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SHAMROCKS IN THE BLUEGRASS: LESLEY AND TED CAMPION OF DUNDRUM



Ted, Rodger, Sive, Paddy and Lesley Campion

Courtesy Campion Family

by Chris McGrath

Among the dogs noisily bounding to inquire after your business at Dundrum Farm, one is really something special. Gordon, a big black schnauzer, lost his sight to blastomycosis a couple of years ago, but you would never know it: he scampers confidently along corridors, through doorways, even joins the reception committee outside.

"Until he gets on the grass," Lesley Campion explains. "Then he knows that he only has one stride, and has to stop. But no, he's a genius, that dog."

Certainly he couldn't exhibit a more certain sense of where he belongs, and much the same is true of Lesley and husband Ted. The separate paths by which they entered Kentucky's Irish diaspora have long since blended to make a home of away, and young Americans of their children.

Actually Lesley went back to Ireland to deliver the first: duly named Paddy, he has a dual passport and so might be registered with the (Ire) suffix. But while Rodger and Sive are native, the Irish in the Bluegrass have their own kinship. *Cont. p3*

\$375K UNCLE MO COLT HAS LATE STAR TURN AT OBS JUNE FINALE

by Jessica Martini

OCALA, FL - The Ocala Breeders' Sales Company's June Sale of 2-Year-Olds in Training got a late boost from its supplemental section when a colt by Uncle Mo brought the top price of \$375,000 during Friday's final session of the three-day auction. The 2024 June sale concluded with numbers just a tick off the sale's 2023 renewal. A total of 582 2-year-olds grossed \$21,386,800 during the three-day auction, with the average of \$36,747 down 2.2% from last year's figure. However, the median held firm at \$20,000.

Ramon Morales purchased Friday's session topper--and the sale's third highest-priced juvenile--on behalf of Marc Tacher from Julie Davies's consignment. *Cont. p6*

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O'SULLIVAN DREAMING OF BREAKTHROUGH ROYAL ASCOT VICTORY

Brian Sheerin checks in with trainer Ross O'Sullivan, who has a pair of runners set for Royal Ascot next week.

\$400,000 TIZ THE LAW FILLY LEADS THE WAY AT OBS JUNE OPENER

... A filly by **Tiz The Law** brought the top price of Wednesday's session, selling for **\$400,000** to Bill Childs. The juvenile was consigned by Tom McCrocklin, who topped the OBS Spring sale two months ago with another first-crop daughter of the Gl Belmont S. victor who sold for **\$1.9 million** to Michael Lund Petersen. TDN 6/13/24

First crop 2YOs also include **ENDURING SPIRIT**, a \$120,000 MSW winner at Churchill Downs



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TODAY in the





John Stewart of Resolute Racing purchased **Cheval de Guerre** (Caravaggio) at Keeneland's April Selected Horses of Racing Age Sale for a co-topping \$450k. The 2-year-old, pictured here with Kelly Wheeler aboard in Newmarket, is pointing towards the Listed Windsor Castle S. at Royal Ascot. | Emma Berry

10 | HOF RIDER JOHNNY V MOVES TO KIARAN MCLAUGHLIN

Jockey agent Kiaran McLaughlin, whose roster also includes recent GI Belmont S. winner Luis Saez, will now handle John Velazquez's book.

TODAY'S GRADED STAKES

ET RACE
4:55p Eatontown S.-GIII, MTH
5:13p Bed O' Roses S.-GII, AQU
5:54p Monmouth S.-GIII, MTH
6:22p Salvator Mile S.-GIII, MTH



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"When you're so far from your family, I think we're each other's support system," Lesley says. "We all have our own crew. We're all very like-minded. Really we're a bunch of random Paddies that happen to be in the horse game. We're just very familiar. And people that are familiar are more relatable, I think."

"I've been here so long now that Ireland's not 'home' anymore," Ted admits. "For years we assumed that we'd eventually go back. In fact, when we got married Lesley gave me another five years here. But now she likes it just as much as I do."

Admittedly the community lost a cornerstone with the death of Gerry Dilger four years ago.

"The Godfather!" exclaims Lesley. "There was a chap now, if ever you were in any little bit of a bind, he'd always go out of his way to help."

"Young guys especially," says Ted. "Whether working for him, or somebody else. He'd put them in for a leg of a horse, whatever. And so approachable. It was harder not to meet Gerry than meet him. But he was something else, bidding on a horse. He was tough to beat."

That being so, Ted ended up partners with Dilger on more than one horse, most famously in pinhooking a \$180,000 weanling from the first crop of Uncle Mo.

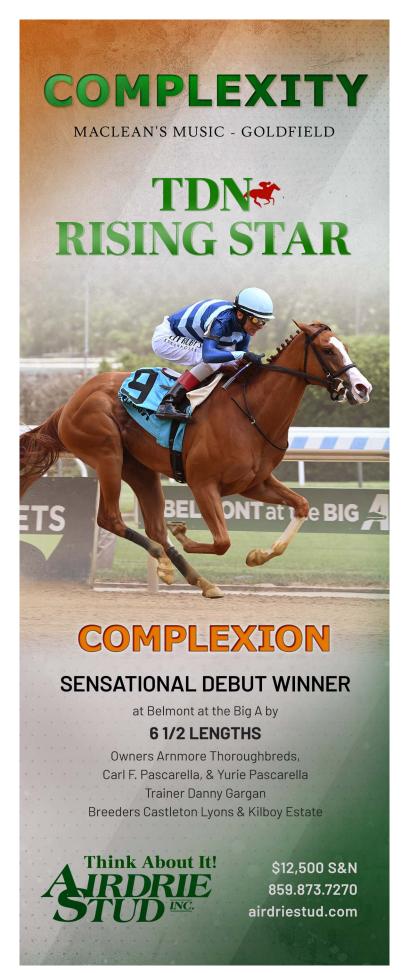
"That's my main thing, buying foals and selling them as yearlings, and normally it's with Pat Costello, Spider Duignan and Adrian Regan, kind of a syndicate," Ted explains. "But if one of us doesn't particularly like a horse, we have somebody put in for a leg. So with that one, it was myself and Pat that liked him. And in the back walking ring, you could see Gerry was interested. So I approached him and he took a half, and Pat and myself a quarter each."

The colt sold to another compatriot, Mike Ryan, for \$230,000 in the same ring the following September.

"So he only really washed his face," concedes Ted. "But he was a nicer foal than he was a yearling. The sales hit him at a bad time. He would have been a nicer horse in October, and even in July. He was just at kind of an awkward stage. But that's the way it goes sometimes."

Sure enough, he proceeded to make \$400,000 as a 2-year-old. Regardless, Ted can share credit for a champion juvenile and GI Kentucky Derby winner. For this, of course, was Nyquist. Having by then secured breeding rights, Darley invited the first trio to have believed in the colt to Churchill as their guests.

"So there I am in the win picture," Ted marvels. "It was great, something out of a fairytale. And my dad had been over for the Breeders' Cup in Keeneland, when he won the Juvenile, so he gave us a couple of great days out. *Cont.*





Nyquist | Sarah Andrew

Went through a lot of Irish hands, that horse: Mike bought him and sent him down to Niall [Brennan] in Florida. And of course we'd bought him from Timmy Hyde."

Which takes us back to where it all began for Ted.

"My father was a show-jumping rider in the Irish army, Chef d'Equipe for many years," he explains. "So he and Timmy competed against each other--Timmy did that as well as being a jockey--and became great pals. After leaving school I was kind of at a loose end, and one day I came home and my father had my bag packed: I was going to Timmy Hyde, like it or not. Luckily enough, it was the best thing that ever happened.

"Timmy had a great bunch of lads at the time: Eddie Fitzpatrick; Andrew Murphy, who's one of Aidan O'Brien's main guys; Noel Murphy; Eddie Kenneally. And of course Timmy himself's a great man. Wouldn't say too much, but you could just watch what he did. He only had a handful of mares, but all good quality, and then all the foals coming through. It was great times."

It was also Hyde who opened up the land of opportunity. In the late 1980s ,Ted found himself staying on after working the sales here, with Melinda Smith at Pegasus, to prep weanlings that Hyde was pinhooking with high-rolling partners. Indeed, they sold the last Northern Dancer under the hammer.

Then one night in McCarthy's, Ted met an Irish farm girl who was doing nine months at Creekview as part of her equine science degree at the University of Limerick. After graduating, Lesley returned to Lexington for a job at Hagyard's.

"My dad kept seven or eight mares, but only National Hunt, so when I came over and saw the professionalism of the Flat approach, I really enjoyed it," she recalls. "To get a visa you had to be something fairly specialized, so I was a vet tech at Hagyard's for seven years. Then on occasion, I'd also work the sales with Paramount, and found I had a bit of an affinity for

that. Much as I loved the job in Hagyard's, you were kind of capped in that there weren't a whole lot of places you could go with it. So when Pat was looking for somebody, I put my hat in the ring and I've now been there 16 years."

A couple of years after joining Paramount, moreover, she was able to open a parallel line. Nathan McCauley, whose father happened to be one of her clients, approached Lesley about claiming a Malibu Moon filly for \$7,500. Lesley agreed to go halves

"We got her on the Friday afternoon, and I had her sold over the phone by the Tuesday," she recalls. "So then I'm like, 'ding, ding'! We started flipping a lot of maidens: not even putting them in foal, just as they were. And then gradually we started parceling them up. We do a lot of no-guarantee seasons. It makes them more affordable, can increase your profit margin at the other side and gets you to horses you wouldn't otherwise."

In his own line of work Ted has also profited through their friendship with McCauley, who bred GI Starlet S. winner **Eda** (Munnings) from a \$24,000 Lemon Drop Kid mare. McCauley catalogued Eda for the November Sale, as a foal, and asked Ted to take a look at her. Ted was bought on the spot, promptly scratched her from the auction, and sold her for \$240,000 the following September.

There have also been times when McCauley would sell to Ted while staying in for a share.

"Especially when you have a rapport with people, there's never a contract--it's always just a handshake," Ted observes.

"Mostly with Irish people. But McCauley's an Irish name! And he acts like it. He's a lovely chap, and a very good scout."

The key to Dundrum, for Ted and Lesley, is that they have their own programs and keep them separate. They bought the farm 17 years ago, a 90-acre tract of Saxony Farm running down to the fabled Elkhorn Creek.



Lesley and Sive Campion | *Paramount Sales photo*



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"It's a great location. We're very lucky," Ted says. "We're 10 minutes to Keeneland, 10 minutes to Hagyard's, 10 minutes to the Horse Park. I keep 15 to 20 foals; and then Lesley has 10 or 12 mares that she'll claim or buy, and we'll get them pregnant. She picks all the mares, all the matings, everything, and then wheel them into November. That's her own gig, on top of what she does at Paramount, and I just help out on the manual side, drive the box and stuff like that. Essentially we keep out of each other's way as much as possible."

Ted's pinhooking syndicates, for their part, tend to focus on later foals.

"We can't afford a beautiful January or February foal by a top stallion," he reasons. "So historically, most of the foals we've bought have been April, May foals. They're not as furnished, but we see enough to hope that they'll come physically. We've been doing it a long time now, and we'd be more willing to take a punt that way because that's where we can find a smidge of value."

Both Lesley and Ted have to deal with market realities, however exasperating. Lesley, for instance, chooses covers

that might give her buyers a chance of "getting out in one go" if the mare throws a nice foal. If she's carrying a baby that might pay for the whole package, it takes the gamble out of the equation as much as possible.

"I mean, you have to play the game, I suppose," Ted says with a shrug. "Go against the grain, and you'll go broke. Certain sires, when we're looking for foals, you can't choose. It doesn't matter how nice the foal is, they won't be pulled out the following September. And Lesley's the same, when she's breeding. It's really not an option for us to say that if a horse doesn't work, we can race it. We have to keep the wheels turning. A couple of years making the wrong decisions, and you'd be very quickly done."

"But I think we also have to find some kind of a sweet spot, as regards the overbreeding," Lesley remarks. "We're definitely seeing it this year, with the second-year horses. They made hay last year, but now they're definitely struggling. Nobody was turned away; when they were freshmen, some were breeding almost 300 mares. But that's diluting everybody's worth. What's

rare is precious, so the more difficult it is to get into a horse, the more coveted the animal on the other side.

"People are looking for something as bulletproof as possible. They don't want risk. If you breed to a sire on the bubble, you're asking somebody else to take your gamble. And you'll be punished. Yet if you get into a coveted stallion, you'll be rewarded. So I think that farms are learning that they're nearly shooting themselves in the foot. They're weighting the



Eda | Benoit photo

numbers to get a leading freshman, simply by having so many foot soldiers, but I think it just dilutes the whole market."

She hesitates to revisit the controversies of a mare cap, but wonders whether even one of 200 for a freshman might yield a more sustainable demand the second year. And she also observes wryly how times of recession tend to prompt people back towards proven stallions.



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Sive and Paddy Campion | Fasig-Tipton

In a business where too many have arguably severed their decision-making from the racetrack, Ted can at least fall back on cutting his teeth as a groom for Charlie Whittingham. In those days, no less than stallions, even the top trainers would rely on quality rather than quantity. Ted reckons that of 27 horses in that barn at Santa Anita, 22 were stakes winners.

Lesley remarks that the disconnect between sales ring and winner's circle is also an issue in vetting.

"It drives me crazy," she says. "These lads come in and say, 'Well, that's not going to work.' But how, in your experience as a repro vet, are you going to tell me that this is not going to hold up at the track? Did I miss the part where you did 10 years at Belmont? You can't beat boots-on-the ground experience."

In the end, however, the abiding magic of the game levels out its frustrations. That includes the characters met on the way, seldom richer than among the Irish. Ted recalls Patsy Connelly, a stalwart in Hyde's service, holding a horse for one of those guys who go around with a tape-measure, putting every yearling on a spreadsheet: length of leg, back, withers, the works. "Well boss," said Hyde's man, "will he fit in your garage?"

It's these tales of the old country that reinforce the bonds between the expatriates of "County Kentucky." For even in embracing a new world, this community has always maintained its identity and solidarity.

"If somebody gets in a bind, we rally together," Lesley reiterates. "We'll have a fundraiser at McCarthy's or something. It's really something to be proud of. We show up for people. That means a lot."

"When friends or family come over and see how it works, when somebody gets sick or something, they're blown away," Ted says. "I have traveled around a bit now. I've lived in Tennessee, California, Florida. But I always loved Lexington. Any time I was away, I always wanted to be here. I don't know. It's

just a great spot, a great place to live."

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OBS Friday, cont. from p1

Earlier in Friday's session, the Green family's D. J. Stable went to \$325,000 to acquire a colt by Justify from the de Meric Sales consignment. The colt was one of five juveniles purchased by the operation at the June sale.

"I think there are good spots and there are soft spots," Jon Green said of the market this week in Ocala. "That's the way it's been for all of these auctions over the last couple of years. We are kind of waiting and picking our spots to aggressively bid on the top ones we like. At this sale, we probably have a strike rate of 33%, which means we are getting outbid on two out of every three horses that we like. So there is definitely a strong market in pockets and I think if you bring a nice horse to any of these auctions, you are going to get rewarded for it."

As the juvenile sales season in Ocala concluded, Greg Martin of Britton Peak said he was happy with his consignment's results this spring.

"Personally, it went well," Martin said. "I was very happy with the results all through the sales, March, April and June. It's like every sale, you bring quality and people are going to pay. For horses who work well and vet well--there are so many hoops you have to jump through--but at the end of the day, if you get past that last hurdle, people pay. You have to bring the right pedigree, you have to bring the right animal. But it's like anything else, if you bring the product, people will pay for it."

Britton Peak sold all six through the ring at the three-day June sale, led by a \$250,000 daughter of Munnings. The consignment also sold a colt by Tiz the Law for \$500,000 at the OBS Spring sale. *Cont.*



Uncle Mo colt (Hip 1021) | Judit Seipert





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Marc Tacher | Photos by Z

Looking ahead to the yearling sales, Martin said he plans to repeat the formula which has worked for him in the past.

"I am going to stick with what I've been successful with," he said. "If the right horses are there, people are on them. People are sharp. Once in a while, you will find a diamond in the rough, but most likely, you are going to have to pay. I am going to be cautious, I always am, and I will manage the risk."

