) wired the \$75,000 CC Express S. over six furlongs as the 3-5 favorite, continuing Saturday's "dominant dropping faves" trend after second- and fourth-place efforts in two recent Grade III sprints. He registered a 1 1/4-length win for owners Daniel Feit and Carlos David, with David training and Irad Ortiz, Jr. in the saddle. That's a sharp score for a gelding who started 2020 claimed in back-to-back \$16,000 races.

While the above winners all represented bygone chances on the part of rivals who missed out on claims at lower asking prices, several CC winners on Saturday were the products of bigger-ticket purchases after initially racing for more modest claiming prices. **Cont. p13**

Claiming Crown cont.



Krysto Skye | *Coglianesi*

Fiya (Friesan Fire) began his career in November 2019 as a \$25,000 maiden-claimer in Maryland but was purchased for \$400,000 at the Wanamaker's July 2020 online sale after a sizzling 98-Beyer win that was .25 seconds off the Laurel turf course record. He has since won three straight turf sprints, including an allowance, a division of the Maryland Million stakes, and now the \$90,000 CC Canterbury S. at 1-2 odds for owner Robert Masiello and trainer Tom Albertrani. Saez was up for the 1 1/2-length wire job, which ran Fiya's record to five-for-five in 2020.

The win by **Queens Embrace** (Real Solution) in the \$95,000 CC Tiara S. also had an "immediate return on investment" ring to it. The 3-year-old filly broke her maiden for a \$16,000 tag Jan. 1 at Tampa Bay Downs. Four additional wins and eight months later, she was claimed for \$80,000 at Belmont Park by the partnership of Spedale Family Racing LLC and Flying P Stable. It appears as if the CC was the optimal target for trainer Danny Gargan, and Queens Embrace delivered as the 23-10 second choice with a four-wide late kick under Saez that put her 2 3/4 lengths clear at the wire.

Earlier this year, **Avant Garde** (Tonalist) required five starts to break his maiden for a tag, and he was claimed along the way for \$10,000 by trainer Jesus Lander on behalf of owner Gelfenstein Farm. That change of barns ignited a five-of six win streak, during which the gelding's only loss was a fourth in the GIII Oklahoma Derby. Back to the track where he now owns a five-for-six record, Avant Garde shot up the rail in deep stretch on Saturday to earn a half-length win at 6-1 odds under Leonel Reyes in the \$85,000 CC Rapid Transit S. over seven furlongs.

Descente (Bodemeister) was the only CC stakes winner cut from the mold of being claimed repeatedly while earning her oats with gaudy, open-length victories at the lower end of the totem pole. Since Dec. 4, 2019, the 4-year-old filly has been

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claimed no fewer than six times, including for \$6,250 in her most recent start at Gulfstream Park West 48 days ago.

Her 4 1/2-length win at 7-2 odds in the \$80,000 CC Glass Slipper over a mile for Walder Racing and trainer Peter Walder marked the second consecutive victory in that stakes for Walder, who has now won five CC races during the 22-year run of the series. Miguel Vasquez rode.

High Noon Rider (Distorted Humor) was the bomb-thrower of the CC bunch. He orchestrated a 55-1, half-length upset of the \$95,000 CC Emerald S. for lifetime win number 15. GenStar Thoroughbreds owns, Saffie Joseph, Jr. trains, and Edgard Zayas rode. This 9-year-old gelding had never gone off at odds that high in 55 career tries (34-1 previous high), and had recently been sent postward favored or close to it while competing in the starter-allowance ranks.

The nose win by **Frost or Frippery** (Lewis Michael) in the finale on the card, the \$75,000 CC Iron Horse S., was the tightest finish on the day, barely earning jockey Saez his six-pack of victories. The 3-1 shot owned by Steve Landers Racing LLC and trained by Brad Cox registered lifetime score number 21 and win number eight during this calendar year, which puts Frost or Frippery in a three-way tie for most victories in North America in 2020.

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1	Miss Stormy D	Tapizar	Keith Brackpool	Gaines	Rispoli	7-2
2	Blue Diva	Bluegrass Cat	Frankly Speaking, LLC	Tamayo	Gonzalez	4-1
3	Donut Girl	Smiling Tiger	Cunningham Stables	Cunningham	Maldonado	12-1
4	Stellar Sound	Tapit	Don Alberto Stable	McCarthy	Espinoza	9-5
5	Message	Warrior's Reward	Baoma Corporation	Baffert	Prat	7-2
6	Proud Emma	Include	Gem, Inc. and Kageby, Tom	Miller	Smith	9-2

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4th-Aqueduct, \$80k, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, post time: 1:45 ET

AUNT KAT (Uncle Mo) cost owner Carl Pollard \$410,000 at Keeneland September in 2018 and is the latest to make the races for her multiple graded-stakes winning dam Carolyn's Cat (Forestry), who has already been responsible for GSW 'TDN Rising Star' Mufajaah (Tapit). The filly's Grade III-winning second dam is People's Princess (Meadowlake), a full-sister to GSW & GISP Meadow Flight. Aunt Kat is bred on the same cross as champion and leading 2020 freshman sire Nyquist. **TJCS PPs**

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IN ORDER OF PURSE:

MARYLAND JUVENILE FUTURITY, \$100,000, Laurel, 12-5, (S), 2yo, 7f, 1:25.07, ft.

1--**JAXON TRAVELER**, 122, c, 2, by **Munnings**

1st Dam: Listen Boy (SP), by After Market

2nd Dam: Shadow of Mine, by Belong to Me

3rd Dam: Gold Shadow, by Mr. Prospector

(\$80,000 Ylg '19 KESEEP; \$140,000 2yo '20 OBSAPR).

'**TDN Rising Star**' **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN**. O-West Point Thoroughbreds & Marvin Delfiner; B-A. Leonard Pineau (MD); T-Steven M. Asmussen; J-Johan Rosado. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, \$120,762.

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2--**Singlino**, 122, g, 2, Uncle Lino--Signaling, by Smoke Glacken. O/T-John E. Worsley; B-Sycamore Hall Thoroughbreds, LLC (MD). \$20,000.

3--**Latin Spice**, 122, g, 2, Buffum--Spanish Dream, by Sharp Humor. (\$10,000 Ylg '19 EASOCT). O-Jason DaCosta & Calypso Stable; B-Sergio Gomez (MD); T-Jason DaCosta. \$10,000.

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Margins: 3/4, 3, 3 1/4. Odds: 0.30, 14.50, 47.30.

Also Ran: Ain't Da Beer Cold, Alwaysinahurry, Doubleseven, Hunter Joe.

West Point Thoroughbreds and Melvin Delfiner's Jaxon Traveler made all to remain undefeated in Saturday's Maryland Juvenile Futurity at Laurel Park.

Sent off the piping hot 1-5 choice in a field of seven, Jaxon Traveler set off to the front, and was flanked by Singlino through a quarter-mile in :22.56 and a half in 45.61. Kicking clear from Singlino turning for home, Jaxon Traveler started to get a little leg-weary late, but held off Singlino by 3/4 of a length at the wire. Latin Spice rallied to be third.

"It's been a real treat to watch him develop. Each time he's shipped down to Maryland he's been a total professional," said Dawn Lenert, West Point's chief of marketing and director of partner relations. "We're very lucky to have a horse like this. Our partners have come out to watch him and cheer for him, both here and on TV. It's just been a super treat for them to be



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associated with this type of horse.”

Earning ‘**TDN Rising Star**’ billing following a 10-length debut score at Pimlico Sept. 25, the Steve Asmussen trainee made it two straight with another front-running victory going six panels against Laurel’s optional claiming company Oct. 23.

In regard to where the colt may start next, Lenert added, “We’ll talk to Steve. I know we wanted to see how he did today at seven [furlongs]. We could stretch him out in the Jerome [S. Jan. 1] going a mile, however, Laurel just put up that Spectacular Bid S. going seven furlongs in January. He proved he could go seven today, we’ll see what he does next time.”

The winner’s dam stakes-placed Listen Boy produced a filly by Street Boss last season and was bred to Cross Traffic this term. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

INAUGURAL S., \$100,000, Tampa Bay Downs, 12-5, 2yo, 6f, 1:10.05, ft.

1--**POPPY'S PRIDE**, 124, g, 2, by Khozan

1st Dam: Lovely Lexi, by With Distinction

2nd Dam: Slick Lady, by Unreal Zeal

3rd Dam: Beaty Sark, by Deputy Minister

O/B-Stonehedge LLC (FL); T-Michael Yates; J-Samy Camacho. \$80,000. Lifetime Record: 6-4-1-1, \$211,724.

2--**Al Heybay**, 118, c, 2, Shanghai Bobby--Circumstance, by Vindication. (\$37,000 Ylg '19 KEEJAN). O-Al Rashid Stables LLC; B-Olin B Gentry (KY); T-Juan Carlos Avila. \$10,000.

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3--**Thealligatorhunter**, 118, c, 2, Overanalyze--Garden Gloves, by Stormy Atlantic. O/B-Peter D Mattson & Tim P Padilla (MN); T-Tim P Padilla. \$5,000.

Margins: 2 3/4, HF, HD. Odds: 1.20, 4.50, 30.00.

Also Ran: Gatsby, Arrest Me Red, Tapsasional.

Poppy’s Pride ran her rivals ragged for a third consecutive black-type victory in Saturday’s Inaugural S. at Tampa.

Rousted along after breaking just fairly from gate one, the Gil Campbell homebred covered her opening two furlongs in :21.89 before taking token mid-race pressure from Gatsby (Brethren). Asked to sprint after a half in :44.70, Poppy’s Pride pinched a break and was never in danger as Al Heybay made belated progress up the fence.

Poppy’s Pride walloped a field of state-bred maidens to graduate at Gulfstream Aug. 27, won an off-turf renewal of the Allied Forces S. in Hallandale Sept. 26 and was exiting a front-running defeat of Gatsby in the Juvenile Sprint S. at Gulfstream West Nov. 14.

One of seven stakes winners for her sire, Poppy’s Pride hails from the female family of Campbell’s Ivanavalot (West Acre), the dam of dual Eclipse Award winner Songbird (Medaglia d’Oro). Lovely Lexi is the dam of a yearling gelding by He’s Had Enough, a weanling full-sister and was bred back to St Patrick’s Day.

“This race was a little sooner than what we anticipated running him back,” winning trainer Michael Yates said. “But he came out of that race so well and was doing so well, it just made sense to do it. I thought he ran a great race today. He was used a little harder than normal early and had to dig in, but he kept on running. He’s a real horse.” **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

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Non-Resident Mares: In order for her foal to be eligible to be registered as a NY-bred, a non-resident mare must FOAL in New York State, remain in the state for a total continuous period of 90 days (including the time before and after foaling) AND be BRED BACK to a registered New York stallion before leaving the state.

For a complete description of these newly adopted rules, [CLICK HERE](#).

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MARYLAND JUVENILE FILLY CHAMPIONSHIP S., \$100,000, Laurel, 12-5, (S), 2yo, f, 7f, 1:24.83, ft.

1--**STREET LUTE, 122, f, 2, by Street Magician**

1st Dam: Alottalute, by Midnight Lute

2nd Dam: Lt. Lorraine, by In Excess (Ire)

3rd Dam: Danish Alamode, by Regal Classic

(\$10,500 Ylg '19 EASOCT). O-Lucky 7 Stables; B-Dr. & Mrs. Thomas Bowman & Dr. Brooke Bowman (MD); T-John J. Robb; J-Xavier Perez. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 5-4-1-0, \$230,220.



2--**Juror Number Four, 122, f, 2, Into Mischief--Tasha's Moon, by Malibu Moon.** (\$100,000 Ylg '19 EASOCT). O-Cash is King LLC & LC Racing LLC; B-Classic Thoroughbred XXIX (MD); T-Brittany Russell. \$20,000.



3--**Maxine's Tap Room, 122, f, 2, Bourbon Courage--Sunday in Malibu, by Malibu Moon.** (\$135,000 2yo '20 EASMAY). O-William S. Sparks; B-Ronald Harris Parker (MD); T-Ron Moquett. \$10,000.

Margins: 1 3/4, 3/4, NO. Odds: 2.00, 4.30, 3.90.

Also Ran: Buckey's Charm, Targe, Liam's Missy, Miss Nondescript, Heartful, Trip to Freedom.

Street Lute brought an enviable record into the Maryland Juvenile Filly Championship--three wins from four starts--including in her last out, the Nov. 14 Smart Halo S. at Laurel. Her lone lifetime loss was a neck second in the Maryland Million Lassie S. Oct. 24. to the re-opposing Miss Nondescript (Mosler).

