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'NOT ALWAYS DARK AT FIVE O'CLOCK' -COOLMORE EXCITED BY BRIGHT ADDITIONS



Paddington: new to the stud for 2024 | Racingfotos.com

by Brian Sheerin

Coolmore Stud's Mark Byrne has acknowledged that many breeders will be in two minds about covering their mares after what he described as one of the most "unusual" years of trade in 2023 but but encouraged supporters of the stud to retain the faith by saying "it's not always dark at five o'clock."

Byrne was speaking during the Irish Stallion Trail where visitors to Coolmore got a chance to see newbies Paddington (GB), Little Big Bear (Ire) and The Antarctic (Ire). Parallels were drawn between the quandary facing breeders in 2024 to that of the Covid year of 2020 with Byrne keen to point out that many people were rewarded for their resilience at the yearling sales in 2022.

The polarisation of the market in 2023 was one of the main talking points at almost every sale be it yearlings, breeding stock or even National Hunt. Byrne agreed that 2023 presented challenges but took several positives from last year's trade and says he is looking forward to working with breeders for the upcoming season.

He said, "There are several ways to look back on last year's market. It was tough. Nobody is doubting it was tough. But it was tough in every aspect--tough for people selling horses but also tough for people buying horses as well. We tried to acquire stallions, yearlings, mares, you name it, and it was still very hard to buy them so there is still a lot of money in the market. It was just so competitive to buy the nicer horses. In that respect, the market was so unusual. I've never seen it so strong at the top and then it falls away rather steeply. I know it's a word we keep hearing a lot but things have become very polarised.

"Nobody outlays more money in the game than stallion masters do. They put so much up to buy these stallions and they have to make it work. Everyone wants it to work and there's no point in saying the stallion masters charge too much or that the mares aren't good enough. We're all in this together and we have to make it work as a collective."

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WEEK IN REVIEW: FOR GOOD NEWS, 2024 OFF WELL

After 2023 left the industry reeling with one crisis after another, the opening portion of 2024 seems to be starting the year off with signs that it might be better than we thought. Bill Finley explains.



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Mayson, standing at Springfield House Stud, was one of the many stallions available for viewing on another successful renewal of the ITM Irish Stallion Trail.

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BLOW THE HORN SCORES IN KYOTO

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The son of Epiphaneia kicked home best of all in a packed field to secure a career-first Group black-type victory in the G2 Nikkei Shinshun Hai.

WELL-BRED DANON DECILE BEST LATE

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In winning the G3 Heisei Hai, the son of GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies and GI Darley Alcibiades runner-up Top Decile also capped a big day for his sire, who claims the winner of the Kyoto feature as well.

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Coolmore's Newest Additions, cont. from p1

"I was looking at some of the figures at the end of last year and on paper it was probably the second best year of all time for turnover, just behind the best year we ever had, which was in 2023."

Byrne added, "Breeders have to keep going. What's the alternative? If you stop you won't have a product to bring to the sales. But this is an important year for them and now more so than ever breeders will need to steady the ship and use the good stallions that they can afford. There's always an element of risk involved but you don't overstretch that risk by leaving yourself exposed by using a stallion you can't afford.

"I can remember March and April when Covid just broke out. We were wondering whether or not we'd be able to cover mares in 2020. There was a bit of a pullback but people eventually decided to cover their mares. The 2022 yearling sale season was one of the best I ever attended so, the people who decided to pull up during Covid, they might have been left ruing that decision in 2022. I think there are similarities with the dilemma some people are faced with this season in light of the market last year but who's to say what's happening today will be happening tomorrow? It's not always dark at five o'clock."



Little Big Bear | Racingfotos.com

Coolmore will be hoping that Paddington can prove something of a beacon of light at €55,000 to breeders. The four-time Group 1 winner is the third top-class son of Siyouni (Fr) to retire to Coolmore in recent years and Byrne says he is confident that the brilliant Irish 2,000 Guineas, Sussex, St James's Palace and Coral-Eclipse winner has all of the right ingredients to be a hit.

He said, "Anyone who sees Paddington will agree that he is a beautiful horse. He is also a hardy horse given he won four Group 1s in the space of just 68 days. He won the Irish 2,000 Guineas, the Coral-Eclipse, the St James's Palace and the Sussex Stakes. Horses such as Kingman (GB), Frankel (GB), Giant's Causeway and Sadler's Wells, they all came close to doing something similar but Paddington is the only one to have been able to do that as a three-year-old. I think that's a massive testament to him as well.

"Bought by Laurent Benoit on behalf of Coolmore for €420,000 at Arqana, Paddington hails from a lovely Wildenstein family. I think there are loads of good ingredients there for him to be a success and, of course, he is by Siyouni. He is our third son of Siyouni to stand here at Coolmore and the two others [St Mark's Basilica (Fr) and Sottsass (Fr)] are world champions. That bodes well for Paddington."

Byrne added, "He's going to be very well-supported and Monceaux has committed a strong selection of mares to him. He was obviously raised by Henri Bozo's Ecurie des Monceaux farm in France. A lot of the top breeders in Britain and Ireland are also keen to row in behind him and give him the support that he deserves."

While Paddington proved himself at the highest level over a mile and a mile-and-a-quarter, Little Big Bear was devilishly-quick and represents something altogether different at €27,500. The European Champion Two-Year-Old put in arguably one of the most memorable performances posted by any juvenile in recent years when romping to a seven-length success in the G1 Phoenix S. at the Curragh and he clearly has the looks to match that ability.

"Little Big Bear is another beautiful horse," Byrne said. "I remember when he sold at Deauville he was the talk of the sale and I actually thought he'd make a lot more than €320,000. He went on to become the European Champion Two-Year-Old and got a rating of 124 which is a freakish rating. But then again, he produced a freakish performance in the Group 1 Phoenix Stakes where he was seven lengths clear of his rivals. He was just a phenomenal racehorse and won four times as a juvenile at a combined aggregate of 15 lengths."

"Anyone who comes to see him won't be disappointed as he has size, strength, scope and a lot of quality. Pedigree-wise, he's very well-bred as well. You'd have to think at €27,500, he'll be on a lot of people's lists."

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The Antarctic | Scoop Dyga

The Antarctic, a full-brother to the Champion Sprinter Baattash (Ire), will appeal to plenty of smaller breeders at €6,000 and he completes the trio of newbies with Byrne stressing the importance for fresh blood at a stud of Coolmore's status.

He said, "The Antarctic is another interesting horse and is the most expensive colt by Dark Angel (Ie) ever sold at 750,000gns. He won the Lacken Stakes, which Caravaggio and Sioux Nation also won, but The Antarctic won it in record time. He's incredibly well-bred and is a full-brother to Baataash, who we all knew so well. It's a story that every Irish breeder knows and loves with the dam, Anna Law (Ire) (Lawman {Fr}), being bought inexpensively by Paul McCartan and going on to produce brilliant horses like Baattash and The Antarctic, not to mention her latest two yearlings through the ring making a combined 3.3 million gns.

"When you talk about being commercial, this guy was fast, good-looking and has a great pedigree. I think he'll be very popular for breeders who are looking for a bit of value. One thing I've noticed is that he is quite similar to Havana Grey (GB).

"Havana Grey is out of a Dark Angel mare and this guy is by Dark Angel. They were both rated 113 and have similar enough race profiles as they placed in the Prix Morny. They're not too dissimilar."

On keeping things fresh with the new blood at Coolmore, Byrne concluded, "It's like a Premier League football team. You need to keep buying new players and freshen up the roster with new talent every year. This is a fast-moving industry and, as a stud, we need proven stallions, stallions who are about to have their first runners and are just getting going, then you have the stallions in between and also the fresh blood coming through. You don't know where the next Sadler's Wells or No Nay Never is going to come from."

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BRITAIN

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

King's Vanity (GB), g, 4, Kingman (GB)--Poet's Vanity (GB) (GSW-Eng, \$106,547), by Poet's Voice (GB). Lingfield, 1-14, 7f 1y (AWT), 1:24.75. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$5,025. B-Langton Stud (GB). *150,000gns RNA Ylg '21 TATOCT.

WORLDWIDE NEWS

Sunday, Kyoto, Japan

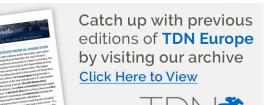
NIKKEI SHINSHUN HAI-G2, ¥109,720,000, Kyoto, 1-14, 4yo/up, 2400mT, 2:23.70, fm.

1--BLOW THE HORN (JPN), 126, h, 5, by Epiphaneia (Jpn)
1st Dam: Halteclere (Jpn), by Durandal (Jpn)
2nd Dam: Joy Assertaine (Jpn), by Forty Niner
3rd Dam: Assertaine, by Assert (Ire)

1ST GROUP WIN. O-Makio Okada; B-Okada Stud; T-Eiji Nakano; J-Akira Sugawara; ¥57,994,000. Lifetime Record: 18-6-2-3, ¥156,413,000. Werk Nick Rating: A+++. *Triple Plus*. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

- 2--**Savona (Jpn)**, 123, c, 4, by Kizuna (Jpn)--T K Rapid (Jpn), by Snitzel (Aus). (¥15,000,000 Wlg '20 JRHJUL) O-Makoto Kato; B-Kosho Farm; ¥23,284,000.
- 3--Satono Glanz (Jpn), 127, c, 4, Satono Diamond (Jpn)--Cherry Collect (Ire), by Oratorio(Ire). (¥105,000,000 Ylg '21 JRHJUL) O-Hajime Satomi; B-Northern Farm; ¥14,142,000.