Tacher Strikes Late for Uncle Mo Colt

With just a few hips left in the OBS June sale Friday, trainer Ramon Morales bid \$375,000 to acquire a colt by Uncle Mo (hip 1021) on behalf of Marc Tacher.

"Marc came last week and saw the horse and he loved him," Morales said. "We waited for him and are happy to get him."

Consigned by Julie Davies, the bay is out of stakes winner Kim K (Will Take Charge), a daughter of multiple stakes winner Trip for A.J. (Trippi). He was purchased by 3 Friends for \$185,000 at last year's Keeneland September sale and, supplemented to the June sale, galloped during last week's under-tack show.

Tacher's Sonata Stable enjoyed a runner-up effort with **Arzak** (Not This Time) last weekend at Saratoga in the GI Jaipur S. He purchased the 6-year-old for \$575,000 from Julie Davies's consignment at the 2020 OBS Spring sale.

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Justify Colt Joins D.J. Stable

A colt by Justify (hip 768) will be carrying the colors of the Green family's D.J. Stable and Robert Cotran after selling for \$325,000 early in Friday's final session of the OBS June sale. The juvenile is out of Intentonseduction (Street Sense), who is a daughter of Giant Mover (Giant's Causeway) and is a half-sister to graded winners Family Tree (Smart Strike) and Liora (Candy Ride {Arg}). Liora was second in the 2018 GI Kentucky Oaks and Family Tree's son Heroic Move won the recent GIII Steve Sexton Mile.

"When you are coming to any of these 2-year-old sales, you are looking for a couple of things," Jon Green said. "One is pedigree, the other is longevity as far as, is the horse going to run two turns. Certainly, this Justify colt checked both of those boxes. The horse is going to go to Joe Orseno, who has Hades for us and a number of other horses. He was not only the top horse on his list, but also on top of Mark Casse's list as well. We were happy to get him for the price we did."

West Bloodstock purchased the colt for \$45,000 at last year's Keeneland September sale. He was consigned by De Meric Sales.

"One of the strengths of the OBS June sale is that it gives horses that have a little bit of a problem or hit a bump in the road or have a stumble on the way, it gives them an opportunity to show what they can do without being pressed to try to do it earlier than they are ready," Green said. "This colt is a big, two-turn kind of horse and he would have not done as well, in my estimation, in March or April. He did have a couple of hiccups. He's over that and he looks like he will be able to go forward with us now as the races get longer."

D.J. Stable joined with Gary Barber a few hips later to acquire a filly by Maclean's Music (hip 783) for \$250,000, also from the de Meric Sales consignment.

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Catalogued	327	354
No. Offered	217	242
No. Sold	170	199
• RNAs	47	49
• % RNAs	21.6%	18.1%
High Price	\$375,000	\$475,000
• Gross	\$6,347,900	\$8,442,800
Average (% change)	\$37,341 (-12%)	\$42,426
Median (% change)	\$20,000 (-20%)	\$25,000
CUMULATIVE TOTALS	2024	2023
Catalogued	1027	1075
No. Offered	738	766
No. Sold	582	640
• RNAs	154	136
• % RNAs	19.7%	16.3%
High Price	\$400,000	\$485,000
• No. Over \$200k	12	11
• Gross	\$21,386,800	\$24,051,900
Average (% change)	\$36,747 (-2.2%)	\$37,581
Median (% change)	\$20,000	\$20,000

SESSION TOPPERS

OBS JUNE SALE FRIDAY'S TOP LOTS

HIP SEX SIRE DAM	PRICE (\$)
1021 colt Uncle MoKim K	375,000
(\$185,000 yrl '23 KEESEP)	
Breeder: Rockingham Ranch (Ky)	
Consignor: Julie Davies LLC, Agent XV	
Purchaser: Marc Tacher	
1017 filly VekomaGrace's Treasure	330,000
(\$160,000 yrl '23 SARAUG)	
Breeder: DIRICO, R&B (NY)	
Consignor: Hidden Brook, Agent IV	
Purchaser: Swinbank Stables	
0768 colt JustifyIntentonseduction	325,000
(\$45,000 yrl '23 KEESEP)	
Breeder: Corser Thoroughbreds (Ky)	
Consignor: De Meric Sales, Agent VII	
Purchaser: D. J. Stable LLC & Robert Co	tran

250,000

0783 filly Maclean's Music--Jamboree

(\$87,000 RNA yrl '23 KEESEP)

Breeder: Athens Woods (Ky)

Consignor: De Meric Sales, Agent V Purchaser: Gary Barber & D.J. Stable LLC

0969 filly City of Light--Never Give Up 150,000 (\$13,000 yrl '23 KEESEP)

Breeder: Colts Neck Stables (Ky)

Consignor: Little Farm Equine, LLC, Agent I

Purchaser: Donato Lanni, agent

1018 colt Vekoma--Happy Now 150,000 (\$195,000 RNA 2yo '24 EASMAY: \$155,000 yrl '23 FTKJUL)

Breeder: Deerfield Farm (Ky) Consignor: L.G., Agent II

Purchaser: Kimmel/Sallusto, agent

0843 colt McKinzie--Lily Con 135,000 (\$37,000 RNA 2yo '24 OBSAPR; \$100,000 yrl '23 KEESEP)

Breeder: Fred Hertrich, John Fielding & R Tribbett (Ky) Consignor: Grassroots Training & Sales LLC, agent

Purchaser: Randy Patterson

1005 colt Dialed In--Conquest Valkyrie 135,000 (\$115,000 RNA '24 OBSMAR; \$60,000 yrl '23 KEESEP)

Breeder: Nicholas M. Lotz, James M Christopher &

Brandon Courtney (Ky)

Consignor: Ordonez Thoroughbreds, Agent X

Purchaser: Dennis O'Neill

0808 filly Higher Power--Kodiac Gal (Ire) 120,000

(\$4,000 yrl '23 KEESEP)

Breeder: Bellary Bay Bloodstock (Ky) Consignor: 30-30 Ranch, agent Purchaser: Let's Go D. Stable

1009 filly Munnings--Desert Duchess 120,000 (\$130,000 yrl '23 FTKOCT; \$70,000 RNA wnlg '22 KEENOV)

Breeder: Sam Henderson (Ky) Consignor: Hoppel LLC, Agent VIII PurchaserL Mary Thomas



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HIP SEX SIRE DAM PRICE (\$)
717 colt Twirling Candy Hachi (Chi) 100,000

Consigned by Cruzin' Thoroughbreds, LLC, Agent I Purchased by Michael Maker

Andrea Stables purchased this colt for \$15,000 at last year's Keeneland September sale.

808 filly Higher Power Kodiac Gal (Ire) 120,000

Consigned by 30-30 Ranch, agent Purchased by Let's Go D. Stable

30-30 Ranch acquired this filly from the first crop of her Grade I-winning sire for \$4,000 at Keeneland last September.

870 colt Global Campaign Luna Rising 115,000

Consigned by Navas Equine Purchased by Eric Foster

Jonathan Navas's Navas Equine purchased this colt for \$27,000 at last year's Fasig-Tipton October sale.

969 filly City of Light Never Give Up 150,000

Consigned by Little Farm Equine, LLC, Agent I Purchased by Donato Lanni, agent

Store Ground was the name on the ticket when this filly sold for \$13,000 at last year's Keeneland September sale.

1017 filly Vekoma Grace's Treasure 330,000

Consigned by Hidden Brook, Agent IV Purchased by Swinbank Stables

Hidden Brook acquired this filly for \$160,000 at last year's Fasig-Tipton New York-bred Yearlings Sale.



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COMPETITIVE PEGASUS TOPS HASKELL PREVIEW DAY AT MONMOUTH



Hades winning the Holy Bull | Coglianese

by Alan Carasso

A trio of Grade III winners and the second-best New Jersey-bred 3-year-old in training are among a field of eight set to head to the post for Saturday's NYRABets Pegasus S., the final local prep for the GI NYRABets GI Haskell Invitational S. in five weeks' time.

The locally co-owned **Hades** (Awesome Slew) ran his record to a perfect three-for-three in the GIII Holy Bull S. Feb. 3, defeating the running-on **Domestic Product** (Practical Joke) and Eclipse Award-winning 'Rising Star' Fierceness (City of Light). After skipping what turned out to be a scratch-depleted GII Fountain of Youth S., won by recent GI Belmont S. hero Dornoch (Good Magic), Hades was a well-beaten fifth to Fierceness in the GI Curlin Florida Derby and one final crack at a Derby berth went by the boards when the gelding could do no better than seventh in the GIII Stonestreet Lexington S. Apr. 13.

Trainer Joe Orseno thinks he has Hades in good form for the return to action.

"After the Lexington, we found that he had a minor issue that was easily correctible," said the conditioner. "So we gave him a little time off and worked on him. We believe we have him where we want him again. I'm pretty excited about seeing him race again. We're hoping this is a good prep for the Haskell."

Domestic Product earned his ticket to the GI Kentucky Derby by virtue of his victory in the GIII Lambholm South Tampa Bay Derby in March, but he was only 13th in Louisville. The steady workmate of Sierra Leone (Gun Runner), the Klaravich homebred was under consideration for the GI Belmont S. for a time, but has been re-routed to this considerably easier test.

Cont.

"He's fresh right now, so we have that going for us. And the distance is perfect for him," said Luis Cabrera, who oversees the Brown string at Monmouth. "Chad has been talking about trying to get him to the Haskell so we'll see how he does Saturday."

The hulking **Uncle Heavy** (Social Inclusion), upset winner of the GIII Withers S. in February, seems the least likely of the graded trio, and would need to improve for his fifth in the GII Wood Memorial S. and sixth--at less than 8-1--in the GI Preakness S. last time.

Sea Streak (Sea Wizard) is the best sophomore bred in the Garden State not named Book'em Danno and exits a 7 1/4-length romp in the May 11 Long Branch S. Jairo Rendon looks to make it three wins from three rides aboard the gelding for trainer Eddie Owens, Jr.

Tuscan Sky (Vino Rosso) won the first two starts of his career from close range, but he was disappointing when seventh in the Wood last time. Todd Pletcher adds blinkers this time around.

In the afternoon's three graded events at the Jersey Shore, Spirit and Glory (Ire) (Cotai Glory {GB}) rates a narrow favorite in the GIII Eatontown S., a race in which she was an even fifth last year; Grand Sonata (Medaglia d'Oro) squares off with English Bee (English Channel) and 2022 GI United Nations S. hero Adhamo (Ire) (Intello {Ger}) in the GIII Monmouth S.; and the afternoon wraps up with the GIII Salvator Mile S., featuring the return to action of last year's GI Jockey Club Gold Cup victor Bright Future (Curlin).

In New York, **Flying Connection** (Connect) drops out of a third in the GI Derby City Distaff S. and clashes with course-and-distance GIII Distaff S. winner **Shidabhuti** (Practical Joke) and GIII Vagrancy S. victress **Leave No Trace** (Outwork) in the GII Bed O' Roses S.

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Leave No Trace | Coglianese

MCLAUGHLIN TO REPRESENT JOHN VELAZQUEZ



John Velazquez | Sarah Andrew

by Sue Finley

Jockey agent Kiaran McLaughlin will add jockey John Velazquez to his roster, which already includes Luis Saez, McLaughlin announced Friday on X.

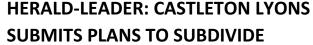
"It came about because Ron (Anderson) has three jockeys and he was only allowed two, so he reached out to me a few days ago and said would you be interested in Johnny," said McLaughlin, reached by the *TDN* Friday morning. "He said he thought we'd be a good match. After I talked to Luis, I said I said I'd be honored to take him."

Saez has won 93 races at over \$9 million in earnings this year, riding primarily at Churchill Downs. He will spend the summer at Saratoga where he won the GI Belmont S. aboard **Dornoch** (Good Magic) this past weekend, McLaughlin said.

Velazquez, riding on the New York circuit, has won 46 races and over \$5 million. He will also spend the summer in Saratoga.

"I'm honored to have both of them," said McLaughlin. "They're both great riders and great people."

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Castleton Lyons Farm has filed plans to subdivide over 1,000 acres of their farm into 16 individual lots, according to a story in the Lexington *Herald-Leader* on Friday.

The story says that the lots range from 40 to over 80 acres along Mount Horeb Pike. Castleton Lyons lies outside the urban service boundary, meaning that there are restrictions on the land use and lot sizes. *Cont.*



Castleton Lyons Farm | Castleton Lyons photo

The original farm dates back more than 200 years, and was purchased by Dr. Tony Ryan in 2001. It underwent major renovations, ad the breeding shed opened in 2004.

A review of the plan should come up at the July 3 Urban County Planning Commission subdivision committee meeting, the Herald-Leader reported, with the full planning commission eyeing the plans at their July 11 meeting.

Dr. Ryan, an Irish billionaire and the founder of Ryanair, died in 2007.

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KENTUCKY DERBY LONGSHOT HERO RICH STRIKE TO HEAD TO BILL MOTT



Rich Strike | Horsephotos

Rich Strike (Keen Ice), who upset the GI Kentucky Derby at 80-1 in 2022, is set to join trainer Bill Mott, according to owner Rick Dawson. Rich Strike was last seen finishing fifth for his former trainer Eric Reed in the 2023 running of the GII Alysheba

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S. at Churchill Downs.

"Richie visited Rood & Riddle this morning for his final ultrasound test," Dawson said in a Facebook post on Thursday. "All went as good as could be expected & better than expectations on several issues--our plan is to move him to HofF Trainer Bill Mott in a few days. Richie's training will be stepped up slowly & forwardly over the next month or two. Should he continue to stay sound after more training is implemented we will look for a first race that fits him coming back from over a vear off the track."

Withdrawn by Dawson from last year's Keeneland November Sale, Rich Strike subsequently underwent stem cell treatments--under the advice of Dr. Larry Bramlage--aimed at healing issues with his suspensory ligaments in his two front legs.

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KENTUCKY TRAINER O'CONNOR RETIRING

Rob O'Connor II, for nearly four decades a fixture on the Kentucky racing circuit, has announced his retirement from training, he told the Churchill Downs media office.

"There are so many people in this game that are unable to retire on their own terms and I'm very fortunate to say I'm able to do so," O'Connor said. Cont.



Rob O'Connor II | Churchill Downs photo

"This sport is so special to me and I'm so proud to have built a life in it. I've had a great career and was around so many dedicated owners throughout my time as a trainer. I just can't say enough how lucky I was."

Having taken out his license in 1985, O'Connor saddled his first winner in January 1986 with Lady Rolls at Latonia Race Track in Northern Kentucky. Over the course of his career, O'Connor recorded 477 wins from 3,696 starters for earnings of \$7.4 million. His final starter was Pat'schromecompass, who finished seventh at Tampa Bay Downs. O'Connor has since transferred much of his stable to trainer Greg Foley, a longtime friend. O'Connor was in attendance at Churchill Downs Thursday night when his former trainee Cox Canyon won a \$10,000 claiming event.

"I'm just so thankful and thrilled for everyone involved especially his owner Bruce McCrea," O'Connor said after the race. "Having my family here with me, along with the entire Foley family here, that's what life is all about."

O'Connor also trained privately for Louisville businessman James Bohanon. The duo was represented by American Dynasty, a stakes winner at Ellis Park and Turfway Park.

"I trained for Mr. Bohanon for nearly two decades," O'Connor said. "It was a true blessing because when I had horses for him, it was when my kids were growing up. I was able to be around my family which was very important."

In his retirement, O'Connor said he looks forward to spending more time with his family including his two young grandchildren Robert O'Connor IV and Parker O'Connor.

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Click on a **stallion's name** to learn more about them on their page on the farm's website.



TICKETS ON SALE FOR HORSE RACING WOMEN'S SUMMIT EVENT AT SARATOGA

Tickets are now on sale as the Horse Racing Women's Summit returns to Saratoga Springs, New York, for an educational networking event to be held Tuesday, July 23 at the National Museum of Racing and Hall of Fame, the volunteer organization said in release on Friday.

The proceedings include a keynote conversation with Lisa Lazarus, CEO of the Horseracing Integrity and Safety Authority (HISA), hosted by NBC Sports's Donna Barton Brothers.

Following the keynote, two panels focused on horse safety and aftercare are scheduled. Finally, Jane Lyon, owner of Summer Wind Farm, will engage in an open dialogue with HRWS founding member Stephanie Hronis.