Breaking from the two spot Saturday, Street Lute was forward but patient, settling along the rail in third as the first quarter went in :22.70. She stayed put though a half in :46.47, then split horses to take command and power home an easy 1 3/4-length winner despite drifting out down the stretch.

The chestnut is one of six stakes winners for her Maryland-based sire and the first black-type winner out of a daughter of Midnight Lute. Her unraced dam has a yearling colt by Editorial and a weanling full-sister to Street Lute. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

PAN ZARETA S., \$75,000, Fair Grounds, 12-5, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2ft, 1:03.13, gd.

1--**ELLE Z, 116, f, 3, City Zip--Court Appeal, by Candy Ride (Arg).**

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. (\$7,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP; \$72,000 RNA 2yo '19 OBSOPN). O-M Bar O LLC; B-W S Farish & Lazy F Ranch (KY); T-Chris A. Hartman; J-Mitchell Murrill. \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 7-4-0-0, \$131,024.



2--**Into Mystic, 118, f, 4, Into Mischief--Loveofalifetime, by Medaglia d'Oro.** (\$650,000 2yo '18 OBSAPR). O-George Chris Coleman & Brad King; B-Runnymede Farm Inc & Catesby W Clay Investment 2 LLC (KY); T-Brendan P Walsh. \$15,000.



3--**Winning Envelope, 118, f, 4, More Than Ready--Granby Girl, by Badge of Silver.** (\$3,000 2yo '18 KEEJAN). O-Lothenbach Stables Inc. (Bob Lothenbach); B-Ramspring Farm (KY); T-Chris M Block. \$7,500.



Margins: 1, NK, NK. Odds: 13.30, 1.60, 5.60.

Also Ran: Play On, A Bit of Both, Change of Control, Dance Rhythms, Best Kept Secret, Sterling Miss, Xanthique, Mucho Amor, On Probation. Scratched: Dixieincandyland, Our Lost Love.

Elle Z did not offer nearly the 47-1 that she returned when wiring a Keeneland turf sprint allowance Oct. 15, but those who backed her were treated to another front-running display, good for a first black-type tally at a fat 13-1 in the Pan Zareta S.

Soon in front for Mitchell Murrill, Elle Z skipped along on an uncontested lead, looked in some danger as Play On (Country Day) turned up the pressure a furlong and a half from home, but stuck to her guns and held on to defeat favored Into Mystic.

Out of a half-sister to SW & GISP Closing Bell (Tapit), GISW Mani Bhavan (Storm Boot) and GSW Hear the Ghost (Ghostzapper), Elle Z has a 2-year-old half-brother by Noble Mission (GB) and a yearling half-sister by Tonalist. Court Appeal produced a Karakontie (Jpn) filly this year, was bred back to that sire and fetched \$40,000 this year at Keeneland November.

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SANDPIPER S., \$50,000, Tampa Bay Downs, 12-5, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:09.76, ft.

1--**FEELING MISCHIEF, 118, f, 2, Into Mischief--True Feelings (GSP, \$111,205), by Latent Heat.** (\$340,000 RNA Ylg '19 KEESSEP). **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-Mellon Patch, Inc.; B-Stonehaven Steadings (KY); T-Michael B. Campbell; J-Jesus Lopez Castanon. \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, \$61,100.

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2--**Gulf Coast, 118, f, 2, Union Rags--Sweet Success, by Candy Ride (Arg).** (\$240,000 Ylg '19 KEESSEP; \$300,000 2yo '20 OBSMAR). O-WinStar Stablemates Racing LLC; B-G. Watts Humphrey Jr. & W. S. Farish (KY); T-Rodolphe Brisset. \$10,000.

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3--**Little Nesso, 118, f, 2, Midshipman--Nesso, by Roman Ruler.** O-Amaty Racing Stables; B-Amaty Racing Stables (KY); T-Mauricio Fuentes. \$5,000.

Margins: 2, 1 1/4, 2. Odds: 3.00, 3.30, 15.00.

Also Ran: Briella, Battle Cry, Special Princess, Wholebodemeister, You Never Call, Striking Chrome, Molly's Angel, Hara. Scratched: Nurse Judy, Sister Aurora.

Feeling Mischief was a runaway eight-length maiden special weight winner at Colonial Aug. 3, then came back for a third in an optional allowance at Keeneland Oct. 4. The 3-1 favorite to secure her first black-type at first asking in the Sandpiper S., Feeling Mischief emerged from the early fray in a stalking second through fractions of :22.26 and :44.74.

The bay set her sights on frontrunning Briella (Cajun Breeze) before pouncing on the turn. The two pulled away from the rest before Feeling Mischief put her rival away and crossed the wire all alone for a two-length victory. Gulf Coast and Little Nesso passed Briella late to report home in the place and show spots.

Feeling Mischief is the second stakes performer out of her dam, whose current sophomore Royal Act (American Pharoah) was second in the GIII Robert B. Lewis S. earlier this year. True Feelings--second in the 2011 GIII Schuylerville S.--has a weanling colt by Justify and has been bred back to Quality Road. She is a half-sister to the dam of 2006 Eclipse champion Wait a While (Maria's Mon) from the immediate family of 2010 Eclipse champion Lookin At Lucky (Smart Strike).

"I thought she was a [sure] winner today," trainer Michael Campbell said. "She is just a spectacular horse, and today I let her go because she doesn't want to be restricted. She wants to be a free-running horse and we took that approach."

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NYSS FIFTH AVENUE S., \$250,000, (S), 2yo, f, 7f

PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1 Gray Destiny	Mission Impazible	Lezcano	Clement	5-2
2 Tangerine Dream	Big Brown	Marquez	Grusmark	50-1
3 Shanes Pretty Lady	Bellamy Road	Rosario	Pletcher	6-1
4 Jill's a Hot Mess	Laoban	Velazquez	Kimmel	20-1
5 Pazzion	Mission Impazible	Worrie	Englehart	30-1
6 Ms Wicked	War Dancer	Davis	Potts	12-1
7 Vive La Liberty	Bellamy Road	Cardenas	Quick	50-1
8 Pop the Bubbly	War Dancer	Franco	Nevin	12-1
9 Athena Dancer	War Dancer	J. Ortiz	Potts	10-1
10 U Should B Dancing	War Dancer	Alvarado	Kelly	20-1
11 Laobanoprayer	Laoban	Carmouche	Velazquez	9-5
12 Flower's Fortune	Effinex	Vargas	Englehart	10-1

Sunday, Aqueduct, post time: 3:45 p.m. EDT

NYSS GREAT WHITE WAY S., \$250,000, (S), 2yo, 7f

PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	ML
1 Prospect Mountain	Teufflesberg	Hernandez	Ferraro	50-1
2 It's Gravy	Freud	Rosario	Breen	12-1
3 New York One	Big Brown	Peterson	Chapman	20-1
4 The King Cheek	Laoban	Rodriguez	Ness	15-1
5 Jacks American Pie	Micromanage	Marquez	Grusmark	50-1
6 Market Alert	D'Funnybone	Lezcano	Ryerson	12-1
7 Dreamer's Disease	Laoban	Davis	Diodoro	8-5
8 Hold the Salsa	Hold Me Back	Alvarado	Lugovich	6-1
9 Horn of Plenty	Emcee	Carmouche	Atras	10-1
10 Jacoba	Laoban	Vargas	Englehart	30-1
11 Uno	Laoban	J. Ortiz	Pletcher	5-2
12 Windy Nations	Soaring Empire	Franco	Maker	20-1



IN ORDER OF PURSE:

8th-Fair Grounds, \$48,000, Alw (NW1X), Opt. Clm (\$17,500), 12-5, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10.49, ft, 1/2 length.

ENERGIZER (c, 3, Uncle Mo--Spark {MSP, \$119,443}, by Speightstown), who broke his maiden first off a five-month absence at Ellis in August, was a longshot second in Churchill allowance company Sept. 25 and was sixth in a similar spot at that venue Nov. 1. Beaten for speed and trapped very wide after breaking from the 11 hole, the 7-1 shot tracked into it nicely while deep on the turn, was a bit one-paced with a couple of lengths to find at the furlong grounds, but found extra under energetic left-handed urging to best Verb (Dialed In) by a half-length. Energizer shares his second dam--GI Kentucky Derby hero Monarchos's full-sister Mon Belle (Maria's Mon)--with

recent impressive Churchill allowance winner Silver State (Hard Spun). Spark, a half-sister to Silver State's SW & GSP dam Supreme (Empire Maker), is the dam of the 2-year-old colt Surge (Frosted), the yearling filly Live Wire (Uncle Mo) and a Justify colt that was bought back on a bid of \$400,000 at Fasig-Tipton November. Spark was most recently served by Omaha Beach. Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-1, \$84,989. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O/B-Peter E Blum Thoroughbreds LLC (KY); T-Steve Asmussen.

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7th-Fair Grounds, \$43,000, Alw (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 12-5, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:37.86, gd, 2 lengths.

BURNING AMBITION (f, 2, Uncle Mo--Do You Remember {SAf} {G1SW-SAF, GSP-Aus, \$166,603}, by Silvano {Ger}) made it two in a row while stepping up from a maiden win at Indiana Grand Oct. 26. Sent off at just over 2-1, the dark bay broke well and settled midpack on the inside behind a first quarter of :23.61 and stayed put through a half in :48.34. Full of run, Burning Ambition tried to slip through on the rail into the stretch, but was cut off by Killer Dress (Carpe Diem) and had to steady before making another attempt to go outside that rival. On her wrong lead, she burst through and powered clear down the lane for a two-length score over a closing Magnetism (Street Boss). The Michael De Broglio homebred is the first foal out of her globetrotting Group 1-winning dam, who also has a yearling colt by American Pharoah and was bred back to Arrogate for 2021. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$53,342. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O/B-Michael De Broglio (KY); T-Brad H. Cox.

2nd-Turfway, \$35,000, Alw (NW1X), Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 12-4, 2yo, 1m (AWT), 1:37.70, ft, 3 1/2 lengths.

LIKE THE KING (c, 2, Palace Malice--Like a Queen {SP, \$125,125}, by Corinthian), a 7 1/2-length maiden winner over the Belterra turf Sept. 9, was a distant third to stablemate Next (Not This Time) in an off-turf allowance at Keeneland Oct. 24. Narrowly favored at 19-10 for this synthetic debut, the \$28,000 KEENOV weanling turned \$170,000 OBSOCT yearling was allowed a soft time of things on the front end through six furlongs in 1:13.13 and sprinted home nicely to score by 3 1/2 lengths. Like a Queen is the dam of the yearling colt Kiss Principal (Maclean's Music) and a weanling Fast Anna colt. She was bred back to Palace Malice. Sales history: \$28,000 Wlg '18 KEENOV; \$170,000 Ylg '19 OBSOCT. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-1, \$39,380. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O-M Racing Group; B-Horseshoe Racing (KY); T-Wesley A Ward.



7th-Remington, \$33,760, Alw (NW1YX), Opt. Clm (\$40,000), 12-4, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10.18, ft, 2 1/2 lengths.

CASHCHECKORCHARGE (f, 4, Will Take Charge--Final Mesa {GSW-US, SW-Can, \$211,602}, by Sky Mesa) won four of six starts on the New Mexico circuit, including last year's Chaves City S. at Zia, and was having her first run since a close fourth in the Jan. 4 Bold Ego H. at Sunland Park. With the pace from the opening bell, the chestnut was in front turning for home, was headed by favored Cherished (Congrats) a furlong out, but fought back gamely to score by a widening 2 1/2 lengths. The runner-up was claimed by Robertino Diodoro. The winner has a 2-year-old full-sister named Fashion Rage, a yearling half-brother El Royal Jefe (Nyquist) and a weanling half-sister by Mastery. Final Mesa, a half-sister to GSW Uncle Camie (Abaginone), was bred to Liam's Map for 2021. Lifetime Record: SW, 7-5-1-0, \$98,119. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O-Simmons Racing, LLC; B-Tom Durant (KY); T-Casey T Lambert.



IN ORDER OF PURSE:

1st-Aqueduct, \$80,000, Msw, 12-5, 2yo, 7f, 1:25.59, sy, 1 1/2 lengths.