Margins: 1, 1 1/4, 1 1/2; Odds: 3.10, 4.90, 4.90.
Also Ran: Hearts Concerto (Jpn), Curren Leciel Bleu (Jpn), Red Valiente (Jpn), Naimama (Jpn), Libyan Glass (Jpn), Heart's Histoire (Jpn), Shinryokuka (Jpn), Impress (Jpn), Hindu Times (Jpn), Relationship (Jpn), Diastima (Jpn). Click for the JRA chart & video.



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Sunday, Nakayama, Japan

KEISEI HAI-G3, ¥78,060,000, Nakayama, 1-14, 3yo, 2000mT, 2:00.50, fm.

1---DANON DECILE (JPN), 126, c, 3, by Epiphaneia (Jpn)

1st Dam: Top Decile (MGISP, \$520,291), by Congrats

2nd Dam: Sequoia Queen, by Forestry 3rd Dam: Barefoot Dyana, by Dynaformer

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN, 1ST GROUP WIN. (¥135,000,000 Ylg '22

JRHJUL) O-Danox Inc.; B- Shadai Farm; T-Shogo Yasuda; J-Norihiro Yokoyama; ¥41,532,000. Lifetime: 4-2-0-0, ¥53,132,000. **Werk Nick Rating: C. Click for the**

eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

2--**Urban Chic (Jpn)**, 126, c, 3, by Suave Richard (Jpn)--Edgy Style (Jpn), by Harbinger (GB). **1ST BLACK-TYPE, 1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE**. O-Silk Racing; B-Northern Farm; ¥ 16,152,000.

3--Cosmo Buddleja ((Jpn), 126, c, 3, by Gold Ship (Jpn)--Cosmo Butterfly (Jpn), by Song of Wind (Jpn). **1ST BLACK-TYPE, 1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE**. O/B-Big Red Farm; ¥10,076,000.

Margins: 3/4, NK, HF; Odds: 10.50, 2.00, 46.00.

Also Ran: Hayatenofukunosuke (Jpn), Nishino Fiance (Jpn), Ask Nice Show (Jpn), Birdwatcher (Jpn), Ecoro Mars (Jpn), Drake Passage (Jpn), Meiner Frantz (Jpn), Rey de la Luz (Jpn), Jun Gold (Jpn), Lord Vesper (Jpn), Glory Attain (Jpn). Scratched: Logi Ruler (Jpn). Click for the JRA chart & video.

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IN THE GOOD NEWS DEPARTMENT, 2024 OFF TO A GOOD START



Monmouth Park | Sarah Andrew

The Week in Review, by Bill Finley

The year 2023 was a pretty rough one for the sport of horse racing, and there was little to suggest that this year would be any different. The sport seems to be caught in a downward spiral as we move from one crisis to another and are left to wonder "what next?"

So far this year, the answer to that question is that maybe things will be better in 2024 than we might have thought. There have been several recent positive developments for the sport, many of them having to do with state governments investing in the game's future.

We learned last week that the New Jersey Senate joined the state's Assembly in passing a bill that would extended a \$10-million annual purse subsidy through 2029. Governor Phil Murphy is expected to sign the bill. New Jersey is one of only a handful of states where the racing industry does not receive revenue from gaming. Without the \$10 million, Monmouth's purses wouldn't be large enough to compete with tracks in neighboring states. According to the *Daily Racing Form*, Monmouth distributed \$31 million in purses over 56 live racing days, for an average of \$553,000 a day, the highest in its history, with one-third of that money coming from the subsidy.

MOGER, LAROCHE AND TABOADA RESIGN

FROM TOC by Dan Ross

Three directors of the Thoroughbred Owners of California (TOC) have resigned from their positions in protest of the board's co-signature on a proposal to the California Horse Racing Board (CHRB) that would concretize racing operations in South California at the expense, they say, of a potential viable racing circuit in the North.

The former directors also claim the proposal was submitted without their prior knowledge.

"On January 5th a letter from the TOC and the Southern California racetrack operators was sent to the CHRB requesting the allocation of race dates for late 2024 and 2025. Of course, these race date allocations would pre-empt the opportunity for a racing circuit in the North. The key point here is that this letter was written without our knowledge and despite the fact that the entire board met two days prior," write Lindsay LaRoche, Johnny Taboada and Ed Moger in a letter to the TOC dated Jan. 12. Cont. p5

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COOLMORE STUD EXCITED BY NEW ADDITIONS

Brian Sheerin hit the Irish Stallion Trail recently and that tour included a trip to Coolmore Stud, where visitors were given a chance to see newbies Paddington, Little Big Bear, and The Antarctic.



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Cover Me Up is training for his next career at the New Vocations facility in Lexington, KY. This handsome son of Mastery is pictured in a stall sponsored through donations made to honor the memory of our TDN colleague, Ben Massam. | Photo courtesy of New Vocations

ROONEY RECUSES FROM MARYLAND DECISION

Tom Rooney, an appointed voting member of the Maryland Thoroughbred Racetrack Operating Authority (MTROA), has recused himself from any further decision making in the selection of a year-round training center.

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WHITE ABARRIO WORKS FOR SAUDI CUP

GI Breeders' Cup Classic winner White Abarrio (Race Day) tuned up for next month's G1 Saudi Cup with a half-mile work at Santa Anita Sunday.

HONEY PANTS WINS LAS CIENEGAS

Honey Pants (Cairo Prince) outgutted favored stablemate Elm Drive (Moyhaymen) to win the GIII Las Cienegas at Santa Anita Sunday.



The Week in Review (cont. from p1)

It wasn't that long ago that Monmouth was operated by the state and then Governor Chris Christie threatened to shut the track down. In 2011, he said that Monmouth would "disappear" if private management wasn't put

in place at the state-owned facility.

The news out of New Jersey was just the latest example of a state government showing that it believes in the future of the sport. In Maryland, Governor Wes Moore endorsed a plan authored by the Maryland Thoroughbred Operating Authority that will overhaul racing in Maryland. The proposal, which is dubbed "Pimlico Plus," would mean a re-envisioned Pimlico site, with a new clubhouse, stables for 700 horses, a 1,000-seat event space,

Pimlico | Horsephotos

built at a site that has yet to be determined.

Pimlico Plus has a hefty price tag. According to the *Baltimore Banner*, the new Pimlico will cost between \$274 million and \$284 million, while the new training facility would cost about \$113 million. In 2020, the Maryland General Assembly approved

the sale of \$375 million in bonds for capital improvements for Pimlico and Laurel. The projects that were on the table at the time stalled, but the \$375 million is still available and, with legislative approval, can be used to rebuild Pimlico.

The deal would require 1/ST Racing and Gaming, which owns Pimlico Race Course and Laurel Park, to transfer ownership of Pimlico to the state, and for 1/ST Racing to cede control of its day-to-day

Thoroughbred operations to a non-profit entity as of Jan. 1, 2025. The non-profit entity would be structured so that it is similar to the New York Racing Association.

2,000-car parking garage, veterinary facilities, a possible hotel and other new amenities. Laurel will close once the new Pimlico is ready to open for business and a new training facility will be



1/ST Racing will retain the rights to the GI Preakness S. and the GII Black-Eyed Susan S., which it would license to the non-profit operating authority.

The Maryland deal was announced about eight months after New York Governor Kathy Hochul's budget included a \$455-million loan to NYRA that it will use to build a new Belmont Park, which is expected to open in 2026. Hochul did so despite fierce criticism from some advocacy groups, including PETA, that questioned the move. Victor Matheson, a Holy Cross College professor and expert on sports economics told the *New York Post*, "Basically it looks like with this project, you're kind of hitching your wagon to an industry that is in long-term decline."

Belmont was last refurbished in the sixties and is a mammoth structure built during an era when 35,000 people might show up to the track on a Saturday afternoon. It is also not winterized, the primary reason why the Breeders' Cup has not been run at Belmont since 2005. New York racing needed a new Belmont and needed to consolidate so that there was just one downstate track. Thanks to Hochul, it's going to happen.

In October, Keeneland announced a major capital investment project highlighted by the construction of a permanent paddock building. Once again, a state government came forward to help with the costs. Keeneland is working with state and local government to secure incentive funds to support the project,

which is expected to cost nearly \$93 million. Already, upon the recommendation of the Tourism, Arts and Heritage Cabinet, Keeneland received preliminary approval from the Kentucky Tourism Development Finance Authority for incentives to support the project totaling up to \$23.2 million.

"Keeneland is a historic destination for our local families and travelers, and this exciting investment will create more opportunities for everyone to enjoy, while boosting our signature horse racing industry and Kentucky's \$12.9 billion tourism industry," said Gov. Andy Beshear. "The horse racing industry is as indispensable to our economy as it is to our culture, and after a record-breaking year for tourism in 2022, leaders like Keeneland are going to help ensure Kentucky's success continues for years to come."