"HRWS at Saratoga is a unique and exciting opportunity to join forces with women in horse racing," said Donna Brothers. "It's not just about hearing from top female leaders in the sport, but also about creating new connections. This event provides women who are new to racing with the perfect opportunity to connect with one another and these inspiring women as well."

The HRWS prioritizes events for the women of the backstretch communities and will once again collaborate with the New York Race Track Chaplaincy and The Jockey Club Safety Net Foundation to host a special event in Saratoga.

Women working in the backstretch community are invited to a gathering at the Marylou Whitney Pavilion on Monday, July 22, where they can have breakfast, receive a filled tote bag, have the opportunity to win raffle items and listen to a panel of speakers. Anyone wanting to make a contribution to the event can do so separately.

Click here for more information and to purchase tickets.

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HEAVY RAINFALL FORCES GULFSTREAM TO CANCEL SATURDAY PROGRAM

Out of an abundance of caution, Gulfstream Park has cancelled Saturday's program after several days of heavy rain in the South Florida area, the track said in a Friday afternoon release.

Training will resume Saturday morning at Gulfstream. The Powder Break S. and Wildcat Red S., scheduled for Saturday, will be brought back next weekend. Gulfstream's mandatory payout of the Rainbow 6, also scheduled for Saturday, will also be rescheduled to a later date.

The Silks Simulcast Room and Gulfstream Casino were open Friday and will remain open throughout the weekend.

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FANDUEL TV TO BROADCAST ENTIRE ROYAL ASCOT MEET FEATURING FOUR BREEDERS' CUP "WIN AND YOU'RE IN" RACES

FanDuel TV's coverage of the entire Royal Meeting at Ascot will begin at 9:00 a.m. ET with first post scheduled daily at 9:30 a.m. ET from Tuesday, June 18 through Saturday, June 22, the network said in a release Friday.

The broadcast team will include FanDuel TV's Scott Hazelton along with UK-based Nick Luck and Jess Stafford.

Over the course of five days, the slate includes four Breeders' Cup Challenge Races--the G1 Queen Anne S., the G1 Prince of Wales's S., the G2 Norfolk S. and the G1 Diamond Jubilee S. The winners will earn automatic berths into the GI FanDuel Mile, the GI Turf, the GI Juvenile Turf Sprint and the GI Turf Sprint, respectively.

"Once again, we are looking forward to providing full coverage of one of the premier international race meets of the year," said Kevin Grigsby, FanDuel TV executive producer. "Royal Ascot is always special on its own, and with increasing participation from US-based connections and key qualifying races for the Breeders' Cup, this is a must-watch event for racing fans."

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Hiles, who co-owns Time for Trouble with Thorndale Stable's Paul Parker of Paducah, KY. "We're going back in it this year, if he stays healthy. In order to do that, he's going to have to be on

top of his game, because those races are difficult. He's been a really good horse for us. He just doesn't stop."

The Claiming Crown Horse of the Year is voted on by the National HBPA's Industry Awards Committee chaired by Todd Mostoller, the Pennsylvania HBPA's executive director.

"Time for Trouble is a poster boy for how claiming horses, even at cheaper levels, can rise up to compete in racing's upper echelon with good horsemanship, a dream and some luck," said Todd Mostoller, the executive director of the Pennsylvania HBPA who also chairs the National HBPA's Industry Awards Committee. "These horses give smaller stables the hope that they, too, can some day land the proverbial Big Horse."

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TIME FOR TROUBLE NAMED 2023 CLAIMING **CROWN HORSE OF THE YEAR**

Time for Trouble (English Channel) has been named as the 2023 Claiming Crown Horse of the Year, according to a joint announcement from the National Horsemen's Benevolent & Protective Association (NHBPA) and the Thoroughbred Owners and Breeders Association (TOBA), co-founders of the Claiming Crown.

A two-time winner of the Kent Stirling Memorial Iron Horse, the 7-year-old was selected as the Claiming Crown Horse of the Year from the eight winners during last year's event at the Fair Grounds. Time for Trouble was also victorious in the 2022 running at Churchill.

An \$8,000 claim by trainer Jeff Hiles in June 2021, Time for Trouble has been effective on both turf and dirt, winning a muddy Oaklawn allowance on the heels of his Claiming Crown success this past January before finishing third in the GIII Essex H. Fourth in the GIII Ben Ali S. at Keeneland Apr. 20, he filled the same spot in last weekend's GII Suburban S. at Saratoga,





GRADED STAKES ENTRIES



Saturday, Belmont The Big A #10, post time: 5:13 p.m. EDT

BED O' ROSES S.-GII, \$200,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f

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PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Apple Picker	Connect	Michael Dubb	Russell	Velazquez	124
2	Big Pond	Mr. Big	George Krikorian	Mott	Alvarado	122
3	Accede	Into Mischief	Juddmonte	Brown	Ortiz, Jr.	118
4	Morning Matcha	Central Banker	LC Racing LLC, Cash is King LLC and Gary Barber	Reid, Jr.	Sanchez	122
5	Just Katherine 🖛	Justify	R.T Racing Stable	Jimenez	Franco	118
6	Flying Connection 🖛	Nyquist	Brad E. King, Randy Andrews, Chris Coleman			
			Jim Cone, Suzann Kirby and Lee Lewis	Atras	Santana, Jr.	122
	Hot Fudge 🖛	Liam's Map	KEM Stables	Rice	Cancel	122
8	Shidabhuti 🛪	Practical Joke	Peter M. Brant	Brown	Davis	124
9	Leave No Trace	Outwork	WellSpring Stables	Serpe	Lezcano	124
10	Beguine 🖛	Gun Runner	Charles T. Matses	Allard	McCarthy	118

Breeders: 1-Michael Dubb, 2-George Krikorian, 3-Juddmonte Farms Inc, 4-Crane Thoroughbred Services LLC, 5-Boyd Brooks, Louis Brooks Ranch LimitedPartnership, Hugh Owen, et al., 6-Liberty Road Stables, 7-Edwin Anthony, 8-Gabriel Duignan & Gerry Dilger, 9-Red Cloak Farm, LLC, 10-Charles T. Matses



Saturday, Monmouth #9, post time: 4:55 p.m. EDT

EATONTOWN S.-GIII, \$150,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Sacred Wish 🖛	Not This Time	Black Type, Swinbank, Adkisson, Dunn & Spinazzola	Weaver	Carmouche	120
2	Embrace Me 🖛	Candy Ride (Arg)	Mark T. Anderson	Rutledge	Castellano	118
3	Thirty Thou Kelvin	Bolt d'Oro	SJB Stable	O'Connell	Rendon	118
4	No Show Sammy Jo (GB)	Lope de Vega (Ire)	Bridlewood Farm & Madaket Stables	Motion	Ruiz	120
5	Damaso 🛪	Outwork	Perrine Time Thoroughbreds	O'Connell	-	118
6	Spirit And Glory (Ire)	Cotai Glory (GB)	M. Nentwig, M. Dubb, Beast Mode	Falcone, Jr.	Bravo	122
7	Tax Implications (GB)	Mehmas (Ire)	Klaravich Stables, Inc.	Brown	Prat	118
8	Ocean Club	Curlin	Glen Hill Farm	Sisterson	Lynch	122
9	Maman Joon (Ire)	Sea The Stars (Ire)	Amo Racing USA	Brown	Cheminaud	118
10	Tic Tic Tic Boom	Hit It a Bomb	R. J. Guill, G. J. Steigler & A. Bedard	Bedard	Olver	118

Breeders: 1-John R. Penn, 2-Stone Farm, 3-Horseshoe Racing LLC, 4-Fittocks Stud & St Albans Bloodstock Ltd, 5-Turnley Farms LA, 6-Dr Noel Cogan & Patrick Williams, 7-Aoife Kent, 8-Glen Hill Farm, 9-Barnane Stud Ltd, 10-Anita Nesser & BHMFR, LLC

Saturday, Monmouth #11, post time: 5:54 p.m. EDT MONMOUTH S.-GIII, \$150,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	California Frolic 🛪	California Chrome	Julian J. De Mora, Jr.	Avila	Jara	118
2	Beatbox 🛪	Pioneerof the Nile	Rob Comestro & Jeff Ganje	DeVaux	Camacho	124
3	Public Sector (GB) 🖛	Kingman (GB)	M. lavarone, J. lavarone & S.A. Joseph, Jr.	Joseph, Jr.	Lopez	118
4	Grand Sonata 🛪	Medaglia d'Oro	Whisper Hill Farm LLC	Pletcher	Castellano	118
5	Siege of Boston	War Front	Allen Stable, Inc.	Toner	Ruiz	118
6	Adhamo (Ire)	Intello (Ger)	M. Dubb, Madaket Stables LLC & L. Lazzinnaro	Brown	Prat	118
7	Fort Washington	War Front	Magic Cap Stables	McGaughey III	Carmouche	118
8	Tawny Port 🖛	Pioneerof the Nile	Peachtree Stable	Clement	Rendon	118
9	Running Bee	English Channel	Calumet Farm	Brown	Cheminaud	120

Breeders: 1-Steven Friedfertig & Taylor Made SalesAgency, 2-Three Chimneys Farm, LLC, 3-The Kathryn Stud, 4-Whisper Hill Farm, LLC, 5-Joseph Allen, LLC & White Birch Farm, Inc., 6-Wertheimer et Frere, 7-Joseph Allen, LLC & White Birch Farm, Inc., 8-WinStar Farm, LLC, 9-English Channel Co-Owners & GordonGilliam



Saturday, Monmouth #12, post time: 6:22 p.m. EDT SALVATOR MILE S.-GIII, \$150,000, 3yo/up, 1m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Sherlock's Jewel	Lea	Wharton Connell Racing LLC	McGaughey III	Cheminaud	118
2	Bright Future 🖛	Curlin	Repole Stable and St. Elias Stable	Pletcher	Castellano	118
3	Artorius	Arrogate	Juddmonte	Brown	Prat	120
4	Shirl's Speight	Speightstown	Charles E. Fipke	Attfield	Lopez	118
5	Oscar Eclipse	Oscar Performance	Woodslane Racing LLC	Lynch	Ruiz	122
6	Movisitor	Uncle Mo	Waldorf Racing Stables LLC	Montoya	Carmouche	118
7	Stage Raider 🖛	Pioneerof the Nile	John D. Gunther	DeVaux	Camacho	118
8	Coastal Mission	Great Notion	Coleswood Farm, Inc.	Runco	Bocachica	122

Breeders: 1-Wharton Connell Racing, LLC., 2-Clearsky Farms, 3-Juddmonte Farms Inc, 4-Charles Fipke, 5-Woodslane Farm, 6-Forgotten Land Investment Inc, 7-John D. Gunther, 8-Coleswood Farm, Inc.

Sunday, Santa Anita #6, post time: 6:00 p.m. EDT

SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO S.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo/up, 1 3/4mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Rimprotector 🖛	Point of Entry	Desimone, Jarnig or McCanna	McCanna	Frey	122
2	Rockemperor (Ire)	Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)	Madaket Stables LLC, Wonder Stables or Dubb, et al	D'Amato	Fresu	126
3	Offlee Naughty	Flashback	Daniell or Daniell	McCarthy	Hernandez	126
4	Bee Catcher	English Channel	Radley Equine Inc.	Blacker	Maldonado	122
5	Order and Law 🖛	Violence	Vernon E Dinges	Bell, II	Baze	126
6	Planetario (Brz)	Il Doge (Brz)	Red Rafa Stud, Inc.	Mandella	Berrios	126

Breeders: 1-Juddmonte Farms Inc, 2-Haras du Mezeray, 3-Gary & Mary West Stables Inc., 4-Calumet Farm, 5-Dell Ridge Farm, LLC, 6-Stud Red Rafa





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Saturday, Monmouth, post time: 5:24 p.m. EDT NYRA BETS PEGASUS S., \$150,000, 3yo, 1 1/16m

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PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Tuscan Sky	Vino Rosso	Spendthrift Farm LLC	Pletcher	Castellano	116
2	Just Step On It	Accelerate	Bran Jam Stable and Clark, David W.	Linder, Jr.	Haddock	116
3	Otello	Curlin	Siena Farm LLC and WinStar Farm LLC	Clement	Carmouche	122
4	Willy D's	Lookin At Lucky	Danny Brown, Charis Brenneman & Greg Compton	Compton	Bravo	116
5	Hades	Awesome Slew	D. J. Stable LLC and Cotran, Robert	Orseno	Lopez	122
6	Uncle Heavy	Social Inclusion	Milam, Michael and LC Racing LLC	Reid, Jr.	-	122
7	Domestic Product	Practical Joke	Klaravich Stables, Inc.	Brown	Prat	122
8	Sea Streak	Sea Wizard	Holly Crest Farm	Owens, Jr	Rendon	122

Breeders: 1-Sierra Farm, 2-Larry Goichman, 3-Siena Farms LLC, 4-Beau Lane, 5-Ocala Stud, Joseph M. O'Farrell III, David O'Farrell, et al., 6-Barbara Reid, 7-Klaravich Stables, 8-Holly Crest Farm

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NORTH AMERICAN RACING

COMPLEXION, HALF TO JACK CHRISTOPHER, A 'TDN RISING STAR' FOR COMPLEXITY



Complexion | Coglianese

Just a day after Win Win Win earned the first 'TDN Rising Star' of the freshman class with Nooni, he was joined by Complexity (by Maclean's Music) who picked up his fourth overall winner Friday and first 'Rising Star' when Complexion (Complexity--Rushin No Blushin, by Half Ours) dominated her debut at Aqueduct.

The half-sister to MGISW and young Coolmore sire Jack Christopher (Munnings), Complexion was a \$400,000 Keeneland September Yearling buy for Arnmore Thoroughbreds last year. Gunned from her outside draw under John Velazquez, she was a length clear within the opening jumps and looked to have the field completely put away. Longshot Silver Circle (Munnings) outran her 29-1 odds to keep tabs on the 6-5 favorite from second but Complexion easily turned that rival back off the turn and opened up, winning easily in the end by a geared-down 6 1/2 lengths.

Breeder Castleton Lyons purchased dam Rushin No Blushin for \$70,000 as a broodmare at Keeneland November in 2014 and the mare has seen four foals make the races of which GI Champagne S. and GI H. Allen Jerkens Memorial S. winner Jack Christopher is by far her most successful runner to date. Rushin No Blushin is herself a half-sister to MGISW and sire Street Boss (Street Cry {Ire}) and MGSP Habiboo (Unbridled's Song) who in turn produced both GSW Bellera (Bernardini) and GSW Life Imitates Art (More Than Ready). Complexion has a newborn half-brother by Munnings, making him a full-brother to Jack Christopher.



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———NEW——— TDN**♂ RISING STAR**

2nd-Belmont The Big A, \$90,000, Msw, 6-14, 2yo, f, 5f, :58.20, ft, 6 1/2 lengths.

COMPLEXION, f, 2, Complexity

1st Dam: Rushin No Blushin, by Half Ours 2nd Dam: Blushing Ogygian, by Ogygian

3rd Dam: Fruhlingshochzeit, by Blushing Groom (Fr)

Sales History: \$335,000 RNA Wlg '22 KEENOV; \$400,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$49,500. Click for the Equibase.com chart and VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV. Click

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O-Arnmore Thoroughbreds, LLC, Carl F. Pascarella and Yurie
Pascarella: B-Castleton Lyons & Kilboy Estate (KY): T-Danny

Pascarella; B-Castleton Lyons & Kilboy Estate (KY); T-Danny Gargan.





SHANCELOT'S MIDLAND MONEY A NEW 'TDN RISING STAR'



Midland Money | Benoit

The third 'Rising Star' to come out of the freshman sire class in just 24 hours (joining Win Win Win and Complexity), Midland Money (Shancelot--Magnolias In Bloom, by Flatter) became his sire's (by Shanghai Bobby) second overall winner Friday with a gate to wire win at Santa Anita.

A \$650,000 OBS March buy for CSLR Racing Partners LLC, the colt worked a quick furlong in :9.4 in Ocala to become the most expensive 2-year-old buy from his sire's first crop. **Cont.**

He'd already shown his propensity to be quick in the mornings, putting up back to back bullets on both May 20 (four furlongs in :46 1/5 {1/35}) and May 27 (four furlongs in :46 2/5 {1/41}) to earn the wagering public's 1-5 bet of confidence. Drawn conveniently outside, Midland Money came out of the gate on even terms with Smash It (Star Guitar) and that pair quickly separated themselves from the rest of the field. But the favorite was faster and opened up even on that rival into the turn through a quarter in :22.37. While it looked briefly as if Smash It might try to make a quarter-pole run, that moment was short lived and Midland Money came home under wraps in dominating fashion. Magnolias In Bloom, now the dam of two winners from three to race, foaled a filly by Spendthrift's GI Kentucky Derby winner Authentic this year.