WEYBURN (c, 2, Pioneerof the Nile--Sunday Affair, by A.P. Indy) got the Cigar Mile program off to a formful start with an



Weyburn | Sarah Andrew

easy victory. Sent along early to track a modest pace set by longshot Kentucky Knight (Speightstown), the 1.05-1 favorite claimed that one at the head of the lane and was always holding

the late finish of Officiating (Blame). A debut fifth in a six-furlong Belmont maiden Oct. 10, Weyburn improved to be second over this track and distance Nov. 14. The winner is a half-brother to Yorkton (Speightstown), MGSW-Can, GSP-US, \$546,332; and hails from the same Unbridled sire line as Nipigon (Niigon), MSP, \$384,329. Hailing from the female family of champion Sky Beauty (Nijinsky II), GI Breeders' Cup Distaff upsetter Pleasant Home (Seeking the Gold) and MGSWs Pine Island (Arch) and Point of Entry (Dynaformer), Weyburn has a yearling half-sister named Indy Champagne (Curlin) and his dam returned to that stallion for the past breeding season. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$62,520. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O/B-Chiefswood Stables Limited (ON); T-James A Jerkens.

5th-Aqueduct, \$70,000, (S), Msw, 12-5, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:12.16, sy, 7 lengths.

OUT FIRST (f, 2, Outwork--Dia de Encanta, by Harlan's Holiday), became the 16th winner for her freshman sire (by Uncle Mo)



Out First | Sarah Andrew

with a dominating display at second asking. The 6-1 gamble, an even fourth on her Nov. 7 bow over this surface, landed in a stalking third to the turn, but was niggled at and didn't appear to be traveling all that well on the bend. But she was pulled out three wide off the final corner and whooshed away from them late, scoring by seven lengths. Out First is the initial produce for her dam, who is also represented by a yearling Midnight Storm colt. Dia de Encanta most recently visited Astern (Aus). Sales history: \$50,000 RNA Wlg '18 KEENOV; \$22,500 Ylg '19 SARAUG; \$20,000 2yo '20 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$42,700.

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6th-Los Alamitos, \$44,500, Msw, 12-5, 2yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:04.30, ft, 1/2 length.

ABSOLUTE ANNA (f, 2, Raison d'Etat--Grit and Grace, by Tapit) fired three straight local bullets for Hall of Famer Jerry Hollendorfer, capped by a four-furlong breeze in :46 2/5 (1/15) Dec. 2. Outsprinted in ninth early, the 9-2 shot was still out of the screen with three-eighths of a mile remaining. She began to come alive as they straightened for home, and rocketed home scraping the paint with a late rail run to get there in dramatic fashion by a half-length. Lady Mystify (Bernardini) was second. Grit and Grace is also represented by a Goldencents filly of 2019 and a Runhappy filly of this year. Sales history: \$1,500 Wlg '18 KEENOV; \$28,000 Ylg '19 FTKOCT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$25,200. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O-Hollendorfer, LLC & Dennis January; B-Calumet Farm (KY); T-Jerry Hollendorfer.

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3rd-Gulfstream, \$41,000, Msw, 12-5, 2yo, 1mT, 1:34.55, fm, 2 1/2 lengths.

FIGHTING FORCE (c, 2, Air Force Blue--No Splits, by Smart Strike), runner-up to next-out GIII Futurity S. hero Second of July (Jack Milton) on his six-furlong debut over the Belmont turf, was third in a Keeneland off-the-turfer going two turns when last seen Oct. 22. Favored here at 19-10 to become his freshman sire (by War Front)'s 15th winner, Fighting Force got over to the two path after leaving gate eight, clocked pacesetting Conrad the Red (Tonalist) for the opening six furlongs and put that one away late en route to a 2 1/2-length success. A \$55,000 KEENOV weanling and \$100,000 KEESEP RNA, Fighting Force fetched \$400,000 at OBSAPR after breezing a quarter in :20 4/5. That price was the most expensive of 25 first-crop juveniles for this sire. Sales history: \$55,000 Wlg '18 KEENOV; \$100,000 RNA Ylg '19 KEESEP; \$400,000 2yo '20 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, \$43,600. **Click [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.** O-Michael B Tabor, Mrs John Magnier & Derrick Smith; B-Royal Oak Farm LLC et al (KY); T-Todd A Pletcher.

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1st-Gulfstream, \$40,000, Msw, 12-5, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:35.59, fm, 1/2 length.

KARAKATSIE (f, 2, Karakontie {Jpn}--Alexandrite, by Lemon Drop Kid), overlooked at 15-1 for this debut run, raced in traffic in a hard-held fifth, hit the gas with a three-wide move as they approached the top of the stretch and, despite lugging in down

the lane, rolled home a half-length winner over Queen of the Green (Summer Front). A yearling filly by Karakontie (Jpn) and a Destin filly of this year are next in line for the winner's dam. She was barren for 2021. Sales history: \$37,000 RNA Ylg '19 KEESEP; \$15,000 2yo '20 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$24,000.

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O-Chad Schumer & Stephen Screnci; B-Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd. (KY); T-Armando De La Cerda.

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1st-Remington, \$29,000, Msw, 12-4, 2yo, 1m, 1:40.09, ft, 3 1/2 lengths.

WOODHOUSE (c, 2, Speightstown--Magical Dream, by Malibu Moon), the lone firster in a field of seven, was off as the 8-1 fifth shot in a field of seven and was trapped out wide down the backstretch. Forced to cover ground on the turn, he nevertheless overhauled pacesetting and heavily favored Race Craft (Street Sense) at the eighth pole and pulled away to take it by 3 1/2 lengths. Woodhouse is out of an unraced half-sister to MGSW Dream Rush (Wild Rush), the dam of GISW and 'TDN Rising Star' Dreaming of Julia (A.P. Indy), whose 'Rising Star' daughter Malathaat (Curlin) won Saturday's GII Demoiselle S.; MGSW and 'Rising Star' Dream Pauline (Tapit); and SW Atreides (Medaglia d'Oro), also a 'TDN Rising Star.' Magical Dream is the dam of the yearling colt Pipe Rules (Candy Ride {Arg}), a weanling filly by Tapit and was most recently covered by Omaha Beach. Sales history: \$285,000 Wlg '18 KEENOV; \$35,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$17,298. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.** O-Samuel F Henderson; B-Blue Heaven Farm (KY); T-C R Trout.



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10th-Tampa Bay Downs, \$25,300, Msw, 12-5, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:11.53, ft, 1 1/2 lengths.

FROST POINT (f, 2, Frosted--Balletto {UAE} {GISW, \$1,151,850}, by Timber Country) overcame a rough start to become the 15th first-crop winner for her sire (by Tapit). Favored at 5-2 shipping up from South Florida, the homebred bombed the break and was immediately under a ride, but improved into midfield at halfway. Forced into an overland route around the turn, Frost Point nevertheless had the leaders in sight passing the eighth pole and finished full of run to graduate by 1 1/2 lengths. The winner's dam, a half-sister to GSW Dearly (GB) (Rahy), won the 2004 GI Frizette S. and was runner-up in that year's GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies. Balletto is also the dam of Villanesca (Distorted Humor), SW & GISW, \$237,500 and a weanling full-brother to Frost Point. Balletto was bred back to Frosted. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$14,250. **Click for the [Equibase.com](#)**

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O/B-Godolphin (KY); T-William I Mott.

3rd-Hawthorne, \$22,000, Msw, 12-5, 2yo, 6f, 1:10.32, ft, 3 1/2 lengths.

ETCHED IN STONE (c, 2, Cairo Prince--Written Request, by Arch)'s worktab included a local four-furlong bullet from the gate in :47 (1/49) Nov. 8. Favored at 8-5, he chased early from second through a sharp quarter in :21.92, set his sights on the leader with an eighth of a mile to go and won going away by 3 1/2 lengths over stablemate Buck Moon (Malibu Moon). Written Request had a filly by Divining Rod in 2019 and a colt by that sire this year. She was bred back to Tapwrit. Sales history: \$90,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP; \$150,000 2yo '20 OBSOPN. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$13,200. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O-Carolyn Wilson; B-Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd. (MD); T-Larry Rivelli.

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6th-Tampa Bay Downs, \$20,000, Msw, 12-5, 2yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 1:43.06, fm, 4 lengths.

DOMAIN EXPERTISE (f, 2, Kitten's Joy--Teroda {MSP, \$171,033}, by Limehouse), second on debut at Saratoga Sept. 7 and a dueling pacesetter who faded to last in the Selima S. Oct. 3 at Pimlico, reverted back to maiden company and found the temperature more to her liking. Sent as the 6-5 choice, the chestnut was up with the frontrunners early before taking over for good just after the :22.98 first quarter. She quickened on the final turn and pulled clear to win by an authoritative four lengths over Reina Del Sol (Tapit). The half to Sombeyay (Into Mischief), MGSW, \$364,650; also has a weanling half-sister by Bolt d'Oro. Her dam has been bred back to Mendelsohn. Sales History: \$200,000 Wlg '18 KEENOV. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$26,000. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O-Klaravich Stables, Inc.; B-J D Stuart, Mueller Farms, Inc. & Kenneth L. & Sarah K. Ramsey (KY); T-Chad C. Brown.



8th-Tampa Bay Downs, \$20,000, Msw, 12-5, 2yo, 1mT, 1:38.98, fm, 1 1/4 lengths.

NIGHT THINGS (c, 2, Medaglia d'Oro--Darci's Dream {NZ} {SW & G1SP-NZ }, by Darci Brahma {NZ}) showed some late interest to be fourth on his Oct. 10 debut at Delaware Park and drew into this off the AE list as a 9-1 chance. Showing good speed

from gate 10, Night Things had dropped down to the two path around the first turn and inherited the lead when Pleasant Value (Ride On Curlin) drifted out badly at the five-eighths. In command from there, the homebred raced in the two path around the second bend and found extra in the stretch to take it by 1 1/4 lengths over Habitus (Kitten's Joy). Brother in Arms (War Front), a \$2.9-million KEESEP yearling, raced last but one down the backstretch and made steady progress through the stretch to finish an educational third. On behalf of Greg Goodman's Mt Brilliant Farm, agent Marette Farrell signed the winning ticket on Darci's Dream at A\$290,000 (US\$213,527) at the 2016 Magic Millions National Broodmare Sale carrying to G1SW Shooting To Win (Aus) (Northern Meteor {Aus}), a full-brother to the good young sire Deep Field (Aus). Darci's Dream has since produced a colt by Quality Road, a filly by Bernardini and was most recently bred to Street Sense. The cross of Medaglia d'Oro over Danehill-line mares has yielded the likes of champion Vancouver (Aus) and G1SWs Flit (Aus) and Astern (Aus). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$14,400. **Click for the**

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2020 Stud Fees Listed

Effinex (Mineshaft), Questroyal North
 58 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners
 6-Aqueduct, \$250K New York Stallion Series S., 7f, FLOWER'S FORTUNE, 10-1
 \$13,000 KEE JAN wnl

Exaggerator (Curlin), WinStar Farm, \$20,000
 124 foals of racing age/13 winners/0 black-type winners
 5-Laurel, Msw 5 1/2f, LIKELY CHOICE, 5-1
 \$75,000 EAS OCT yrl; \$26,000 EAS MAY 2yo

Frosted (Tapit), Darley, \$40,000
 125 foals of racing age/15 winners/1 black-type winner
 5-Laurel, Msw 5 1/2f, DIAMOND IN THE SUN, 8-1
 \$155,000 SAR AUG yrl; \$150,000 EAS MAY 2yo

Laoban (Uncle Mo), Sequel New York, \$5,000
 79 foals of racing age/11 winners/3 black-type winners
 8-Aqueduct, \$250K New York Stallion Series S., 7f, DREAMER'S DISEASE, 8-5
 \$74,000 RNA OBS MAR 2yo
 8-Aqueduct, \$250K New York Stallion Series S., 7f, JACOBA, 30-1
 \$2,000 OBS WIN wnl; \$20,000 OBS OCT yrl; \$27,000 RNA OBS MAR 2yo
 6-Aqueduct, \$250K New York Stallion Series S., 7f, JILL'S A HOT MESS, 20-1
 8-Aqueduct, \$250K New York Stallion Series S., 7f, THE KING CHEEK, 15-1
 \$10,000 FTN MIX wnl; \$4,500 OBS OCT yrl; \$14,000 RNA OBS OPN 2yo
 6-Aqueduct, \$250K New York Stallion Series S., 7f, LAOBANONAPRAYER, 9-5
 \$17,000 FTN MIX wnl; \$15,000 EAS MAY 2yo
 8-Aqueduct, \$250K New York Stallion Series S., 7f, UNO, 5-2
 \$3,000 FTK OCT yrl; \$255,000 OBS OPN 2yo

Mshawish (Medaglia d'Oro), Taylor Made Farm, \$10,000
 88 foals of racing age/10 winners/0 black-type winners
 4-Fair Grounds, Aoc 5 1/2ft, RISKY REWARD, 3-1
 \$32,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$30,000 OBS APR 2yo