Last week, we also learned that the purse for the Kentucky Derby has been raised to \$5 million. It was \$3 million. In addition, the 2024 spring meet at Churchill will offer purses totaling more than \$25 million or a 25% increase over 2023.

This happened because Kentucky racing has never been healthier. Revenue from Historical Horse Racing Machines has created huge purses in the state. Maiden special weight races at Churchill Downs went for \$120,000 and allowance races were worth \$141,000 last fall.

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"These record purse increases are a symbol of the health of horse racing in Kentucky," Bill Carstanjen, CEO of Churchill Downs Incorporated said when announcing the Derby purse increase. "Churchill Downs Incorporated's over \$1-billion investment into live and historical horse racing in Kentucky over the last five years has meaningfully strengthened the entire Kentucky Derby Week and year-round racing program. It's important to acknowledge the state legislature for its commitment to working closely with private enterprise in a truly collaborative partnership to support the continued growth of Kentucky's signature industry."

None of this means that 2024 will be perfect or that we shouldn't brace ourselves for the next set of problems. But this sport is resilient, as the recent developments have shown. Let's hope for more of the same in 2024.

Triple Crown Purses

Churchill Downs was not the only track to raise the purse for its Triple Crown event. The purse for the GI Belmont S. has been increased to \$2 million from \$1.5 million. That's a step in the right direction, but it's not enough. Along with the Breeders' Cup, the Triple Crown races are supposed to be the sport's most important events. Their purses should reflect that. All three races should have purses of \$5 million. As of now, there is a gap between the Derby and the \$1.5-million Preakness and the Belmont, which isn't good for the Triple Crown. There should be enough money out there to have three \$5-million races.

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Moger, LaRoche, Taboada Resign from TOC (cont. from p1)

"By no means are these the only times the interests of Northern California members have been ignored or subjugated by TOC leadership," the letter adds. "It is clear to us that the current leadership is not being transparent and not working to represent the entire state of California."

The resignations come at a fraught time for the California racing industry as it attempts to piece together a revised racing framework in the wake of Golden Gate's impending closure in June and amid declining economic benchmarks.

With the clock ticking, complicating matters is how the California Association of Racing Fairs (CARF) has yet to publicly submit a proposal as to a potential Northern racing circuit beyond its annual fair dates. This year's fair schedule is currently set to close out with a fall fair meet at Fresno from Oct. 2 through the 13.

According to TOC president and CEO, Bill Nader, the board members were indeed informed during its meeting earlier this month that the organization would be submitting a letter to the CHRB ahead of its Thursday board meeting, outlining plans for consolidated racing operations in the South as a contingency "in the event the North does not put forward a viable plan that gains CHRB approval."

"As far as the details in the packet, I wanted that included for transparency so that everyone had a chance to look at it before the meeting commenced--it's a lot to take in on the spot," said Nader.

In a joint submission to the CHRB, the TOC, Los Alamitos chairman and CEO Ed Allred, I/ST Racing and Gaming CEO Aidan Butler, and Del Mar president and COO Josh Rubinstein ask the regulator to allocate race dates for the last 14 weeks of 2024 and for 2025 with operations concentrated in the Southbeyond the Northern fair meets--citing the tough economics of currently maintaining twin North-South racing circuits.

The submission outlines a set of proposals, including a possible legislative change to permit Los Alamitos to card night Thoroughbred races beyond 4 1/2 furlongs for \$5,000 claimers and below, and \$8,000 maiden claimers.

Los Alamitos vice president Jack Liebau recently told the *TDN* that a legislative fix to go into immediate effect--as opposed to the start of January 2025, like most bills passed this year--needs an "urgency clause" requiring a two-thirds vote by the legislature.

Nader said that no decision will be made during this Thursday's CHRB meeting about race-date allocations.

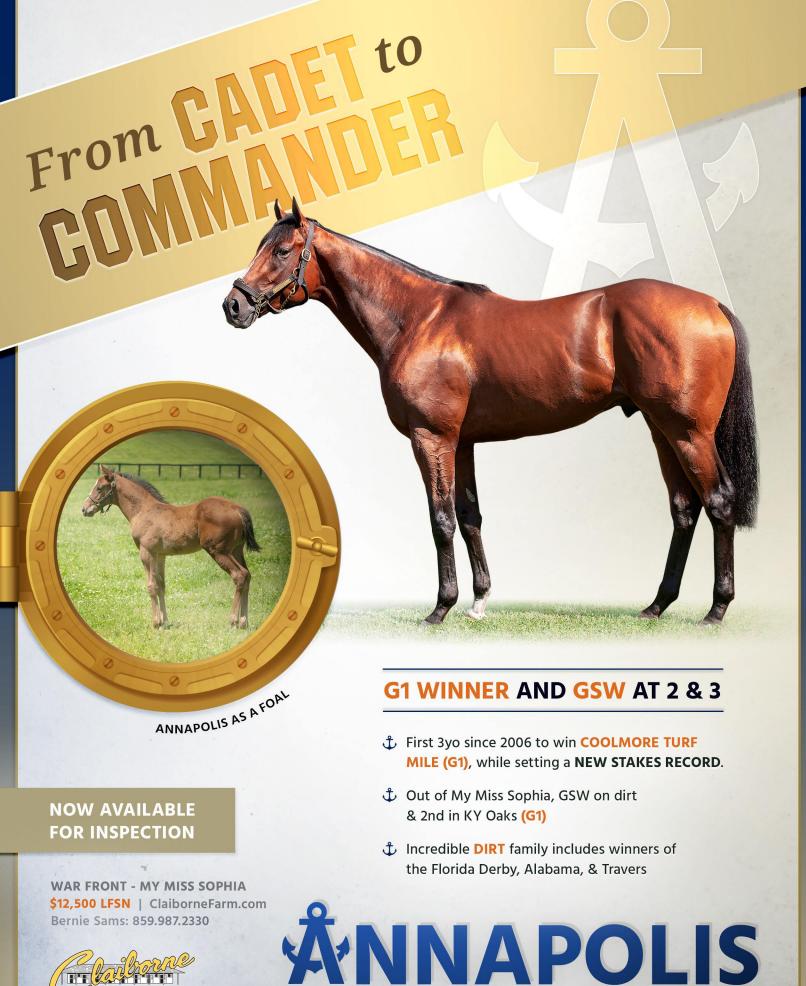
"I personally do not see this discussion on the 18th being contentious," said Nader, about the upcoming CHRB meeting. "I think it's just stating the facts and opening eyes to where we've been in the last 20 years, where we are now, and where we're going. No decisions will be made--it's only background."

Nader also said that at the behest of the TOC, track management at Del Mar, Santa Anita and Los Alamitos had pushed back the deadline for the allocation of race-dates--from what would have required an "emergency" CHRB meeting in February to the regular CHRB meeting in March.

"At our board meeting [earlier in January], all three tracks had the opportunity to be present and speak at the beginning of the meeting. We did speak to them and we did get them to relax their position, to say that they were willing to wait until the 21st of March, at the March CHRB meeting," said Nader, who added that CARF executive director, Larry Swartzlander, declined an offer to attend the TOC meeting.

"So, we were being responsive and respectful to the North," Nader said. "It's been six months, we still haven't seen a plan [from CARF]. There are people all through the state getting very anxious."

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In their resignation letter, the three former TOC directors also claim TOC leadership "does not represent the interests of Northern California owners," highlighting the recently announced 25% cut in purses at Golden Gate Fields--a result of a \$3-million deficit in the track's purse account.

"Recently, the Northern California Racing Committee unanimously voted to oppose the purse agreement proposal from 1/ST Racing for the final Golden Gate Fields race meets," the letter states.

"The result of this vote was not deemed important enough by TOC leadership to effect the TOC's approval of the cuts or even to be presented to the TOC Board as a whole for a vote," the letter adds.

"There are emails and board minutes that would suggest otherwise," said Nader, when asked about these claims. He added in a follow-up text that the TOC "did discuss the GGF purse cuts" at the January Board Meeting.

"It's a struggle, North and South. It's just a difficult time," Nader added. "I'm not being critical of anyone. It's just the environment we're in right now. Everybody's just a little teed up--it's unfortunate."

Efforts to consolidate racing operations in the South were given a major fillip in September of last year, when California lawmakers passed legislation that means if Golden Gate Fields is not licensed to operate beyond July 1 this year, proceeds from simulcast wagering in the north are funnelled south when there is no live racing in the northern half of the state after that date.

Moger did not respond to a request for comment prior to publication.

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CITING CONFLICT OF INTEREST ISSUES, **ROONEY SELF-RECUSES FROM MRTOA** TRAINING CENTER DECISIONS by Dan Ross

To avoid any potential conflict-of-interest issues, Tom Rooney, an appointed voting member of the Maryland Thoroughbred Racetrack Operating Authority (MTROA), has recused himself from any further decision making in the selection of a year-round training center, said Alan Foreman, another voting member of the non-profit.