6th-Santa Anita, \$54,500, Msw, 6-14, 2yo, 5f, :58.15, ft, 6 lengths.

MIDLAND MONEY, c, 2, Shancelot

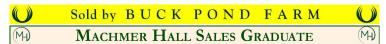
1st Dam: Magnolias in Bloom, by Flatter

2nd Dam: Atrea, by Storm Cat 3rd Dam: New Dice, by Capote

Sales History: \$40,000 Wlg '22 KEENOV; \$130,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP; \$650,000 2yo '24 OBSMAR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$32,400. Click for the Equibase.com chart and VIDEO,

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O-CSLR Racing Partners LLC; B-Memory Lane Racing, LLC (KY); T-Bob Baffert.



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SATURDAY'S RACING INSIGHTS: FULL-BROTHER TO FIERCENESS DEBUTS AT

AQUEDUCT by Stefanie Grimm

7th-BAQ, \$90K, Msw, 2yo, 5f, 3:40 p.m.

One half of the Repole Stable entry, **MENTEE** (City of Light) is a full-brother to '**TDN Rising Star**' and Champion 2-year-old Male Fierceness. Nonna Bella is herself a daughter of GISP Nonna Mia and a half to GI Wood Memorial S. winner and sire Outwork (Uncle Mo) while third dam Holy Bubbette is responsible for MGSW and sire Cairo Prince (Pioneerof the Nile).



GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile winner Fierceness | Benoit

Drawn outside for Todd Pletcher and John Velazquez, Mentee comes in off a best-of-20 work June 7 at Saratoga, going four furlongs from the gate over the Oklahoma track in :47 2/5.

Lined up in the middle of the gate, **Magical Bette** (Good Magic) is one of three fillies in the field taking on the boys. A \$600,000 yearling out of Fasig-Tipton's Saratoga Sale last year, she is a half to SW Blueblood (City Zip) and SW Gamble's Candy (Twirling Candy) while her dam is a half to MGSW Gamble's Ghost (Ghostzapper). **TJCIS PPS**

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IN ORDER OF PURSE:

NEW YORK STALLION S., \$150,000, Belmont The Big A, 6-14, (C), 3yo, f, 6fT, 1:09.03, fm.

1--SOLOSHOT, 118, f, 3, by Solomini

1st Dam: Sweet Queen (MSP), by Twirling Candy 2nd Dam: Kiawah Queen, by Lord At War (Arg) 3rd Dam: Polly Wally, by Our Native

(\$30,000 Wlg '21 FTNMIX; \$290,000 2yo '23 EASMAY).

O-Travis and Eddie Racing Stable; B-Rhapsody Farm LLC (NY);

T-Lolita Shivmangal; J-Irad Ortiz, Jr. \$82,500. Lifetime Record: 10-3-2-0, \$233,658.

2--Geopolitics, 118, f, 3, Central Banker--Liza Lu, by Menifee. (\$140,000 Ylg '22 SARAUG). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-J.W. Singer LLC; B-Spruce Lane, Mashnee, McMahon of Saratoga, Robbins, Copper Beech et al. (NY); T-William I. Mott. \$30,000.

McMAHON of Saratoga

3--Being Betty, 118, f, 3, Weekend Hideaway--Lady Joan, by Courageous Cat. **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O/B-Hilly Fields Stable (NY); T-Philip M. Serpe. \$18,000.

Margins: NO, NK, 1 1/4. Odds: 1.80, 1.35, 13.00.

Also Ran: Sohana, My Shea D Lady, Naughty Destiny, War

Terminatrix, Find Your Joy.



Soloshot (center) | Coglianese

Claimed earlier this year for trainer Lolita Shivmangal off of several poor efforts on the dirt, Soloshot made the switch over to the grass two back when second over course and distance April. 27 and fourth most recently May 24. The 9-5 second choice was caught behind the early speed but settled to be comfortable fourth through the opening quarter in :21.93 paced by Geopolitics. In a good spot off the turn, she angled between the leading pair and put in a strong rally in a tight spot to just nose out the early leader in a three-way photo finish. The win was the first stakes victory for Lolita Shivmangal.

"I expected her to run big, but I was nervous going into the race, because you know you get nervous before a big race," admitted Shivmangal. "I was very confident in her, and having Irad [Ortiz, Jr.] on, that she was going to run big, and she did it. I'm very proud of that little filly. Very, very proud of her."

One of four stakes winners for second-crop sire Solomini, Soloshot has a 2-year-old full-sister while her dam returned to the same stallion without producing a foal in 2023 or 2024. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.



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Jack Christopher (Munnings) was a "TDN Rising Star"



ALLOWANCE WINNERS



IN ORDER OF PURSE:

5th-Churchill Downs, \$127,000, Alw, 6-14, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT, 2:27.41, fm, head.

RELAMPAGO VERDE (g, 4, Bolt d'Oro--Colina Verde {Brz} {Ch. 3-year-old Filly-Brz, MG1SW-Brz, \$119,922}, by Know Heights (Ire)) won his first try on the turf at Keeneland two back going a mile in gate-to-wire fashion April 24. Third in a rained-off event at Churchill May 24, he got back on the grass Friday and stretched out the marathon distance for the first time. The 7-1 shot hugged the rail through an opening mile in 1:38.51 but needed running room off the final turn. Angled out to come after My Boy Tony (Noble Mission {GB}), he launched a sustained rally and just edged that rival on the line to win by a head. From a strong Brazilian family including his half-siblings Greenzapper (Ghostzapper), G1SW-Brz and Limonite (Lemon Drop Kid), MGSP, \$456,856, Relampago Verde's youngest sibling is a 2-year-old half-sister by War of Will. Sales History: \$220,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-2, \$86,995. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV. O-Walking L Thoroughbreds, LLC; B-Highlight Thoroughbreds & Haugh Stables LLC (KY); T-Kenneth G. McPeek.

4th-Santa Anita, \$57,310, (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 6-14, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:15.18, ft, 3 1/2 lengths.

JACKSTOWN (c, 4, Speightstown--No Name Needed, by Medaglia d'Oro) was a gate-to-wire winner in his Del Mar debut last July but went to the sidelines and only returned Friday with the addition of Lasix. The popular 2-5 choice, facing just four rivals, sat just off Leyas Candy (Danzing Candy) through the opening quarter in :22.16 before pouncing past around the far turn. The class of the field down the lane, Jackstown had plenty left to cruise home by 3 1/2 lengths over Brazenly (Grazen). No Name Needed has a 2-year-old filly and a yearling colt both by Complexity and foaled a colt by Speaker's Corner this year. Sales History: \$160,000 Ylg '21 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$81,000. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-SF Racing, Starlight Racing, Madaket Stable, Robert Masterson, Stonestreet Stable, Jay Schoenfarber, Waves Edge Capital & Catherine Donovan; B-McCann Bloodstock, B. Scott, E. Richards, Mark Kelder & Speightstown Syn. (KY); T-Bob Baffert.

Foaled & Raised by THOMAS THOROUGHBREDS

MAIDEN WINNERS

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Stakes-Winning Grads already in 2024!

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IN ORDER OF PURSE:

INSIGHT Outcomes



4th-Churchill Downs, \$120,000, Msw, 6-14, 2yo, f, 5f, :57.26, ft, 5 lengths.

VIGGIEDAL (f, 2, Vekoma--Minnelli, by Unbridled's Song), the 8-5 second choice behind 6-5 favorite Aurelia's Mischief (Into Mischief), enjoyed a sharp break and was able to get over to the rail and open up into the turn as the favorite fell back in mid pack. Clear into the lane, Viggiedal was home free and finished up under a hand ride five lengths ahead of Kimchi Cat (Twirling Candy) in second. Aurelia's Mischief, a daughter of Lady Aurelia, tired to finish fifth of six. The sixth winner for her freshman sire (by Candy Ride {Arg}), Viggiedal was a \$350,000 OBS March buy this year for CJ Stables. This is the family of Canadian Horse of the Year Alywow (Alysheba). The winner has a yearling half-brother by War of Will while her dam visited Omaha Beach for 2024. Sales History: \$160,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP; \$350,000 2yo '24 OBSMAR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-CJ Stables; B-George Bates Trustee (KY); T-Steven M. Asmussen.

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INSIGHT Outcomes

6th-Churchill Downs, \$120,000, Msw, 6-14, 2yo, f, 5f, :58.12, ft, 2 lengths.

DREAMGIRL (f, 2, Mo Town--Box Office Smash, by Dixie Union), a 12-1 longshot, kept pace outside of early leader Praying (Vekoma) right from the jump. The pair stayed head and head into the stretch but Dreamgirl was able to pull away in the final sixteenth as her rival began to tire to win by two lengths as Praying held for second. Out of a half-sister to GISW and sire Bee Jersey (Jersey Town), Dreamgirl is her dam's youngest sibling though she was bred to both Mo Donegal and Maximus Mischief for this year. Sales History: \$25,000 Ylg '23 FTKFEB; \$65,000 2yo '24 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV. O-Three Diamonds Farm; B-Mulholland Springs LLC (KY); T-Michael J. Maker.

GRASSROOTS Training & Sales MANNA Bred, Raised and Sold by Mulholland Springs &

2nd-Churchill Downs, \$92,000, Msw, 6-14, 2yo, 4 1/2f, :51.64, ft, 1/2 length.

LOUISIANA JESS (c, 2, Vekoma--Miss Jazebel, by Tale of the Cat), the narrow 5-2 second choice, took back to stalk race favorite The Toner (Maclean's Music) from just off the pace before switching outside of the rival to bid of the turn. The Toner hung around to the outside but Louisiana Jess was able to grind away on the rail for the half-length win. The fifth winner for her freshman sire (by Candy Ride {Arg}), she has a yearling half-brother by Imperial Hint and a newborn half-brother by Mo Donegal. Sales History: \$50,000 Ylg '23 FTKJUL. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O-Mansfield Racing; B-Clear Creek Stud LLC & Warren J. Harang (LA); T-W. Bret Calhoun.

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9th-Belmont The Big A, \$75,000, (S), Msw, 6-14, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:45.20, fm, 3/4 length.

BUNNY HONEY (f, 3, Demarchelier {GB}--Irish Sweepstakes {SP, \$189,677}, by Any Given Saturday) made two starts earlier this year in Florida for trainer Jeremiah O'Dwyer before changing barns and shipping to New York to join Chris Englehart. Trying her longest distance to date, the 8-5 favorite came from mid pack through fractions of :24.40 and :49.79. Unleashed off the turn, she fanned out to the center of the track and made a strong late rally to close for the three-quarter length win over Miss City Girl (Mucho Macho Man). Bunny Honey has a yearling

half-brother by Palace Malice and a newborn half-brother by Sky Mesa. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$46,030. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV. O/B-Roll the Dice Thoroughbreds LLC (NY); T-Chris J. Englehart.

2nd-Santa Anita, \$52,920, Msw, 6-14, 3, 4,/5yo, f/m, 1m, 1:40.48, ft, 6 lengths.

DESERT RHAPSODY (f, 3, Cairo Prince--Shady Reflection {SW-Eng}, by Sultry Song) made three starts as a juvenile and just missed out by a neck to be second at Del Mar before coming third behind '**TDN Rising Star**' Tamara (Bolt d'Oro) to end her season last August. Fifth in her 3-year-old debut going six furlongs, the 6-5 narrow second choice stretched out to the mile and pressed Magic Tip (**Good Magic**) from second. Up to take the lead off the turn, she turned that rival back and drew off coming home to win by six lengths over Hymnal (**Constitution**). Shady Reflection, also responsible for Cary Street (Smarty Jones), MGSW, \$381,515, last produced a 2-year-old Speightster filly. Sales History: \$35,000 Ylg '22 FTKJUL; \$120,000 2yo '23 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-1, \$53,320. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by FanDuel TV.**

O-Roadrunner Racing, Barbara Evenson and Jeffrey Lambert; B-Mineola Farm II LLC, Jim Geisler, James W. Hirschmann et al. (KY); T-Doug F. O'Neill.



IN SOUTH KOREA:

Daylight King, c, 3, Liam's Map--Daylight's Coming, by Stormy Atlantic. Busan, 6-14, Hcp. (C4), 1400m. B-James F Miller (WV). *\$37,000 Ylg '22 FTKOCT; \$72,000 RNA 2yo '23 OBSMAR; \$105,000 2yo '23 OBSJUN. **1/2 to Twirling Owen (Twirling Candy), SW, \$128,665; and Run to Daylight (Runhappy), MSW, \$187,756. VIDEO (SC 8)

IN RUSSIA:

Khornet, c, 2, Laoban--Bide a Wee Island, by Sligo Bay (Ire). Grozny, 6-14, Group 2 Race (NBT), 1200m. B-Julia B Rice (KY). *\$37,000 Wlg '22 KEENOV; \$60,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP. **Now has a record of 3-0-1 from four starts following a third consecutive victory. ***1/2 to Island Commish (Commissioner), GSW, \$269,605.

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Gun Free, f, 3, **Gun Runner**--Tapit for Free, by Tapit. Grozny, 6-14, Group 2 Race (NBT), 1600m. B-Gun Runner Syndicate, Pike Racing, C Grace Stables et al (KY). *\$72,000 Wlg '21 KEENOV. **Remained perfect in three starts.

Red Head, c, 3, Keen Ice--Bet On the Blue (GSP, \$243,798), by E Dubai. Grozny, 6-14, Group 1 Race (NBT), 1600m. B-Patrick J Ford DVM & Hal Snowden Jr (KY). *\$5,000 Ylg '22 FTKOCT.



IN AUSTRALIA:

Ring Me Up (Aus), f, 3, American Pharoah--Hoybell (Aus), by Encosta de Lago (Aus). Sunshine Coast, 6-14, Hcp., 2200mT, 2:22.67. B-Ingham Racing (NSW).