Not This Time (Giant's Causeway), Taylor Made Farm, \$12,500
 111 foals of racing age/23 winners/3 black-type winners
 5-Laurel, Msw 5 1/2f, SUPER SPORT, 6-1
 \$85,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$240,000 KEE SEP yrl

Speightster (Speightstown), WinStar Farm, \$10,000
 122 foals of racing age/11 winners/2 black-type winners
 5-Laurel, Msw 5 1/2f, DOOR BUSTER, 9-2
 \$25,000 EAS OCT yrl



War Dancer (War Front), Irish Hill & Dutchess Views Stallions, \$7,500
 73 foals of racing age/5 winners/1 black-type winner
 6-Aqueduct, \$250K New York Stallion Series S., 7f, ATHENA DANCER, 10-1
 \$21,000 EAS MAY 2yo
 6-Aqueduct, \$250K New York Stallion Series S., 7f, MS WICKED, 12-1
 CAN\$4,500 RNA CAN SEP yrl
 6-Aqueduct, \$250K New York Stallion Series S., 7f, POP THE BUBBLY, 12-1
 \$35,000 SAR AUG yrl
 6-Aqueduct, \$250K New York Stallion Series S., 7f, U SHOULD B DANCING, 20-1

SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: SUNDAY, DEC. 6
2020 Stud Fees Listed

Constitution (Tapit), WinStar Farm, \$40,000
 233 foals of racing age/75 winners/10 black-type winners
 5-Laurel, Msw 5 1/2f, TIZ INDEPENDENCE, 15-1
 \$32,000 RNA KEE JAN wnl; \$14,000 RNA KEE SEP yrl; \$14,000 OBS APR 2yo

Golden Lad (Medaglia d'Oro), Northview Stallion Station, \$5,000
 125 foals of racing age/28 winners/3 black-type winners
 5-Laurel, Msw 5 1/2f, SICK PACK SARA, 10-1
 \$2,000 EAS DEC wnl; \$6,000 EAS OCT yrl

Micromanage (Medaglia d'Oro), Rockridge Stud, \$4,000
 60 foals of racing age/15 winners/0 black-type winners
 8-Aqueduct, \$250K New York Stallion Series S., 7f, JACKS AMERICAN PIE, 50-1
 \$13,000 OBS OCT yrl; \$40,000 OBS MAR 2yo



STAKES RESULTS:

HOLIDAY INAUGURAL S., \$63,275, Turfway, 12-4, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f (AWT), 1:10.04, ft.
 1--**CHANCE TO SHINE, 124, f, 4, Morning Line--Brief Contact, by Bertrando. 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** (\$18,000 Ylg '17 KEESEP; \$10,000 RNA Ylg '17 ARZNOV). O-Peggy Thompson; B-Ledgelands LLC & Beatrice Ingham (KY); T-Chris A Hartman; J-Chris Landeros. \$38,285. Lifetime Record: 16-7-2-3, \$156,750.

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2--**Club Car**, 122, f, 4, Malibu Moon--Sittin At the Bar, by Into Mischief. (\$120,000 Ylg '17 KESEEP). O-Michael & Katherine G Ball; B-Brett A Brinkman & P Dale Ladner (KY); T-Ben Colebrook. \$12,350.

3--**Alittlestalk**, 124, f, 4, Demon Warlock--Trainingat the Bar, by Valid Wager. (\$15,000 RNA Ylg '17 WASSEP). O-Warlock Stables, Roddina A Barrett & Kelly Dougan, Kelly; B-Warlock Stables, A Floyd, K Dougan, M Hudson & Horseplayer's Racing Club (WA); T-Roddina A Barrett. \$4,750.

Margins: 2 3/4, 2 1/4, NK. Odds: 33.10, 3.80, 24.60.

PAT WHITWORTH ILLINOIS DEBUTANTE S., \$59,700, Hawthorne, 12-5, (S), 2yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:20.60, ft.

1--**MY MORNING GAL**, 121, f, 2, **Morning Line--Grabit, by Tapit. 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O/B/T-Arthur A. Coontz (IL); J-Juan F. Molina, Jr. \$35,820. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-2, \$52,400.

2--**Avasarala**, 121, f, 2, Point of Entry--My Heavenly Sign, by Forest Camp. O-Catalano Thoroughbreds, Inc. & LAZ Racing Stable, LLC; B-Catalano Thoroughbreds, Inc (IL); T-Wayne M. Catalano. \$11,940.

3--**Jolina**, 121, f, 2, Lemon Drop Kid--Julie Be Good, by Stormy Atlantic. O/B-Richard Otto Stables, Inc. (IL); T-Anthony Mitchell. \$6,567.

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Margins: HF, 1, 3 1/4. Odds: 6.30, 9.50, 0.50.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

7th-Aqueduct, \$82,000, 12-5, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f (off turf), 1:11.50, sy, 1/2 length.

PRAIRIE FIRE (f, 4, Posse--Swallow Falls, by Smoke Glacken) Lifetime Record: MSP, 18-6-5-2, \$297,230. O-McCourt Racing; B-Mary E Eppler Racing Stable Inc. & A Leonard Pineau (NY); T-Linda Rice. *\$8,000 RNA Ylg '17 FTKOCT; \$28,000 RNA 2yo '18 EASMAY.

8th-Aqueduct, \$72,000, (S), 12-5, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:38.17, sy, 1/2 length.

TIMELESS JOURNEY (f, 3, Verrazano--Matchmadeinheaven {MSW, \$206,217}, by Utopia {Jpn}) Lifetime Record: 6-3-0-1, \$108,168. O-Merrylegs Farm; B-Merrylegs Farm North LLC (NY); T-Christophe Clement.

4th-Laurel, \$51,371, Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 12-5, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11.32, ft, neck.

I'M THE TALENT (f, 4, Talent Search--Oh Lolly Lolly, by Ecclesiastic) Lifetime Record: 12-5-3-1, \$217,529. O-Aurora Vista LLC; B-Golden Oak Farm LLC (PA); T-Scott A. Lake.

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7th-Los Alamitos, \$50,000, (S), Opt. Clm (\$20,000), 12-4, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:03.55, ft, 6 lengths.

ALTHEA GIBSON (f, 3, Grazen--Hey Cowboy, by Bertrando) Lifetime Record: 6-3-2-0, \$121,000. O/B-Nick Alexander (CA); T-Philip D'Amato.

6th-Laurel, \$47,586, 12-5, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:17.74, ft, 1 length.

GREAT CAMANOE (g, 3, Tonalist--Senate Caucus, by Siphon {Brz}) Lifetime Record: 11-2-1-0, \$73,115. O-Gillan Gordon-Moore, David Gordon, Jeram Stables Corp & Dennis Kubeck; B-Corner Farm & Patrick Lawley-Wakelin (VA); T-Horacio DePaz. *\$38,000 RNA Ylg '18 EASOCT. **1/2 to Fly E Dubai (E Dubai), MSP, \$205,075; Boldor (Munnings), MSP, \$209,197; and Avarice (Not For Love), SP, \$202,193.

6th-Remington, \$38,250, (S), 12-4, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:39.28, ft, 1 1/2 lengths.

GREAT FACES (g, 3, Tapiture--Successful Show, by Successful Appeal) Lifetime Record: 9-2-3-1, \$79,318. O/B-Jack Schuyler & Kevin Keiser (OK); T-Donnie K Von Hemel.

6th-Mahoning Valley, \$35,500, (S), 12-5, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:12.36, ft, neck.

GOLDEN MONEY (g, 3, Goldcents--Music Thunder, by Distorted Humor) Lifetime Record: SP, 19-3-2-7, \$104,380. O-Edwin Mundo; B-Peter Sheppell & K. C. Garret Farm (OH); T-Nestor Rivera. *\$11,000 Ylg '18 FTKOCT; \$16,000 2yo '19 OBSOPN.

8th-Remington, \$32,000, Opt. Clm (\$40,000), 12-4, 3yo/up, 1m 70y, 1:41.97, ft, 1/2 length.

AMERICAN DUBAI (h, 7, E Dubai--Smash Review, by Bates Motel) Lifetime Record: MSW, 29-9-4-8, \$533,141. O-Rodney Richards; B-C Oliver Iselin (VA); T-Clinton C Stuart. *\$13,000 Wlg '13 EASDEC; \$35,000 Ylg '14 KESEEP; \$50,000 2yo '15 OBSMAR.

8th-Mahoning Valley, \$29,000, (S), 12-5, (NW2L), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:15.64, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

NAN'S ROSE (f, 3, Professor Fate--Nanseeyouin Heaven, by Beautiful Indy) Lifetime Record: 11-2-2-3, \$55,055. O/B-Susan Yoder (OH); T-Lori D. Yoder.

6th-Turfway, \$28,425, 12-4, (NW2L), 3yo/up, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:17.44, ft, neck.

KING THEO (c, 3, More Than Ready--Unicorn Girl, by A. P. Five Hundred) Lifetime Record: 13-2-2-0, \$88,874. O/B-J & J Stables (KY); T-Carlo Vaccarezza. *1/2 to Jackie's Warrior (Maclean's Music), MGISW, \$502,564.

4th-Charles Town, \$28,000, 12-4, (NW2LX), 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:20.24, sy, 4 lengths.

SECRET CASTLE (f, 3, Windsor Castle--Secret Tracker, by Cimarron Secret) Lifetime Record: 13-3-3-4, \$75,241. O/B-Law Legacy Stable LLC. & Ronney Brown (WV); T-Ronney W Brown.

6th-Hawthorne, \$24,620, (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$20,000), 12-5, 3yo/up, 5ft, :57.00, fm, 2 lengths.

MARK OF THE Z (g, 4, Zulu Magic--Katie First, by Predecessor) Lifetime Record: 23-7-3-3, \$89,793. O-Jose G. Rodriguez; B-Thomas L Zimmer (MI); T-Fernando Bahena.

8th-Hawthorne, \$23,040, Opt. Clm (\$20,000), 12-5, 3yo/up, 1m 70y, time: n/a, ft, 4 3/4 lengths.

CANDY STORE (g, 4, Twirling Candy--Zucchini Flower {MSW, \$248,665}, by Flower Alley) Lifetime Record: 21-4-3-7, \$119,917. O-Gregory J Fraterrigo; B-Albert Frassetto (KY); T-Michael L Reavis.



ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Alpine Thunder, c, 2, Empire Way--Alpine Echo, by Swiss Yodeler. Los Alamitos, 12-5, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:04.09. B-Heinz H. Steinmann (KY). *1/2 to Swiss Minister (Lucky Pulpit), SP, \$320,178.

Hard Rye Guy, c, 2, Hard Spun--La Pomme d'Amour, by Flower Alley. Turfway, 12-4, 1m (AWT), 1:39.02. B-Godolphin & John R Penn (KY). *\$110,000 Wlg '18 KEENOV; \$125,000 Ylg '19 FTKOCT.

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Theheatofthenight, g, 3, Astrology--Rubytheheartstealr, by Henny Hughes. Charles Town, 12-4, 4 1/2f, :53.48. B-Charles H Deters (KY). *\$2,500 Ylg '18 KEEJAN.

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Castilleja, f, 3, Lord Shanakill--La Mure, by Regal Classic. Penn National, 12-4, (S), 6f, 1:11.61. B-Dr. Norman G Lewis & Laurence B Lewis (PA).

Denver City, g, 4, Silver City--Afternoon Liaison, by Came Home. Remington, 12-4, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:04.32. B-James W Rogers (OK).