The new organization is positioning itself to assume control of day-to-day racing operations in Maryland, pending legislative approval. In a proposed plan, The Stronach Group, which owns Pimlico Race Course, would turn over ownership and daily operations of the track to the state and to the MTROA, respectively.

Complementing a revamped Pimlico would be the selection of a companion training facility to accommodate roughly 700-800 horses.

The MTROA identified eight potential training facilities for purchase. They include the Shamrock Farm Training Center, a little over 20 miles from Pimlico. Shamrock Farm is a 155-acre facility owned by the Rooney family since 1948, according to the facility's website.

Foreman said that Shamrock Farm was selected as a possible training site due to the Rooney family opening the door to its possible sale.

Initially, Rooney said that "if in fact the farm is a possibility, I'll resign from the Authority because I don't want anybody to think there's a conflict of interest there," said Foreman, who is also general counsel for the Maryland Thoroughbred Horsemen's Association (MTHA).

Rooney sits on the Maryland Horse Breeders Association (MHBA) board. The MHBA "did not feel that he should step down," said Foreman.

"But Tom said, 'if I don't step off the board, I'll want to make very clear that I'm recusing myself with respect to any matters related to Shamrock Farm or consideration of Shamrock as a training facility. You can deal directly with the family," said Foreman.

"Tom would not participate in the vote for the training center," Foreman added. "So, it isn't just that he would recuse himself from Shamrock, but he has recused himself from voting on the location of the training center."

According to a MTROA report dated Jan. 5, if a decision is made to move forward with Shamrock Farm as a training center location, "a third-party appraisal process will be used to substantiate a purchase price," the report states.

In a separate report, the MTROA rates the eight different possible training facilities by several criteria, including their location, size, cost to purchase and cost of redevelopment.

According to this rating system, two facilities come out jointly on top--Shamrock Farm and Mitchell Farm Training Center, a 97-acre facility near the Aberdeen Proving Ground. The third-rated facility is the Bowie Race Track, a 131-acre training facility.

According to Foreman, these three facilities will undergo independent appraisal in preparation for a final training site

The ambitious reconfiguring of Maryland's horse racing infrastructure hinges upon legislative approval. The recently unveiled report came with the endorsement of Maryland's governor, Wes Moore.

"Our hope is, we can coalesce around a site by the end of the legislative session," said Foreman. The Maryland General Assembly's 90-day legislative session is scheduled to run until Apr. 8.

WHITE ABARRIO WORKS FOR SAUDI CUP

White Abarrio (Race Day) worked a half-mile in :50.60 at Santa Anita Sunday morning as he continues to prepare for the Feb. 24 \$20-million G1 Saudi Cup.

""We were very happy with his breeze," assistant trainer Chip Dutrow told 1/ST Racing's Zoe Cadman. "He makes it look easy. We know just by watching Emily [Ellingwood] with her smile after the breeze that she's very happy with him. That's our cue, and we got that today, so everybody's happy. There were some times when we were going up to the Breeders' Cup that we were having feet trouble and she wasn't happy but those times are over."

The winner of the Nov. 4 Breeders' Cup Classic will make his first start in Saudi Arabia since his Classic win.

Ellingwood, a jockey on the Southern California circuit, has been serving as White Abarrio's regular exercise rider since last fall.

How important is she to the operation, Cadman asked?

"These two are a great team," said Dutrow. "It's like 1 and 1A, Dean Martin and Jerry Lewis. They know each other so well. They're in love with each other. It's a great story."



Ellingood also pronounced herself pleased with the work. "It was great," she said. "He went a half, out five, he galloped out really strong. I went to pull up to jog him off and workers came by and he tried to take off again. That's a good sign, and if I had let him, he would have gone around again."

"It's been quite a journey," she said of the partnership. "I had just been galloping, trying to work hard and get mounts as a jockey and this opportunity came up and I couldn't pass it up. I'm really grateful for the connections and Doug O'Neill for recommending me as a rider for this wonderful horse. He's honestly a great horse to get on in the morning. He pretty much just trains himself and takes me along for the ride. I always look forward to riding him in the morning."

FIRST MISSION FIRES BULLET FOR PEGASUS

Godolphin's **First Mission** (Street Sense) continued preparations for the Jan. 27 GI Pegasus World Cup Invitational with a bullet five-furlong work in 1:00.00 (1/51) at Fair Grounds Saturday.

"He's a great work horse," trainer Brad Cox said Sunday. "He's continued to do the same here at the Fair Grounds in preparing for the Pegasus. He looked fantastic this morning. We actually took him to the track today [jogging a mile Sunday] because we're due some cold weather in the next few days and we may miss a day of training. But overall, super pleased with how he's moving and how he physically looks and how he is acting. I think he's set up for a big run to start his 4-year-old season."



First Mission | Coady Photography

First Mission earned a spot in the GI Preakness S. last year with a win in the GIII Stonestreet Lexington S., but missed the second leg of the Triple Crown due to injury. He returned with an allowance win at Keeneland in October and is coming off a narrowly beaten runner-up effort in the Nov. 24 GII Clark S.

The Cox-trained GI Pennsylvania Derby winner **Saudi Crown** (Always Dreaming), another Pegasus invitee, also worked five furlongs at Fair Grounds Saturday, covering the distance in 1:00.20 (3/51). Owned by the Saudi-based FMQ Stables, the 4-year-old is entered in Saturday's GIII Louisiana S. as a prep for the Feb. 24 G1 Saudi Cup in Riyadh, according to Cox.

Working for the Pegasus at Gulfstream Park Sunday, last year's GIII Smarty Jones S. winner II Miracolo (Gun Runner) went five furlongs in 1:00.92 (5/11) with jockey Javier Castellano in the irons for trainer Antonio Sano.

"He went really good. I liked the way he did it today," Castellano said. "He did it in good time and galloped out beautiful."

Il Miracolo was third in the Pennsylvania Derby, a narrowly beaten second in the Oct. 28 GII Fayette S. and third in the Clark.



Sunday, Santa Anita

LAS CIENEGAS S.-GIII, \$103,000, Santa Anita, 1-14, 4yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2fT, 1:12.40, fm.

1--HONEY PANTS, 120, m, 6, by Cairo Prince

1st Dam: Queens Carousel, by Afternoon Deelites 2nd Dam: Irving's Girl, by Badger Land

3rd Dam: Card Table, by Bold Bidder

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. (\$90,000 YIg

'19 KEESEP). O-Bakster Farm LLC and Isbister, Gerald; B-Betz/Lamantia/J. Betz (KY); T-Philip D'Amato; J-Lanfranco Dettori. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 22-4-8-2, \$357,406. *1/2 to King Henny (Henny Hughes), MSW, \$233,357. **Werk Nick**

Rating: D+. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

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ELIGIBLE FOR **KY Breeders' incentive fund** awards up to \$5,000 **(6)**

2--Elm Drive, 124, m, 5, Mohaymen--Lets Dance Charlie, by Indian Charlie. (\$40,000 Ylg '20 OBSOCT; \$165,000 2yo '21 OBSMAR). O-Little Red Feather Racing; B-Kenneth D'Oyen (KY); T-Philip D'Amato. \$20,000.

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3--Gracelund Gray, 122, m, 5, Goldencents--Grit and Grace, by Tapit. 1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE. (\$25,000 Ylg '20 FTKSEL). O-Gravenslund, John & Kelley; B-Calumet Farm (KY); T-Peter Eurton. \$12,000.

IT'S IN THE WATER

Margins: HD, 3/4, 3/4. Odds: 19.20, 1.00, 6.30.

Also Ran: Nadette (Fr), Kissed by Fire, Wakanaka (Ire), Adaay In Asia (GB), Fast and Shiny, Benedict Canyon, Anthonys Cleopatra, Lexington Humor. Scratched: Free and Humble. Click for the Equibase.com chart, TJCIS PPs or the VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

Honey Pants, one of four Phil D'Amato trainees in the race, determinedly held off favored stablemate Elm Drive in a mad dash to the wire to win the GIII Las Cienegas S. at Santa Anita Sunday. The 19-1 outsider settled into stride while racing along the hedge and just off the pace with her favored stablemate just to her outside. Elm Drive was forced to momentarily wait for racing room approaching the straight, but Honey Pants was clear along the rail and inherited the lead out of the turn. Elm Tree found running room in upper stretch and was soon joined by her stablemate as the two went toe to toe with Honey Pants just holding on at the wire.

"Phil told me to try to get a good break," winning jockey Frankie Dettori said. "I had a perfect spot, they all came off the fence and I got on the fence. When I went to go get my stick, it flew out of my hand, so I gathered her together and at the end she stuck her neck out for me. Obviously, I didn't need the stick, we got the job done."

Honey Pants hit the board in six stakes on the East Coast for trainer Christophe Clement before moving to the West Coast barn of Phil D'Amato last spring. Runner-up in the Mizdirection S. down the hill in her first outing for D'Amato in May, she was coming off a troubled fifth-place effort in the five-furlong Stormy Liberal S. at Del Mar Dec. 2.

"It's bittersweet, both of my horses tried hard," D'Amato said. "Elm Drive, she just gives it to you every time. Honey Pants has been a bit unlucky in the last couple races and got vindication today."

