



# AND NOW FOR SOMETHING COMPLETELY DIFFERENT



On Rathmullan Beach

With apologies to Monty Python, we bring you the view from Rathmullan Beach, by the inimitable **Patrick Cooper**, as he muses country life in an election year for Ireland.

Imagine the horror of it. The Flat season is almost upon us and you wake up one morning and realise you have misplaced your jockey. You know the routine. Car keys... I know I just had them in my hand...Raybans...I know I left them beside the keys...cap, raincoat and shoes, I know I left them inside the back door. Ever growing frustration, swearing, stomping, retracing steps, back upstairs, what did I come up here for? Outside for a look in the car and finally relief when all are gathered together and you can leave the building. But no jockey.

You know he will turn up, but after a day or two and still no sign there comes the growing realisation that you need a replacement. Now these teak tough and talented little lads and lassies are hard to come about. Where to start? You could ask Kia the way to the shop or you could look at the jockeys' table, but either way you know you can't afford the one you want. How about narrowing it down geographically?

Number one criterion is of course size. That rules out South Sea Islanders, shopping malls, and the Dutch, who are supposedly the tallest race on earth. We need to find a lasting solution and too many these days are undone at their height by their height. So small folk it is. **Cont. p3** 

## MAKING WAVES: SANTA ANITA SCORE FOR GRANNY BUDGIE by Heather Anderson

In this series, the TDN takes a look at notable successes of European-based sires in North America. This column is highlighted by the victory of Granny Budgie in California.

#### Massaat Filly Sparkles At Santa Anita

Mickley Stud-bred **Granny Budgie (GB)** (Massaat {Ire}) won a Santa Anita contest for trainer Phil D'Amato earlier this month. The 3-year-old filly races in the colours of David Bernsen, Omar Aldabbagh and Jeffrey Lambert (*video*).

Originally an £18,000 Goffs UK Premier & Silver yearling on the bid of JS Bloodstock, the bay won on debut for owner/trainer George Scott and earned two more wins for Knights & Kings Racing Stable from a total of five UK starts before changing hands again privately and running sixth in the Listed Sweet Life S. locally in February. Her dam raced until she was six and earned her lone win that year. A half-sister to Group 3 winner Caledonia Lady (GB) (Firebreak {GB}), Caledonia Duchess (GB) (Dutch Art {GB}) has been bred exclusively to Massaat. Her juvenile colt brought £21,000 at the 2023 edition of the Goffs UK sale from Compas Equine/lain Jardine, while she also has a yearling filly. Cont. p6



Granny Budgie | Benoit Photo

#### IN TDN AMERICA TODAY

DOMESTIC PRODUCT TAKES THE TAMPA BAY DERBY During a busy Saturday of racing, **Domestic Product** (Practical Joke) won the GIII Lambholm South Tampa Bay Derby in Florida.

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**Sunday, March 10, 2024** 



85-year-old Les Bridge trained Celestial Legend to win Saturday's G1 Randwick Guineas. The son of Dundeel was sold by Arrowfield Stud for \$220,000 to Legend Racing/Avenue Bloodstock at the Inglis Classic yearling Sale. Replay. Cont. p8 | Bronwen Healy

#### ANOTHER STAKES WINNER FOR KODIAC

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Nine Tenths (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}) earned her first black-type badge in the Listed Lady Wulfruna S. at Wolverhampton on Saturday.

#### CYLINDER HONOURS EXCEED AND EXCEL

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Cylinder (Aus) (Exceed And Excel {Aus}) became the 19<sup>th</sup> Group 1 winner for his pensioned sire in the G1 Newmarket H. on Saturday.

#### WRITTEN TYCOON FILLY TAKES SISTEMA

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In New Zealand, Velocious (Aus) (Written Tycoon {Aus}) rolled to a win in the G1 Sistema S.

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#### Patrick Cooper Cont. from p1

I've got it: Lilliput. Published in 1726, *Gulliver's Travels* was written anonymously by Jonathan Swift, Dean of St Patrick's Cathedral in Dublin and one of the great political satirists of any

Rathmullan is a small seaside village in North Donegal on the

shores of Lough Swilly, which is a sea fjord separating the

age. He once published a perfectly serious article on how Irish peasants might sell their children to the rich as food, even going so far as to give their optimum age to be eaten for nutritional purposes.

Upon landing in Lilliput, Gulliver is first restrained, but then taken into their hearts by the little Lilliputians. Everything goes swimmingly until he refuses them world domination and they turn nasty. Probably best avoid them.

Actually, I'm going to let you into a little secret. I know exactly where to go: Rathmullan, Co Donegal. Where? Are you mad?

Dylan Browne McMonagle, age 15 at the Dingle Derby Racingfotos.com

Inishowen peninsula from Fanad Head. Rathmullan Pier sits at the southern end of a two- or three-mile beach, depending on the tide. It has acted as a local training centre for as long as I have been going there.

Four of Ireland's current crop of jockeys learnt their trade on Rathmullan Beach. Twice Champion apprentice and Richard Fahey's number one Oisin Orr; his brother Conor, who plies his trade over jumps; Luke McAteer, who rides for Jim Bolger, and another dual champion apprentice and probably Ireland's next superstar, Dylan Browne McMonagle. Go on to YouTube and look at *Five Stone of Lead*. It's worth five minutes of anyone's time.

So how do you get there and where to stay? The latter is easy. Rathmullan House Hotel, which

sits a hundred yards from the beach, has been in my wife's family since the early 1960s. Cont. p4

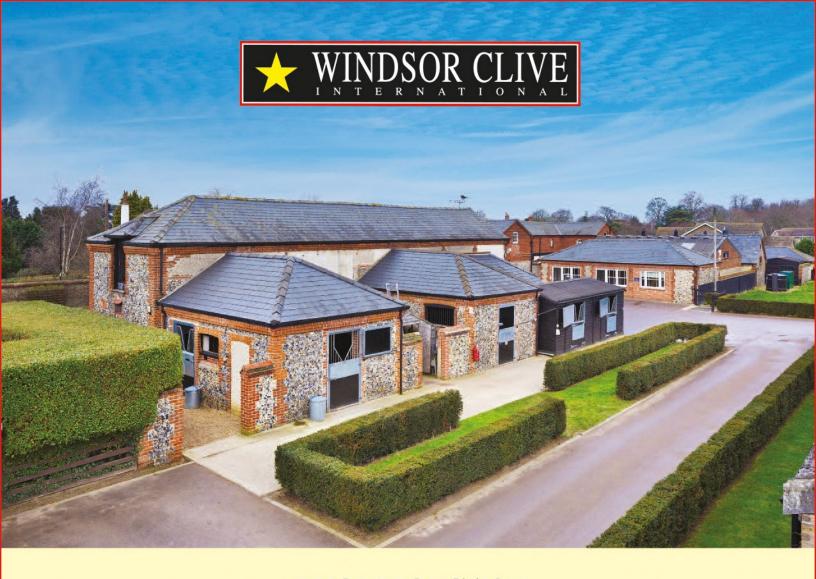


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#### **Patrick Cooper Cont.**

It is a haven of tranquility where a couple of Bangladeshi brothers make magic with the produce of the cold waters of the North Atlantic.

How to get there? It is exactly three hours from Dublin Airport. By car you head north on the N1 following the signs for Derry. Donegal was cast adrift when the island of Ireland was partitioned in 1920. It has no railway and had pretty much no infrastructure of any sort until relatively recently, and it's still fairly rudimentary. You will cross the border at Aughnacloy in to 'The Occupied Territories'. At that point Derry ceases to exist and you must follow the signs to Londonderry which is apparently the same place.



**Rathmullan House Hotel** 

You have now exported yourself from the EU in to the utopian land of milk and honey that is post-Brexit Britain. You re-enter the 'Free State' at Lifford. Without the Northern Irish Protocol, if you had brought a horse with you and were intending to bring it

back, you would have had to physically produce 44 separate pieces of paper at the borders.

Northern Ireland has two racecourses Downpatrick and Down Royal. Although both are situated in a foreign country with a

separate currency they are run under the auspices of the Irish Regulatory Authorities and prize-money, which is provided by the government in Dublin, is paid in euros not the local currency sterling. Gaelic games know no border. We have an all-island rugby team, but two separate soccer teams. There is a lot to Northern Ireland that defies logic.

Rathmullan has its own little place in Irish history. As a country we have never fought a war or won a rebellion. However, we do glorious defeats well. After all, they

produce a better class of ballad. Now I am going to tell you a story of a dastardly deed and a plan so cunning that you will understand at last how the small wet island of Britain conquered the world. Cont. p5





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In 1597 Red Hugh O'Donnell, the 16-year-old son of a rebellious chieftain, was having a drink in the local hostelry in Rathmullan when he was joined by a couple of strangers. After numerous gregarious gargles he was asked if he would like a couple more free pints on their ship anchored in the Swilly. Upon boarding the vessel, he was promptly kidnapped and imprisoned in Dublin Castle. How did the English figure out an Irish teenager would fall for such a devious plot?

Red Hugh escaped four years later and headed off to Spain to try and garner support for another rebellion. Unfortunately he died in Valladolid in 1602. To this day the locals still parade an empty coffin through the streets on the anniversary of his death. A couple of years ago with huge excitement, à la Richard III in his Leicester car park, a skeleton was found in a city street which

was proclaimed to be the remains of Red Hugh. A little like being told your finding of a two-armed skeleton was probably not the authentic Lord Nelson, it was pointed out the real Red Hugh had lost two toes during his escape and this poor soul was fully endowed with all ten. Bubble burst and the search goes on.

However, it was the Flight of the Earls in 1607 that has given Rathmullan its lasting 15 minutes of fame. Another glorious defeat (cue ballads) resulted in Red Hugh's brother Rory and Hugh O'Neill, the two great Earls of Ulster, fleeing to continental Europe with 90 followers to

bring their grievances to the Pope and the King of Spain and raise yet another army for yet another rebellion. Their luck went from bad to worse in the Alps when the donkey that was carrying all their money fell down a ravine and was lost. They never returned to Ireland.

During the Napoleonic wars three Martello towers were built on the Swilly to deter invading French. The one beside the pier in Rathmullan now serves as a lovely little museum to the 12th century Abbey as well as being the Flight of the Earls centre.

A 'correction' is a long way from a crash. Barefoot and pregnant, we fled from London to Rathmullan in 1991 after the financial meltdown and bloodstock bloodbath of the late 1980s. Isolated but never backward, village life rocked to a different rhythm.

Owned by Luke McAteer's grandparents, the White Harte was

central. Gerry and Mary kept Philip Morris profits at an artificial high for many a year. They also sold the papers, but not much before 10am which is when they arrived on the bus from Letterkenny. There was only ever one copy of the Racing Post which local fish broker Michael Boyce allowed me to read in return for which I was expected to find him a suitable horse for the Dingle Derby every year. Angela ran the post office and along with taxi driver John Kelly knew all that was needed to be known.

Straight out of Leprechaun central casting, Francie was the barman in the Cellar Bar in the hotel. He would sit on his hunkers behind the bar puffing on his pipe and, provided you were prepared to listen to the one about Delhi and Londondelhi, could pull a mean pint.

Pat Patton sold the finest spring lamb in the county and Jim

who live in the Republic now live in the

of the country is empty and emptying.

Yet here we have a small seaside village

producing four professional sportsmen.

Four professional sportsmen earning

themselves a living in one of the

toughest professions of them all.

-Patrick Cooper on Rathmullan

Morrison was both the bin man and local sulky-driving champion. Fifty per cent of the five million people His wife Betty was in charge of breakfast at the restaurant in Rathmullan House pursuant to Greater Dublin catchment area. The rest which Jim's champions developed a taste for left over stale bread. Wednesday was the dreaded May Day because on Thursday my mother-in-law's cleaner May would come and it was deemed unacceptable for an Irish country lady to have the house anything but spotless upon the arrival of their cleaning lady.

> Tom McLaughlin was the local trainer and the other of Luke's grandfathers. A scallywag would be an apt description. He also

provided hirelings for those wishing to go for a more leisurely ride on the beach. Thoroughbreds or battys, you were as likely to end up atop one as the other. A third in a handicap hurdle in Sligo was celebrated wildly in the White Harte, while future Don Quixote-like forays against the bookies were never dimmed by reality.

Not much has changed. The wonderful Trish McAteer runs the White Harte. Tom is gone, but his brother sells the finest chips on Rathmullan Pier. Emily still bosses the hotel and the mighty Maurice, whom I am assured speaks English, keeps the gardens immaculate. Jim Barker's petrol pump has been made redundant by the ubiquitous service station, but he still runs the bus to the 'Sectarian Derby' which would be a more appropriate moniker for the Old Firm clash between Rangers and Celtic in Glasgow. Cont. p6

#### **Patrick Cooper Cont.**

Regatta week in August is the social highlight of the year. 'No problem' is the answer to all requests. 'Donegal Time' pays only passing lip service to Greenwich Mean Time and the car park at the pier is still a hive of activity in the not-so-early mornings as local trainers unload their charges and leg up the next youngsters aiming to emulate those four young men who have made it.

Fifty per cent of the five million people who live in the Republic now live in the Greater Dublin catchment area. The rest of the country is empty and emptying. Yet here we have a small seaside village producing four professional sportsmen. Four professional sportsmen earning themselves a living in one of the toughest professions of them all.

Down in Moone, Jessica Harrington employs 60 or 70 people and through the drip system keeps the local economy oiled. The next biggest employer in Moone outside of Church and State (school) is the charity shop which employs no one. Who knows how many the O'Brien family employ in Piltown, or the Mullins family in Bagenalstown, or indeed the Magnier family in Fethard. But you can be sure that if the Industrial Development Agency, which is Ireland's state body in charge of procuring foreign investment, had found these kind of jobs they would be shouting from the rooftops.

We are badly in need of voices with gravitas inside Dáil Éireann (Irish government). We have an increasingly Dublin-centric press with little understanding of racing and a political class for whom the countryside is but for two weeks a year. In this year of elections we need to remind them that there is a wonderful way of life outside the M50 and it needs looking after.

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#### Cont. from p1

Making Waves

by Heather Anderson

Mickley stallion Massaat, a son of Teofilo (Ire) who won the G2 Hungerford S. and was second in both the G1 2000 Guineas and G1 Dewhurst S., has a flawless North American record with two winners from two runners. His Mas Rapido (GB) was also second in Santa Anita's Listed John Shear S. in 2023.

#### **Bull's Lil Bro Shines At Tampa**

White Birch homebred **Kubrick (Ire)** (Dubawi {Ire}), a half-brother to multiple Grade I winner and **Gainesway** stallion Raging Bull (Fr) (Dark Angel {Ire}), earned his Making Waves badge at Tampa Bay Downs earlier this month for trainer Chad Brown (*video*).

The 2022 G3 Prix des Chenes hero is out of the stakes-placed Rosa Bonheur (Mr. Greeley), the dam of three winners overall, who also has a 3-year-old filly named Roseannadanna (Ire) (No Nay Never) and a yearling filly by Wootton Bassett (GB). His granddam Rolly Polly (Ire) (Mukaddamah), well regarded in Italy, and a graded/group winner in France, the US, Italy and England, is also the ancestress of G3 Prix de Seine-et-Oise heroine Exxtra (Fr) (Starspangledbanner {Aus}).

Darley stalwart Dubawi now has 41 winners (51%) from 80 runners in the US and Canada. His 22 stakes winners (28%) in that jurisdiction include 17 graded winners with 10 Grade I winners among them. His best has been In Italian (GB), Dubawi Heights (GB) and Modern Games (Ire), all of which have at least two top-level victories to their names.

#### **Repeat Honoree**

Madaket Stables, Michael Dubb and Michael Kisber's **Chili Flag (Fr)** (Cityscape {GB}) added the GIII Honey Fox S. to her resume for trainer Ian Wilkes in the first week of March (*video*). The 5-year-old was making her second start this term following a sixth in the GII Pegasus World Cup Filly & Mare Turf Invitational S. in January and taking the Forever Together S. in 2023.

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## BRITAIN

#### Saturday's Results:

**BETMGM LADY WULFRUNA S.-Listed**, £60,000, Wolverhampton, 3-9, 4yo/up, 7f 36y (AWT), 1:26.34, st.

1--NINE TENTHS (IRE), 126, f, 4, Kodiac (GB)--Covetous (GB), by Medaglia D'Oro. 1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. (300,000gns Ylg '21 TATOCT). O-St Albans Bloodstock Ltd; B-Tally-Ho Stud (IRE); T-William Haggas; J-William Buick. £34,026. Lifetime Record: 9-4-2-0, \$99,216.

#### Purchased by Blandford Bloodstock

2--Misty Grey (Ire), 131, g, 7, Dark Angel (Ire)--Chinese White (Ire), by Dalakhani (Ire). (72,000gns Ylg '18 TATOCT).

O-Barbara & Alick Richmond; B-Skymarc Farm (IRE); T-David O'Meara. £12,900.

3--Shouldvebeenaring (GB), 131, c, 4, Havana Grey (GB)--Lady Estella (Ire), by Equiano (Fr). (£40,000 Ylg '21 GOFFUK).

O-Middleham Park Racing XVIII; B-Whitsbury Manor Stud (GB); T-Richard Hannon. £6,456.

Margins: 1 1/4, 3/4, 1. Odds: 1.88, 6.50, 2.25.

Also Ran: Intervention (GB), Doctor Khan Junior (GB), Mums

Tipple (Ire).



**Nine Tenths** | *Racingfotos.com* 

Nine Tenths, who closed her sophomore campaign with a Dec. 16 handicap victory tackling an extended seven furlongs at this venue, ran second in a New Year's Day handicap at Newcastle in her penultimate start and went postward here coming back off a runner-up finish in last month's Listed Tandridge S. at Lingfield. Positioned behind the leaders in fourth for the most part, the 15-8 favourite went third soon after turning for home and kept on well under urging inside the final furlong to outpoint Misty Grey for a career high.

"She did everything right there, seven furlongs is probably her trip and she won very well," said William Buick. "She looked a picture beforehand, she had race fitness on her side and she was very fluent throughout the race. She was very smooth and relaxed, she tries hard and I'm impressed."

Nine Tenths, half-sister to a yearling colt by Mehmas (Ire), is the second of four foals and lone scorer produced by a winning half-sister to stakes-winning G1 Diamond Jubilee S. and G1 July Cup placegetter Sceptical (GB) (Exceed And Excel {Aus}), stakes-winning G1 Al Maktoum Challenge Round 3 runner-up Remorse (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire) and G3 Anglesey S. third Queen Of Sicily (Cape Cross {Ire}). The May-foaled bay's second dam is G2 Queen Mary S. heroine Jealous Again (Trippi).

#### **HANDICAP RESULTS:**

**2nd-Wolverhampton,** £**50,000, Hcp**, 3-9, 4yo/up, 8f 143y (AWT), 1:47.93, st.

KINGDOM COME (IRE) (g, 5, Kingman {GB}--Monami {Ger} {MGSW-Ger & G1SP-Ity, \$151,856}, by Sholokhov {Ire})
Lifetime Record: 11-4-1-2, \$83,642. O-China Horse Club
International Ltd; B-Gestut Etzean (IRE); T-Clive Cox.
\*340,000gns Wlg '19 TATFOA; €580,000 2yo '21 ARQDEA.
\*\*1/2 to Miss Yoda (Ger) (Sea The Stars {Ire}), G1SW-Ger, SW & GSP-Eng, \$403,498.