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AIR FORCE BLUE, Fighting Force, c, 2, o/o No Splits, by Smart Strike. MSW, 12-5, Gulfstream

ASTROLOGY, Theheatofthenight, g, 3, o/o Rubytheheartstealr, by Henny Hughes. MSW, 12-4, Charles Town

BODEMEISTER, Descente, f, 4, o/o Work N Flirt, by Street Sense. Claiming Crown Glass Slipper S., 12-5, Gulfstream

BUSTIN STONES, Jakarta, m, 5, o/o T J's Stormy Wit, by Stormello. Claiming Crown Distaff Dash S., 12-5, Gulfstream

CAIRO PRINCE, Etched in Stone, c, 2, o/o Written Request, by Arch. MSW, 12-5, Hawthorne

CITY ZIP, Elle Z, f, 3, o/o Court Appeal, by Candy Ride (Arg). Pan Zareta S., 12-5, Fair Grounds

CITY ZIP, Krsto Skye, g, 8, o/o Princess Lianna, by American Chance. Claiming Crown Express S., 12-5, Gulfstream

CURLIN, Malathaat, f, 2, o/o Dreaming of Julia, by A.P. Indy. GII Demoiselle S., 12-5, Aqueduct

DISTORTED HUMOR, High Noon Rider, g, 8, o/o Modesty Blaise, by A.P. Indy. Claiming Crown Emerald S., 12-5, Gulfstream

DISTORTED HUMOR, Varda, f, 2, o/o She'll Be Right, by Sky Mesa. GI Starlet S., 12-5, Los Alamitos Thoroughbred

E DUBAI, American Dubai, h, 7, o/o Smash Review, by Bates Motel. AOC, 12-4, Remington

EMPIRE WAY, Alpine Thunder, c, 2, o/o Alpine Echo, by Swiss Yodeler. MSW, 12-5, Los Alamitos Thoroughbred

FRIESAN FIRE, Fiya, g, 3, o/o Sista, by Two Punch. Claiming Crown Canterbury S., 12-5, Gulfstream

FROSTED, Frost Point, f, 2, o/o Balletto (Uae), by Timber Country. MSW, 12-5, Tampa Bay

GOLDENCENTS, Golden Money, g, 3, o/o Music Thunder, by Distorted Humor. ALW, 12-5, Mahoning Valley

GRAZEN, Althea Gibson, f, 3, o/o Hey Cowboy, by Bertrando. AOC, 12-4, Los Alamitos Thoroughbred

HARD SPUN, Hard Rye Guy, c, 2, o/o La Pomme d'Amour, by Flower Alley. MSW, 12-4, Turfway

INTO MISCHIEF, Feeling Mischief, f, 2, o/o True Feelings, by Latent Heat. Sandpiper S., 12-5, Tampa Bay

KARAKONTIE (JPN), Karakatsie, f, 2, o/o Alexandrite, by Lemon Drop Kid. MSW, 12-5, Gulfstream

KHOZAN, Poppy's Pride, g, 2, o/o Lovely Lexi, by With Distinction. Inaugural S., 12-5, Tampa Bay

KITTEN'S JOY, Domain Expertise, f, 2, o/o Teroda, by Limehouse. MSW, 12-5, Tampa Bay

LEWIS MICHAEL, Frost Or Frippery, g, 7, o/o Samantha Mulder,



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by Lac Ouimet. Claiming Crown Iron Horse S., 12-5, Gulfstream

LORD SHANAKILL, Castilleja, f, 3, o/o La Mure, by Regal Classic. MSW, 12-4, Penn National

MEDAGLIA D'ORO, Night Things, c, 2, o/o Darci's Dream (Nz), by Darci Brahma (Nz). MSW, 12-5, Tampa Bay

MINESHAFT, True Timber, h, 6, o/o Queen's Wood, by Tiznow. GI Cigar Mile H., 12-5, Aqueduct

MORE THAN READY, King Theo, c, 3, o/o Unicorn Girl, by A. P. Five Hundred. ALW, 12-4, Turfway

MORNING LINE, Chance to Shine, f, 4, o/o Brief Contact, by Bertrando. Holiday Inaugural S., 12-4, Turfway

MORNING LINE, My Morning Gal, f, 2, o/o Grabit, by Tapit. Pat Whitworth Illinois Debutante S., 12-5, Hawthorne

MUNNINGS, Jaxon Traveler, c, 2, o/o Listen Boy, by After Market. Maryland Juvenile Futurity, 12-5, Laurel

MUNNINGS, Sharp Starr, f, 3, o/o Mindy Gold, by A.P. Indy. GIII Go for Wand H., 12-5, Aqueduct

OUTWORK, Out First, f, 2, o/o Dia de Encanta, by Harlan's Holiday. MSW, 12-5, Aqueduct

PALACE MALICE, Like the King, c, 2, o/o Like a Queen, by Corinthian. AOC, 12-4, Turfway

PIONEEROF THE NILE, Weyburn, c, 2, o/o Sunday Affair, by A.P. Indy. MSW, 12-5, Aqueduct

POSSE, Prairie Fire, f, 4, o/o Swallow Falls, by Smoke Glacken. ALW, 12-5, Aqueduct

PROFESSOR FATE, Nan's Rose, f, 3, o/o Nanseeyouin Heaven, by Beautiful Indy. ALW, 12-5, Mahoning Valley

RAISON D'ETAT, Absolute Anna, f, 2, o/o Grit and Grace, by Tapit. MSW, 12-5, Los Alamitos Thoroughbred

REAL SOLUTION, Queens Embrace, f, 3, o/o Smart Cash, by Awesome Again. Claiming Crown Tiara S., 12-5, Gulfstream

SILVER CITY, Denver City, g, 4, o/o Afternoon Liaison, by Came Home. MSW, 12-4, Remington

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SPEIGHTSTOWN, Woodhouse, c, 2, o/o Magical Dream, by Malibu Moon. MSW, 12-4, Remington

STREET MAGICIAN, Street Lute, f, 2, o/o Alottalute, by Midnight Lute. Maryland Juvenile Filly Championship S., 12-5, Laurel

TALENT SEARCH, I'm the Talent, f, 4, o/o Oh Lolly Lolly, by Ecclesiastic. AOC, 12-5, Laurel

TAPITURE, Great Faces, g, 3, o/o Successful Show, by Successful Appeal. ALW, 12-4, Remington

TAPITURE, Jesus' Team, c, 3, o/o Golden Memories, by Suave. Claiming Crown Jewel S., 12-5, Gulfstream

TONALIST, Avant Garde, g, 3, o/o Dancing Afleet, by Afleet Alex. Claiming Crown Rapid Transit S., 12-5, Gulfstream

TONALIST, Great Camanoe, g, 3, o/o Senate Caucus, by Siphon (Brz). ALW, 12-5, Laurel

TWIRLING CANDY, Candy Store, g, 4, o/o Zucchini Flower, by Flower Alley. AOC, 12-5, Hawthorne

UNCLE MO, Burning Ambition, f, 2, o/o Do You Remember (Saf), by Silvano (Ger). AOC, 12-5, Fair Grounds

UNCLE MO, Energizer, c, 3, o/o Spark, by Speightstown. AOC, 12-5, Fair Grounds

VERRAZANO, Timeless Journey, f, 3, o/o Matchmadeinheaven, by Utopia (Jpn). ALW, 12-5, Aqueduct

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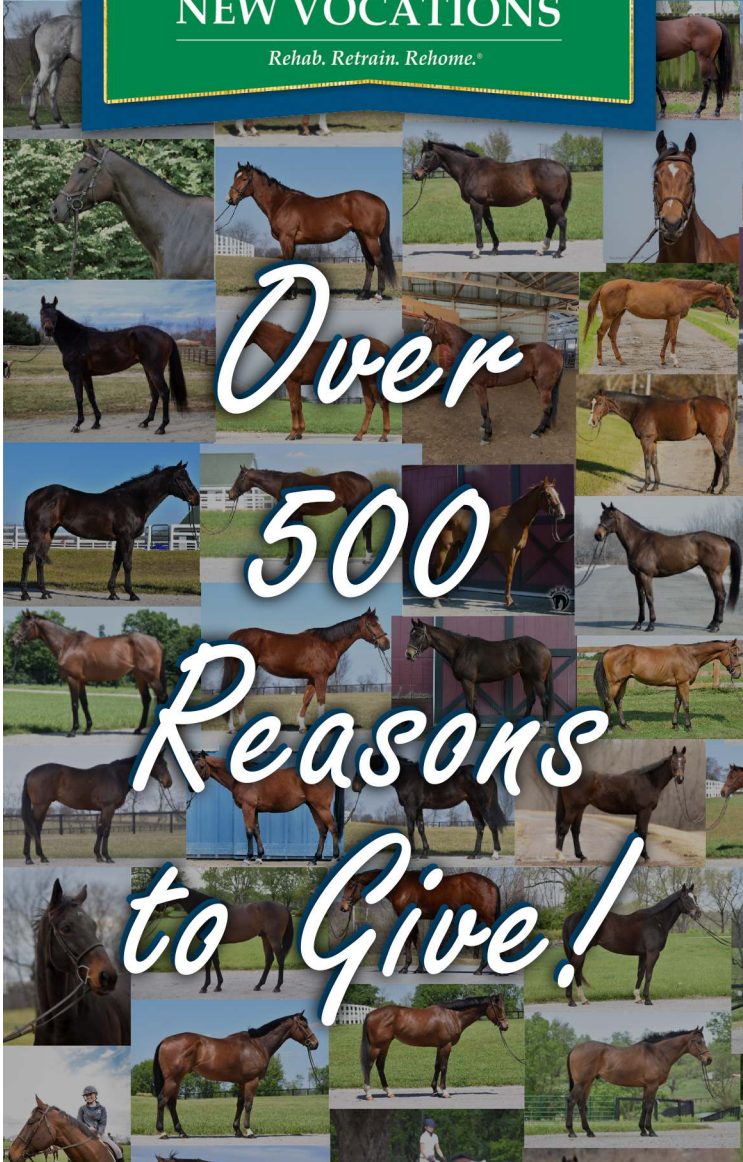
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Durance | Thierry Boisson

By Emma Berry

Under tight restrictions similar to those experienced in Newmarket over the previous fortnight, Arqana's Breeding Stock Sale began its four-day run in Deauville on Saturday with a strong international feel to proceedings. Participation at this select session from owners and breeders in America and Japan in particular ensured that trade held up pretty well in extraordinary circumstances as the French lockdown continued. The clearance rate was down slightly, but was a healthy 79%, and the turnover of €18,716,000 dipped 18% on last year, when 10 more horses were sold. This time around, the 154 lots to have found a buyer returned an average price of €122,961 (-12%), while the median remained unchanged at €75,000.

German Influence

As highlighted in *Friday's TDN*, the German entry for this year's sale was strong, particularly through the draft of Ronald Rauscher, and it was **Durance (Ger)** (Champs Elysees {GB}) who proved the most desirable of the fillies in training, with the 4-year-old Gestut Ebbesloh homebred eliciting the day's top price of €750,000 from James Delahooke.

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VAUGHAN TO TRAIN IN KENTUCKY

Ed Vaughan confirmed via Twitter on Saturday that he will continue his training career in the U.S. from a base at Keeneland in Kentucky. Vaughan announced in July that he was winding down his Newmarket stable of around 25 horses, citing concerns about the financial viability of training in the UK.

"As everyone is aware, with the reductions in prize-money and the cost of running a business being so high, the economics of training in Britain are not good," Vaughan said at the time. "I'm taking this decision now because I can see things getting worse in the next year."

Vaughan, whose best runner was this year's G2 Princess of Wales's S. and last year's G2 Prix de Pomone scorer Dame Malliot (GB) (Champs Elysees {GB}), told *Owner Breeder* magazine recently, "I came out ahead of the sales at Keeneland. I bought one there and received another for an English-based syndicate. If I started with around a dozen horses I'd be very pleased." Vaughan said he expects to have his first U.S. runners around the end of January.

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Arqana cont.

The winner of last year's G3 Mehl-Mulhens Trophy in her native country for Peter Schiergen, Durance (lot 174) followed that up with victory in the G2 Gran Premio di Milano this season and the half-sister to seven black-type performers is now under American ownership, with Delahooke acting on behalf of Bryant Prentice's Pursuit Of Success LLC.

"She was the one that I really wanted in the sale," said the agent. "Her family has really produced with sires that I'm ashamed to say I've never even heard of. The first dam fills the entire page: that's rare these days. She herself has an admirable race record. I bought her for a very nice American gentleman who has mares in Kentucky and England. Durance will head to stud and her offspring will go to the sales."

He added, "The sale is very strong for the right profiles despite so few people around the ring. A lot of people must be bidding

from offsite."

Another of the Rauscher draft, the Group 2 winner **Satomi (Ger)** (Teofilo), was bought by Michel Zerolo of Oceanic Bloodstock on behalf of breeder Andreas Putsch for €300,000.

Trained by Markus Klug to win three times and to finish fourth in the G1 Preis der Diana, the 4-year-old (lot 197) is a daughter of German champion juvenile Swordhalf (GB) (Haafhd {GB}).

While G1 Preis Von Europa winner Donjah (Ger) (Teofilo {Ire}) was bought back by her owner Dr Stefan Oschmann of Darius Racing at €720,000, this year's G2 German 1000 Guineas runner-up **No Limit Credit (Ger)** (Night Of Thunder {Ire}) was knocked down to

Jean Deroubaix of the FBA at €480,000. Both fillies were bred by Gestut Karlshof, with the latter (lot 192) having raced in the colours of the Faust family of Gestut Karlshof to win four times, including the G3 Schwarzgold-Rennen.



James Delahooke | Goffs



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Deroubaix said of No Limit Credit, "I have bought her for a German client who hasn't owned a horse for 20 years. I bought him a horse in the 1980s, Val Des Pres, and then he moved away due to work commitments and stopped having horses. Now he is retired and is reinvesting. She will go back into training in Germany."