FIRST-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: SATURDAY, JUNE 15 2024 Stud Fees Listed

American Anthem (Bodemeister), Sierra Blanco Equine 24 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners 5-Ruidoso Downs, 4:44 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, F S Liberty Belle, 9-2 \$10,000 RUI NMY yrl

5-Ruidoso Downs, 4:44 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, W F American Honey, 15-1 \$21,000 RUI NMY yrl

Bodexpress (Bodemeister), Pleasant Acres Stallions, \$3,500 53 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners 4-Santa Anita, 5:32 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, Going Deep, 5-1 \$10,000 FTC AYR yrl

Complexity (Maclean's Music), Airdrie Stud, \$12,500 121 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners 7-Belmontthe Big A, 3:40 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, Ravenite, 8-1 \$20,000 KEE JAN wnl; \$100,000 KEE SEP yrl

McKinzie (Street Sense), Gainesway Farm, \$30,000 170 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners 4-Santa Anita, 5:32 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, Miss McKinzie, 6-1

Phantom Boss (Shackleford), Lovacres Ranch
7 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
4-Santa Anita, 5:32 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, Nostri Vires, 15-1
\$10,000 NCA AU yrl
4-Santa Anita, 5:32 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, Swift Harmony, 8-

4-Santa Anita, 5:32 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, Swift Harmony, 8-1 \$3,000 CTB AJA yrl

Runaway Ghost (Ghostzapper), Double LL Farms

26 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners 5-Ruidoso Downs, 4:44 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, Diamond Daisy, 12-1 \$3,200 RUI NMY yrl

5-Ruidoso Downs, 4:44 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, Ghostly Thunder, 3-1 \$9,500 RUI NMY yrl

5-Ruidoso Downs, 4:44 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, Moveslikaghost, 6-1 5-Ruidoso Downs, 4:44 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, Runawayflair, 9-1

Thousand Words (Pioneerof the Nile), Spendthrift Farm, \$5,000 123 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners 1-Prairie Meadows, 7:00 p.m. EDT, Msw 4 1/2f, La Lengua, 5-1 \$17,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$30,000 FTK OCT yrl

Vekoma (Candy Ride {Arg}), Spendthrift Farm, \$15,000 161 foals of racing age/6 winners/0 black-type winners 7-Belmontthe Big A, 3:40 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, Colloquial, 6-1 \$240,000 KEE SEP yrl

7-Belmontthe Big A, 3:40 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, Faster Gator, 12-1 \$50,000 KEE SEP vrl

SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: SATURDAY, JUNE 15

2024 Stud Fees Listed

Audible (Into Mischief), WinStar Farm, \$15,000
261 foals of racing age/50 winners/5 black-type winners
10-Santa Anita, 8:39 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Auditory, 20-1
\$17,000 RNA KEE NOV wnl; \$50,000 OBS APR 2yo
5-Monmouth, 2:52 p.m. EDT, Msw 1 1/16mT, Hot Route, 10-1
\$35,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$95,000 KEE SEP yrl
5-Churchill Downs, 7:57 p.m. EDT, \$175K Monomoy Girl
Overnight S., 1 1/16m, Lucky Speech, 12-1
\$105,000 KEE SEP yrl

Copper Bullet (More Than Ready), Darby Dan Farm, \$7,500 53 foals of racing age/14 winners/1 black-type winner 8-Lone Star, 5:51 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, King of the Disco, 6-1 \$10,000 TTA APR 2yo

Kentucky Wildcat (Tapit)

23 foals of racing age/3 winners/1 black-type winner 5-Ruidoso Downs, 4:44 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, Bonified Wildcat, 8-1 \$11,000 RUI NMY yrl

Omaha Beach (War Front), Spendthrift Farm, \$40,000 291 foals of racing age/40 winners/6 black-type winners 10-Santa Anita, 8:39 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Normandy Queen, 8-1 \$185,000 OBS APR 2yo Preservationist (Arch), Airdrie Stud, \$5,000 103 foals of racing age/29 winners/3 black-type winners 5-Churchill Downs, 7:57 p.m. EDT, \$175K Monomoy Girl Overnight S., 1 1/16m, Band of Gold, 9-2

\$70,000 KEE NOV wnl

Solomini (Curlin), McMahon of Saratoga Thoroughbreds, \$7,500 142 foals of racing age/22 winners/4 black-type winners 3-Gulfstream, 1:53 p.m. EDT, Msw 1 1/16mT, Jimbo Bailey, 12-1

Sporting Chance (Tiznow), A & A Ranch 45 foals of racing age/5 winners/1 black-type winner 5-Ruidoso Downs, 4:44 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, Not a Rehearsal, 7-2

Vino Rosso (Curlin), Spendthrift Farm, \$20,000 309 foals of racing age/58 winners/2 black-type winners 5-Hastings Racecourse, 7:30 p.m. EDT, \$50K River Rock Casino S., 6 1/2f, Avana, 2-1

\$60,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$100,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$150,000 OBS MAR 2yo

10-Monmouth, 5:24 p.m. EDT, \$150K NYRA Bets Pegasus S., 1 1/16m, Tuscan Sky, 5-2 \$200,000 FTK JUL yrl





ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

8th-Churchill Downs, \$139,605, (C)/Opt. Clm (\$100,000), 6-14, 3yo/up, 5 1/2fT, 1:02.74, fm, 1 length.

JUST MIGHT (g, 8, Justin Phillip--Dynamite Babe, by Dynameaux) Lifetime Record: MSW & MGSP, 54-13-12-10, \$1,273,700. O/B-Griffon Farms & Michelle Lovell (KY); T-Michelle Lovell.

8th-Churchill Downs, \$124,570, 6-13, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:48.13, fm, 1 1/4 lengths.

MOVIN' ON UP (f, 3, Accelerate--Stifle Yourself, by Cairo Prince) Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-0, \$137,260. O-Kenneth L Ramsey; B-Estate Of Harvey A Clarke (KY); T-Saffie A Joseph Jr.

8th-Laurel, \$64,575, 6-14, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:44.58, ft, 3 lengths.

SHAFT'S BULLET (g, 5, Mineshaft--Comet of Love {SW, \$266,805}, by Not For Love) Lifetime Record: SW, 12-6-3-1, \$277,630. O-Paul L. Fowler, Jr.; B-Athens Woods LLC (KY); T-Gary Capuano. *\$16,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP.

9th-Santa Anita, \$57,500, (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$100,000), 6-13, 3yo, 1mT, 1:34.52, fm, head.

CHARGE FOR GOLD (c, 3, Omaha Beach--Gasp, by Hennessy)
Lifetime Record: SP, 9-2-1-1, \$127,820. O-John P Warren; B-Brad
Shattuck (KY); T-Philip A Oviedo. *\$55,000 RNA Wlg '21
KEENOV; \$60,000 2yo '23 OBSAPR. **1/2 to Discovered
(Gemologist), SP, \$150,967.

1st-Santa Anita, \$56,500, (S), (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$20,000), 6-14, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2fT, 1:15.36, fm, 1/2 length.

SAFA (f, 3, Grazen--Hadarra, by Harlan's Holiday) Lifetime Record: MSP, 12-2-7-2, \$206,060. O-Souheil Bisharat and Khalil Khoury; B-Derek Lawson (CA); T-Gary Stute. *\$9,000 RNA Ylg '22 FTCAYR; \$23,000 2yo '23 CTBAJA.

7th-Laurel, \$55,945, 6-14, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2fT, 1:02.05, fm, neck.

ALLA BREVE (f, 4, Mendelssohn--Split It, by Curlin) Lifetime Record: 9-3-1-1, \$124,120. O-Runnymoore Racing, LLC; B-Sycamore Hall Thoroughbreds, LLC (MD); T-Michael R. Matz. *\$160,000 Ylg '21 EASOCT.

Broken and Trained by Randy Bradshaw

4th-Penn National, \$35,650, 6-13, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 5fT, :55.49, fm, 2 3/4 lengths.

BRADITUDE (g, 5, Talent Search--Exit Interview, by Notional) Lifetime Record: 20-4-1-2, \$98,541. O-Ronald W & Tyler Rogers; B-Glenn E Brok LLC (PA); T-Ronald W Rogers.

8th-Evangeline Downs, \$35,000, (S), 6-13, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:43.51, fm, 1 1/2 lengths.

HOUSE BOURBON (g, 3, Palace Malice--Bella Canzone, by Gio Ponti) Lifetime Record: 9-2-1-0, \$63,760. O-Dale White Sr; B-Craig Drago (LA); T-Allen Landry.

3rd-Canterbury, \$31,700, (NW2X)/Opt. Clm (\$20,000), 6-13, 3yo/up, 7 1/2fT, 1:28.01, gd, *7 1/4 lengths*.

GOLDEN BANDIT (g, 4, Midnight Lute--Scent of Gold, by Street Sense) Lifetime Record: SW, 13-3-3-0, \$132,900. O/B-Barry & Joni Butzow (KY); T-Coty W Rosin.

7th-Charles Town, \$27,400, 6-13, (NW2L), 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:20.95, ft, 4 1/4 lengths.

VINO DOLCE (f, 3, Vino Rosso--Conquest Rampage, by Quality Road) Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-0, \$27,604. O-Richard Burnsworth; B-Dr & Mr. Patrick Ford VMD & James Herbener Jr Estate (KY); T-Anthony Farrior. *\$85,000 Ylg '22 KEEJAN; \$20,000 Ylg '22 KEESEP; \$40,000 2yo '23 FTJUNE; \$13,000 3yo '24 FTDMAY. **1/2 to Fraudulent Charge (Will Take Charge), MSP, \$185,925.

COUNTRY LIFE & MERRYLAND From Beginning to Winning

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Live a Little, g, 2, **National Flag**--Bourgeois, by Awesome Again. Belterra, 6-14, (S), 4 1/2f, :54.69. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$15,004. B-WinBlaze, LLC (OH). *1ST-TIME STARTER.

Denises Dolly, f, 3, **Maimonides**--Not Much Money (SW), by Speak. Fair Meadows, 6-13, (S), 6f, 1:18.45. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$12,020. B-Charles Golden (OK).

O Mandy, f, 3, Mrazek--Mandy's Grace, by Bellamy Road. Santa Anita, 6-13, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:05.33. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-2, \$49,220. B-Reddam Racing LLC (CA).

Nesara, g, 3, Mr. Trieste--Victoria Shines, by Bring the Heat. Ruidoso Downs, 6-14, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:08.36. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$13,680. B-Derrick W. Jenkins (NM). *1ST-TIME STARTER.

Yo Banana Boy, g, 3, Practical Joke--Tizsomethingroyal, by Tizway. Belmont The Big A, 6-14, (S), 6f, 1:10.53. Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-0, \$60,869. B-Triumphant Trio (NY). *\$50,000 Ylg '22 FTKOCT; \$160,000 2yo '23 OBSAPR.

Secret Load, f, 3, Reload--Discreet, by Smart Strike. Woodbine, 6-13, (C), 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:18.42. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$32,699. B-Paul Buttigieg (ON).





Complexion (Complexity) was one of two 'TDN Rising Stars' Friday (click to watch)

Summer Commander, g, 3, Silent Name (Jpn)--Dancing Allstar (Ch. 2-year-old Filly-Can, GSW-Can, GSP-USA, \$517,217), by Millennium Allstar. Woodbine, 6-14, (C), 6 1/2fT, 1:16.09. Lifetime Record: MSP, 5-1-1-2, \$64,113. B-Trinity West Stables Ltd. (ON). *C\$55,000 Ylg '22 CANSEP. **Full to Summer Sunday, Ch. Female Sprinter-Can, MGSW, \$759,331; 1/2 to Trini Brewnette (Milwaukee Brew), MSW, \$273,956.

Style to Follow, f, 3, **Speightster**--Pursuing Fate (SP, \$109,150), by In Summation. Delaware, 6-14, 6f, 1:13.13. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$30,120. B-Best A Luck Farm LLC & Best Foot Forward Holdings INC. (PA). *\$40,000 2yo '23 OBSAPR.

Rabaja, c, 3, Summer Front--Scheme, by Tizway. Belmont The Big A, 6-14, (S), 1 1/16mT, 1:42.26. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$44,350. B-Song Hill Thoroughbreds LLC (NY).

Got Zip, g, 3, Tapiture--Plastique, by City Zip. Belterra, 6-14, (S), 1m, 1:41.72. Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-1, \$21,246. B-Mandy Lockard & Peter Sheppell (OH). *\$13,000 Ylg '22 FTKOCT.

Peek, g, 4, Candy Ride (Arg)--We Use to Sing, by Mineshaft. Churchill Downs, 6-13, (C), 7 1/2f, 1:29.14. Lifetime Record: 9-1-1-1, \$76,868. B-William L Pape (KY). *\$220,000 RNA Ylg '21 FTKOCT. **1/2 to Boxwood (English Channel), SW, \$262,800.

Alliston, f, 4, **Violence**--Western Rose, by Gone West. Woodbine, 6-13, 6 1/2fT, 1:15.85. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$39,027. B-Chiefswood Stables Limited (ON).

Burton Way, g, 5, Speightster--Pankhurst (SP), by Artie Schiller. Charles Town, 6-13, 7f, 1:27.51. Lifetime Record: 7-1-2-0, \$42,816. B-WinStar Farm LLC (KY). *\$30,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP; \$80,000 2yo '21 FTSANA.

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Accelerate, Movin' On Up, f, 3, o/o Stifle Yourself, by Cairo Prince. ALW, 6-13, Churchill Downs

Bolt d'Oro, Relampago Verde, g, 4, o/o Colina Verde (Brz), by Know Heights (Ire). ALW, 6-14, Churchill Downs

Cairo Prince, Desert Rhapsody, f, 3, o/o Shady Reflection, by Sultry Song. MSW, 6-14, Santa Anita

Candy Ride (Arg), Peek, g, 4, o/o We Use to Sing, by Mineshaft. MCL, 6-13, Churchill Downs

Complexity, Complexion, f, 2, o/o Rushin No Blushin, by Half Ours. MSW, 6-14, Belmont The Big A

Demarchelier (GB), Bunny Honey, f, 3, o/o Irish Sweepstakes, by Any Given Saturday. MSW, 6-14, Belmont The Big A

Grazen, Safa, f, 3, o/o Hadarra, by Harlan's Holiday. AOC, 6-14, Santa Anita

Justin Phillip, Just Might, g, 8, o/o Dynamite Babe, by Dynameaux. AOC, 6-14, Churchill Downs

Mendelssohn, Alla Breve, f, 4, o/o Split It, by Curlin. ALW, 6-14, Laurel

Mineshaft, Shaft's Bullet, g, 5, o/o Comet of Love, by Not For Love. ALW, 6-14, Laurel

Mo Town, Dreamgirl, f, 2, o/o Box Office Smash, by Dixie Union. MSW, 6-14, Churchill Downs

Mrazek, O Mandy, f, 3, o/o Mandy's Grace, by Bellamy Road. MSW, 6-13, Santa Anita

National Flag, Live a Little, g, 2, o/o Bourgeois, by Awesome Again. MSW, 6-14, Belterra

Omaha Beach, Charge for Gold, c, 3, o/o Gasp, by Hennessy. AOC, 6-13, Santa Anita

Palace Malice, House Bourbon, g, 3, o/o Bella Canzone, by Gio Ponti. ALW, 6-13, Evangeline

Practical Joke, Yo Banana Boy, g, 3, o/o Tizsomethingroyal, by Tizway. MSW, 6-14, Belmont The Big A

Reload, Secret Load, f, 3, o/o Discreet, by Smart Strike. MOC, 6-13, Woodbine

Shancelot, Midland Money, c, 2, o/o Magnolias in Bloom, by Flatter. MSW, 6-14, Santa Anita

Silent Name (Jpn), Summer Commander, g, 3, o/o Dancing Allstar, by Millennium Allstar. MOC, 6-14, Woodbine

Solomini, Soloshot, f, 3, o/o Sweet Queen, by Twirling Candy. New York Stallion S., 6-14, Belmont The Big A

Speightster, Style to Follow, f, 3, o/o Pursuing Fate, by In Summation. MSW, 6-14, Delaware

Speightstown, Jackstown, c, 4, o/o No Name Needed, by Medaglia d'Oro. AOC, 6-14, Santa Anita

Summer Front, Rabaja, c, 3, o/o Scheme, by Tizway. MSW, 6-14, Belmont The Big A

Talent Search, Braditude, g, 5, o/o Exit Interview, by Notional. ALW, 6-13, Penn National

Tapiture, Got Zip, g, 3, o/o Plastique, by City Zip. MSW, 6-14, Belterra

Vekoma, Louisiana Jess, c, 2, o/o Miss Jazebel, by Tale of the Cat. MSW, 6-14, Churchill Downs

Vekoma, Viggiedal, f, 2, o/o Minnelli, by Unbridled's Song. MSW, 6-14, Churchill Downs

Vino Rosso, Vino Dolce, f, 3, o/o Conquest Rampage, by Quality Road. ALW, 6-13, Charles Town

Violence, Alliston, f, 4, o/o Western Rose, by Gone West. MSW, 6-13, Woodbine





O'SULLIVAN DREAMING OF "MAGIC" BREAKTHROUGH ROYAL ASCOT VICTORY



Ross O'Sullivan: cracks a joke after Follow Me worked on the Curragh on Friday morning | Brian Sheerin

By Brian Sheerin

There are few people in this industry that you'll never hear a bad word spoken about. Ross O'Sullivan is one of those people. That is just about the greatest compliment that you can give a man who competes as fiercely, and successfully, as the trainer does. **Cont. p3**

SUMIHA WINS THE MUNSTER OAKS

by Tom Frary

Runner-up in this track's Listed Noblesse S. and in The Curragh's Listed Orby S. in her prior two starts this term, The Aga Khan's **Sumiha (Ire)** (Sea The Stars {Ire}) stepped up a notch on Friday evening to garner a breakthrough win in Cork's G3 Darley Munster Oaks. Anchored towards the back early by Chris Hayes, the Dermot Weld-trained relative of Sinndar (Ire) stayed on resolutely to collar **Trevaunance (Ire)** (Muhaarar {GB}) passing the two-furlong pole and register a 1 1/4-length success as the 11-8 favourite.

"It was run at a good gallop and was a true test, but she is a talented filly," Kris Weld said. "She deserved to win a race of that nature and is a lovely, kind-natured filly. She has had three relatively quick races now, so we'll freshen her up and look to the autumn."