#### **ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

Rocking Tree (Ire), g, 3, Kodiac (GB)--Rocktique, by Rock Hard Ten. Wolverhampton, 3-9, 7f 36y (AWT), 1:27.82. Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-0, \$15,572. B-Lynch Bages Ltd (IRE). \*€130,000 Ylg '22 GOFOR.

Sea Ice (Ire), f, 3, Too Darn Hot (GB)--Arctic Ocean (Ire), by Camelot (GB). Chelmsford City, 3-9, 10f (AWT), 2:10.18. Lifetime Record: 5-1-2-1, \$12,889. B-Mountain View Stud (IRE). \*160,000gns Ylg '22 TATOCT.

#### **FRANCE**

#### **CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

**1st-Marseille-Pont de Vivaux, €16,000, Cond**, 3-9, 4yo, 7 1/2f (AWT), 1:33.12, st.

BELL SONG (FR) (f, 4, Saxon Warrior {Jpn}--Summer Chorus {GB}, by Exceed And Excel {Aus}) Lifetime Record: 16-3-2-4, €40,359. O-Le Marais SAS, Ecurie Edgar Messaoud, Alessandro Marconi & Noman Ozguler; B-Rabbah Bloodstock Ltd (FR); T-Jerome Reynier. \*16,000gns 3yo '23 TATJUL.



#### **IN AUSTRALIA:**

Serpentine (Ire), g, 7, Galileo (Ire)--Remember When (Ire) (SP-Ire, G1SP-Eng, \$146,679), by Danehill Dancer (Ire). ATC, 3-9, Listed Randwick City S., 2000mT, 2:02.02, gd. B-Coolmore (Ire). \*Full to Wedding Vow (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), GSW-Ire, G1SP-Eng, \$296,202; Beacon Rock (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), GSW-Ire, MGSP-Eng, \$238,190; Bye Bye Baby (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), GSW-Ire, G1SP-Eng, \$231,258; and Team Captain (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), MSP-Aus, \$252,737. \*\*G1SW-Eng.



#### IN AUSTRALIA:

Lekvarte (NZ), m, 5, Reliable Man (GB)--Plumm (Aus) (GSP-Aus), by Encosta De Lago (Aus). ATW, 3-9, G3 Aspiration H., 1600mT, 1:35.56, gd. \*NZ210,000 Ylg '20 NZBJAN. \*\*1/2 to Total Power (Aus) (Dundeel {NZ}), SP-Aus, \$705,056.

## WORLDWIDE NEWS

Saturday, Nakayama, Japan

**LAUREL R. C. SHO NAKAYAMA HIMBA S.-G3**, ¥72,810,000, Nakayama, 3-9, 4yo/up, f/m, 1800mT, 1:49.00, gd.

1--CONCH SHELL (JPN), 117, f, 4, by Kizuna (Jpn)

1st Dam: Xanas (Ire), by Galileo (Ire) 2nd Dam: Maskaya (Ire), by Machiavellian

3rd Dam: Majinskaya (Fr), by Marignan

**1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. 1ST GROUP WIN.** O-Shinji Maeda;

B-North Hills (Jpn); T-Hisashi Shimizu; J-Mirai Iwata; ¥38,567,000. Lifetime Record: 16-5-2-1, ¥68,216,000. \*Full to Sincere Wish (Jpn) (Kizuna {Jpn}), GSP-Jpn, \$558,821. Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. Werk Nick Rating: B. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

- 2--**Kukuna (Jpn)**, 121, m, 6, King Kamehameha (Jpn)--Culminar (Jpn), by Deep Impact (Jpn). O-Carrot Farm; B-Northern Farm (Jpn); ¥15,162,000.
- 3--Shinryokuka (Jpn), 119, f, 4, Satono Diamond (Jpn)--Lei Carla (Jpn), by King Kamehameha (Jpn). O-Kentaro Yui; B-Shimokobe Farm (Jpn); ¥9,571,000.

Margins: HF, HD, 1. Odds: 7.80, 6.50, 8.40.

Also Ran: Feel Sympathy (Jpn), Costa Bonita (Jpn), Tagano Passion (Jpn), Kurino Premium (Jpn), Allegro Moderato (Jpn), Fierce Pride (Jpn), Rouge Eclair (Jpn), Ravel (Jpn), Grand Slam Ask (Jpn), Rouge Lignage (Jpn), Kita Wing (Jpn), Fantasia (Jpn), Hip Hop Soul (Jpn). Click for the JRA chart & video.

## CELESTIAL LEGEND TOUGHS OUT RANDWICK GUINEAS

by Renee Geelan and Oz Wedmore

Trainer Les Bridge is confident that he's 'only just scratching the surface' of **Celestial Legend (Aus)** (Dundeel {NZ}) following his hard-fought victory in Saturday's G1 Randwick Guineas. The

3-year-old colt held off the classy **Militarize (NZ)** (Dundeel {NZ}) to his inside as **Cafe Millenium (Aus)** (Not A Single Doubt {Aus}) challenged to his outside.

In a tightly run race, just 0.3l separated the first three, with the chasing field close behind led by **Tom Kitten (Aus)** (Harry Angel {Ire}), who endured some traffic. However, Celestial Legend didn't enjoy the smoothest run himself.

"I thought he was gone..." Bridge said.

"That was an incredible run. I'm only just scratching the surface really. It keeps me out of the old men's home," added the 85-year-old Bridge, who indicated that a G1 Doncaster H. may now be on the cards for his latest boom horse.

"I didn't really have a plan," winning rider Kerrin McEvoy said. "Tough effort, huge job by Les, he's a master."

Victory for the 3-year-old colt capped a superb day for Arrowfield Stud, who were responsible as breeders for G2 Todman S. winner Switzerland (Snitzel) earlier on the card too, plus G2 Kenway S. winner Autumn Angel (The Autumn Sun).



Celestial Legend | Bronwen Healy

#### **Pedigree Notes**

The 2013 G1 Randwick Guineas was one of the six elite level races won by Dundeel who has now sired eight Group 1 winners amongst his 26 stakes winners.

Bred by Arrowfield and sold by them to Legend Racing/Avenue Bloodstock for A\$220,000 at the 2022 Inglis Classic Yearling Sale, he is the first foal produced by the unraced Sarraqa (Aus) (Snitzel {Aus}) whose second foal National Code (Aus) (Written Tycoon {Aus}) was purchased by MDK International/Griffiths de Kock Racing for A\$160,000 at last year's Inglis Premier Yearling Sale.

Again served last spring by Dundeel having missed to his son Castelvecchio (Aus) the previous season, Sarraqa has a yearling colt by Maurice (Jpn) (Lot 260, Inglis Australian Easter Yearling Sale). Cont. p9

#### **G1** Randwick Guineas Cont.

Sarraqa is a daughter of the outstanding mare National Colour (SAf) (National Assembly)--a triple Group 1 winner in South Africa who also raced well in Dubai and England.

Five of her six foals to race are winners including the Australian-bred, South African-based Group 1 sprinters Rafeef (Aus) and Mustaaqeem (Aus)--both sons of Redoute's Choice (Aus). Also granddam of the Group 3 winner Full Velocity (SAf) (Philanthropist), National Colour is out of the Listed winner Rainbow Cake (SAf) (Mr Eats {Ire}).

Celestial Legend is the second Group 1 bred on a Dundeel/Redoute's Choice cross, Super Seth (Aus) the other.

Saturday, Randwick, Australia RANDWICK GUINEAS-G1, A\$1,000,000, ATC, 3-09, 3yo, Open Set Weight, 1600mT, 1:33.94, gd.

1--CELESTIAL LEGEND (AUS), 56.5, c, 3, by Dundeel (NZ)
1st Dam: Sarraqa (Aus), by Snitzel (Aus)
2nd Dam: National Colour (SAf), by National Assembly
3rd Dam: Rainbow Cake (SAf), by Mr Eats (Ire)

**1ST GROUP 1 WIN**. (A\$220,000 Ylg '22 INGFEB). O-Legend Racing (Mgr: K K Ho); B-Arrowfield Pastoral Pty Ltd (NSW); T-L J Bridge; J-K McEvoy; A\$587,000. Lifetime Record: 7-3-2-0, A\$951,575. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++. \*Triple Plus\*. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Arion.co.nz catalogue-style pedigree.** 

- 2--Militarize (NZ), 56.5, c, 3, Dundeel (NZ)--Amerindia (GB), by Dubawi (Ire). (A\$550,000 Ylg '22 MMLJAN). O-Newgate Bloodstock, China Horse Club Racing Pty Ltd, Trilogy, Newgate S F, Horse Ventures, Go Bloodstock Australia, Arrowfield Pastoral Pty Ltd, Grant Bloodstock Pty Ltd, Carpe Diem, Aston Bloodstock, Nick Vass Bloodstock, G1g Colts & Breeding Pty Ltd & Aristia Park Bloodstock Pty Ltd; B-GSA Bloodstock Pty Ltd, (NZ); T-C J Waller; J-J B McDonald; A\$190,000.
- 3--Cafe Millenium (Aus), 56.5, c, 3, Not a Single Doubt (Aus)--Veloce Forte (Aus), by High Chaparral (Ire). **1ST BLACK TYPE. 1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE. 1ST GROUP 1 BLACK TYPE.**O-Planette Thoroughbred Trading Pty Ltd (Mgr: J S Leaver) & Finemore Thoroughbreds (Mgr: R S Finemore); B-Mr RS Finemore (NSW); T-J A O'Shea; J-T Marquand; A\$96,000. Margins: SHD, SHD, 3/4. Odds: 2.60, 1.20, 70.00.
  Also Ran: Tom Kitten (Aus), Encap (Aus), Ceolwulf (NZ), Ducasse (Aus), Les Vampires (Aus), Ganbare (Aus), Cosmic Lad (Aus), Fukubana (Aus). Click for the Racing Australia chart. VIDEO.

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## GODOLPHIN AND KAH'S BIG DAY OUT IN NEWMARKET, EXCEED'S LEGACY EXTENDED

by Renee Geelan and Oz Wedmore

One race after winning the G2 Sires' Produce S., Godolphin and jockey Jamie Kah combined again in the G1 Newmarket H. to win with 3-year-old **Cylinder (Aus)** (Exceed and Excel {Aus}). Hot favourite and multiple Group 1 winner **Imperatriz (Aus)** (I Am Invincible {Aus}) led the pack up the middle of the track at Flemington while Cylinder came flying from out wide to win by 1I with Imperatriz in second and **The Astrologist (Aus)** (Zoustar {Aus}) taking out third in a photo.

Victory was made all the more special for Godolphin as this year is exactly two decades since Exceed And Excel, whose retirement was announced earlier this week, won the Newmarket.

"I thought I was a tough person but I'm not today. Even [winning] the last race was massive for me, to get through that and have it behind me. This is for Dean Holland," Jamie Kah said, referencing the last-minute call-up of Holland to win aboard Godolphin's In Secret (Aus) (I Am Invincible {Aus}) in last year's renewal following her own injury earlier that day.

"I couldn't imagine anyone riding that horse as well as he did last year and I felt so happy that I gave him the opportunity to win the Newmarket. Hopefully he is watching down on us today."

Cylinder was carrying just 51.5kg to Imperatriz's 58kg, and took his record to five wins from 13 starts. This was his second run in for this campaign, having run only sixth of eight in the G1 Lightning S. first-up, a race won by Imperatriz.

An excellent 2-year-old last season, Cylinder won both the G2 Silver Slipper S. and G2 Todman S. before running second in the G1 Golden Slipper. Cont. p10



Cylinder | Bronwen Healy

#### **G1** Newmarket H. Cont.

At three, this spring, he won the G3 Vain S. and G2 Run to the Roses before running third in the G1 Golden Rose. The G1 Newmarket H. was his first win at Group 1 level.

"I thought he was a super chance but that was easy for him. He was never in doubt. I don't think I'll get a better day. That's for sure," said Kah.

#### **Pedigree Notes**

A son of recently retired Exceed And Excel, he becomes his 19th Group 1 winner, while Cylinder already counted among Exceed And Excel's 215 stakes winners. Bred by Godolphin, Cylinder is from a Woodlands/Darley family with his granddam Hexameter (Aus) (Octagonal {NZ}) bred by Woodlands Stud and his dam, Circular (Aus) (Street Cry {Ire}), bred by Darley.

A three-time Group 2 and one-time Group 3 winner who ran second in the G1 Golden Slipper S. and third in the G1 Golden Rose, Cylinder has rarely been far away--winning five of his 13 starts and finishing in the placings on a further four occasions.

He is one of the two stakes winners--the dual Group 3 winner Parisal (Aus) (Astern {Aus}) the other--produced by the Group 3 Matron S. winner Circular.

Served last spring by Extreme Choice (Aus) after foaling a Brazen Beau (Aus) colt, Circular (whose Bivouac (Aus) yearling has been named Sphere {Aus}) is out of the city winner Hexameter (Aus) (Octagonal {NZ}) whose G3 Sweet Embrace S.-winning granddam Shadea (NZ) (Straight Strike) produced the Group 1 gallopers Lonhro (Aus) and Niello (Aus).

What a terrific family this is, also represented at the elite level by Mahaya (NZ) (Sir Tristram {Ire}), Grosvenor (NZ), National Gallery (NZ) (Sir Tristram {Ire}), Tavago (NZ) (Tavistock {NZ}), Miss Keepsake (NZ) (Keeper {Aus}) and Lankan Rupee (Aus) (Redoute's Choice {Aus}).

Cylinder is the second Group 1 winner --September Run the other --and one of the four stakes winners by Exceed And Excel out of a Street Cry mare; a cross represented by 37 winners from 56 runners.

And he is third Group 1 winner (and one of the 26 stakes winners from 253 winners/377 runners) for the Exceed And Excel/Octagonal (NZ) combination; Golden Mile (Aus) (Astern {Aus}) and Bounding (Aus) (Lonhro {Aus}) the others.

Saturday, Flemington, Australia NEWMARKET HANDICAP-G1, A\$1,500,000, VRC, 3-09, Open Handicap, 1200mT, 1:08.83, gd.

1--CYLINDER (AUS), 51.5, c, 3, by Exceed and Excel (Aus)
1st Dam: Circular (Aus) (GSW-Aus, \$214,591),
by Street Cry (Ire)
2nd Dam: Hexameter (Aus), by Octagonal (NZ)

#### 3rd Dam: Sibylline (Aus), by Chief's Crown

1ST GROUP 1 WIN. O-Godolphin; B-Godolphin Australia (NSW); T-James Cummings; J-Jamie Kah; A\$905,000. Lifetime Record: 13-5-3-1, A\$3,696,740. \*Half to Parisal (Aus) (Astern {Aus}), MGSW-Aus, \$391,251. Werk Nick Rating: A+++. \*Triple Plus\*. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Arion.co.nz catalogue-style pedigree.

- 2--Imperatriz (Aus), 58.0, m, 5, I Am Invincible (Aus)--Berimbau (Aus), by Shamardal. (A\$360,000 Ylg '20 MAGJAN). O-Te Akau, Invincible Empress Racing Partnership (Mgr: Karyn Fenton-Ellis Mnzm); B-Raffles Dancers (NZ), Pty Ltd (NSW); T-M W Walker; J-O P Bosson; A\$270,000.
- 3--The Astrologist (Aus), 52.5, g, 7, Zoustar (Aus)--Aquada (Aus), by Flying Spur (Aus). (A\$150,000 Ylg '18 MMLJAN; A\$9,500 HRA, '22, INGFEB). O-Bennett Racing (Mgr: N Bennett), Southstar 1 (Mgr: A Downard), Zoustar Five (Mgr: A Stanley), Ginza Racing (Mgr: D Sullivan), S Roth, L Thomas, D Higginbotham, D & Mrs A Newton, P Camilleri, D Bolch, L Pearson, Mrs S Smallwood, S McHenry, M Ramsey, Mrs A Hare, M Bone, D Mullen & Mrs L Bliss; B-Rangal Park Stud (VIC); T-Leon & Troy Corstens; J-Declan Bates; A\$135,000. Margins: 1 1/4, NK, SHD. Odds: 10.00, 1.80, 100.00.

Also Ran: Benedetta (Aus), Bella Nipotina (Aus), Magic Time (Aus), Sghirripa (Aus), Ruthless Dame (NZ), Buenos Noches (Aus), Master Fay (Aus), Skew Wiff (NZ), It'sourtime (Aus). Click for the Racing Australia chart. VIDEO.

#### FIRST GROUP 1 WINNER FOR OVERSHARE

by Renee Geelan and Oz Wedmore

Lady Laguna (Aus) became the first Group 1 winner for her Widden Victoria-based, Group 3-winning sire Overshare (Aus) when she beat the \$2.35 favourite **Think About It (Aus)** (So You Think {NZ}) in the G1 Canterbury S. at Randwick on Saturday.

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Lady Laguna | Bronwen Healy

#### **G1** Canterbury S. Cont.

Previously Overshare's only stakes winner, Lady Laguna now has the ultimate addition to her resume.

Lady Laguna ran on from the rear of the field, picking up Think About It who kept pace with her for most of the straight as they ran down the leaders, but Lady Laguna found another gear and won by 1.25I with Think About It and **Espiona (Aus)** (Extreme Choice {Aus}) seperated in a photo for second and third respectively.

"I was quietly confident, particularly as the favourite was first-up as well, we just thought it might be a day to try and get a Group 1. Without a doubt, as a 4-year-old she's gone to another level," said winning trainer Annabel Neasham, who added praise for young jockey Tyler Schiller, who was gaining his second Group 1 win.

Highly consistent, Lady Laguna has won four of her past five starts, with a second last start in the G2 Mille Fox S. Her full record is seven wins and 11 placings from 24 starts.

#### **Pedigree Notes**

The sole stakes winner for her Widden Victoria-based, G3 Zeditave S.-winning sire--a son of I Am Invincible --Lady Laguna was bred by Spendthrift Australia.

She is the second of three foals so far for the dual city winner Catalina De Lago (NZ) (Encosta De Lago {Aus}), half-sister to the G2 Edward Manifold S. winner She Will Be Loved (Aus) (Strategic {Aus}) out of the unraced Katie O'Neill (NZ) (Zabeel {NZ}).

That half-sister to the dual Group winner Soleil Rouge (NZ) (Red Tempo {NZ}) and the G3 Metric Mile winner Black Sun (NZ) (Otehi Bay {Aus}) is also granddam of the two-time group winner Luke's Luck (Aus) (Show A Heart {Aus}) and third dam of the Listed Takeover Target H. winner Enchanted Heart (Aus) (Show A Heart {Aus}) and the G2 Percy Sykes S. winner Kristilli (Aus) (Hellbent {Aus}).

This is also the family of the Group 1 winners All Thrills Too (Aus) (St Covet {Aus}), Lucia Valentina (NZ) (Sabaveel {Aus}) and Danzdanzdance (Aus) (Mastercraftsman {Ire}) and of two Group 3 winners currently at stud in Australia--Swear (Aus) and Extreme Warrior (Aus).