No Limit Credit | Thierry Boisson

Carson Wants Truth

The offspring of Prudenzia (Ire) (Dansili {GB}) have long ruled over Arqana's August Sale, and one of the great mare's daughters again played a leading role in December when **Truth (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) brought the hammer down at €580,000. Again it was James Delahooke doing the bidding but this time he was acting on behalf of Willie Carson's Minster Stud.

Now eight, the sister to Group 1 winner Magic Wand (Ire) and half-sister to Classic winner Chicquita (Ire) (Montjeu {Ire}) had been sold for €1-million as a yearling and raced in a partnership for Al Shaqab and Coolmore. Her one placed finish for Aidan O'Brien may have been disappointing but she has plenty of black-type earners for relations and she was sold in foal to Siyouni (Fr) as **lot 178**. Thus, a member of the celebrated family returns to England, where her grandam Platonic (GB) (Zafonic) was bred by the Cumani family's Fittocks Stud before being bought as a foundation mare for Ecurie des Monceaux by Henri Bozo and Patricia Boutin.

Another of Platonic's grand-daughters, **Psara (GB)** (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), also brought one of the day's highest prices when sold to Ghislain Bozo's Meridian International for €500,000. The 4-year-old mare (**lot 148**) is a daughter of the G3 Prix de Lutece winner Pacifique (Ire) (Montjeu {Ire}) and, a winner herself last year, is now in foal to Churchill (Ire). As a yearling she was bought for €250,000 by Monceaux partner Victor Langlais.

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TRULY GREAT TOPS G1 KINGSTON TOWN CLASSIC
 Truly Great collects his first Group 1 success in Saturday's G1 Kingston Town Classic at Ascot. [Click or tap here to go straight to TDN Aus/NZ.](#)

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"She's a lovely mare from a very good family," said Bozo. "She is carrying to Churchill and the mating should suit her. Certain partners have come out and the sale has allowed new partners to come in."



Henri Bozo | Keeneland

Japan Calling

All three Yoshida brothers of Japan's leading racing family were represented during Arqana's opening session. **Spinning Memories (Ire)** (Arcano {Ire}) has been a highly consistent campaigner for Pan Sutong and Pascal Bary since her impressive maiden win on debut in Ireland and subsequent purchase from Andy Oliver's stable. Her tally of two Group 3 and three listed wins over the last two seasons vouch for her talent and, though her first two dams were unraced, she traces back to another talented and consistent race mare, the dual Grade I winner Memories Of Silver (Silver Hawk), who has in turn also proved to be a classy producer. Now five, Spinning Memories (lot 134) has thus earned her place among the illustrious broodmare band of Teruya Yoshida, who bought her online for €500,000. She will be joined on the flight to Japan by **Mageva (Fr)**, the 3-year-old daughter of Wootton Bassett (GB) who was trained by Fabrice Chappet to take third in the G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches and was picked up for €430,000, also by the Shadai Farm principal.

Katsumi Yoshida had already bought the winner of that French Classic, Dream And Do (Fr) (Siyouni {Fr}), in a private deal earlier this season to join his own equally impressive collection of broodmares at Northern Farm, and he was also a prominent buyer in Deauville.

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Through Emmanuel de Seroux of Narvick International, Yoshida went to €400,000 for the wildcard entry **Petite Folie (GB)**, the Australia (GB) half-sister to dual Group 1 winner Persian King (Ire) (Kingman {GB}).

"She has been bought for breeding purposes and she will join Northern Farm," said de Seroux. "There is a very strong chance that she will head to Japan in the new year to be covered."

Petite Folie, who ran just once for her breeder Diane Wildenstein's Ballymore Thoroughbred Ltd, was sold as **lot 150** through La Motteraye Consignment and she continues the European spending spree for Katsumi Yoshida, who also bought five mares at Tattersalls last week for 1.6 million gns.

Haruya Yoshida also made his presence felt with the purchase of another wild card (**lot 170**) in the recent G3 Prix Fille de l'Air winner **Directa (Fr)**. The half-sister to German listed winner Mc Queen (Fr) (Silver Frost {Ire}) was bought for €470,000 through Satoshi Kobayashi and will join the breeder's Oiwake Farm in Hokkaido.

Kobayashi said of the 3-year-old, "The filly has been bought as a breeding prospect and she won't race again. She may be covered by a European stallion before she travels to Japan."

Another mare on the way to Japan from Arqana is **Considerate (GB)**, a Dansili (GB) half-sister to Enable (GB), who was bought by Keisuke Onishi of JS Company for €65,000. The 10-year-old mare (**lot 32**) was sold by Haras d'Etream in foal to Enable's sire Nathaniel (Ire). She also has a colt foal by the Newsells Park Stud stallion on the ground among her four offspring to date.

Euclidia Joins Select Local Team

Owner Jean-Louis Bouchard is turning his success on the track into a boutique breeding operation and, acting through agent Gerard Larrieu, went to €525,000 to buy the listed winner **Euclidia (Fr)** (Maxios {GB}) from the Wertheimer consignment (**lot 172**).

"Jean-Louis Bouchard has just started a little farm here near Deauville," Larrieu explained. "He doesn't want to have many mares, just eight or 10 maximum, and he wants to improve the quality of his broodmare band. This is a lovely Wertheimer family and they cover their mares with top sires."

The 3-year-old Euclidia is a half-sister to G3 Prix d'Aumale

winner Soustraction (Fr) (Lope De Vega {Ire}) and G1 Prix Marcel Boussac runner-up Matematica (Fr) (Rock Of Gibraltar {Ire}) from a deep Wertheimer family which includes the Arc heroine Solemia (Fr) (Poliglote {GB}) and Poule d'Essai des Poulains winner The Gurkha (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}).

From Trotting to Galloping

Malevra (Fr) (Le Havre {Ire}) was one of the young in-foal mares to sell well on Saturday, and she will remain in France to become the foundation mare for an unnamed breeder from the world of trotting.



Spinning Memories | *Thierry Boisson*

Offered as **lot 90** by Haras d'Etream, the 4-year-old is in foal for the first time to that stud's former stallion Wootton Bassett (GB). A half-sister to listed winner and Group 3-placed Moonlife (Fr) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), Malevra gained her own black type last season when runner-up in the G3 Prix de Royaumont on the back of two wins at Deauville and Lyon-Parilly.

Bloodstock agent Frederic Sauque signed the ticket on behalf of his client from and

said, "I have bought her for a new investor and she will be his first Thoroughbred mare. We liked both her conformation and her form on the track, and she is carrying a foal by a good stallion."

American Engagement

Along with the day's top lot, two well-credentialed 3-year-old fillies piqued the interest of Americans, one to remain in training and one to join the broodmare band at Gainesway Farm.

Conte De Fee (Ire) (Sea The Stars {Ire}) has already earned black type through her victory in the Listed Prix Occitaine this summer. Bought as a yearling by Tina Rau for 100,000gns for owner Alexis Adamian, the grand-daughter of Irish Oaks winner Petrushka (GB) (Unfuwain) was sold on by her trainer Nicolas Clement for €410,000 to Newmarket-based agents Mark McStay and Jamie Piggott as **lot 109**.

"I bought her with Jamie Piggott on behalf of Medallion Racing and a client of Jamie's in America," explained McStay of Avenue Bloodstock. "She'll go to the United States. Medallion is Taylor Made's racing arm and both Jamie and I felt she was a lovely filly. She's been really well trained by Nicolas Clement and she looks to be progressing the right way."



Conte De Fee | Thierry Boisson

Piggott added, "I've had a lot of luck at this sale over the years and you only need to look at the recent success of French-bred horses in America to see what fillies like this can do over there."

Also heading across the Atlantic is the unraced but well-bred **Lasy W (War Front) (lot 144)**, who was bought online for €320,000 by Alex Solis acting on behalf of Gainesway's Antony Beck and Andrew Rosen.

"It's a great American family," said Solis. "It's very rare to have a Grade I winner who is out of a Grade I winner and there are so many current stakes horses on the page. We're excited about that; she's a beautiful War Front filly. I had some people look at her over there for me and the report was out that she was very, very good-looking."

This particular branch of the family ended up in the care of the Wertheimer brothers after they bought Lasy W's dam Zaftig (Gone West) for \$1.4 million at Fasig-Tipton in November 2011. The mare's most accomplished runner to date is the GII Louisiana Derby runner-up Spinoff (Hard Spun), and she is also the dam of listed-placed Rugbyman (Tapit).

Solis added, "Antony Beck and Andrew Rosen bought her together and the plan will be to breed her to Tapit next year. The mare [Zaftig] has a yearling colt by Tapit right now and Rugbyman is a Tapit and he's a nice horse, so we figured that made a lot of sense for us."

Double Handed

The demand for the stock offered by the Wertheimer brothers continued with **Right Hand (GB)**, a Lope De Vega (Ire) half-sister to G1 Prix Vermeille winner Left Hand (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}), who was bought by Victor Langlais for €370,000. The 3-year-old (lot 168) was acquired on behalf of a partnership that will include Henri Bozo and Bertrand Le Metayer, and we will doubtless hear more of her in the Arqana ring in years to come as she will reside at Ecurie des Monceaux, the perennial leading consignor

at the August Yearling Sale.

Langlais also bought **lot 154, Light Dream (Fr)** (Anodin {Ire}), the three-part-sister to G1 Grand Prix de Saint-Cloud winner Plumania (Fr) (Anabaa), from the Wertheimer draft and said, "I bought her for a partnership. Henri Bozo and I are both among those involved. The idea is to find good mares and to then sell their yearlings at the sales. She comes from a great family and is from a very good breeding operation."

The Arqana Breeding Stock Sale continues on Sunday at 10 a.m. local time.

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SESSION TOPPERS

ARQANA DECEMBER BREEDING STOCK SALE

SATURDAY'S TOP 10 FILLIES & MARES

LOT	NAME	STATUS	PRICE (€)
174	Durance (Ger) <i>(f, 4, Champs Elysees {GB}–Djidda {Ger}, by Lando {Ger})</i> <i>Breeder: Gestut Ebbesloh</i> <i>Consignor: Rauscher, Agent</i> <i>Purchaser: Pursuit of Success</i>	In training	750,000
178	Truth (Ire) <i>(m, 8, Galileo {Ire}–Prudenzia {Ire}, by Dansili {GB})</i> <i>(€1,000,000 yrl '13 ARAAUG)</i> <i>Breeder: Ecurie des Monceaux & Skymarc Farm Inc</i> <i>Consignor: Bouquetot</i> <i>Purchaser: Minster Stud</i>	i/f Siyouni (Fr)	580,000



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- 172 Euclidia (Fr)** In training **525,000**
(f, 3, Maxios {Ger}–Mathematicienne {Ire}, by Galileo {Ire})
 Breeder: Wertheimer & Frere
 Consignor: Wertheimer & Frere
 Purchaser: SAS Larrieu Gerard
- 134 Spinning Memories (Ire)** In training **500,000**
(m, 5, Arcano {Ire}–Hanalei Memories, by Hard Spun)
 Breeder: Mubarak Al Naemi
 Consignor: Pascal Bary
 Purchaser: Shadai Farm
- 148 Psara (GB)** i/f **Churchill (Ire)** **500,000**
(f, 4, Invincible Spirit {Ire}–Pacifique {Ire}, by Montjeu {Ire})
 (€250,000 yrl '17 ARAAUG)
 Breeder: Skymarc Farm Inc & Ecurie des Monceaux
 Consignor: Ecurie des Monceaux
 Purchaser: Meridian International SARL
- 192 No Limit Credit (Ger)** In training **480,000**
(f, 3, Night of Thunder {Ire}–Nasrine {Ire}, by Barathea {GB})
 Breeder: Gestut Karlshof
 Consignor: Ecurie des Monceaux
 Purchaser: FBA
- 170 Directa (Fr)** In training **470,000**
(f, 3, Anodin {Ire}–Misdirect {GB}, by Darshaan {GB})
 (€4,000 wnl '17 ARQDEC; €15,000 yrl '18 ARQOCT)
 Breeder: Petra Bloodstock Agency
 Consignor: Joel Boisnard
 Purchaser: Haruya Yoshida
- 90 Malevra (Fr)** i/f **Wootton Bassett (GB)** **430,000**
(f, 4, Le Havre {Ire}–Marania {Ire}, by Marju {Ire})
 (€55,000 yrl '17 ARQOCT)
 Breeder: Valdirone Societa Agricola SAS
 Consignor: Haras d'Etreham
 Purchaser: Frederic Sauque
- 93 Mageva (GB)** In training **430,000**
(f, 3, Wootton Bassett {GB}–Melitot {Fr}, by Elusive City)
 (€75,000 yrl '18 ARAAUG)
 Breeder: Haras St James
 Consignor: Haras des Capucines
 Purchaser: Shadai Farm