Pedigree Notes:

Honey Pants is the ninth graded winner for her sire, Cairo Prince. Her dam, Queens Carousel, produced the dam of last year's GI H. Allen Jerkens Memorial S. winner One in Vermillion (Army Mule). Queens Carousel is a half-sister to graded winner Irving's Baby (Quiet American) and a full-sister to graded winner and Grade I placed Deeliteful Irving.



Honey Pants (inside) holds off Elm Drive | Benoit

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Honey Pants (Cairo Prince) grits out GIII Las Cienegas S. win

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FIRST FOAL FOR LIFE IS GOOD

WinStar Farm's Life Is Good (Into Mischief--Beach Walk, by Distorted Humor) was represented by his first foal when gradedstakes placed Shesa Mystery (Verazano) produced a filly Saturday night at Brookstone Farm in Paris, Kentucky. The filly, whose dam finished second in the 2021 GIII Iowa Oaks, was bred by Wimberley Bloodstock and BWW Bloodstock. Wimberley Bloodstock acquired Shesa Mystery in foal to Life Is Good for \$285,000 at the 2023 Keeneland November Sale.

"She's a great first foal with quality, bone, and strength," said Archie St. George of Brookstone Farm. "It's encouraging for both the sire and the dam."



Life is Good | Ryan Thompson

Brendan Jacobson of Wimberley Bloodstock added of the filly, "She is a very good first foal with lots of quality and plenty of bone. She has a great personality, is super friendly, and has a lot of strength. We couldn't be happier with the result. Both mom and baby are happy, healthy, and doing well."

Life is Good, whose four Grade I victories include the 2021 GI Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile and 2022 GI Pegasus World Cup Invitational, bred 192 mares in his first season at stud in 2023. He stands at WinStar Farm for a fee of \$85,000.

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GRADED STAKES ENTRIES



Saturday, Fair Grounds #13, post time: 7:00 p.m. EST

LECOMTE S.-GIII, \$200,000, 3yo, 1 1/16m

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PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Next Level 🖛	Vino Rosso	Don't Tell My Wife Stables	Desormeaux	Cohen	122
2	Nash	Medaglia d'Oro	Godolphin, LLC	Cox	Geroux	122
3	Tizzy Indy	Take Charge Indy	Calumet Farm	Desormeaux	Graham	122
4	Can Group	Good Samaritan	D. J. Stable LLC and Cash is King LLC	Casse	Loveberry	122
5	Ethan Energy	Uncle Mo	Stonestreet Stables LLC	Cox	Saez	122
6	Lat Long 🖛	Liam's Map	Walking L Thoroughbreds, LLC	McPeek	Hernandez, Jr.	122
7	Track Phantom 🖛	Quality Road	L and N Racing LLC, Brewster, Clark O., Caroom, Jerry and			
			Breeze Easy, LLC	Asmussen	Rosario	122
8	Awesome Road 🖛	Quality Road	Albaugh Family Stables LLC and Donegal Racing	Cox	Concepcion	122

Breeders: 1-White Fox Farm, 2-Godolphin, 3-Calumet Farm, 4-Wynnstay Inc. & H. Allen Poindexter, 5-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC, 6-Town & Country Horse Farms, LLC, 7-Breeze Easy, LLC, 8-Claiborne Farm

Saturday, Fair Grounds #12, post time: 6:30 p.m. EST

LOUISIANA S. PRESENTED BY RELYNE GI BY HAGYARD-GIII, \$175,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m

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PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Red Route One	Gun Runner	Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC	Asmussen	Rosario	118
2	Smile Happy 🖛	Runhappy	Lucky Seven Stable	McPeek	Hernandez, Jr.	118
3	Saudi Crown 🛪	Always Dreaming	FMQ Stables	Cox	Geroux	124
4	Happy American 🖛	Runhappy	Lothenbach Stables, Inc.	Pessin	Loveberry	118
5	Five Star General 🛷	Distorted Humor	Elttaes Stable	Forster	Pedroza, Jr.	122
6	Confidence Game 🖛	Candy Ride (Arg)	Don't Tell My Wife Stables 2021, LLC	Desormeaux	Lanerie	118
7	Kupuna 🖛	Hard Spun	Sanders, Wayne and Hirsch, Larry	Calhoun	Gutierrez	118

Breeders: 1-Winchell Thoroughbreds, LLC, 2-Moreau Bloodstock Int'l Inc. &White Bloodstock LLC, 3-CHC Inc., 4-Claiborne Farm, 5-WinStar Farm, LLC, 6-Summer Wind Equine LLC, 7-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC &Greg Biagi

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NORTH AMERICAN RACING



IN ORDER OF PURSE:

LIKELY EXCHANGE S., \$125,000, Turfway, 1-13, 4yo/up, f/m, 1m (AWT), 1:39.64, ft.

- 1--ICICLES, 120, f, 4, Frosted--Hard Ten Hopping, by Rock Hard Ten. (\$39,000 RNA Ylg '21 KEESEP). 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O/B-Dixiana Farms LLC (KY); T-John Ennis; J-Adam Beschizza. \$74,814. Lifetime Record: 7-2-3-0, \$169,530.
- 2--Silver Ticket, 120, f, 4, Curlin--Royal Obsession, by Tapit. (\$450,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP). **1ST BLACK TYPE**. O-Robert E. and Lawana L. Low; B-Don Alberto Corporation (KY); T-Todd A. Pletcher. \$24,424.

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3--Lilac Girl, 120, m, 6, Quality Road--Chat, by Dynaformer. **1ST BLACK TYPE**. O-Augustin Stables; B-George Strawbridge, Jr (KY); T-Jonathan Thomas. \$12,212.

Raised

Margins: 3HF, 5, 3 3/4. Odds: 15.29, 1.76, 3.37.

Also Ran: Lexa, Bali Belle, Catiche, Ghostly Gal, Jag Warrior. Scratched: Flashy Gem, Malloy, Thisnameisokay.

Icicles, who placed second after she was disqualified at Indiana Grand in late October, broke her maiden next out by 9 3/4 lengths while facing auction restricted company at Churchill Downs in mid-November. Most recently, the dark bay was runner-up facing allowance company in Florence Dec. 20.

Sent on her way at her morning-line price of 15-1, the homebred set the tone early into the first turn and continued to make all the fractions up the backstretch.



Icicles | Coady Photography

Despite a challenge at the quarter pole from favorite Silver Ticket (Curlin), the 4-year-old charged home with plenty in the tank en route to her first black-type victory.

Hard Ten Hopping, a full-sister to GI American Oaks heroine Nereid and a half-sister to GISP Sea Queen (Lemon Drop Kid), was purchased by Dixiana for \$200,000 at the 2014 Keeneland November Sale while in-foal to Candy Ride (Arg). She was bred to Essential Quality for this coming season.

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FRANKLIN SQUARE S., \$100,000, Aqueduct, 1-14, (S), 3yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:18.76, ft.

1--MY MANE SQUEEZE, 122, f, 3, by Audible

1st Dam: In Spite of Mama, by Speightstown 2nd Dam: Mama Theresa, by Carson City 3rd Dam: Nothing Special, by Tejabo

O/B-William Butler (NY); T-Michael J. Maker; J-Jose Lezcano. \$55,000. Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-2, \$238,960. *1/2 to Rotknee (Runhappy), MSW & GSP, \$527,955; and Lookin for Trouble (Into Mischief), MSP, \$170,220.

- 2--Bernietakescharge, 122, f, 3, Take Charge Indy--Berning Rose, by Freud. **1ST BLACK TYPE**. O/B-Robert D. Rosenthal & Bradford Bernstein (NY); T-Domenick L. Schettino. \$20,000.
- 3--**Tricky Temper**, 122, f, 3, Into Mischief--Winter Book, by Any Given Saturday. (\$97,000 RNA Ylg '22 FTKOCT; \$230,000 2yo '23 OBSAPR). O-Mark H. Stanley; B-Sequel Thoroughbreds, LLC & Lakland Farm (NY); T-Jeremiah C. Englehart. \$12,000.

B LEGION BLOODSTOCK PURCHASE | 267-342-1900 B ANOTHER TRAVIS DURR GRADUATE

Margins: 1 1/4, 10 1/4, HD. Odds: 1.60, 7.60, 3.95.

Also Ran: Flight Control, Sweet Brown Sugar, Cara's Time. Scratched: Soloshot, Unicorn Cake.

Scratched: Soloshot, Unicorn Cake.

Looking to add her second career stakes score, My Mane Squeeze employed an effective stalk-and-pounce style to annex Sunday's Franklin Square S. at the Big A.

Well-supported at 8-5 following a victory last out facing Empire breds in the Maid of the Mist S. in October, the homebred was eased back to fifth as Flight Control (Air Force Blue) and Cara's Time (Not This Time) slugged it out through an opening quarter in :22.63. While the latter former but out a half in :46.76 and the latter began her retreat, My Mane Squeeze advanced four-paths wide as Bernietakescharge overtook the wilting pacesetter. Gaining a slight advantage while drifting out in early stretch, My Mane Squeeze had to dig deep late, but had enough left to cross the wire 1 1/4 lengths ahead of her 7-1 rival at the wire. **Cont.**



My Mane Squeeze | Adam Coglianese

"She broke very good and I got a chance to put her outside in the clear," said winning rider Jose Lezcano. "She traveled very comfortable. In the stretch, I asked her to go on and she gave me what she's got."