Pedigree Notes

Sumiha is the third foal out of the G3 Derrinstown Stud Derby Trial runner-up Summaya (Ire) (Azamour {Ire}), whose listed-placed dam Simawa (Ire) (Anabaa) is a half-sister to the aforementioned Arc and Derby-winning European champion Sinndar. Cont. p5

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Babouche (GB) (Kodiac {GB}) is the fifth 'TDN Rising Star' for her Tally-Ho Stud-based sire after winning the opener at Cork on Friday. She is a full-sister to multiple group winner Zarinsk (GB). See page 6. | Racingfotos.com

6 | INSPIRAL AND AUDIENCE LIKELY FOR SEPARATE RACES AT ASCOT

Inspiral (GB) (Frankel {GB}) and Audience (GB) (Iffraaj {GB}) will likely be separated as they take park in next week's Royal Ascot.

7 | HOT DARLING CONFIRMED FOR THE ALBANY

Star Tattersalls Online alum Hot Darling (Ire) (Too Darn Hot {GB}) will run in the G3 Albany S. at Royal Ascot instead of the G2 Queen Mary S.

7 | COMMONWEALTH CUP NEXT FOR INISHERIN

Surprise G2 Sandy Lane S. hero Inisherin (GB) (Shamardal) will be supplemented to the G1 Commonwealth Cup S.

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O'Sullivan Cont. from p1

But something tells you that O'Sullivan would trade winning popularity contests for taking out big race prizes all day long and Royal Ascot would be a good place to start. The trainer has Warrior Brave (GB) (Twilight Son {GB}) and Follow Me (Fr)

(Shalaa {Ire}), two horses with contrasting profiles, to look forward to next week.

Warrior Brave is the definition of a fun horse. He has provided his American owner Eleanora Kennedy with some big days out and won three on the trot in Ireland last term. His odds of 50-1 for the Wokingham Handicap accurately reflects the lottery nature of what he faces in next Saturday's race.

Follow Me is a slightly different proposition. For starters, he has three years on his stablemate and

is very much a colt on the up, having won both starts for his new connections since joining from France last year.

A €170,000 purchase at Argana last November, Follow Me is

by far the most expensive horse that O'Sullivan has ever been sent, and a solid showing in the Britannia Handicap at the royal meeting would confirm the long-held theory that the trainer is well capable of maximising the potential of these higher-calibre horses.

"Tom Malone bought Follow Me at Argana," O'Sullivan explains. "In fairness to Tom, he sold a couple of jumpers belonging to [owner] Amanda Torrens last year and she just told him to keep an eye out for a nice Flat horse for her. Tom came back to her about six months later with this horse. He said Follow Me was a really nice horse and that he was worth trying to buy so we did. He had been placed in all five of his starts in France-and at good tracks as well-so his form was rock-solid as a two-year-old. He

was still a maiden, which was great, because we could start off in a maiden and keep building with him, which thankfully we have been doing." Cont. p4



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Lot 4 PHOENIX OF SPAIN

A 1/50th share in one of the leading 2nd season sires in Europe.

Lot 5 GENERAL ASSEMBLY (3yo c. Starspangledbanner)(G. Boughey)
Relished the drop to the minimum trip on his last start where he made all to
win heing eased close to home

Lot 6 2YO FILLY by KINGMAN x LAURENS (Oaks Farm Stables)
Unraced daughter of the outstanding racemare, six-time Group 1 winning
Laurens. In pre-training and ready to go with.

Lot 7 ROCK HUNTER (240 c. Expert Eye) (A. Murphy)
Three length winner on debut in Chantilly and a close 2nd on his last start
in the Listed National Stakes at Sandown. Royal Ascot: Norfolk Stakes/
Windsor Castle Stakes

Lots BERGAMASCO (3yo g. Cappella Sansevero) (J. Davison) A really consistent performer on the all weather, official rating 99, his ability to quicken should make him an attractive international prospect. Royal Ascot: Britannia Handicap Stakes Lot 9 QUEUES LIKELY (3yo f. Massaat) (J.S. Moore)
Progressed on every run in 2024, Group 3 winner and 2nd in the
German 1000 Guineas on her most recent start. Acts on any
surface and rated 104. Royal Ascot: Sandringham / Jersey Stakes

Lot 10 FRANCISCO'S PIECE (2yo c. Mayson) (A. Keatley)
Two wins at 2 including and an impressive Listed winner in
Chantilly, Timeform rated 96. Royal Ascot: Norfolk Stakes/
Coventru Stakes

Lot 11 SPARKLING PLENTY (3yo f. Kingman) (P. Cottier) Winner of the Gr. 2 Prix de Sandringham in Chantilly, a full sister to Jersey Stakes winner Noble Truth, she is a filly of the highest order and a leading contender for the Gr. 1 Prix de Diane.

Lot 12 Withdrawn

Lot 13 ROCK N ROLL ROCKET (2yo c. Far Above) (Mrs J. Harrington) Good ground performer whose win in a Cork Maiden accounted for multiple subsequent winners that are targeting Royal Ascot. Royal Ascot. Windsor Castle Stakes

Lot 14 TARAF (3yo c. Churchill) (D.K. Weld)
This lightly raced colt looks a high-class prospect having chased home Derby placed Los Angeles in the Derby Trial Group 3 at Leopardstown on his only start of the season. Royal Ascot: Hampton Court Stakes

Lot 15 PENTLE BAY (2yo. c. New Bay) (G. Boughey)
An eye-catching winner on debut at Leicester and noted by
Timeform as a "useful prospect". Every credential to be a
Chesham contender. Royal Ascot: Chesham Stakes

Lot 16 TAKE ME TO CHURCH (3yoc. Churchill) (J. Davison) Winner of the Madrid Handicap at Naas on his opening turf race of 2024, when he "picked up impressively". His most recent subsequent run in the Irish 2000 Guineas makes him an attractive international prospect. Royal Ascot: Jersey Stakes

Lot 17 COOL DIVIDEND (3yo g. Profitable) (C. Cox) Very good-looking horse who progressed from his seasonal debut when winning by 2 lengths on his latest start in Haydock. Timeform rated 97. Lot 18 MINA RASHID (3yo c. Almanzor) (A. Balding)
Progressed from her debut to defeat a short-priced favourite on 4
June over 61/2 furlongs at Listowel. Provisional rating 90. Sells with an
entry to the German Derby. Royal Ascot: Queens Vase/King George
V Stakes

Lot 19 AIRMAN (3yo c. Dandy Man) (R. Fahey) Winner of his first two starts over 5 furlongs, he is a good contender for the Palace of Holyrood House Stakes Handicap. Royal Ascot: Palace of Holyrood House Stakes Handicap

ot 20 Withdrawn

Lot 21 EVENING SAIGON (290 c. Harry Angel) (M.D. O'Callaghan)
Timeform rated 92p ("looked smart prospect") when beating two
maiden winners on debut in Tipperary. Royal Ascot: Norfolk Stakes

Lot 22 ASIAN DAZE (3yo f. Frontiersman) (J.P. Murtagh)
Three time winner and a close second last time out in a competitive
Listed race over a mile, her continual improvement suggests that
there is plenty more to come. Royal Ascot: Sandringham Stakes

Lot 23 RAW ABILITY (3yo f. Belardo) (E. McNamara)
Described in the Racing Post as "something distinctly useful" after winning convincingly on her debut in a competitive 14 runner Maiden on 3rd June at Gowran Park. Royal Ascot: Hampton Court Stakes

Lot 24 CRUDEN (3yo c. Time Test) (Mrs J. Harrington)
Rated 88p by Timeform, and described by them as "will go on improving" he looked an exciting staying prospect when winning an 11-furlong maiden on 16 May at Limerick.

Lot 25 LAZZAT (3yo g. Territories) (J. Reynier)

Unbeaten winner of his five races, all in 2024, including the Prix Paul De Moussac (Gr.3) and the Prix Djebel (Gr.3), he looks Group 1 level and a contender for many of the world's richest horse racing purses.

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O'Sullivan Cont.

Follow Me couldn't have made a better start for his new connections when landing a Curragh maiden. But it was his victory on handicap debut back at Irish racing's HQ on Guineas weekend that marked him down as being potentially above average.

Trapped behind a wall of horses entering the business end of the race, it appeared as though he was going to finish an unlucky loser. However, Billy Lee spied a gap down the inner deep inside the final furlong and the response was immediate.

O'Sullivan recalled, "Jesus, everything that could go wrong did go wrong for him in the handicap but he still managed to win. He's got a progressive profile going into next week."

He added, "We have given him an entry in the Jersey Stakes and the Britannia but I'd say he's more likely to go for the Britannia. You've got Haatem (Ire) (Phoenix Of Spain {Ire}) going for the Jersey and I see Aidan O'Brien mentioned that River Tiber (Ire) (Wootton Bassett {GB}) would probably go there as

well. The Britannia looks as though it would be the better option.

"Even though it can be a bit of a lottery with 30 runners coming up the straight, it's a race that is usually won by a progressive horse and I think Follow Me is exactly that."

Just two trainers, Aidan O'Brien and Joanna Morgan, have managed to win the Britannia for Ireland since 1988 and O'Sullivan revealed that he received a recent pep talk from the latter.

"Joanna came up to me the other day at the races to wish me luck," O'Sullivan explained. "She told me that she managed to win the race in 2013 with Roca Tumu (Ire) (Footstepsinthesand {GB}). She told me all about it—the horse had won two races and they just wanted to have a Royal Ascot runner. He went and bloody won the race and didn't they get a million quid for him to go abroad afterwards. Joanna talks about that as being one of her best days in racing. So there you go. That's what it means to people."

While the stats might say the Irish raiders could be up against it in the Britannia, the trainer says having Shane Foley in the saddle could work out to be a massive advantage. Foley has already partnered 35 winners this season which is one less than reigning champion Colin Keane. Jessica Harrington has supplied 25 of those but the Kilkenny native has struck up a good relationship with O'Sullivan, with the pair combining to three

victories from 10 runners.

What's more impressive is that nine of those 10 starters finished in the money and O'Sullivan describes the rider as a massive asset to the stable.

He said, "Shane Foley has ridden Follow Me in all of his work from the word go. Billy won on him the last day but that was only because Shane had to ride one for Jessica Harrington. Shane is riding like a man possessed at the minute. He was riding sore for the past couple of years but, since he got the hip operated on, he's come out all guns blazing at the start of this season.

"I've never seen a man with work ethic like Shane. He came to me during the winter and he said, 'Ross, I am around this season. If you need me to ride work, I'm there. Sundays. Whatever. I'll be there.' He could text me on a given evening, saying, 'I'm around at 6.30 in the morning if that's any use?'

"He'd ride one for me then into the car and down to Jessica Harrington's for four lots. Then maybe head back to the Curragh

to ride more work for a few trainers and then off to the races that evening. Jesus, he's driven. He's been a big help to us this season. I'd say his wife never sees him!"

O'Sullivan doesn't lack for effort, either. In the 15-minute dash from his base in Kill, County Kildare to the famous Old Vic gallop on the Curragh, there are declarations to be made, jockeys to be booked, owners to be rung. It's full on.

"Nothing beats having a winner.
It's something very special. So much goes into getting a horse ready for a race and when it goes right it's an amazing feeling."

-Ross O'Sullivan

And while this was the last away day for Follow Me, arguably the most important runner in O'Sullivan's career to date, you wouldn't think it. Here is a man who never seems to get flustered and goes about his day with a smile and a joke.

Whatever he's doing behind the scenes, it seems to be working. The stable sent out 12 winners on the level last season and, with six on the board already this year, O'Sullivan is well on course to enjoy his best year on the Flat in 2024.

Of course, success comes naturally in this household.

O'Sullivan is married to Katie Walsh, whose Greenhills breeze-up consignment continues to go from strength-to-strength, and on Thursday celebrated 525,000gns Craven Sale graduate Anno Domini (GB) (New Bay {GB}) make a winning debut for Godolphin.

The two operations are run completely separately and, while big results in the ring are good for business, it's winners on the track that makes O'Sullivan tick. **Cont. p5**

O'Sullivan Cont.

"I saw an interview with Katie McGivern the other day after she sent out a winner and I thought she summed it up brilliantly. She had a brilliant year with the breezers and only has two horses to run on the track but says she gets more of a buzz out of them than anything else. Willie Browne is the very same. He could have a winner up at Dundalk over the winter and would say nothing else would compare. Not to sound like they don't appreciate getting good results with the breeze-up horses, of course they do, but nothing beats having a winner. I know Katie [Walsh] feels the very same. It's something very special. So much goes into getting a horse ready for a race and when it does go right it's an amazing feeling."

So what would victory with Warrior Brave or Follow Me at Royal Ascot mean to Ross O'Sullivan and those closest to him? "It would be a career-defining moment. It would be brilliant for the yard and something that you could look back on in years to come."

He added, "I mean, our biggest winner came with Baie Des Iles (Fr) (Barastraight {GB}) in a Grade 2 Chase in France. That was six years ago now and we still talk about it regularly. Those are the achievements and memories that stick out forever and it's why you do the job in the first place. If it was to happen next week, it would be absolutely magic."

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Also a half to the listed scorer Silwana (Ire) (Peintre Celebre) and the multiple group winner Sinawann (Ire) (Kingman {GB}), she has Kingman's unraced 3-year-old filly Sulaiyma (GB), the unraced 2-year-old filly Sulya (Ire) (Pinatubo {Ire}) and a yearling daughter of Night Of Thunder (Ire).

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1--SUMIHA (IRE), 135, f, 4, by Sea The Stars (Ire)

1st Dam: Summaya (Ire) (GSP-Ire), by Azamour (Ire)

2nd Dam: Simawa (Ire), by Anabaa

3rd Dam: Sinntara (Ire), by Lashkari (GB)

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN, 1ST GROUP WIN. O-H H Aga Khan; B-His Highness The Aga Khan's Studs SC (IRE); T-Dermot Weld; J-Chris Hayes. €36,000. Lifetime Record: 4-2-2-0, \$67,748.

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- 2--**Trevaunance (Ire)**, 135, m, 5, Muhaarar (GB)--Liber Nauticus (Ire), by Azamour (Ire). O/B-Moyglare Stud Farm (IRE); T-Jessica Harrington. €12,000.
- 3--Scarlett O'Hara (Fr), 135, f, 4, Frankel (GB)--Dream Of Tara (Ire), by Invincible Spirit (Ire). (€100,000 Ylg '21 GOFOR). O-Miss P F O'Kelly; B-Kilcarn Stud (FR); T-Jessica Harrington. €6,000.

Margins: 1 1/4, 3/4, 3 3/4. Odds: 1.38, 4.00, 14.00. Also Ran: Greenfinch, Nostringsattached (Ire), Thunder Roll (Ire),

Joupe (Ire). Scratched: Derida (Ger).

KODIAC'S BABOUCHE COLLECTS 'TDN RISING STAR' ROSETTE WITH POWER-PACKED DISPLAY AT CORK

by Sean Cronin

Ger Lyons trainee **Babouche (GB)** (Kodiac {GB}--Pavlosk, by Arch) was all the rage at the tills for Friday's Irish Stallion Farms EBF Maiden at Cork and justified odds-on favouritism with a '**TDN Rising Star**' display in the six-furlong contest. She becomes the fifth Rising Star for Kodiac, whose others include last term's G1 2000 Guineas and G1 Irish 2000 Guineas placegetter Hi Royal (Ire).

Babouche, who holds entries for the June 29 G2 Airlie Stud S. and Aug. 19 G1 Keeneland Phoenix S., broke smartly and led the smaller far-side group in an overall seventh through the initial stages of this straight dash. Bounding into contention at the quarter-mile pole, the 5-6 favourite seized control approaching the final furlong and powered clear in highly impressive fashion in the closing stages to easily outclass **Lunigiana (Ire)** (Mehmas {Ire}) by five lengths.

"Babouche is a nice filly, she is obviously well related and had been doing everything nicely at home," said assistant trainer Shane Lyons. "She has had to do it the hard way, which wasn't fair on her, but, in fairness, she did it with her ears pricked. Colin [Keane] was brilliant on her as he didn't take any chances. She is in the Balanchine [Airlie Stud] in two weeks time, we'll see how she comes on and she'll tell us where we go next. We'll speak to [Juddmonte's] Barry [Mahon] and the family and will fill them in on how she is. It was her first time ever seeing grass and we like her. She'll come on immensely and we'll let her do the talking."