- 109 Conte De Fee (Ire)** In training **410,000**
(f, 3, Sea The Stars {Ire}–Padmini {GB}, by Tiger Hill {Ger})
 (100,000gns yrl '18 TATOCT)
 Breeder: J Weatherby, Myriad, Naseby & New England
 Consignor: Nicolas Clement
 Purchaser: Avenue Bloodstock/J. Piggott/J. Brocklebank

SATURDAY'S TOP FOUR FOALS

- 23 c, Frankel (GB)–Castellar (Fr)** **400,000**
 Breeder: SARL Darpat France
 Consignor: San Isidro
 Purchaser: Carlos Laffon Parias
- 40 f, Wootton Bassett (GB)–Dance Toupie (Fr)** **120,000**
 Consignor: Granges
 Purchaser: Canirola Bloodstock
- 169 c, Saxon Warrior (Jpn)–Silver Meadow (Ire)** **100,000**
 Consignor: Coulonces
 Purchaser: August West
- 221 c, Galiway (Fr)–Wild Blossom (Ger)** **100,000**
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SESSION TOTALS	2020	2019
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• Number Offered	193	198
• Number Sold	154	164
• Not Sold	39	34
• Clearance Rate	79.8%	82.8%
• No. \$500K+	6	6
• High Price	€750,000	€1,300,000
• Gross	€18,936,000	€22,997,000
• Average (% change)	€122,961 (-12.3%)	€140,226
• Median (% change)	€75,000	€75,000



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Lot	Name	Status	Price (€)
10	My Love's Passion (Fr)	Out of training	90,000

Consigned by Haras du Hoguenet

Purchased by Sylvain Vidal

Yann Barberot parted with €10,000 to secure My Love's Passion (Fr) (Elvstroem {Aus}) at Arqana's October yearling sale in 2018, and that proved a sound investment with the filly going on to pick up five stakes placings, including the G2 Prix Robert Papin and G3 Prix Texanita. The 3-year-old filly earned more than €75,000 on the racecourse and further repaid the investment on Saturday.

45	Kraquante (GB)	In training	155,000
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Consigned by Fabrice Chappet

Purchased by Arthur Hoyeau, Agent

Like My Love's Passion, Kraquante is a graduate of the 2018 October yearling sale, with Nicolas de Watrigant of Mandore International Agency having gone to €55,000 for the daughter of Bated Breath (GB) from the family of Zafonic and Zamindar. Kraquante was a winner at two and third in the seven furlong Listed Prix de Saint-Cyr at ParisLongchamp on Oct. 15 for trainer Fabrice Chappet and is now bound for the yard of Australian-based trainer Archie Alexander.

122	K Club (Ire)	In training	230,000
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Consigned by Haras de Grandcamp

*Purchased by Mandore International Agency
for Sunderland Holding*

K Club (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}) was a €85,000 Goffs Orby yearling. She fitted in a noteworthy 10 starts at two for trainer Richard Hannon, but after winning just twice in her first 12 outings her value dropped to 20,000gns by the time she visited the ring at the Tattersalls February Sale last year. Sent to Germany to join trainer Erika Mader, K Club proved a different proposition this year, winning the G3 Grosser Preis von LOTTO Hamburg and placing in a further two pattern races. She appears destined for a future date with Sea The Stars after being secured by that sire's owner Sunderland Holdings.

191	Moranda (Fr)	i/f Best Solution (GB)	150,000
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Consigned by Haras d'Ombreville

Purchased by Oceanic Bloodstock

Ghislain Bozo of Meridian International scooped up Moranda (Fr) (Indian Rocket {Fr}) for €52,000 at this sale last year in foal

to Anodin (Ire). The 12-year-old mare had received a serious update last year when her first foal, Morando (Fr) (Kendargent {Fr}), added victories in the G3 Ormonde S. and G3 Cumberland Lodge S. to his win in the G3 St Simon S. the prior year, but the mare's page again improved significantly in 2020 thanks to her 3-year-old daughter Speak of the Devil (Fr) (Wootton Bassett {GB}), who won the Listed Prix de Saint-Cyr and was second in the G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulisches. Moranda, who also has a yearling colt by Almanzor (Fr) that sold to Hideki Nagai for €80,000 at Arqana October this year, was sold in foal to first-crop sire Best Solution, winner of a trio of Group 1s in Germany and Australia for Godolphin.

FIRST-SEASON SIRES WITH RUNNERS

Sunday, December 6:

UNITED KINGDOM

Adaay (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}), Whitsbury Manor Stud
95 foals of racing age/22 winners/0 black-type winners
12:31-SOUTHWELL, 5f, APACHE MIST (GB)
8,500gns RNA Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2018; £3,500
Goffs UK Premier & Silver Yearling Sale 2019

Belardo (Ire) (Lope de Vega {Ire}), Kildangan Stud
93 foals of racing age/13 winners/4 black-type winners
12:31-SOUTHWELL, 5f, BELARDIE (Fr)
6,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2018; £11,000 Goffs UK
Premier & Silver Yearling Sale 2019

Bobby's Kitten (Kitten's Joy), Lanwades Stud
78 foals of racing age/11 winners/0 black-type winners
12:31-SOUTHWELL, 5f, COPPER KITTEN (GB)
£3,000 Goffs UK Premier & Silver Yearling Sale 2019

Markaz (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}), Derrinstown Stud
78 foals of racing age/7 winners/0 black-type winners
12:31-SOUTHWELL, 5f, SILVER NEMO (Ire)
€11,000 Goffs November Foals Sale 2018; €11,000 Tattersalls
Ireland September Yearlings 2019

Mehmas (Ire) (Acclamation {GB}), Tally-Ho Stud
146 foals of racing age/51 winners/4 black-type winners
12:31-SOUTHWELL, 5f, MEHMO (Ire)
£24,000 Goffs UK Premier & Silver Yearling Sale 2019; 6,500gns
Tattersalls Autumn Horses-in-Training Sale 2020

Mshawish (Medaglia d'Oro), Taylor Made Farm
88 foals of racing age/10 winners/0 black-type winners
13:06-SOUTHWELL, 6f, CHILLSEA



Markaz | Derrinstown Stud

Prince of Lir (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}), Ballyhane Stud
 77 foals of racing age/13 winners/1 black-type winner
 12:31-SOUTHWELL, 5f, ATTABOY ROY (Ire)
 €25,000 Tattersalls Ireland September Yearlings 2019

FRANCE:

Dariyan (Fr) (Shamardal), Haras de Bonneval
 70 foals of racing age/10 winners/0 black-type winners
 3-TOULOUSE, 1400m, LA MIRANDE (Fr)
 €15,000 Arqana December Breeding Stock Sale 2018

Goken (Fr) (Kendargent {Fr}), Haras de Colleville
 61 foals of racing age/14 winners/2 black-type winners
 3-TOULOUSE, 1400m, KENOR (Fr)
 €42,000 Arqana Deauville v2 Yearling Sale 2019

Scissor Kick (Aus) (Redoute's Choice {Aus}), Haras d'Etreham
 44 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners
 3-TOULOUSE, 1400m, VEDVOKOV (Fr)
 €28,000 Osarus September Yearling Sale 2019

BRITAIN

Saturday's Results:

3rd-Wolverhampton, £6,300, Novice, 12-5, 2yo, 8f 142y (AWT), 1:49.51, st.

EMPEROR SPIRIT (IRE) (c, 2, **Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}**--**Aspasias Tizzy, by Tiznow**), runner-up over seven furlongs here last time Nov. 13, was a touch free early tracking the leader. Committed approaching the two-furlong pole, the 11-10 favourite asserted to score by 1 3/4 lengths from Inigo Jones (GB) (New Approach {Ire}). The winner is a half-brother to the G3 Chipchase S. winner Above the Rest (Ire) (Excellent Art {GB}), GSW-Eng, \$353,659. The second dam, the stakes-winning and

multiple graded stakes-placed Ashford Castle (Bates Motel), is a half to the GI Spinaway S. and GI Matron S. heroine Strategic Maneuver (Cryptoclearance) whose progeny are headed by the GI La Canada S. winner Cat Fighter (Storm Cat) and the G3 Flying Five S.-winning sire Ishiguru (Danzig). Aspasias Tizzy's 2019 and 2020 fillies are full-siblings to the winner, with the former selling for 52,000gns to Hugo Merry Bloodstock at the recent Tattersalls October Yearling Sale Book 2 and now named Dancing Empress (Ire). Sales history: €52,000 Wlg '18 GOFNOV; 135,000gns Ylg '19 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, \$7,552.

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O-Mr Abdullatif M Al-Abdulrazzaq; B-Mr J C Carr (IRE); T-John Gosden.

9th-Wolverhampton, £5,300, Novice, 12-5, 3yo/up, 12f 51y (AWT), 2:40.10, st.

UNTOLD STORY (GB) (c, 3, **Teofilo {Ire}**--**Tanzania, by Darshaan {GB}**), not seen since finishing third on debut over 10 furlongs at Sandown June 13, pulled initially racing under restraint behind the leading group. Beginning to pick up turning for home, the 5-6 favourite found a surge when the whip was applied and seized the lead with conviction inside the last half a furlong en route to a 1 1/4-length verdict over Toora Loora (GB) (Nathaniel {Ire}). The winner is a half-brother to the talented but frustrating Listed Feilden S. winner and G2 Dante S. third True Story (GB) (Manduro {Ger}), SW & MGSP-Eng, SW & GSP-UAE, \$270,086, and to the G2 Dubai City Of Gold third Gold Star (GB) (Nathaniel {Ire}), GSP-UAE, \$197,727. The unraced dam is a daughter of the G1 Prix Saint-Alary winner Rosefinch (Blushing Groom {Fr}) and a granddaughter of the great Fillies' Triple Crown champion Oh So Sharp (Ire) (Kris {GB}). Her 2-year-old filly Mawenzi (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}) won her sole start for the Charlie Appleby stable here last month. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$5,380. **Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O/B-Godolphin (GB); T-Saeed bin Suroor.



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CONDITIONS RESULT:

4th-Wolverhampton, £14,000, 12-5, 2yo, 6f 20y (AWT), 1:13.42, st.

VICTORY HEIGHTS (IRE) (c, 2, Siyouni {Fr}--Zibeling {Ire}, by Cape Cross {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-1, \$26,202. O-Saeed Manana; B-Rifa Mustang Europe Ltd (IRE); T-James Tate.

*20,000gns Ylg '19 TATOCT.



IN AUSTRALIA:

Attorney (Fr), g, 5, **Makfi (GB)**--Tia Kia (Ire), by Montjeu (Ire). Pakenham, 12-5, Pakenham Cup-Listed, 2500mT, 2:37.04. B-Carlos Laffon-Parias. *GSW-Aus. **€52,000 Ylg '16 ARQOCT.



Saturday, Nakayama, Japan

SPORTS NIPPON SHO STAYERS S.-G2, ¥120,120,000, Nakayama, 12-5, 3yo/up, 3600mT, 3:52.00, gd.

1--**OCEA GREAT (JPN)**, 123, c, 4, **Orfevre (Jpn)**

1st Dam: Blue Danube (Ire), by Bahri

2nd Dam: Shinko Hermes (Ire), by Sadler's Wells

3rd Dam: Doff the Derby, by Master Derby

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN; 1ST GROUP WIN. (¥15,500,000 yrl '17 JRHAJUL). O-IHR; B-Shimoyashiki Farm; T-Masatatsu Kikukawa; J-Norihiro Yokoyama; ¥63,134,000. Lifetime: 16-5-2-2. **Werk Nick Rating: F. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

2--**Tagano Diamante (Jpn)**, 123, c, 4, **Orfevre (Jpn)**--Tagano Reventon (Jpn), by King Kamehameha (Jpn). O-Ryoji Yagi; B-Niikappu Tagano Farm; ¥25,324,000.

3--**Pont des Arts (Jpn)**, 119, m, 5, **Heart's Cry (Jpn)**--Jioconda (Ire), by Rossini. O-Sunday Racing; B-Northern Farm; ¥16,130,000.

Margins: HD, 1HF, 1; Odds: 12.80, 16.30, 2.30.

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Saturday, Hanshin, Japan

CHALLENGE CUP-G3, ¥77,850,000, Hanshin, 12-5, 3yo/up, 2000mT, 1:59.90, fm.