Lady Laguna boasts crosses of Fairy Bridge (Bold Reason) and her dam Special (Forli {Arg}) via Sadler's Wells, Fairy King and Nurevev.

Now a Kingstar Farm mare, Catalina De Lago has not had much luck in recent times--slipping two years running with her latest foal being Lindelago (Aus) (Bolt d'Oro) who sadly died having raced just the once; not disgraced in last year's G3 Ottawa S. She was served last spring by State Of Rest (Ire).

Saturday, Randwick, Australia

**CANTERBURY S.-G1**, A\$750,000, ATC, 3-09, 3yo/up, Open Weight For, 1300mT, 1:15.19, gd.

1--LADY LAGUNA (AUS), 57.0, m, 4, by Overshare (Aus)
1st Dam: Catalina de Lago (NZ),
by Encosta de Lago (Aus)

2nd Dam: Katie O'Neill (NZ), by Zabeel (NZ) 3rd Dam: Polly Soleil (GB), by Roi Soleil (GB)

1ST GROUP 1 WIN. O-O T I Racing (Mgrs: T Henderson & S Driscoll), P Williams, J Cahill, Mrs B Gilbert, J & Mrs J Spence, R Menchise, P Van Buynder, J Boyd, A Boyd, Mrs J Rubira, Persephone Racing, Mrs J Pilloni, Tight Lines Racing, R Bow, Ms L Gillespie, Mrs H Ridout, Bmph & Madmartigan; B-Spendthrift Australia Pty Ltd (VIC); T-Annabel Neasham; J-Tyler Schiller; A\$435,000. Lifetime Record: 24-7-5-6, A\$1,942,100. Click for the free Arion.co.nz catalogue-style pedigree. Werk Nick Rating: A++. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

- 2--Think About It (Aus), 59.0, g, 5, So You Think (NZ)--Tiare (Aus), by Flying Spur (Aus). (A\$70,000 Ylg '20 INGMAR). O-Proven Thoroughbreds, R Miller, Newfan P/L (Mgr:S Galluzzo), A Halloran, Barraband Racing & Breeding, The Maindonald Family, Mrs L Siltala, K McCaffrey, T Heesh, J Finney, D Wilson, W Reeks, S Vaughan, M Whiteman, G Hele, P Brown, S Wilson, Dinner Till We Die, Think So Racing & M Miller; B-Lightning Thoroughbreds (NSW); T-Joseph Pride; J-S Clipperton; A\$141,000.
- 3--Espiona (Aus), 57.0, m, 5, Extreme Choice (Aus)--Dahooil (NZ), by O'Reilly (NZ). (A\$190,000 Ylg '20 MAGJAN). O-Star Thoroughbreds Pty Ltd, L J Mugavin, McLeish Family Racing, Felgate Holdings, Mrs A M Hickey, Boeara Holdings, Paramount Racing, M I Ive, Mrs R A Ive, Macedon Park Pty Ltd, Mrs D M Handley & Cgo Racing; B-Torryburn Stud (NSW); T-C J Waller; J-J B McDonald; A\$71,500.

Margins: 1 1/4, SHD, 1 1/4. Odds: 10.00, 1.35, 1.45. Also Ran: Coal Crusher (Aus), Pericles (Aus), Malkovich (Aus), Bandersnatch (Aus). Click for the Racing Australia chart. VIDEO.

## NEW ZEALAND'S G1 SISTEMA S GOES TO FAVOURITE VELOCIOUS by Renee Geelan

Written Tycoon (Aus) filly **Velocious (Aus)** made it four from five for the season when taking out New Zealand's G1 Sistema S. in sensational fashion. She cruised to the lead and held on by 0.75I from the fast-closing **Archaic Smile (Aus)** (Saxon Warrior {Jpn}) and **Captured By Love (Aus)** (Written Tycoon) who finished in the photo for second and third.

"That feels great. She's a great filly, a Karaka Million winner, and now she's a Group 1 winner. That just tops it all off," said winning trainer Stephen Marsh. Cont. p12

#### G1 Sistema S. Cont.

He added, "I was nervous coming into today, a lot more gee'd up than for the Karaka Million, but I'm just happy it's done and dusted, and she's got it."

#### **Pedigree Notes**

Velocious won the NZ\$1 million R. Listed Karaka 2YO Million coming into the G1 Sistema S. and took her prize-money to over NZ\$915,000. She becomes the 14th Group 1 winner for Written Tycoon who stands at Yulong Stud, just one week after he earned his 13th via Southport Tycoon in the G1 Australian Guineas.

Velocious is the third foal of winning Snitzel (Aus) mare Parmalove (Aus), whose first foal Mozzarella (Aus) (Capitalist {Aus}) won twice as a 2-year-old while her second foal is stakes-placed 2-year-old winner Penvose Lad (Aus) (U S Navy Flag). Velocious was a NZ\$190,000 purchase by Go Bloodstock from the Inglewood Stud draft at the 2023 New Zealand Bloodstock National Yearling Sale.

Four-time champion sire Snitzel took his damsire record to 29 stakes winners, and this is his second Group 1 winner in that role after G1 Golden Slipper winner Mossfun (Aus) (Mossman {Aus}).



**Velocious** | Kenton Wright/Race Images

Saturday, Ellerslie, New Zealand

**SISTEMA S.-G1**, NZ\$450,000, Auckland TR, 3-09, 2yo, Open Set Weight, 1200mT, 1:11.88, gd.

1--VELOCIOUS (AUS), 55.0, f, 2, by Written Tycoon (Aus)

1st Dam: Parmalove (Aus), by Snitzel (Aus)

2nd Dam: Love's Here (Aus), by Dehere 3rd Dam: Compassive (Aus), by No Mercy (GB)

 $\textbf{1ST GROUP WIN. 1ST GROUP 1 WIN}. \ (\text{NZ}\$190,\!000 \ \text{Ylg } \text{`}23$ 

NZBNAT). O-Go Racing Burrata Syndicate (Mgr Albert Bosma);

B-Inglewood Stud (NSW); T-S B Marsh; J-S C Spratt; NZ\$258,750. Lifetime Record: 5-4-0-1, NZ\$915,750. \*1/2 to Penvose Lad (Aus) (U S Navy Flag), SP-NZ. Click for the free Arion.co.nz catalogue-style pedigree. Werk Nick Rating: A++. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

- 2--Archaic Smile (Aus), 55.0, f, 2, Saxon Warrior (Jpn)--On the Ball (NZ), by So You Think (NZ). **1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE. 1ST GROUP 1 BLACK TYPE.** (NZ\$55,000 Ylg '23 NZBNAT). O-M Otani; B-Mr RA Emery (Vic); T-A W Pike; J-M J Mc Nab; NZ\$83,250.
- 3--Captured by Love (Aus), 55.0, f, 2, Written Tycoon (Aus)--Moldova (Aus), by Snitzel (Aus). 1ST GROUP 1 BLACK TYPE. (A\$525,000 Ylg '23 MMLJAN). O-Te Akau 2023 Magic Fillies' Breeding Syndicate (Mgr: Karyn Fenton-Ellis Mnzm); B-Makybe Racing & Breeding (Vic); T-Mark Walker & Sam Bergerson; J-W B Kennedy; NZ\$40,500.

Margins: 3/4, NS, 2HF. Odds: 0.60, 12.80, 3.20.

Also Ran: Savaglee (NZ), Foreverintime (Aus), Poetic Champion (NZ), Toruk Makto (NZ), Lavender Haze (Aus).

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## SHOCKING VICTORY IN G1 BONECRUSHER NEW ZEALAND STAKES

by Renee Geelan and Oz Wedmore

The hot favourite **Legarto (NZ)** (Proisir {Aus}) couldn't run down \$20 outsider **El Vencedor (NZ)** (Shocking {Aus}) in the G1 Bonecrusher New Zealand S. at Ellerslie. Jockey Joe Doyle produced a remarkable front-running display and was 3l clear on the turn aboard El Vencedor.

Legarto slowly closed the gap but was too late finishing 0.3l back in second. They were trailed by **Ladies Man (NZ)** (Zed {NZ}) 5.5l back in third who led home the rest of the pack.

"Legarto is such a great mare and you never take her cheaply, but I loved the way he got to the front under a bit of pressure then got a couple of cheap sectionals," said winning trainer Stephen Marsh, who had won the G1 Sistema S. just two races earlier.

"He was galloping beautifully in front and coming into the straight I saw Legarto come off the bridle just as we were starting to climb into it.

"He has got better and better with each run, and this is great for his breeders and owners Mark Freeman and David Price as they own the mare, and it is just awesome all around."

A 5-year-old gelding, El Vencedor took his record to seven wins and 13 places from 31 starts with earnings over NZ\$500,000. Very consistent, El Vencedor hasn't run worse than fourth in his last nine starts, winning the G2 Eagle Technology S. in December and was second in the G1 Thorndon Mile two starts ago.

#### **Pedigree Notes**

One of the 23 stakes winners for his Rich Hill-based, G1 Melbourne Cup-winning sire, he is one of the three stakes winner for the unraced Strictly Maternal (NZ) (O'Reilly {NZ})-also dam of the G2 Brisbane Cup and G3 Counties Cup winner Chocante (NZ) (also by Shocking) and the Group 3 and Listed-winning Hong Kong galloper Sky Darci (NZ) (Darci Brahma {NZ}).

A homebred for M W Freeman and D G Price, El Vencedor is a great-grandson of the G3 Canterbury Gold Cup winner Red Chiffon (NZ) (Sovereign Red {NZ}) whose granddaughter Malevola (Tale Of The Cat) earned the title of Panama Champion 2-Year-Old Filly.

Strictly Maternal died just last month with her most recent foal being a yet-to-be-named 2-year-old full-sister to El Vencedor.

El Vencedor was part of a good day for O'Reilly (NZ) as a broodmare sire, the G3 Shaftesbury Avenue winner Von Hauke (NZ) (Savabeel {Aus}) was another success.



El Vencedor | Kenton Wright/Race Images

Saturday, Ellerslie, New Zealand **NEW ZEALAND S.-G1**, NZ\$450,000, Auckland TR, 3-09, WFA, 2000mT, 2:03.90, gd.

1--EL VENCEDOR (NZ), 59.0, g, 5, by Shocking (Aus) 1st Dam: Strictly Maternal (NZ), by O'Reilly (NZ) 2nd Dam: Take Silk (NZ), by Star Way (GB) 3rd Dam: Red Chiffon (Aus), by Sovereign Red (NZ)

1ST GROUP 1 WIN. O/B-M W Freeman & D G Price, Central, (NZ); T-S B Marsh; J-Joe Doyle; NZ\$258,750. Lifetime Record: 31-7-9-4, A\$592,924. \*Full to Chocante (NZ) (Shocking {Aus}), GSW-NZ, GSW & G1SP-Aus, \$315,590; 1/2 to Sky Darci (NZ) (Darci Brahma {NZ}), Ch. 4yo-HK, GSW-HK, \$3,079,079; and Golden Darzi (NZ) (Darci Brahma {NZ}), SP-NZ. Click for the free Arion.co.nz catalogue-style pedigree. Werk Nick Rating:

#### A+++. \*Triple Plus\*. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

- 2--Legarto (NZ), 57.0, m, 4, Proisir (Aus)--Geordie Girl (NZ), by Towkay (Aus). (NZ\$90,000 Ylg '21 NZBNAT). O-Mrs C J & P H Brown, A C & Mrs M E Enting, W J Foster, Mrs B J & K S Kelso, A M & Mrs P J Kirton, G & M Maloy & E J Verheyen; B-W E Jeffries, Bay Of Plenty, (NZ); T-K & B Kelso; J-R T Elliot; NZ\$83,250.
- 3--**Ladies Man (NZ)**, 59.0, g, 6, Zed (NZ)--Just Polite (Aus), by Dehere. (NZ\$60,000 Ylg '19 NZBNAT). O-F J, H T, L L & M J O'Leary, S A Sharrock, Mrs K M, N H, R T & Mrs S L Stanley; B-Grangewilliam Stud Ltd, Central, (NZ); T-S A Sharrock; J-M J Mc Nab; NZ\$40,500.

Margins: NK, 5HF, HF. Odds: 19.20, 0.20, 13.10. Also Ran: Skyman (GB), Aquacade (NZ), One Bold Cat (NZ), Mali Ston (NZ), Manifique (NZ), Sharp 'n' Smart (NZ), Riodini (NZ). Click for the NZ Racing chart. VIDEO.

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SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	8	Lucky Sweynesse (NZ)	Sweynesse (Aus)	McDonald	Man	126
2	3	California Spangle (Ire)	Starspangledbanner (Aus)	Avdulla	Cruz	126
3	6	Beauty Eternal (Aus)	Starspangledbanner (Aus)	Purton	Size	126
4	10	Beauty Joy (Aus)	Sebring (Aus)	Leung	Cruz	126
5	5	Lucky With You (Aus)	Artie Schiller	Atzeni	Lor	126
6	7	Healthy Happy (Aus)	Zoustar (Aus)	Badel	Lor	126
7	1	Taj Dragon (Ire)	Mehmas (Ire)	Bowman	Ng	126
8	4	Son Pak Fu (Aus)	Fighting Sun (Aus)	Chau	Yung	126
9	2	Red Lion (Ire)	Belardo (Ire)	Hamelin	Size	126
10	9	Galaxy Patch (Aus)	Wandjina (Aus)	Teetan	Ng	126

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# KLARAVICH'S DOMESTIC PRODUCT WINS WILD TAMPA BAY DERBY



With four noses at the line, Domestic Product (#5, green cap) gets the Tampa Bay Derby | SV Photography

#### by Jill Williams

In a GIII Lambholm South Tampa Bay Derby delayed more than 30 minutes due to a tote issue plaguing much of the East Coast, Klaravich Stables homebred **Domestic Product** (Practical Joke) won in a wild scramble at the finish. Recent GIII Sam F. Davis S. winner **No More Time** (Not This Time) was nosed out for the win and held second over recent Swale S. third **Grand Mo the First** (Uncle Mo), while pacesetter **Good Money** (Good Magic) just missed the board. The final time for the 8 1/2 furlongs was 1:45.47 in a race where the top five finishers all earned qualifying points on a scale of 50-25-15-10-5 for the Road to the Kentucky Derby.

As the Tampa Bay Derby runners circled for about 30 minutes in the saddling paddock prior to the race as the extent of the tote outage became apparent, officials at Tampa Bay Downs finally opted to run the Kentucky Derby points race as a non-wagering event. The final race on the card, scheduled to be run after the Tampa Bay Derby, was canceled altogether.

Most recently the runner-up to Hades (Awesome Slew) in the GIII Holy Bull S. Feb. 3, Domestic Product broke outward at the Tampa Bay Derby start, bumped slightly, and was unbothered as jockey Tyler Gaffalione eased into a covered-up position midpack while keeping his mount under a strong hold. *Cont. p3* 

## 'RISING STAR' KINZA PROVES A DOMINATING WINNER OF THE

**SANTA YSABEL** by Alan Carasso

Saturday's GIII Santa Ysabel S. proved yet another walk in the park for Michael Lund Petersen's 'TDN Rising Star' Kinza (Carpe Diem), who treated her seven other rivals to a front-running beating while not asked for anything close to her best. It was a second straight win in the race for Petersen, who sent out fellow Fasig-Tipton Midlantic acquisition and 'Rising Star' Faiza (Girvin) last year.

The 1-2 chalk to add to her facile two-length victory in her two-turn bow in the GIII Las Virgenes S. going a mile Feb. 10, the \$350,000 Fasig-Tipton Midlantic breezer won the break, but had some company early in the form of Las Virgenes third **She's a**Tempest (Connect), who prompted through an opening quarter in a strong :22.52.

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After a long day of clocking horses, this potential (future) buyer enjoys a sweet treat at OBS. | Photos By Z

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#### WIN WIN WIN FILLY TIES OBS UNDER-TACK RECORD

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A filly from the first crop of GI Forego S. winner Win Win (Hat Trick {Jpn}) equaled the record time for a quarter-mile breeze during the fourth and final preview for next week's OBS March Sale of 2-Year-Olds In Training.



#### Tampa Bay Derby, cont. from p1

Domestic Product's stablemate, fellow Chad Brown trainee Good Money, showed the way through tepid :25.25 and :51.14 early fractions as Gaffalione continued to ask Domestic Product to wait. Tipped wide off the turn, the winner joined a calvary charge bearing down on Good Money with the photo showing mere inches between Domestic Product and No More Time, as Grand Mo the First and Good Money also made noise as part of the final fray.

It was the first Tampa Bay Derby win for both Brown and Gaffalione, as well as for Klaravich Stables. Inaugurated in 1981 with a current purse of \$400,000, the Tampa Bay Derby has featured one victor to date (Street Sense, 2007) who went on to win the roses on the first Saturday in May in Louisville.

Prior to his Holy Bull second last month, Domestic Product--an open-daylight winner in a nine-furlong maiden special weight Oct. 27 at the Belmont at Aqueduct meet--finished an unheralded seventh in the GII Remsen S. Dec. 2. The Remsen is proving to be a key race, as the winner, Dornoch (Good Magic), won last week's GII Fountain of Youth S.; the runner-up, 'TDN Rising Star' Sierra Leone (Gun Runner), won the Feb. 17 GII Risen Star S.; and the third-place finisher, Drum Roll Please (Hard Spun), won the Jerome S. in his last start in January. Domestic Product's first start since, that runner-up trip in the

Holy Bull, involved a bumpy start and a six-wide bid in which he outslugged Eclipse champion 2-year-old Fierceness (City of Light).

#### **Pedigree Notes:**

The first stakes winner out of a daughter of the late Paynter, Domestic Product is by Coolmore America's Practical Joke, the continent's current-leading fourth-crop sire of 2024 by both earnings and black-type winners. A son of Into Mischief, Practical Joke has 25 career graded winners and 37 stakes winners worldwide.

Unraced Goods and Services, the Tampa Bay Derby winner's dam, sold at the 2021 Keeneland November sale for \$37,000 to Railway Street when Domestic Product was a weanling. The mare produced a 2022 filly by Complexity in New York, aborted to Honest Mischief for 2023, and was bred to Drain the Clock for this term.

O/B-Klaravich Stables, Inc. (KY); T-Chad Brown; J-Tyler Gaffalione.

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points on the Road to the Kentucky Derby while providing **Practical Joke** with a fifth Black-type winner this year.



#### Santa Ysabel, cont. from p1

Kept honest enough down the backstretch, Kinza got the opening half-mile in :45.98, but looked to be doing it willingly enough and under a long rein from Juan Hernandez. Asked to extend a bit at the three-furlong pole, with She's a Tempest now under a ride, Kinza kicked farther in front off the final corner and Hernandez had plenty of time to take a look at the infield board to see just how much he had in hand.

It was a fourth Santa Ysabel in succession for trainer Bob Baffert and his ninth overall.