Babouche is the sixth foal and scorer out of Listed Michael Seely Memorial S. victrix Pavlosk (Arch), herself a full-sister to Listed Prix Casimir Delamarre winner Rostova. Pavlosk is also a half-sister to the dual Group 3-winning G1 Gran Premio di Milano third Exhibit One (Silver Hawk), herself the dam of G3 Chunichi Shimbun Hai victor Maitres d'Art (Jpn) (Zenno Rob Roy {Jpn}) and Listed Sandringham H. runner-up Auction (Ire) (Mr. Greeley). Zarinsk's third dam Bold Empress (Diesis {GB}) is kin to multiple Group 1-winning sire Zafonic (Mr. Prospector) while her descendants also include stakes-winning G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches second Irish Rookie (Ire) (Azamour {Ire}), G2 Maurice Lacroix Trophy victrix Daring Love (Ger) (Big Shuffle) and G2 Oettingen-Rennen scorer Dapango (Ger) (Soldier Hollow {GB}). The May-foaled homebred bay is a full-sister to last year's G2 Minstrel S., G3 Brownstown S. and G3 Cornelscourt S. victrix Zarinsk (GB). She is also kin to the stakes-placed Derevo (GB) (Dansili {GB}) and a yearling filly by Expert Eye (GB).

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1st-Cork, €18,000, Mdn, 6-14, 2yo, f, 6fT, 1:13.47, g/y. **BABOUCHE (GB), f, 2, by Kodiac (GB)**

1st Dam: Pavlosk (SW-Eng), by Arch 2nd Dam: Tsar's Pride (GB), by Sadler's Wells 3rd Dam: Bold Empress, by Diesis (GB)

Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$11,598. *Full to Zarinsk (GB), MGSW-Ire, \$258,347; and 1/2 to Derevo (GB) (Dansili {GB}), SP-KSA, \$479,020. Click for the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

O-Juddmonte; B-Juddmonte Farms Ltd (GB); T-Ger Lyons; J-Colin Keane.

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INSPIRAL AND AUDIENCE LIKELY TO STEER SEPARATE PATHS AT ASCOT

Inspiral (GB) (Frankel {GB}), who holds double entries at Royal Ascot next week, now looks more likely to head to the G1 Prince of Wales's S. on Wednesday, with fellow Cheveley Park Stud representative Audience (GB) (Iffraaj {GB}) sent to run in Tuesday's G1 Queen Anne S.

The five-year-old mare has won six Group 1 races, the latest being over the longer trip of 10 furlongs at Santa Anita in the Breeders' Cup Filly and Mare Turf. She was fourth behind her John and Thady Gosden stable-mate Audience on her seasonal return in the G1 Lockinge S. over a mile. Cont. p7



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"It has obviously been given serious consideration and following her success at Santa Anita over a mile and a quarter, where she was very effective, I think it makes sense to step her up," said Cheveley Park Stud's managing director, Chris Richardson.

"The Lockinge was a good starting point, but she was slowly away, which she can be on occasions, and if she is a little tardy away next time at least over a mile and a quarter it will be less important hopefully."

He added of Audience, "I think he's got the ability and I think he still remains a progressive horse. I hope he will dispel any thoughts that his win in the Lockinge was a bit a fluke."

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HOT DARLING CONFIRMED FOR THE **ALBANY**

Sumbe's undefeated listed winner Hot Darling (Ire) (Too Darn Hot {GB}) has been confirmed for the G3 Albany S. at Royal Ascot on Friday, June 21, trainer Amy Murphy revealed on Friday.

"It was a great result for everyone, the owners and my team at home," said Murphy of the filly, who sold earlier this week for 460,000gns, a record for the Tattersalls Online platform.

"She's going to go for the Albany. We'll find it out if six furlongs is right, but we're looking forward to running her and she's got a very good brain that we think will help her see the six out.

"We're very privileged and excited to have Mr Bizakov [of Sumbe] in the yard and we look forward to hopefully having a good association. We have to thank him for his support."

A winner on debut at Chantilly in April, the bay claimed the Listed Prix des Reves d'Or at Vichy on May 15. Hot Darling is a relative of this year's G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains winner Metropolitan (Fr) (Zarak (Fr)). The G2 Queen Mary S. had also been a possibility on Hot Darling's dance card.

Murphy also had an update on Rock Hunter (GB) (Expert Eye (GB)) who is cross entered in both the Listed Windsor Castle S. on Wednesday, June 19 and the G2 Norfolk S, the day after. The Goffs London Sale entrant is a winner from three starts and was second in the Listed National S. at Sandown most recently on May 23.

She added, "He's a horse I have always held in high regard and I still don't think we have seen the best of him. He needs a bit of cover and a strong pace to aim at and through no fault of his own and the small field sizes, he hasn't really had what I believe he needs yet. I think he's a lovely horse.

"He's in the Windsor Castle and the Norfolk. We will have a

look at both races and make a decision and if we decide to go to the Windsor Castle then he will have been declared before the sale on Monday."

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INISHERIN TO BE SUPPLEMENTED TO **COMMONWEALTH CUP**

Group 2 winner Inisherin (GB) (Shamardal) will be supplemented at a cost of £46,000 to the G1 Commonwealth Cup on Saturday, trainer Kevin Ryan has confirmed.

The G2 Sandy Lane S. hero, who races for Sheikh Mohammed Obaid Al Maktoum, has won half of his four starts. He was a solid sixth in the G1 QIPCO 2000 Guineas in May, prior to his Sandy Lane victory.

"He is in good form," said Ryan. "He runs in the Commonwealth Cup."

The colt will square off with dual Group 1 winner and Sandy Lane third Vandeek (GB) (Havana Grey {GB}) on June 21.

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KYPRIOS ONE OF 12 FOR GOLD CUP AS THURSDAY FIELDS TAKE SHAPE

Crack stayer Kyprios (Ire) (Galileo (Ire)) leads a 12-strong field for the 2 1/2-mile G1 Gold Cup, as next Thursday's Royal Ascot fields take shape.

A winner of this event in 2022, the chestnut sustained an injury last term that forced him to make just two starts. However, he has put that hiccup behind him and has won the Listed Vintage Crop S. and the G3 Levmoss S. in succession.

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Thursday Royal Ascot Entries Cont.

This race's entries read like a who's who of some of the best stayers in Europe, and, although Wathan Racing's Courage Mon Ami (GB) (Frankel {GB}), last year's winner, will miss this engagement due to a setback, the Emir of Qatar is still represented by Group 2 winner Gregory (GB) (Golden Horn {GB}). Although soft-ground dependent, Trueshan (Fr) (Planteur {Ire}) steps forward again here coming off a third to Sweet William (Ire) (Sea The Stars (Ire)) and Caius Chorister (Fr) (Golden Horn {GB}) in the G3 Henry II S. at Sandown in May. Willie Mullins will send out Vauban (Fr) (Galiway {GB}), while Andrew Balding is hoping that G3 Sagaro S. winner Coltrane (Ire) (Mastercraftsman {Ire}) will fit the bill. Another consistent performer in these contests is Godolphin's Trawlerman (Ire) (Golden Horn {GB}), who comes off of a third-place finish to Tower Of London (Ire) (Galileo (Ire)) in the G2 Dubai Gold Cup in March.

Kicking off the racing next Thursday is the G2 Norfolk S., and it, too, features a strong Aidan O'Brien chance in the form of Curragh listed winner Whistlejacket (Ire) (No Nay Never), who races for a Coolmore partnership. Of the 33 entries for the fivefurlong event, another likely starter of note is the Karl Burketrained and Wathnan Racing-owned Shareholder (Not This Time), a winner at Beverley earlier this month. Adrian Keatley runs the French listed winner Francisco's Piece (GB) (Mayson {GB}), and Amo Racing's G3 Marble Hill S. heroine Arizona Blaze (GB) (Sergei Prokofiev) also sports an entry. Joseph O'Brien saddles Marble Hill third Midnight Strike (Ire) (Starspangledbanner {Aus}) for Teme Valley Racing.

In the 1 3/8-mile G2 Ribblesdale S., Godolphin's **Diamond Rain** (GB) (Shamardal) will attempt to take her record to a perfect three-for-three after victories at Ascot in May and in the Listed Fillies' Trial S. later that month and faces 18 rivals. Juddmonte's Kalpana (GB) (Study Of Man {Ire}) looms a high-profile rival with two wins to her name and a last-out second in the Listed Pretty Polly S. on May 5 for trainer Andrew Balding. Aidan O'Brien has entered a trio headed up by winner Port Fairy (Ire) (Australia (GB)), herself second to the Ralph Beckett trainee Forest Fairy (Ire) (Waldgeist {GB}) in the Listed Cheshire Oaks in May. Another Beckett runner is listed scorer and G1 Betfred Oaks fourth You Got To Me (GB) (Nathaniel {Ire}).

Two dozen horses have signed on for the 1 1/4-mile G3 Hampton Court S., with Wathnan Racing's latest buy First Look (Ire) (Lope De Vega (Ire)) one of the headliners. The G1 Prix du Jockey Club runner-up, a winner at Chantilly last November, has two additional group placings in his Classic season for Andre Fabre. Listed winner Caviar Heights (Ire) (Sea The Stars {Ire}), who races for Karl Burke, will participate, as will Harry Charlton's King's Gambit (Ire) (Saxon Warrior {Jpn}), who took the London Gold Cup on May 18. The stakes-placed Bracken's Laugh (Ire) (Zoffany {Ire}) from the yard of Richard Hughes and Aidan

O'Brien's handicap winner Chantilly (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) are other potential runners.

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GERMAN DERBY HERO KAMSIN DIES AT 19



Kamsin | Haras de la Baie

German Derby hero Kamsin (Ger) (Samum {Ger}) has died at the age of 19, Jour de Galop reported on Friday. A resident of Haras de la Baie in 2024, the dual purpose stallion stood for €2,500 this year.

"We found the stallion dead in his box in the morning," said stud representative Andre-Jean Belloir to the JDG. "At night, he ate his ration and everything seemed normal."

Bred by Gestut Karlshof, the half- or full-sibling to four blacktype horses raced in the colours of Stall Blankenese and was trained by Peter Schiergen. Placed in one start at two, he won his maiden by nine lengths first out at Krefeld in March of 2008, before taking the G3 Fruhjahrspreis des Bankhaus Metzler in May. After his G1 Deutsches Derby victory two starts later, he ran second--promoted to first--in the G1 Rheinland-Pokal der Sparkass that August and added the G1 Grosser Preis von Baden in September. Unplaced in the 2008 G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe, he opened 2009 with a victory in the G2 Gerling-Preis.

Retired with a mark of 13-6-1-0, and earnings of \$996,940, the son of group winner Kapitol (Ger) (Winged Love {Ire}) stood in Germany beginning in 2011 before spending 2017-2020 in France. After three seasons at Annshoon Stud in Ireland (2021-2023), he returned to France for 2024. Group winners Nica (Ger), Ladykiller (Ger), and Lips Queen (Ger) feature among his six Flat stakes winners. Over jumps, Kamsin has sired On The Go (Fr), the winner of the 2018 G1 Grand Steeplechase de Paris, as well as Imbatable Du Seuil (Fr), Nosferatu (Fr), and Libeccio (Fr).

CITY LIGHT FILLY ANCHORS ARQANA SUMMER SALE WILDCARDS

The winner Griselda (Fr) (City Light {Fr}) (lot 502) is one of seven more Flat and NH wildcards added to the Argana Summer Sale. She is a half-sister to group winner Nikkei and is from the family of Group 1 winner Neatico (Ger) (Medicean {GB}).

For the National Hunt additions, Latopix (Fr) (Beaumec De Houelle (Fr) (lot 516) is a winner over 2400 metres at Vichy last month; Irisante (Ger) (Tai Chi {Ger}) (lot 524) was third in the G3 Prix Sagan; a winner over hurdles is the listed-placed Sony Bill (Fr) (Battle Of Marengo (Ire)) (lot 525); Kissman (Fr) (Karaktar {Ire}) has won over hurdles and is lot 531; the winner Best Of Us (Fr) (Almanzor (Fr)) (lot 532) has been entered; and rounding out the septet is Quantock Hills (Fr) (Sageburg {Ire}) (lot 533), who has triumphed at Dieppe.

All six lots will sell on Wednesday, July 3 at 2 p.m. alongside 200 horses-in-training already catalogued and a trio of previously announced wildcards. The sale takes place in Deauville from July 1-4.

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Kissman is one of the wildcard lots | Scoop Dyga

ROR TO RECEIVE A £5K DONATION FOR EVERY RYAN MOORE WINNER FROM ROYAL ASCOT SUPPORTS

Retraining of Racehorses will receive £5,000 from Ascot Racecourse Supports for every Ryan Moore winner at Royal Ascot 2024, the racecourse announced on Friday. A 10-time leading rider at the meeting with 79 winners overall, Moore had six winners in 2023 and seven the year prior.

Moore, a racing ambassador for Ascot Racecourse Supports,

said, "I'm really pleased to be helping Ascot this year. Ascot Racecourse Supports are very kindly donating £5,000 for any winner I ride at Royal Ascot, and hopefully we can raise some money.

"Royal Ascot, for me it's the highlight of the British racing season, and it's probably the best race meeting in the world. Five days of very competitive races. It's very hard to win there. I look forward to it every year. I would say it's my favourite meeting and I've been very fortunate to be to have been a part of it for so long.

"Riding winners at Ascot is very hard. It took me a few attempts to ride my first one and I've been lucky to ride for some of the biggest trainers in Britain and Ireland and I'm fortunate to have ridden a lot of winners there now, and really I'm always just looking forward to the next one and you don't know if it's definitely going to come, so hopefully we just try to keep ticking them off."

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FIRST-SEASON SIRES WITH RUNNERS

Saturday, June 15, 2024: UNITED KINGDOM

Arizona (Ire) (No Nay Never), Coolmore Stud 66 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners 13:35-CHESTER, 6f, One More Guinness (Ire) €5,000 Goffs November Foal Sale 2022; €7,000 Tattersalls Ireland September Yearling Sale Part II 2023; €5,000 Osarus Breeze-Up La Teste 2024

Elargam (GB) (Frankel {GB}), Izmit Stallion Station 31 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners 17:17-LEICESTER, 7f, Metro Dubai (Fr)

Mohaather (GB) (Showcasing {GB}), Beech House Stud 96 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners 17:17-LEICESTER, 7f, Chesneys Charm (GB) 10,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023; 18,000gns Tattersalls Guineas Breeze Up & HIT Sale 2024 17:48-LEICESTER, 7f, Corriamo (Ire) 12,000gns Tattersalls December Yearling Sale 2023 14:20-BATH, 5f, Skellig Isle (GB)

Sergei Prokofiev (Scat Daddy), Whitsbury Manor Stud 121 foals of racing age/7 winners/2 black-type winners 14:20-BATH, 5f, Miss Campanella (GB)

13,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2023 13:35-CHESTER, 6f, **Thecoffeepoddotco (GB)** 42,000gns Tattersalls Somerville Yearling Sale 2023



Mohaather has a trio of runners in the UK | Shadwell

OBSERVATIONS on the European racing scene

HOW THEY FARED

14.40 Sandown, Mdn, £10,000, 2yo, 7fT

Godolphin's Craven Breeze-Up millionaire Royal Officer (Ire) (Galileo (Ire)), from the family of multiple Group 1-placed sire Gregorian (Ire) (Clodovil (Ire)), was handily placed throughout this debut, but lacked the necessary gears in the straight and finished 3 1/4 lengths adrift of the winner in fifth.

16.50 Cork, Mdn, €18,000, 2yo, f, 6fT

Aidan O'Brien trainee **Sweet Chariot (Ire) (Wootton Bassett {GB})**, a daughter of G1 Cheveley Park S. heroine Clemmie (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), was unable to feature at the business end and finished just over nine lengths adrift of Babouche's '**TDN Rising Star**' performance in fifth.

BRITAIN

Friday's Results:

4th-York, £30,000, Nov, 6-14, 2yo, f, 5fT, 1:01.29, g/s. HAVANA GILA (GB) (f, 2, Havana Gold {Ire}--With Caution {Ire}, by Dandy Man {Ire}), who finished 3 1/4 lengths behind the winner when fifth over six furlongs at Kempton in her May 22 debut last time, broke well and tracked the leaders in third from

the outset of this turf bow. Nudged along soon after halfway, the 16-1 chance was ridden into second approaching the furlong pole and kept on strongly to defeat River Seine (Ire) (Soldier's Call {GB}) by an ultimately snug 1 1/2 lengths. Havana Gila is the first of two foals produced by a multiple-winning daughter of Kitty Softpaws (Ire) (Royal Applause {GB}), herself an unraced half-sister to stakes-winning G3 Brigadier Gerard S. third Miblish (GB) (Teofilo {Ire}) and G3 Tetrarch S. third Count John (Ire) (Intikhab). The February-foaled bay is half to a yearling filly by Aclaim (Ire). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$19,735.