1--**LEI PAPAIE (JPN)**, 117, f, 3, **Deep Impact (Jpn)**

1st Dam: Shells Lei (Jpn) (MSP-Jpn), by Kurofune

2nd Dam: Oyster Ticket (Jpn), by Winning Ticket (Jpn)

3rd Dam: Namura Pieris (Jpn), by Tosho Boy (Jpn)

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN; 1ST GROUP WIN. O-Carrot Farm; B-Northern Farm; T-Tomokazu Takano; J-Yuga Kawada; ¥41,385,000. Lifetime: 5-5-0-0. *Full to Shining Lei (Jpn), MGSW-Jpn, \$1,168,154. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++ *Triple Plus***
Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

2--**Bravas (Jpn)**, 123, c, 4, **King Kamehameha (Jpn)**--Verxina (Jpn), by Deep Impact (Jpn). O-Kazuhiro Sasaki; B-Northern Farm; ¥16,110,000.

3--**Hindu Times (Jpn)**, 123, c, 4, **Harbinger (GB)**--Mahabharata (Jpn), by Deep Impact (Jpn). O-Silk Racing; B-Northern Farm; ¥10,055,000.

Margins: 1HF, HF, 2; Odds: 0.60, 2.10, 5.60.

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Saturday, Kranji, Singapore

SINGAPORE GOLDEN HORSESHOE S., S\$125,000, Kranji, 12-5, 2/3yo, 1200mT, 1:10.90, gd.

1--**BOOMBA (NZ)**, 126, g, 3, **Showcasing (GB)**--**Celeste (NZ)**, by **Pentire (GB)**. **1ST STAKES WIN.** (NZ\$100,000 Ylg '19 NZBJAN). O-Barree Stable; B-R W E Moore; T-Cliff Brown; J-Ruan Maia; S\$74,375. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, S\$114,356.

2--**Infinite Wisdom (Aus)**, 126, g, 3, **All Too Hard (Aus)**--**Sencircles (Aus)**, by **Street Sense.** (A\$70,000 Ylg '19 MMGCYS). O-St George No 2 Stable; B-Gilgai Farm (Vic); T-Stephen Gray; J-Vlad Duric; S\$26,563.

3--**Relentless (Aus)**, 126, g, 3, **Hallowed Crown (Aus)**--**Gladwell (Aus)**, by **Anabaa.** (A\$30,000 2yo '19 INGRTR). O-Arexevan-Relentless Stable; B-C O'Brien (NSW); T-Tim Fitzsimmons; J-Marc Lerner; S\$13,438.

Margins: NK, HD, 2. Winner's Odds: 4.00. **VIDEO**

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TRULY GREAT WINS WITH EASE



Truly Great | TDNAusNZ

by Robert Edwards

Premiership leading jockey Chris Parnham celebrated his biggest day in the saddle, when breaking eight Group 1 placings on **Truly Great** (Dundeel {NZ}) with an outstanding victory in WA's weight-for-age championship--the \$1 million Peoplestart Kingston Classic.

Parnham was exuberant waving his whip and standing high in the irons on passing the post, after beating the heavily-backed \$2.10 favourite and stable-mate Inspirational Girl (NZ) (Reliable Man {GB}) by two lengths in the 1800 metre Ascot feature.

It was almost three lengths back to 3-year-old Dom To Shoot (Shooting To Win), who led the chase of the other 13 runners for third place.

Parnham's win was in front of his father and leading trainer Neville, mother Carolyn and brothers Steven (who is sidelined because of a broken collar-bone) and Brad, who rode Kay Cee (Playing God) for his father, to finish 10th in the same race.

Parnham has been an avid racing fan since he was a small boy.

He revealed he had worn out the tape of his father's Perth Cup win with Luna Tudor (Military Plume {NZ}) in 2000.

"I just watched that tape over and over," the 23-year-old said.

"I have been going to the races for as long as I can remember. I loved watching dad's horses race and watching my brothers Steven and Brad ride every Saturday.

"Kids at school would be doing their homework and I would be

watching race replays. To win a Group 1 now on my own is pretty special.

"To ride my first Group 1 for Bob and Sandra [Peters] also is special. They have been my second most strong supporters [behind his parents] since I started riding.

"Trainers Grant and Alana [Williams] have supported me since I started as a 16-year-old too."

Parnham rode his first stakes winner for the Peters family on Moonlight Bay (Catbird) in the 2013 Ascot Gold Cup over 1800 metres.

Parnham, who rode a feature double, leads the country, having won the most metropolitan races on 51 wins, ahead of James McDonald, who rode four winners at Rosehill, on 45 wins.

Parnham is perched at the top of WA's city title 23 wins ahead of Clint Johnston-Porter.

The Kingston Town

Truly Great became the Peters family's sixth winner in the Kingston Town, following the deeds of Old Nick (Old Spice) (1998), Old Comrade (Old Spice) (2000 and 2001), Perfect Reflection (More Than Ready {USA}) and Arcadia Queen (Pierro).

Grant Williams is now level with David Hayes; Credit Account (Imposing) (1993), and Nicconero (Danzero) (2006-08); and Neville Parnham, Playing God (Blackfriars), (2010/11) and Kay Cee (Playing God) (2019), as having trained the most winners on three wins.

Williams shares the credit of his past two wins with his wife and training partner Alana.



Trainers Alana & Grant Williams | TDNAusNZ

Truly Great only qualified for a start in the Railway S., where he ran an eye-catching seventh to Inspirational Girl a fortnight ago, in winning the G3 R J Peters S. on November 14.

Peters rates Truly Great as one of the most perfectly built horses he has ever bred in over 40 years.

Work in Progress

But the 5-year-old has been a work in progress to get him to perform at the top of his game.

“He got a good run and [Inspirational Girl] got caught well back, that was the difference,” Peters said. “I said all along he was the best foal I had ever bred. I have had to wait a long time for him. A lot of things went wrong, but I always maintained my confidence in him.

“He had silly little things go wrong that seems to haunt his family. There was nothing dramatic, but we would bring him in and turn him back out again.”

Grant Williams, who won the G1 Caulfield S. and Mackinnon S. with Arcadia Queen during the spring was back on track to celebrate, after completing a mandatory fortnight in quarantine.

“Alana trained these ones (Perth) and that is rightfully so,” Williams said. “It has been a good few months. Truly Great was a bit quirky early. Bob would keep taking him off us and putting back in the paddock to mature.

“He was just a big baby more than anything. Now he is not. He has grown into a magnificent animal.”

Truly Great is the second stakes-winner for the Peters-owned mare Truly Special (Jeune). Special Alert (Not A Single Doubt) won the G3 2018 WA Oaks, 2400 metres.

Another half-brother Truly Gold (Nicconi) won the Esperance Cup among his seven wins.

Truly Great is entered for the \$400,000 Tabtouch Perth Cup, 2400 metres, on January 2.

A start is now doubtful because he will receive a hefty penalty for his Kingston Town win.

“He could go into the Ted Van Heemst S in a fortnight, because that is weight-for-age,” Peters said.

“At the moment I am fifth on the Thoroughbred Global Owners’ Rankings and a G2 win in the Van Heemst would help me.



Dundee, sire of Truly Great | Bronwen Healy

“That is the highest I have ever been. I would say a Perth Cup start would be out because he will go up to high in the ratings.”

Pedigree Notes:

Truly Great is from the Jeune (GB) mare Truly Special, who was bred at Lindsay Park Stud and sold at the 2008 Inglis Melbourne Premier Yearling Sale for \$130,000. She has produced two stakes winners in Special Alert (Not A Single Doubt), winner of the 2018 G3 WATC West Australian Oaks, and Truly Great, her fourth foal and now two-time stakes winner. Truly Great’s Kingston Town win is Arrowfield Stud sire Dundee’s (NZ) fifth individual Group 1 winner.

Saturday, Ascot, Australia

KINGSTON TOWN CLASSIC-G1, A\$1,000,000, WATC, 12-05, 3yo/up, Open Weight For, 1800mT, 1:48.27, gd.

1--**TRULY GREAT, 59.0, g, 5, by Dundee (NZ)**

1st Dam: Truly Special, by Jeune (GB)

2nd Dam: Reigning Belle, by Military Plume (NZ)

3rd Dam: Alzabella, by Alzao (USA)

1ST GROUP 1 WIN. O-Peters Investments Pty Ltd; B-Peters Investments Pty Ltd WA; T-G & A Williams; J-Chris Parnham; A\$597,450. Lifetime Record: 12-7-2-0, A\$872,575. *1/2 to Special Alert (Not a Single Doubt), GSW-Aus, A\$249,290. **Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Werk Nick Rating: C.**

2--**Inspirational Girl (NZ)**, 57.0, m, 5, Reliable Man (GB)--Be Inspired, by Zabeel (NZ). (\$190,000 Ylg ‘17 NZB National Yearling Sale). O-Peters Investments Pty Ltd; B-Jamieson Park, Auckland, NZ; T-G & A Williams; J-W Pike; A\$200,000.

3--**Dom to Shoot**, 52.0, g, 3, Shooting to Win--Princess Rouge (NZ), by Pins. O-H W Daly; B-Mr HW Daly WA; T-S & J Casey; J-P Knuckey; A\$90,000.

Margins: 2.0, 3.0, 3.5.

Also Ran: Too Close the Sun, Gailo Chop (FR) , Platoon, Gemma's Son, Watch Me Dance, Uni Time, Kay Cee, Arctic Stream, Taxagano, Trap for Fools, Cup Night, Neufbosc (FR) , Missile Launch.

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ROCK ON WOOD TAKES CAPTAIN COOK

by TDN AusNZ

Rock On Wood (NZ) (Redwood {GB}) was unlucky in Group 1 outings in the Thorndon Mile and Herbie Dyke S. earlier this year and again had no favours in the running.

He was stuck three wide with no cover for much of the race, but when jockey Ryan Elliot asked him for a serious effort he responded positively to stride clear for the eighth win of his 18-start career.

The favourite Concert Hall (NZ) (Savabeel) hit the line strongly for second and a gallant pacemaker Deerfield (NZ) (Falkirk {NZ}) clung grimly to third from Hypnos (NZ) (Reliable Man {GB}).

Pedigree Notes:

Westbury Stud stallion Redwood (GB) was credited with his first Group 1-siring success when Rock On Wood sailed clear.

His son was purchased out of Long Acres Stud's draft at New Zealand Bloodstock's National Yearling Sale for NZ\$26,000 and is out of the six-time winner Rock On Rye (Catcher In The Rye {Ire}).

The second dam Beldale Blues (NZ) (Beldale Lear {USA}) was Group 3-placed and farther back in the family is the G2 QTC Sires' Produce S. winner Star Of The Knight (NZ) (Sir Tristram {Ire}).

A sister to Rock On Wood will be offered by Cambria Park as Lot 75 during Book 1 at Karaka next month.

Saturday, Trentham, New Zealand

CAPTAIN COOK S.-G1, NZ\$200,000, WRC, 12-05, Open WFA, 1600mT, 1:39.66, sl.

1--**ROCK ON WOOD**, 59.0, g, 6, by Redwood (GB)

1st Dam: Rock on Rye (Aus), by Catcher in the Rye (Ire)

2nd Dam: Beldale Blues, by Beldale Lear (USA)

3rd Dam: Celemonde (Aus), by Charmande (USA)

1ST GROUP WIN; 1ST GROUP 1 WIN. (\$26,000 Ylg 2016 NZB National Yearling Sale). O-Mrs L E Elliot, Mrs J Ker & Y J Ker; B-J C O'Sullivan, P J Rudkin, K W Tabernacle, Ms A J White & Est late B A Skelton, Waikato, NZ; T-Ms L Elliot; J-R T Elliot; NZ\$108,000. Lifetime Record: 17-8-2-2, NZ\$324,300.

Click for the [eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree](#). Werk Nick Rating: A+++ * Triple Plus*

2--**Concert Hall**, 57.0, m, 6, Savabeel (Aus)--Classic Legacy, by Carnegie (Ire). O-Mrs J L Egan; B-Mrs J L Egan, Waikato, NZ; T-R James & R Wellwood; J-V A Colgan; NZ\$30,000.

3--**Deerfield**, 59.0, g, 7, Falkirk--The Dazzler, by Centaine (Aus). (\$80,000 Ylg 2015 NZB National Yearling Sale). O-Tony Bamby, Judith Bamby, Samantha Finnegan & Chrissy Bamby; B-A G, K J, M C & P R Dennis, South, NZ; T-Ms C A Bamby; J-S O'Malley; NZ\$14,000.

Margins: 1.0, 2.0, 2.1.

Also Ran: Hypnos, Mauna Kea, Flying Sardine, Beefeater, Aimee's Jewel, Times Ticking, Shadows Cast, Awesome Al.

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