"I was feeling good. In the clear, she jumped on the bridle and was galloping pretty nice. When I really had to ask her, I had plenty of horse and plenty of gas in the tank."

Third in her career bow against New York breds at the Spa last summer, she returned to graduate by 4 1/2 lengths in a six-furlong test at that venue Sept. 1. Adding an extra furlong in a sloppy edition of the Joe A. Gimma S. Sept. 24, she finished third--beaten 7 1/4 lengths--by Cara's Time.

The winner's dam--In Spite of Mama--is also responsible for a juvenile filly by War of Will and a yearling colt by Runhappy. She was bred back to Honest Mischief. This represents the family of GI Jockey Club Gold Cup winner Haynesfield (Speightstown). Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

ALLOWANCE WINNERS



IN ORDER OF PURSE:

7th-Laurel, \$54,880, Alw (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000-\$62,500), 1-14, 3yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:04.70, ft, 7 lengths.

MISS HARRIETT (f, 3, Blofeld--Tejano Sea, by Sea of Secrets) triumphed in the restricted Maryland Million Lassie S. going six panels in her career unveiling in October before tiring to fifth last time in the Smart Halo S. Nov. 11.

Receiving first-time Lasix here, she went off the well-supported 3-5 choice to return to the winner's circle. Sent to the front early, the gray led throughout en route to a seven-length win over Still Game (Frosted). The winner is a half-sister to Hemp (Super Ninety Nine), GSP, \$140,417, In Arrears (Scipion), SP, \$287,735 and Keep Momma Happy (Scipion), SW, \$129,100.Lifetime Record: SW, 3-2-0-0, \$91,810. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV. O-Narrow Leaf Farm; B-David Baxter (MD); T-Brandon McFarlane.

6th-Tampa Bay Downs, \$34,550, Alw (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$75,000), 1-14, 3yo, 1m 40y, 1:42.31, ft, 1/2 length. CRAZY MASON (c, 3, Coal Front--Izshelegal {GSP, \$134,840}, by Maria's Mon) finished third going a mile in a muddy renewal of the Rocky Run S. at Delaware last October before capping off the year with a second in the six-furlong Inaugural S. at this venue Dec. 2. Backed down to 3-5 favoritism here, the gray settled in a ground-saving fifth through an opening quarter in :26.22 and continued to survey things from midpack following a :51.91. Mounting his challenge turning for home, he was up in time to best Fulmineo (Bolt d'Oro) by a half length at the wire. The winner is out of GSP Izshelegal, who is also the dam of a 2022 filly by Thousand Words and a filly by Rowayton from last year. Sales history: \$20,000 Wlg '21 KEENOV; \$27,500 Ylg '22 EASOCT. Lifetime Record: MSP, 6-2-2-1, \$100,150. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV. O-Donna Wright and Reeves Thoroughbred Racing; B-Gmbracstables LLC, Mr. & Mrs. Ramon Rangel & Mr. & Mrs. Zachary Madden (KY); T-Gregory D. Sacco.

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2nd-Aqueduct, \$77,600, Msw, 1-14, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:13.96, ft, 1 1/4 lengths.

DOROTHY'S DREAMS (f, 3, Always Dreaming--Dynazaper {SW, \$139,835}, by Ghostzapper) made her first start as the runnerup last summer at Belmont, dropped into maiden claiming company and ran second in Ozone Park Nov. 24, and then was third in what was her fourth try against maiden special weights at Aqueduct Dec. 17. With Lasix for the first time and as a 9-2 shot here, the bay hopped badly at the start, as a trio of first time starters vied for the lead up the backstretch. Undeterred, the filly got in gear around the far turn, came with a big run down the lane when the leaders faded and got the job done by 1 1/4 lengths over Tiarella (Nyquist). Dorothy's Dreams counts GSP Copper Town (Speightstown) as a half-brother. The winner's dam is also responsible for a 2-year-old filly by Promises Fulfilled, who went to Peter Deutsch for \$200,000 at last year's Keeneland September Sale, and yearling colt by Tom's d'Etat. She was not bred for this year. Sales History: \$85,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 6-1-2-1, \$86,536. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV. O-SJB Stable; B-WinStar Farm, LLC (KY); T-John P. Terranova, II. The winner is a half-sister to Copper Town (Speightstown), GSP, \$294,873.

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INSIGHT Outcomes 💝

4th-Gulfstream, \$70,000, Msw, 1-14, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:10.81, ft, 1 1/2 lengths.

ROSWELL (f, 3, Into Mischief--Acoma {GISW, \$1,060,898}, by **Empire Maker)**, receiving Lasix for this career debut, broke alertly and was shuffled back to the middle of the pack up the backstretch. Taking aim at the longshot pacemaker Far and Few (Omaha Beach) heading into the far turn, the 11-1 chance ranged up on the leader at the eighth pole while under an all-out drive and took control in the final jumps to get the win by 1 1/2 lengths. "The filly's been working very nicely," said trainer Bill Mott. "She's an aggressive type, but she really hasn't made any mistakes. She's put in some useful works and she's very athletic." Alongside her mother Helen Groves, who passed away in 2022, Helen Alexander bred and raced the winner's dam. A GISP/MGSP competitor whose signature win came in the GI Juddmonte Spinster S., Acoma hails from a deep female line which includes her dam SW Aurora (Danzig), who is out of champion 2-year-old filly Althea (Alydar). Aurora produced GISW Arch (Kris S.) in addition to Antics (Unbridled), the dam of dual Eclipse Award winner Covfefe (Into Mischief). Alexander bred Acoma to Nyquist, a colt foaled in 2022, and the mare visited Life Is Good last spring. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$42,000. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Helen C. Alexander; B-Alexander-Groves Thoroughbreds (KY);
T-William I. Mott.

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6th-Gulfstream, \$70,000, Msw, 1-14, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:11.68, ft, 1/2 length.

MYSTIFYING (f, 3, Curlin--Puzzling {SP, \$127,312}, by **Ghostzapper)**, debuting with Lasix as a 7-1 shot here, hustled for the lead to the inside of a pair of competitors up the backstretch. Poking her head in front around the far turn, the filly continued to pour on the speed at the top of the lane and she gamely held off favored Bedazzle 'Em (American Pharoah) to graduate by half a length. "Jose [Ortiz] worked her out of the gate one day at Payson and she worked really well," said trainer Shug McGaughey. "I thought she was tactical enough to run three-quarters, but she's going to want to run farther. He told me she just took him there on her own. He was like, 'If you want to go, we'll go.' I think she's got a good future in front of her." Puzzling is responsible for a newly-turned juvenile colt by Street Sense, who was purchased for \$500,000 by Centennial Farms at last year's Keeneland September Sale. The stakes-place mare was covered by Oscar Performance for this year. Mystifying's second dam--GISP Dancinginmydreams (Seeking the Gold)--is a

Dancinginmydreams is also responsible for GI Manhattan H. scorer Dancing Forever (Rahy). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$42,000. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

full-sister to champion 3-year-old filly Heavenly Prize, in addition

O/B-Phipps Stable (KY); T-Claude R. McGaughey III.

to GI Matron S. heroine Oh What A Windfall.



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6th-Aqueduct, \$70,000, (S), Msw, 1-14, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:14.71, ft, 2 3/4 lengths.

RUMINT (f, 3, Munnings--Humint, by Mutakddim) made her first start as a 7-2 shot here and showed speed as she vied for the top spot up the backstretch. Taking over the lead into the far turn, the 3-year-old continued to make the pace and ran unopposed to win by 2 3/4 lengths over fellow firster Apollonia C (Munnings). The winner is her dam's last produce of record. Humint counts as half-siblings GII Woody Stephens S. hero Teuflesberg (Johannesburg) and the dam of GI Alfred G. Vanderbilt H. runner-up Kneedeepinsnow (Flat Out). Sales History: \$10,000 Ylg '22 EASOCT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$38,500. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Blue Streak Racing, LLC, Victory Circle Racing and Dark Horse Racing Stable; B-John Lauriello (NY); T-Keri Brion.

THINK INDIAN CREEK

5th-Santa Anita, \$66,000, (S), Msw, 1-14, 3yo, f, 6fT, 1:09.54, fm, 1 3/4 lengths.

THE SHUSHALA (f, 3, Mineshaft--Sean's Creation, by Creative Cause) debuted with Lasix and as a 4-1 shot. Her dam's first offspring, the gray held a short lead up the backstretch, but was able to maintain that margin around the far turn. Roused at the sixteenth pole, the 3-year-old rolled home to win by 1 3/4 lengths over Lady Monclaire (Sir Prancealot {Ire}). The winner's unraced dam failed to produce a 2022 foal by Empire Way, but she was bred back to that sire for the following year, which yielded a filly. Sean's Creation visited Catalina Cruiser for this season. Sales History: \$45,000 Ylg '22 FTCAYR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$39,000. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV. O-Kluger's Two Dolla Coffee, LLC; B-Heinz J. Steinmann & Mark Molina (CA); T-Doug F. O'Neill.