O-Harold Nass; B-Rockville Pike Partnership (GB); T-Harry Eustace.

FIRST WINNER FOR SIRE

1st-Goodwood, £15,000, Mdn, 6-14, 2yo, f, 6fT, 1:14.37, g/s. ALERTA MAXIMA (GB) (f, 2, Circus Maximus {Ire}--Alamode {GB} {GSP-Eng}, by Sir Percy {GB}), sixth over course and distance on debut last month, raced behind the leading group throughout the early stages. Working her way to the front approaching the furlong pole, the 4-1 second favourite was driven out to record a length verdict over Mollie Foster (Ire) (Acclamation {GB}). In doing so, she was providing her first-season sire (by Galileo {Ire}) with his first winner. Stoutly-bred for this trip, Alerta Maxima is the fourth foal out of the G3 Oh So Sharp S. runner-up who is a granddaughter of the dual G1 Champion S. heroine Alborada (GB) (Alzao). Related to Alpinista (GB) (Frankel {GB}), her yearling colt is by Sea The Moon (Ger). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$10,021.

O/B-Miss K Rausing (GB); T-Marcus Tregoning.

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3rd-Sandown, £10,000, Mdn, 6-14, 2yo, 7fT, 1:30.86, g/f. DIVIDEND (GB) (c, 2, Kodiac {GB}--Dabble {Ire}, by Mastercraftsman (Ire)), a May 15 debut fifth tackling six furlongs at Lingfield last time, broke well from an outer stall to race in a handy third after the initial strides of this return. Inching closer once into the home straight, the 50-1 outsider quickened to the fore approaching the final furlong and was ridden out thereafter to prevail by two lengths from Moon Sniper (GB) (Sea The Moon {Ger}). Dividend is the second foal and scorer produced by an unraced daughter of Listed Prix Sigy, Listed Prix Amandine and Listed Prix Isola Bella victrix Dolma (Fr) (Marchand De Sable). Dolma is the dam of dual Group 3-winning G1 Cantala S. second McCreery (GB) (Big Bad Bob {Ire}) and G1 Pretty Polly S. victrix Thistle Bird (GB) (Selkirk), herself the dam of G3 Thoroughbred S. victor and G1 Futurity Trophy runner-up Epictetus (Ire) (Kingman (GB)), G3 Valiant S. victrix Jumbly (GB) (Gleneagles {Ire}) and the dual stakes-placed Bullfinch (GB) (Kodiac {GB}). Cont. p11

3rd-Sandown Cont.

The February-foaled bay is kin to a yearling colt by Ardad (Ire) and a weanling colt by Australia (GB). Sales history: 50,000gns Wlg '22 TADEWE; 57,000gns Ylg '23 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$6,892.

O-Commercium; B-G S Bishop (GB); T-Dr Richard Newland & Jamie Insole.

HANDICAP RESULTS:

5th-York, £**70,000**, **Hcp**, 6-14, 4yo/up, 10f 56yT, 2:13.42, g/s. **RON O (GB) (g, 6, Toronado {Ire}--Xaloc {Ire}, by Shirocco {Ger})** Lifetime Record: 40-9-4-4, \$114,631. O/T-Ray Craggs; B-M J Rozenbroek (GB).

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Siegen (Ire), c, 2, Blue Point (Ire)--Al Kirana (Ire), by Exceed And Excel (Aus). Sandown, 6-14, 5f 10yT, 1:02.20. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$8,062. B-Pier House Stud (IRE). *250,000gns Ylg '23 TATOCT. **1/2 to Inishnee (Ire) (Al Wukair {Ire}), SP-Fr.

IRELAND

Friday's Results:

IRISH STALLION FARMS EBF MIDSUMMER SPRINT S.-Listed, €40,000, Cork, 6-14, 3yo/up, 5fT, :58.60, g/y.

- 1--CLARENDON HOUSE (GB), 135, g, 6, Mehmas (Ire)--Walaaa (Ire), by Exceed And Excel (Aus). 1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. (16,000gns Wlg '18 TATFOA; £14,000 Ylg '19 GOFFPR; 130,000gns 2yo '20 TATBRE). O-Middleham Park Racing VIII; B-D R Tucker (GB); T-Robert Cowell; J-Colin Keane. €24,000. Lifetime Record: SP-Eng, 26-9-3-2, \$212,650.
- 2--**Erosandpsyche (Ire)**, 135, g, 6, Sepoy (Aus)--Sciolina (Ire), by Oratorio (Ire). O-P B Dreeling; B-Allevamento Poggio San Giorgio SAS (IRE); T-Paddy Twomey. €8,000.
- 3--Jakajaro (Ire), 128, g, 3, Too Darn Hot (GB)--Summer Flower (Ire), by Oasis Dream (GB). **1ST BLACK TYPE**. (€38,000 Ylg '22 GOFSPT). O-MRC International; B-Godolphin (IRE); T-David Marnane. €4,000.

Margins: 2 3/4, 3/4, HF. Odds: 2.00, 4.00, 10.00.

Also Ran: She's Quality (Ire), Dun Na Sead (Ire), Gabriella's Spirit (Ire), Arnhem (Ire), So Majestic (Ire), Ano Syra (Ire). Scratched: Easy (Ire), Go Athletico (Fr), Shandy (Ire), Twilight Jet (Ire).

Third in the Listed Hever Sprint S. and successful in a competitive York handicap in two of his last four starts prior to this breakthrough, Clarendon House was able to make another move forward with a clear-cut success. "He travelled very strong, they probably weren't quick enough to bring him along to be honest and when I asked him, he quickened up well under

hands and heels," jockey Colin Keane said of the winner, whose yearling half-sister is by A'Ali (Ire). "He is a level above those horses."

1st-Fairyhouse, **€20,000**, **Mdn**, 6-14, 2yo, 6fT, 1:13.73, gd. FIERY LUCY (GB) (f, 2, Without Parole {GB}--Craighall {GB}, by Dubawi (Ire)), who was a fast-closing second when denied by a head in her May 21 unveiling over five furlongs at Cork when last seen, moved forward from an early midfield berth to stalk the pace in second after extended opening exchanges here. Coming under pressure approaching the two pole, the 11-10 favourite inched ahead entering the final furlong and drew off late to outpoint Lethimfly (Ire) (Ribchester {Ire}) by 2 1/4 lengths, becoming the second winner for her freshman sire (by Frankel (GB)). "It was a very good run the first day and I hoped that she could do that today," said trainer Gavin Cromwell. "She won well and Gary [Carroll] thought that she might get further in time. She probably knew her job a little bit better today and I suppose every day is a school day for them. She was quite professional. I'm not sure where she will go from here, but she loved that top of the ground." Fiery Lucy is the 11th of one dozen foals and eighth scorer out of a half-sister to G2 International Bosphorus Cup victir Connecticut (GB) (New Approach (Ire)), stakes-winning G3 Deutscher Stutenpreis runner-up Fleurie Domaine (GB) (Unfuwain) and Listed Fairway S. third Castleton (GB) (Cape Cross {Ire}). The March-foaled bay is half-sister to Listed Gillies Fillies' S. victrix Mukaddamah (GB) (New Approach (Ire)) and a yearling colt by Ulysses (Ire). Sales history: 38,000gns Ylg '23 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$18,043.

O-Dunphy Family Syndicate; B-Whatton Manor Stud (GB); T-Gavin Cromwell.



Without Parole | Amy Lynam

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

5th-Fairyhouse, €**18,500**, 6-14, 3yo/up, 7fT, 1:25.84, gd. **BOOYEA** (IRE) (g, 4, Galileo Gold {GB}--Newgate Lodge {Ire} {SP-Ire, \$109,225}, by Namid {GB}) Lifetime Record: 10-3-1-0, \$36,318. O-Ballinlough Syndicate; B-J & F Reilly (IRE); T-Tom Gibney.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Brosna Town (Ire), g, 3, Awtaad (Ire)--Jamm (Ire), by Duke Of Marmalade (Ire). Fairyhouse, 6-14, 12fT, 2:37.51. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$13,562. B-Leslie Young (IRE). *€32,000 Ylg '22 GOFSPT.

Zarra Ellis (GB), f, 3, Eqtidaar (Ire)--Pizzarra (GB), by Shamardal. Cork, 6-14, 5fT, :59.41. Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-1, \$10,959. B-Bolton Grange (GB). *55,000gns Wlg '21 TADEWE. **1/2 to Fashion Queen (GB) (Aqlaam {GB}), SW-Eng, GSP-Fr.

FRANCE

Friday's Results:

1st-Marseille-Borely, €23,000, Mdn, 6-14, 2yo, 6fT, 1:10.79, gd.

SARDAIGNE (FR) (f, 2, Wooded {Ire}--Salerne {GB}, by Charm Spirit (Ire)) bounded forward off a sluggish getaway and seized control after the initial exchanges of this debut. Tanking clear of the field by halfway, the 69-10 chance turned for home with an insurmountable lead and ran on strongly in the straight to easily hold Marvelous By Night (Fr) (Yafta {GB}) and the closing pack by two lengths, becoming the second winner for her freshman sire (by Wootton Bassett {GB}. Sardaigne is the second of two foals and first scorer produced by a winning half-sister to last term's G1 Prix du Moulin heroine Sauterne (Fr) (Kingman (GB)). The April-foaled homebred bay's second dam Salicorne (Aragorn {Ire}) is an unraced half-sister to multiple top-level heroine and US champion Stacelita (Fr) (Monsun {Ger}). Stacelita is the dam of three stakes winners headed by MG1SW dual Japanese champion Soul Stirring (Jpn) (Frankel {GB}). Her descendants also include G1 Oka Sho (Japanese 1000 Guineas) and G1 Yushun Himba (Japanese Oaks) victrix Stars On Earth (Jpn) (Duramente {Jpn}). Sales history: €40,000 RNA Ylg '23 ARQOCT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €11,500. Video, sponsored by FanDuel TV.

O/B-Jean-Pierre-Joseph Dubois (FR); T-Patrice Cottier.

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

1st-Dieppe, €**30,000**, Cond, 6-14, 2yo, 5fT, :59.10, g/s. GALLIUS (FR) (c, 2, Hunter's Light {Ire}--Galinka {Fr}, by Soldier Hollow {GB}) Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-0, €29,700. O-Patrick

Widloecher, Ecurie Rogier & Markus Nigge; B-Ecurie Saint Louis (FR); T-Mathieu Boutin.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Namouria (Fr), f, 3, Adlerflug (Ger)--Nabatea (Ger), by Camelot (GB). Dieppe, 6-14, 12fT, B-Ecurie du Sud & Ecurie Gribomont (FR). *€135,000 Wlg '21 ARQDEC.

Toyotomi (Fr), c, 3, **Blue Point (Ire)**--Tribune (Fr) (SW-Fr), by Grand Slam. Marseille-Borely, 6-14, 8 1/2fT, 1:47.33. B-Ecurie des Monceaux (FR). *€68,000 Ylg '22 ARQOCT. **1/2 to Deemster (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), SW-Fr; and Buthela (Fr) (Acclamation {GB}), GSP-Fr.

Santao (Fr), c, 3, Manduro (Ger)--Star Waves (Ire), by Sea The Stars (Ire). Dieppe, 6-14, 12fT, 2:41.50. B-Suc L Kneip (FR). *€16,000 Ylg '22 BBAOCT.

No Bay (Fr), g, 3, New Bay (GB)--Momo No Sekku (Fr) (SP-Fr), by Leroidesanimaux (Brz). Marseille-Borely, 6-14, 13fT, 2:46.99. B-Jean-Claude Seroul (FR). *1/2 to Paco (Ire) (Paco Boy {Ire}), SW-Fr, \$192,205.

Yousfiya (Fr), f, 3, Shalaa (Ire)--Jadhaba (Ire) (GSP-Fr), by Galileo (Ire). Dieppe, 6-14, 9fT, 1:55.60. B-Al Shaqab Racing (FR). *1/2 to Al Hakeem (GB) (Siyouni {Fr}), GSW-Fr, \$695,511.

Zaharo (Ire), g, 3, **Shalaa (Ire)**--Cigalera (Fr) (GSP-Fr), by Elusive City. Dieppe, 6-14, 5 1/2fT, 1:06.30. B-Jose Maria Maldonado (IRE).

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PRIX DE DIANE LONGINES-G1, €1,000,000, 3yo, f, 10 1/2fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	12	Candala (Fr)	Frankel (GB)	Graffard	Hayes	126
2	14	Paraiba (Fr)	Soldier Hollow (GB)	Graffard	Marquand	126
3	8	Survie (Ire)	Churchill (Ire)	Clement	Pasquier	126
4	11	Sparkling Plenty (Fr)	Kingman (GB)	Cottier	Piccone	126
5	7	Dance Sequence (GB)	Dubawi (Ire)	C Appleby	Buick	126
6	13	Rock'n Swing (GB)	Camelot (GB)	Fabre	Barzalona	126
7	6	L'Equilibriste (Fr)	Dream Ahead	Donworth	H Doyle	126
8	9	Birthe (Ire)	Study Of Man (Ire)	Vanska	Lemaitre	126
9	2	Dare To Dream (Fr)	Camelot (GB)	Hernon	Pouchin	126
10	4	Tamfana (Ger)	Soldier Hollow (GB)	Menuisier	O Murphy	126
11	1	Gala Real (Fr)	Wootton Bassett (GB)	A&G Botti	Soumillon	126
12	3	Bubble Gum (Fr)	Cloth Of Stars (Ire)	Chappet	Mosse	126
13	10	Aventure (Ire)	Sea The Stars (Ire)	Ferland	Guyon	126
14	6	Halfday (Fr)	Lope De Vega (Ire)	Laffon-Parias	Madamet	126

Breeders: 1-Haras de S A Aga Khan SCEA, 2-Al Shahania Stud, 3-Franklin Finance S A, 4-J-P-J Dubois, 5-Godolphin, 6-Godolphin, 7-SCEA Haras de Gratte Panche et al, 8-Sabah Mubarak Al Sabah, 9-Ecurie des Monceaux, Meridian International & Scuderia Waldeck SNC, 10-Gestut Ezean U H H Rodenburg, 11-Noir Et Or Elevage & Ecurie Skymarc Farm, 12-Rashit Shaykhutdinov, 13-Wertheimer et Frere, 14-Wertheimer et Frere.

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Saturday, Sandown, Britain, post time: 14:40

BETMGM: IT'S SHOWTIME SCURRY S.-Listed, £55,000, 3yo, 5f 10y

SC	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Dawn Charger (Ire)	Soldier's Call (GB)	Saif Mohammad Alketbi & Elaine Burke	Karl Burke	Pierre-Louis Jamin	130
2	Adaay In Devon (GB)	Adaay (Ire)	Horniwinks Racing Syndicate	Rod Millman	Silvestre De Sousa	128
3	Flora of Bermuda (Ire)	Dark Angel (Ire)	Bermuda Racing Ltd	Andrew Balding	Oisin Murphy	125
4	Graceful Thunder (GB)	Havana Grey (GB)	Amo Racing Ltd	George Boughey	David Egan	125
5	Nighteyes (Ire)	Night Of Thunder (Ire)	Akela Thoroughbreds Ltd	David O'Meara	Daniel Tudhope	125
6	No Half Measures (GB)	Cable Bay (Ire)	R P Gallagher	Richard Hughes	George Rooke	125
7	Symbology (GB)	Havana Grey (GB)	Isa Salman Al Khalifa	Clive Cox	William Buick	125
8	Unbreak My Heart (GB)	Showcasing (GB)	C J Harper	Clive Cox	Jim Crowley	125

Breeders: 1-J S Bolger, 2-Horniwinks Racing Club, 3-Francisco Bernal, 4-D R Tucker, 5-Owenstown Bloodstock Ltd, 6-Bumble Bloodstock & Mrs S Nicholls, 7-Whitsbury Manor Stud, 8-Whitsbury Manor Stud

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