"I think she was just feeling a little fresh and now she knows she was going to race, so she was feeling a little hot," said Hernandez. "I didn't want to go that fast in the beginning, I wanted to go nice and easy. I just let her go, I didn't want to fight her, she was really comfortable. I felt the pace fast earlier, so I said, 'I'm just going to wait I'm not going to move.' I was just checking making sure no one got too close to me and when she switched leads that's when she picked it up again and gave me another gear, she is a nice filly."

The New York-bred Kinza, also a \$17,000 Fasig-Tipton Saratoga Fall Mixed weanling and \$30,000 OBS October yearling, was made a no-brainer **'Rising Star'** on debut when streaking away to score by 7 1/2 lengths over six furlongs Dec. 29.

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Kinza | Benoit

#### **Pedigree Notes:**

One of 13 worldwide stakes winners and three graded winners for her sire from five crops of racing age, Kinza is out of a half-sister to the stakes-placed Mylastfirstkiss (Flatter). The last-listed produce for Secret Wonder is a 2-year-old filly by Instagrand.

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#### Saturday, Santa Anita Park

**SANTA YSABEL S.-GIII**, \$101,500, Santa Anita, 3-9, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:44.16, ft.

1--KINZA, 124, f, 3, by Carpe Diem



1st Dam: Secret Wonder, by Quality Road 2nd Dam: Maxinkuckee Miss, by Langfuhr 3rd Dam: Wini Jones, by Seeking the Gold

(\$17,000 Wlg '21 FTNMIX; \$30,000 Ylg '22 OBSOCT; \$350,000 2yo '23 EASMAY). **'TDN Rising Star'**. O-Michael Lund Petersen; B-JD Business Ventures LLC, Brushy Hill Stable & Carpe Diem Syndicate (NY); T-Bob Baffert; J-Juan J. Hernandez. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, \$159,000. **Werk Nick Rating: B. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.** 



2--Where's My Ring, 120, f, 3, Twirling Candy--Mapit, by Tapit.

1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE. (\$100,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP). O-Michael McMillan; B-Don Alberto Corporation (KY); T-Val Brinkerhoff. \$20,000.



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3--She's a Tempest, 120, f, 3, Connect--Hurricane Tiz, by Tiznow. O/B-SAYJAY Racing, LLC & Beerman Family Trust (KY); T-Steve R. Knapp. \$12,000.

Margins: 5, 1 1/4, 2HF. Odds: 0.50, 20.30, 13.80. Also Ran: Ultimate Authority, Shiloh's Mistress, Nay V Belle, Pacific Rose, Ifuaintfirsturlast.

#### WASKESIU MAKES THE GRADE IN FLORIDA

#### **OAKS** by Alan Carasso

Sent off a lukewarm favorite at 5-2 from a dubious morning line of 8-1, Chiefswood Stable's homebred 3-year-old filly **Waskesiu** (American Pharoah) sat a perfect ground-saving trip just behind the speed, tipped out in the lane and finished determinedly for a maiden stakes success in Saturday's GIII Florida Oaks at Tampa Bay Downs.

Winner of her turf debut at Aqueduct Nov. 18 and a slow-starting third in the Jan. 6 Ginger Brew S. at Gulfstream Park, the Ontario-bred took advantage of her low draw in gate four to tuck in at the fence to take the shortest way around the Olsdmar oval as triple-digit longshot A Primera Vista (Competitive Edge) cut out the running through fractions of :23.18 and :47.92. Junior Alvarado had his fists full of Waskesiu around the turn and was right on the back of the leaders nearing the stretch, just waiting for the gaps to appear. Pointed at daylight three off the inside with about a furlong and a half to run, Waskesiu knuckled down to deliver her challenge in earnest deep inside the final eighth of a mile and was along in the final few strides. Style Points (Oscar Performance), narrowly defeated in the GIII Sweetest Chant S. last time, got the better of a bobbing finish for second with Dancing N Dixie (Neolithic).

#### **Pedigree Notes:**

Waskesiu is the 44th worldwide black-type winner and 26th at the graded/group level for American Pharoah and she is the 88th SW and 46th GSW out of a daughter of the late Bernardini.

Cont.



#### Florida Oaks, cont.



Waskesiu | SV Photography

Chiefswood Stable principle Robert Krembil acquired Waskesiu's dam--a daughter of dual Grade II winner Oonagh Maccool--for \$600,000 at the 2014 Keeneland September sale. Turned over to Graham Motion, Finn's Girl graduated at first asking on the turf at Delaware Park and was third to Harmonize (Scat Daddy) in the 2015 P.G. Johnson S.

Also the dam of the Grade III-placed Cool Street (Street Cry {Ire}), Oonagh Maccool was a half-sister to Tapian (Ire) (Last Tycoon {Ire}), a two-time Group 1 winner in both Italy and Germany, as well as G1 Sussex S. winner Ali-Royal (Ire) (Royal Academy) and 1997 G1 Pertemps 1000 Guineas winner Sleepytime (Ire) (Royal Academy), the dam of four full black-type winners from eight to the races.

Finn's Girl is the dam of a yearling colt by Curlin and foaled a filly by Justify Feb. 24.

O/B-Chiefswood Stables Limited (ONT); T-Bill Mott; J-Junior Alvarado.

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## HOW SWEET IT IS! SWEET AZTECA PILLAR TO POST IN BEHOLDER MILE by Jill Williams

Facing a bevy of both more experienced and more accomplished rivals, lightly raced **Sweet Azteca** (Sharp Azteca) led every step of the way to capture the **renamed** GI B. Wayne Hughes Beholder Mile S. at Santa Anita Saturday. Last summer's GI Clement L. Hirsch S. winner and even-money favorite **Adare Manor** (Uncle Mo) was second, while 'TDN Rising Star' and Pumpkin Pie S. winner **Green Up** (Upstart), an East Coast shipper, was third. Final time for the mile was 1:36.40.

A homebred for Pamela Cee Ziebarth, Sweet Azteca blasted right out of the gate and controlled the early tempo of :23.40 and :47.40 while in hand. As the dust settled with Green Up tracking just off the frontrunner's flank, Sweet Azteca showed no signs of slowing as she rounded the final turn and sailed into the stretch three lengths on top. Adare Manor blew by Green Up to chase the gray home, but couldn't catch the winner and finished three-quarters of a length in arrears.

"It felt like she was used to sprinting, so around the turn I tried to get her to relax, and she did the rest herself," said Flavien Prat, who was aboard the winner. "At the turn for home, I felt the other horse coming and she picked it up herself."

Sweet Azteca made one start as a 3-year-old last year for trainer Michael McCarthy, resulting in a Derby week win at Churchill Downs and an 85 debut Beyer Speed Figure. Benched until the GIII Las Flores S. at Santa Anita on New Year's Day, Sweet Azteca was outkicked for third after drifting out late, then roared back with a 12-length optional allowance win and a 91 Beyer over this surface going 6 1/2 furlongs Feb. 2. The Beholder Mile was her first try around two turns.

McCarthy previously won the Beholder Mile in 2020 with Ce Ce (Elusive Quality), who, like Sweet Azteca, was lightly raced and coming off a 6 1/2-furlong optional allowance a month prior. Ce Ce would go on to become the 2021 Eclipse champion female sprinter and a three-time Grade I winner, whose victories included the GI Breeders' Cup Filly and Mare Sprint.

#### **Pedigree Notes:**

Sweet Azteca is the first graded winner for Sharp Azteca, a former Three Chimneys stallion who is standing the 2024 season at Shizunai Stallion Station in Japan. *Cont.* 



#### Beholder Mile, cont.



Sweet Azteca | Benoit

With two crops to the races, Sharp Azteca is responsible for six black-type winners. Sweet Azteca also is one of 93 stakes winners out of a mare by the late Grand Slam. Both Sharp Azteca and Grand Slam also won Grade I races at a mile during their racing careers: the first in the 2017 Cigar Mile, the second in the 1997 Futurity S.

A third-generation homebred for Ziebarth, Sweet Azteca is out of a family first nurtured by Ziebarth's late mother, Cecilia Straub Rubens. The Beholder Mile winner's fourth dam is the famed Straub Rubens mare Cee's Song. Sold for \$2.6 million to Dromoland Farm in 2001, Cee's Song produced Horse of the Year Tiznow, MGSW & GISP Budroyale, GSW Tizdubai, and the dams of GISWs Oxbow and Paynter.

The family is seeing a revitalization in 2024 as, in addition to Sweet Azteca, 'TDN Rising Star', GII Rachel Alexandra S. winner, and top GI Kentucky Oaks contender Tarifa (Bernardini) is a direct descendant.

So Sweetitiz has a 2-year-old colt named Mucho Dulce (Mucho Macho Man) and a yearling colt named Under the Big Sky (Tonalist). She is in foal for 2024 with a full-sibling to Sweet Azteca.

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#### Saturday, Santa Anita Park

**BEHOLDER MILE S.-GI**, \$301,000, Santa Anita, 3-9, 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:36.40, ft.

1--SWEET AZTECA, 120, f, 4, by Sharp Azteca

1st Dam: So Sweetitiz (MSW, \$180,480),

by Grand Slam

2nd Dam: Sweetitiz, by El Prado (Ire) 3rd Dam: Tizsweet, by Cee's Tizzy

#### 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN, 1ST GRADE I

WIN. O/B-Pamela Cee Ziebarth (KY); T-Michael W. McCarthy; J-Flavien Prat. \$180,000. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-1, \$301,200.

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2--Adare Manor, 122, m, 5, by Uncle Mo

1st Dam: Brooklynsway (GSW-USA, MSW & GSP-Can,

\$724,597), by Giant Gizmo

2nd Dam: Explosive Story, by Radio Star 3rd Dam: Maya's Note, by Editor's Note

(\$180,000 Ylg '20 FTKFEB; \$190,000 RNA Ylg '20 FTKSEL; \$375,000 2yo '21 OBSOPN). O-Michael Lund Petersen; B-Town & Country Horse Farms, LLC & Gary Broad (KY); T-Bob Baffert. \$60,000.

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3--Green Up, 120, m, 5, by Upstart

1st Dam: Green Punch, by Two Punch 2nd Dam: Green Jeans, by Green Dancer

3rd Dam: Duds, by Ack Ack

1ST G1 BLACK TYPE. 'TDN Rising Star'. (\$10,000 Ylg '20 EASOCT). O-Team Valor International, LLC; B-Althea Richards

(VA); T-Todd A. Pletcher. \$36,000.

Margins: 3/4, 5HF, 3/4. Odds: 3.40, 1.10, 4.60.

Also Ran: Desert Dawn, Window Shopping, Coffee in Bed, Interstatedaydream. Scratched: Kirstenbosch, Turnerloose. Click for the Equibase.com chart or the TJCIS.com PPs. VIDEO,

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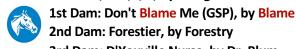
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#### Saturday, Oaklawn Park

AZERI S.-GII, \$400,000, Oaklawn, 3-9, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:45.58, gd.

1--TINY TEMPER, 117, f, 4, by Arrogate



2nd Dam: Forestier, by Forestry

3rd Dam: D'Youville Nurse, by Dr. Blum

**1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN**. (\$240,000 Wlg '20 KEENOV; \$310,000 RNA Ylg '21 KEESEP; \$155,000 RNA Ylg '21 FTKOCT). O-Mark H. Stanley and Nancy W. Stanley; B-Alan S. Kline Revocable Trust (KY); T-Dallas Stewart; J-James Graham. \$222,000. Lifetime Record: 5-3-1-0, \$354,240. Werk Nick Rating: D+. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.



2--Misty Veil, 121, m, 6, Tonalist--Genuine Class, by Birdstone. (\$210,000 6yo '24 KEEJAN). O-Resolute Racing; B-William Humphries & Altair Farms LLC (KY); T-Michael J. Maker. \$74,000.

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3--Bellamore, 121, m, 6, Empire Maker--Smart N Soft, by Smart Strike. (\$170,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP; \$350,000 2yo '20 OBSAPR; \$675,000 RNA 5yo '23 FTKNOV). O-Kaleem Shah, Inc.; B-Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd. (KY); T-Steven M. Asmussen. \$37,000.

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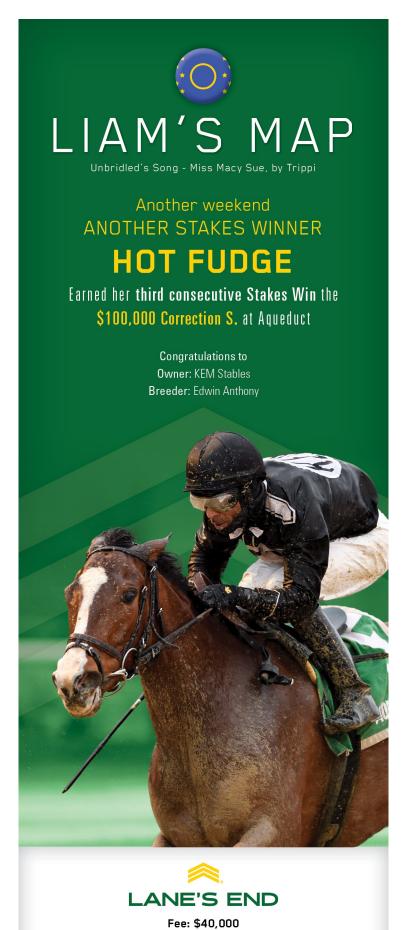
Margins: NK, 1HF, 3/4. Odds: 11.80, 16.60, 4.40.

Also Ran: Shotgun Hottie, Hot and Sultry, Soul of an Angel, Comparative, Saddle Up Jessie.

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The only GII Azeri S. entry to not have tried stakes company, Tiny Temper ran like a giant down the lane on Saturday afternoon in Hot Springs in the prep for next month's GI Apple Blossom S.

Breaking her maiden at second asking over the slop as a late juvenile at Churchill Downs, the bay was not seen until she ran fourth against allowance company at Ellis Park last summer. Taking a break until the beginning of this year, the older filly faced off-the-turf allowance foes at Fair Grounds Jan. 25 and won by a half-length with a Beyer figure of 92. Cont.



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#### Azeri, cont.



**Tiny Temper** | Coady Photography

Stepping into much deeper waters as an 11-1 shot here, the 4-year-old spotted the field several lengths as favorite Hot and Sultry (Speightster) and Bellamore traded blows into the first turn. Looking like a little engine who could up the backstretch, Tiny Temper chased the pace around the far turn and hugged the rail into the lane.

As the leaders looked like they were in slow motion, fellow longshot Misty Veil highjacked the lead with a furlong left. However, it was James Graham's mount who tipped to the two path, ranged up to the outside of her target and got her picture taken with a gutsy performance.

"Don't be afraid to get in there," said trainer Dallas Stewart.
"She (Tiny Temper) showed up big today. We believed in her all along. It's just taken a while. Hopefully, we'll get back to the Apple Blossom. After she won (Jan. 25 entry-level allowance at Fair Grounds), I was like: 'We need to be serious about what we're doing with her quick.' Just get in some good races. This was on the (radar), for sure."

#### **Pedigree Notes:**

Out of three racing crops, this was the 18th stakes winner and 12th graded stakes winner for deceased sire Arrogate. Out of SW Forestier, the winner's dam is responsible for a 3-year-old colt by Gun Runner, who Repole Stable bought for \$350,000 at the 2022 Fasig-Tipton October Yearling Sale. Her last registered foal is currently a 2-year-old colt by McKinzie.

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#### Saturday, Tampa Bay Downs

**HILLSBOROUGH S.-GII**, \$200,000, Tampa Bay Downs, 3-9, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:52.62, fm.

1--SPARKLE BLUE, 119, m, 5, by Hard Spun

1st Dam: Silk n' Sapphire, by Smart Strike 2nd Dam: Golden Tiy, by Dixieland Band 3rd Dam: Tiy, by Nalees Man

O-Augustin Stable and Catherine Parke; B-Catherine Parke (KY); T-H. Graham Motion; J-Jorge Ruiz. \$120,000. Lifetime Record: GISP, 15-6-2-3, \$818,775. \*1/2 to Mark of Success (Mt. Livermore), GSP, \$153,388, Shared Account (Pleasantly Perfect), GISW, \$1,649,427 and Colonial Flag (Pleasant Tap), GSW-Can, SW & MGSP-USA, \$312,463. Werk Nick Rating: A+.

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- 2--Aspen Grove (Ire), 119, f, 4, Justify--Data Dependent, by More Than Ready. O-Glen Hill Farm and Mrs. John Magnier; B-Glen Hill Farm (IRE); T-Jack Sisterson. \$40,000.
- 3--**Fluffy Socks**, 119, m, 6, **Slumber (GB)**--Breakfast Time, by Kitten's Joy. O/B-Head Of Plains Partners (KY); T-Chad C. Brown. \$20,000.

Margins: HF, NK, NK. Odds: 6.70, 12.30, 1.20.

Also Ran: Elusive Princess (Fr), Star Fortress (Ire), Embrace Me. Scratched: Beechnut Trophy, Marketsegmentation.

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Augustin Stable and Catherine Parke's Sparkle Blue got the second graded victory of her career Saturday when leading wire to wire in the GII Hillsborough S. at Tampa Bay Downs. The dark bay was fourth choice after the field of eight was scratched down to six. *Cont.* 



Sparkle Blue | SV Photography

#### Hillsborough, cont.

Sparkle Blue left the Hillsborough gate smoothly and briefly raced in tandem with MGSW & MGISP Fluffy Socks just to her inside for much of the first quarter until pulling clear by nearly a length to solely notch the first call in a leisurely :25.38. Fluffy Socks at 6-5 and GSW Star Fortress (Ire) (Sea The Stars {Ire}) at 5-2 chased as Sparkle Blue showed the way with her ears pricked. Repelling a stiff challenge from the latter as they hit the top of the lane after :52.11 and 1.17.44 splits, Sparkle Blue held sway as last year's GI Belmont Oaks winner Aspen Grove (Ire) attacked from the inside. Meanwhile, Fluffy Socks made another bid only to miss second by a neck to Aspen Grove at the line. In a determined effort, Sparkle Blue stayed on top by a half-length with a final time of 1:52.62 for the nine furlongs.

Sparkle Blue often keeps top company. She secured her first black-type victory in 2022 in the Christiana S. at Delaware, added her first graded win later in 2022 in the GIII Valley View S. at Keeneland, and added another stakes win last July in the Big Dreyfus S. at Laurel Park. She has an additional five stakes placings, including in the 2022 GI American Oaks at Santa Anita, and was last seen finishing third in the Feb. 3. GIII Endeavor S. at Tampa in her 2024 seasonal debut.

#### **Pedigree Notes:**

Darley America stalwart Hard Spun, who has churned out a remarkable 51 graded winners and 102 black-type winners worldwide in 13 crops to race, is the sire of Sparkle Blue and four other stakes winners out of Smart Strike mares. The late Smart Strike has 181 black-type winners as a broodmare sire.

Sparkle Blue is the last foal out of Silk n' Sapphire, making the Hillsborough winner a half-sister to GI Breeders' Cup Filly and Mare Turf winner Shared Account (Pleasantly Perfect) and to GSW Colonial Flag (Pleasant Tap). Additionally, Shared Account is the dam of GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf winner Sharing (Speightstown).