5th-Tampa Bay Downs, \$34,100, Msw, 1-14, 3yo, 1m 40y, 1:41.80, ft, 3/4 length.

TIRELESS (c, 3, Not This Time--Kitty Union, by Union Rags), runner-up going a mile at Kentucky Downs in September, finished fifth as the favorite over the Keeneland sod Oct. 12 before rounding out the season with a second-place finish while stretching to nine panels in an off-turf-test at Churchill Downs Nov. 25. Sent off the 1-2 choice while getting first-time Lasix here, the dark bay stalked a modest opening pace, bid three wide rounding the far turn, collared the pacesetter Roughshod (Medaglia d'Oro) late and ended clear in the final sixteenth to best his stablemate by 3/4 of a length. A \$160,000 Keeneland November purchase carrying a foal to Improbable in 2021, Kitty Union is a granddaughter of Tizso (Cee's Tizzy), a full-sister to Horse of the Year and two-time Breeders' Cup Classic champ Tiznow and herself responsible for Grade I winner Paynter. Kitty Union also produced a colt by Tacitus this season and was bred back to Olympiad. Sales history: \$875,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 4-1-2-0, \$76,013. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-St. Elias Stable, Repole Stable & LNJ Foxwoods; B-LNJ Foxwoods (KY); T-Todd A. Pletcher.

Maximus Mischief (Into Mischief), Spendthrift Farm, \$25,000 231 foals of racing age/34 winners/3 black-type winners 9-Mahoning Valley, 4:30 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Beautiful Charade, 8-1

World of Trouble (Kantharos), Hill 'n' Dale at Xalapa, \$5,000 129 foals of racing age/17 winners/1 black-type winner 7-Sam Houston Race Park, 5:00 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Red Rose Cafe, 8-1





IN ITALY:

Tenjaku, c, 3, Kantharos--Toscana, by Speightstown. Pisa, 1-14, Cnd, €15,400, 1300mT, 1:18.10, hy. O-Miami IP. B-Paul Kessel (KY). T-Agostino Affe'. *SP-Ity. **\$9,000 Ylg '22 FTKOCT. Chart and Video.

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2023 Stud Fees Listed

Flameaway (Scat Daddy), Darby Dan Farm, \$15,000 200 foals of racing age/23 winners/4 black-type winners 7-Sam Houston Race Park, 5:00 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Birdy's On Fire, 12-1, \$10,000 KEE SEP yrl



STAKES RESULTS:

SUNSHINE FILLY AND MARE TURF S., \$89,000, Gulfstream, 1-14, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:35.25, fm.

1--SWEET DANI GIRL, 122, m, 5, Jess's Dream--My Sweet Dani Girl, by Scat Daddy. (\$350,000 4yo '23 FTKNOV). O-Michael Dubb, Steven Bouchey, New Phoenix Stable and America's Pastimes Stables LLC; B-J&J Stables, LLC & Carlo Vaccarezza (FL); T-Christophe Clement; J-Irad Ortiz, Jr. \$55,570. Lifetime Record: MGSP, 14-5-2-2, \$437,410.

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- 2--Baby Steps, 122, m, 5, Jimmy Creed--Competitivebalance, by Into Mischief. (\$70,000 2yo '21 OBSMAR). O-California Racing Partners, Ciaglia Racing LLC and Richard C. Pearson; B-Summer Mayberry & Rick Rudman (FL); T-Jorge Delgado. \$14,700.
- 3--Charlie's Wish, 120, f, 4, First Dude--Superior Sarah, by Werblin. O-Royalight Racing, LLC; B-Three Gin Guys Stable (FL); T-David Fawkes. \$11,350.

Margins: 1HF, HF, 1 1/4. Odds: 0.30, 16.20, 8.00.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

7th-Aqueduct, \$82,000, 1-14, (NW1\$X), 4yo/up, 7f, 1:25.41, ft, 3/4 length.

OCEAN'S RESERVE (h, 5, Speightster--A Cut Ahead, by Tiz Wonderful) Lifetime Record: 19-4-8-3, \$366,247. O-Bona Venture Stables; B-Pioneer Ventures (NY); T-Leah Gyarmati. *\$75,000 Ylg '20 FTKSEL; \$70,000 2yo '21 OBSAPR.

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9th-Gulfstream, \$77,890, (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$25,000), 1-14, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:09.81, sy, 3 lengths.

CARAMEL CHIP (h, 6, Midshipman--Nandira, by Speightstown) Lifetime Record: 35-11-5-1, \$329,690. O-Bianco Stable; B-Bugle Hill Farm, LLC (KY); T-Jose Francisco D'Angelo. *\$13,000 Wlg '18 KEENOV; \$23,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP.

7th-Gulfstream, \$59,000, (S), (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 1-14, 3yo, f, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:02.98, ft, neck.

KARAYA (f, 3, Bucchero--Jim's Lonesa, by Put It Back) Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, \$74,500. O-M Racing Group, LLC; B-Shade Tree Thoroughbreds Inc (FL); T-Mark E. Casse. *\$31,000 Ylg '22 OBSWIN; \$145,000 2yo '23 OBSOPN. **1/2 to Two Sixty (Uncaptured), GSW-Can, MSW-USA, \$478,604.

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8th-Laurel, \$58,865, (NW2X)/Opt. Clm (\$32,000-\$40,000), 1-14, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11.41, ft, 3 1/4 lengths.

MY FLICKER (m, 6, Great Notion--Explosive Prospect, by Fortunate Prospect) Lifetime Record: 22-9-7-1, \$298,828.

O-Team Gaudet/Lederle Racing; B-Country Roads (MD); T-Lacey Gaudet. *Full to It's a Bang, SW, \$197,194, Mass Destruction, SP, \$325,675 and half to Brassy Boots (Dixie Brass), SP, \$175,010.

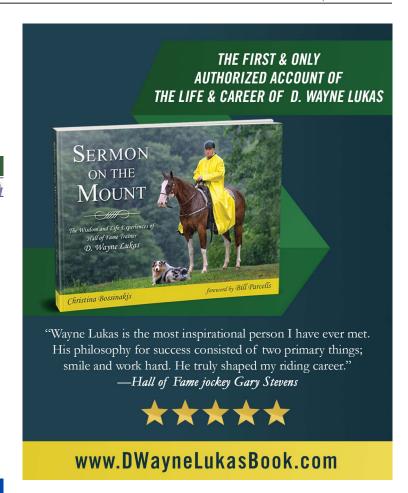
5th-Laurel, \$56,215, 1-14, (NW1X), 4yo/up, 6f, 1:10.49, ft, 2 1/2 lengths.

FULL IRISH (g, 4, Irish War Cry--To Give, by Bluegrass Cat) Lifetime Record: 4-2-2-0, \$91,770. O-Squire Thoroughreds LLC; B-Chanceland Farm (MD); T-Lacey Gaudet. *\$45,000 Ylg '21 EASOCT. **1/2 to McElmore Avenue (El Padrino), SP, \$236,084.

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4th-Laurel, \$54,145, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000-\$62,500), 1-14, 3yo, 5 1/2f, 1:04.60, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.

ONE WAY TRAFFIC (g, 3, Force the Pass--My Little Josie {MSP}, by Outflanker) Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$66,130. O-Bird&Grady B-David DiPietro (MD); T-John E. Salzman, Jr. *\$19,000 Wlg '21 FTIDEC; \$32,000 Ylg '22 EASOCT; \$65,000 2yo '23 EASMAY.



7th-Delta Downs, \$44,000, (S), 1-13, (NW1X), 4yo/up, 1m,

CAJUN EDDIE (g, 4, Mo Tom--Smittystown, by Speightstown) Lifetime Record: 12-3-3-2, \$91,041. O-End Zone Athletics, Inc.; B-J. Adcock & Nathan C Granger (LA); T-Karl Broberg. *\$27,000 Ylg '21 TTAYHR; \$57,500 2yo '22 TTAAPR. **1/2 to Mirabeau (Bind), MSW, \$105,350.

8th-Sam Houston Race, \$42,000, (S), 1-14, 4yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:18.12, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.

DUST EM (g, 6, Too Much Bling--Dixie Dust {MSP, \$306,791}, by Dixieland Heat) Lifetime Record: SW, 34-11-5-2, \$364,133.

O-Carl R. Moore Mgmt; B-Doug Scharbauer (TX); T-Karen Jacks.

8th-Delta Downs, \$38,700, 1-13, (C), 4yo/up, 5f, :58.93, ft, 3/4 length.

LAGOON (h, 5, Runhappy--Gulf, by Blame) Lifetime Record: 9-3-2-1, \$83,678. O-Howard Romero; B-Claiborne Farm & Adele Dilschneider (KY); T-Kearney Segura. *\$12,000 2yo '21 OBSAPR.



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2nd-Sam Houston Race Park, \$35,000, 1-14, (NW2X), 4yo/up, 6f, 1:12.22, ft, 1 length.