#### Saturday, Gulfstream Park

**HURRICANE BERTIE S.-GIII**, \$129,000, Gulfstream, 3-9, 4yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:16.09, ft.

1--RED CARPET READY, 120, f, 4, by Oscar Performance



1st Dam: Wild Silk, by Street Sense

2nd Dam: Spun Silk, by A.P. Indy
3rd Dam: Spunoutacontrol, by Wild Again

(\$180,000 Ylg '21 FTSAUG; \$100,000 RNA 2yo '22 OBSAPR).

O-Ashbrook Farm and Upland Flats Racing; B-Lynn B. Schiff
(KY); T-George R. Arnold, II; J-Luis Saez. \$75,950. Lifetime
Record: 7-5-0-1, \$666,370. Werk Nick Rating: A++. Click for
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2--Olivia Darling, 124, m, 5, Palace--Honky Tonk Angel, by Bluegrass Cat. (\$8,000 Ylg '20 FTKFEB; \$360,000 2yo '21 EASMAY). O-Amo Racing USA; B-Shalom Farm & Ramon Martinez (KY); T-Jorge Delgado. \$24,500.

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Margins: HF, NK, 7 3/4. Odds: 4.30, 2.10, 3.30.

Also Ran: Unifying, Cheetara (Chi), Libban, Dreamster.

Scratched: Lady Radler.

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Red Carpet Ready was more than ready to get her photo taken, winning the GIII Hurricane Bertie S. Saturday off an eightmonth layoff for trainer George Arnold II and owners Ashbrook Farm and Upland Flats Racing. The daughter of Oscar Performance raised eyebrows with a 10-length maiden win on debut at Churchill Downs in the fall of 2022 and picked up two more in succession including the GIII Forward Gal S. just over a year ago. Third in the GII Davona Dale S., she rebounded with victory in last year's GII Eight Belles S. on Derby weekend at Churchill Downs May 5 but came up empty in defeat as the favorite behind Maple Leaf Mel (Cross Traffic) in the GIII Victory Ride S. to end her season at Belmont July 8.

Unseen since that New York effort, Red Carpet Ready returned to Gulfstream and got a nice, ground-saving trip tucked in behind Spirit Wind. The 4-1 shot had to work, coming three wide outside of the dueling pacesetters turning for home and wearing them both down to steal the show from race favorite Olivia Darling.

"[Trainer George] Rusty always does a great job with all his horses," said winning jockey Luis Saez. "We worked her last time and she did it beautiful. We knew today that the race was not easy, but she always shows up." *Cont.* 

## SEMARCHELIER (GB)

(Dubawi (IRE) - Loveisallyouneed, by Sadler's Wells)

### LEADING 2ND-CROP SIRES BY TURF WINNERS

	STUD FEE	RNRS/ WNRS	ВТН	EARNINGS.
DEMARCHEL	IER \$7,500	14/7	1	\$211,205
OMAHA BEACH	\$40,000	17/3	1	\$183,330
FLAMEAWAY	\$25,000	12/3	0	\$102,408
CATHOLIC BOY	\$10,000	11/3	0	\$104,620

\*AS OF 3/8

#### **2024 TURF % WINNERS/STARTERS**

DEMARCHELIER	50%		
CATHOLIC BOY	27%		
FLAMEAWAY	25%		
ОМАНА ВЕАСН	17%		





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#### Hurricane Bertie, cont.



Red Carpet Ready | Lauren King

"Last time she kind of ran a little bit empty but after that she had a long time off and she came back pretty well."

#### **Pedigree Notes:**

One of six stakes winners for Oscar Performance, Red Carpet Ready is one of two winners from three to race out of a half-sister to GI Vosburgh S. winner Joking (Distorted Humor). Third dam Spunoutacontrol is also responsible for MGSW/GISP sire Fed Biz (Giant's Causeway). Wild Silk produced this runner's unraced 3-year-old full-sister as well as another full-sibling, Leading Role, who sold as a yearling last year for \$335,000 at FTSAUG. After foaling a Not This Time filly last spring, Wild Silk was barren on a Liam's Map cover for 2024.

#### Saturday, Santa Anita

**SAN SIMEON S.-GIII**, \$101,500, Santa Anita, 3-9, 4yo/up, 6 1/2fT, 1:12.76, gd.

1--MUCHO DEL ORO, 122, g, 6, by Mucho Macho Man

1st Dam: Repeta, by Broken Vow 2nd Dam: Attico, by Atticus 3rd Dam: Irish Coco, by Capote

1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. (\$35,000 2yo '20 OBSAPR).

O-Purple Rein Racing; B-BHMFR, LLC (KY); T-Doug F. O'Neill; J-Juan J. Hernandez. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 17-9-2-0, \$355,100. \*1/2 to Lady Glamour (Discreet Cat), GSP, \$126,170 and Funtastic Again (Funtastic), SW & GSP, \$319,894. Werk

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

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2--Dancing Buck, 124, g, 6, War Dancer--Frivolous Buck, by Catienus. O-Diamond M Stables and J and N Stables LLC; B-J & N Stables LLC (NY); T-Richard E. Dutrow, Jr. \$20,000.

3--Lane Way, 124, g, 7, Into Mischief--Corderosa, by Aldebaran. (\$550,000 2yo '19 OBSMAR). O-MyRacehorse; B-GWTW Horses LLC (KY); T-Richard E. Mandella. \$12,000.

Margins: HF, NK, NK. Odds: 2.90, 5.50, 2.10.

Also Ran: Sumter, Irideo (Arg), Ottoman Prince (Ire), Air Force Red, Daniel's Magic. Scratched: Mynumerouno (Aus).

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Claimed just two starts back for \$50,000, Mucho Del Oro rewarded his new owners with a win in Saturday's GIII San Simeon S. Bounced around between connections for much of his three-year career, this 6-year-old gelding made just three starts in 2023 culminating in a career-high 99 Beyer Speed Figure and new track record when claimed June 3. Given a break off that start, Mucho Del Oro returned to the races in heartbreaking fashion on the losing end of a photo finish in the Clocker's Corner S. Jan. 28. In much of a similar spot Saturday, the 5-2 shot flashed good early speed from an inside gate and led the top flight down the hill while also able to clear down the inside as they swung left handed. Pushed on the outside by a pair of runners as they hit the crossover, Mucho Del Oro rode the rail into the stretch and opened up nicely, holding off a late charging group to nab the win.



Mucho Del Oro | Benoit

"He tries all the time," said Juan Hernandez. "Last time he came from a layoff, and they caught me right at the wire, he needed that race. Today Doug O'Neill had him ready, I asked him this morning and he said the horse was doing really good, training phenomenal and he was right. The horse showed up today. He went to the gate and he broke really sharp, I think that is his style out of the gate that's how he likes to run." *Cont.* 

#### San Simeon, cont.

"Turning for home when we crossed the dirt to the turf again, he responded really well. He was all heart today."

#### **Pedigree Notes:**

One of ten stakes winners for GI Breeders' Cup Classic hero Mucho Macho Man, Mucho Del Oro became the third stakes performer for his dam along with SW/GSP Funtastic Again (Funtastic) and GSP Lady Glamour (Discreet Cat). Repeta's 2-year-old Volatile filly RNA'd for \$250,000 at Keeneland September last year. She foaled a Not This Time filly in 2023 but was barren on her Gun Runner cover for 2024.

#### Saturday, Tampa Bay Downs

\$100,000 MICHELOB ULTRA CHALLENGER S.-GIII, \$100,000,

Tampa Bay Downs, 3-9, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:43.12, ft.

1--SKIPPYLONGSTOCKING, 123, h, 5, by Exaggerator

1st Dam: Twinkling, by War Chant 2nd Dam: Unhurried, by Out of Place 3rd Dam: Laughing Erin, by Irish Castle

(\$15,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP; \$37,000 2yo '21 OBSAPR). O-Daniel Alonso; B-Brushy Hill, LLC (KY); T-Saffie A. Joseph, Jr.; J-Tyler Gaffalione. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: MGSW/MGISP, 22-7-2-4, \$1,654,185. \*1/2 to Olivia Twist (Mshawish), SW & GSP, \$177,449; 1/2 to Moonlite Strike (Liam's Map), SW & GSP, \$175,205. Werk Nick Rating: A+++. \*Triple Plus\* Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

- (IBI) ELIGIBLE FOR KY BREEDERS' INCENTIVE FUND AWARDS UP TO \$5,000
- 2--Sherlock's Jewel, 119, g, 4, Lea--Jewel Kat, by Indian Charlie.

  1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE. O/B-Wharton
  Connell Racing, LLC. (KY); T-Claude R. McGaughey III. \$20,000.
- 3--**Mbagnick (Chi)**, 119, h, 5, Practical Joke--Belcunda (Chi), by Powerscourt (GB). O-Paola Stable and Stud Vendaval, Inc.; B-Haras Paso Nevado (CHI); T-Amador Merei Sanchez. \$10.000.

Margins: 2HF, NK, 1. Odds: 0.70, 3.90, 38.20. Also Ran: Dynamic One, Impacto, Dash Attack.

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Skippylongstocking shipped into Tampa for the second straight year and once again won the GIII Challenger S. for owner Daniel Alonso and trainer Saffie Joseph, Jr.

Third in the GI Belmont S. two years ago and running third in the GI Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile at Santa Anita last fall, the 5-year-old was pulled up, but walked off under his power in the GI Pegasus World Cup Invitational at Gulfstream Park during his only start this year.



**Skippylongstocking** | SV Photography

Well-backed at the windows as the 3-5 shot here, the bay allowed a longshot to take the field into the first turn as he tracked just off the speed. On hold up the backstretch, Skippylongstocking was given his cue around the far turn, cleared just before the eighth pole and looked nothing short of professional down the lane to win by 2 1/2 lengths.

#### **Pedigree Notes:**

The sire of five crops of racing age, Exaggerator's other graded stakes winner is GIII Iroquois S. hero West Saratoga. The dam of six foals and three winners, Twinkling was purchased in 2018 at the OBS Winter Mixed Sale for \$42,000 by Brushy Hill Enterprises while GSP Moonlite Strike (Liam's Map) was in utero. The winner's dam produced Mia's Mom (Maclean's Music), who went to August Dawn Farm for \$275,000 at the 2023 Fasig-Tipton Saratoga Select Yearling Sale, foaled a filly by Authentic last year and she was bred to Not This Time for the spring.

## BEHOLDER MILE TO BE RENAMED TO HONOR HUGHES

The GI Beholder Mile is being renamed the B. Wayne Hughes Beholder Mile in honor of the multiple champion's late owner, who passed away in August 2021.

Hughes, the founder of the Public Storage company and whose silks carried the same purple-and-orange color scheme, owned horses for five decades and was the proprietor of Spendthrift Farm from 2004.

Beholder, a daughter of Henny Hughes, was purchased for \$180,000 at the 2011 Keeneland September sale and won a record 13 stakes races at Santa Anita, including the 2012 GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies and Breeders' Cup Distaffs in Arcadia in 2013 and 2016. *Cont.* 

#### Beholder Mile renamed, cont.



B. Wayne Hughes | Fasig-Tipton

A four-time Eclipse Award winner, she registered 12 Grade I victories and retired with earnings of \$6,156,600. She was inducted into Racing's Hall of Fame in 2022.

"Santa Anita is proud to honor someone who gave so much to the sport," said Nate Newby, Santa Anita Senior Vice President and General Manager. "Mr. Hughes was a true sportsman who made contributions in every aspect of the game. It only seems appropriate that his name stands alongside his greatest racemare in Santa Anita's most prestigious race for fillies and mares."

Added current Spendthrift owner Eric Gustavson: "The team at Spendthrift, including Wayne's daughter Tammy and me, would like to sincerely thank Santa Anita for renaming the Beholder Mile. To have B. Wayne Hughes's name attached to such a prestigious race, named after his best race mare at his favorite place is an amazing way to honor him."

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#### WIN WIN WIN FILLY TIES OBS UNDER-TACK **RECORD** by Alan Carasso

An Ocala Stud-bred and -consigned filly from the first crop of GI Forego S. winner Win Win (Hat Trick {Jpn}) equaled the record time for a quarter-mile breeze over the SafeTrack surface at the OBS sales grounds, covering the distance in :20 1/5 during the fourth and final preview for next week's OBS March Sale of 2-Year-Olds In Training.

"It wasn't a real surprise," said Ocala Stud's David O'Farrell. "She prepped very well last week, did it very easily and she's just a really, really good filly. She's got 'it'--she's got that 'it' factor. You really don't know exactly what you have until the final prep.

"She's powerful, very classy and very good-minded," he continued. "She came back to the barn after her breeze and just cooled out beautifully. She never turned a hair, she's very quiet and just great to be around. Every time you ask her for work, she lays it down for you. We were high on her at the farm, but when we got over here it completely translated. She's the real deal, she's fast."

Hip 788 is the latest foal out of their homebred Unanimity (Union Rags), whose own dam Lady Discreet (Boundary) was acquired by Ocala Stud for \$45,000 in foal to Phone Trick at the 2004 OBS Fall Mixed Sale.

A daughter of 1995 GI Alabama S. heroine Pretty Discreet (Private Account), Lady Discreet is a half-sister to Grade Iwinning sire Discreet Cat (Forestry), GISW Discreetly Mine (Mineshaft) and SW/MGISP Pretty Wild (Wild Again). For Ocala Stud, Lady Discreet produced MSW & MGSP Courtesan (Street Sense), the stakes-winning and stakes-producing Chary (Montbrook) and The Shady Lady (Quality Road), the unraced dam of undefeated GIII Holy Bull S. winner Hades (Awesome Slew) and SW Devious Dame (Girvin).



Hip 788 | Photos By Z

The second-fastest quarter-mile move Saturday was turned in by the Pick View LLC-consigned hip 686, a first-crop son of Game Winner (Candy Ride (Arg)) out of the Irish stakes-placed So Stylish (Johannesburg), who stopped the clock in :20 2/5. Bred by Mt. Brilliant Farm & Ranch, hip 686 was purchased by Pick View for \$40,000 at Keeneland September last fall.

A day after a pair of horses shared the :9 3/5 bullet for oneeighth mile breezes, no fewer than seven juveniles shared top honors when working in :9 4/5 Saturday. They include:

- Hip 670, a Catalina Cruiser half-brother to SP Motown Mischief (Malibu Moon) from Coastal Equine LLC (Jesse Hoppel);
- Hip 745, a filly by Uncle Mo out of 2018 GIII Forward Gal S. winner Take Charge Paula (Take Charge Indy) consigned by Top Line Sales LLC; Cont.

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#### OBS under-tack show, cont.

- Hip 780, a Bolt d'Oro filly whose dam Troublesome (Into Mischief) produced MSW Amidst Waves (Midshipman) from the draft of Wavertree Sales Inc (Ciaran Dunne);
- Hip 824, a colt by Mitole--Warrior's Way (Quality Road) from L. G., Agent;
- Hip 825, a New York-bred, May-foaled colt by Goldencents and a half-brother to SW Treasure King (Treasure Beach {GB}) from the consignment of Cesar Loya Training & Sales;
- Hip 840, a Top Line-consigned daughter of Liam's Map from the family of Grade I winners Harmony Lodge (Hennessy) and Pinehurst (Twirling Candy) and;
- Hip 844, a filly from the first crop by Instagrand (Into Mischief) out of a half-sister to Grade I-winning juvenile Noble's Promise (Cuvee) and from the family of GISW Saudi Crown (Always Dreaming) from the Eddie Woods draft.

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## FIRST MARES BRED TO DARLEY'S CODY'S WISH, PROXY SCANNED IN FOAL



Cody's Wish | Sarah Andrew

New Darley America stallions, champion **Cody's Wish** (Curlin) and **Proxy** (Tapit), have had their first mares scanned in foal.

Among the first mares bred to two-time GI Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile and recent Eclipse Award winner Cody's Wish is Kite Beach (Awesome Again), who is responsible for 'TDN Rising Star' and GII Rachel Alexandra S. victress Tarifa (Bernardini). The Grade Ilwinning second dam Tizdubai (Cee's Tizzy) is a full-sister to dual Breeders' Cup Classic winner Tiznow.

Proxy, a homebred son of the versatile Panty Raid (Include) who won the 2022 GI Clark S. and was third in last year's GI Breeders' Cup Classic, has gotten several mares in foal in his first month of covering, including Bursting in Air (Violence), a

half-sister to 12 winners from 13 to race, including Grade III-winning juvenile Exfactor (Exchange Rate) and SW Market Magic (After Market). This is also the female family of top sire Good Magic (Curlin).

Cody's Wish is serving his first book of mares for a fee of \$75,000, while Proxy's introductory stud fee is \$25,000.

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#### OKLAHOMA TRAINING TRACK TO OPEN APR. 18



Mike Kane photo

The Oklahoma Training Track at Saratoga Race Course will open Thursday, Apr. 18, officials at the New York Racing Association (NYRA) said, with the barn area opening to licensed trainers and staff from Monday, Apr. 15.

As Saratoga prepares to host the 2024 Belmont Stakes Festival June 6-9, the main track will open one month earlier than customary on Monday, May 6.

Due to the ongoing construction at Belmont Park, there will be significant changes to the usual NYRA training schedule. The Belmont main track will remain closed for training through the spring and summer as NYRA reconstructs the dirt surface and both turf courses while finishing the installation of a new one-mile synthetic surface. The Belmont training track, synthetic pony track and a jogging barn will be open for daily training throughout the spring and summer.

In light of the construction, NYRA is waiving all stall rental fees at Saratoga for the spring training season beginning May 6, assuming all trainer accounts are current through the end of 2023. **Cont.** 

#### Saratoga's Oklahoma track, cont.

The spring/summer and fall meets normally scheduled for Belmont Park will be run at Aqueduct, as previously announced.

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#### **GULFSTREAM BOOSTS SPRING/SUMMER PURSES**

Overnight purses for the upcoming Spring/Summer Meet at Gulfstream Park will be increased in all categories from open handicaps to \$6,250 claiming races with conditions.

Open handicap purses will rise from \$60,000 last season to \$74,000; \$6,250 claiming races with conditions will jump from \$17,000 to \$20,000; open allowances will be \$10,000 higher than 2023 levels, ranging from \$61,000 to \$63,000; entry-level allowances for Florida-breds will increase from \$43,000 to \$48,000; maiden special weight races will increase by \$10,000 to \$60,000; maiden special weight races for Florida-breds will go up from \$40,000 to \$48,000; maiden races for \$12,500 claimers will get a boost of \$6,000 to \$25,000; starter allowance purses will increase from \$3,000 to \$9,000 (from \$25,000 to \$49,000); and the purse for a \$50,000 claiming race for 3-year-olds will jump by \$9,000 to \$44,000.

"With the increased purses, grass racing, and our workers compensation program, Gulfstream is now the summer place to be," said Florida Thoroughbred Horsemen's Association (FTHA) President Joe Orseno. "We are able to offer better purses and we hope this will encourage trainers and owners to keep horses at Gulfstream Park through the non-championship meet. A big thank you to 1/ST management and the FTHA purse committee for negotiating this competitive purse structure."

Gulfstream will race four days a week from April to June and three days a week from July to November with turf racing throughout the spring and summer.

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#### Sunday, Santa Anita, post time: 7:11 p.m. EDT

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	PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
	1	Visually	Enticed	California Racing Partners, Ciaglia Racing LLC,	Barocio	Frey	120
				Fick Brothers Racing Inc., Dario Bernardi, and			
				George P. Monty			
	2	Mo Fox Givin	Mo Town	Woo Pig Stables	Powell	Prat	122
	3	Girl of My Dreams	Kantharos	Helm Racing Stable, Barbara Evenson and	O'Neill	Rispoli	120
				Jeffrey Lambert			
	4	Antifona (Fr)	Recoletos (Fr)	Hronis Racing LLC	Sadler	Berrios	120
	5	Medoro	Honor Code	C R K Stable LLC	Eurton	Fresu	124
	6	Zona Verde (Ire)	Calyx (GB)	Benowitz Family Trust, CYBT, McLean Racing Stables	D'Amato	Hernandez	124
				and Michael Nentwig			

Breeders: 1-ThoroughBred by Design LLC, 2-Liberty Road Stables, 3-Brookstone Farm & Lee Mauberret, 4-SARL Darpat France, 5-Parks Investment Group, LLC, 6-Knockainey Stud

The  $\top \square \$ 's Dan Ross is running the Brighton Marathon in honor of his late mother, Margo, to raise money for the Samaritans.



Margaret Ross, who passed away in March of 2023, dedicated many years of her life to the Samaritans, helping countless people along the way. And so, four of her children (Kevin, Tracey, lan and Dan), her grandson Mitch and his partner Lucy will run the Brighton Marathon on April 7, 2024, to help ensure the great work Margaret and her fellow Samaritans have done and continue to do at our local branch carries on well into the future.

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# NORTH AMERICAN RACING

### **SUNDAY'S RACING INSIGHTS:**

By J.N. Campbell



**Wootton Bassett** | Coolmore

# HOMEBREDS DEBUT AT GULFSTREAM, REIGNING KING'S PLATE WINNER RETURNS

2nd-GP, \$89K, Msw, 3yo, f, 1mT, 12:39 p.m. ET.

SF Racing's **MONT SAINT MICHEL (Fr)** (Wootton Bassett {GB}) makes her inaugural voyage for Brendan Walsh after she started her work regimen at Turfway in early December and then moved to Palm Meadows. The homebred is out of SP Black Dahlia (GB) (Dansili {GB}), who is also responsible for third place GI Breeders' Cup Mile runner Lope Y Fernandez (Ire) (Lope de Vega {Ire}).

Also making the post is Alpha Delta homebred **Highland Light** (Uncle Mo) for trainer Chad Brown. The dark bay's dam GSW Summer Raven (Summer Squall) produced GIII Holy Bull S. champ Winslow Homer (Unbridled's Song) and his full-brother GSW Misconnect. Her most successful offspring is MGSW/MGISP Lewis Bay (Berandini), who earned over \$1.1 million on the racetrack. **TJCIS PPS** 

### 9th-GP, \$91K, OC25k/N1X, 4yo/up, 1 1/8m, 4:07 p.m. ET.

Just before the Sunday finale in Hallandale, **Paramount Prince** (Society's Chairman) returns to the races after he took home last year's King's Plate S. at Woodbine. Trained by Mark Casse, the Sovereign 3-year-old male nominee is out of a stakes-placed dam who counts U.S.-based sire **Army Mule** as a half-brother. **TJCIS PPS** 





### IN ORDER OF PURSE:

**SILKS RUN S.**, \$106,000, Gulfstream, 3-9, 4yo/up, 5fT, :54.74, gd.

1--COPPOLA, 122, h, 5, Into Mischief--Blind Copy, by Distorted Humor. (\$800,000 Ylg '20 FTKSEL; \$105,000 3yo '22 KEENOV). O-Hammer Time Stable and S.O.K. Racing; B-Fifth Avenue Bloodstock (KY); T-Dale L. Romans; J-Edgard J. Zayas. \$60,140. Lifetime Record: 18-7-1-1, \$497,933.

### THINK INDIAN CREEK

(DH) 2--**Panther Island**, 122, h, 5, Speightstown--Holiday Blues, by Ghostzapper. (\$90,000 RNA Ylg '20 KEESEP; \$90,000 Ylg '20 FTKOCT). O-Golden Kernel Racing Stable; B-Forging Oaks Farm LLC (KY); T-Laura Cazares. \$14,550.

(DH) 2--**Yes I Am Free**, 120, g, 8, Uncaptured--Yes It's Valid, by Yes It's True. (\$135,000 2yo '18 OBSOPN). O-Golden Kernel Racing Stable; B-Sherry R. Mansfield & Kenneth H. Davis (FL); T-Laura Cazares. \$20,550.

Margins: HF, 1, 1. Odds: 7.10, 5.30, 11.00.

Also Ran: Big Invasion, Kanthari, Itsallcomintogetha, Rockcrest, Storm the Court.

The last-out winner of the Gulfstream Park Turf Sprint S. Feb. 10, Coppola had plenty of positive prior experience over the course and distance of Saturday's Silks Run S. The 7-1 shot kept in touch with Yes I Am Free (Uncaptured), never letting that pacesetter get too comfortable. As the top trio spun for the wire, Coppola swung outside of that rival and managed to run him down in the final sixteenth. Yes I Am Free dead-heated for second with Panther Island. **Cont.** 



"He ran like that before," said trainer Dale Romans. "He's so fast leaving there, you don't want to take him back all the time. But if there's a lot of speed and he can sit off of them, that's the best."

Coppola is out of a full-sister to Desi Arnaz S. winner Lucky Folie, herself the dam of GSP Ambitieuse (Medaglia d'Oro). Blind Copy has a 2-year-old by Authentic who was exported to Ireland, an Essential Quality yearling and was bred to Golden Pal for 2024. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

**CORRECTION S.**, \$100,000, Aqueduct, 3-9, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10.99, my.

1--HOT FUDGE, 122, m, 5, Liam's Map--Noelle's Mischief, by Into Mischief. (\$50,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP; \$235,000 2yo '21 OBSAPR). O-KEM Stables; B-Edwin Anthony (KY); T-Adam Rice; J-Kendrick Carmouche. \$55,000. Lifetime Record: 13-8-1-1, \$493,905.

### Yearling Purchase & 2YO Pinhook by ARCH BLOODSTOCK, LLC

### Royal Oak Farm Raised & Sold

- 2--Kant Hurry Love, 118, m, 5, Kantharos--She's All Love, by Langfuhr. (\$40,000 Ylg '20 FTKSEL). O-Ken Wheeler, Jr.; B-Dr. John M McDermott & Laura G McDermott (NY); T-David P. Duggan. \$20,000.
- 3--Starship Defiant, 118, m, 6, Empire Way--Bossy Belle, by Street Boss. (\$15,000 Ylg '19 FTCAYR). **1ST BLACK TYPE**. O/T-David Jacobson; B-Terry C. Lovingier (CA). \$12,000.

# Yearling Purchase & 2YO Pinhook by ARCH BLOODSTOCK, LLC Royal Oak Farm Raised & Sold

Margins: NO, 4, NK. Odds: 0.70, 3.40, 6.30.

Also Ran: Quick Munny, Secret Love, Risk Free, Music City Star. Scratched: Baba.

Hot Fudge continued to rack up wins during this current form cycle at Aqueduct as she won an optional claimer Dec. 1, the Garland of Roses S. Dec. 9 and then the Interborough S. Jan. 27.

The dark bay was rewarded with 3-5 favoritism here, but she was unable to secure the front. That spot went to Quick Munny (Munnings), who held sway until the top of the lane. As the pacesetter began to tire with a furlong left, Hot Fudge took aim at new leader Kant Hurry Love and nailed her at the wire.

"Hot Fudge, she will bring you to the hot spot, I'll tell you," said jockey Kendrick Carmouche. "I'm just a passenger. You see her at the wire stick her head out. She knows how to win. She is a winner."

The winner's dam is responsible for 2-year-old colt Bob's Carrot (Daredevil) and a yearling colt by Essential Quality. She was bred to Liam's Map for this season. Hot Fudge's second dam is GSW Lady Belsara (Boundary). Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.



**Hot Fudge** | Coglianese

ALLEN BLACK CAT LACOMBE MEMORIAL S., \$94,000, Fair Grounds, 3-9, 3yo, f, 1m 70y (off turf), 1:42.79, ft.

1--BA DEE YAH, 118, f, 3, by Uncle Mo

1st Dam: Pearl Turn (MSP, \$182,560), by Bernardini 2nd Dam: Turn Me Loose, by Kris S.

3rd Dam: Adoradancer, by Danzig Connection (\$485,000 Ylg '22 FTKOCT). 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-Gold Standard Racing Stable, LLC; B-Anderson Farms Ont. Inc. (ON); T-Thomas M. Amoss; J-Edgar Morales. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-1, \$102,338. \*1/2 to Gretzky the Great (Nyquist), Ch. 2-year-old Colt-Can, GISW-Can, SP-USA, \$379,866.

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2--Pursuit of Liberty, 118, f, 3, Constitution--Media Madness, by Empire Maker. (\$145,000 RNA Wlg '21 KEENOV; \$50,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP; \$170,000 2yo '23 OBSMAR). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Full of Run Racing II, LLC, Cold Press Racing and Frank Silva; B-RMJ Stables, LLC (KY); T-Brad H. Cox. \$20,000.

# CRESTWOOD FARM FOALED | RAISED | SOLD de Meric Sales Graduate | Trained by Tristan & Valery

3--Ms Quality Control, 118, f, 3, Quality Road--A Bit Special (GB), by Mukhadram (GB). (\$205,000 Ylg '22 FTSAUG; \$255,000 2yo '23 OBSMAR). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-James F. Schurman; B-RJB Bloodstock (KY); T-Brad H. Cox. \$10,000.

### Broken & Trained by KARL KEEGAN, LUCAN BLOODSTOCK

Margins: 5 3/4, 5HF, 4HF. Odds: 1.90, 0.80, 3.30. Also Ran: Emily's Bullet. Scratched: Doesn'thurttoflirt, Lady Helena, Pink Polkadots, Smiling Ellie, Tipsy Runner, Way to Be Marie.

Ba Dee Yah began her career on the grass last summer but broke her maiden in her third start when switched to the main track at Fair Grounds Nov. 24. Third behind the TDN's Top Kentucky Oaks prospect Tarifa (Bernardini) when last seen Jan. 20, Saturday's 9-5 second choice lined up facing only three rivals in a scratched-down field. Paced up front by Ms Quality Control, Ba Dee Yah stalked with a clear outside position, moved past that rival into the far turn and cleared off nicely down the lane to win going away over heavy favorite Pursuit of Liberty.

"We'd have been happy either way (on turf or dirt)," trainer Tom Amoss said. "It was a small field and Mr. Stone (owner) and I talked a lot about strategy. These kinds of races when no one really shows they want the lead, it's about strategy. Edgar executed a great strategy, stayed in perfect position and I think that made the difference."

He continued, "When I first came to the racetrack, I was 14 years-old, a freshman in high school. 'Black Cat' was the man. He was always kind to everyone, and he was kind to me."

The half-sister to Canadian champion 2-year-old Gretzy the Great (Nyquist), Ba Dee Yah is the 99th stakes winner for leading sire Uncle Mo. Her dam produced a 2-year-old full-sister to Gretzy the Great and a yearling colt by Medaglia d'Oro before returning to Uncle Mo for a full-sibling to Ba Dee Yah in 2024. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

**COLUMBIA S.**, \$75,000, Tampa Bay Downs, 3-9, 3yo, 1mT, 1:35.42, fm.

1--FULL NELSON, 118, c, 3, by Lord Nelson 1st Dam: Pretty Owl, by Into Mischief

2nd Dam: Simple Symphony, by Consolidator

3rd Dam: Avie's Song, by Lord Avie

**1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.** O-Gold Square LLC, Joseph R. Hardoon and Jose Francisco D'Angelo; B-Peachtree Stable (KY); T-Jose Francisco D'Angelo; J-Samy Camacho. \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 9-5-1-0, \$132,490.

2--Fulmineo, 118, c, 3, Bolt d'Oro--Starr of Quality, by First Dude. (\$90,000 Ylg '22 FTSAUG). O-Starlight Racing and Mark B. Grier; B-Country Life Farm & Starr of Quality LLC (MD); T-Arnaud Delacour. \$15,000.

## Bred by Country Life & Starr of Quality LLC (From Beginning to Winning)

3--Move to Gold, 120, c, 3, Twirling Candy--Brandy, by Unbridled's Song. (\$260,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP). O-Klaravich Stables, Inc.; B-Machmer Hall & Mr. & Mrs. Carrie & Craig Brogden (KY); T-Chad C. Brown. \$7,500.

# Marging 1.2/4 NK 1. Odds 2.00, 7.10, 2.50

Margins: 1 3/4, NK, 1. Odds: 3.90, 7.10, 2.50.

Also Ran: In a Jam, Quokka, El Principito, Tok Tok, Rose Collector, Two Ghosts. Scratched: Ninja Star.



Full Nelson | SV Photography

After beginning his career in the Saffie Joseph, Jr. barn, Full Nelson was claimed by Jose D'Angelo late last summer in his fourth start. Moved up to face winners, the son of Lord Nelson showed marked improvement when stepped up in distance from 5 1/2 furlongs to a mile and 70 yards. Entered Saturday for his stakes debut off three straight wins, including last out over course and distance Feb. 9, Full Nelson went off the 7-2 second choice and raced in the top flight behind Rose Collector (Collected) through a half in :46.97. With plenty of horse left turning for the wire, he kicked past the fading leader and stayed clear to the wire. A seventh stakes winner for the late Lord Nelson, Full Nelson has a 2-year-old Omaha Beach half-brother and a yearling half-sister by Not This Time. Pretty Owl was bred back to Army Mule for 2024. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

### ALLOWANCE WINNERS



#### IN ORDER OF PURSE:

2nd-Gulfstream, \$85,400, Alw (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$75,000), 3-9, 3yo, 1 1/16m (AWT) (off turf), 1:41.50, ft, 1 3/4 lengths.

SEMINOLE CHIEF (c, 3, Girvin--Secret Song, by Dunkirk) ended his juvenile campaign with a win in the restricted FTBOA Florida Sire In Reality S. before shipping north to contest the GIII Withers S. Feb. 3. Ultimately eased in that race, the 14-1 shot returned to Florida and added Lasix in this spot.



**Seminole Chief** | Ryan Thompson

Quick from the inside, Seminole Chief took the field gate to wire and was never truly challenged, coming home 1 3/4 lengths ahead of race favorite Oscar's World (Oscar Performance). Secret Song has a 2-year-old full-sister to this winner and returned to Girvin for 2024. Sales History: \$80,000 2yo '23 OBSOPN. Lifetime Record: SW, 5-3-0-0, \$254,435. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV. O-Brad Grady and David Grund; B-Brad & Misty Grady (FL); T-Jack Sisterson.

### Consigned by Bobby Dodd, Agent

7th-Aqueduct, \$82,000, Alw, 3-9, (NW1\$X), 4yo/up, 1m, 1:36.47, gd, nose.

EXPECTED VALUE (c, 4, Flatter--Midnight Visit {SW, \$141,140}, by Henny Hughes), a fast-closing third over track and trip at this level Feb. 10, resumed winning ways with blinkers on for the first time after a prolonged bid to reel in Vespucci (Empire Maker). Sent off as the 5-2 second choice in field of nine, Expected Value was outpaced early chasing fractions of :23.11 and :46.50 under Eric Cancel but the colt made a determined five-wide rally over sealed mud to prevail by a nose. Expected Value, who ran a late-rallying fourth behind Joey Freshwater (Jimmy Creed) in the GIII Bay Shore S. last Apr. 23, had returned from a lengthy break to resume racing on Jan. 13. He finished fourth in that muddy track entry-level allowance race over this course and distance. His stakes-winning dam also produced Midnight Union (Union Rags), dam of GISP Awake At Midnyte (Nyquist). He is a half-brother to the unraced 3-year old Hard Spun filly Hard to Get, who was hammered to Black Type Thoroughbreds for \$170,000 at 2022 KEESEP, and is Midnight Visit's last reported foal. Sales History: \$180,000 Wlg '20 KEENOV. Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-2, \$136,710. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Klaravich Stables, Inc.; B-Summerhill Farm & Ellen Chapman (KY); T-Chad C. Brown.

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6th-Gulfstream, \$72,000, Alw (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$75,000), 3-9, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m (AWT) (off turf), 1:42.16, ft, 3 3/4 lengths. HAPPY TOGETHER (f, 3, Speightstown--Coexistence {SP, \$219,023}, by Violence), a winner at first asking Nov. 10 in a main track, seven furlong maiden dash at this venue, ran last in her seasonal bow against optional claimers after a rough break Jan. 11 at the same distance. Originally scheduled for a turf route but moved onto the synthetic for this jump, Happy Together quickly took command and never looked back, coming home 3 3/4 lengths best over SP De Regreso (Audible). The first to race for Coexistence, Happy Together has a 2-year-old halfsister by War Front as well as a yearling half-brother by Maclean's Music. She is due to Epicenter in 2024. Sales history: \$425,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$67,920. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Lawana L. and Robert E. Low; B-Ashview Farm & Colts Neck Stables (KY); T-Todd A. Pletcher.

> Bred, Raised and Sold by ASHVIEW FARM Purchased by Jacob West Bloodstock

7th-Gulfstream, \$72,000, Alw (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$25,000), 3-9, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m (AWT), 1:50.43, ft, 2 1/2 lengths. LUCKY COMBINATION (f, 4, Ghostzapper--Lucky Number, by **Smart Strike)** broke her maiden in her turf debut at Tampa Feb. 11 and got back on the Tapeta for the first time since a third over the local course Dec. 17. Away alertly, she handled the tempo with Peace Seeker (Heatseeker {Ire}) keeping her company through a mild:50.19 opening half. Joined on the lead by Texas Shuffle (War Front) into the turn, she dug in to turn that rival back and slip away late for the 2 1/2-length win. Lucky Number, originally a \$775,000 KEENOV broodmare in 2015, is a half to GISW Got Lucky (A.P. Indy), herself the dam of SW/GSP Slip Mahoney (Arrogate) and MGSP Overtook (Curlin). This is the family of GI Kentucky Derby winner Super Saver (Maria's Mon). Lucky Number last reported a now 3-year-old Omaha Beach colt. Sales History: \$300,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-1, \$68,758. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Manzanita Stables, LLC; B-WinStar Farm, LLC (KY); T-Christophe Clement.





**Lucky Combination** | Ryan Thompson

**3rd-Turfway, \$69,839, Alw** (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 3-8, 3yo, 6f (AWT), 1:10.87, ft, 1/2 length.