AIR COMBAT (h, 5, Blame--Please Be Discreet, by Discreet Cat) Lifetime Record: 11-4-1-1, \$208,120. O-Concord Racing LLC; B-Hinkle Farms (KY); T-Steven M. Asmussen. *\$130,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP. **1/2 to Flatter Me Please (Flatter), SP, \$164,691.

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5th-Sam Houston Race Park, \$34,500, (NW2L)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 1-14, 3yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:06.41, ft, 1 length. **TEXAS MOON (f, 3, Klimt--Earth's Moon, by Malibu Moon)**Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$32,504. O-CSLR Racing Partners LLC;
B-Eric Moreau-Sipiere & Randi Moreau-Sipiere (TX); T-Karen E.
Jacks. *\$5,200 Ylg '22 TTAYRL; \$25,000 RNA 2yo '23 OBSMAR.

9th-Sam Houston Race, \$34,500, 1-14, (NW1X), 4yo/up, 5fT, :57.82, fm, 1 length.

JUST CHILLIN (g, 6, Latent Heat--Stilled, by Quiet American) Lifetime Record: 22-6-4-3, \$121,246. O-Farmers Fillies Racing; B-Eureka Thorouggbred Farm (OK); T-J. R. Caldwell.

8th-Golden Gate Fields, \$27,670, 1-13, (NW1\$X), 4yo/up, 1m (AWT), 1:38.32, ft, 1 length.

Strike) Lifetime Record: 9-2-1-1, \$81,220. O-Golden Bear Racing; B-G. Watts Humphrey (KY); T-Steve M. Sherman. *\$160,000 Ylg '20 FTKSEL; \$2,600,000 2yo '21 FTFMAR.



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6th-Charles Town, \$27,400, 1-13, (NW2L), 3yo/up, 4 1/2f, :53.11, gd, neck.

WOODLINE (h, 5, Gun Runner--Blip n' Th Bye {GSP, \$167,003}, by Tale of Ekati) Lifetime Record: 17-2-3-5, \$161,222. O/B-E.H. Beau Lane (KY); T-Timothy C. Grams. *\$435,000 RNA Ylg '20 KEESEP.

7th-Charles Town, \$27,400, (S), 1-13, (NW2L), 3yo/up, f/m, 4 1/2f, :54.37, gd, 1 1/2 lengths.

POUR ME A DRINK (f, 3, Bullsbay--Intoxicating Belle, by Stay Thirsty) Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, \$29,378. O/B-Nicole & Ronney Brown (WV); T-Ronney W. Brown.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Shamrockin, f, 3, Clubhouse Ride--Irish Winnie, by Broken Vow. Santa Anita, 1-14, (S), 6fT, 1:09.86. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$39,000. B-Moger Inc. & Neary Racing Inc. (CA). *\$20,000 Ylg '22 FTCAYR. **1/2 to Irish Heatwave (Unusual Heat), SW, \$426,830. ***1ST-TIME STARTER.

Panda Peak, f, 3, Distorted Humor--lona Star (SW, \$102,768), by Star Guitar. Santa Anita, 1-14, (S), (C), 5 1/2f, 1:05.41. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$23,440. B-Cedros Bloodstock LLC (CA). *\$45,000 RNA Ylg '22 KEEJAN.

Broadway Tiger, f, 3, **Smiling Tiger**--Finish Rich in Nyc, by Gotham City. Golden Gate Fields, 1-13, 6f (AWT), 1:11.85. Lifetime Record: 7-1-2-4, \$50,856. B-Martin Bach (CA).

Time to Rock, g, 3, **Uncle Lino**--Animation, by Flatter. Charles Town, 1-13, (S), 4 1/2f, :52.82. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$18,186. B-Jill N Daniel (WV).

Make It Snow, f, 4, Empire Maker--Snow Kid, by Lemon Drop Kid. Santa Anita, 1-14, 6 1/2fT, 1:15.89. Lifetime Record: 8-1-2-4, \$106,840. B-Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd. (KY). *\$185,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP. **1/2 to Gefest (Shakespeare), GSP, \$113,721 and Daddy's Kid (Scat Daddy), MGSP, \$203,913.

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Cafezinho, f, 4, Noble Mission (GB)--Senora Acero (SP), by The Factor. Sam Houston Race, 1-14, (S), 1mT, 1:41.32. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$23,820. B-Richard P. Chandler (TX). *1ST-TIME STARTER.

John Dunbar, g, 5, Munnings--Sunday Rules (MSW & GSP, \$579,580), by Tribal Rule. Santa Anita, 1-14, (S), (C), 6f, 1:11.16. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, \$33,400. B-Nick Alexander (CA).

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Grand Again, g, 5, Oxbow--Peaceful Splendor, by Honour and Glory. Aqueduct, 1-14, (WC), 6f, 1:14.39. Lifetime Record: 16-1-2-4, \$52,880. B-Richard J. Forbush (KY). *\$4,500 RNA Ylg '20 KEEJAN.

War Princess, m, 5, War Front--Betterbetter (Ire) (GSP-Ire, SP-Eng), by Galileo (Ire). Gulfstream, 1-14, 1 3/8mT, 2:15.68. Lifetime Record: 7-1-2-2, \$96,600. B-Whisper Hill Farm, LLC (KY).



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Audible, My Mane Squeeze, f, 3, o/o In Spite of Mama, by Speightstown. Franklin Square S., 1-14, Aqueduct

Blame, Air Combat, h, 5, o/o Please Be Discreet, by Discreet Cat. ALW, 1-14, Sam Houston

Blofeld, Miss Harriett, f, 3, o/o Tejano Sea, by Sea of Secrets. AOC, 1-14, Laurel

Bucchero, Karaya, f, 3, o/o Jim's Lonesa, by Put It Back. AOC, 1-14, Gulfstream

Bullsbay, Pour Me a Drink, f, 3, o/o Intoxicating Belle, by Stay Thirsty. ALW, 1-13, Charles Town

Clubhouse Ride, Shamrockin, f, 3, o/o Irish Winnie, by Broken Vow. MSW, 1-14, Santa Anita

Coal Front, Crazy Mason, c, 3, o/o Izshelegal, by Maria's Mon. AOC, 1-14, Tampa Bay

Curlin, Mystifying, f, 3, o/o Puzzling, by Ghostzapper. MSW, 1-14, Gulfstream

Empire Maker, Make It Snow, f, 4, o/o Snow Kid, by Lemon Drop Kid. MSW, 1-14, Santa Anita

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Frosted, Icicles, f, 4, o/o Hard Ten Hopping, by Rock Hard Ten. Likely Exchange S., 1-13, Turfway

Great Notion, My Flicker, m, 6, o/o Explosive Prospect, by Fortunate Prospect. AOC, 1-14, Laurel

Gun Runner, Woodline, h, 5, o/o Blip n' Th Bye, by Tale of Ekati. ALW, 1-13, Charles Town

Into Mischief, Roswell, f, 3, o/o Acoma, by Empire Maker. MSW, 1-14. Gulfstream

Irish War Cry, Full Irish, g, 4, o/o To Give, by Bluegrass Cat. ALW, 1-14, Laurel

Jess's Dream, Sweet Dani Girl, m, 5, o/o My Sweet Dani Girl, by Scat Daddy. Sunshine Filly and Mare Turf S., 1-14, Gulfstream **Klimt**, Texas Moon, f, 3, o/o Earth's Moon, by Malibu Moon. AOC, 1-14, Sam Houston

Midshipman, Caramel Chip, h, 6, o/o Nandira, by Speightstown. AOC, 1-14, Gulfstream

Mineshaft, The Shushala, f, 3, o/o Sean's Creation, by Creative Cause. MSW, 1-14, Santa Anita

Mo Tom, Cajun Eddie, g, 4, o/o Smittystown, by Speightstown. ALW, 1-13, Delta Downs

Munnings, John Dunbar, g, 5, o/o Sunday Rules, by Tribal Rule. MCL, 1-14, Santa Anita

Munnings, Rumint, f, 3, o/o Humint, by Mutakddim. MSW, 1-14, Aqueduct

Noble Mission (GB), Cafezinho, f, 4, o/o Senora Acero, by The Factor. MSW, 1-14, Sam Houston

Not This Time, Tireless, c, 3, o/o Kitty Union, by Union Rags. MSW, 1-14, Tampa Bay

Nyquist, Bletchley Park, g, 5, o/o Spinning Wheel, by Smart Strike. ALW, 1-13, Golden Gate

Oxbow, Grand Again, g, 5, o/o Peaceful Splendor, by Honour and Glory. WMC, 1-14, Aqueduct

Runhappy, Lagoon, h, 5, o/o Gulf, by Blame. ALW, 1-13, Delta **Downs**

Smiling Tiger, Broadway Tiger, f, 3, o/o Finish Rich in Nyc, by Gotham City. MSW, 1-13, Golden Gate

Speightster, Ocean's Reserve, h, 5, o/o A Cut Ahead, by Tiz Wonderful. ALW, 1-14, Aqueduct

Uncle Lino, Time to Rock, g, 3, o/o Animation, by Flatter. MSW, 1-13, Charles Town

War Front, War Princess, m, 5, o/o Betterbetterbetter (Ire), by Galileo (Ire). MSW, 1-14, Gulfstream

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