JOE SHIESTY (g, 3, Air Force Blue--Ready to Unleash, by More Than Ready), last seen finishing third in the Jan. 6 Turfway Prevue S. and running off the screen by 12 3/4 lengths in his maiden breaker two back Dec. 21 against auction-restricted company, returned to his winning ways here with a frontrunning score. Comfortably on top after :21.74 and :43.94 early splits, he rolled home by a half-length over Perfect Prankster (Practical Joke). A half-brother to Johnny Unleashed (Colonel John), GSP, \$340,971, Joe Shiesty is the first winning addition for Ready to Unleash since that Graded runner. Their dam produced a 2-year-old Klimt colt, who is her last registered offspring thus far, and is due to Yaupon for 2024. Sales history: \$16,000 Ylg '22 KEEJAN. Lifetime Record: SP, 5-2-0-1, \$83,091. Click for the

**Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**O-Foster Family Racing, Lonnie Reynolds, Vicki Mills, and Donald Coomes; B-Rodney E. Orr (KY); T-Eric N. Foster.



Joe Shiesty | Coady

**5th-Gulfstream, \$54,000, (S), Alw** (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 3-9, 3yo, 1m 70y (AWT), 1:39.86, ft, neck.

CRYSTAL QUEST (c, 3, Uncle Mo--Giant Crystal, by Giant's Causeway) faced maiden optional claimers over the Tapeta and was well-beaten debuting in Hallandale Dec. 3. However, he cleared the condition by a length switching to the grass Jan. 28. A 7-2 shot here, the homebred settled mid-pack along the rail into the first turn. Under a hard hold up the backstretch, when it was time to go around the far turn, Crystal Quest gunned it down the center of the course and just before the wire caught Private Thoughts (Neolithic). The winner is a half-brother to American Giant (More Than Ready), MSW, \$143,550. A halfsister to sire Gemologist (Tiznow), Giant Crystal was a 2012 purchase during Keeneland November for \$450,000 by Live Oak. She produced Uncle's Gold (Uncle Mo), who is now a juvenile, and she foaled filly Covered in Crystal (Quality Road) last year. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$62,830. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O/B-Live Oak Stud (FL); T-Michael J. Trombetta.



### **IN ORDER OF PURSE:**

# INSIGHT Outcomes 💝

**6th-Oaklawn, \$115,000, Msw**, 3-9, 3yo, f, 1m, 1:39.65, my, 6 1/2 lengths.

LITTLE JAMIE (f, 3, Collected--Sudden Heat, by Congrats) ran at Keeneland, Churchill and in Hot Springs as a late juvenile, but was unable to graduate. Last seen as a well-beaten fifth at Oaklawn Feb. 2, the dark bay was installed as a 5-1 shot here. Showing speed from the bell, the homebred crafted some honest fractions through the backstretch, continued to extended her lead around the far turn and no one could touch her as she won by 6 1/2 over Flashy Dancer (Curlin). The winner is a half-sister to Music Street (Street Sense), GSP, \$295,274. Sudden Heat is responsible for 2-year-old colt Picaro (Maclean's Music) and a yearling colt by Good Magic. She was not bred for this year. Little Jamie's second dam is champion 3-year-old filly Xtra Heat (Dixieland Heat). Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-1, \$89,150. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O/B-J & J Stables (KY); T-Robert Medina.



Little Jamie | Coady Photography

**8th-Oaklawn, \$115,000, Msw**, 3-9, 3yo, 1 1/8m, 1:52.16, gd, 6 1/4 lengths.

NATIVE LAND (c, 3, Mastery--Janis's Joy {SP, \$128,989}, by Broken Vow), third on unveiling Jan. 13 at a mile over this main track and second over a sloppy surface Feb. 11, found himself further back then usual here when the early speed left him outrun going onto the backstretch. Moving five wide into the far turn, he unleashed an eye-catching turn of foot rolling into the lane and inhaled Yell County (Vino Rosso) for the lead, beating that one by 6 1/4 lengths. Native Land is the most recent winning addition for Janis's Joy, who also produced 2-year-old McDude (McKinzie) and a yearling colt by Tiz the Law. She was barren for 2024 after a visit to Girvin. Sales history: \$85,000 Wlg '21 KEENOV. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, \$103,500. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV. O-Cheyenne Stable LLC; B-Frankfort Park Farm (KY); T-Riley



**4th-Aqueduct, \$80,000, Msw**, 3-9, 4yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:16.54, ft, 4 3/4 lengths.

MAGIC EXPRESS (g, 4, Good Magic--Ask the Moon {MGISW, \$713,640}, by Malibu Moon) kept on gamely Feb. 14 after getting collared in the stretch on debut at Parx, and running a strong second. Trying the 6 1/2 furlong distance again for this second jump, he dueled Play (Kantharos) through the early part of the contest and promptly put that one away for the latter half, spinning into upper stretch on a clear lead.

He improved his advantage to 4 3/4 lengths over Cage Match (Gormley) on the wire. A well-bred son of multiple Grade I-winning Ask the Moon, Magic Express counts Belgrano (War Front), MSW & MGSP, \$544,261 and Sundaysatthebeach (Medaglia d'Oro), GSP, \$129,280 as half-siblings--the latter of whom is the dam of GSW First World War (War Front). The winner is his dam's last registered foal. Sales history: \$100,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$54,000. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV. O-Respect the Valleys, LLC; B-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC (KY); T-Brittany T. Russell.

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**9th-Aqueduct, \$80,000, Msw**, 3-9, 3yo, 1m, 1:38.03, my, 3 lengths.

SOCIETY MAN (g, 3, Good Magic--You Cheated {SP, \$160,254}, by Colonel John), most recently seen running far back Feb. 3 in the GIII Withers S., jumped here with first-time Lasix. Tthough reluctant to load and well off the pace behind :23.29 and :46.33 fractions, he swung through the turn in the four path and was rolling fast in upper stretch when the running started. Kicking clear from the overland route, he put a three-length margin on True Connection (Connect) to score. The winner has a 2-year-old half-brother Cheating Heart (Yoshida {Jpn}) as well as a 2024 half-brother by American Anthem. Sales history: \$85,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-1, \$56,705. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-West Paces Racing LLC, Gargan, Danny and GMP Stables LLC; B-SF Bloodstock LLC (KY); T-Danny Gargan.

### Hartwell Farm Graduate



Native Land | Coady

**1st-Aqueduct, \$77,600, Msw**, 3-9, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:10.60, ft, 1 1/2 lengths.

AUTUMN EVENING (f, 3, Malibu Moon--Lucky Long, by Lookin At Lucky) started her career Dec. 20 at Tampa in the barn of Daniel Damen, running fifth in the six furlong main track dash, and becoming the fourth next-out winner from that contest here. Moved to the barn of Rick Dutrow, the 8-1 longest shot on the board kept the pace honest and took over the lead inside the five-sixteenths marker. Shaking loose from firster Roman Grace (Munnings), Autumn Evening defeated the 3-2 favorite by 1 1/2 lengths. The first offspring for Lucky Long, the victress has a 2-year-old half-sister by Munnings as well as a 2024 half-brother by Mitole. Sales history: \$135,000 2yo '23 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$44,320. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-P and G Stable; B-Stoneriggs Farm (KY); T-Richard E. Dutrow, Jr..

**11th-Gulfstream, \$70,000, Msw**, 3-9, 3yo, 1m 70y (AWT) (off turf), 1:41.34, ft, 1 1/2 lengths.

HUNT BALL (c, 3, Into Mischief--Dance Card {GISW, \$502,200}, **by Tapit)** was the runner-up in his first two jumps in New York before finishing off the board in his most recent pair, including last out Feb. 10 in a six panel dash at this venue. Originally scheduled for the turf but taken off and run on the Tapeta here, Hunt Ball was in no rush from the back of the field and was called on for more entering the final bend. Muscling between rivals en route to their outside, he had to go even farther out for running room in the lane but relentlessly closed the distance to catch Annointed (Justify) to score by 1 1/2 lengths. Hailing from a deep family, the half-brother to Horse of the Year Cody's Wish (Curlin), Ch. Older Dirt Male, MGISW, \$3,106,030 and Endorsed (Medaglia d'Oro), MGSW, \$970,133 was the first offspring on the ground since 2018. Dance Card has since produced a 2-yearold Street Sense filly as well as a yearling filly by Gun Runner. She is carrying a full-sibling to Cody's Wish for 2024. Lifetime Record: 5-1-2-0, \$85,100. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

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

**Bridlewood Farm Training Graduate** 

### INSIGHT *Outcomes*

**4th-Santa Anita, \$67,500, Msw**, 3-9, 3yo, 6 1/2f, 1:15.75, ft, 4 1/2 lengths.

VLAHOS (r, 3, Kantharos--Must Be Dreaming, by Run Away and Hide) was quick into stride to lead through :21.47 and :43.69 splits as a fleet of pursuers lined up behind him. Edging away heading into the lane after 1:09.21 sailed by, Vlahos kicked away

from the well-regarded rivals behind him to win by 4 1/2 lengths over Feel the Magic (Good Magic). Santarena (Omaha Beach) did the best of the 'Insights' runners when finishing fourth as Winterfell (Arrogate) ran fifth and Pony Express (Gun Runner) faded to ninth. The first to the races for Must Be Dreaming, Vlahos has a yearling half-brother by Tiz the Law and their dam is due to Charlatan in 2024. Sales history: \$35,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$39,000. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV. O-Dan Northrup; B-John Bates, Ron Kirk & Greg McDonald (KY);

O-Dan Northrup; B-John Bates, Ron Kirk & Greg McDonald (KY), T-Luis Mendez.



Vlahos | Benoit

**5th-Fair Grounds, \$57,000, Msw**, 3-9, 3yo, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:45.11, ft, nose.

SAN SIRO (g, 3, Classic Empire--Catenaria, by Bernardini) was gelded before this jump after three unsuccessful priors attempts to break his maiden including at first asking when he ran behind SW Legalize (Constitution) Nov. 25 at Churchill Downs. Watching the race unfold near the back of the field, San Siro started rolling through the far bend and sustained his kick to run down Rock N Roll Bolt (Bolt d'Oro) by a nose. The winner has one other sibling, a 2-year-old half-brother by Complexity, who is the last registered offspring for Catenaria thus far. Sales history: \$80,000 Ylg '22 KEEJAN; \$150,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-1, \$46,800. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Andrew Farm, Mountmellick Farm, Ocean Reef Racing, White Mountain Stables and Stonecrest Farm; B-Frankfort Park Farm, Bemart, Equinow, Valle Falcone & K. Byrne (KY); T-Brendan P. Walsh.



**3rd-Sam Houston Race, \$33,000, Msw**, 3-8, 3yo, f, 1m 70y, 1:43.70, ft, 2 3/4 lengths.

CONNECTABLE (f, 3, Constitution--Soluna, by Tiznow) came in here with a bullet work to her credit Feb. 29, a five panel move in 1:02.02 (1/8) and the betting public was quick to swoop, crowning her the 2-1 favorite. Glued to the pacesetter as the lone horse making her debut, the chestnut was under consistent urging into the far turn, but summoned a second rally in the lane to kick away by 2 3/4 lengths as Get Ready Gal (Mor Spirit) overtook the runner-up spot. Connectable is the first to the races for Soluna, who also has a yearling Not This Time filly. She is due to Epicenter for 2024. Sales history: \$100,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP; \$190,000 2yo '23 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$19,620. Click for the Equibase.com chart.

O-Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC; B-Springhouse Farm (KY); T-Steven M. Asmussen.

**4th-Tampa Bay Downs, \$32,000**, Msw, 3-9, 3yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:17.56, ft, head.

VERY PRACTICAL (f, 3, Practical Joke--With Intention, by Mr. Greeley), unsuccessful in two prior jumps at Aqueduct on debut and last out Jan. 14 at Gulfstream Park, broke through here at 5-1 odds. In no rush from the rear of the field early, she made her bid from the three path around the turn and steadily marched home to win the photo with Qualificata (Malibu Moon). A half-sister to Maftool (Hard Spun), GSW-UAE, GSW-Eng, GSP-Tur, \$807,164, Very Practical is the most recent winning addition for With Intention. The mare has also produced a pair of Gormley fillies--a 2-year-old who was sent to Ireland in 2023 and a yearling filly. She is due to Hard Spun in 2024. Sales history: \$100,000 RNA Ylg '22 KEESEP; \$78,000 RNA Ylg '22 FTKOCT; \$180,000 2yo '23 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$20,215. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-West Point Thoroughbreds, Magic Cap Stables, Robert Abernathy and DeLynn Abernathy; B-Linda Griggs (KY); T-Claude R. McGaughey III.

### Coastal Equine C 352-207-2772

**5th-Tampa Bay Downs, \$32,000, Msw**, 3-9, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:37.13, fm, neck.

ALIMARA (FR) (f, 3, The Grey Gatsby {Ire}--Arctica {Ger}, by Iffraaj {GB}) made a pair of starts--one on grass and synthetic--in her native France last year and was second on both occasions before joining the Chad Brown barn. Racing with Lasix for the first time Saturday, the 9-5 favorite was nearly last from the gate and content to race near the rear markers up the backstretch. With a strong closing kick, she angled out past the quarter pole and was able to drive past Segesta (Ghostzapper)

late to win by a neck. A half-sister to Amellata (Fr) (Pomellato {Ger}), Hwt. Older Mare-Ger- at 5-7 f., SW-Ger, MSP-Fr, \$121,569, Alimara has a 2-year-old full-sister. Sales History: €55,000 RNA Ylg '22 ARQDOY. Lifetime Record: 3-1-2-0, \$29,451. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-First Row Partners; B-Appapays Racing Club (FR); T-Chad C. Brown.



### **IN SAUDI ARABIA:**

Badr, g, 5, Kitten's Joy--Red Lodge (SW), by Midshipman. King Abdulaziz, 3-9, Allowance, 2000m. B-Emirates Park Pty Ltd (KY). \*Won by 8 3/4 lengths. \*\*1/2 to Manaal (Aus) (Tassort {Aus}), MGSW-Aus, \$233,094. \*\*\*\$500,000 in utero '18 KEENOV. VIDEO (SC 16)

#### **IN NEW ZEALAND:**

Mahrajaan, g, 6, Kitten's Joy--Lahudood (GB) (Ch. Grass Mare-US, MGISW-US, SW & MGP-Fr, \$1,560,500), by Singspiel (Ire). Auckland, 3-9, G2 Auckland Cup, 3200mT, 3:24.38, gd. B-Shadwell Farm, LLC (KY). \*75,000gns HRA '22 TATOCT. \*\*1/2 to Aghareed (Kingmambo), SW-Fr.



### SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: SUNDAY, MARCH 10 2024 Stud Fees Listed

Calyx (GB) (Kingman {GB}), Coolmore Stud, €12,500 164 foals of racing age/29 winners/3 black-type winners 7-Santa Anita, 7:11 p.m. EDT, \$100K China Doll S., 1mT, Zona Verde (Ire), 5-2 30,000gns RNA TAT OCT yrl

Demarchelier (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}), Claiborne Farm, \$7,500 99 foals of racing age/20 winners/0 black-type winners 7-Gulfstream, 3:08 p.m. EDT, Msw 1 3/16m, Four Top, 6-1 \$30,000 FTK OCT yrl; \$140,000 OBS OPN 2yo 2-Gulfstream, 12:39 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Royal Wintour, 6-1 \$20,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$95,000 OBS OPN 2yo

### Enticed (Medaglia d'Oro), Darley, \$5,000

157 foals of racing age/30 winners/1 black-type winner 1-Aqueduct, 1:20 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, The Taco Lady, 4-1 \$33,000 KEE JAN wnl; \$95,000 RNA FTK JUL yrl; \$55,000 FTK OCT yrl; \$70,000 EAS MAY 2yo

7-Santa Anita, 7:11 p.m. EDT, \$100K China Doll S., 1mT, Visually, 12-1

\$15,000 KEE JAN wnl; \$23,000 OBS OCT yrl; \$20,000 OBS APR 2yo

### Force the Pass (Speightstown), Sau

37 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners 9-Tampa Bay Downs, 4:25 p.m. EDT, Msw 1 1/16mT, Latin Force, 20-1

\$3,500 MNS AUG yrl

**Leofric** (Candy Ride {Arg}), Darby Dan Farm, \$7,500 105 foals of racing age/10 winners/2 black-type winners 4-Aqueduct, 2:55 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Aelfgar, 4-1

Maximus Mischief (Into Mischief), Spendthrift Farm, \$25,000 231 foals of racing age/40 winners/3 black-type winners 3-Santa Anita, 5:00 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6fT, Raging Torrent, 3-1 \$27,000 RNA KEE SEP yrl; \$75,000 OBS APR 2yo

Omaha Beach (War Front), Spendthrift Farm, \$40,000 291 foals of racing age/32 winners/3 black-type winners 2-Aqueduct, 1:50 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6 1/2f, Allied Attack, 4-1 \$185,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$275,000 RNA OBS MAR 2yo 3-Santa Anita, 5:00 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6fT, Charge for Gold, 5-2 \$55,000 RNA KEE NOV wnl; \$60,000 OBS APR 2yo

**Solomini** (Curlin), McMahon of Saratoga Thoroughbreds, \$7,500 142 foals of racing age/17 winners/3 black-type winners 2-Aqueduct, 1:50 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6 1/2f, Solo in Paris, 15-1 \$22,000 OBS OCT yrl; \$15,000 EAS MAY 2yo

**Too Darn Hot (GB)** (Dubawi {Ire}), Dalham Hall Stud, €65,000 245 foals of racing age/32 winners/4 black-type winners 7-Gulfstream, 3:08 p.m. EDT, Msw 1 3/16m, Take Your Seats (Ire), 6-1 50,000gns TAT OCT yrl

Vino Rosso (Curlin), Spendthrift Farm, \$20,000 309 foals of racing age/35 winners/2 black-type winners 6-Tampa Bay Downs, 2:51 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, More Vino, 5-1 \$340,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$400,000 KEE SEP yrl World of Trouble (Kantharos), Hill 'n' Dale at Xalapa, \$5,000 129 foals of racing age/22 winners/1 black-type winner 3-Fair Grounds, 2:45 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2fT, Gordito Hermoso, 8-1

\$21,000 EAS OCT yrl; \$35,000 OBS APR 2yo 3-Fair Grounds, 2:45 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2fT, Gus's Dream World, 20-1

\$35,000 OBS OCT yrl

3-Santa Anita, 5:00 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6fT, Lawless World, 20-1 \$40,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$27,000 KEE SEP yrl 2-Aqueduct, 1:50 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6 1/2f, Lotsa Trouble, 9-2 \$70,000 OBS APR 2yo





### **ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**10th-Oaklawn, \$140,000**, 3-9, (NW1\$X), 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11.73, gd, 1 1/4 lengths.

AMERICAN BAND (m, 5, Flatter--Purim's Dancer {SW & MGSP, \$211,940}, by Purim) Lifetime Record: 8-5-2-0, \$193,455.

O-Haran Thoroughbreds, LLC; B-Gary & Mary West Stables Inc. (KY); T-John Haran.

**6th-Turfway, \$79,160**, (C)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 3-8, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m (AWT), 1:38.06, ft, head.

DANA'S BEAUTY (m, 6, Not This Time--City Siren, by City Zip)
Lifetime Record: SP, 36-7-4-8, \$279,817. O-Magic Oaks; B-John
Liviakis (KY); T-Joe Sharp. \*\$37,000 RNA Wlg '18 KEENOV;
\$47,000 Ylg '19 OBSOCT; \$70,000 2yo '20 OBSAPR.



**3rd-Turfway, \$73,481**, (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$25,000), 3-9, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:17.94, ft, 2 1/2 lengths. **EFFICACIOUS (m, 5, Cairo Prince--Causara, by Giant's Causeway)** Lifetime Record: 6-4-0-0, \$108,891. O-Gold Square LLC; B-Brian Kahn (KY); T-Brad H. Cox.

### **\$\SIX K's TRAINING & SALES GRADUATE**

**6th-Aqueduct, \$72,000**, (S), 3-9, (NW1\$X), 4yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:17.41, ft, 2 1/2 lengths.

LOCKE AND KEY (g, 5, Mr. Z--U R Key, by Albert the Great) Lifetime Record: 12-3-1-2, \$173,700. O/B-Backwards Stable (NY); T-James T. Ryerson. \*1/2 to Fire Key (Friesan Fire), MSW & GSP, \$743,785.

**9th-Turfway, \$71,848**, 3-8, (NW2L), 3yo, 1m (AWT), 1:37.90, ft, 8 1/4 lengths.

**EVENING NEWS (c, 3, Nyquist--Prieta, by Bernardini)** Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$84,600. O-Travin Stables; B-Charles H. Deters (KY); T-Michael V. Pino. \*\$300,000 Ylg '22 FTSAUG.

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**8th-Santa Anita, \$68,500**, (S), (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$20,000), 3-8, 4yo/up, 1m, 1:39.88, gd, 1 3/4 lengths.

BARELY FUNTIONAL (g, 4, Mrazek--Walkingonadream, by Tapit) Lifetime Record: 15-3-4-3, \$204,940. O/B-Reddam Racing, LLC (CA); T-Antonio C. Garcia. \*1/2 to Eddie's New Dream (Square Eddie), MSW & GSP, \$716,540; 1/2 to Jamming Eddy (Square Eddie), MSP, \$402,638.

**7th-Fair Grounds, \$60,000**, (C)/Opt. Clm (\$80,000), 3-9, 4yo/up, 1m 70y (off turf), 1:43.30, ft, 3/4 length.

SILENT POET (g, 9, Silent Name {Jpn}--Cara Bella, by Ghostzapper) Lifetime Record: 38-13-8-4, \$1,066,684.
O-Stronach Stables and Joel B. Hunsburger; B-Adena Springs (ON); T-Tanner Tracy.

**6th-Fair Grounds, \$59,000**, (S), 3-9, (NW3L), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11.22, ft, neck.

COPTER (g, 4, Country Day--Whirlie Bertie {GSW, \$205,449}, by Stormin Fever) Lifetime Record: 10-3-1-1, \$114,480. O-Maximo Lamarche and Federico Deltoro; B-Lora Pitre & Richard Klein (LA); T-Allen Landry. \*1/2 to Fleet Bertie (Afleet Alex), SP, \$167,197.

**7th-Laurel, \$53,900**, (NW2X)/Opt. Clm (\$32,000-\$40,000), 3-9, 4yo/up, 1m, 1:40.26, sy, head.

HAY CHIEF (g, 4, Brody's Cause--Aruban Truth, by Yes It's True) Lifetime Record: 20-5-3-2, \$169,440. O-Mi Patria Racing and J R Sanchez Racing Stable; B-Christopher Elser (VA); T-Rodolfo Sanchez-Salomon. \*\$18,000 Wlg '20 EASDEC.

**8th-Laurel, \$48,600**, (C), 3-9, (C), 4yo/up, 6f, 1:11.47, sy, neck. **HEAVEN'S GOT FIRE (h, 6, Heaven's Glory {Jpn}--Gypsy Fire, by Alex's Pal)** Lifetime Record: 17-2-6-4, \$136,665. O-Jose S. Rodriguez; B-Sheryl Grant (MD); T-Jose S. Rodriguez.

**4th-Penn National, \$41,213**, 3-8, (NW1X), 3yo, f, 1m, 1:39.56, ft, 1 length.

PAULA'S SURPRISE (f, 3, Munnings--Look Deep {SW, \$168,104}, by Petionville) Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$66,488. O-Tom Coulter; B-Arrowwood Farm, Inc. (PA); T-Bruce M. Kravets.

**2nd-Sam Houston Race, \$40,000**, (S), 3-8, (NW1X), 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:40.09, fm, 1 1/4 lengths.

MISSINGYOUCRAZY (f, 4, Bradester--Won Peso, by Victory Gallop) Lifetime Record: 11-2-3-2, \$85,795. O/B-Stephen L. Fidel (TX); T-Mindy J. Willis.

**5th-Sam Houston Race, \$40,000**, (S), 3-8, (NW1X), 4yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:19.07, ft, neck.

REASON OVER RICHES (f, 4, Brody's Cause--Tut's Treasure, by Untuttable) Lifetime Record: 12-3-2-1, \$80,909. O-BSF Equine Athlete LLC; B-Jerry D. Erickson (TX); T-M. Brent Davidson. \*\$32,000 Ylg '21 TTAYHR. \*\*1/2 to Mr. Kisses (Big Drama), MSP, \$358,072.

**5th-Penn National, \$40,000**, (S), (C)/Opt. Clm (\$25,000), 3-8, 4yo/up, 1m 70y, 1:42.83, ft, head.

WINDSOR GOLD (g, 5, Golden Lad--English Mum, by Congrats) Lifetime Record: 17-5-8-1, \$273,830. O-Shooting Star Stable (Anspach); B-Shooting Star Stable (PA); T-Kathleen A. Demasi. \*Full to Cinnabunny, MSW & GSP, \$370,560.

**8th-Sam Houston Race, \$40,000**, (S), 3-9, (NW2X), 4yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:18.83, ft, 2 lengths.

**ZAVALA** (g, 4, Hamazing Destiny--Blushing Sis {MSP}, by Giacomo) Lifetime Record: 9-3-3-0, \$90,298. O/B-Simmons & Associates Inc. (TX); T-Jayde J. Gelner.

**7th-Sam Houston Race, \$40,000**, (S), 3-9, (NW1X), 4yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:19.48, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.

**TEXAS HOLDEM (g, 5, Race Day--Lil Sweet Sea, by Warrior's Reward)** Lifetime Record: 16-3-4-0, \$74,898. O-Farmers Fillies Racing; B-Dan W. McGough (TX); T-J. R. Caldwell. \*\$4,000 Ylg '20 KEEJAN.

### **BOOKMARK**

http://www.thoroughbreddailynews.com/getLatest.php to download the latest edition of the TDN each day. **9th-Sam Houston Race, \$35,000**, 3-9, (NW2X), 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:38.81, fm, neck.

PHANTOM RIDE (c, 4, Candy Ride {Arg}--Spirit, by Indian Charlie) Lifetime Record: 16-4-2-1, \$115,977. O-MyRacehorse and Bloom Racing Stable LLC (Jeffrey Bloom); B-Peter E. Blum Thoroughbreds, LLC (KY); T-Steven M. Asmussen. \*\$160,000 2yo '22 OBSAPR.

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**5th-Sam Houston Race, \$34,500**, 3-9, (NW1X), 4yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:18.98, ft, neck.

**LUNA MOTH (f, 4, Ransom the Moon--Paladin Bay (GSW, \$607,316), by Sligo Bay (Ire))** Lifetime Record: 14-4-1-3, \$172,867. O/T-Steven M. Asmussen; B-Calumet Farm (KY).

**4th-Charles Town, \$31,300**, 3-8, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:19.86, gd, neck.

MISS STONES (f, 4, Bustin Stones--Pamafication, by Distorted Humor) Lifetime Record: 10-6-0-2, \$132,177. O-Robert L. Cole, Jr.; B-Jerry Bilinski, Roddy Valente & Rick Alfred (NY); T-Stephen Murdock.

**7th-Charles Town, \$27,400**, (S), 3-8, (NW2L), 3yo/up, 4 1/2f, :52.82, gd, 1/2 length.

**POWERED BY LOVE (g, 3, Midshipman--Game of Love, by Not For Love)** Lifetime Record: 8-2-2-0, \$46,824. O-Grams Racing Stable LLC; B-Tim & Judith Grams (WV); T-Timothy C. Grams.



Trainer Jade Cunningham (first from right), who worked under trainers D. Wayne Lukas, Dallas Stewart and Danny Pish before going out on her own last summer, was represented by her first career winner, Spankster (\$71.20), in Saturday's first race at Oaklawn. | Coady

### **HANDICAP RESULTS:**

**8th-Tampa Bay Downs, \$47,000, Hcp**, 3-9, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:22.04, ft, head.

STERLING SILVER (m, 5, Cupid--Sheet Humor, by Distorted Humor) Lifetime Record: MGSP, 20-7-3-3, \$692,988. O-Mark T. Anderson; B-Mallory Mort & Karen Mort (NY); T-Thomas Albertrani. \*\$13,000 Ylg '20 FTKSEL.

### **ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Anthem King**, c, 3, **Bolt d'Oro**--Valentine Rosie, by Curlin. Turfway, 3-8, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:45.77. Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-0, \$64,292. B-Frankfort Park Farm (KY). \*\$80,000 Wlg '21 KEENOV; \$300,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP.

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Cassius, g, 3, Classic Empire--Prosperity, by Tapit. Charles Town, 3-9, 7f, 1:27.83. Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-1, \$27,524. B-Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd. (KY). \*\$100,000 Ylg '22 FTKOCT.

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Newhart, c, 3, Medaglia d'Oro--She's Funny, by Tapit. Turfway, 3-8, (C), 1m (AWT), 1:38.98. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$22,417. B-Godolphin (KY). \*1ST-TIME STARTER.

Snowname, g, 3, The Big Beast--Snow Fashion, by Old Fashioned. Tampa Bay Downs, 3-9, 6f, 1:10.95. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$38,560. B-Karyn Philipp (FL). \*\$32,000 RNA Ylg '22 OBSOCT. \*\*1/2 to Montauk Daddy (Daddy Long Legs), SP, \$451,688 and Dreaming of Snow (Jess's Dream), SW, \$229,812.

Cut Him Loose, f, 3, West Coast--Harlan's Destiny (MSW, \$138,078), by Harlan's Holiday. Charles Town, 3-8, (S), 6 1/2f, 1:22.07. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$17,212. B-James Franklin Miller (WV). \*\$30,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP.

Fleet Feet, c, 4, Nyquist--Broken Blues, by Broken Vow. Santa Anita, 3-9, 6fT, 1:09.26. Lifetime Record: 10-1-1-1, \$65,400. B-Best A Luck Farm LLC & Best Foot Forward LLC (KY). \*\$100,000 Wlg '20 KEENOV; \$325,000 2yo '22 OBSAPR. \*\*1/2 to Dicey (Flat Out), MSW, \$420,917.

Candy On Top, m, 5, Twirling Candy--Candy Causeway, by Giant's Causeway. Golden Gate Fields, 3-9, 6f (AWT), 1:11.96. Lifetime Record: 22-1-4-5, \$135,650. B-C-Punch Ranch Inc. (CA).



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**Air Force Blue**, Joe Shiesty, g, 3, o/o Ready to Unleash, by More Than Ready. AOC, 3-8, Turfway

**Arrogate**, Tiny Temper, f, 4, o/o Don't Blame Me, by Blame. GII Azeri S., 3-9, Oaklawn

**Bolt d'Oro**, Anthem King, c, 3, o/o Valentine Rosie, by Curlin. MSW, 3-8, Turfway

**Bradester**, Missingyoucrazy, f, 4, o/o Won Peso, by Victory Gallop. ALW, 3-8, Sam Houston

**Brody's Cause**, Hay Chief, g, 4, o/o Aruban Truth, by Yes It's True. AOC, 3-9, Laurel

**Brody's Cause**, Reason Over Riches, f, 4, o/o Tut's Treasure, by Untuttable. ALW, 3-8, Sam Houston

**Bustin Stones**, Miss Stones, f, 4, o/o Pamafication, by Distorted Humor. ALW, 3-8, Charles Town

Cairo Prince, Efficacious, m, 5, o/o Causara, by Giant's Causeway. AOC, 3-9, Turfway

Candy Ride (Arg), Phantom Ride, c, 4, o/o Spirit, by Indian Charlie. ALW, 3-9, Sam Houston

**Carpe Diem**, Kinza, f, 3, o/o Secret Wonder, by Quality Road. GIII Santa Ysabel S., 3-9, Santa Anita

**Classic Empire**, Cassius, g, 3, o/o Prosperity, by Tapit. MSW, 3-9, Charles Town

**Classic Empire**, San Siro, g, 3, o/o Catenaria, by Bernardini. MSW, 3-9, Fair Grounds

Collected, Little Jamie, f, 3, o/o Sudden Heat, by Congrats. MSW, 3-9, Oaklawn

**Constitution**, Connectable, f, 3, o/o Soluna, by Tiznow. MSW, 3-8, Sam Houston

**Country Day**, Copter, g, 4, o/o Whirlie Bertie, by Stormin Fever. ALW, 3-9, Fair Grounds

**Cupid**, Sterling Silver, m, 5, o/o Sheet Humor, by Distorted Humor. HCP, 3-9, Tampa Bay

**Exaggerator**, Skippylongstocking, h, 5, o/o Twinkling, by War Chant. GIII \$100,000 Michelob Ultra Challenger S., 3-9, Tampa Bay

**Flatter**, American Band, m, 5, o/o Purim's Dancer, by Purim. ALW, 3-9, Oaklawn

**Flatter**, Expected Value, c, 4, o/o Midnight Visit, by Henny Hughes. ALW, 3-9, Aqueduct

**Ghostzapper**, Lucky Combination, f, 4, o/o Lucky Number, by Smart Strike. AOC, 3-9, Gulfstream

**Girvin**, Seminole Chief, c, 3, o/o Secret Song, by Dunkirk. AOC, 3-9, Gulfstream

**Golden Lad**, Windsor Gold, g, 5, o/o English Mum, by Congrats. AOC, 3-8, Penn National

**Good Magic**, Magic Express, g, 4, o/o Ask the Moon, by Malibu Moon. MSW, 3-9, Aqueduct

**Good Magic**, Society Man, g, 3, o/o You Cheated, by Colonel John. MSW, 3-9, Aqueduct

**Hamazing Destiny**, Zavala, g, 4, o/o Blushing Sis, by Giacomo. ALW, 3-9, Sam Houston

Hard Spun, Sparkle Blue, m, 5, o/o Silk n' Sapphire, by Smart Strike. GII Hillsborough S., 3-9, Tampa Bay

**Heaven's Glory (Jpn)**, Heaven's Got Fire, h, 6, o/o Gypsy Fire, by Alex's Pal. ALW, 3-9, Laurel

**Into Mischief**, Coppola, h, 5, o/o Blind Copy, by Distorted Humor. Silks Run S., 3-9, Gulfstream

**Into Mischief**, Hunt Ball, c, 3, o/o Dance Card, by Tapit. MSW, 3-9, Gulfstream

**Kantharos**, Vlahos, r, 3, o/o Must Be Dreaming, by Run Away and Hide. MSW, 3-9, Santa Anita

**Liam's Map**, Hot Fudge, m, 5, o/o Noelle's Mischief, by Into Mischief. Correction S., 3-9, Aqueduct

**Lord Nelson**, Full Nelson, c, 3, o/o Pretty Owl, by Into Mischief. Columbia S., 3-9, Tampa Bay

**Malibu Moon**, Autumn Evening, f, 3, o/o Lucky Long, by Lookin At Lucky. MSW, 3-9, Aqueduct

**Mastery**, Native Land, c, 3, o/o Janis's Joy, by Broken Vow. MSW, 3-9, Oaklawn

Medaglia d'Oro, Newhart, c, 3, o/o She's Funny, by Tapit. MCL, 3-8, Turfway

Midshipman, Powered by Love, g, 3, o/o Game of Love, by Not For Love. ALW, 3-8, Charles Town

**Mr. Z**, Locke and Key, g, 5, o/o U R Key, by Albert the Great. ALW, 3-9, Aqueduct

**Mrazek**, Barely Funtional, g, 4, o/o Walkingonadream, by Tapit. AOC, 3-8, Santa Anita

**Mucho Macho Man**, Mucho Del Oro, g, 6, o/o Repeta, by Broken Vow. GIII San Simeon S., 3-9, Santa Anita

Munnings, Paula's Surprise, f, 3, o/o Look Deep, by Petionville. ALW, 3-8, Penn National

**Not This Time**, Dana's Beauty, m, 6, o/o City Siren, by City Zip. AOC, 3-8, Turfway

**Nyquist**, Evening News, c, 3, o/o Prieta, by Bernardini. ALW, 3-8, Turfway

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**Nyquist**, Fleet Feet, c, 4, o/o Broken Blues, by Broken Vow. MSW, 3-9, Santa Anita

**Oscar Performance**, Red Carpet Ready, f, 4, o/o Wild Silk, by Street Sense. GIII Hurricane Bertie S., 3-9, Gulfstream

**Practical Joke**, Very Practical, f, 3, o/o With Intention, by Mr. Greeley. MSW, 3-9, Tampa Bay

**Race Day**, Texas Holdem, g, 5, o/o Lil Sweet Sea, by Warrior's Reward. ALW, 3-9, Sam Houston

**Ransom the Moon**, Luna Moth, f, 4, o/o Paladin Bay, by Sligo Bay (Ire). ALW, 3-9, Sam Houston

**Sharp Azteca**, Sweet Azteca, f, 4, o/o So Sweetitiz, by Grand Slam. Gl Beholder Mile S., 3-9, Santa Anita

**Silent Name (Jpn)**, Silent Poet, g, 9, o/o Cara Bella, by Ghostzapper. AOC, 3-9, Fair Grounds

**Speightstown**, Happy Together, f, 3, o/o Coexistence, by Violence. AOC, 3-9, Gulfstream

**The Big Beast**, Snowname, g, 3, o/o Snow Fashion, by Old Fashioned. MSW, 3-9, Tampa Bay

**The Grey Gatsby (Ire)**, Alimara (Fr), f, 3, o/o Arctica (Ger), by Iffraaj (GB). MSW, 3-9, Tampa Bay

**Twirling Candy**, Candy On Top, m, 5, o/o Candy Causeway, by Giant's Causeway. MSW, 3-9, Golden Gate

**Uncle Mo**, Ba Dee Yah, f, 3, o/o Pearl Turn, by Bernardini. Allen Black Cat LaCombe Memorial S., 3-9, Fair Grounds

**Uncle Mo**, Crystal Quest, c, 3, o/o Giant Crystal, by Giant's Causeway. AOC, 3-9, Gulfstream

West Coast, Cut Him Loose, f, 3, o/o Harlan's Destiny, by Harlan's Holiday. MSW, 3-8, Charles Town



Ba Dee Yah with Edgar Morales in the irons pulls away in the lane to win the 17th running of the Allen "Black Cat" Lacombe Memorial S. at Fair Grounds. Winning trainer Tom Amoss remembered 'Black Cat' fondly after the race, "He was kind to everyone and he was kind to me." See full result in 'Black-Type' section above. | Hodges Phoography